

BPMN diagram

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BPMN - Three core objects

Start and End Event

The Start Event triggers the process.

The End Event defines the state that terminates the process.

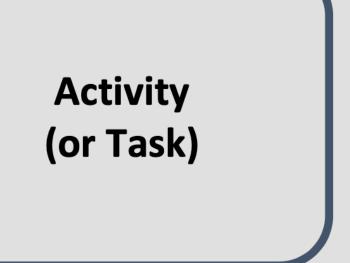




Activity

An activity or task is a unit of work.

It is the action to be carried out.



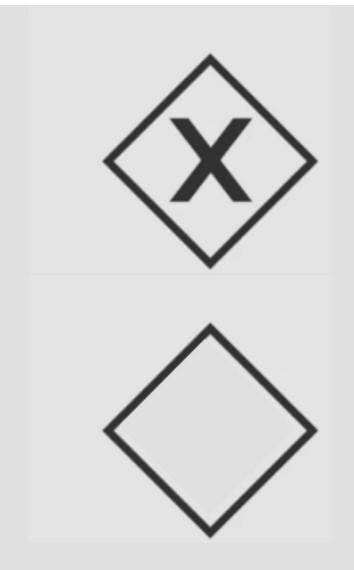
Gateways

Gateway define the logic in the notation.



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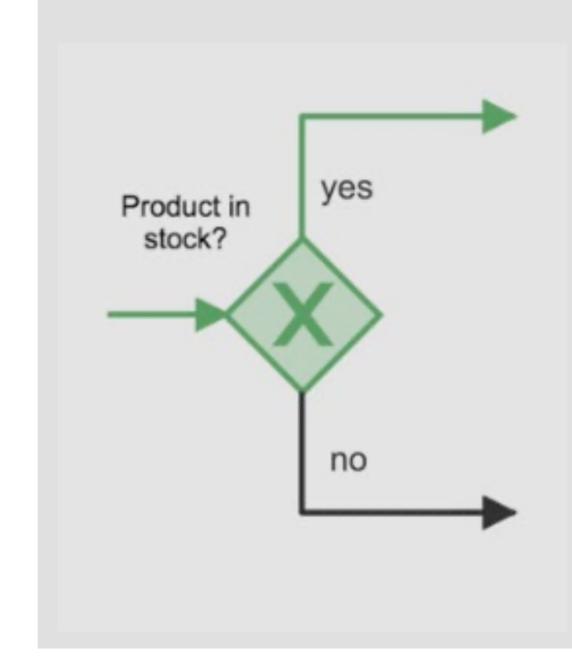
Can be drawn with or without the X in the middle.



Exclusive Gateway

The Exclusive Gateway defines a decision point.

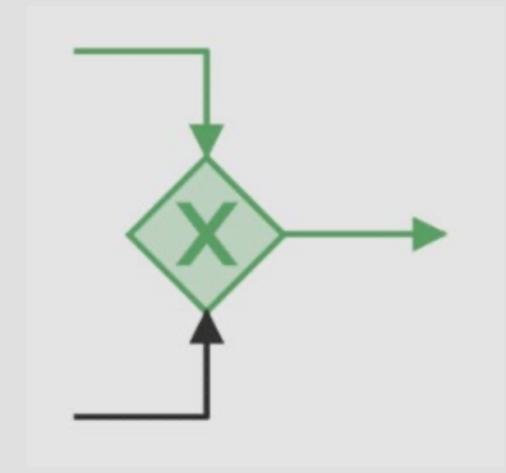
Only one path can be taken.



Closing Gateway

The Exclusive Gateway can be used to close branches.

