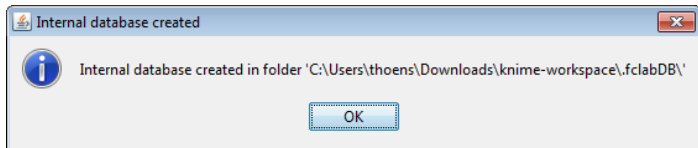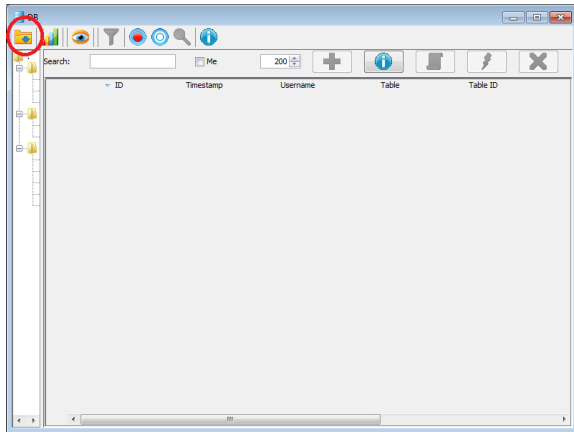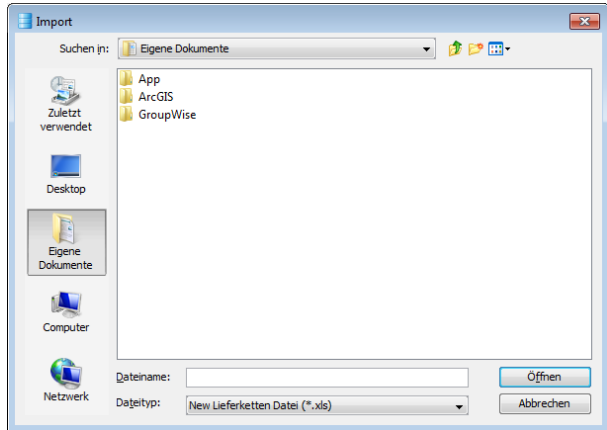# Creating a Workflow in FoodChain-Lab 1
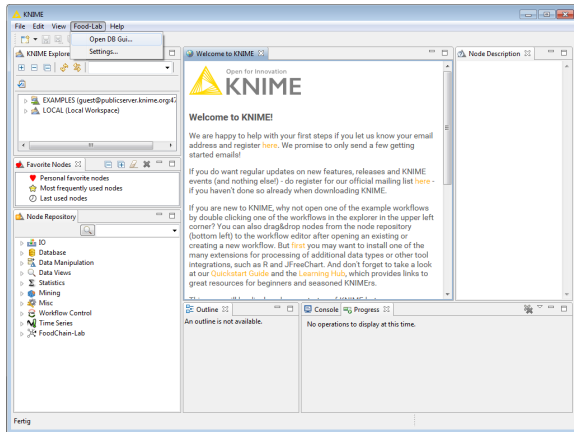
- Select **Food-Lab** > **Open DB Gui...** in the menu bar to open the database dialog.
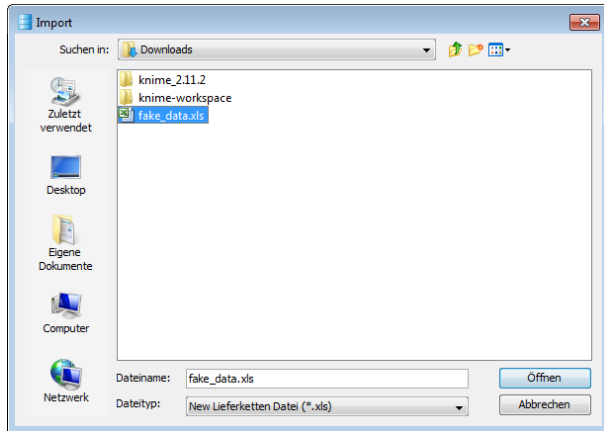
- If you get a message saying the internal database has been created, click **OK**.
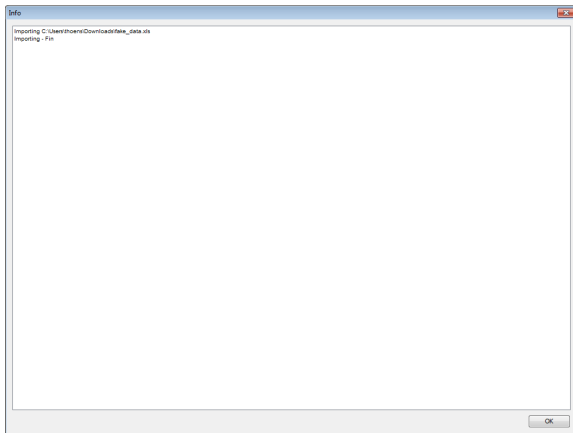
- In the database dialog click the **Table import** button in the upper left corner.

