

Week 3: Development Phase II

Unit 4: Run and Debug



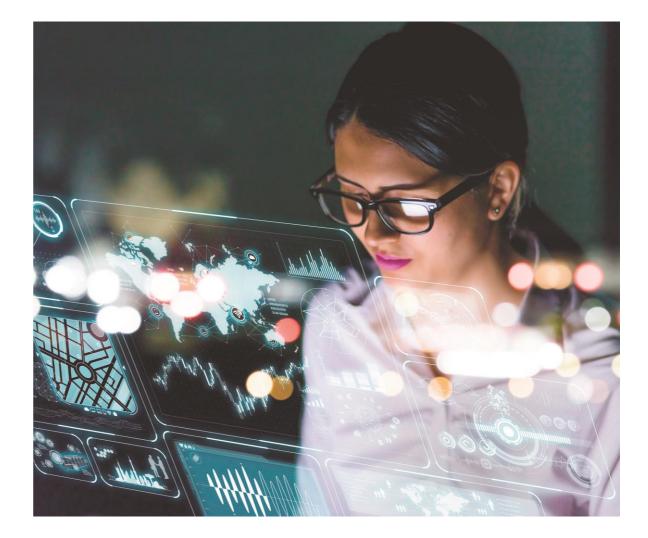


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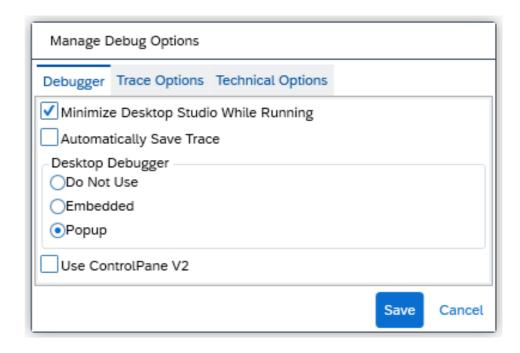
Summary



Introduction

Debugger options:

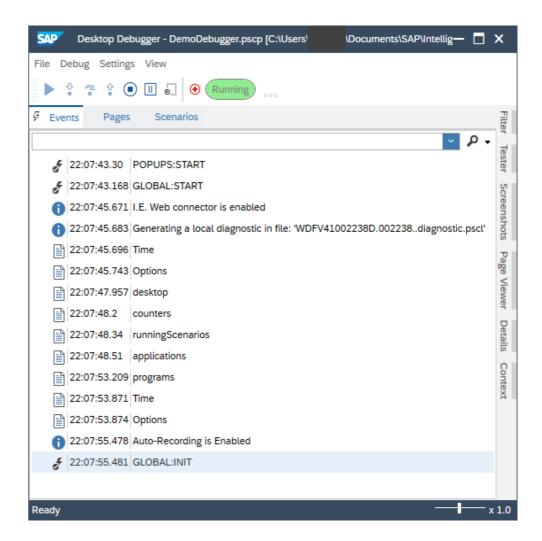
- Minimize Studio: minimize the Desktop Studio while running
- Save trace: automatically save trace
- Desktop debugger: 3 choices are possible
 - Do not display it
 - Embed it in the Studio
 - Display it as autonomous popup
- Use ControlPane V2: a legacy version of the debugger



Debugger perspective

Debugger perspective: has different views

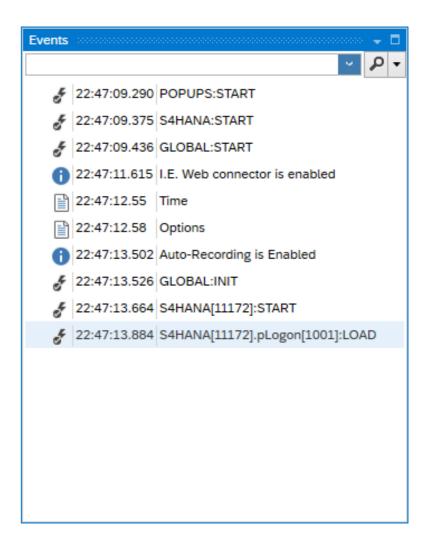
- Events: displays the events and execution history
- Pages: displays the loaded pages
- Scenarios: displays the executed scenarios
- Filter: enables you to filter events, pages, etc.
- Tester: enables you to execute code on-the-fly
- Screenshots: displays the screenshots made during execution
- PageViewer: displays the Pages captures
- Details: displays the events or actions details
- Context: displays the engine internal context



Events view

Events view:

- Displays all the events generated by the desktop agent during execution
 - All events are timestamped and ordered by time
 - Timestamp can be hidden from the context menu
 - Icon at the head of each line indicates the type of event
 - Technical event
 - Detailed traces
 - Information