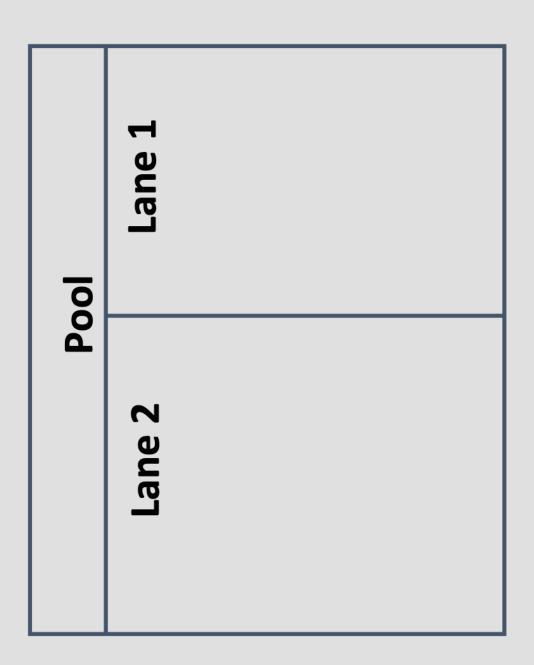
No decision logic involved.



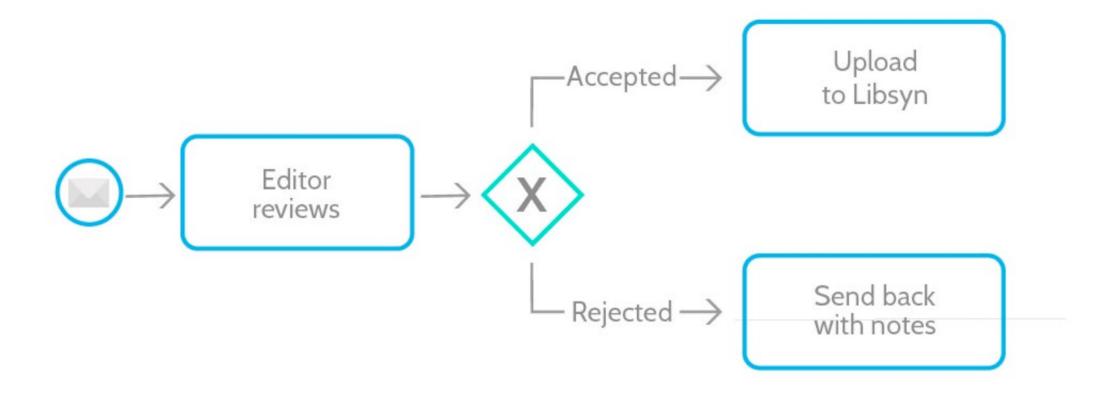
Pools and Lanes

Pools and lanes represent responsibilities for activities in a process.

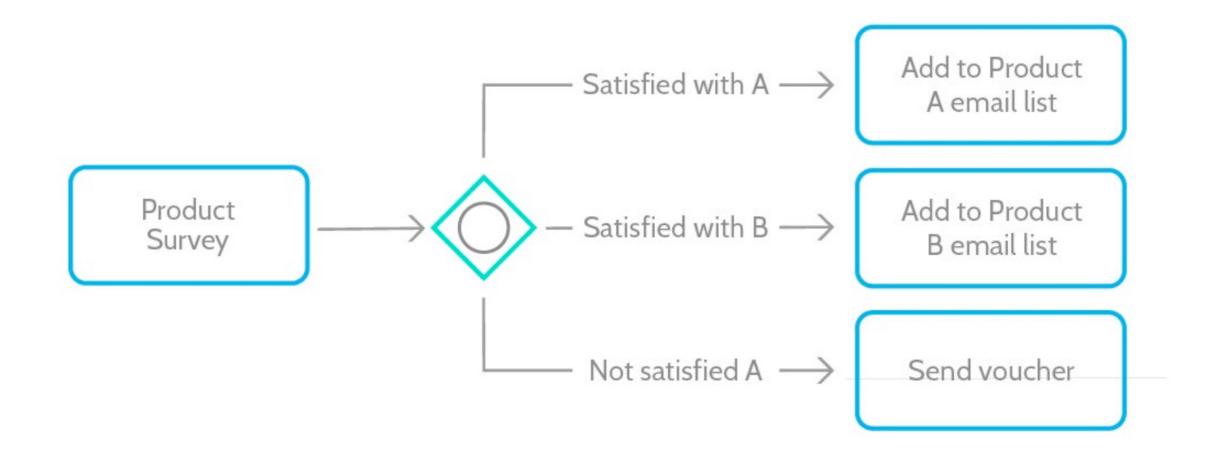
Lanes subdivide pools (roles, departments, systems).