- Now a file dialog will pop up.
- *.xls files in FoodChain-Lab format can be selected here.

- Download the example file from https:
  //github.com/SiLeBAT/BfROpenLabResources/raw/
  master/GitHubPages/documents/fake_data.xls.
- Select the file in the dialog and press **Open**.

- When the importing is finished you see a dialog with errors/warnings, that occurred in the import process.
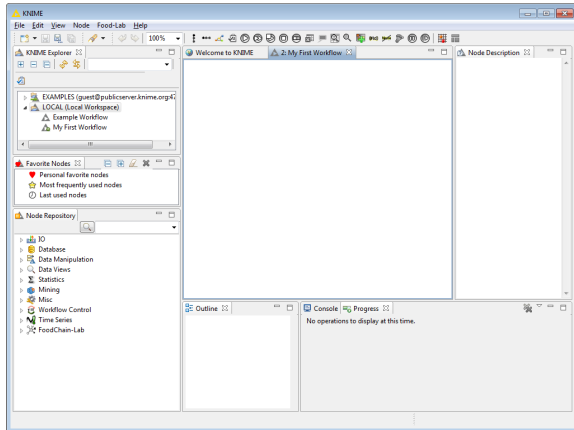- No errors ocurred, so just press **OK**.
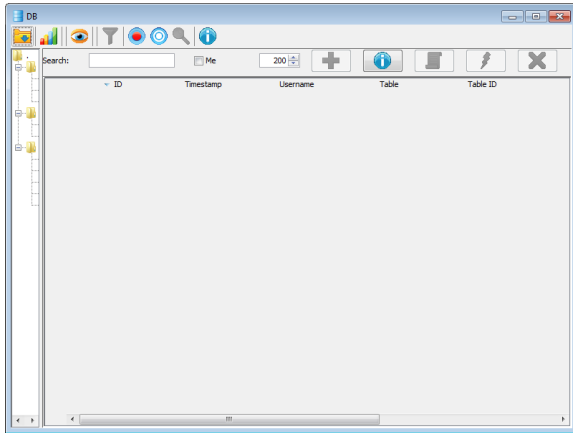
- In the database dialog, you can now look at the imported data and check the data for duplicates.
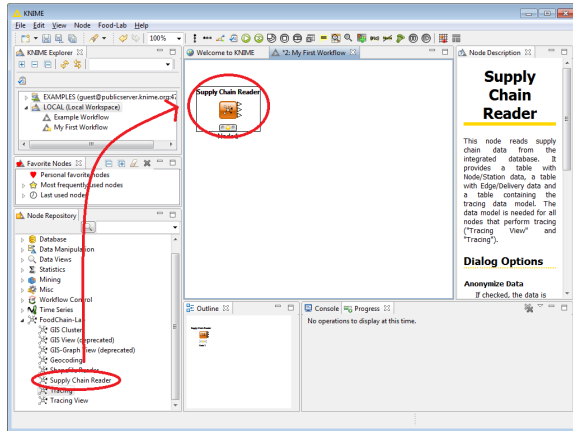- Close the dialog.
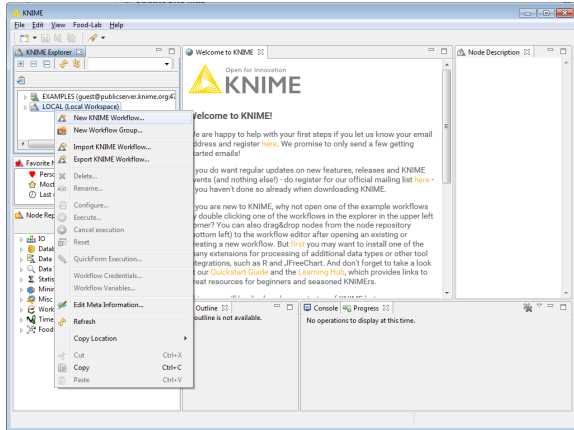
- Now we want to create a workflow, that uses the imported data.
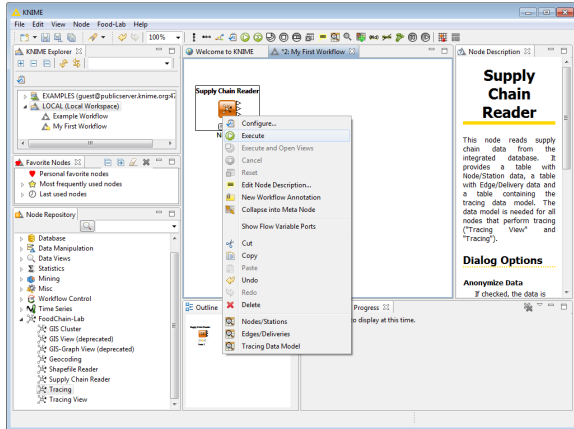- Right click on **LOCAL** in the **KNIME Explorer** and select **New KNIME Workflow...**
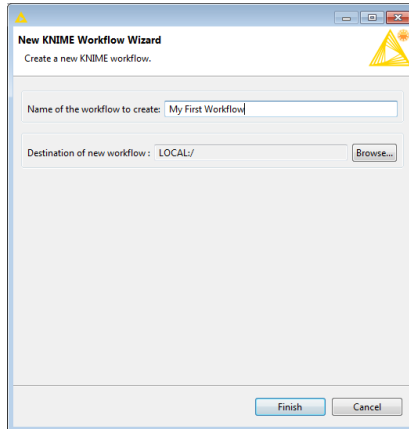
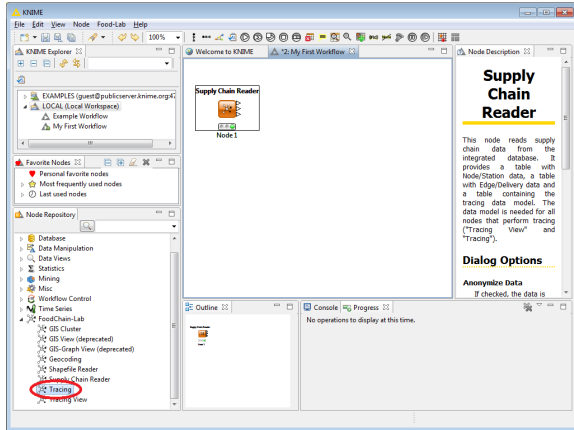- In the dialog set the name of the workflow to "My First Workflow" and click **Finish**.