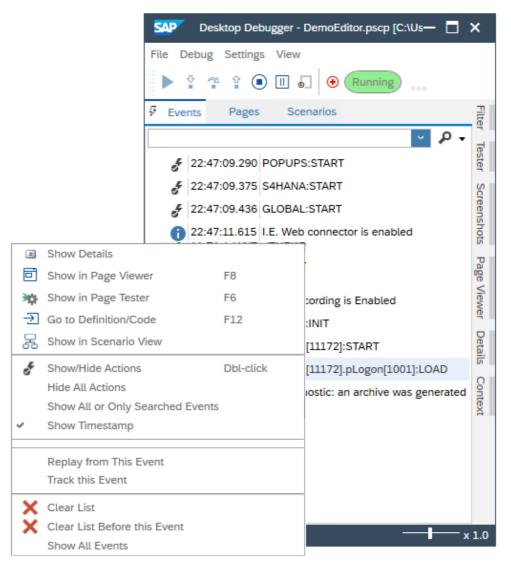
Events view

Context menu:

 The Events view has a context menu allowing actions related to the events

Limit displayed events:

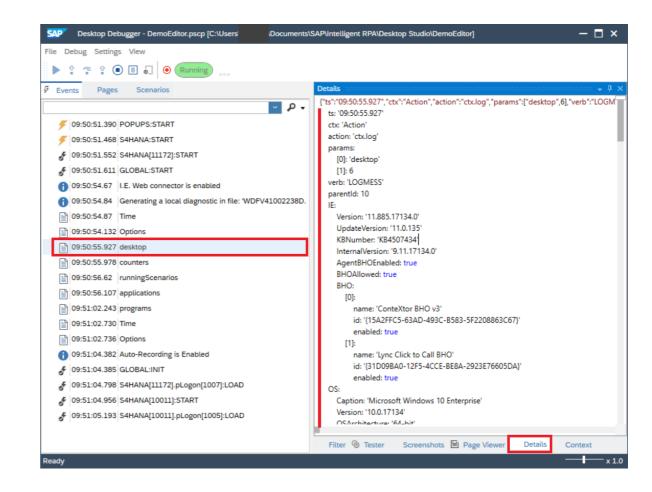
- Using the event Historic Duration
- Using the scopes
- Using the Filter view



Details view

Details:

- The **Details view** displays
 - For each event, the data associated to the event
 - For an action
 - The action parameters
 - The return value
 - The item on which the action is executed
 - Example: the details of the desktop running the agent

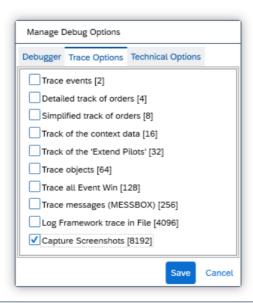


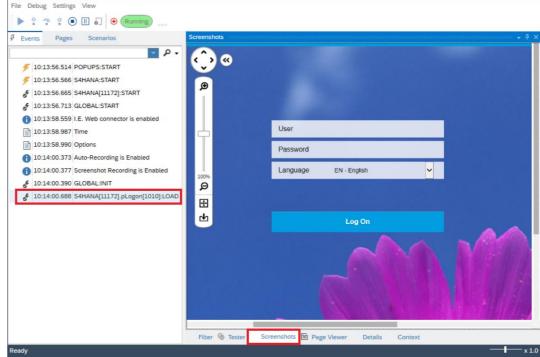
Screenshots view

Screenshots:

- If you select Capture Screenshots from the Debug options:
 - The desktop agent captures the screen image during execution based on page LOAD and UNLOAD events
 - To display the screenshot associated to the event
 - display the "Screenshots" view, if not displayed
 - select the event

Note: Screenshots are simple images. You cannot select components on screenshots.

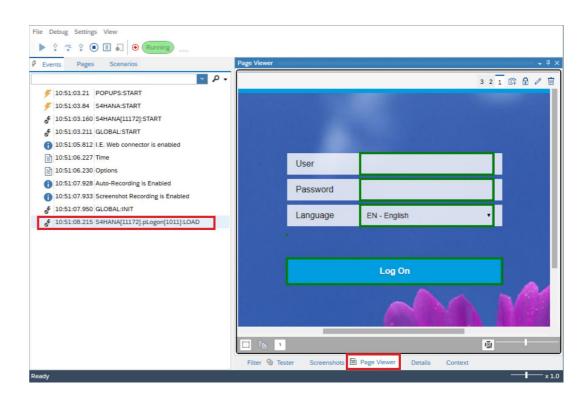




Page Capture view

Page viewer:

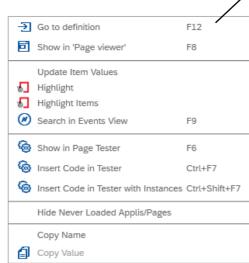
- If an event or action associated to a page is selected, the capture associated to the page is displayed in the Page viewer
- If an event or action associated to an item is selected in the Events view, the corresponding recognized items are highlighted in the Page viewer

