

# View-Edit Playlist

## Description

### v1.0

For macOS 10.15+/Music v1.0+  
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and info on writing your own  
at [dougscripits.com](http://dougscripits.com).

A playlist's description tag is only visible/user-editable when the playlist is viewed "as Playlist". This script will allow you to view and edit the description of a playlist no matter what View is selected. (Unfortunately, a bug prevents AppleScript from changing this tag for Playlist Folders.)

For macOS 10.15 and later only.

## Installation:

To make an AppleScript available in your **Music** Script menu, install it in the Music "Scripts" folder. This is located at `[user name] / Library / Music / Scripts /`. **Music** will look for AppleScripts in this folder.

*The user Library directory may be hidden by default. To make it visible, hold down the Option key on your keyboard and select **Go > Library** from the Finder.*

If the `[user name] / Library /` folder does not contain the "Music" folder or "Scripts" folder, then create them and put the script in the "Scripts" folder. AppleScripts will then appear in the Music app's Script menu and can be activated by selecting by name and clicking.

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**See the online Download FAQ for more info and video on downloading and installing AppleScripts.**

## How to use:

Select a playlist and launch the script. It will display the current text used as the description tag for the selected playlist.

If the playlist is a Regular or Smart Playlist, the text can be edited and saved. Playlist Folders' descriptions will display but they cannot be edited.

## Helpful Links:

**Information and download link for this script is located at:**

<https://dougscripsts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=mxvieweditplaylistdescription>

**If you have any trouble with this script, please email me.**

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