Skip Back or Ahead

v2.0

For iTunes 12+/macOS 10.10+
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Floating panel can control rewinding or skipping forward in the currently playing track by a user-entered number of seconds. Useful for 'scoping through tracks.

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Installation:

This script is an **AppleScript applet** and can be run by double-clicking its icon in the Finder. However, it is probably best accessed from the iTunes Script menu.

Put AppleScripts in your iTunes "Scripts" folder. This is located at *[user name] / Library / iTunes / Scripts /* .

> *The user Library directory is hidden by default. To make it visible, hold down the Option key on your keyboard and select **Go > Library** from the Finder.*
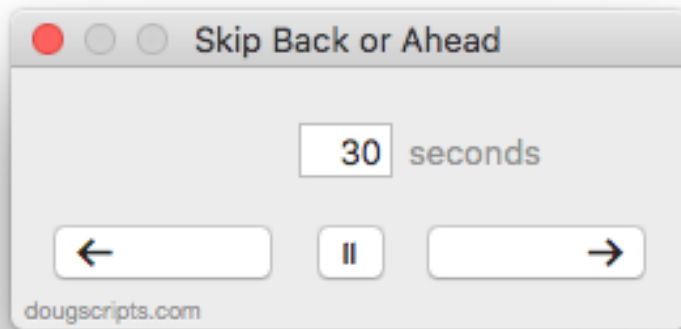
If the *[user name] / Library /* folder does not contain the "iTunes" or "Scripts" folders then then create them and put the script(s) in the "Scripts" folder. AppleScripts will then appear in iTunes' Script menu, and can be activated by selecting by name and clicking. Be sure to also save this Read Me document in a safe and convenient place.

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

How to use:

Launch the script.

Enter a number of seconds to skip back or forward.

While a track is playing, click on either the **Left** or **Right** arrow buttons (or press "," or ".", respectively, on the keyboard) and iTunes will skip back or forward.

The script will not set the player position previous to 0:00 or past the track's full duration.

The center **Play/Pause** button (or the **spacebar**) can be used to control iTunes, although it is merely a convenience feature.

Helpful Links:

Information and download link for this script is located at:
https://dougscripts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=skipbackorahead

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