

# Enterprise Integration

## *Business Process Management*

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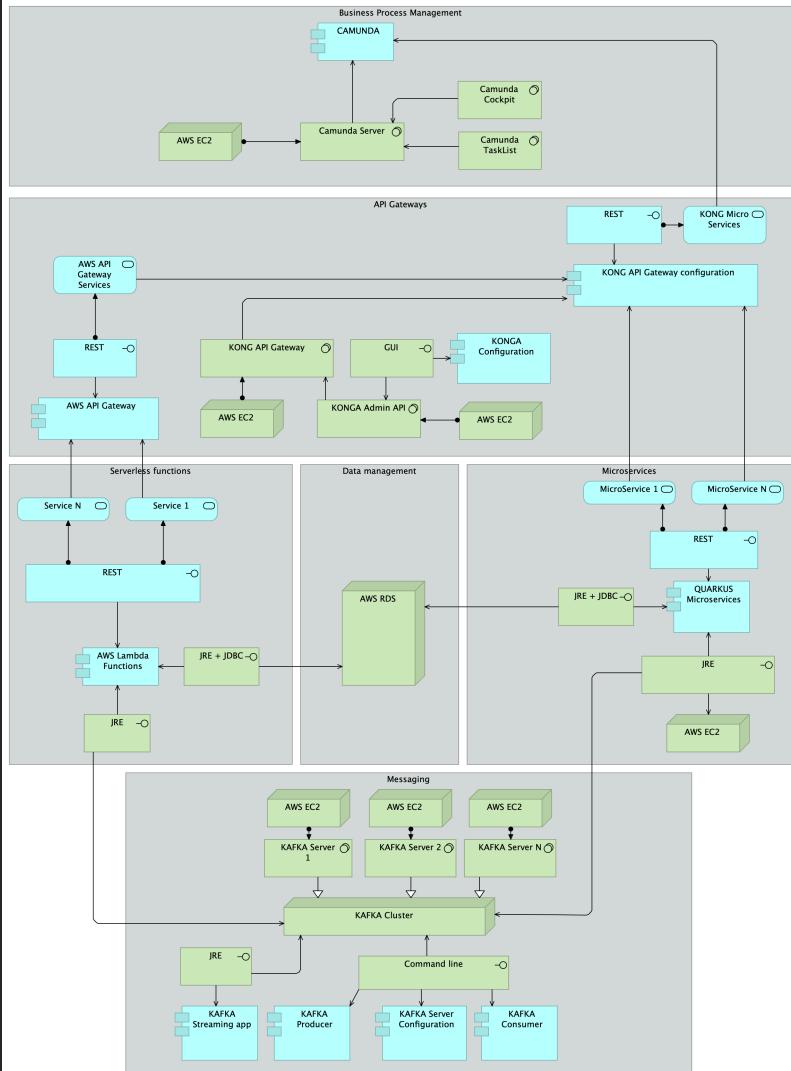
**Camunda Engine is the business process executor that consumes the available microservices in the enterprise.**

**The goal is to enable the integration with all the remaining enterprise systems and to enable the representation and execution of the sequence of business behaviours in an easy way.**

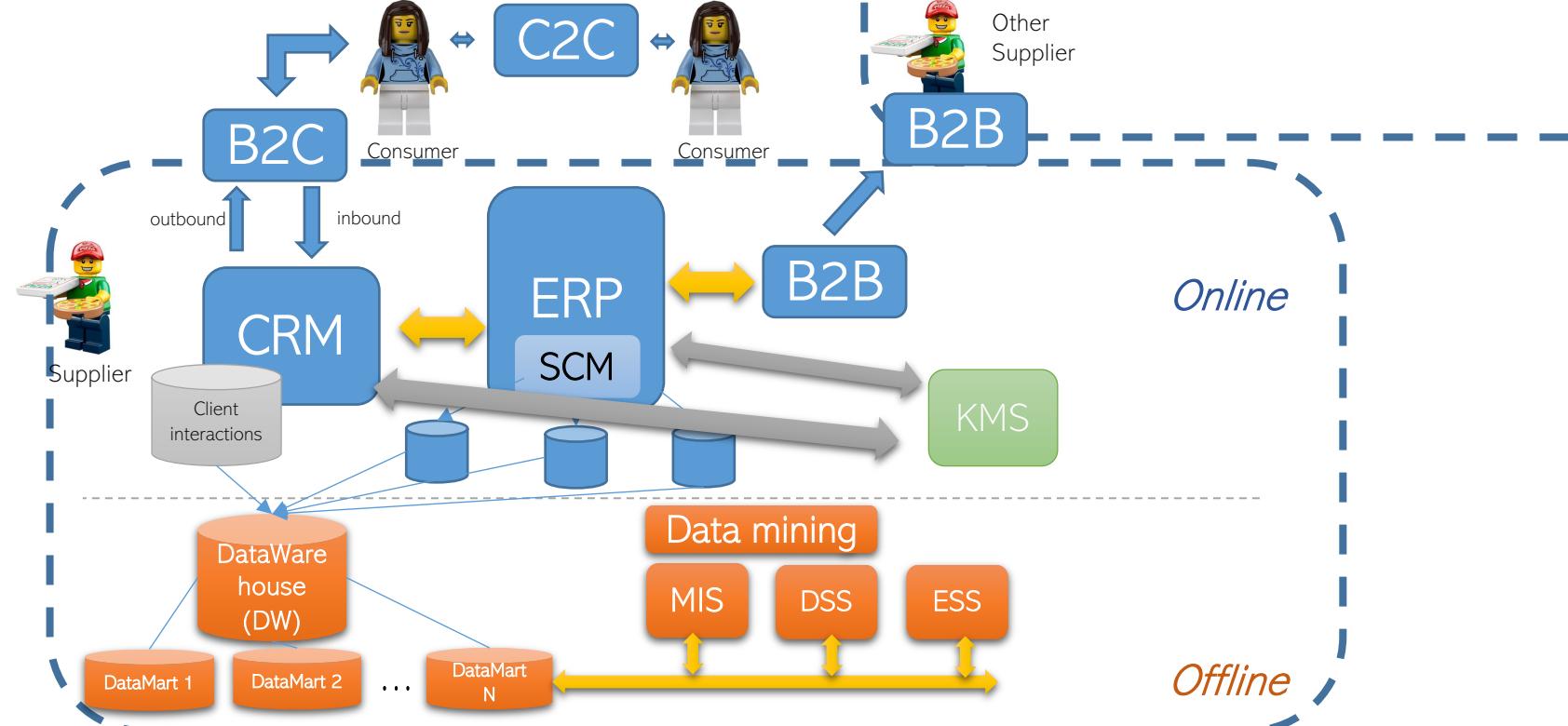
**The process-oriented nature allows a closer approach to the business development of the enterprise.**

# IE Technology Stack

## Overall view



# ERP as the placeholder for Business Processes

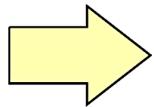


# The precursors: the Workflow systems

- Workflow Management System is a **software platform** that supports the design, development, implementation and analysis of workflows.
- Create new applications as an exercise of composition (existing functions) **rather than the traditional development** of a new application by conventional programming
- Programming based on **models**, represented as straight forward visual constructs (visual programming)
- Workflows were considered, since the 90's also as a **strategic approach for application integration**
- For all of the above reasons considered as: **programming in the large**

# Then, What is a business process?

Business process →



### 8.3.1 Business Process

A business process represents a sequence of business behaviors that achieves a specific result such as a defined set of products or business services.

A business process describes the internal behavior performed by a business role that is required to produce a set of products and services. For a consumer, the products and services are relevant and the required behavior is merely a black box, hence the designation “internal”.

A complex business process may be an aggregation of other, finer-grained processes. To each of these, finer-grained roles may be assigned.

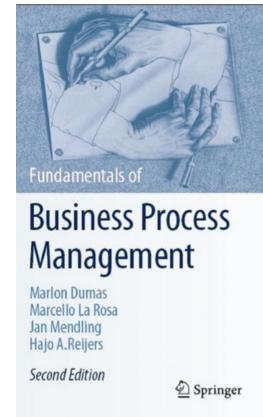
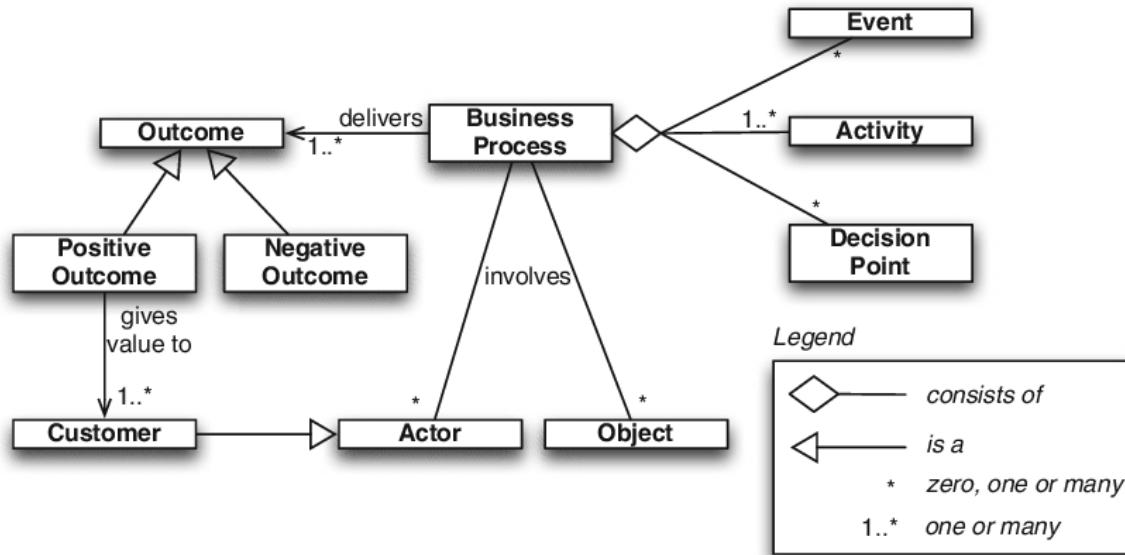
There is a potential many-to-many relationship between business processes and business functions. Informally speaking, processes describe some kind of “flow” of activities, whereas functions group activities according to required skills, knowledge, resources, etc.

A business process may be triggered by, or trigger, any other business behavior element (e.g., business event, business process, business function, or business interaction). A business process may access business objects. A business process may realize one or more business services and may use (internal) business services or application services. A business role may be assigned to a business process to perform this process manually. An automated business process can be realized by an application process. The name of a business process should clearly indicate a predefined sequence of actions using a verb or verb-noun combination and may include the word “process”. Examples are “adjudicate claim”, “employee on-boarding”, “approval process”, or “financial reporting”.

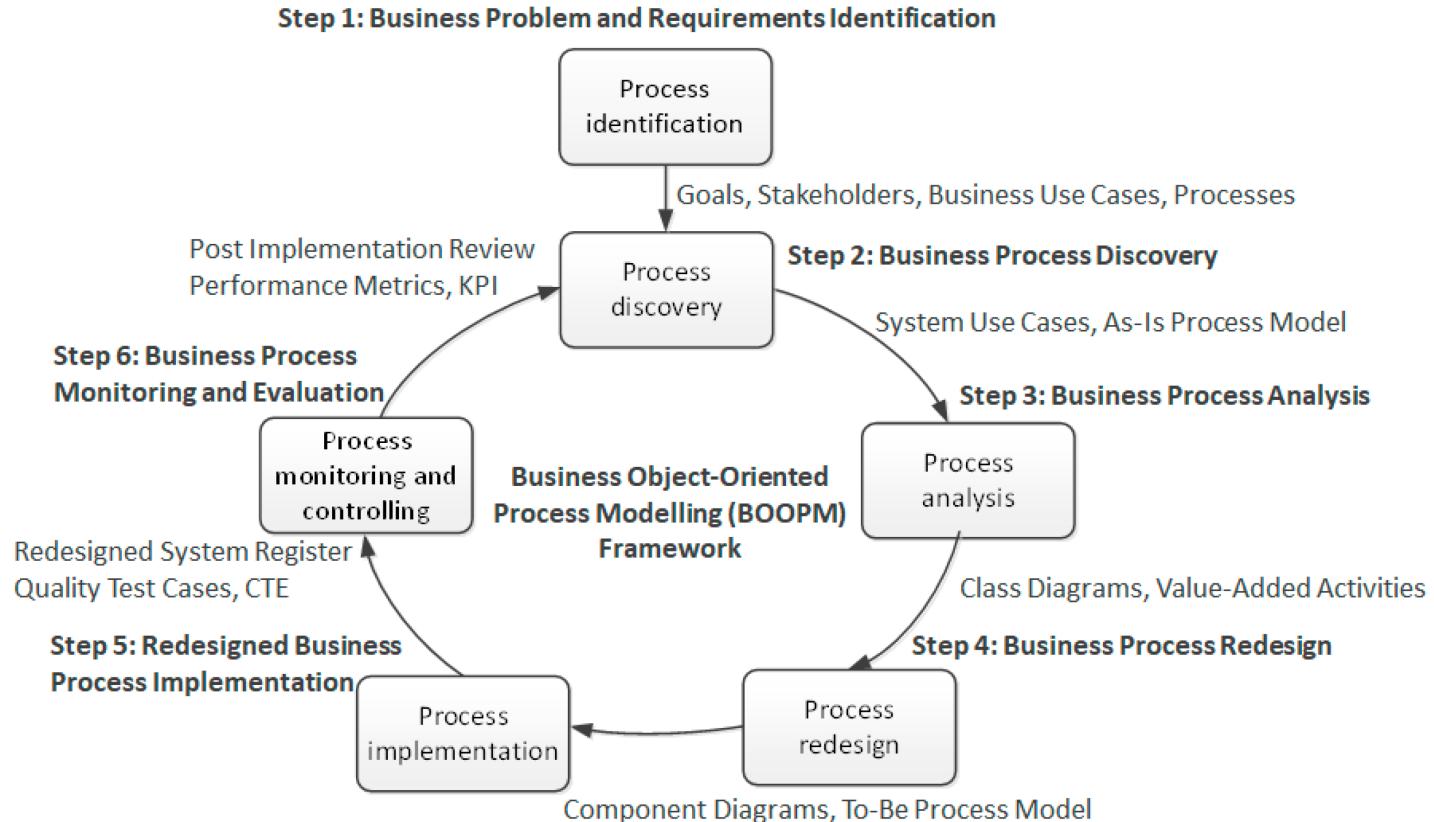
In an ArchiMate model, the existence of business processes is depicted. High-level business, end-to-end processes, macro flows, and workflows can all be expressed with the same business process element in the ArchiMate language. It does not, however, list the flow of activities in detail. This is typically done during business process modeling, where a business process can be expanded using a business process design language; e.g., BPMN [12].

# Business Process definition

- Set of **interrelated activities** that transform **inputs** into **outputs** in order to produce a **service or product to a specific customer**.
- The focus is always on the final product!!!



# A (classic) reference framework for the BPM lifecycle



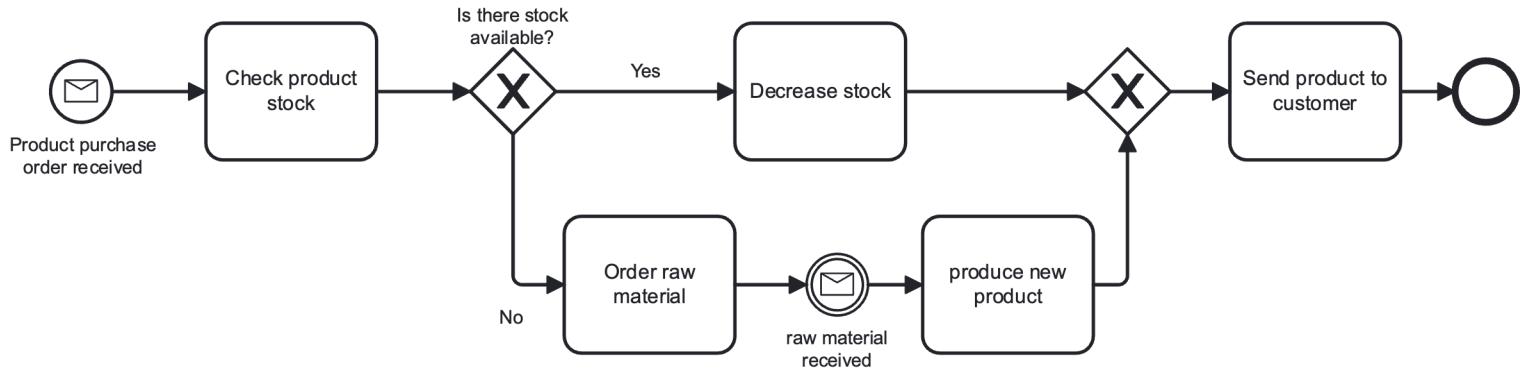
# On “Process” versus “Business Process”

## Process:

- “A set of interrelated and cooperative activities that transform inputs into outputs”. (ISO 9000)

## Business Process:

- “A collection of activities that takes one or more kinds of input and creates an output **that is of value to the customer.**” (Hammer & Champy 1993)



# Hello World! BPMN

When a seller receives a product purchase order, he always checks the available stock.

If there is stock available, update it and send the product to the customer.

If there is no stock available, order raw material and wait for it to be received. Then the new product is produced and sent to the customer.

# “Business” Process Model and Notation (BPMN)

- BPMN is a OMG notation for Business Process Modelling.
- BPMN allows the graphical specification of business processes.
- BPMN can be mapped to execution languages and SOA environments...
- Timeline:
  - 2004: BPMI (Business Process Management Initiative) publishes BPMN 1.0
  - 2005: BPMI is integrated into OMG (Object Management Group)
  - 2006: OMG officially adopted the notation and publishes BPMN 1.0
- 2008: BPMN 1.2 published
- 2009: BPMN 2.0 draft release
- 2011: BPMN 2.0 published - [www.omg.org/spec/BPMN/2.0/](http://www.omg.org/spec/BPMN/2.0/)



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# Modelling in BPMN – Process types

## 2.1 Process Modeling Conformance

The next eight sections describe **Process Modeling Conformance**.

### 2.1.1 BPMN Process Types

The implementations claiming **Process Modeling Conformance** MUST support the following **BPMN** packages:

- ◆ The **BPMN** core elements, which include those defined in the *Infrastructure*, *Foundation*, *Common*, and *Service* packages (see Chapter 8).
- ◆ **Process** diagrams, which include the elements defined in the **Process**, **Activities**, **Data**, and **Human Interaction** packages (see Chapter 10).
- ◆ **Collaboration** diagrams, which include **Pools** and **Message Flow** (see Chapter 9).
- ◆ **Conversation** diagrams, which include **Pools**, **Conversations**, and **Conversation Links** (see Chapter 9).

As an alternative to full **Process Modeling Conformance**, there are three conformance sub-classes defined:

- ◆ **Descriptive**
- ◆ **Analytic**
- ◆ **Common Executable**

**Descriptive** is concerned with visible elements and attributes used in high-level modeling. It should be comfortable for analysts who have used BPA flowcharting tools.

**Analytic** contains all of **Descriptive** and in total about half of the constructs in the full **Process Modeling Conformance** Class. It is based on experience gathered in BPMN training and an analysis of user-patterns in the Department of Defense Architecture Framework and planned standardization for that framework.

Both **Descriptive** and **Analytic** focus on visible elements and a minimal subset of supporting attributes/elements.

**Common Executable** focuses on what is needed for executable process models.

Elements and attributes not in these sub-classes are contained in the full **Process Modeling Conformance** class.

The elements for each sub-class are defined in the next section.

# Types of BPMN Diagrams

- **Process**

- Represents the public or private **processes** of a participant.
- Focus on representing the (internal) **orchestration** of a process.
- The participant can be subdivided into multiple Lanes.
- All external pools (if any) must be black-box.

- **Collaboration**

- Represents the **message** exchange between **two or more participants**.
- Focus on representing the **orchestration** of a **process** across multiple **participants**.

- **Choreography**

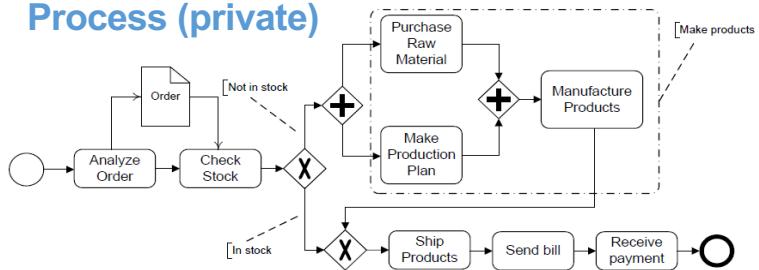
- Represent the information pertaining to each **participant** in the choreography.
- The focus is not on orchestrations of the work performed within these Participants, but rather on the exchange of information between Participants.

- **Conversation**

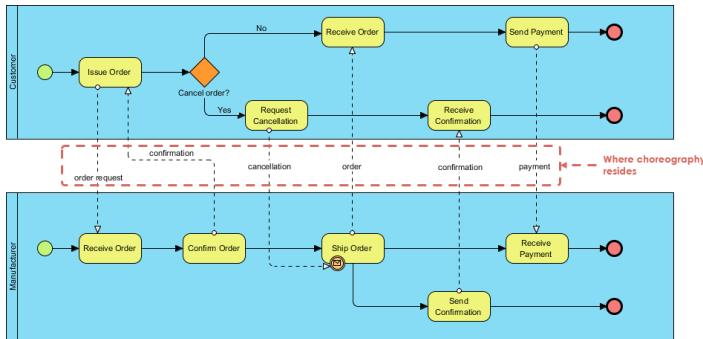
- Conversation diagrams visualize messages exchange between pools.
- Design workflow with business process diagram and visualize communications with BPMN conversation diagrams.

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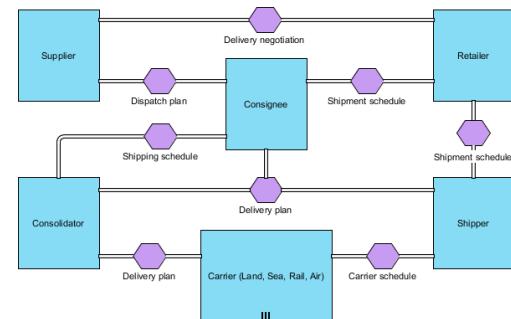
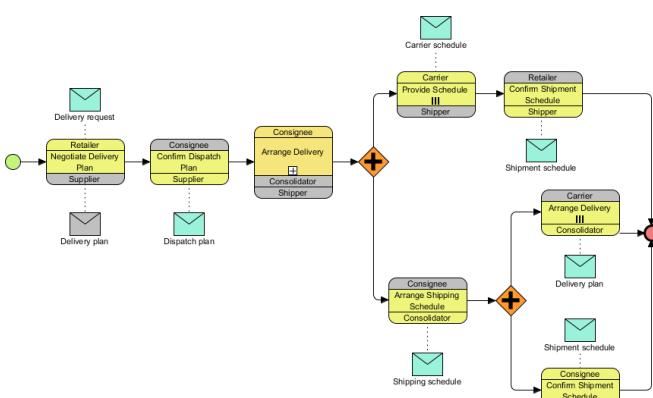
## Process (private)



## Collaboration



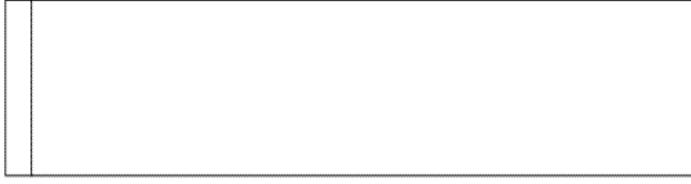
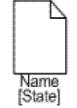
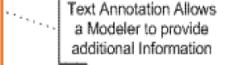
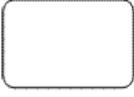
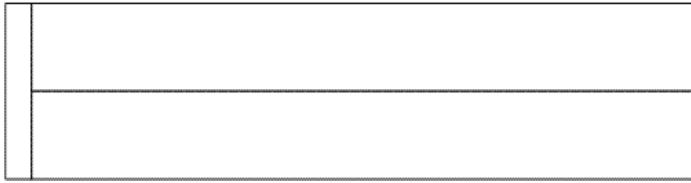
## Choreography



## Conversation

# Core BPMN Elements

## Core Set of BPMN Elements

Flow Objects	Connecting Object	Swimlanes	Artifacts
Events 	Sequence Flow 	Pool 	Data Object  Text Annotation 
Activities 	Message Flow 	Lanes (within a Pool) 	
Gateways 	Association 		Group 

# Pools and Lanes

**Pool**: represents a process Participant.

Sequence flows **cannot cross Pool** boundaries

Message flows can cross **Pool** boundaries

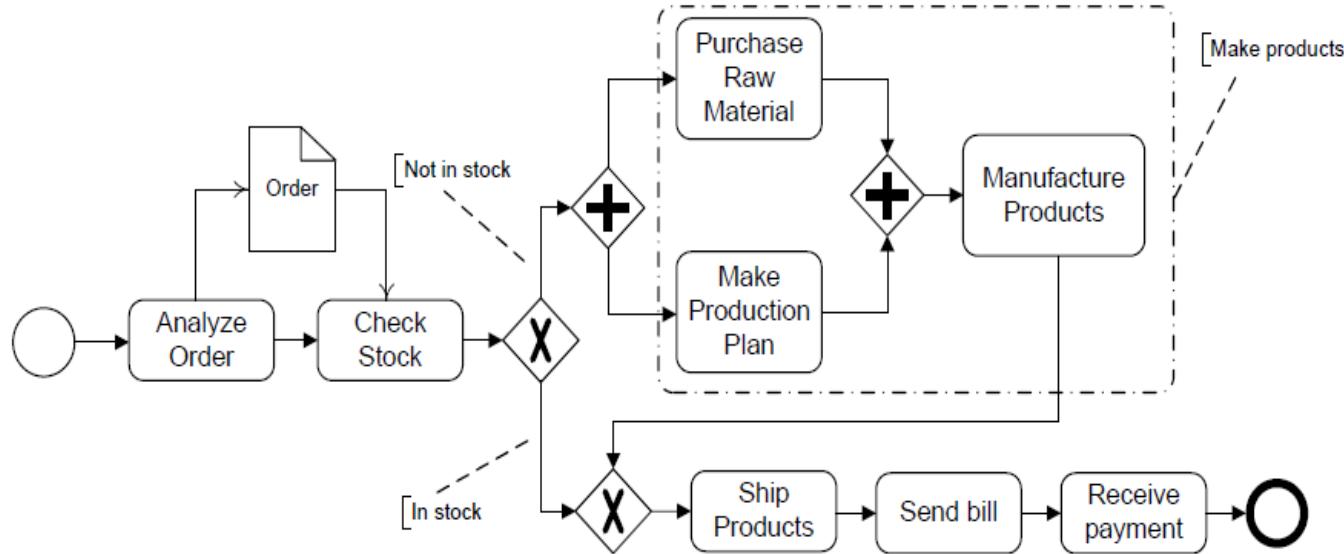


**Lane**: a sub-division of a Pool. Used to organize and categorize the activities of a Participant.

Sequence flows can cross **Lane** boundaries



# Private Process Diagram (without pools)



- A **Process** focuses on a single **Participant**.
- A **Private Process** focuses on a **Participant** internal to the organization.

