

Complete Exercise Walkthrough

Calculate Client Security Hash



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1. Prerequisites

1. The automation will need to process DataRows for each transaction so the data type for TransactionItem will be DataRow.

2. Configuration in UiPath Studio

2.1. Create a new project

- 1. Create a new project using the Robotic Enterprise Framework template.
- 2. Set a proper name for the project.
- 3. Provide a proper description.

2.2. Whiteboard your workflows

Module Name	Description	Pre-condition	Post-action	Arguments
System1_Login	Opens a Microsoft Edge browser to access System 1 and log in using provided credentials	N/A	Opens Edge System 1 Dashboard if credentials are correct.	in_System1URL - String in_System1Credential - String
System1_Close	Closes System 1 in Microsoft Edge browser	System 1 Opened, Log Out button accessible	Logs Out and Closes the browser	N/A
System1_Navigate To_WIDetails	Navigates to the WI Details Page using the WIID input argument	System 1 is open at any page	WI Details opened	in_WIID - string in_System1_WorkIte mURL - String
System1_Navigate To_WorkItems	Navigates to Work Items Page	System 1 Dashboard is opened	Work Items Page opened	N/A
System1_Navigate To_UpdateWorkIte m	Navigates to Update Work Item Page	System 1 Work Items Page is opened	Update Work Item Page opened	in_WIID - String in_System1_Update WorkItemURL – String
System1_Extract_ WIsDataTable	Extracts the entire Table of all Work Items in the output argument	Work Items Page is opened	None	out_DataTable - DataTable
System1_Extract_ ClientInformation	Extracts the ClientID, ClientName and ClientCountry and writes to the output arguments	Work Item Details Page is opened	None	out_ClientID - String out_ClientName - String out_ClientCountry - String
System1_UpdateW orkItem	Updates the Work Item to the Status and Comment using input arguments. Status can be "Open", "Completed" or "Rejected"	System 1 Update Work Item Page is opened	None	in_Comment - String in_Status - String in_WIID - String
SHA1_Open	Opens SHA1 generator from the URL argument	None	Opens Edge SHA1 generator	in_SHA1URL - String
SHA1_Close	Closes SHA1 generator	SHA1 generator Main Page is opened	Closes Edge SHA1 generator	N/A



Module Name	Description	Pre-condition	Post-action	Arguments
SHA1_ProcessHas h	Retrieves the HashResult based on the input HashFormula	SHA1 generator is opened	None	in_HashFormula - String out_HashResult - String
SendEmail	Sends Exception Email using Outlook and the Input Arguments	None	None	in_To - String in_Subject - String in_Body - String

2.3. Develop your workflows

1. Create three new folders in the project folder. Name them System1, SHA1 and Common.

2.3.1. System1_Login.xaml

- 1. Inside the System1 folder, create a new Sequence type workflow called System1Login.
- 2. Provide a description to the workflow.
- 3. Open the Arguments panel and create two in arguments of type string:
 - a. in_System1URL
 - b. in_System1Credential
- 4. Add a Log message activity to mark the start of the workflow execution.
- 5. Add a Get Credential activity. Configure the following properties:
 - a. Asset Name Provide the in_System1Credential argument.
 - b. Password Create a new variable called Password of type SecureString.
 - c. Username Create a new variable called Username of type String.
- 6. Open Acme System1 in Edge Browser.
- 7. Add Use Application/Browser in the System1_Login workflow and indicate the opened browser and replace the URL with the argument in_System1URL.
- 8. Set properties as below:
 - a. Close: Never
 - b. Open: IfNotOpen
- 9. Inside the Do Container of the Use Application/Browser activity add:
 - a. A Type Into activity where you indicate the email field in the browser and provide the Username variable for the Text.
 - b. A Type Into activity where you indicate the password field in the browser and provide the Password variable for the Secure text.
 - c. A Click activity where you indicate the Login button in the browser as target.
- 10. Log into ACME in your browser.
- 11. After the Use Application/Browser activity, add a Check App State activity.
 - a. Indicate the Dashboard header in the browser as a target.
 - b. Create a new Boolean variable LogInSuccessful. And set to true in "Target appears" section and to false in "Target does not appear" section.
- 12. Add an If activity.
 - a. Set the condition to Not LogInSuccessful.
- 13. Go to ACME, return to the login page, try to log in with the wrong credentials.
- 14. Return to Studio. Inside the Then block of the If activity:



- a. Add a Throw activity with the Exception property set to: new Exception("Incorrect Credentials supplied to System1")
- b. Note that later during development, we will invoke a workflow here to send an email to the process owner.
- 15. After the If activity, add a Log Message to mark the end of the workflow.

