

# pony



Functional Overview

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Challenge, solution and key features

## Challenge

- While SAP Cloud ALM® provides a modern platform for managing implementation and operations, some essential automation and governance features are still missing.
- Manual effort is required to update tasks or requirement statuses, verify mandatory fields and maintain process discipline.
- Automated checks and notifications (e.g. missing mandatory fields, inconsistent statuses or pending approvals) are not natively available in SAP Cloud ALM®
- As a result, maintaining quality and compliance across large or distributed projects becomes difficult – calling for an intelligent layer that closes these functional gaps

## Solution

- PONY acts as an intelligent governance and automation layer for SAP Cloud ALM® .
- Mandatory field validations guarantee that required information is complete before progressing through project phases.
- Built-in Email proactively informs responsible users about inconsistencies or pending actions.
- By extending SAP Cloud ALM® with these capabilities, PONY helps organizations maintain a reliable and audit-ready project landscape – even in complex delivery environments

## Key features

- Consistency Check
- Automatic Status Changes
- Mandatory Field Validation
- Email Notifications & Alerts
- Configurable Ruleset
- Seamless Cloud ALM<sup>®</sup> Integration



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User interface overview

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# pony: User interface overview

## Workflow Library

- Overview of all created Workflows and their attributes

| Workflow Library                      |  |               |             |                |         |          |
|---------------------------------------|--|---------------|-------------|----------------|---------|----------|
| Workflows                             |  |               |             |                |         |          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Name         |  | Artifact Type | Action Type | Release Status | Version | Active   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Workflow |  | TASK          | CREATED     | Draft          | 1.0.0   | Inactive |
| 197f74ed-94b4-423f-b100-5112d2b03f50  |  |               |             |                |         | >        |

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## Workflow Details

- Displays all details to the corresponding Workflow

### Workflow Details

[Back](#) [Open in Editor](#) [Edit](#)

|                                           |                                    |                                       |         |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| Workflow Name                             | Release Status                     | Activation                            | Version |
| <input type="text" value="New Workflow"/> | <input type="text" value="Draft"/> | <input type="text" value="Disabled"/> | 1.0.0   |

[Trigger Configuration](#) [Metadata](#)

#### TRIGGER CONFIGURATION

System

Cloud ALM

Artifact Type

TASK

Event Type

CREATED

#### METADATA

Created

30.10.2025, 09:58:17

Created By

john.doe@example.com

Last Modified

30.10.2025, 11:26:28

Modified By

john.doe@example.com

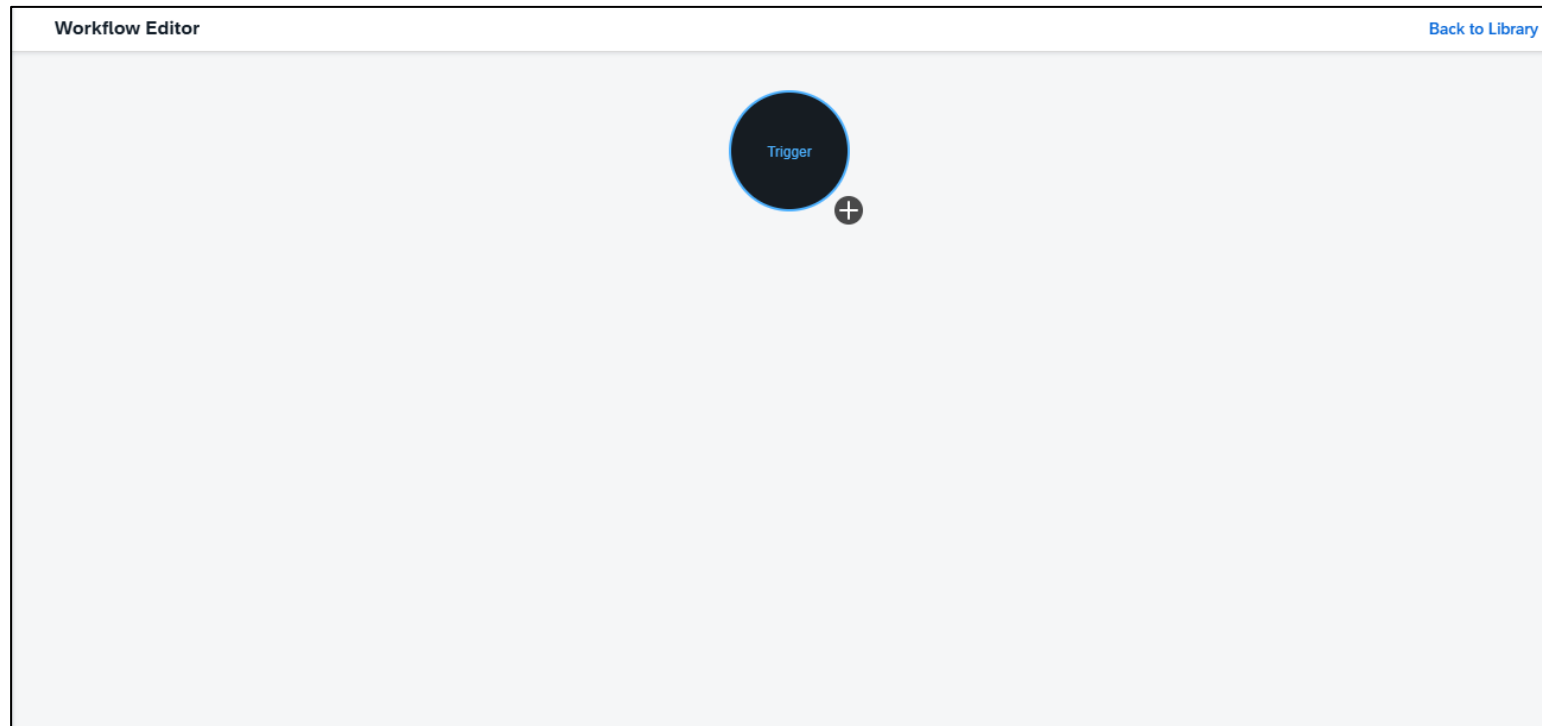
[Komprimieren](#)