# Private Process with one Pool and nested Lanes

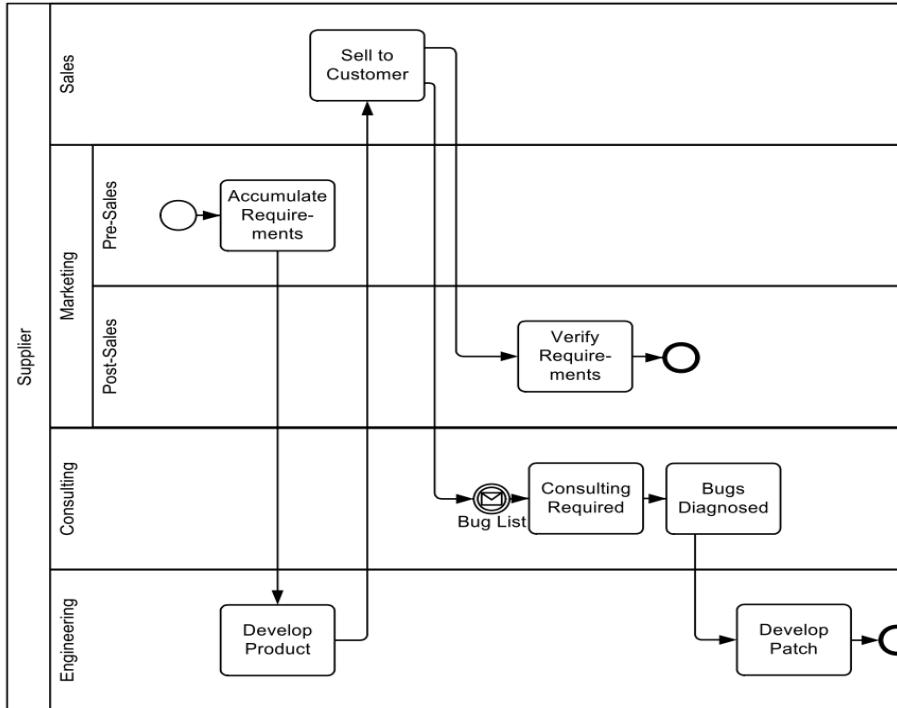


Figure 10.125 - An Example of Nested Lanes

This **Process** focuses on a single **Participant** with multiple **Lanes**. Therefore it is a **private Process**.

# Public vs. Private Process



Figure 7.1 - Example of a *private* Business Process

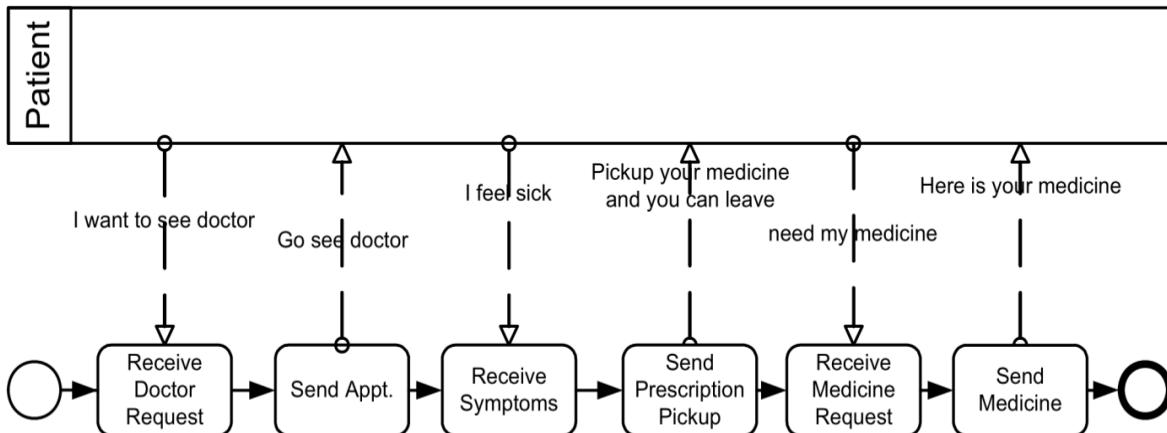
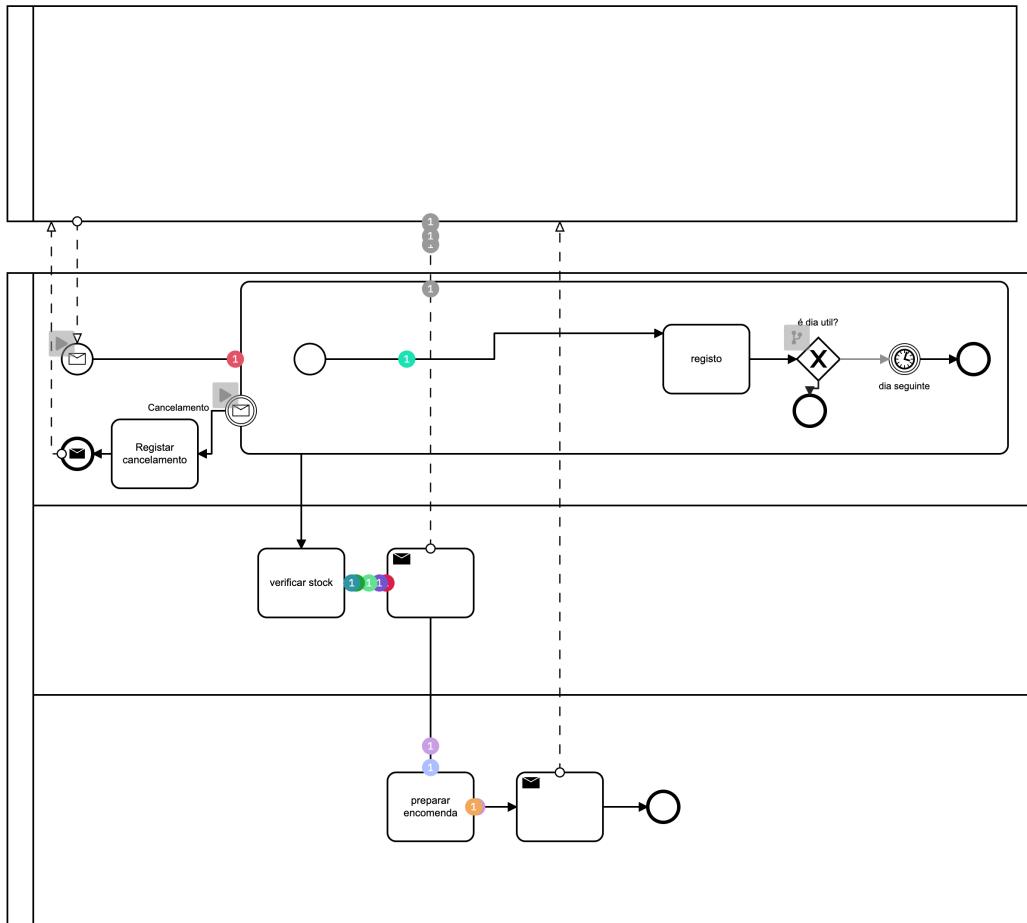


Figure 7.2 - Example of a *public* Process



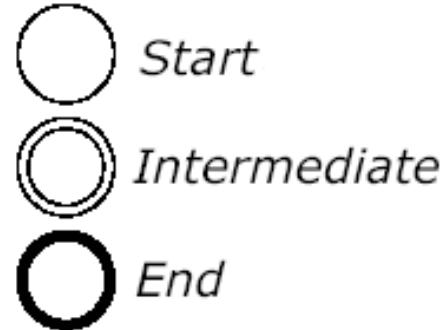
# Process Definition vs. Process Instance

# Flow Objects

- **Activity**: a unit of work.



- **Event**: an occurrence during a business process.



- **Gateway**: controls the flow of activities.



# Connectors

## Sequence Flow



defines the execution order of activities.

## Default Flow

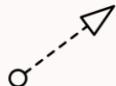


is the default branch to be chosen if all other conditions evaluate to false.

## Conditional Flow



has a condition assigned that defines whether or not the flow is used.



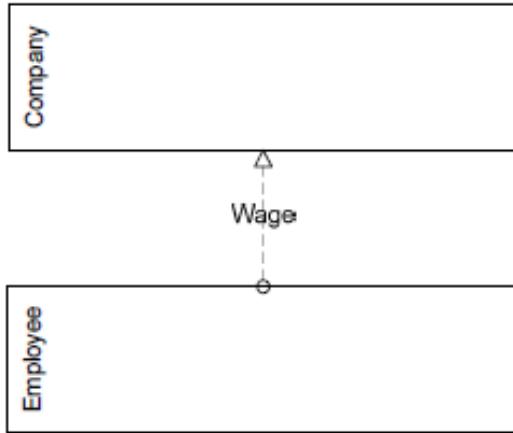
## Message Flow

symbolizes information flow across organizational boundaries. Message flow can be attached to pools, activities, or message events.



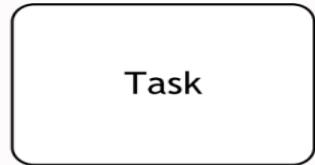
An Association is used to link information and Artifacts with BPMN graphical elements (see page 67). Text Annotations (see page 71) and other Artifacts (see page 66) can be Associated with the graphical elements. An arrowhead on the Association indicates a direction of flow (e.g., data), when appropriate.

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# Activities



A **Task** is a unit of work, the job to be performed. When marked with a  symbol it indicates a **Sub-Process**, an activity that can be refined.

## Activity Markers

Markers indicate execution behavior of activities:



Sub-Process Marker



Loop Marker



Parallel MI Marker



Sequential MI Marker



Ad Hoc Marker



Compensation Marker

## Task Types

Types specify the nature of the action to be performed:



Send Task



Receive Task



User Task



Manual Task

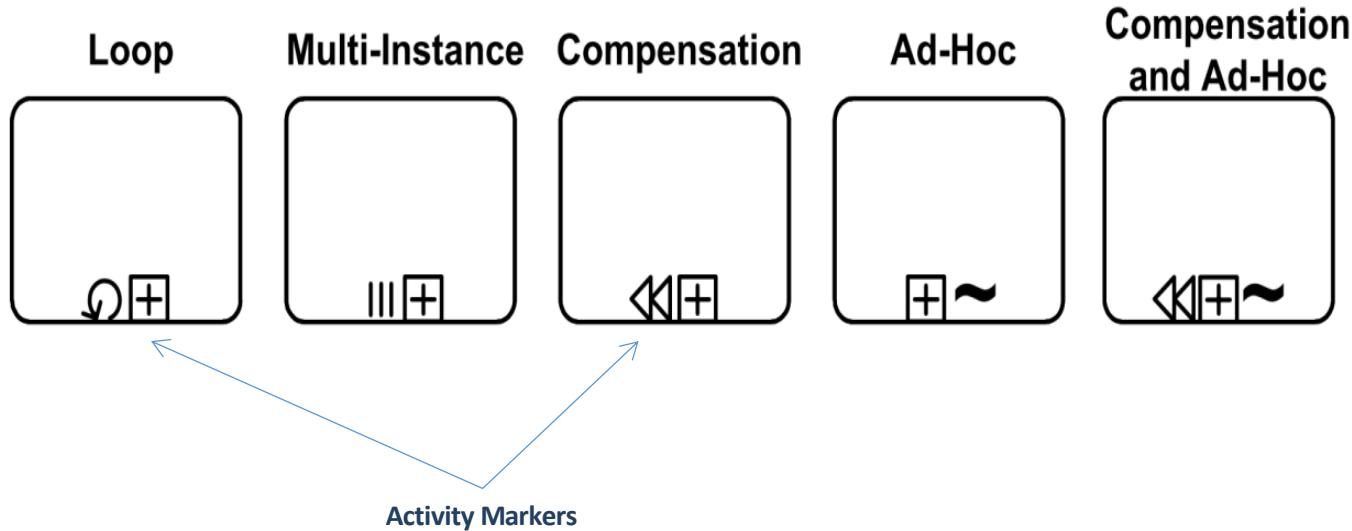


Business Rule Task



Service Task

# Activity Types



# Data



A **Data Input** is an external input for the entire process. It can be read by an activity.

A **Data Output** is a variable available as result of the entire process.

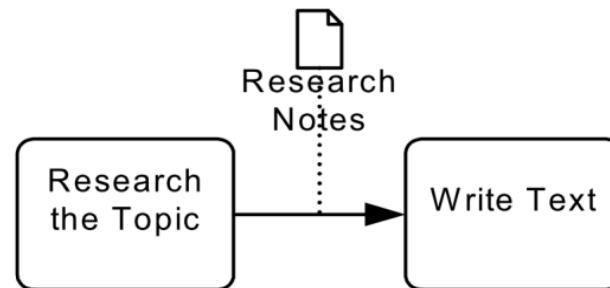
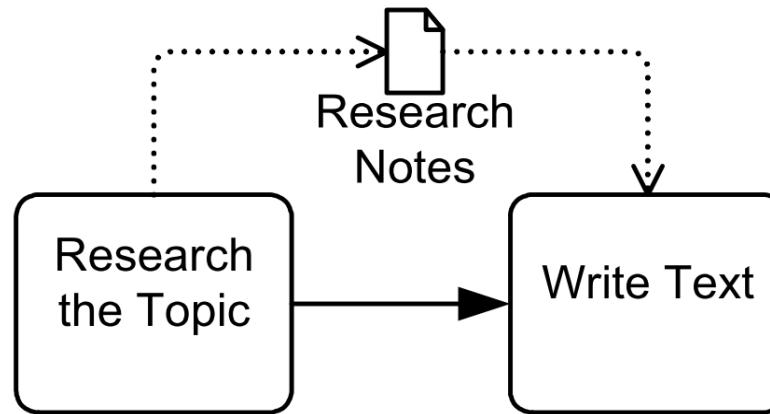
A **Data Object** represents information flowing through the process, such as business documents, e-mails, or letters.

A **Collection Data Object** represents a collection of information, e.g., a list of order items.

A **Data Store** is a place where the process can read or write data, e.g., a database or a filing cabinet. It persists beyond the lifetime of the process instance.

A **Message** is used to depict the contents of a communication between two Participants.

# Data Association within a Process



# Event Triggers

- A **Trigger** specifies what causes the Event.
- The **Trigger** is shown as an icon inside the Event symbol.
- BPMN defines several types of **Triggers**:
  - None (i.e. no Trigger) and
  - 12 other (Message, Timer, Error, Signal,...)
- A **Trigger** may have two different **behaviours**:

Throw a Trigger



(throw/send a message)

Catch a Trigger



(catch/receive a message)

# Event Behaviour (throw/catch)

- When **throwing** a Trigger the Event **waits for a token** and then **produces the Trigger**.  
The notation for throw is a *filled* Trigger.
- When **catching** a Trigger the Event **waits for a token** and then **waits for the Trigger**.  
The notation for catch is an *outlined* Trigger.  
“Catch” is **blocking** while it waits for the Trigger and the Token.



- Start events:** can only **catch**
- Intermediate events:** can **catch** and **throw**
- End events:** can only **throw**



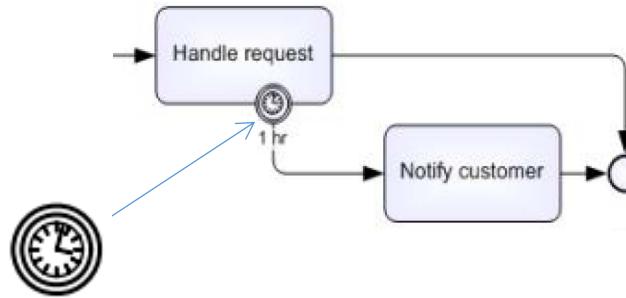
# Interrupting and Non-Interrupting Events

## *Interrupting*



**Interrupting:** when the event is thrown or caught the corresponding activity is interrupted and is not completed.

Notation is a **solid line**.

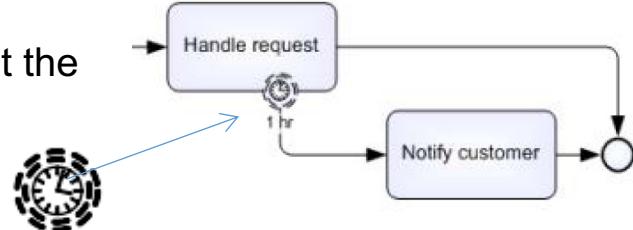


## *Non-Interrupting*



**Non-Interrupting:** when the event is thrown or caught the corresponding activity continues its execution.

Notation is a **dotted line**.



# Events

# Events

## Important Triggers

**None:** Untyped events, indicate start point, state changes or final states.

**Message:** Receiving and sending messages.

**Timer:** Cyclic timer events, points in time, time spans or timeouts.

**Escalation:** Escalating to an higher level of responsibility.

**Conditional:** Reacting to changed business conditions or integrating business rules.

**Link:** Off-page connectors. Two corresponding link events equal a sequence flow.

**Error:** Catching or throwing named errors.

**Cancel:** Reacting to cancelled transactions or triggering cancellation.

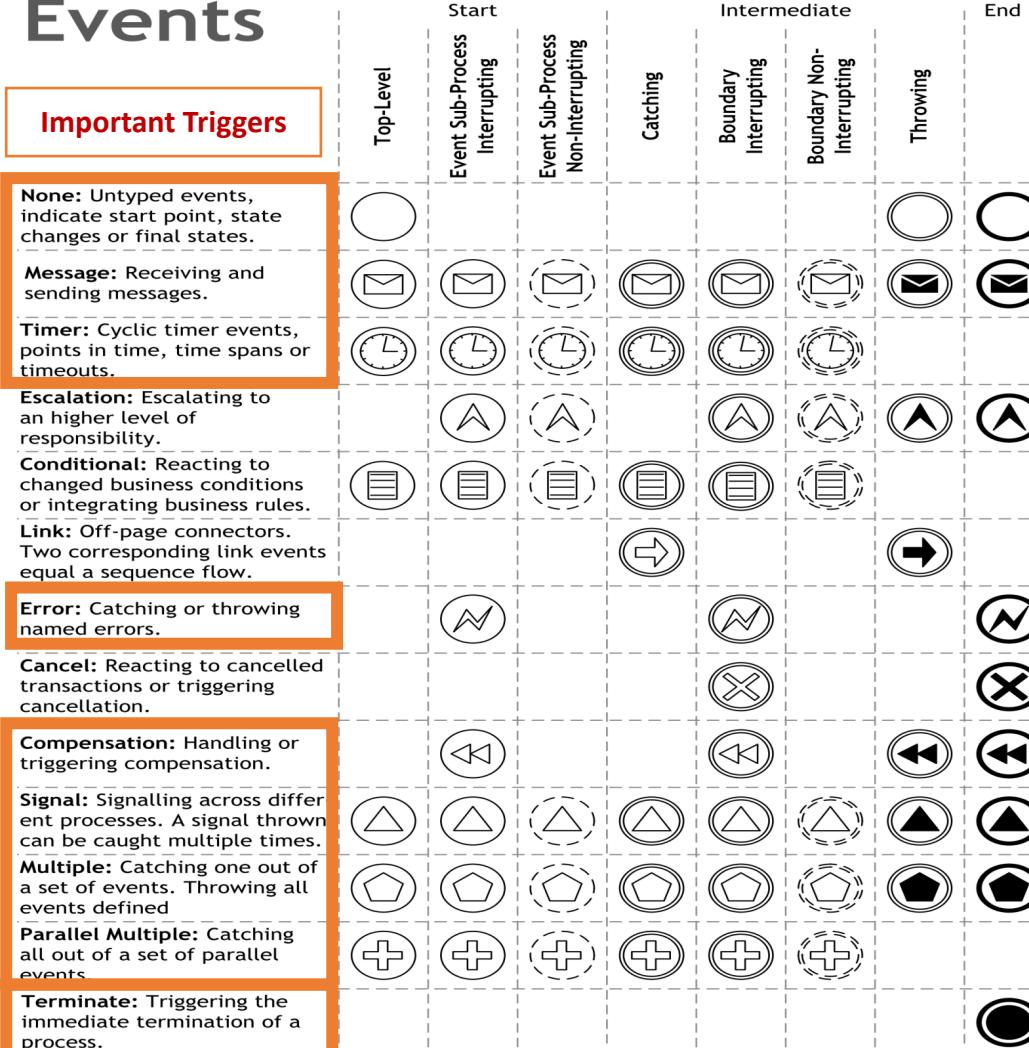
**Compensation:** Handling or triggering compensation.

**Signal:** Signalling across different processes. A signal thrown can be caught multiple times.

**Multiple:** Catching one out of a set of events. Throwing all events defined

**Parallel Multiple:** Catching all out of a set of parallel events

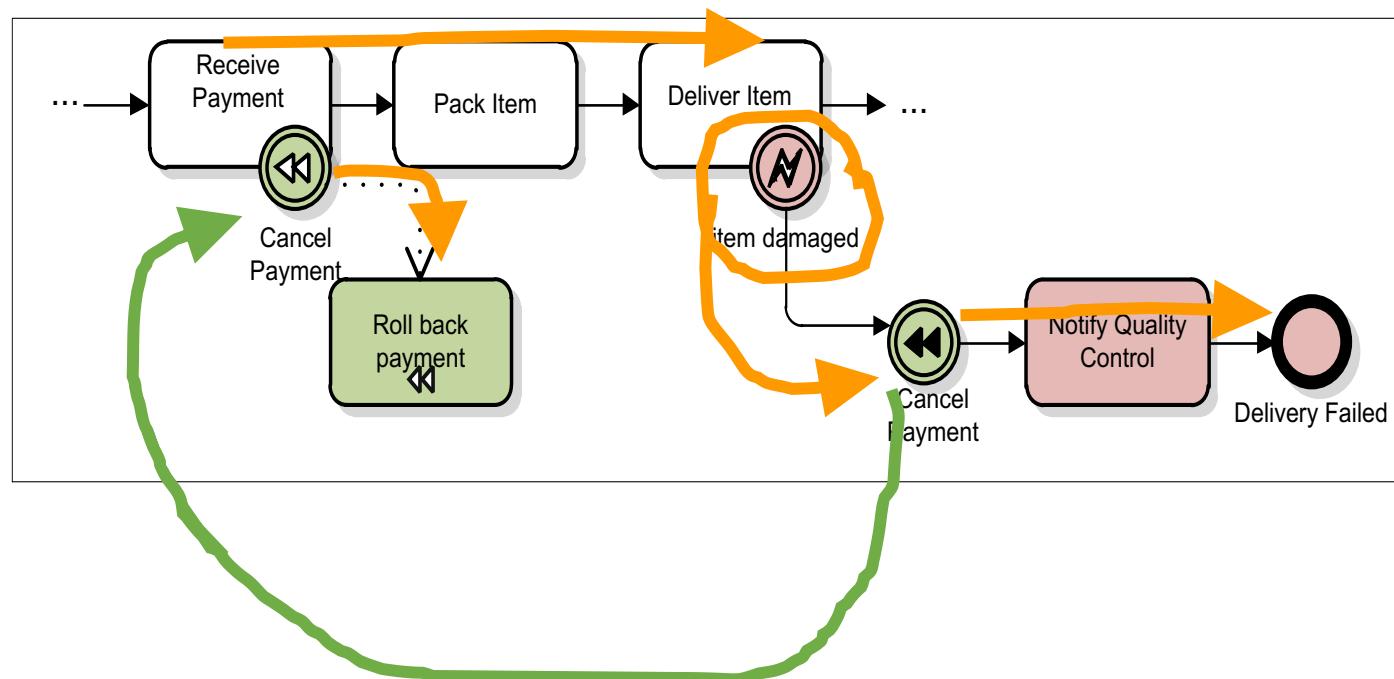
**Terminate:** Triggering the immediate termination of a process.