2.3.2. System1_Close.xaml

- 1. Ensure you are logged into ACME System1 in your web browser.
- 2. In Studio, include a Log Message activity to indicate the start of the workflow.
- 3. Add a Use Application/Browser activity and specify the browser that is logged into ACME.
- 4. Set the properties as below:
 - a. Close: Always
- 5. Within the Do container of the Use Application/Browser activity:
 - a. Add a Click activity and indicate the Log Out button.
- 6. Add a Log Message activity to signify the end of the workflow.

2.3.3. System1_NavigateTo_WIDetails.xaml

- 1. Open the Arguments panel and establish a new in argument of String type named "in_WIID" and "in_System1_WorkItemURL."
- 2. Ensure that the ACME System1 Work Items page is open in your browser.
- 3. In Studio, add a Log Message activity to indicate the start of the workflow.
- 4. Add a Use Application/Browser activity and specify the browser logged into ACME.
- 5. Within the Do container of the Use Application/Browser activity:
 - a. Add a Go To URL activity and set the URL property to in_System1_WorkItemURL + "/" + in_WIID.
- 6. Add a Log Message activity to signify the end of the workflow.

2.3.4. System1_NavigateTo_UpdateWorkItem.xaml

- 1. Open the Arguments panel and establish a new in argument of String type named "in_WIID" and "in_System1_UpdateWorkItemURL."
- 2. Ensure that the ACME System1 Work Items page is open in your browser.
- 3. In Studio, add a Log Message activity to indicate the start of the workflow.
- 4. Add a Use Application/Browser activity and specify the browser logged into ACME.
- 5. Within the Do container of the Use Application/Browser activity:
 - a. Add a Go To URL activity and set the URL property to in System1 UpdateWorkItemURL + "/" + in WIID.
- 6. Add a Log Message activity to signify the end of the workflow.

2.3.5. System1_NavigateTo_WorkItems.xaml



- 1. Add a Log Message activity to mark the beginning of the workflow.
- 2. Ensure that the ACME System 1 Dashboard page is open in your web browser.
- 3. Add a Use Application/Browser activity and indicate the ACME System 1 Dashboard page.
- 4. In Studio, insert a Click activity and specify the "Work Items" button.
- 5. Add a Log Message activity to mark the conclusion of the workflow.

2.3.6. System1_Extract_WIsDataTable.xaml

- 1. Add a Log Message activity to signify the start of the workflow.
- 2. Open the Arguments panel and establish a new out argument of DataTable type named "out DataTable."
- 3. In your web browser, navigate to the Work Items page on ACME System1.
- 4. In Studio, utilize the Data Scraping wizard to extract the work items data. Configure its properties as follows:
 - a. For the Output DataTable property, input "out DataTable."
 - b. Set the Number of items property to '0'.
- 5. Add a Log Message activity to signify the conclusion of the workflow.

2.3.7. System1_Extract_ClientInformation.xaml

- 1. Add a Log Message activity to signify the start of the workflow.
- 2. Open the Arguments panel and create three out arguments of String type:
 - a. out_ClientID
 - b. out_ClientName
 - c. out ClientCountry
- 3. Navigate to the Work Items page in your web browser.
- 4. In Studio, add a Use Application/Browser activity and indicate the Work Item Details page.
- 5. Inside the Do container of the Use Application/Browser activity, add a Get Text activity, indicate the Client Information Details text box of a WI5 details page and configure the following properties:
 - a. Selector "<webctrl tag='P' idx='1' />"
 - b. Save to Create a new String type variable called ClientInformation
- 6. After the Use Application/Browser activity, add a Multiple Assign activity with the following rows:
 - a. out_ClientID = ClientInformation.Substring(ClientInformation.IndexOf("Client ID: ") + "Client ID: ".Length).Split(Environment.NewLine.ToCharArray)(0)
 - b. out_ClientName =
 ClientInformation.Substring(ClientInformation.IndexOf("Client Name: ") +
 "Client Name: ".Length).Split(Environment.NewLine.ToCharArray)(0)
 - c. out_ClientCountry =
 ClientInformation.Substring(ClientInformation.IndexOf("Client Country:
 ")+"Client Country: ".Length).Split(Environment.NewLine.ToCharArray)(0)
- 7. Add a Log Message activity to note value of each out argument and mark the end of the workflow.



