

How can I locate entries by specific custom metadata via API?

This article is designated for administrators.

Follow these steps to use Kaltura API to find entries based on custom metadata.

1. **Generate a KS**

Open the API console at <https://developer.kaltura.com/console/> (Sign In) or http://www.kaltura.com/api_v3/testme.

In case Testme Console is used, first, you will need to generate a KS session as demonstrated on [How to Start a Kaltura Session using the TestMe Console](#).

2. **Session Service:**

baseEntry

3. **action:**

list

4. **filter:objectType:**

KalturaMediaEntryFilter

5. **filter:advancedSearch:objectType:**

KalturaMetadataSearchItem

6. **filter:advancedSearch:type:**

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7. **filter:advancedSearch:metadataProfileId:**

[schema_profile_id] (Place here your ID number for example 21664102)

8. **filter:advancedSearch:items:item0:objectType:**

KalturaSearchCondition

9. **filter:advancedSearch:items:item0:field:**

/*[local-name()='metadata']/*[local-name()='Field_Label']

(Place here your field label for example /*[local-name()='metadata']/*[local-name()='MediaSource'])

10. **filter:advancedSearch:items:item0:value:**

[custom_metadata_field_value] (Place here your field value for example Keshet 12 News)

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