# Compensation

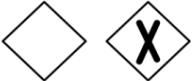
- Sometimes you need to undo the effects of a business process. You do this by **rolling it backwards**, one completed Activity at a time
- There are three options for undoing each completed Activity:
  1. **Do nothing** - there are no data changes to undo
  2. **Overwrite** - restore all data to its original state
  3. **Undo** - perform a specific Activity to undo the data changes - this is known as **compensation**

# Errors and Compensation



# Gateways

## Exclusive Gateway



When splitting, it routes the sequence flow to exactly one of the outgoing branches. When merging, it awaits one incoming branch to complete before triggering the outgoing flow.

## Event-based Gateway



Is always followed by catching events or receive tasks. Sequence flow is routed to the subsequent event/task which happens first.

## Parallel Gateway



When used to split the sequence flow, all outgoing branches are activated simultaneously. When merging parallel branches it waits for all incoming branches to complete before triggering the outgoing flow.



## Inclusive Gateway

When splitting, one or more branches are activated. All active incoming branches must complete before merging.



## Exclusive Event-based Gateway (instantiate)

Each occurrence of a subsequent event starts a new process instance.



## Complex Gateway

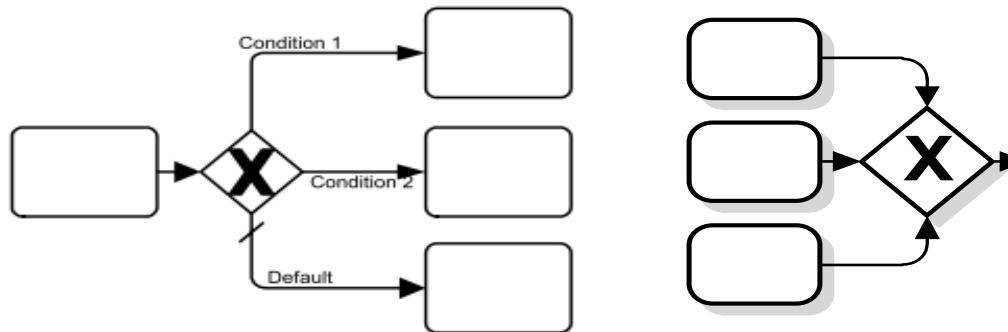
Complex merging and branching behavior that is not captured by other gateways.



## Parallel Event-based Gateway (instantiate)

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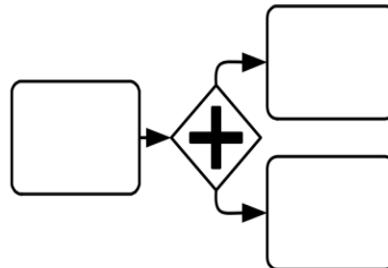
# Exclusive Gateway (XOR-split/merge)



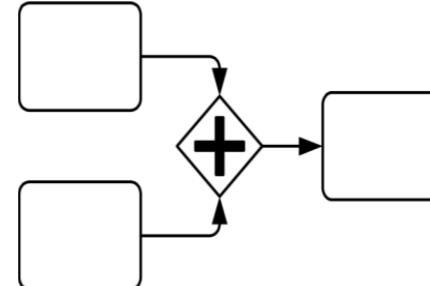
- **XOR-split** selects one and only one of the 2..\* output flows.
- The conditions are evaluated top-to-bottom; the output flow associated to first condition evaluated true is selected.
- Optionally, a *default* flow (--) may be included. The default flow is unconditional and is selected whenever all the other conditions are evaluated false.
- The output flows of a XOR-split may be merged using a XOR-merge that continues as soon as one input flow arrives.

# Parallel (AND-split/merge)

- AND-split forks one input flow into 2..\* parallel (concurrent in time) output flows.
- AND-merge waits for *all* input flows before joining them into a single output flow.



AND-split (fork)



AND-merge(join)

# Event-Based Gateway

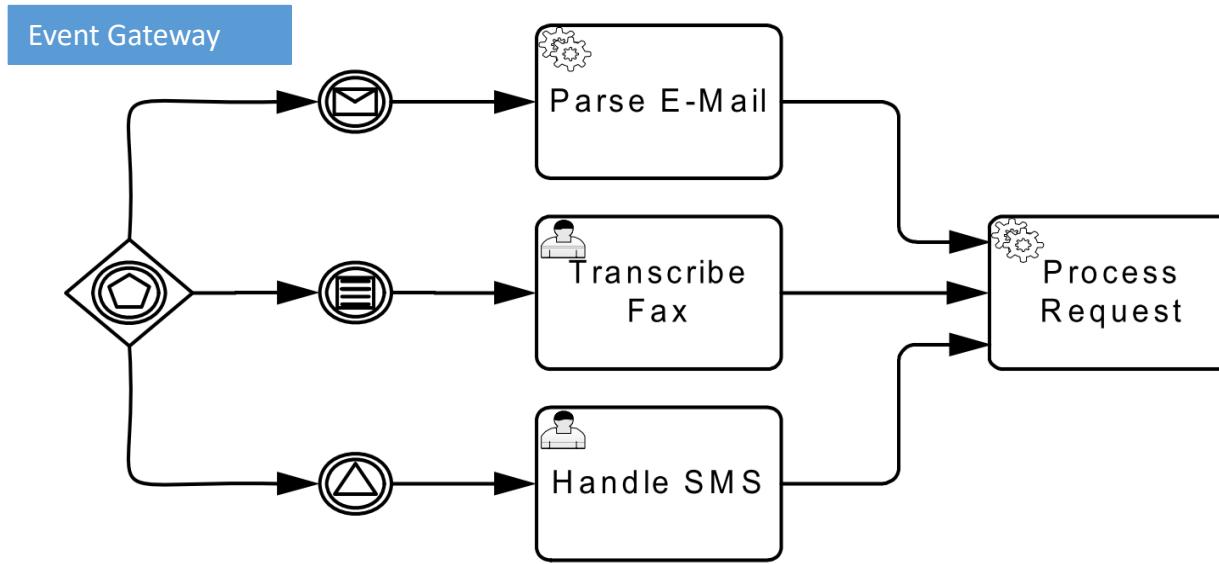
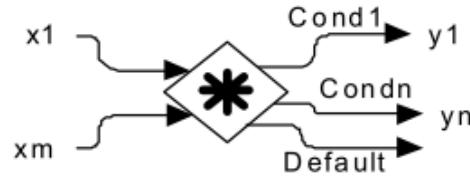


Figure 10.98 - A Process initiated by an Event-Based Gateway

# Complex Gateway

- These have no default semantics!
  - Splitting - modeller provides an IncomingCondition
  - Merging - modeller provides an OutgoingCondition
- They *must* be supported by Text Annotations that describe their semantics, otherwise the BPD is unreadable!



```
cond1 := x2 < 5
cond2 := x1 > 10 and x2 = 0
...
...
```

The **Complex Gateway** can be used to model complex synchronization behavior. An Expression activationCondition is used to describe the precise behavior. For example, this Expression could specify that tokens on three out of five *incoming Sequence Flows* are needed to activate the **Gateway**. What tokens are produced by the **Gateway** is determined by conditions on the *outgoing Sequence Flows* as in the split behavior of the **Inclusive Gateway**. If tokens arrive later on the two remaining **Sequence Flows**, those tokens cause a reset of the **Gateway** and new token can be produced on the *outgoing Sequence Flows*. To determine whether it needs to wait for additional tokens before it can reset, the **Gateway** uses the synchronization semantics of the **Inclusive Gateway**.

# Executable Business Process

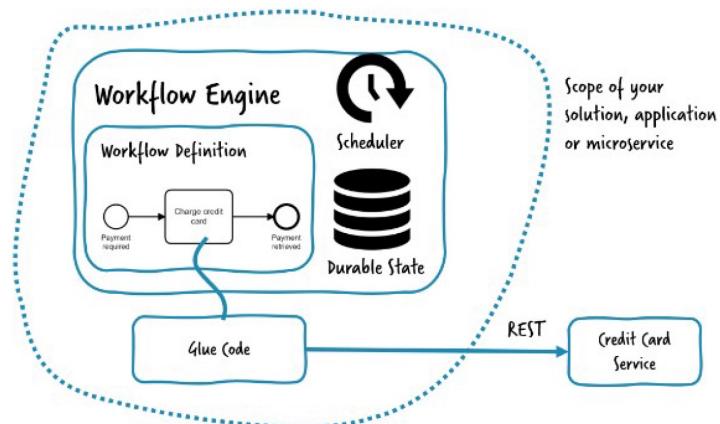
# Modelling an executable BPMN



*Figure 1-2. A very simple process, that can already handle many requirements in the credit card example*

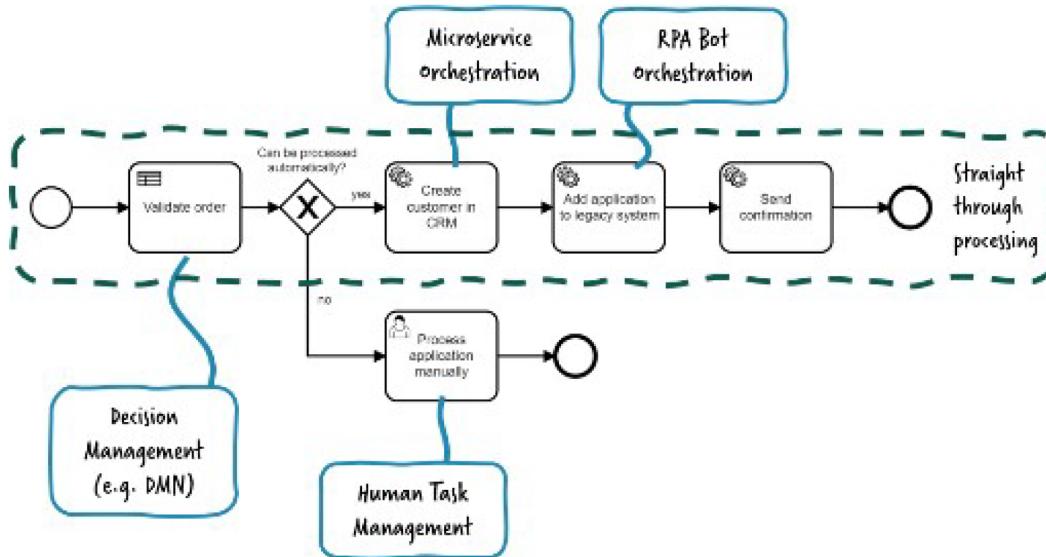
As shown in Figure 1-3 the workflow engine:

- keeps the state persistent,
- schedules the retries,
- gives you visibility into current process instances and historic information.



*Figure 1-3. Workflow engine*

# Modelling an executable BPMN



*Figure 1-5. Use cases are typically mixed in real-life examples*

# Modelling an executable BPMN

Process automation is about automating tasks within a process as well as the automation of the control flow between these tasks.

Three different combinations possible which define a kind of maturity levels of process automation:

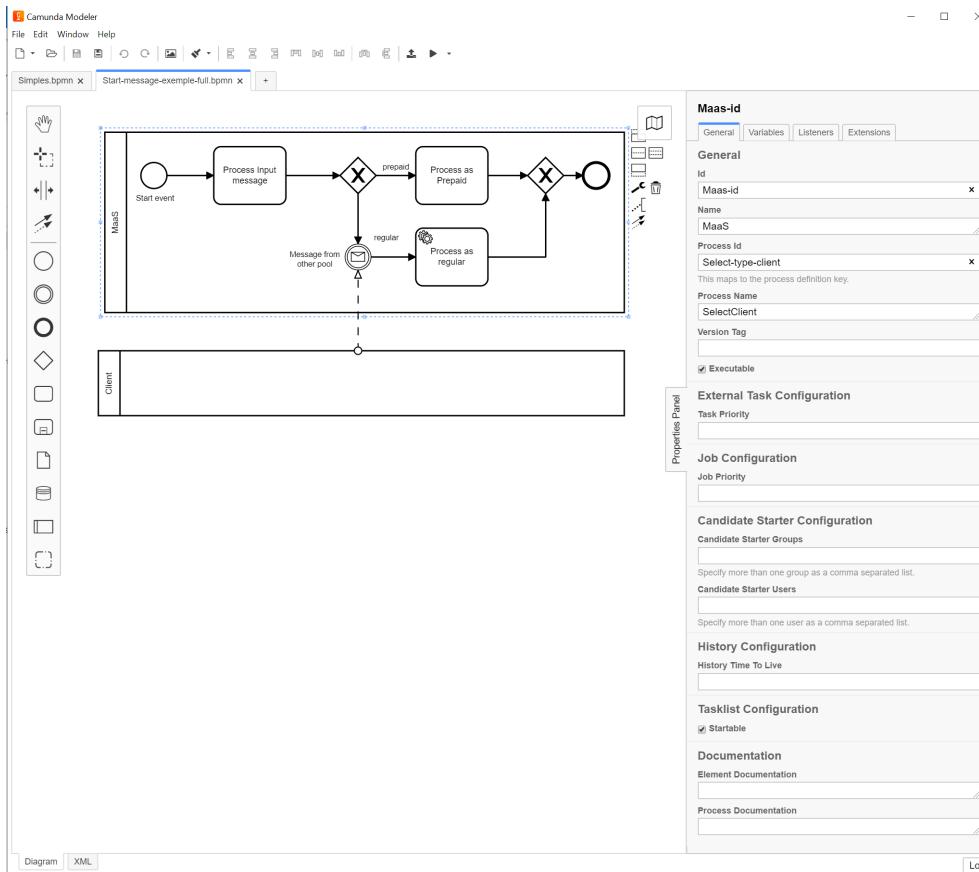
1. The **human controls** the process, often passing paper around. You're probably familiar with this from physical inbox folders on your desk in an office environment. Software and office tools can, of course, make this process more efficient.
2. The **computer controls** the process and involves people whenever necessary, for example using task list user interfaces.
3. The **whole process** is fully automated and only requires manual intervention if something happens beyond the expected normal operations.

# Modelling an executable BPMN

Two types of automation:

1. **Automation of the control flow:** The interactions between tasks are automated, but the activities itself might not. In the previous example, this was the humans cooking the food. A process might not be fully automated as it cannot run without human interaction. This is often known as human task management.
2. **Automation of the tasks:** The task itself is automated. In the previous example, this would be the robots who cook the food. Automating the tasks leads to fully automated processes, which is typically named STP (straight through processing). Very often this is the most ideal path, where everything runs smoothly and is fully automated. Humans are involved in case any unforeseen exceptions or special cases occur. This approach is actually quite powerful, as you can invest the effort on automation on the majority of cases and save additional (manual) effort only on the rare cases.

# Modelling an executable BPMN



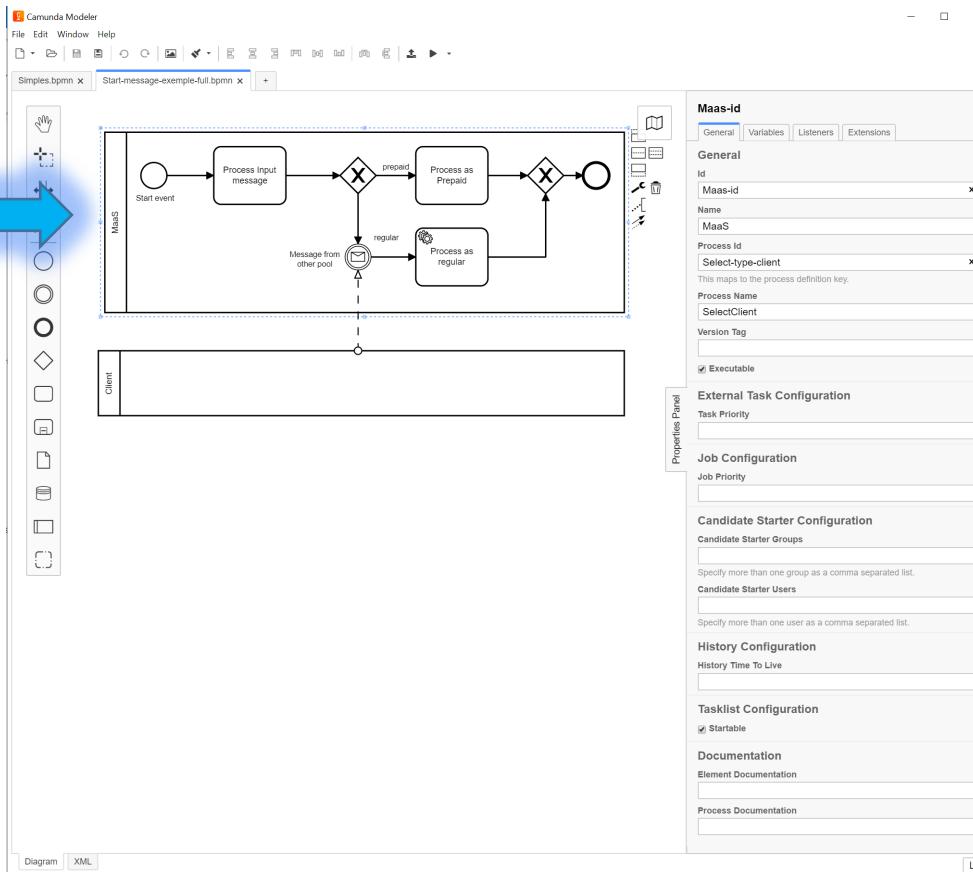
## Modelling an executable BPMN

# – Separation of systems

Each system should be modelled as a separate pool



Then, each pool uses communication between them sending and receiving messages



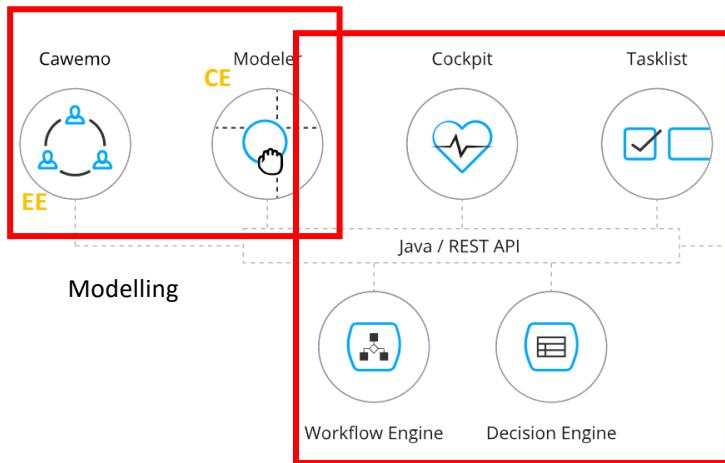
Later, in terms of execution, a process engine supports many systems or each system a different engine

# A Business Process Execution engine

The case of Camunda

# Camunda Architecture

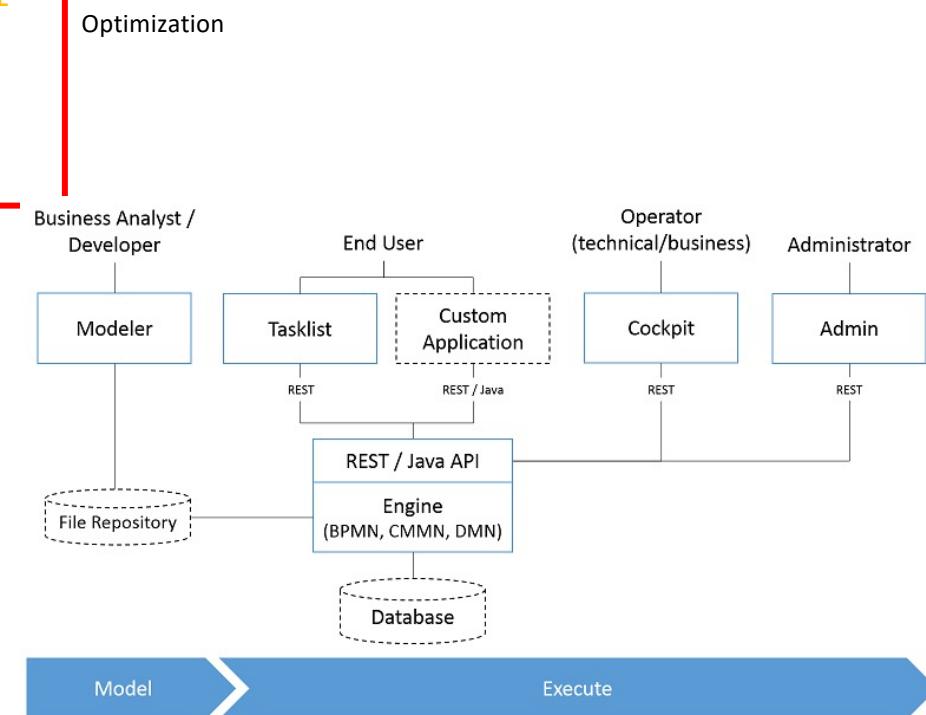
# Camunda Components



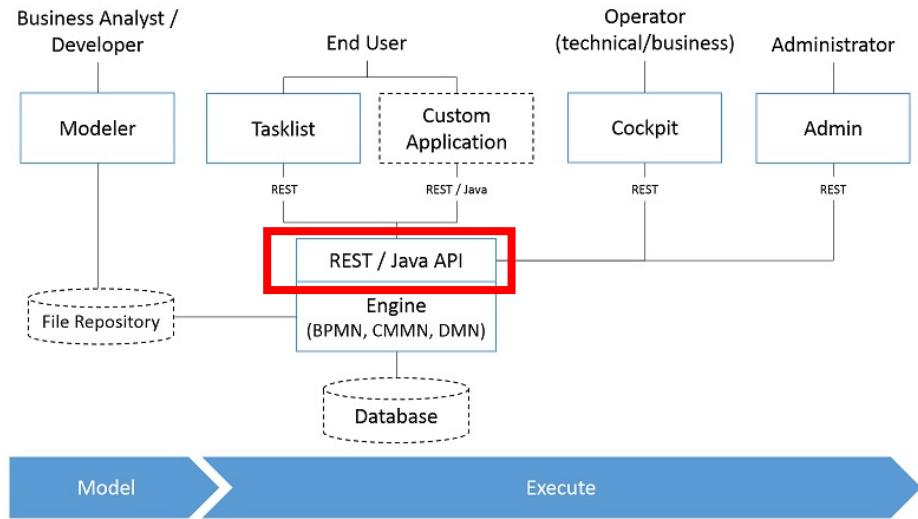
**2 edições para optar:**

**CE** - Community edition

**EE** - Enterprise edition



# The Camunda REST API is provided by an OpenAPI description



Process engine functionalities are exposed by REST API and thus can be used by other applications

# Camunda Architecture

https://docs.camunda.org/manual/latest/reference/rest/openapi/

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**OpenAPI**

The Camunda REST API has an OpenAPI description that follows the [OpenAPI Specification 3.0.2](#). OpenAPI is a standard, language-agnostic interface to RESTful APIs which allows both humans and computers to discover and understand the capabilities of the service without access to source code, documentation, or through network traffic inspection.

The OpenAPI description brings options for:

- Client Generation in different languages: Providing flexibility for adoption of the process engine in many languages and possibility for custom implementation built on top.
- Getting Started Experience: Improving the getting started experience for the users with the option to try out the REST API following along with the documentation and examples.

The documentation is shipped as a single `openapi.json` file archived in a jar artifact. Download the Camunda REST API artifact containing the OpenAPI documentation [here](#). Choose the correct version and then download the jar file.

Alternatively, you can obtain this artifact with the following Maven coordinates:

```
<dependency>
<groupId>org.camunda.bpm</groupId>
<artifactId>camunda-engine-rest-openapi</artifactId>
<version>${version.camunda}</version>
</dependency>
```

## Client Generation

To generate REST API client in the language of your preference based on the OpenAPI documentation, you will need a client generator library, e.g. [OpenAPI Generator](#) or any other library that is compatible with OpenAPI Specification version 3.0.

Follow the steps of the OpenAPI Generator's documentation, how to [install](#) the tool and [generate a simple client](#) in one of the supported languages.

## Getting Started Experience

Instead of client generation, you can use one of the OpenAPI editors to play around with the REST API endpoints.

For example, go to [Swagger Editor](#) and paste the content of the `openapi.json` on the left-hand side in the editor. Start a Process engine with enabled cross-origin requests, and you will be able to execute requests from the editor.