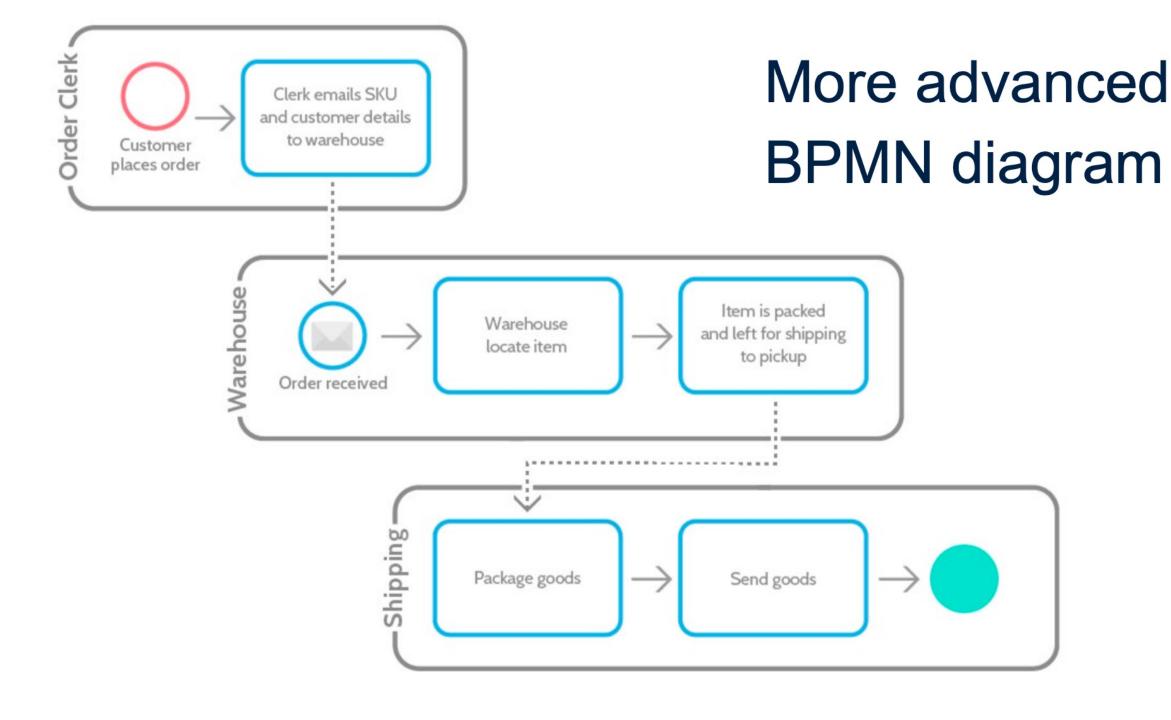


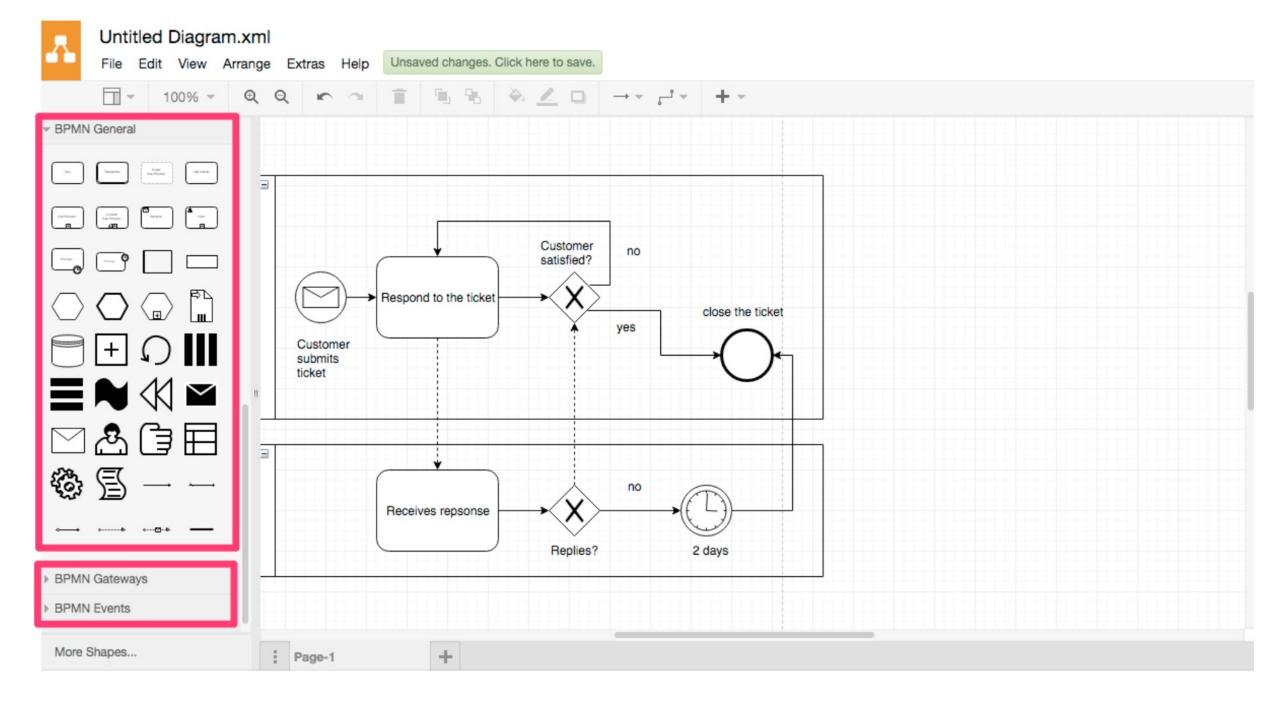
BPMN diagram with exclusive gateway