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## Workflow Editor

- Where custom Workflows can be created/edited



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## Node Properties

- Condition Node Properties

**Node Properties**

Edit

⋮

Node Title \*

Check Scope

Type

Condition

Condition Configuration

Outcome Configuration

Condition Configuration

| Field            | Comparison Operator | Value       |
|------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| Type             | Equals              | User Story  |
| Logical Operator | —                   | AND         |
| Status           | Changed From        | Open        |
| Status           | Changed To          | In Progress |
| Logical Operator | —                   | AND         |
| Scope Name       | Is Empty            |             |

Outcome Configuration

| Outcome | Target Node  | Log Message  |
|---------|--------------|--------------|
| True    | Reset status | Reset status |

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## Node Properties

- Action Node Properties
- Action Type: Add Comment

### Node Properties

Edit ... ▾

Node Title <sup>\*</sup>

Add comment

Type  
Action

Action Type    Action Configuration

#### Action Type

Add Comment ▾

#### Action Configuration

Comment

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## Node Properties

- Action Node Properties
- Action Type: Reset Artifact

**Node Properties**

Edit

⋮

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Node Title\*

Reset artifact

Type  
Action

**Action Type**

Reset Artifact

▼

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## Node Properties

- Action Node Properties
- Action Type: Reset Field

### Node Properties

Edit ... ▾

Node Title <sup>\*</sup>

Reset field

Type  
Action

Action Type    Action Configuration

#### Action Type

Reset Field ▾

#### Action Configuration

| Field  | Actions |
|--------|---------|
| status |         |

+ Add Field

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## Node Properties

- Action Node Properties
- Action Type: Send Email

**Node Properties** Edit ...

Node Title\*

Send email

Type  
Action

Action Type

Action Configuration

**Action Type**

Send Email

**Action Configuration**

**Recipients**

john.doe@example.com

[+ Add Recipient](#)

**Subject**

Example Mail

**Content**

This is an example.

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## Node Properties

- Action Node Properties
- Action Type: Set Field

### Node Properties

Edit ...

Node Title \*

Set field

Type

Action

Action Type

Action Configuration

### Action Type

Set Field

### Action Configuration

| Field        | Value | Actions |
|--------------|-------|---------|
| Story Points | 2     |         |



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## Workflow Library

- Creating a new Workflow/Editing a Workflow
- Example: This workflow enforces a mandatory field check: When a User Story is moved to “In Progress”, the “Scope” field must not be empty.

