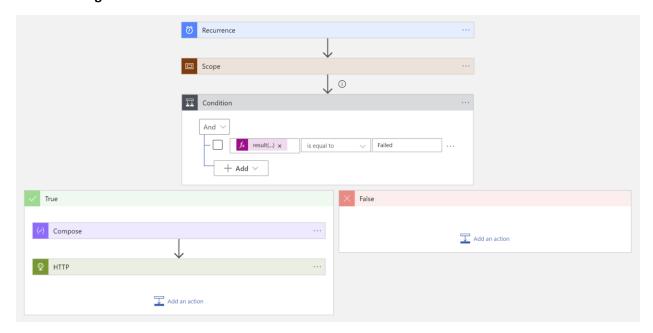
# Logic Apps | Resubmit RunId automatically when an action fails

The solution described in this document is to resubmit a workflow run when a specific action within the workflow fails. This is done using Rest API.

Caution: If the action in scope is failing without any way to automatically succeed while resubmitting the workflow run, this can create an endless loop where the Logic App workflow will be executed over and over again until the action in scope succeeds, the Logic App workflow is cancelled or the Logic App is disable.

## Solution design overview



# Steps to follow and related documentation

## Add A trigger

Every workflow includes a trigger, in this example we use a recurrence trigger

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/tutorial-build-schedule-recurring-logic-appworkflow#add-the-recurrence-trigger

#### Add a Scope

The next step is adding a scope, this will be used to handle exception of the action added within the scope

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/logic-apps-control-flow-run-steps-group-scopes#add-steps-to-scope

#### Add an Action within the scope

Once you have added the Scope you can add the monitored action within the scope, it can be any action that you want the workflow automatically checks if it fails to resubmit the current workflow run.

## Add a Condition step

After the Scope step you can add a condition step which is part of the control built-in connector <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/logic-apps-control-flow-conditional-statement">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/logic-apps-control-flow-conditional-statement</a>

The validation will be the following:

result('Scope')[0]['status']	is equal to	Failed
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If the action within the scope fails, the result will be True which means the workflow will go to the true section where it resubmits the workflow run. If the action within the scope succeeds, the result will be false which means the workflow will go to the False section where it does not resubmit the workflow run.

## Configure run after in the condition step

By default, a workflow run fails when any action within the workflow fails, hence, to allow the workflow run keeps running after an action fails we need to configure the run after in the next step where the failure occurs, in this case we expect that the action we added in the scope may fail, so we need to configure the run after in the condition step.

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/logic-apps-exception-handling#catch-and-handle-failures-by-changing-run-after-behavior

#### How to call Rest API from Logic Apps

To call Rest API we can use HTTP action

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/connectors/connectors-native-http#add-an-http-action

For this example, we will resubmit a Runld by using Rest API (Workflow Trigger Histories – Resubmit)

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/rest/api/logic/workflowtriggerhistories/resubmit

#### **POST**

https://management.azure.com/subscriptions/{subscriptionId}/resourceGroups/{resourceGroupName}/providers/Microsoft.Logic/workflows/{workflowName}/triggers/{triggerName}/histories/{historyName}/resubmit?api-version=2016-06-01

To successfully execute the Rest API above there are two considerations we need to take care of:

- Workflow Trigger Histories Resubmit URL needs a history name which is a Runld, so we first need to get the Runld required, which is done by using a workflow function and compose action.
- Resubmit Rest API requires authentication, to allow this we can enable managed identity on the Logic App and add it the RBAC role needed to access to itself.
  <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/create-managed-service-identity">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/create-managed-service-identity</a>

#### **Get the RunId**

We can use a compose action to capture the workflow's current run using a workflow function.

workflow().run.name

# Example:

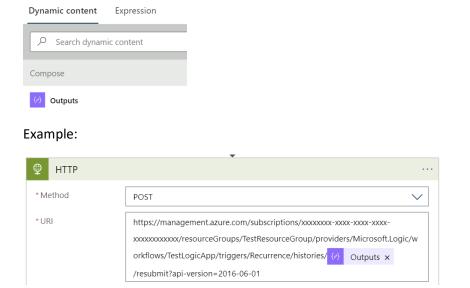


https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/logic-apps-perform-data-operations#compose-action

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/logic-apps/workflow-definition-language-functions-reference#workflow

#### Add HTTP action to resubmit the RunId

After adding the http action, select POST in the method field, then modify the sample URL in the REST API link below according to your Logic App resource ID and for the historyname you can select the "Outputs" token of the Compose output in the Dynamic content.



#### Then, set up the authentication parameter, example:



https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/azure/connectors/connectors-native-http#add-an-http-action https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/rest/api/logic/workflowtriggerhistories/resubmit

After completing all the steps described you can test your Logic App.