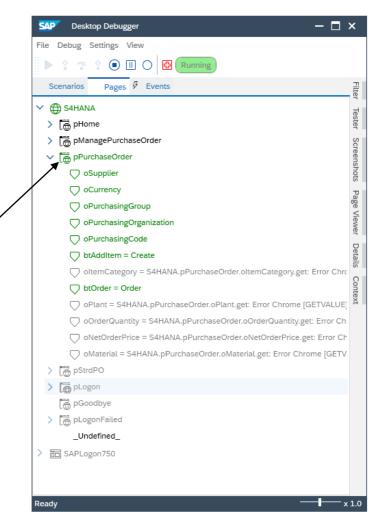


Pages view

Pages view:

- Displays the tree of applications, pages, and items declared in the project following a color code:
 - Green: the element is loaded
 - Gray: the element has never been loaded
 - Black: the element has been loaded but is now unloaded





Pages view

Context Menu:

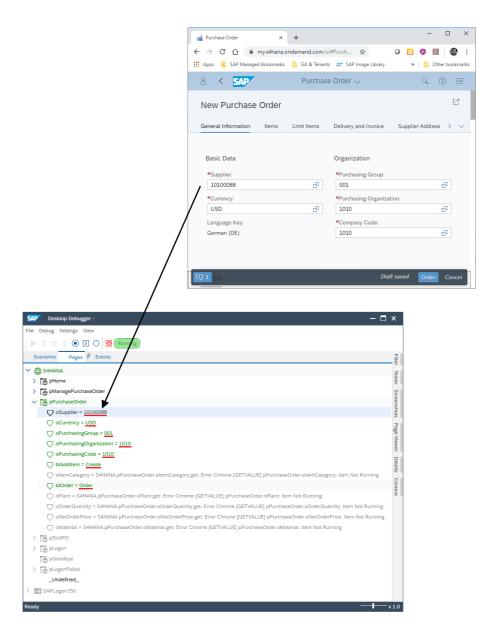
- Display Items Values:
 - Goto Definition: Navigate to page/item declaration in the Explorer perspective
 - Show in Page viewer: Display the page captures associated to the page or item
 - Show in Page Tester: Display the element in the page tester
 - Update Items values: Display items values
 - Highlight: Highlight the recognized page in the controlled application
 - Highlight Items: Highlight the recognized items in the controlled page/application
 - Search in Events view: Search in the events view for the events received for this page and display handling actions
 - Insert code in Tester: Insert corresponding code in the Tester view
 - Insert code in Tester with instances: Insert corresponding code in the Tester view with instances values
 - Hide never loaded Applis/Pages: Hide/show never loaded (gray) applications and pages
 - Copy name: Copy the name of the selected item, page or application in the clipboard
 - Copy value: Copy the value of the selected item in the clipboard



Pages view

Context Menu:

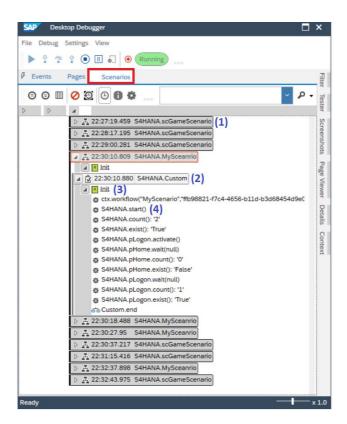
- allows the following actions:
 - Simple Items: the item's value is collected from the page and displayed after the item's name
 - Occursed Items:
 - The item's count is collected and displayed before the item's name
 - The value of the first item's occurrence is displayed after the item's name
 - For the WEB items multi-occurs, the count can't be collected without collecting all the values. To reflect that, [??] is displayed in place of the count values

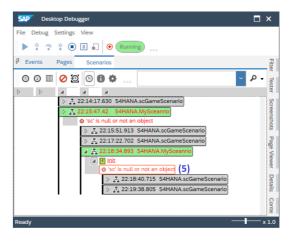


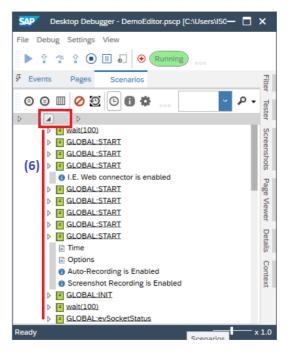
Scenarios view

Scenarios view:

- Displays the tree of
 - Scenarios (1)
 - Steps (2)
 - Handlers (3)
 - Log messages
 - Trace of executed commands (4)
 - Log and error items (5)
 - Handlers (6)
 - when executed outside the scope of a step they are displayed in the second column
 - Example: GLOBAL.Start handlers



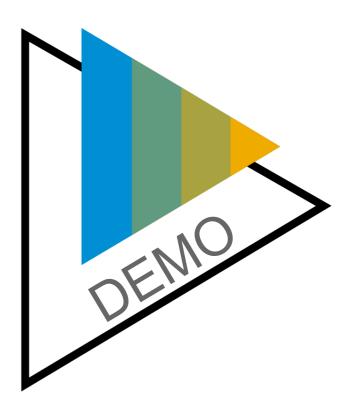




Demo

Demo view:

- Compiling
 - Build and run
- Testing
 - Insert code and test
- Debugging
 - Step-by-step debugging



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