

Solution Note - Logic Ties

Creating Logic Ties and Dependency Types

Problem Statement

When creating a plan, you need to be able to see the relationship between tasks and understand the sequence in which tickets must be completed. Without these visual relationships there is risk of rework and delays in the plan.

Solution

Reduce rework and stay on track by highlighting critical handoffs between groups of tickets to better mimic methods like critical path, add appropriate lag time between two activities, and link activities with four different dependency types: **Finish to Start, Start-to-Start, Finish-to-Finish, and Start-to-Finish.**

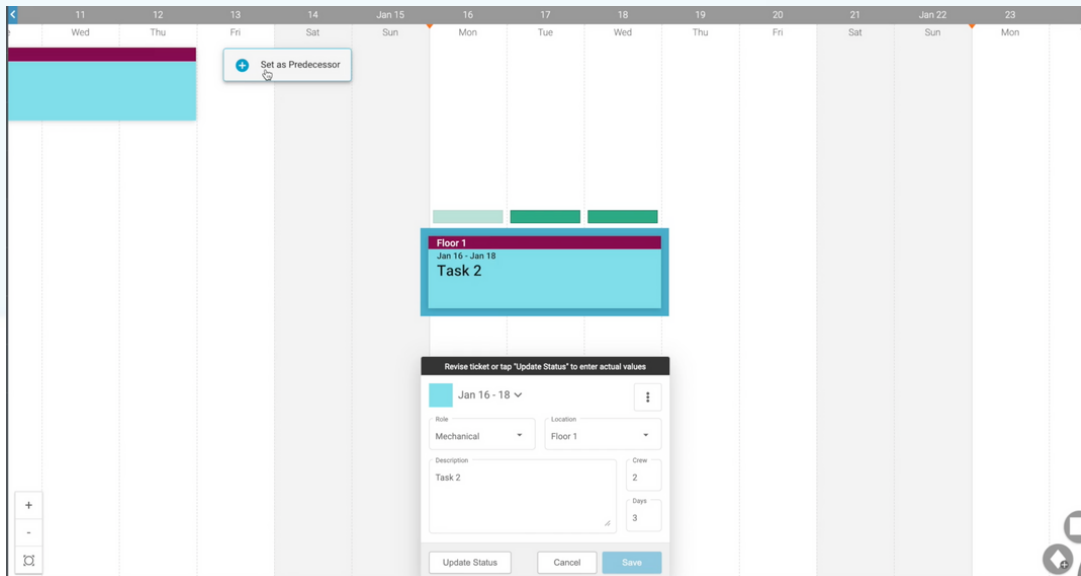
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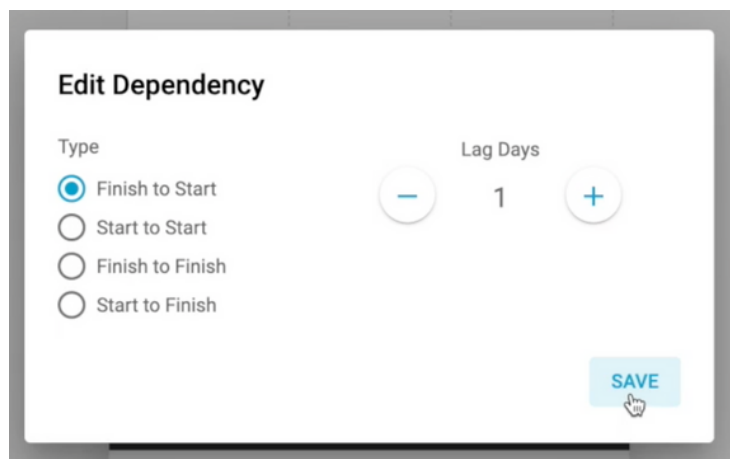
Step-by-step instructions

How to add a predecessor link:

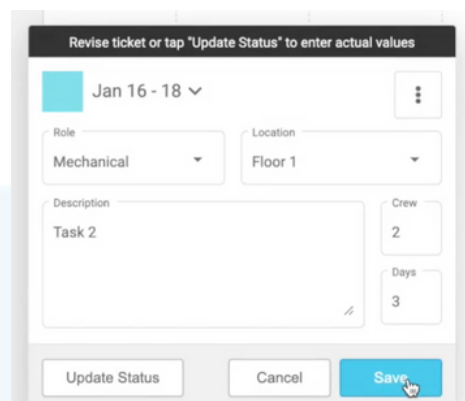
1. Click into the dependent ticket
2. Right click on the predecessor ticket
3. Select **Set as Predecessor**