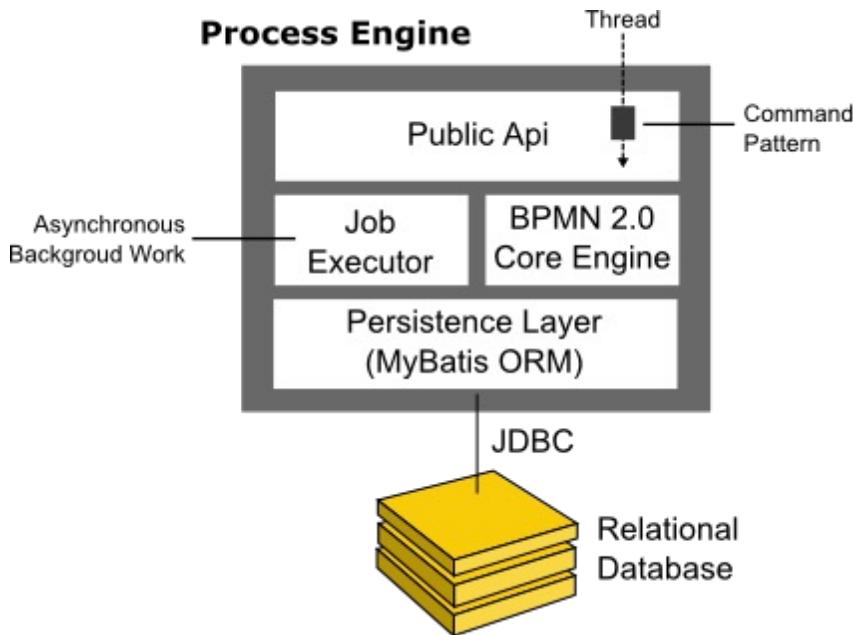
Some API Tools also support import of endpoints via upload of a OpenAPI document. For example, [Postman](#) users can [import the OpenAPI documentation](#) and work with the REST endpoints from a single place.

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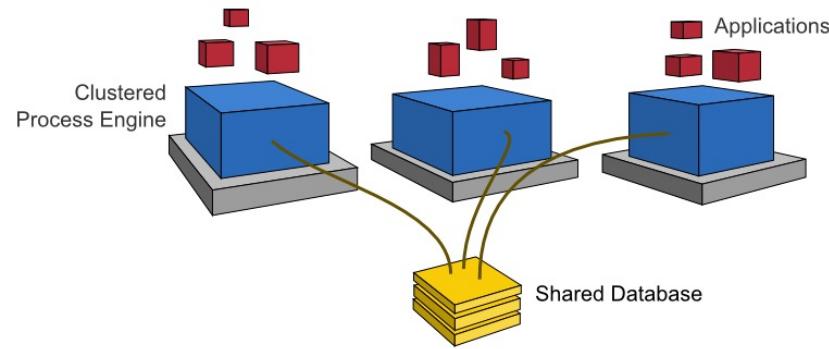
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# Camunda Architecture

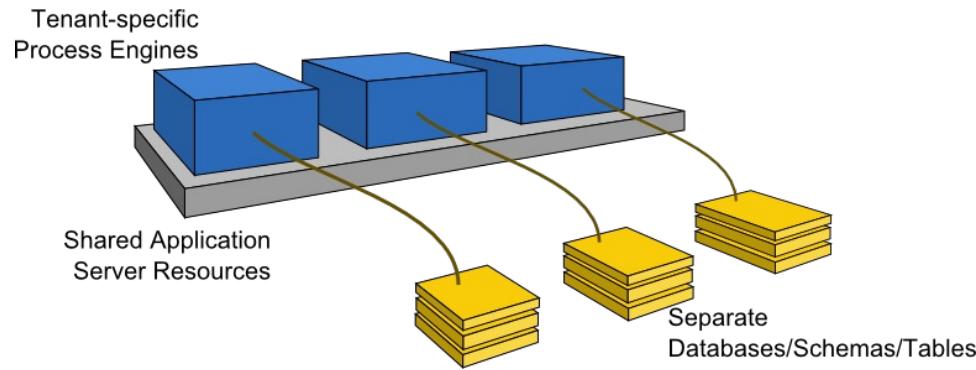


- **Process Engine Public API:** Service-oriented API allowing Java applications to interact with the process engine. The different responsibilities of the process engine (i.e., Process Repository, Runtime Process Interaction, Task Management, ...) are separated into individual services. The public API features a [command-style access pattern](#):
- **BPMN 2.0 Core Engine:** this is the core of the process engine. It features a lightweight execution engine for graph structures (PVM - Process Virtual Machine), a BPMN 2.0 parser which transforms BPMN 2.0 XML files into Java Objects and a set of BPMN Behavior implementations (providing the implementation for BPMN 2.0 constructs such as Gateways or Service Tasks).
- **Job Executor:** the Job Executor is responsible for processing asynchronous background work such as Timers or asynchronous continuations in a process.
- **The Persistence Layer:** the process engine features a persistence layer responsible for persisting process instance state to a relational database.

# Camunda Deployment Models

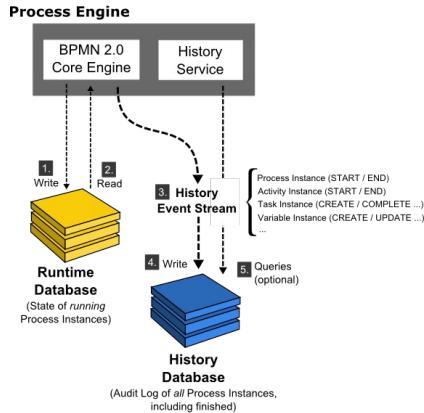
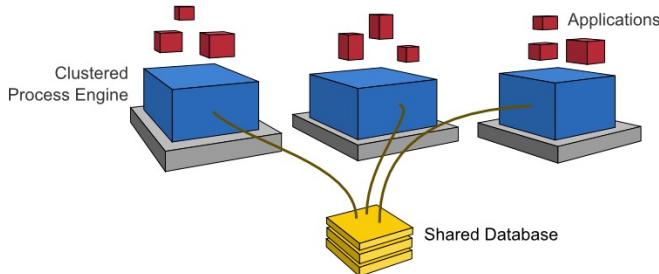


Clustering



Multi-tenancy

# Camunda Deployment & Operation environment



- **JAVA compatibility:**
  - Oracle JDK 8 / 9 / 10 / 11 / 12 / 13 / 14 / 15
  - IBM JDK 8 (with J9 JVM)
  - OpenJDK 8 / 9 / 10 / 11 / 12 / 13 / 14 / 15, including builds of the following products: Oracle OpenJDK, AdoptOpenJDK (with HotSpot JVM), Amazon Corretto, Azul Zulu
- **Process Engine, Camunda cockpit, Tasklist e Admin compatibility:**
  - Apache Tomcat 9.0,
  - JBoss EAP 7.0 / 7.1 / 7.2 / 7.3 / 7.4,
  - Wildfly Application Server 13.0 / 14.0 / 15.0 / 16.0 / 17.0 / 18.0 / 19.0 / 20.0 / 21.0 / 22.0 / 23.0,
  - IBM WebSphere Application Server 8.5 / 9.0 ([Enterprise Edition only](#))
  - Oracle WebLogic Server 12c (12R2) ([Enterprise Edition only](#))
- **Shared database compatibility:**
  - MySQL 5.7 / 8.0
  - MariaDB 10.2 / 10.3
  - Oracle 12c / 19c
  - IBM DB2 11.1 (excluding IBM z/OS for all versions)
  - PostgreSQL 9.6 / 10 / 11 / 12 / 13
  - Amazon Aurora PostgreSQL compatible with PostgreSQL 9.6 / 10.4 / 10.7 / 10.13 / 12.4
  - Microsoft SQL Server 2014/2016/2017/2019 (see [Configuration Note](#))
  - Microsoft Azure SQL with Camunda-supported SQL Server compatibility levels (see [Configuration Note](#)):
    - SQL Server on Azure Virtual Machines
    - Azure SQL Managed Instance
    - Azure SQL Database
  - H2 1.4 (not recommended for [Cluster Mode](#) - see [Deployment Note](#))
  - CockroachDB v20.1.3 (see [Configuration guide](#) for more details)
- **Clustering** – active/active, with shared database for process execution
- **Kubernetes** for dynamic installation
- **Separation** between execution data and historical data
- **Optimize** available with Enterprise Edition

# Camunda 8 connectors

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## Overview

This section gives an overview of the **out-of-the-box Connectors** available in Camunda Platform 8. All Connectors are available for Camunda Platform 8 SaaS and **Self Managed**.

### Outbound Connectors

- [Amazon SNS Connector](#) - Send messages to [Amazon Simple Notification Service](#) from your BPMN process.
- [Amazon SQS Connector](#) - Send messages to [Amazon Simple Queue Service](#) from your BPMN process.
- [AWS Lambda Connector](#) - Invoke [AWS Lambda Functions](#) from your BPMN process.
- [Google Drive Connector](#) - Create folders or files from a [Google Drive](#) template from your BPMN process.
- [GraphQL Connector](#) - Execute a [GraphQL](#) query or mutation from your BPMN process.
- [Kafka Producer Connector](#) - Produce messages to [Kafka](#) from your BPMN process.
- [Microsoft Teams Connector](#) - Interactions with [Microsoft Teams](#) from your BPMN process.
- [RabbitMQ Connector](#) - Send messages to [RabbitMQ](#) from your BPMN process.
- [REST Connector](#) - Make a request to a REST API and use the response in the next steps of your process.
- [SendGrid Connector](#) - Quickly send emails from your BPMN processes.
- [Slack Connector](#) - Send messages to channels or users in your [Slack](#) workspace from your BPMN process.
- [UiPath Connector](#) - Orchestrate your [UiPath](#) Bots with Camunda.

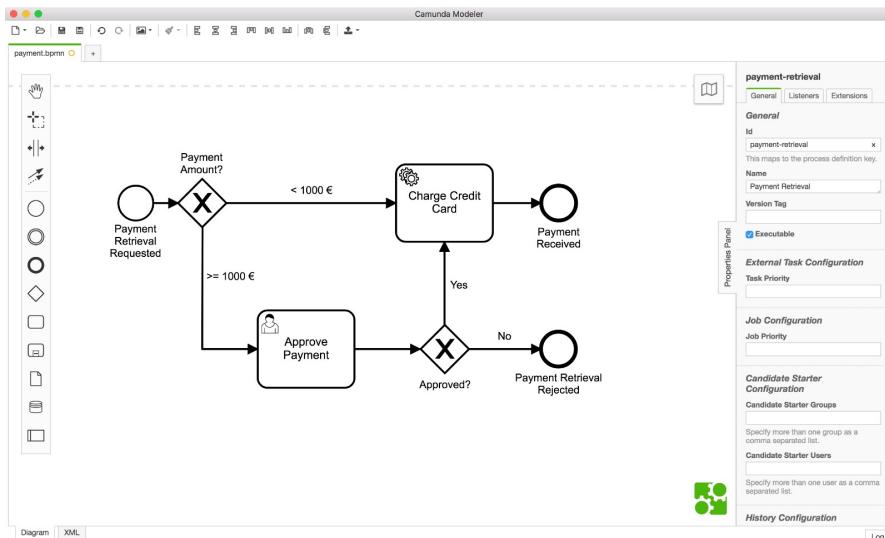
### Inbound Connectors

- [HTTP Webhook Connector](#) - Start a process instance with your custom webhook configuration.
- [GitHub Webhook Connector](#) - Start a process instance triggered by a [GitHub](#) event.

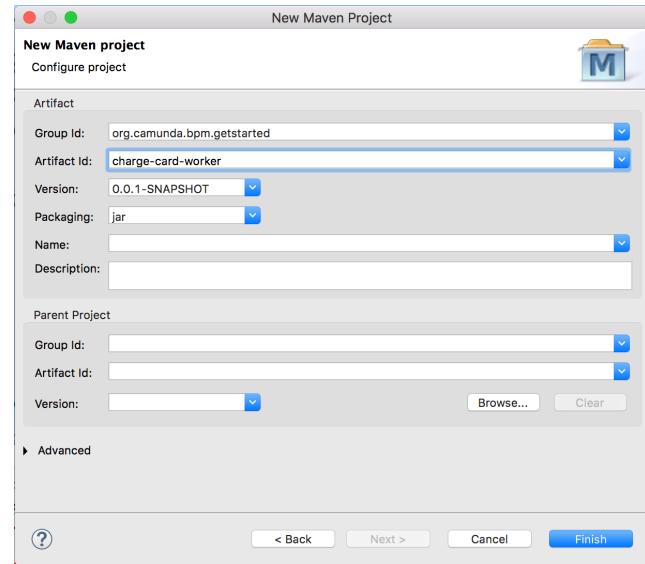
In addition to this section on Connectors, we recommend reviewing [Connector secrets](#).

If you want to build **custom Connectors**, head over to our [Connector SDK guide](#).

# The development environment is based on



Camunda Modeler – this will be the option for Enterprise Integration course

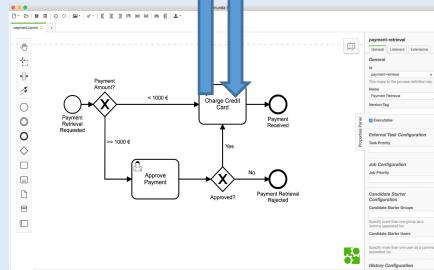
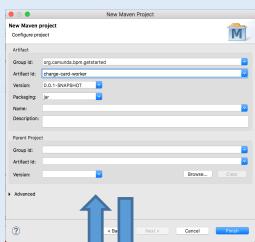


Eclipse with Maven for JAVA classes

# Two architectural models for tasks' execution

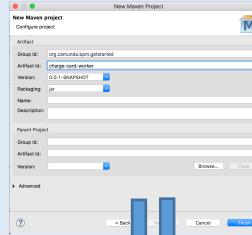
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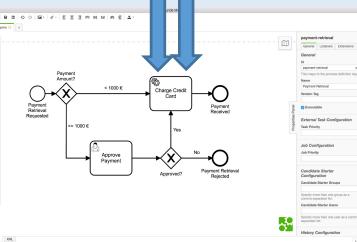


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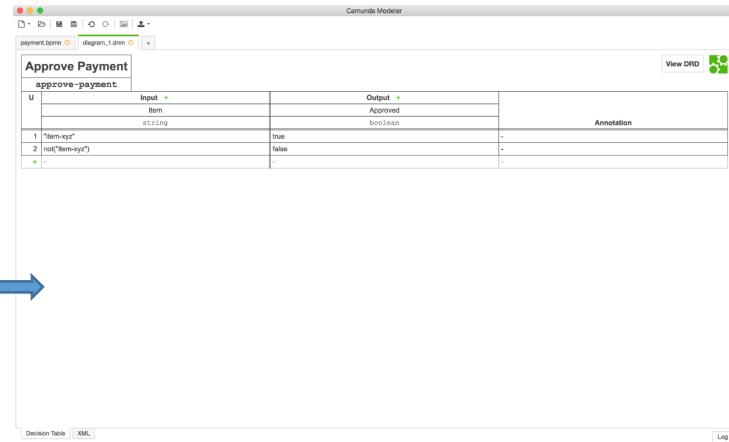
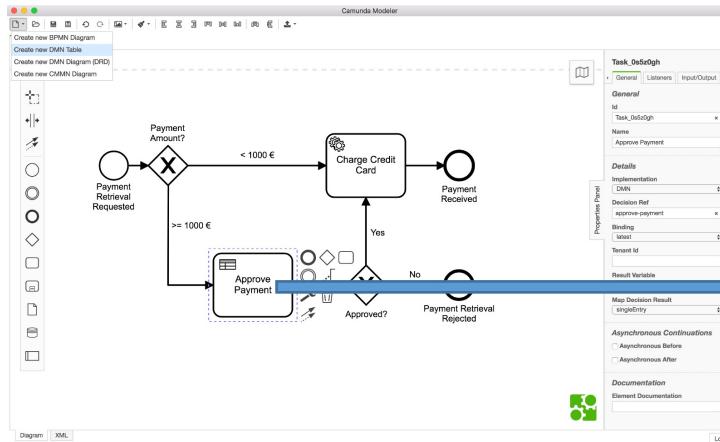
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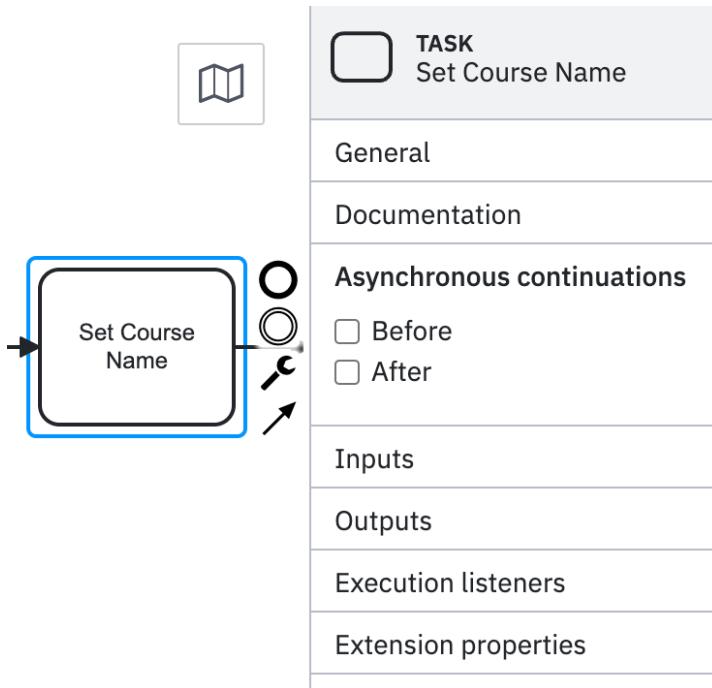


# Business rules specification



Camunda implements the OMG's DMN specification, making it easy to model multiple Gateways into simpler-to-manage rule tables.

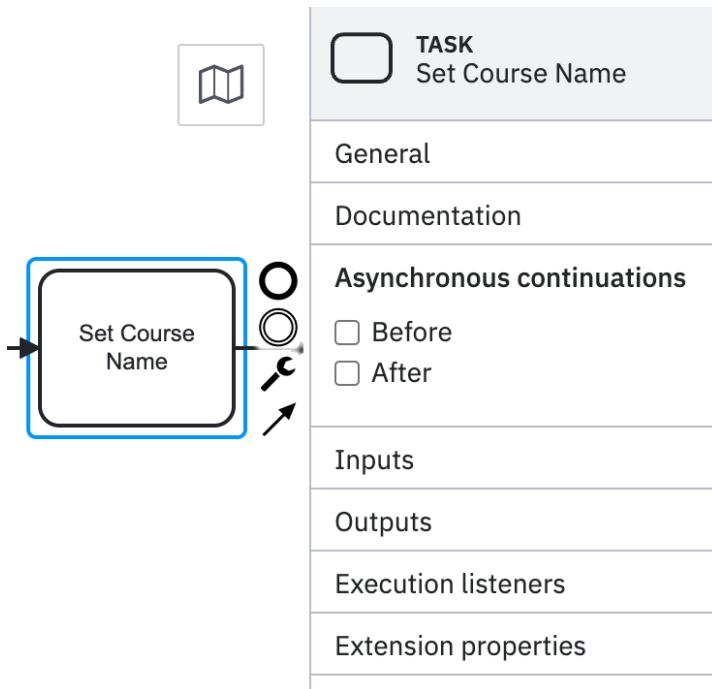
# Asynchronous Continuations in Camunda BPM



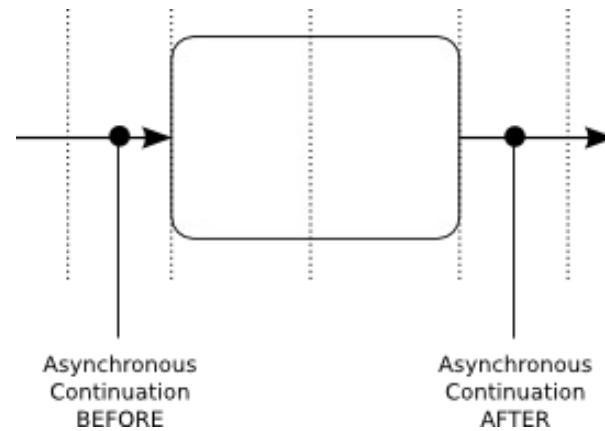
**Asynchronous continuations are break-points in the process execution. They are used as transaction boundaries and allow another thread than the currently active thread to continue execution.**

- Async is used for placing a safe-point before an activity such that the execution state is committed. If the activity then fails to execute, the transaction is rolled back only up to the safe point.
- Async also comes in handy if you have longer-running computations and do not want to block the calling thread (eg. HTTP Thread) but instead want to delegate the heavy lifting to a background thread.
- Finally, due to the fact that asynchronous continuations are executed by the job executor, the retry mechanism can be used in order to retry a failed activity execution.

# Asynchronous Continuations in Camunda BPM



The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a task named "Set Course Name". On the left, there's a sidebar with icons for General, Documentation, Asynchronous continuations, Inputs, Outputs, Execution listeners, and Extension properties. The "Asynchronous continuations" section is expanded, showing two options: "Before" and "After". The "Before" option is selected, indicated by a blue border around the "Set Course Name" task icon on the main canvas.



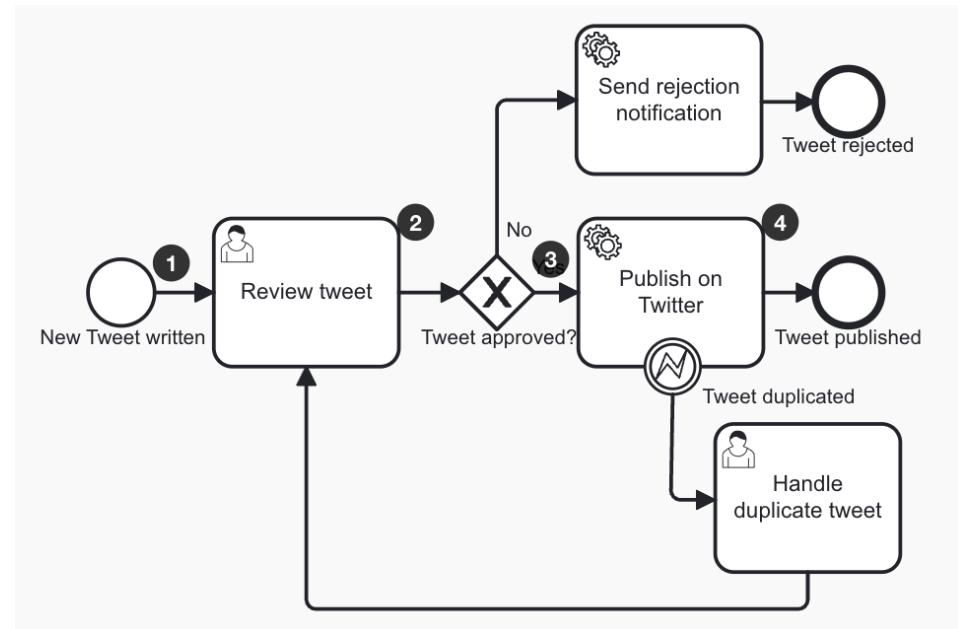
# Handling data in processes

When using Camunda, you have access to a dynamic map of process variables, which lets you associate data to every single process instance (and local scopes in case of user tasks or parallel flows).

- 1 The process instance starts with a freshly written tweet we need to remember.
- 2 We need to present this tweet so that the user can decide whether to approve it.
- 3 The gateway needs to have access to this information: was the tweet approved?
- 4 To publish the tweet, the service task again needs the tweet itself!

Therefore, the tweet approval process needs two variables:

Variable name	Variable type	Sample value
tweet	String	"@Camunda rocks"
approved	Boolean	true



# Input and output variables

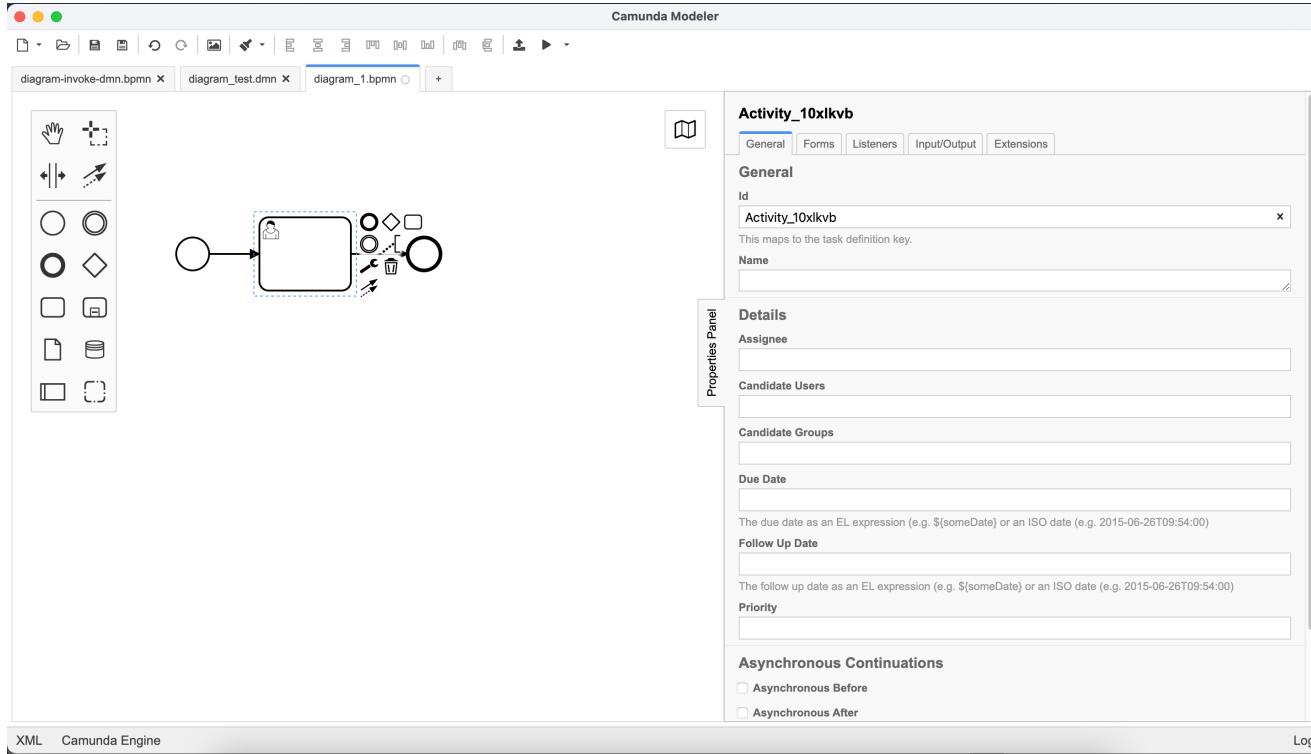
- Input mappings can be used to create new variables. They can be defined on service tasks and subprocesses. When an input mapping is applied, it creates a new **local variable** in the scope where the mapping is defined.
- Output mappings can be used to customize how job/message variables are merged into the process instance. They can be defined on service tasks, receive tasks, message catch events, and subprocesses.
- Can be used to create new variables or customize how variables are merged into the process instance.