The screenshot displays the 'Workflow Details' page in the pony application. At the top, there are navigation links: 'Back', 'Open in Editor', and 'Edit'. Below these, the 'Workflow Name' is 'Mandatory field check', 'Release Status' is 'Draft', 'Activation' is 'Disabled', and 'Version' is '1.0.0'. The page is divided into two tabs: 'Trigger Configuration' (active) and 'Metadata'. The 'Trigger Configuration' section contains three dropdown menus: 'System' (Cloud ALM), 'Artifact Type' (TASK), and 'Event Type' (UPDATED). The 'Metadata' section shows a table with four rows: 'Created' (30.10.2025, 14:44:56), 'Created By' (User), 'Last Modified' (30.10.2025, 14:44:56), and 'Modified By' (User). At the bottom right, there are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

| Workflow Details |                       |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| Workflow Name    | Mandatory field check |
| Release Status   | Draft                 |
| Activation       | Disabled              |
| Version          | 1.0.0                 |

| Trigger Configuration |           |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| System                | Cloud ALM |
| Artifact Type         | TASK      |
| Event Type            | UPDATED   |

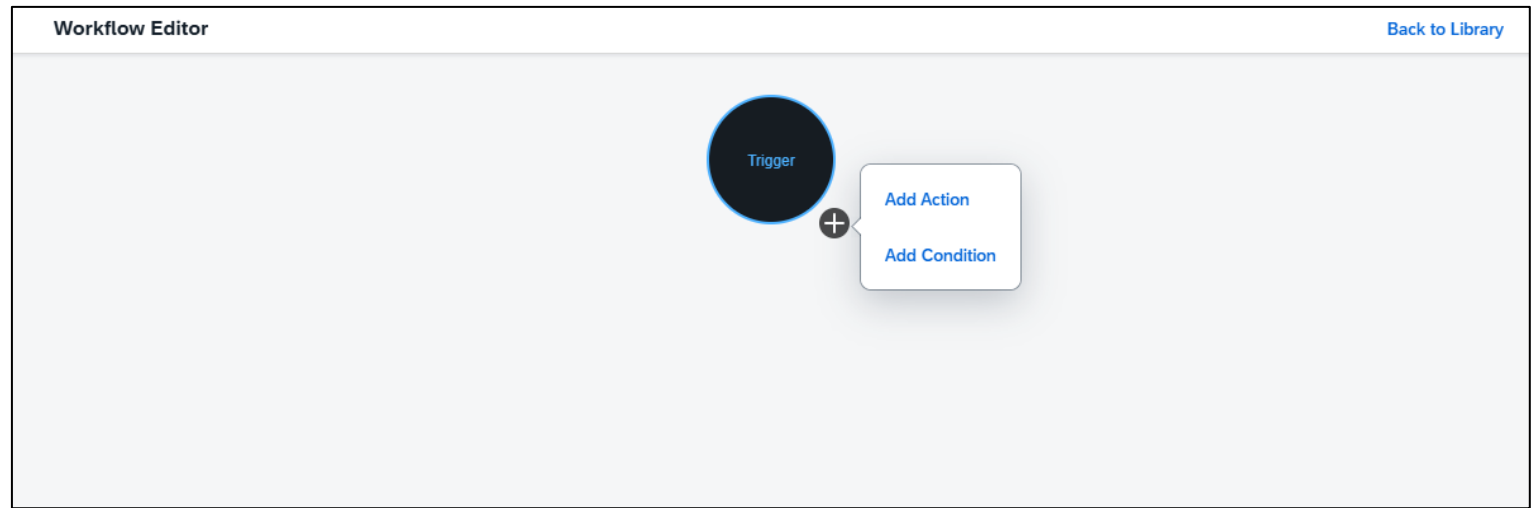
| Metadata      |                      |
|---------------|----------------------|
| Created       | 30.10.2025, 14:44:56 |
| Created By    | User                 |
| Last Modified | 30.10.2025, 14:44:56 |
| Modified By   | User                 |

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## Workflow Editor

- Creating a new Node
- Nodes are arranged automatically



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## Workflow Editor

- Adding a new Condition Node

The screenshot displays the 'Workflow Editor' interface. On the left, a workflow diagram shows a 'Trigger' node (solid blue circle) connected to a dashed orange diamond, representing a condition node. The right panel, titled 'Node Properties', is currently set to 'Condition Configuration'. It includes a 'Node Title' field with the placeholder 'Check Scope' and a 'Type' dropdown set to 'Condition'. Below this, the 'Condition Configuration' section contains a table for defining conditions:

| Field            | Comparison Operator | Value       | Actions |
|------------------|---------------------|-------------|---------|
| Type             | Equals              | User Story  |         |
| Logical Operator |                     | —           | AND     |
| Status           | Changed From        | Open        |         |
| Status           | Changed To          | In Progress |         |
| Logical Operator |                     | —           | AND     |
| Scope Name       | Is Empty            |             |         |