- The created workflow will shop up in the editor in the center.

■ Drag the **Supply Chain Reader** from the **Node Repository** to the workflow.

- We do not need to configure the **Supply Chain Reader**.
- Right click on it and select **Execute**.

- The **Supply Chain Reader** has now read all data from the internal database.
- Select the **Supply Chain Reader** in the workflow (so that a rect is drawn around it) and double click on the **Tracing** node in the **Node Repository**.
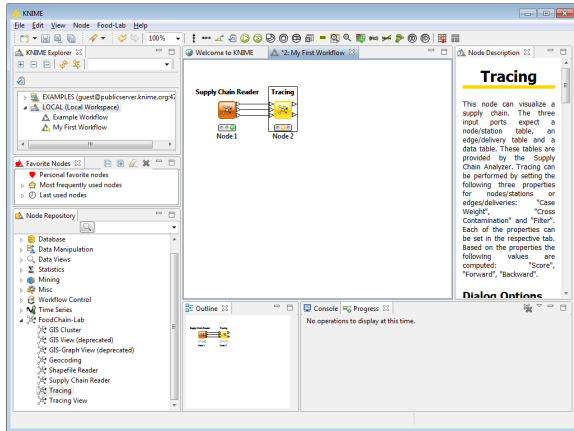
- The **Tracing** node should up in the workflow and its three input ports should be automatically connected to the **Supply Chain Reader**.
- Double click on the **Tracing** node to configure it.
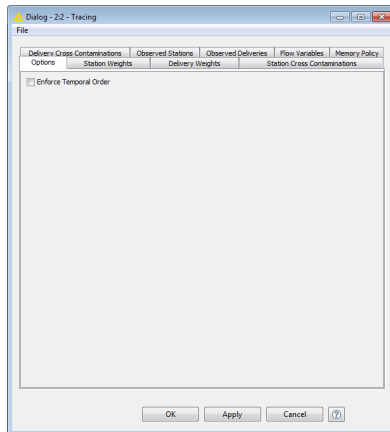
- You will notice several tabs for different parameters.
- "Weight" and "Cross Contamination" can be set for stations/deliveries. Based on these attributes a "Score" is computed for each station/delivery.
- Addtionally you can set "Observed" stations/deliveries.
- Select the **Station Weights** tab.
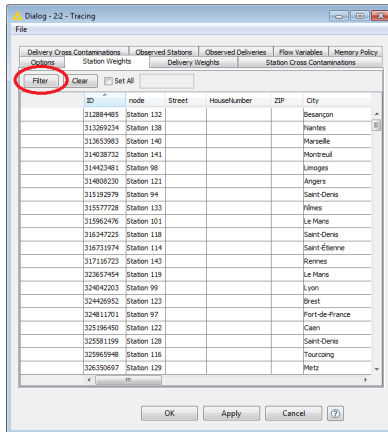
- A table with all available stations will pop up.
- The weight can be set in the left column.
- Since scrolling through all stations is very inefficient, we can filter out all desired stations.
- Click on **Filter**.