Process instance variables	Input mappings	New variables
orderId: "order-123"	source: <code>=orderId</code> target: <code>reference</code>	reference: "order-123"
customer:{name: "John"}	source: <code>=customer.name</code> target: <code>sender</code>	sender: "John"
customer: "John" iban: "DE456"	source: <code>=customer</code> target: <code>sender.name</code> source: <code>=iban</code> target: <code>sender.iban</code>	sender: {"name": "John", "iban": "DE456"}

Job/message variables	Output mappings	Process instance variables
status: "0k"	source: <code>=status</code> target: <code>paymentStatus</code>	paymentStatus: "0k"
result: {"status": "0k", "transactionId": "t-789"}	source: <code>=result.status</code> target: <code>paymentStatus</code> source: <code>=result.transactionId</code> target: <code>transactionId</code>	paymentStatus: "0k" transactionId: "t-789"
status: "0k" transactionId: "t-789"	source: <code>=transactionId</code> target: <code>order.transactionId</code>	order: {"transactionId": "t-789"}

Source	Target
customer.name	sender
customer.iban	iban
totalPrice	price
orderId	reference

# Camunda Authorization

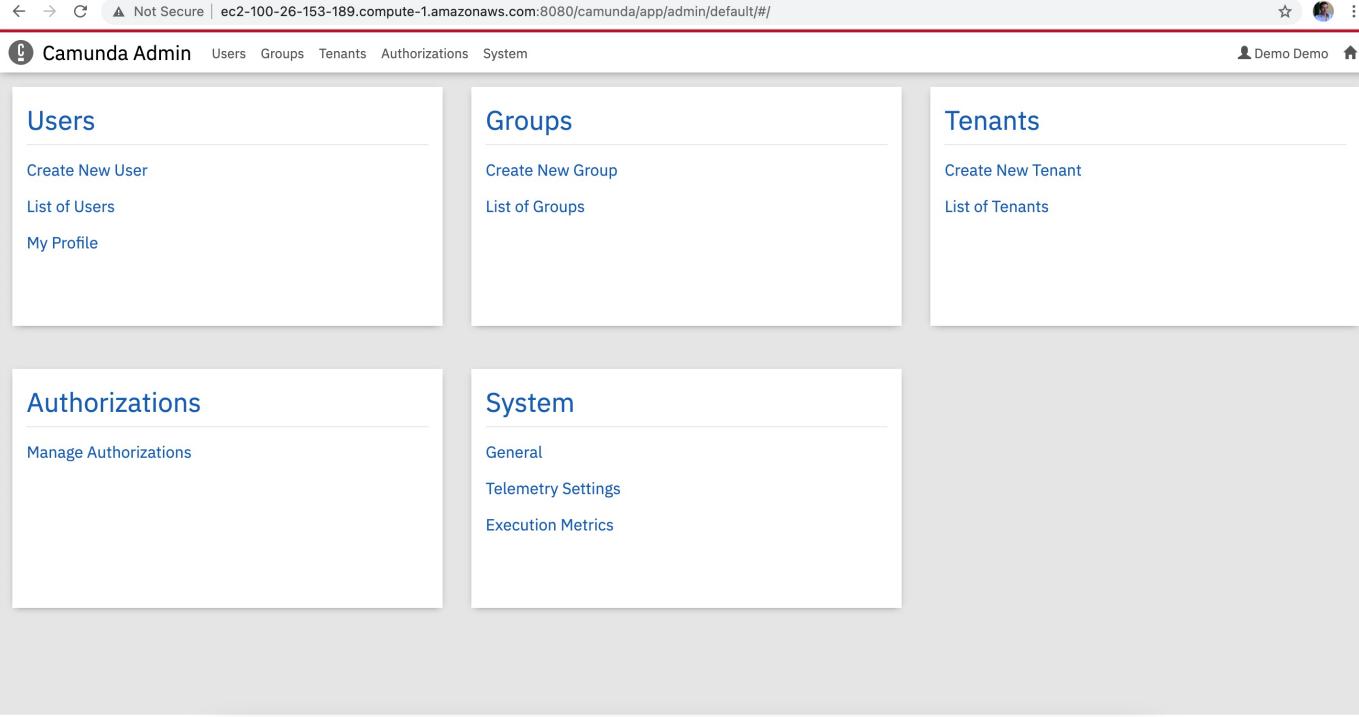


- **Assignee**  
a specific user who must perform the task
- **Candidate users**  
a list of specific users who can perform a task
- **Candidate groups**  
a list of user groups who can perform the task

# Fine-grained authorizations definition

<https://docs.camunda.org/manual/latest/user-guide/process-engine/authorization-service/>

<https://docs.camunda.org/optimize/2.2/technical-guide/authorization/>



The screenshot shows the Camunda Admin interface with the following navigation structure:

- Camunda Admin** (User icon) - Demo
- Users
- Groups
- Tenants
- Authorizations
- System

Under each section, there are links to create new entities or view lists:

- Users**: Create New User, List of Users, My Profile
- Groups**: Create New Group, List of Groups
- Tenants**: Create New Tenant, List of Tenants
- Authorizations**: Manage Authorizations
- System**: General, Telemetry Settings, Execution Metrics

At the bottom of the page, there is a footer note: "Date and Time displayed in local timezone: Europe/Lisbon" and "Powered by Camunda Platform / v7.15.0".

# Creating a new group

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Camunda Admin Users Groups Tenants Authorizations System Demo Demo

Dashboard » Groups

List of groups Create new group +

Add criteria 5 ⚡ H ▾

ID <span>▲</span>	Name <span>▬</span>	Type <span>▬</span>	Action
25	Sales	Organizational Unit	Edit
accounting	Accounting	WORKFLOW	Edit
camunda-admin	camunda BPM Administrators	SYSTEM	Edit
management	Management	WORKFLOW	Edit
sales	Sales	WORKFLOW	Edit

**Success :** ✘ Successfully created new group 25

# Authorizing a group to define a process

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 Camunda Admin    Users Groups Tenants Authorizations System     Demo Demo 

Dashboard » Authorizations

Process Definition Authorizations				
Type	User / Group	Permissions	Resource ID	Action
ALLOW	# accounting	READ, READ_HISTORY	invoice	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# camunda-admin	ALL	*	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# management	READ, READ_HISTORY	invoice	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# sales	READ, READ_HISTORY	invoice	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	<input type="text" value="User / Group ID"/>	ALL	<input type="text" value="Resource ID"/>	<input type="button" value="Edit"/> <input type="button" value="Delete"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

[Create new authorization +](#)

Application  
 Authorization  
 Batch  
 Decision Definition  
 Decision Requirements Definition  
 Deployment  
 Filter  
 Group  
 Group Membership  
 Historic Process Instance  
 Historic Task Instance  
 Operation Log  
**Process Definition**  
 Process Instance  
 Task  
 Tenant  
 Tenant Membership  
 User

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# Authorizing a group to instantiate a process

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Dashboard » Authorizations

Create new authorization +

Type	User / Group	Permissions	Resource ID	Action
ALLOW	camunda-admin	ALL	*	Edit Delete

Application Authorization Batch Decision Definition Decision Requirements Definition Deployment Filter Group Group Membership Historic Process Instance Historic Task Instance Operation Log Process Definition Process Instance Task Tenant Tenant Membership User

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# Authorizing a group to a specific task of a process

**Camunda Admin**   [Users](#) [Groups](#) [Tenants](#) [Authorizations](#) [System](#)

[Dashboard](#) » Authorizations

Task Authorizations				
Type	User / Group	Permissions	Resource ID	Action
ALLOW	# accounting	READ, UPDATE	65f88b10-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# accounting	READ, UPDATE	67204280-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# accounting	READ, UPDATE	676699d9-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# accounting	READ, UPDATE	67b3f6d8-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# camunda-admin	ALL	*	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	@ demo	READ, UPDATE	67518b0a-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	@ demo	READ, UPDATE	67d89632-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	@ mary	READ, UPDATE	*	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
ALLOW	# sales	READ, UPDATE	65f88b10-ac15-11eb-95c4-0242ac110002	<a href="#">Edit</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
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ALLOW    ALL    \*  

Unselect all

CREATE  
 READ  
 UPDATE  
 DELETE

Success : Successfully created new group 25

# Assigning an user to a group

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Camunda Admin    Users Groups Tenants    Authorizations System    Demo Demo :

Dashboard » Authorizations

User Authorizations				
Type	User / Group	Permissions	Resource ID	Action
ALLOW	accounting	READ	demo	Edit Delete
ALLOW	accounting	READ	mary	Edit Delete
ALLOW	camunda-admin	ALL	*	Edit Delete
ALLOW	demo	ALL	demo	Edit Delete
ALLOW	john	ALL	john	Edit Delete
ALLOW	management	READ	demo	Edit Delete
ALLOW	management	READ	peter	Edit Delete
ALLOW	mary	ALL	mary	Edit Delete
ALLOW	peter	ALL	peter	Edit Delete
ALLOW	sales	READ	demo	Edit Delete
ALLOW	sales	READ	john	Edit Delete

[Create new authorization +](#)

**User**

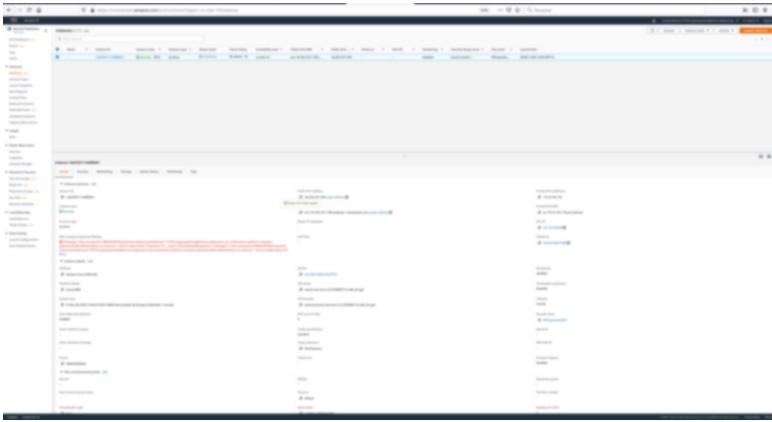
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# Camunda Engine Deployment

# Camunda engine deployment on the cloud



```

sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170:~$ 
Using username "sc2-user".
Authenticating with public key "SIPPreparation2021"
Last login Wed Nov 4 16:11:15 2020 from b112-152-37.dal.telepac.pt
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ ls
Amazon Linux 2 AMI
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ curl https://aws.amazon.com/amazon-linux-2/
curl: (28) Failed to connect to aws.amazon.com port 443: Connection timed out
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ docker container ls --all
Cannot connect to the Docker daemon at unix:///var/run/docker.sock. Is the docker daemon running?
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ sudo service docker start
Redirecting to /bin/systemctl start docker.service
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ docker container ls --all
CONTAINER ID        IMAGE               COMMAND             CREATED            STATUS              PORTS               NAMES
7169a068557a        camunda/camunda-bpm-platform:latest   "/sbin/tini -- ./cam..."   46 hours ago       Exited (143) 46 hours ago          camunda
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ docker container start 7169a068557a
[sc2-user@ip-172-31-93-170 ~]$ 

```

C1. Create an EC2 new instance of the type: Amazon Linux AMI 2018.03.0 (HVM), SSD Volume Type. The exact versions may change with time. And define the inbound rules to allow the 8080 and 22 accessed from anywhere.

C2. Install the most recent version of camunda-modeler using the download public available at:

- <https://camunda.com/download/modeler/>

C3. Access the new EC2 instance and execute the following commands:

```

sudo yum update -y
sudo yum install -y docker
sudo service docker start
sudo usermod -aG docker ec2-user
docker ps
exit

```

C4. Then, access again your EC2 instance and install and execute the Camunda engine with the following command:

```

docker pull camunda/camunda-bpm-platform:latest
docker run -d --name camunda -p 8080:8080 camunda/camunda-bpm-platform:latest

```

Test the installed Camunda engine opening the following URL in your browser (the default user/password is demo/demo):

```
# open browser with url: http://<YOUR\_AWS\_EC2\_NAME>:8080/camunda
```

*Hint 1: Later if you would like to list all the available container use the following command:*

```

PS C:\Users\Sérgio Guerreiro> docker container ls --all
CONTAINER ID        IMAGE               COMMAND             CREATED            STATUS              PORTS               NAMES
44509250aa0c        camunda/camunda-bpm-platform:latest   "/sbin/tini -- ./cam..."   11 days ago       Exited
(143) 1 second ago

```

*Hint 2: Later if you would like to stop the container use the following command:*

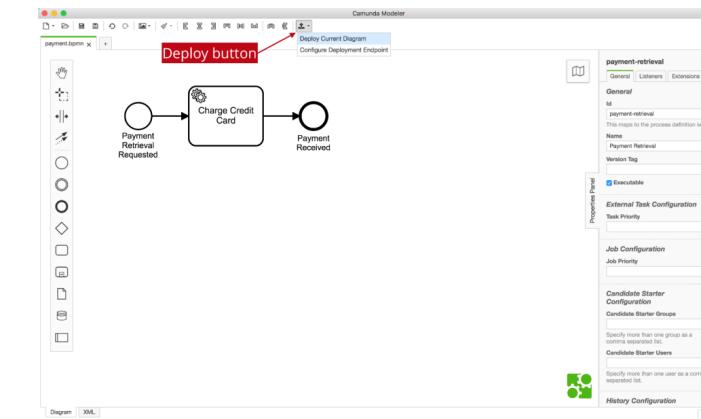
```
docker container stop <containerID_hash>
```

*Hint 3: Later if you would like to restart the container use the following command:*

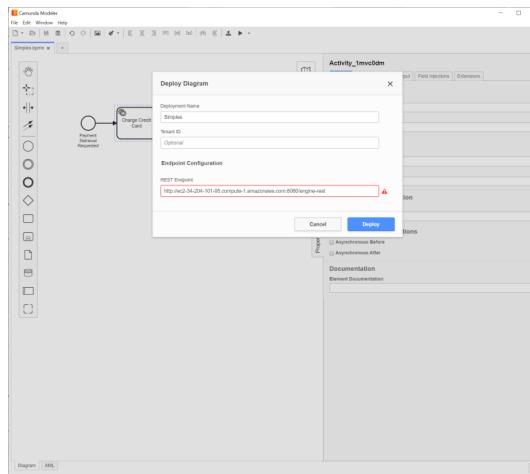
```
docker container start <containerID_hash>
```

### D.1. Use the Camunda Modeler to Deploy the Process

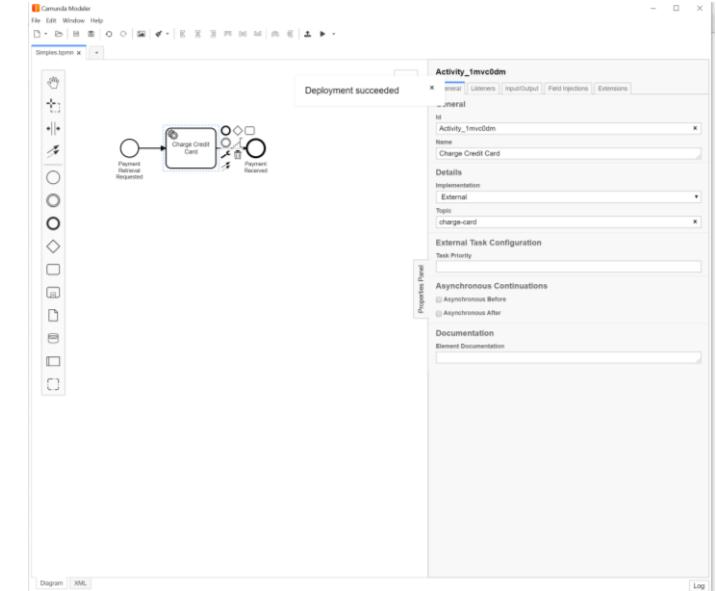
To deploy the Process, click on the deploy button in the Camunda Modeler, then give it the Deployment Name "Payment Retrieval" and click the Deploy button. From version 3.0.0 on, you will be required to provide an URL for an Endpoint Configuration along with Deployment Details. This can be either the root endpoint to the REST API (e.g. <http://localhost:8080/engine-rest>) or an exact endpoint to the deployment creation method (e.g. <http://localhost:8080/engine-rest/deployment/create>).



# Deployment on the cloud



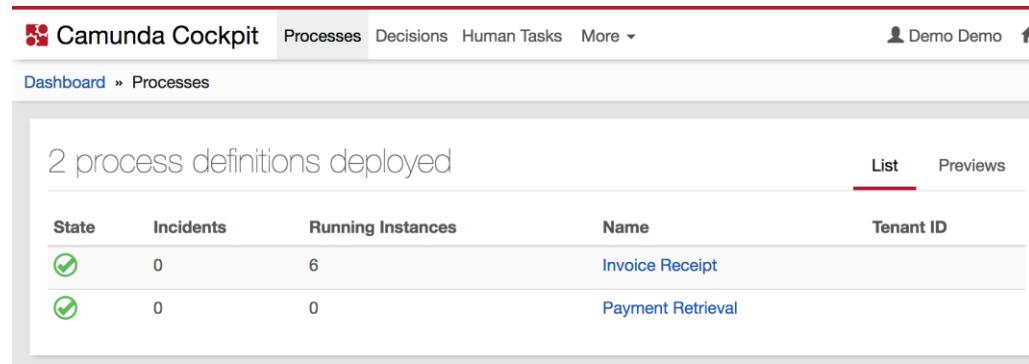
You should see a success message in the Camunda Modeler:



# Deployment on the cloud

## D.1. Verify the Deployment with Cockpit

Next, use Cockpit to see if the process was successfully deployed. Go to <http://localhost:8080/camunda/app/cockpit> and log in with the credentials demo / demo. Your process *Payment Retrieval* should be visible on the dashboard.



The screenshot shows the Camunda Cockpit interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with the Camunda Cockpit logo, user information ('Demo Demo'), and a home icon. Below the header, the URL 'Dashboard > Processes' is visible. The main content area displays a table titled '2 process definitions deployed'. The table has columns: State, Incidents, Running Instances, Name, and Tenant ID. There are two rows: one for 'Invoice Receipt' (State: green checkmark, Incidents: 0, Running Instances: 6, Name: Invoice Receipt, Tenant ID: blank) and one for 'Payment Retrieval' (State: green checkmark, Incidents: 0, Running Instances: 0, Name: Payment Retrieval, Tenant ID: blank). The 'List' tab is currently selected, while the 'Previews' tab is shown in red.

State	Incidents	Running Instances	Name	Tenant ID
✓	0	6	Invoice Receipt	
✓	0	0	Payment Retrieval	

# Deployment on the cloud

Screenshot of the Camunda Cockpit interface showing a process definition and its runtime details.

**Definition Version:** 1  
**Version Tag:** null  
**Definition ID:** Process\_0z3xd3q1cab66215-2043-11eb-ac05-0242ac110002  
**Definition Key:** Process\_0z3xd3q  
**Definition Name:** Payment Retrieval  
**History Time To Live:** null  
**Tenant ID:** null  
**Deployment ID:** caacc523-2043-11eb-ac05-0242ac1...  
**Instances Running:**

- current version: 0
- all versions: 0

The process diagram shows a sequence of events:  
1. Start event → Payment Retrieval Requested  
2. Task node: Charge Credit Card  
3. End event: Payment Received

**Process Instances** tab selected. No process instances matched by current filter.

Date and Time displayed in local timezone: Europe/Lisbon

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# Camunda Cockpit

# Camunda Cockpit

Right Now



8  
Running Process Instances



0  
Open Incidents



6  
Open Human Tasks

Deployed

Process Definitions <a href="#">2</a>	Decision Definitions <a href="#">2</a>	Case Definitions <a href="#">0</a>	Deployments <a href="#">2</a>
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# Camunda Cockpit

Camunda Cockpit - Processes Decisions Human Tasks More ▾

Dashboard > Processes > Invoice Receipt : Runtime

Definition Version: 2

Version Tag: V2.0

Definition ID: invoice:2:56e70454-1ebb-11eb-b03...

Definition Key: invoice

Definition Name: Invoice Receipt

History Time To Live: 45 days

Tenant ID: null

Deployment ID: 56da311-1ebb-11eb-b032-0242ac...

Instances Running:
 

- current version: 3
- all versions: 6

```

graph TD
    TA((Team Assistant)) --> AA[Assign Approver Group]
    AP((Approver)) --> AI[Approve Invoice]
    AC((Accountant)) --> PB[Prepare Bank Transfer]
    
    AA --> RI[Review Invoice]
    RI --> DS1{Review successful?}
    DS1 -- yes --> AI
    DS1 -- no --> IP1((Invoice not processed))
    
    AI --> DS2{Invoice approved?}
    DS2 -- yes --> PB
    DS2 -- no --> IP2((Invoice not processed))
    
    PB --> AI2[Archive Invoice]
    AI2 --> IP3((Invoice processed))
    
    subgraph FAS [Financial Accounting System]
        direction TB
        FAS1[ ] --- FAS2[ ]
        FAS2 --- FAS3[ ]
    end
    
    FAS3 --- RI
    FAS3 --- DS1
    FAS3 --- DS2
    FAS3 --- AI2

```

Activity Instance Statistics: on

Process Instances Incidents Called Process Definitions Job Definitions

Add criteria			
State	ID	Start Time	Business Key
✓	59242232-1ebb-11eb-b032-0242ac110002	2020-11-04T16:32:36	
✓	598fdcd3-1ebb-11eb-b032-0242ac110002	2020-10-30T16:32:37	
✓	593a1b68-1ebb-11eb-b032-0242ac110002	2020-10-21T17:32:36	

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# Instantiating one process model

# Instantiating one process model

## D.1. Start a process invocation of your BPMN using curl:

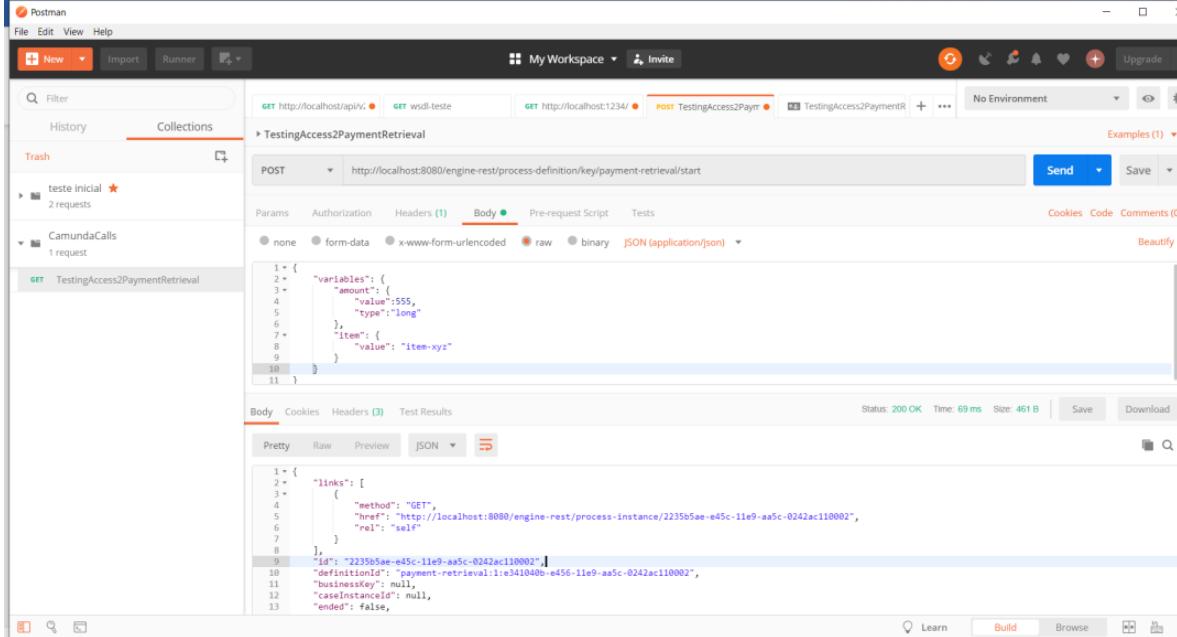
```
curl -H "Content-Type: application/json" -X POST -d '{"variables": {"amount": {"value":555,"type":"long"}, "item": {"value":"item-xyz"} } }' http://localhost:8080/engine-rest/process-definition/key/payment-retrieval/start
```

### Running example

```
Sérgio Guerreiro@LAPTOP-DF942S8T ~
$ curl -H "Content-Type: application/json" -X POST -d '{"variables": {"amount": {"value":555,"type":"long"}, "item": {"value":"item-xyz"} } }' http://localhost:8080/engine-rest/process-definition/key/payment-retrieval/start
% Total    % Received % Xferd  Average Speed   Time     Time      Time  Current
          Dload  Upload   Total Spent  Left Speed
100  431    0  345  100    86  345      86  0:00:01 --:--:--  0:00:01  5525
{"links": [{"method": "GET", "href": "http://localhost:8080/engine-rest/process-instance/a5c230ce-e459-11e9-aa5c-0242ac110002", "rel": "self"}], "id": "a5c230ce-e459-11e9-aa5c-0242ac110002", "definitionId": "payment-retrieval:1:e341040b-e456-11e9-aa5c-0242ac110002", "businessKey": null, "caseInstanceId": null, "ended": false, "suspended": false, "tenantId": null}
```

# Instantiating one process model

Alternatively, install postman <https://www.getpostman.com/downloads/> (for windows OS and Mac OS). Here is what the request might look like in Postman:



The screenshot shows the Postman application interface. In the top navigation bar, there are tabs for 'File', 'Edit', 'View', 'Runner', and a dropdown for 'My Workspace'. Below the workspace dropdown, there are icons for 'Invite', 'Upgrade', and 'No Environment'. The main workspace shows a list of collections: 'teste inicial' (with 2 requests) and 'CamundaCalls' (with 1 request). The selected collection is 'TestingAccess2PaymentRetrieval'.