2.3.8. System1_Update_WorkItem.xaml

- 1. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 2. Open the Arguments panel and create three in arguments of type string:
 - a. in Comment
 - b. in_Status
 - c. in_WIID
- 3. Ensure that the System1 Update Work Item page is opened on your browser.
- 4. In Studio, add a Use Application/Browser activity, indicate the current page, and modify the selector to attach to only Update Work Item pages.
- 5. In Studio, add a Type Into activity, indicate the Comments field and provide in_Comment for the type of this field.
- 6. Add a Click activity and indicate the status drop-down. Configure the following properties:
 - a. Selector "<webctrl aaname=""+in_Status+" tag='A' />"
- 7. Add a Click activity and indicate the Update Work Item button.
- 8. In your browser, click Update Work Item.
- 9. In workflow, add a Click activity and indicate the OK button.
- 10. In your browser, close the Work Item update message window.
- 11. Add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.

2.3.9. SHA1_Open.xaml

- 1. Open the SHA1 generator page in your browser.
- 2. In the SHA1 folder in the project panel, create a new sequence type workflow called SHA1_Open.
- 3. In the Arguments panel, create a new in argument of type string called in_SHA1URL.
- 4. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 5. Add a Use Application/Browser activity, indicate the SHA1 generator page and provide in_SHA1URL for the URL.
- 6. Set properties as below:
 - a. Close: Never
 - b. Open: IfNotOpen
- 7. Add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.

2.3.10. SHA1_Close.xaml

- 1. Open the SHA1 generator page in your browser.
- 2. In Studio, add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 3. Add a Use Application/Browser activity and indicate the SHA1 page.
- 4. Set property as below:
 - a. Close: Always
- 5. After the Use Application/Browser activity, add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.



2.3.11. SHA1_ProcessHash.xaml

- 1. Open the Arguments panel and create an out and an in argument of type string:
 - a. out HashResult
 - b. in_HashFormula
- 2. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 3. Add an Use Application/Browser activity and indicate the SHA1 page.
- 4. Inside the Do Container of the Use Application/Browser activity add the logic to:
 - a. Input the in HashFormula value into the designated field of the web page.
 - b. Generate the Hash code.
 - c. Retrieve the resulting value and store it in the out_HashResult argument.
 - d. Return to the initial state of the page.
- 5. After the Use Application/Browser activity, add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.

2.3.12. SendEmail.xaml

- 1. Inside the Common folder, create a new workflow file called SendEmail.xaml.
- 2. Open the Arguments panel and create three in arguments of type String.
 - a. in To
 - b. in_Subject
 - c. in_Body
- 3. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 4. Add a Send Outlook Mail Message activity with the following properties:
 - a. To = in To
 - b. Subject = in_Subject
 - c. $Body = in_Body$
- 5. Add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.
- 6. Go to System1_Login.xaml.
- 7. Invoke SendEmail.xaml as the first activity inside the Then block of the If activity.
- 8. Click Import Arguments and map the following values:
 - a. in To = "exceptions@acme-test.com"
 - b. in Subject = "Incorrect Credentials"
 - c. in_Body = "Hello,"+Environment.NewLine+"The email or the password is incorrect. Please check and restart"+Environment.NewLine+"Thank you"

2.4. Edit the Configuration file

1. Provide the following values in the Settings sheet:

Name	Value
System1_URL	http://www.acme-test.com/
System1_Credential	System1_Credential
SHA1URL	The URL for your preferred SHA1 generator.
logF_BusinessProcessName	ACME - Calculate Client Security Hash
WorkItemType	WI5



WorkItemStatus	Open
ACMESystem1_WorkItemURL	https://acme-test.uipath.com/work-items
ACMESystem1_UpdateWorkItemURL	https://acme-test.uipath.com/work-items/update

- 2. In the Constants sheet, set the MaxRetryNumber to 2.
- 3. In Orchestrator, create a Credential type Asset for ACME System 1 with the name System1_Credential.

3. Change the TransactionItem Data Type

- 1. In Main.xaml, locate the TransactionItem variable in the Variables panel; change the Variable type to the DataRow type;
- 2. The dt_TransactionData variable does not need to be changed as by default it is of type DataTable.
- 3. In the Get Transaction Data state:
 - a. Locate the End Process (Stop process requested) activity and set the value to Nothing
 - b. Locate the Invoke GetTransactionData workflow activity and open the Arguments list; change the data type for the out_TransactionItem argument from QueueItem to DataRow. Click OK to save the changes and close the dialog.
 - c. Expand the Exception section in the Try GetTransactionData section and locate the End Process (Could not get new transaction) activity; the change here is like the one performed at the beginning of this list.
- 4. In the Process Transaction state:
 - Locate the Invoke Process workflow activity and open the Arguments list;
 change the data type for the in_TransactionItem argument from QueueItem to DataRow. Click OK to save the changes and close the dialog;
 - b. Locate the Invoke SetTransactionStatus workflow activities (including the Business Exception and System Exception scenarios) and open the Arguments list; locate the entry for the in_TransactionItem argument and change the value not the data type!) from TransactionItem to Nothing.