- In this dialog you can specify which stations should appear in the table.

- We only want to specify weights for supermarkts, since that is where contaminated products were found.
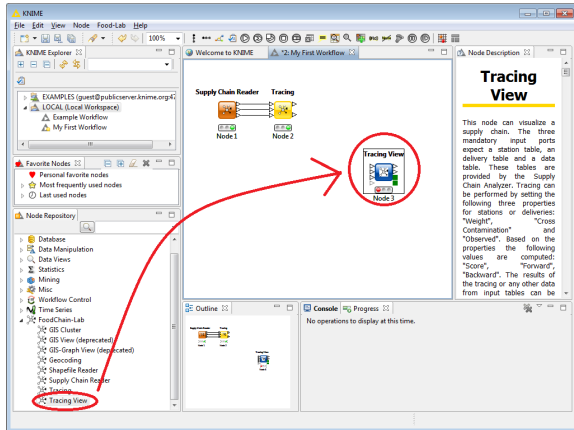- Set **Property** to "type of business" and **Value** to "Supermarket".
- Press **OK**.
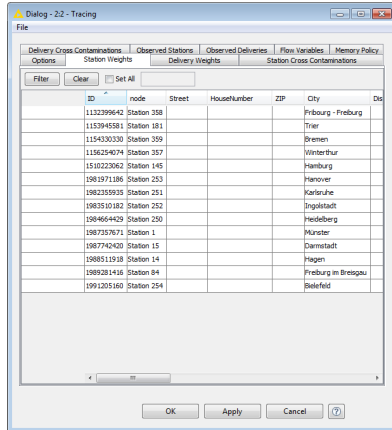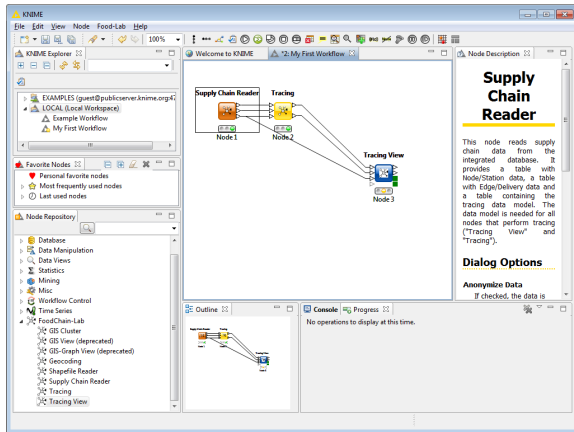
■ Now you only see supermarkets in the dialog.
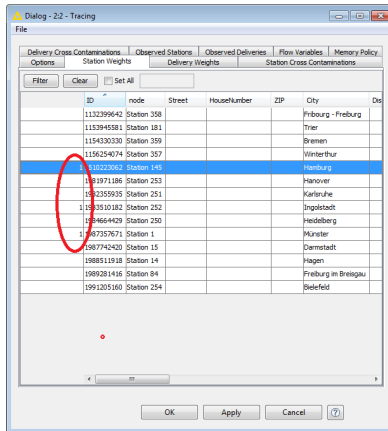
- Set a weight of "1" to the supermarkets in "Hamburg",
  "Ingolstadt" and "Münster" to indicate that contaminated
  products were found there.
- Click **OK** apply the settings and close the dialog.
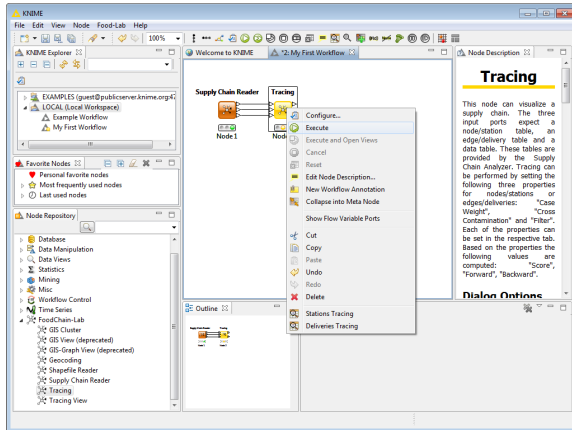
- Right click on the **Tracing** node and select **Execute** to
execute the node.

- Drag the **Trcing View** from the **Node Repository** to the
  workflow.

- Connect the output ports of the **Tracing** node to the first two input ports of the **Tracing View**.
- Connect the third output port of the **Supply Chain Reader** to the third input port of the **Tracing View**.
- Now you open the **Tracing View** and analyze the data. This will be shown in the second part of this tutorial.