The request details are as follows:

- Method:** POST
- URL:** http://localhost:8080/engine-rest/process-definition/key/payment-retrieval/start
- Body:** JSON (application/json)
- Body Content:**

```
1 {  
2   "variables": {  
3     "amount": {  
4       "value": 555,  
5       "type": "long"  
6     },  
7     "item": {  
8       "value": "item-xyz"  
9     }  
10 }  
11 }
```

Below the body, the response is displayed in JSON format:

```
1 {  
2   "links": [  
3     {  
4       "method": "GET",  
5       "href": "http://localhost:8080/engine-rest/process-instance/2235b5ae-e45c-11e9-aa5c-0242ac110002",  
6       "rel": "self"  
7     }  
8   ],  
9   "id": "2235b5ae-e45c-11e9-aa5c-0242ac110002",  
10  "definitionId": "payment-retrieval:1:e341040b-e456-11e9-aa5c-0242ac110002",  
11  "businessKey": null,  
12  "businessKey": null,  
13  "caseInstanceId": null,  
14  "ended": false,
```

*Note1: due to the asynchronous JAVA service, the instance could be listed as an active instance for a while in the camunda cockpit.*

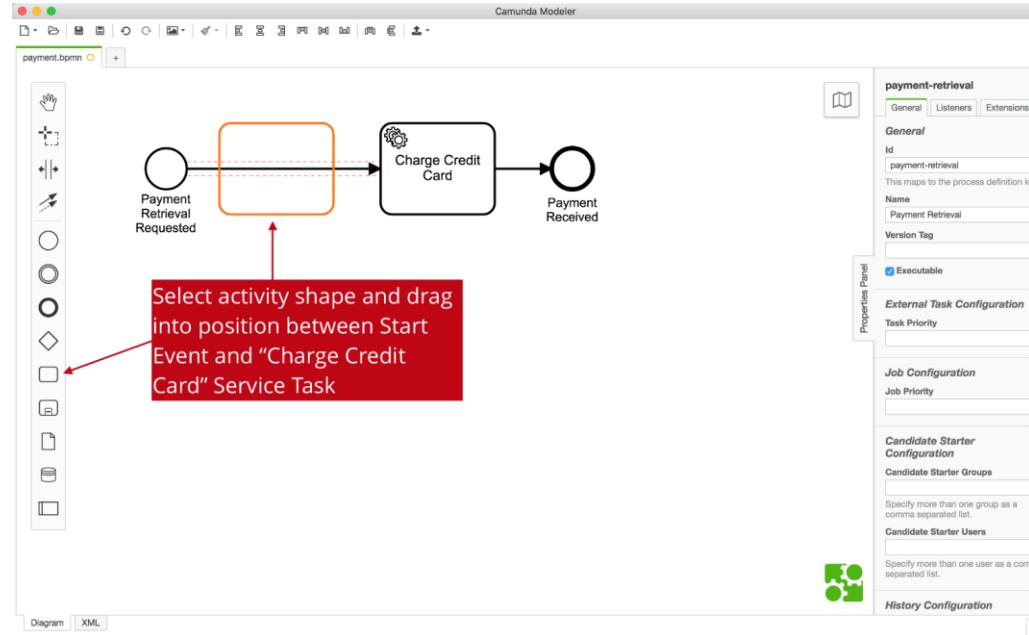
*Note2: the external java client is not accessible remotely. It uses the org.camunda.bpm.client.ExternalTaskClient class which takes care of the invocation directly.*

# Camunda Integrated Forms

# A user interaction task

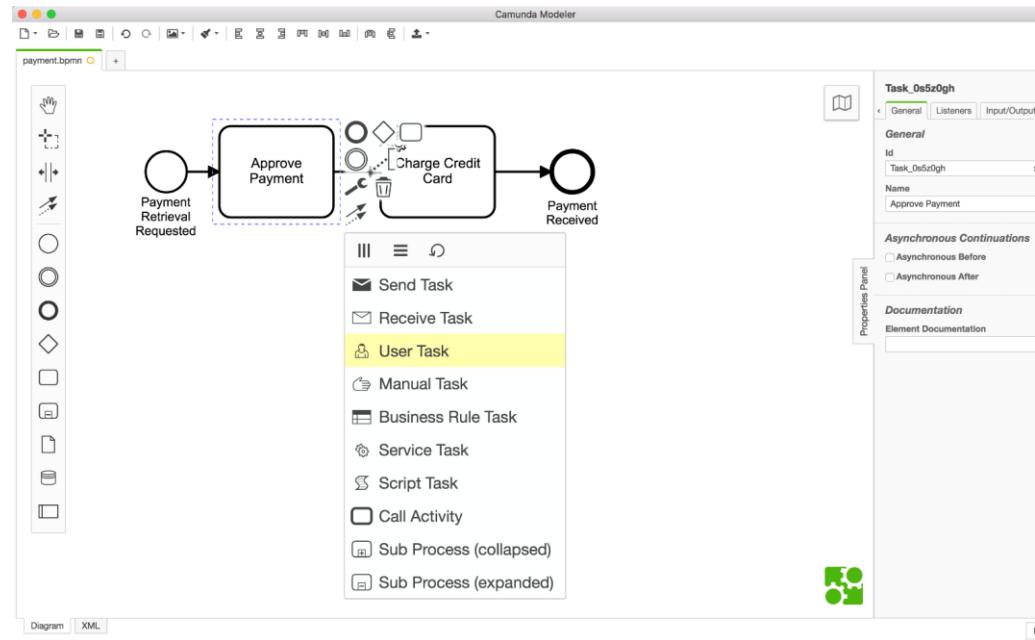
## E1. Add a User Task

We want to modify our process so that we can involve humans. To do so, open the process in the Camunda Modeler. Next, from the Modeler's left-hand menu, select the activity shape (rectangle) and drag it into position between the Start Event and the "Charge Credit Card" Service Task. Name it *Approve Payment*.



# A user interaction task

Change the activity type to *User Task* by clicking on it and using the wrench button menu.

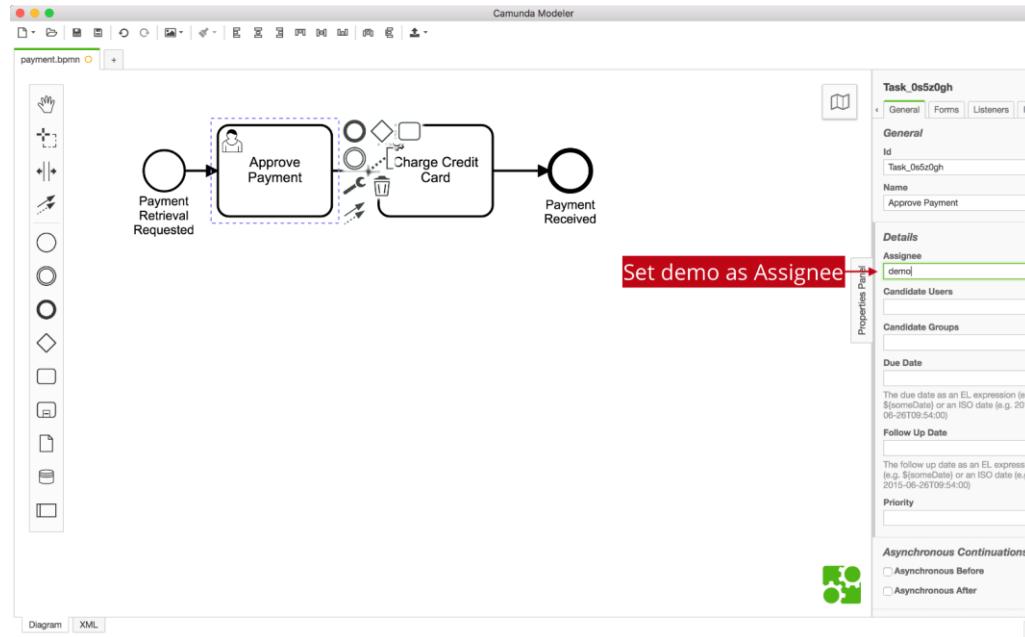


# A user interaction task

## E1. Configure a User Task

Next, open the properties view. If the properties view is not already visible, click on the “Properties Panel” label on the right-hand side of the Modeler canvas.

Select the User Task on the canvas. This will update the selection in the properties view. Scroll to the property named **Assignee**. Type *demo*.



# A user interaction task

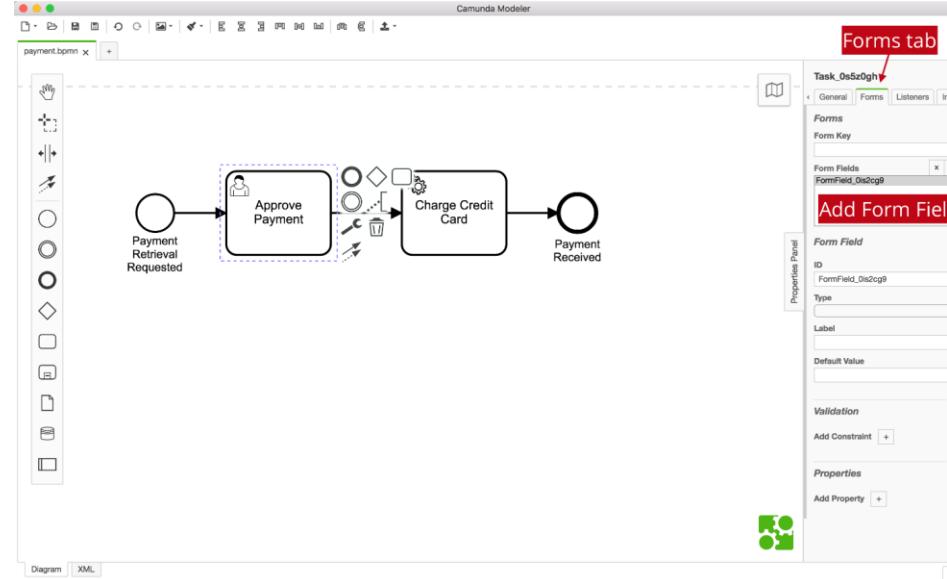
## E.1. Configure a basic form in the User Task

This step will also take place in the properties panel. If the panel is not already visible, click on the “Properties Panel” label on the right-hand side of the Modeler canvas.

Select the User Task on the canvas. This will update the selection in the properties view.

Click on the Tab **Forms** in the properties panel.

Add three form fields by clicking on the plus button:



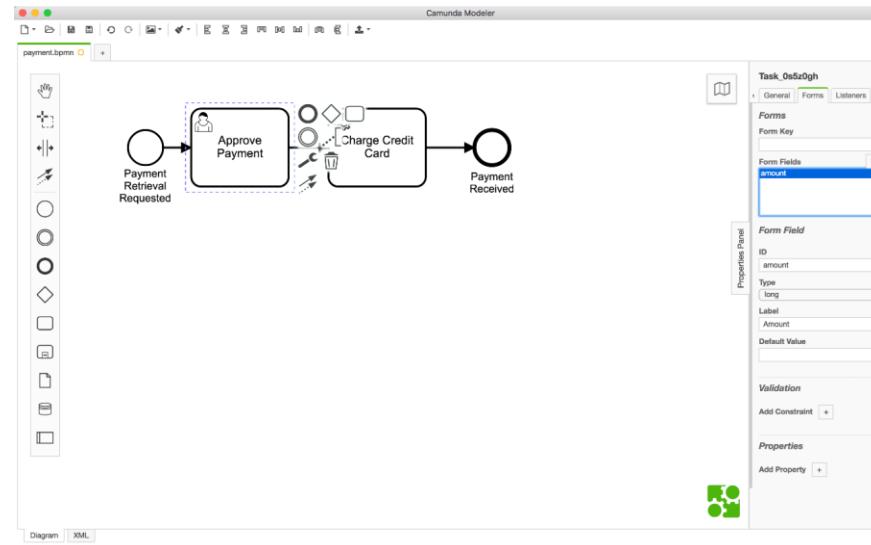
# A user interaction task

Field 1:

ID: amount

Type: long

Label: Amount



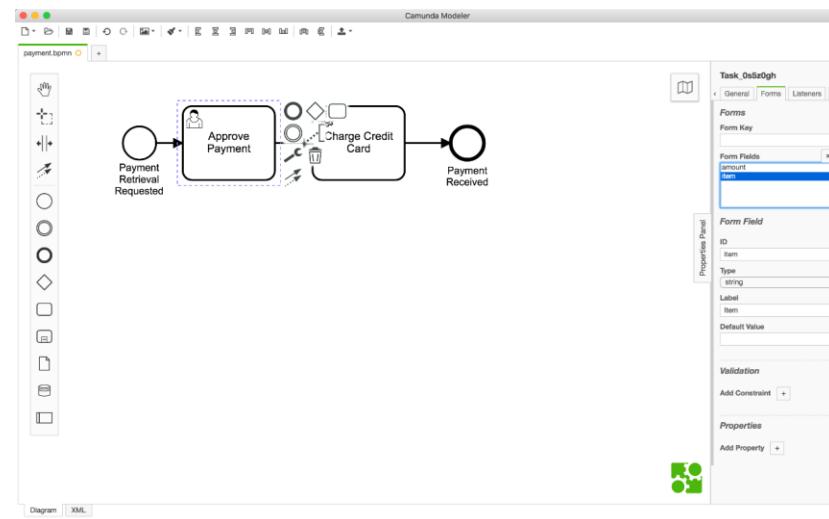
# A user interaction task

Field 2:

ID: item

Type: string

Label: Item



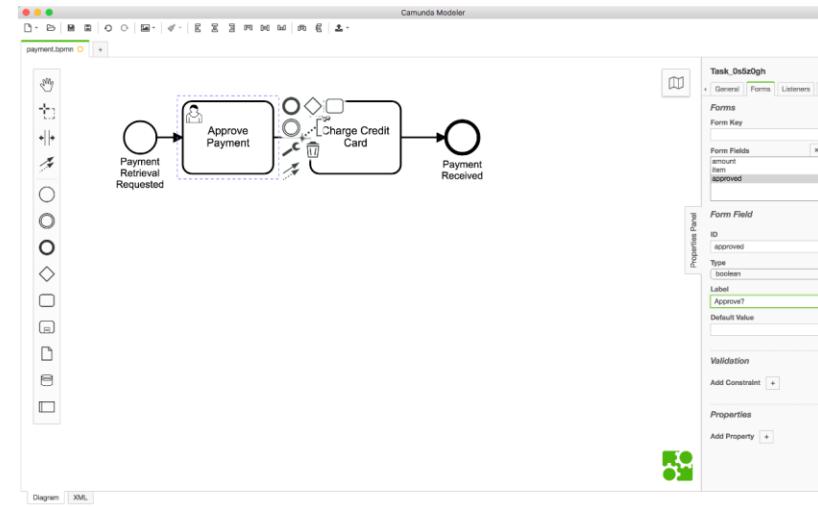
# A user interaction task

Field 3:

ID: approved

Type: boolean

Label: Approved?



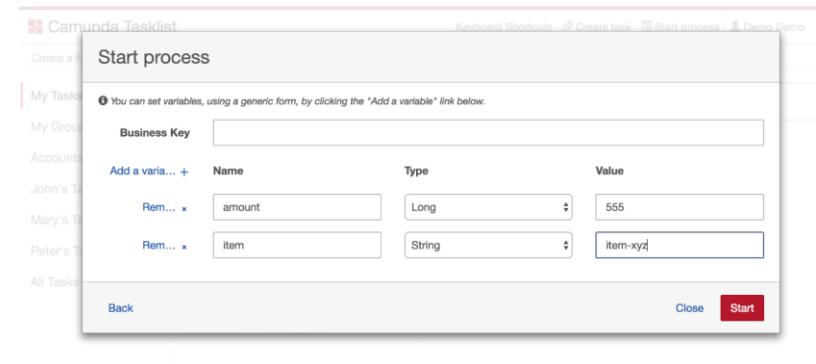
# A user interaction task

## E.1. Deploy the Process

Use the [Deploy](#) Button in the Camunda Modeler to deploy the updated process to Camunda.

## E.2. Work on the Task

Go to Tasklist (<http://localhost:8080/camunda/app/tasklist>) and log in with the credentials “demo / demo”. Click on the button to start a process instance. This opens a dialog where you can select *Payment Retrieval* from the list. Now you can set variables for the process instance using a generic form.



The screenshot shows the Camunda Tasklist interface with a modal dialog titled "Start process". The dialog contains instructions: "You can set variables, using a generic form, by clicking the "Add a variable" link below." Below this, there is a table for defining variables:

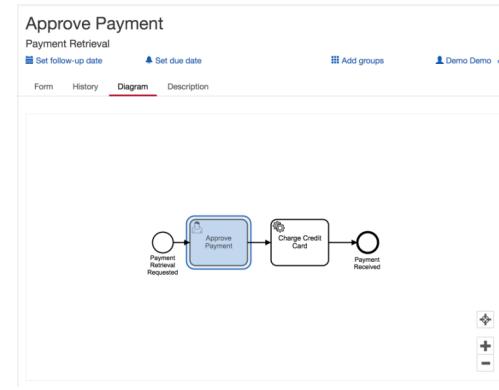
Add a varia... +	Name	Type	Value
Rem... *	amount	Long	555
Rem... *	item	String	item-xyz

At the bottom of the dialog are "Back", "Close", and "Start" buttons.

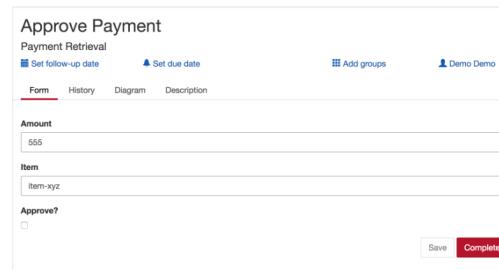
The generic form can be used whenever you have not added a dedicated form for a User Task or a Start Event. Click on the *Add a variable* button to create a new row. Fill in the form as shown in the screenshot. When you're done, click *Start*.

# A user interaction task

You should now see the *Approve Payment* task in your Tasklist. Select the task and click on the *Diagram* tab. This displays the process diagram highlighting the User Task that's waiting to be worked on.



To work on the task, select the *Form* tab. Because we defined the variables in the Form Tab in the Camunda Modeler, the Tasklist has automatically generated form fields for us.

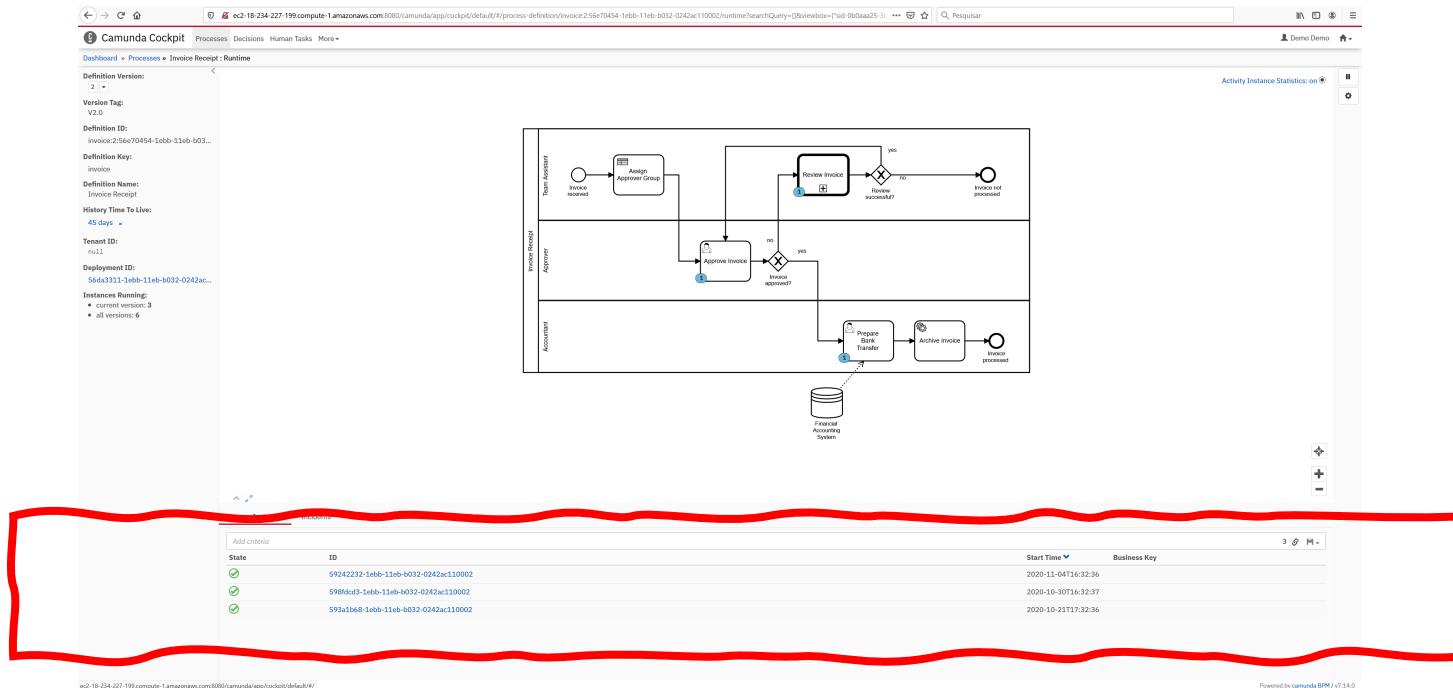


The form tab displays several input fields and buttons:

- Amount:** A text input field containing the value "555".
- Item:** A text input field containing the value "item-xyz".
- Approve?**: A checkbox input field.
- Buttons:** "Save" and "Complete" buttons at the bottom right.

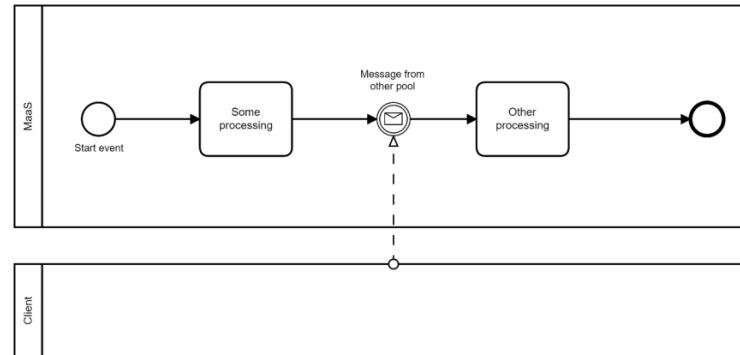
# Multiple instances of a process

# Multiple instances of the same process

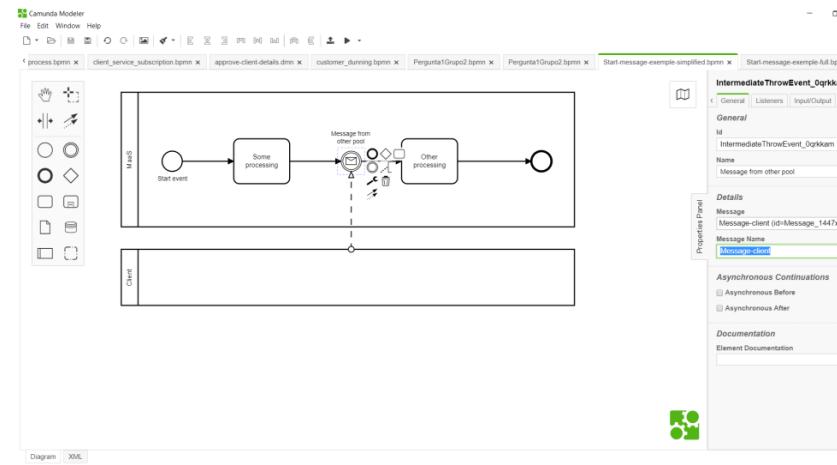


# Multiple instances - 5.2. Correlation ID of a process to deal with messages

J1. Design the following collaboration in Camunda Modeler:



Where the intermediate message catch event should have a configuration similar with the following:



# Multiple instances - 5.2. Correlation ID of a process to deal with messages

J1. Deploy the model in your Camunda engine.