4. Applications Used: open/close/kill

4.1. Edit the InitiAllApplications.xaml workflow

- 1. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 2. Invoke the System1\System1_Login.xaml workflow.
 - a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Type	Value
in_System1URL	In	String	in_Config("System1_URL").ToString



in_System1Credential In String	in_Config("System1_Credential").ToString
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- 3. Invoke the SHA1\SHA1_Open.xaml workflow.
 - a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Туре	Value
in_SHA1URL	In	String	in_Config("SHA1URL").ToString

4. Add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.

4.2. Edit the Framework/CloseAllApplication.xaml workflow

- 1. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 2. Invoke the System1\System1 Close.xaml workflow.
- 3. Invoke the Invoke the System1\SHA1_Close.xaml workflow.
- 4. Add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.

4.3. Edit the Framework/KillAllProcesses.xaml workflow

- 1. Add a Log Message activity to mark the start of the workflow.
- 2. Add a Kill Process activity.
 - a. For the ProcessName property, enter the process name for your browser (for example, "msedge" for Edge)
- 3. Add a Log Message activity to mark the end of the workflow.

Business Process: Transaction Data and Process

5.1. Edit GetTransactionData.xaml workflow

- 1. Change the data type for the out_TransactionItem argument from QueueItem to DataRow.
- 2. Delete the Get Transaction Item activity along with the Retry Scope and Try Catch activities that surrounds it.
- 3. Add an If activity at the start of the workflow.
 - a. Name it "If first execution"
 - b. Set the Condition to: io_dt_TransactionData is Nothing
- 4. Inside the Then Branch of the If activity:
 - a. Invoke System1\System1_NavigateTo_WorkItems.xaml
 - b. Invoke System1\System1 Extract WIsDataTable.xaml
 - Click Import Arguments and map the io_dt_TransactionData to the out_DataTable argument.



- c. Add a Filter Data Table activity.
 - i. Set the input and output DataTable to io_TransactionData
 - ii. Set the Filtering Mode to keep
 - iii. Set "Type" = in_Config("WorkItemType").ToString "WI5"
 - iv. Add another row and set "Status" =
 in_Config("WorkItemStatus").ToString
 - v. Add an Info level Log Message activity with the message: "No. of Transactions: "+ io_TransactionData.Rows.Count.ToString
- 5. Add another If activity
 - a. Name it: "If rows to process"
 - b. Set the Condition to: in_TransactionNumber <= io dt TransactionData.Rows.Count
- 6. Inside the Then Branch of the If activity, add an Assign activity:
 - a. To = out_TransactionItem
 - b. Value = io_dt_TransactionData(in_TransactionNumber 1)
- 7. Inside the Else Branch add another Assign activity:
 - a. To = out TransactionItem
 - b. Value = Nothing

5.2. Edit Process.xaml workflow

- Change the data type for the in_TransactionItem argument from QueueItem to DataRow.
- 2. Create four string type variables:
 - a. ClientID
 - b. ClientName
 - c. ClientCountry
 - d. HashResult
- 3. Invoke System1\System1_NavigateTo_WIDetails.xaml.
 - a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Туре	Value
in_WIID	In	String	in_TransactionItem("WIID").ToString
in_System1_Wor	In	String	in_Config("ACMESystem1_WorkItemURL").
kltemURL			ToString

- 4. Invoke System1\System1_Extract_ClientInformation.xaml.
 - a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Туре	Value
out_ClientID	Out	String	ClientID
out_ClientName	Out	String	ClientName
out_ClientCountry	Out	String	ClientCountry

5. Invoke SHA1\SHA1 ProcessHash.xaml



a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Туре	Value
out_HashRestult	Out	String	HashResult
in_HashFormula	In	String	ClientID+"-"+ClientName+"- "+ClientCountry

- 6. Invoke System1\System1_NavigateTo_UpdateWorkItem.xaml.
 - a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Туре	Value
in_WIID	In	String	in_TransactionItem("WIID").ToString
in_System1_Upd ateWorkItemURL	In	String	in_Config("ACMESystem1_UpdateWorkItem URL").ToString

- 7. Invoke System1_Update_WorkItem.xaml
 - a. Click Import Arguments and make the following changes:

Name	Direction	Type	Value
in_Comment	In	String	HashResult
in_Status	In	String	"Completed"
in_WIID	In	String	in TransactionItem("WIID").ToString