4. Choose the **Dependency Type** and adjust the **Lag Days**

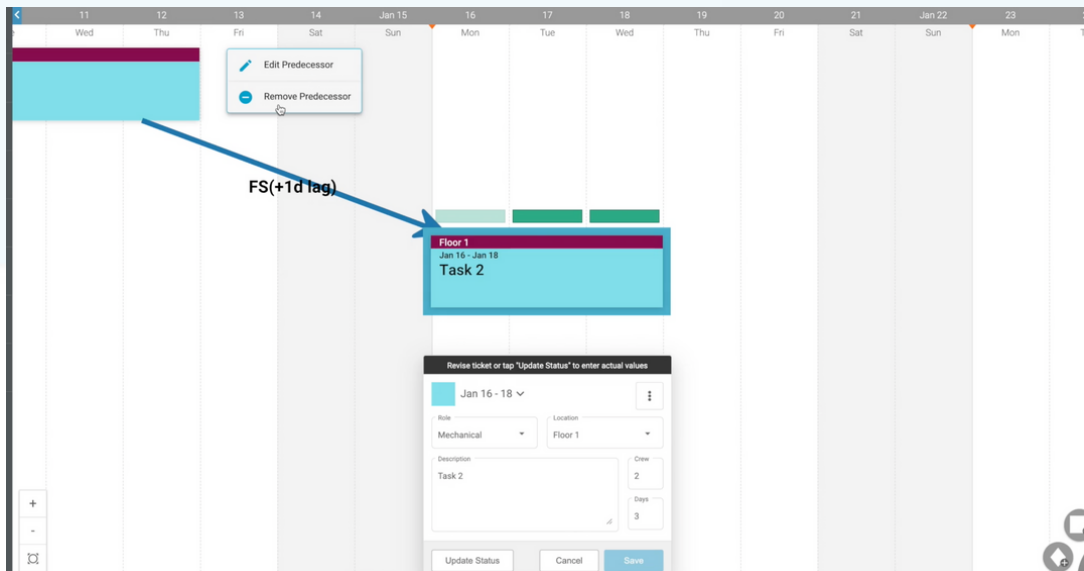


5. Click **Save**

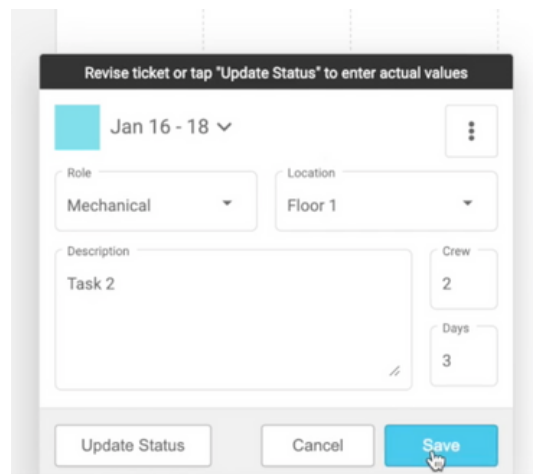


How to remove a predecessor link:

1. Click into the dependent ticket
2. Right click on the predecessor ticket
3. Select **Remove Predecessor**

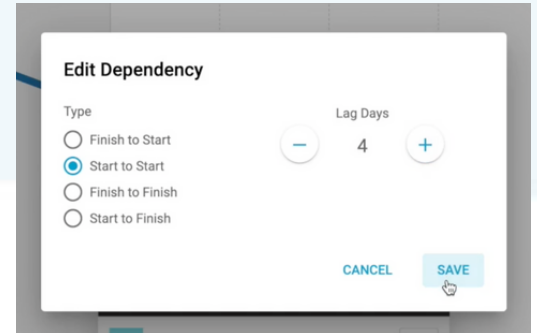
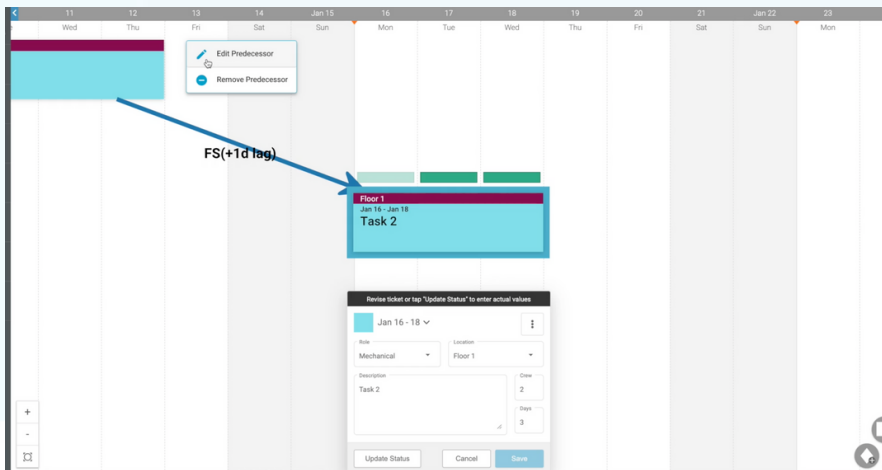


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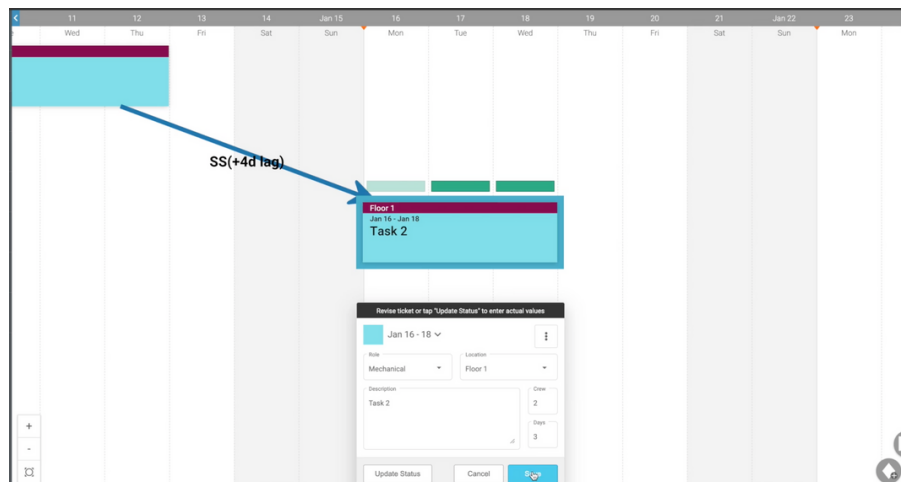


How to edit an existing predecessor link:

1. Click into the dependent ticket
2. Right click on the predecessor ticket
3. Select **Edit Predecessor** and edit the dependency



4. Click **Save**



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