Below the table is a '+ Add Expression' button. The 'Outcome Configuration' section at the bottom has a table with columns 'Outcome', 'Target Node', and 'Log Message', currently showing 'Keine Daten'. At the very bottom right, a message states 'Complete setup by saving this node configuration' with 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

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## Workflow Editor

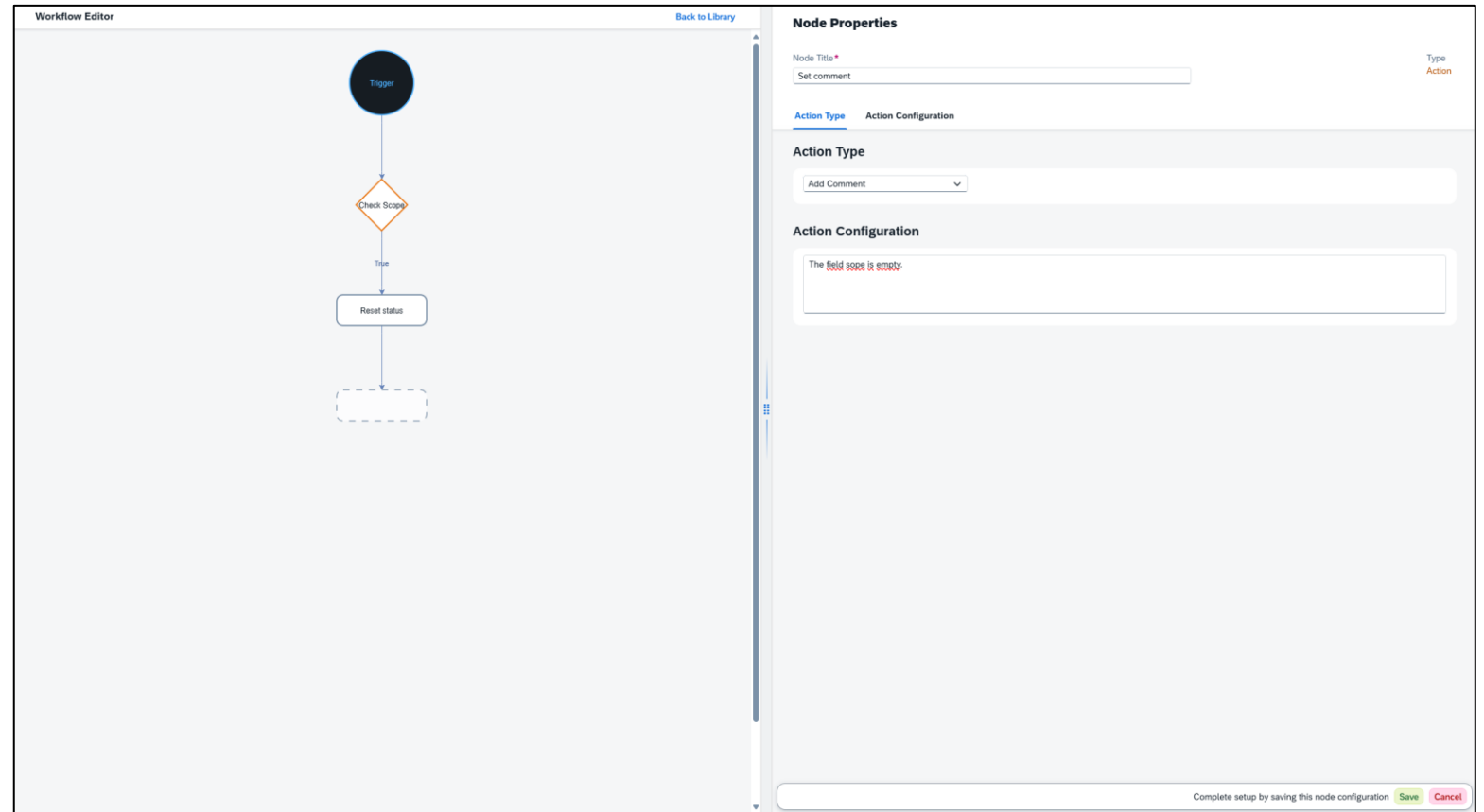
- Adding a new Action Node

The screenshot displays the Pony Workflow Editor interface. The main workspace on the left shows a workflow diagram with three nodes: a circular 'Trigger' node at the top, a diamond-shaped 'Check Scope' node in the middle, and a dashed rectangular placeholder node at the bottom. Arrows indicate the flow from Trigger to Check Scope, and then to the placeholder. The right sidebar contains two panels: 'Node Properties' and 'Action Configuration'. The 'Node Properties' panel has a 'Node Title' field with the value 'Reset status' and a 'Type' dropdown set to 'Action'. The 'Action Configuration' panel has an 'Action Type' dropdown set to 'Reset Field' and an 'Action Configuration' section with a 'Field' dropdown set to 'Status' and an 'Add Field' button. At the bottom right, there is a 'Save' button and a 'Cancel' button, with a note: 'Complete setup by saving this node configuration'.