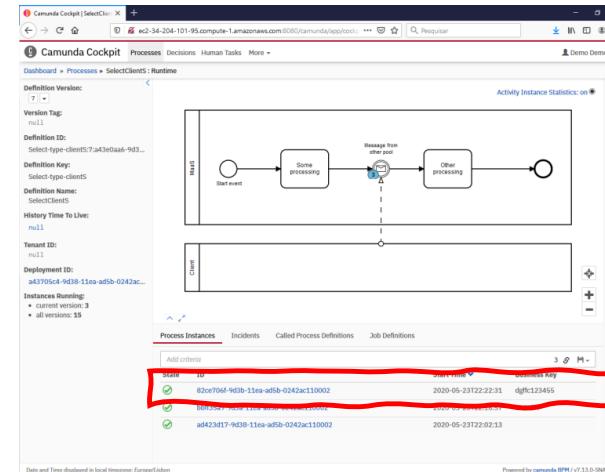
J2. Start the process with a command similar with the following:

```
curl -H "Content-Type: application/json" --data "@bodyStart.json" -X POST http://ec2-34-204-101-95.compute-1.amazonaws.com:8080/engine-rest/process-definition/key>Select-type-clientS/start
```

where bodyStart.json defines a key for that new instance of the collaboration:

```
{  
    "businessKey" : "dgfffc123455"  
}
```

You can verify the creation of the instance in the camunda cockpit. You will obtain something similar with the following business key as defined:



## Multiple instances - 5.2. Correlation ID of a process to deal with messages

J1. Then, the instance is expecting a message. To test the catch of a REST message, use a similar curl command:

```
curl -H "Content-Type: application/json" --data "@body.json" -X POST http://ec2-34-204-101-95.compute-1.amazonaws.com:8080/engine-rest/message
```

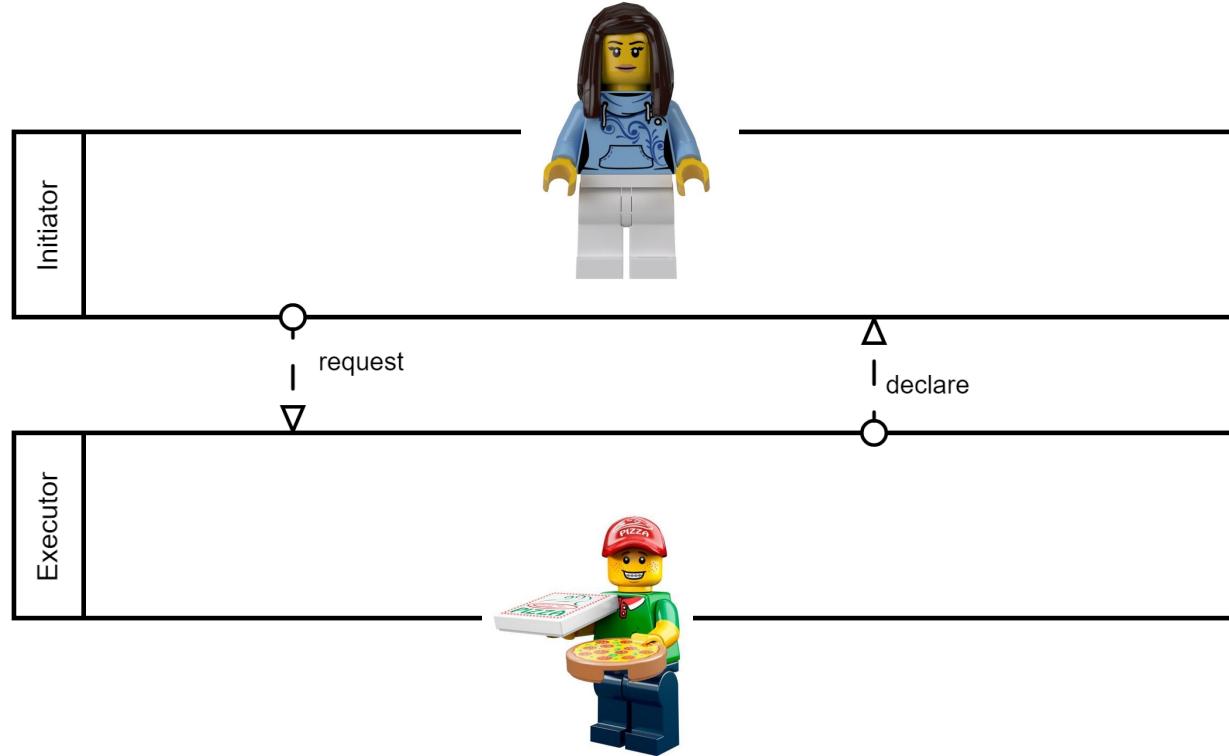
where bodyStart.json defines the message listener and the correlation with the key for your instance:

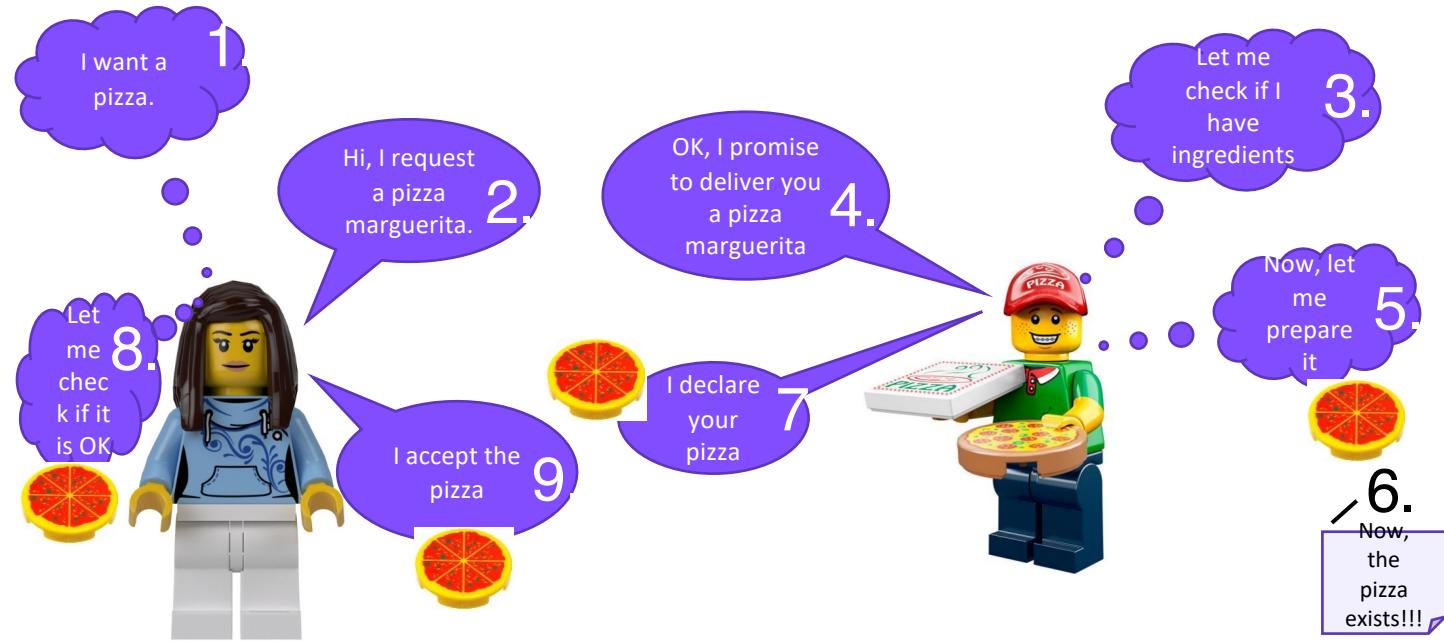
```
{  
  "messageName" : "Message-client",  
  "businessKey" : "dgfffc123455",  
  "resultEnabled" : true  
}
```

# Process discovery and Enrichment

A BPMN pattern oriented solution

# Mapping DEMO complete pattern onto BPMN



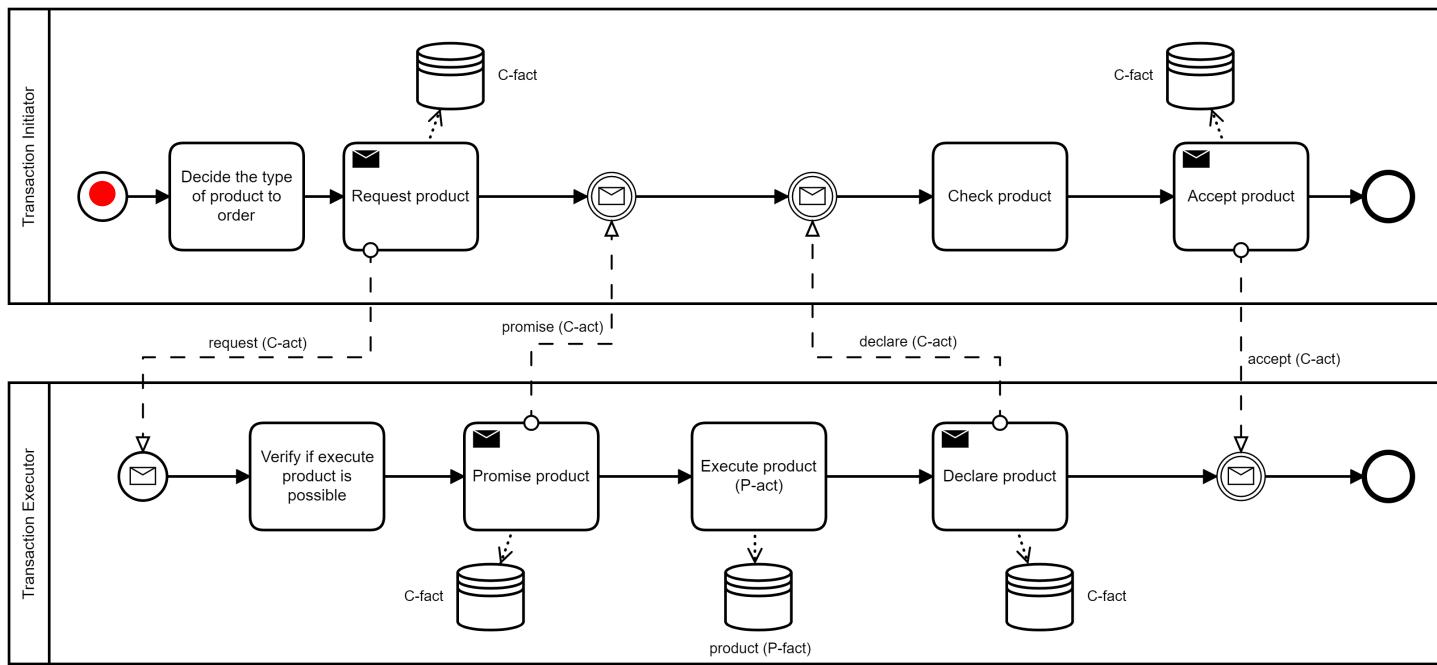


2 ACTORS COMMUNICATING...what happens...  
if everything runs happily?



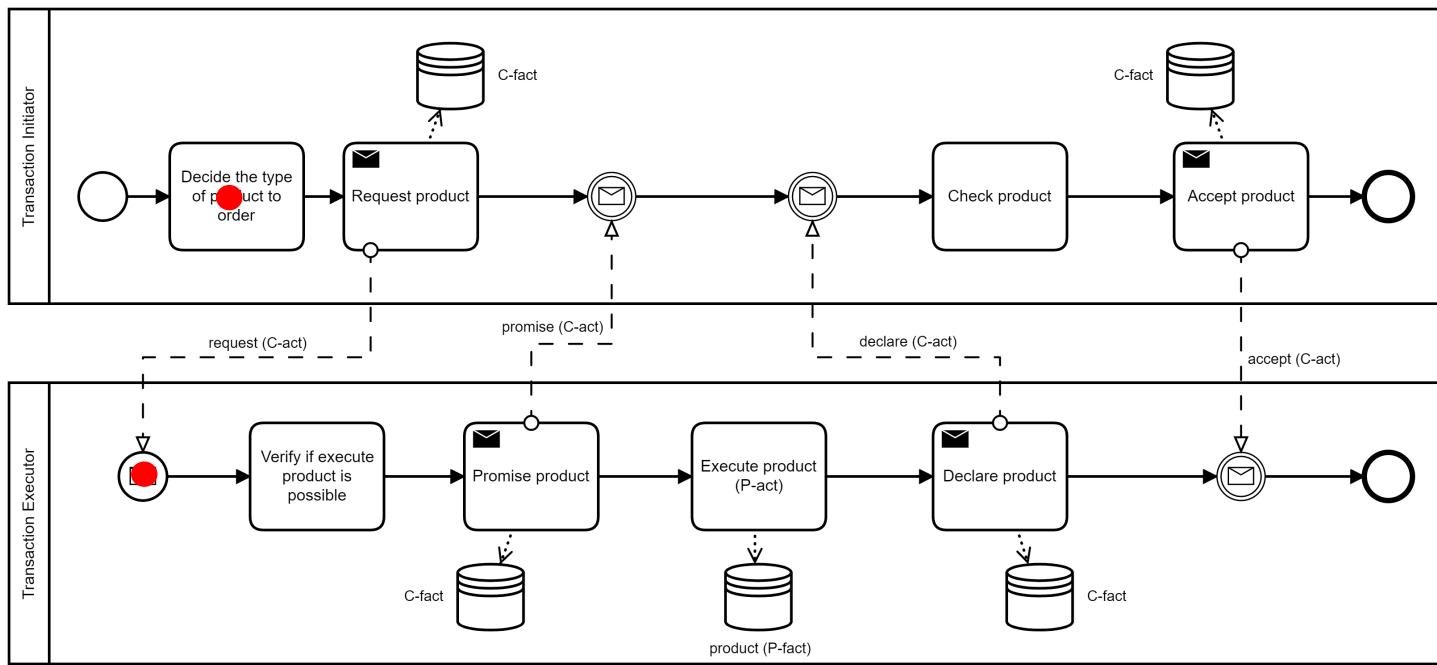
**Simulating the  
Communication pattern  
between 2 participants,  
as a social system...**

**In BPMN**



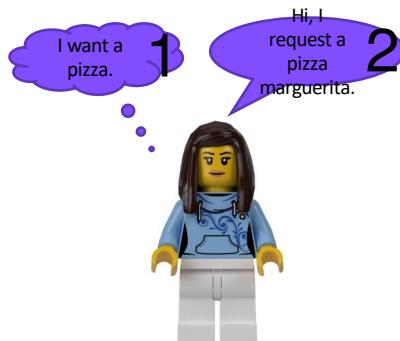
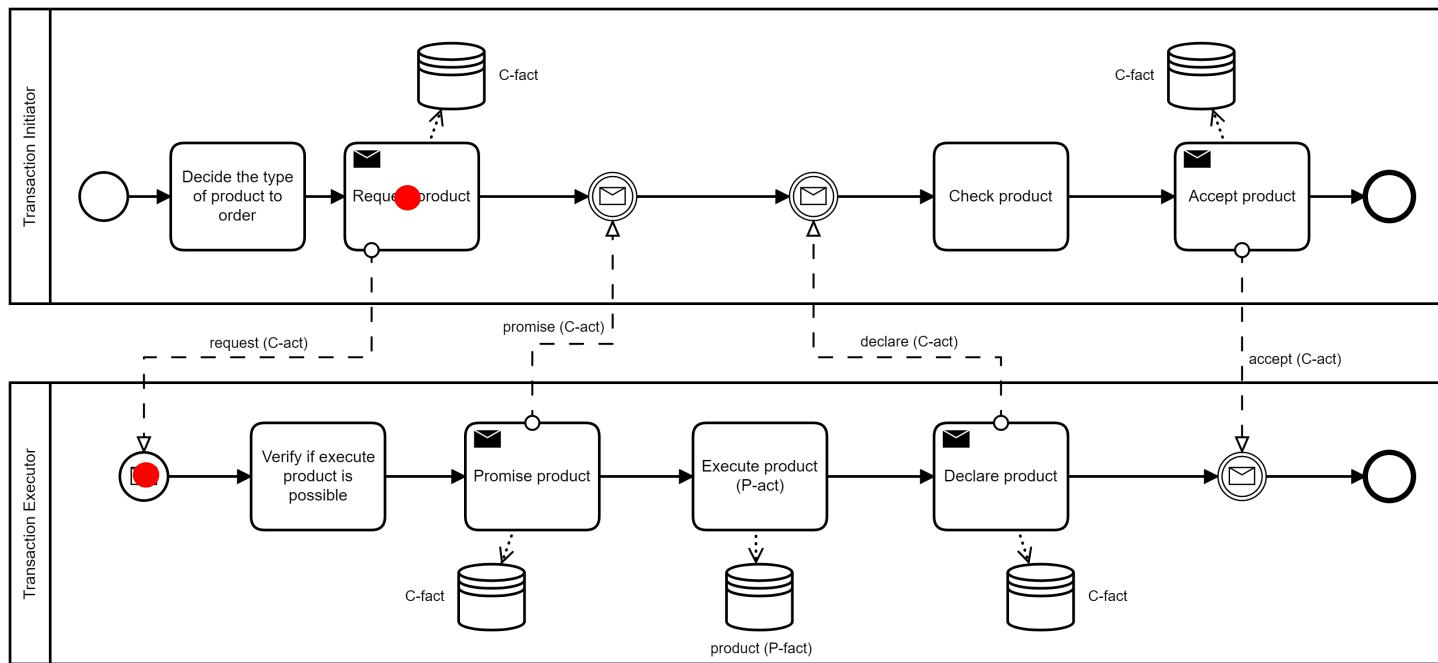
I want a  
pizza. 1

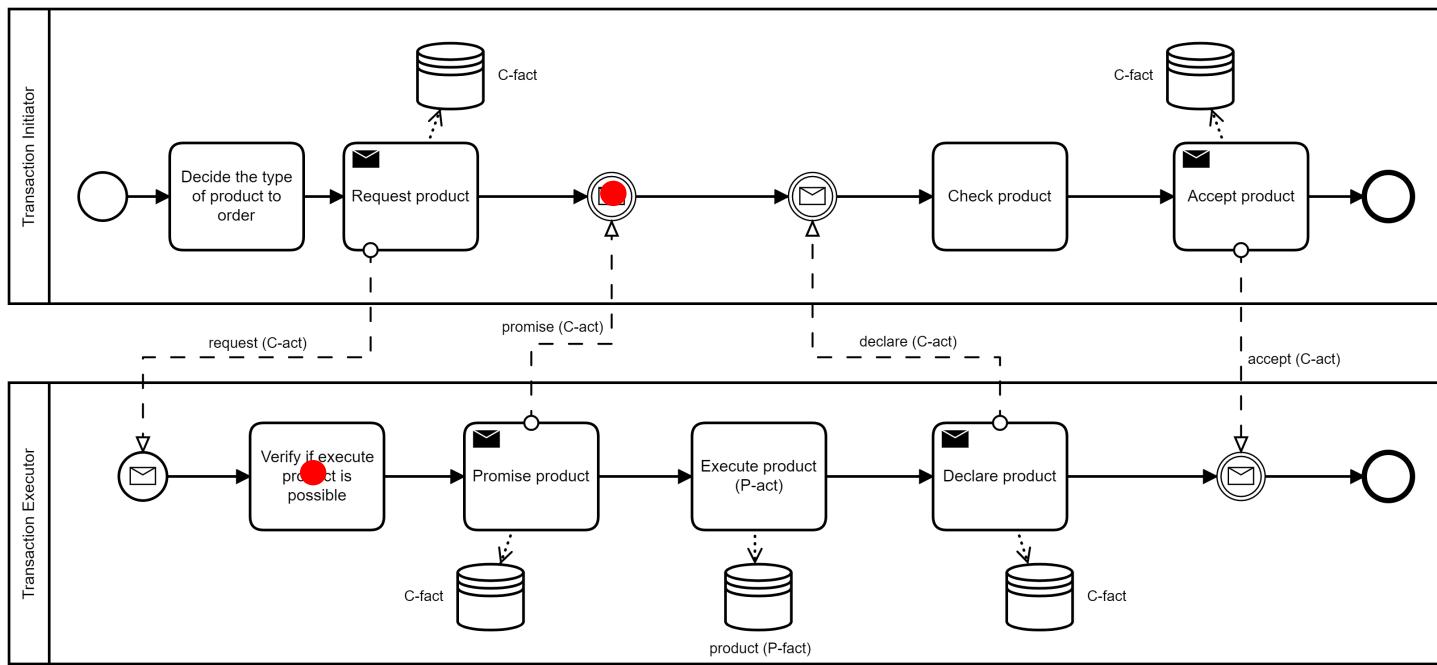


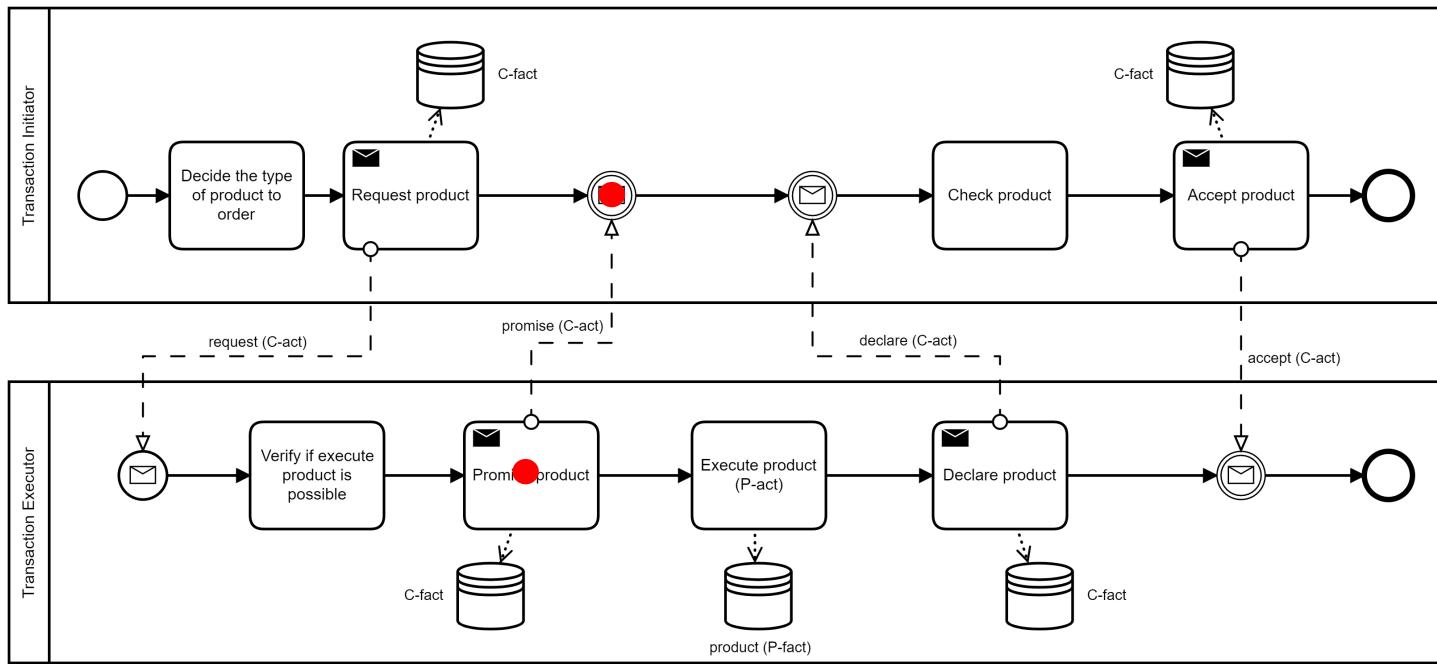


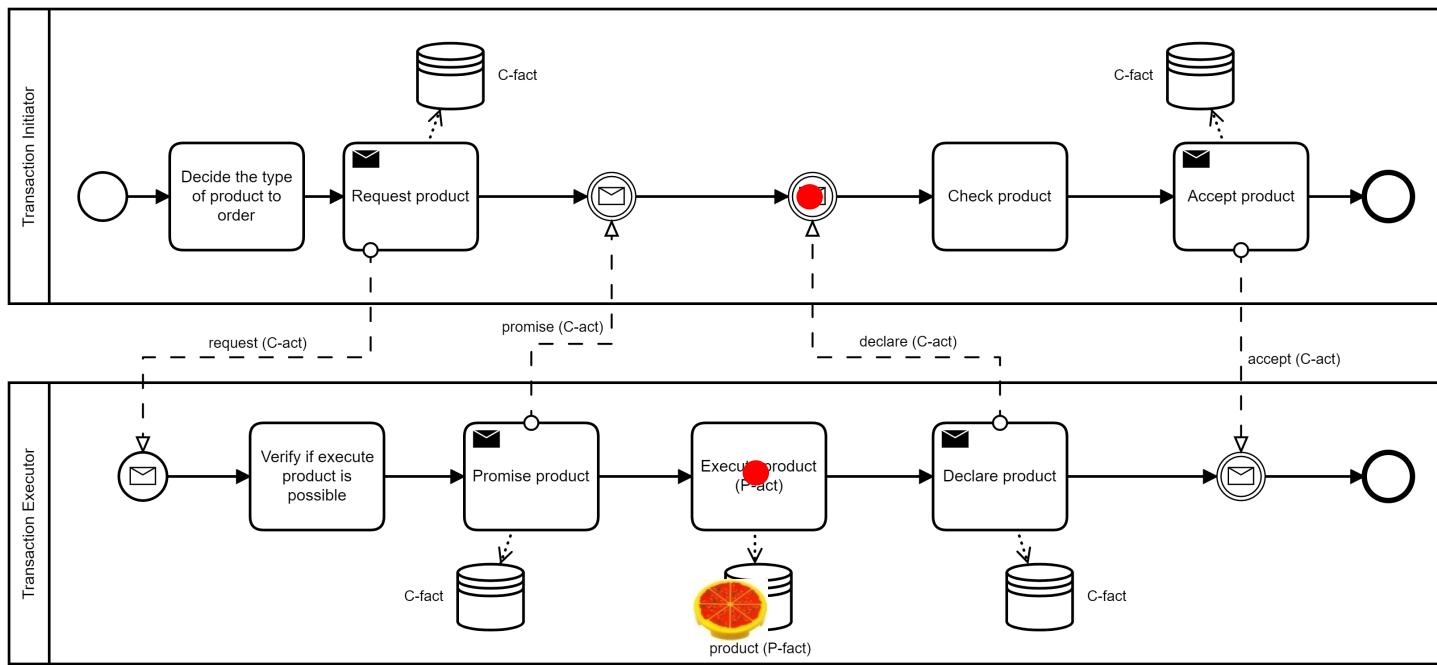
I want a pizza. 1  
Hi, I request a pizza marguerita. 2