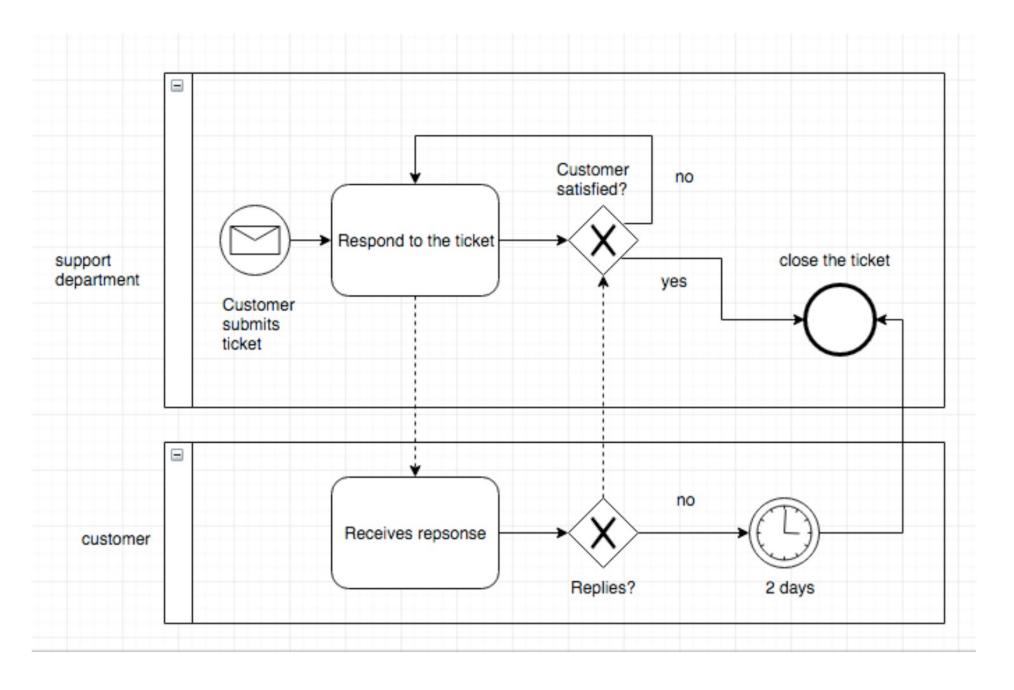


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Final diagram