Control Parameter Interface Tool

The Control Parameter tool tells a Batch Macro what values to use for each batch.

This workflow is a Batch Macro. When running this workflow it will run the tools as a standard workflow. To see how it behaves as a Batch Macro, open a new workflow and insert (right-click > Insert > Macro - ControlParameter.yxmc) this macro. Use the Master Store File - CO.yxdb in the SampleData folder and select the Region column in the macro's configuration.

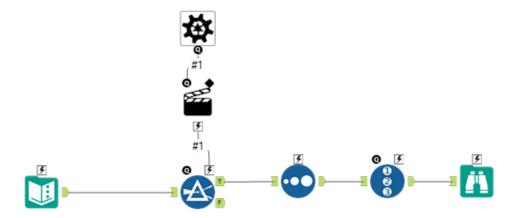
1) Run the workflow.

2) Select a Browse tool to view the results in the Results window.

Use a Control Parameter

The Control Parameter is used to specify what values the macro should use for each batch it processes.

Configure the tool by adding a label for the Control Parameter. When used in a workflow, the macro will show a question asking the end user to select the required column to be used.



More Info



Every Batch Macro must have at least one Control Parameter. Multiple Control Parameters can be used if necessary, the end user will just need to specify each value to be used.

The Control Parameter input will show up with an upside down question mark as shown on the icon to the left. Only 1 Control Parameter input anchor will show even if multiple Control Parameters have been configured. Each column to be used as a Control Parameter will need to be in a single data stream as the input anchor can only accept 1 connection.