

## Editing Video Playback

Content Studio allows you to edit the length of your video files. Video files can be shortened or looped to play more than one time.

### Shortening the length of a video

1. In the Media Library, select the Videos tab. Double click on the video you wish to import. The Video Import window will appear. (See Fig. 1)
2. Adjust the start time or end time for the video as desired.
  - o **Adjust the start time:** Drag the orange beginning marker to the desired start time.
  - o **Adjust the end time:** Drag the blue ending marker to the desired end time.
3. After you have edited the start/end time, preview your video. To watch the video, click on the **Play** button.
4. Click Import to import your video into Content Studio.
  - ✔ **Tip:** When you have a video you would like to play continuously but it has a fade in or other transition at the beginning, you can adjust the start time of the video to begin AFTER the transition takes place. This will give you a seamless video loop when lengthening the playtime of the video in the timeline.
  - ✔ **Tip:** You can also remove a transition from the end of a video to achieve a seamless video loop.

### Extending the length of a video

5. You can also lengthen the video through the **Timeline View**.
6. Hover the mouse over the end of the **Layout** that contains the **Video**.
7. Hold down the **Alt** key and select with the mouse to stretch the Video duration.
8. The red toolbar that signifies the video will display a gray line to show where the video loops. (See Fig. 2)

### Exercise

- **Exercise:** Import a video from the media library. Adjust the start time and the end time so the video only plays for 1 second. Preview and import video.

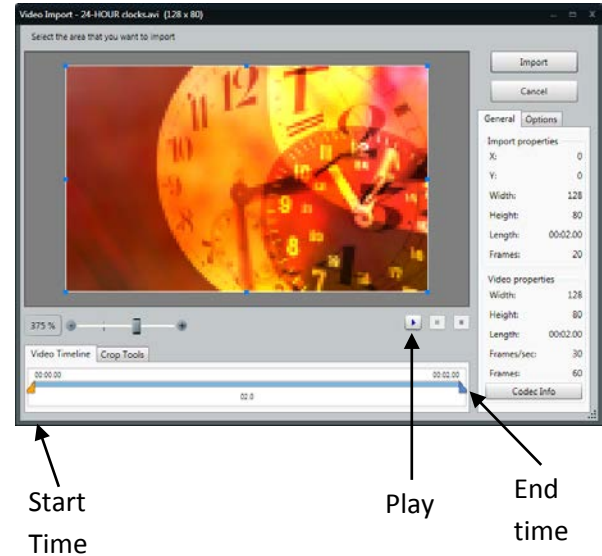


Figure 1: Video Import Window

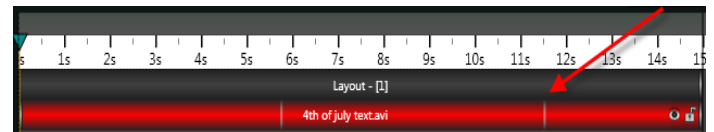


Figure 2: Video repeating itself is signified by the light grey divider line