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## Workflow Editor

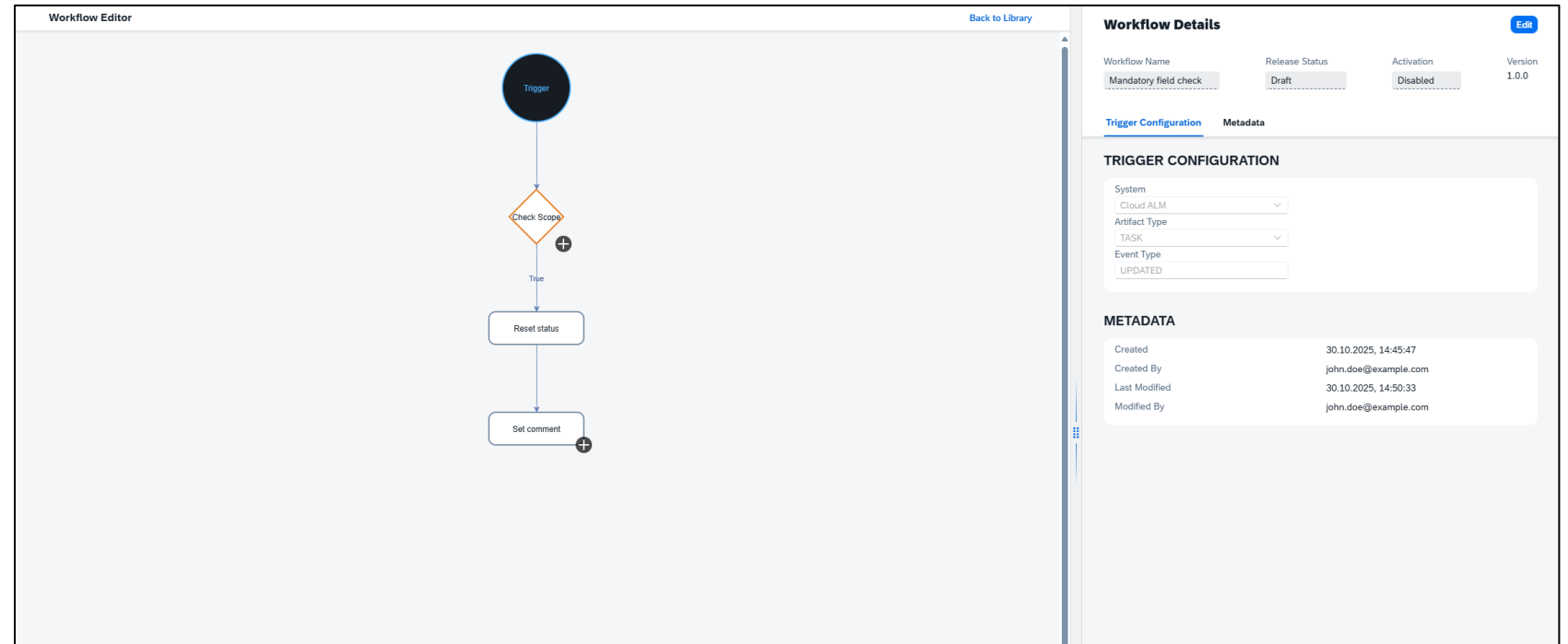
- Adding a new Action Node



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## Workflow Editor

- Example Workflow Configuration



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## Workflow Library

- Deleting a Workflow

| Workflow Library                    |                                      |               |             |                |         |                 |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|
| Workflows                           |                                      |               |             |                |         |                 |
|                                     |                                      |               |             | Suchen         | Q       | Create Delete ⚙ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Name                                 | Artifact Type | Action Type | Release Status | Version | Active          |
| New Workflow                        |                                      |               |             |                |         |                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 197f74ed-94b4-423f-b100-5112d2b03f50 | TASK          | CREATED     | Draft          | 1.0.0   | Inactive >      |



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