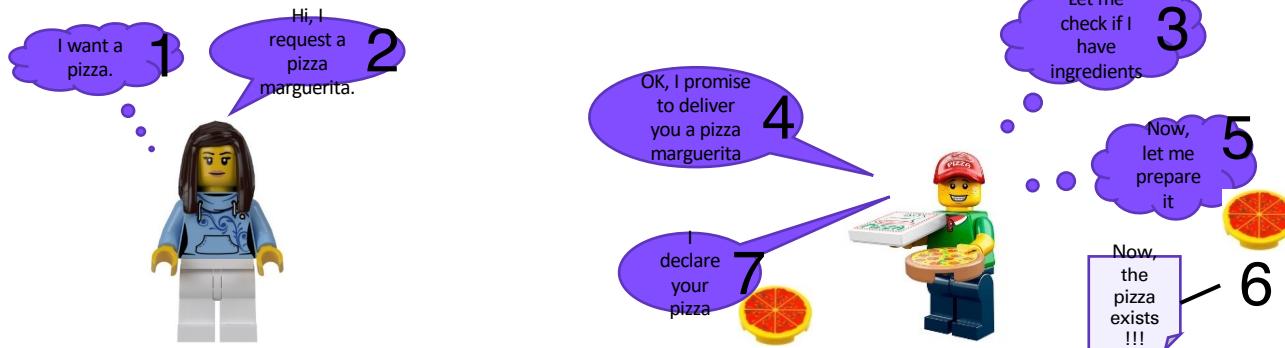
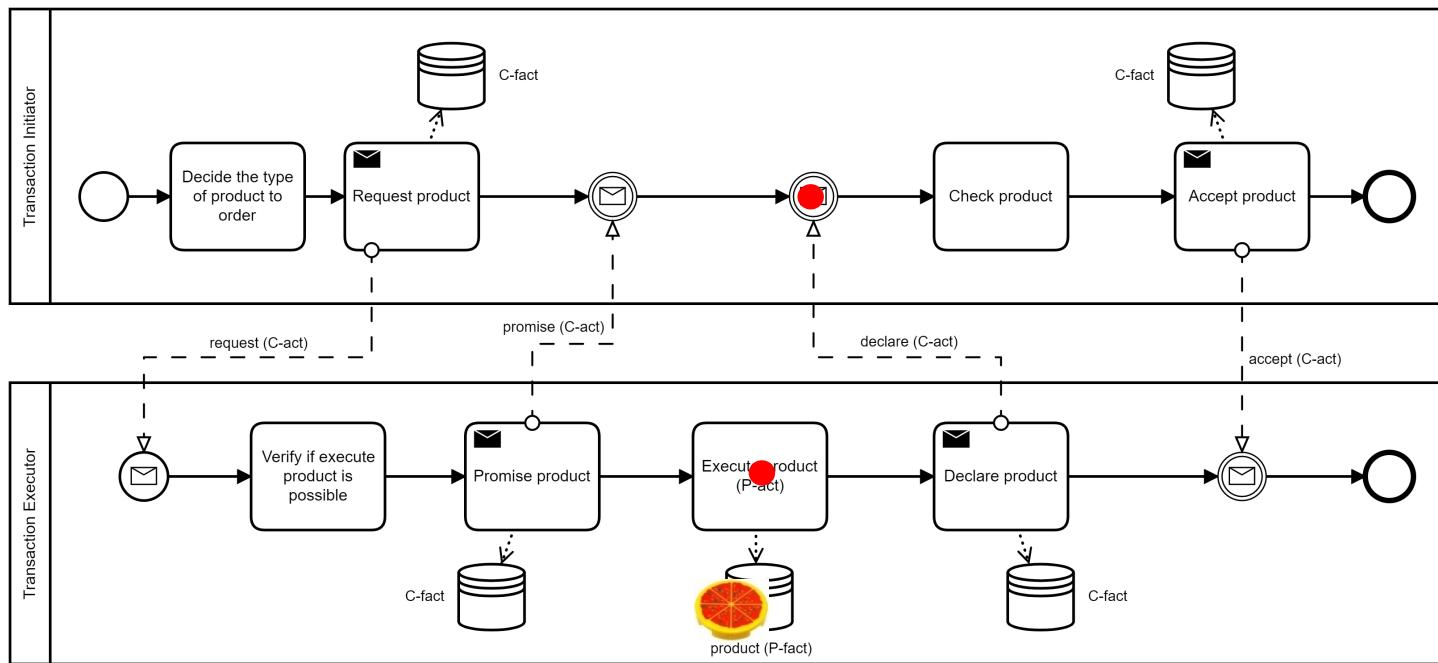


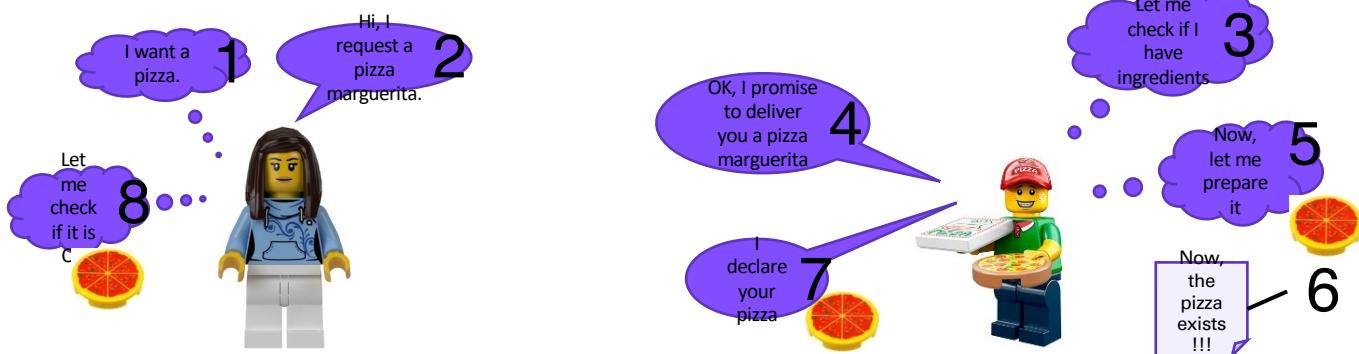
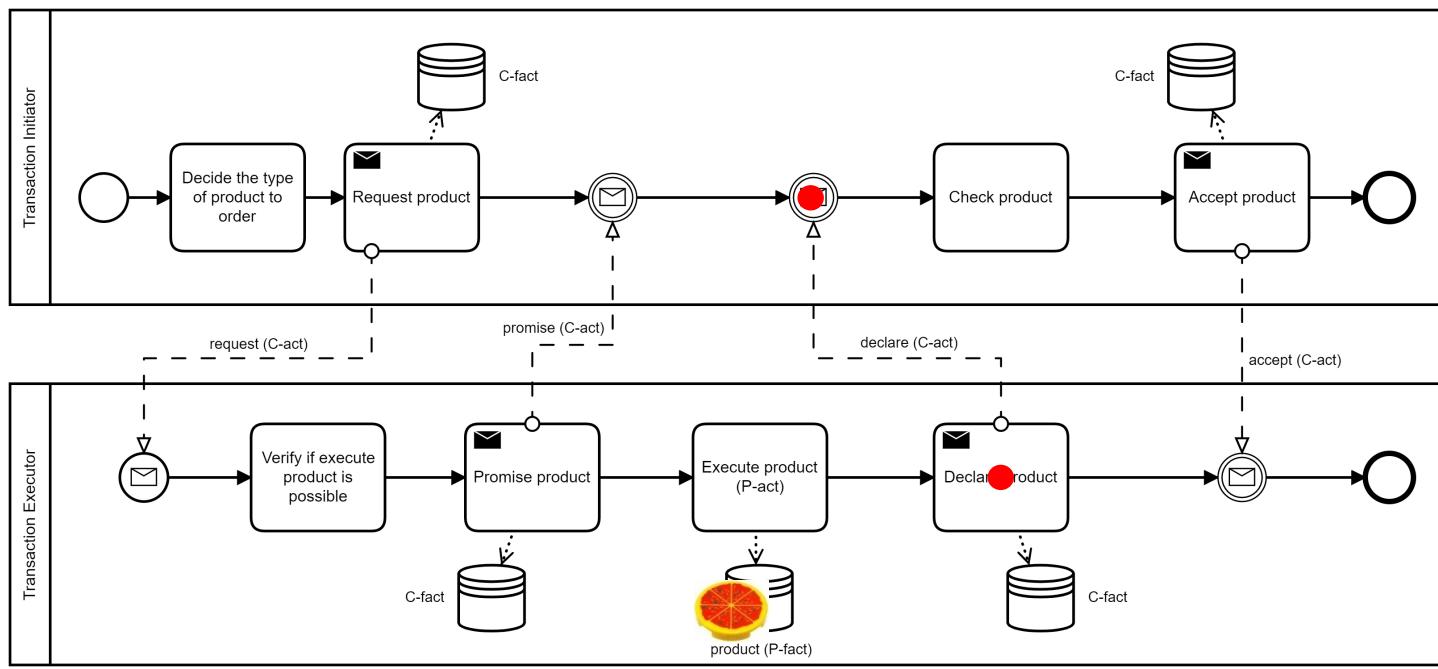


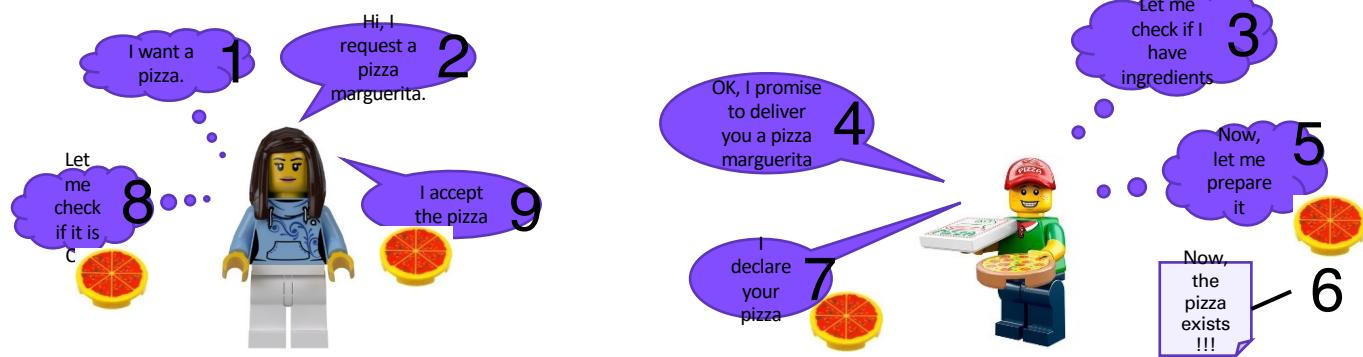
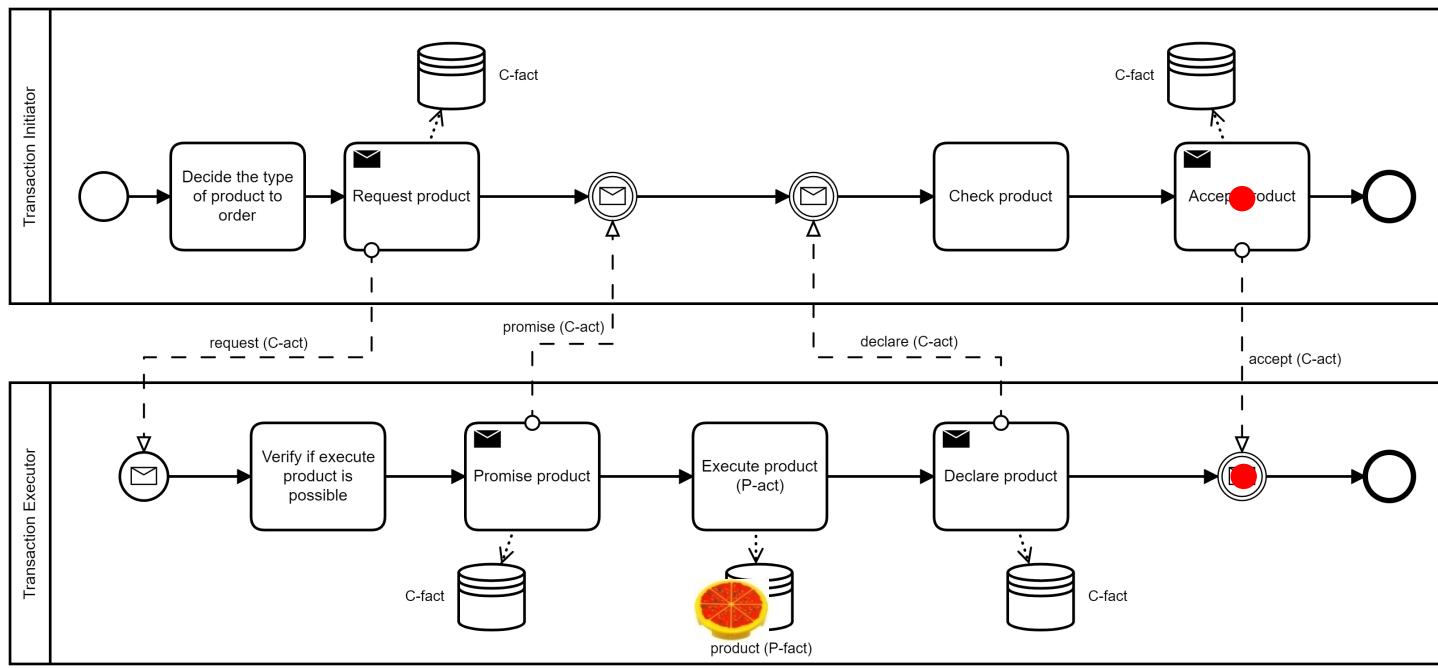






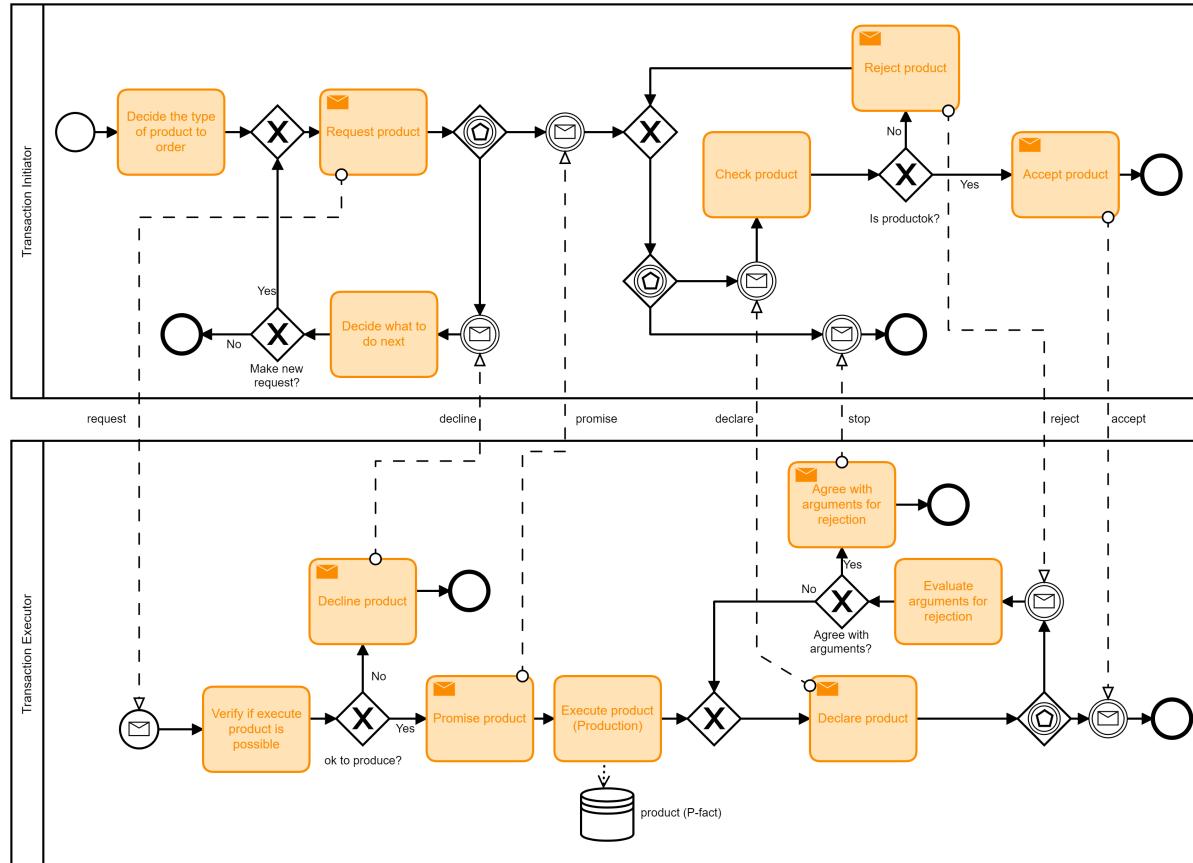








## Enrichment – business transaction pattern – happy flow + rejections + declinations



13 variability points =>

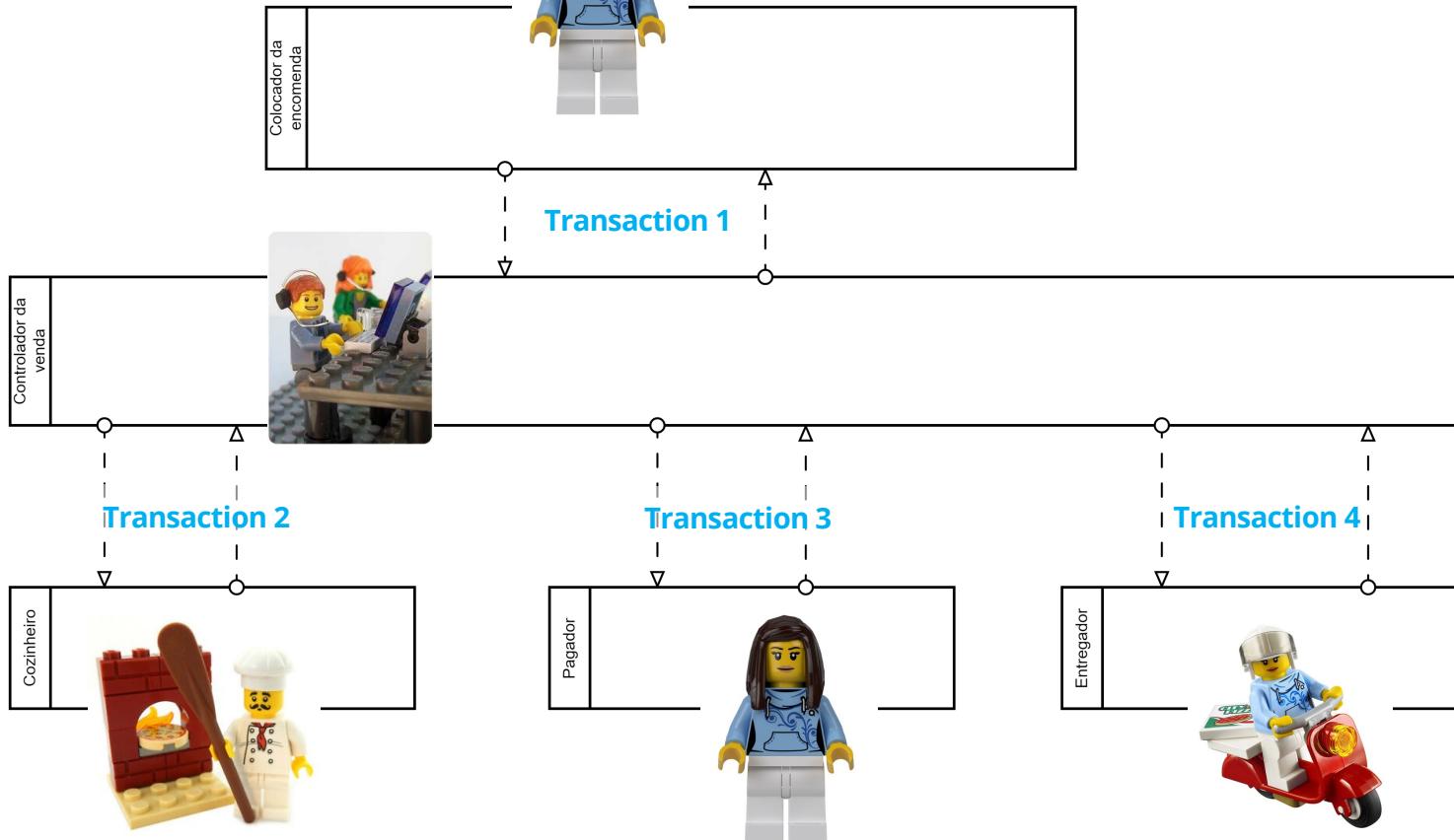
$$2^{13} =$$

**8192**

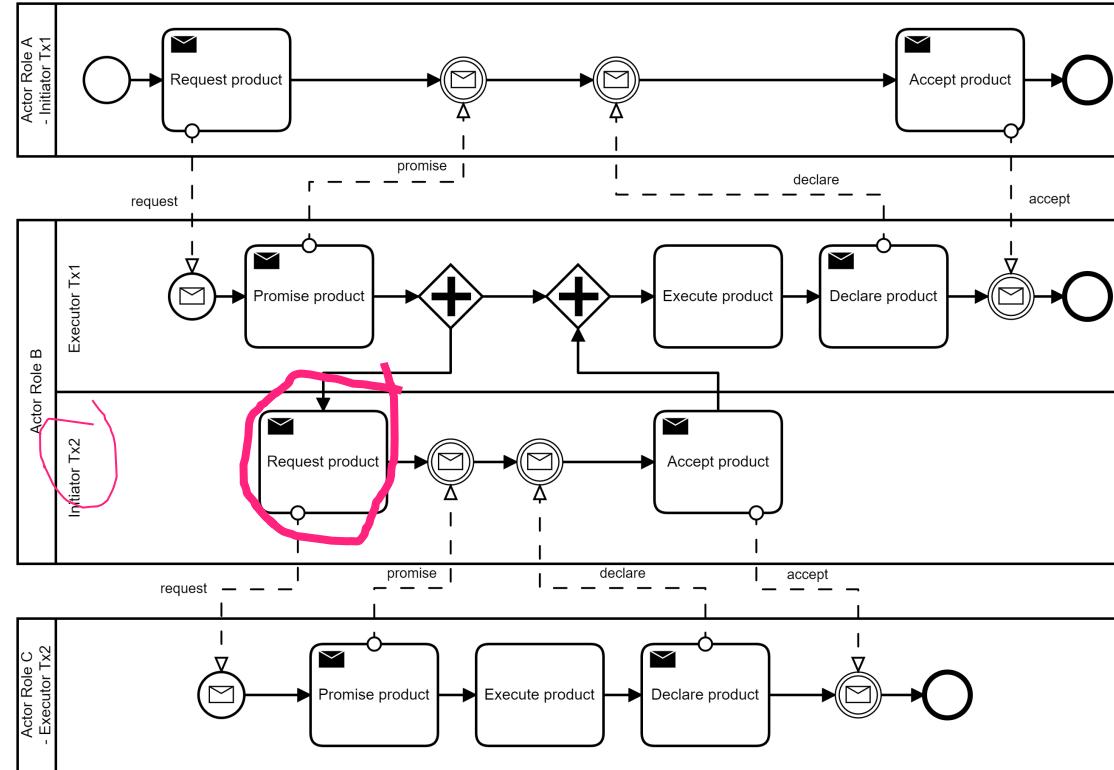
**process  
configurations**



# Composition of transactions...

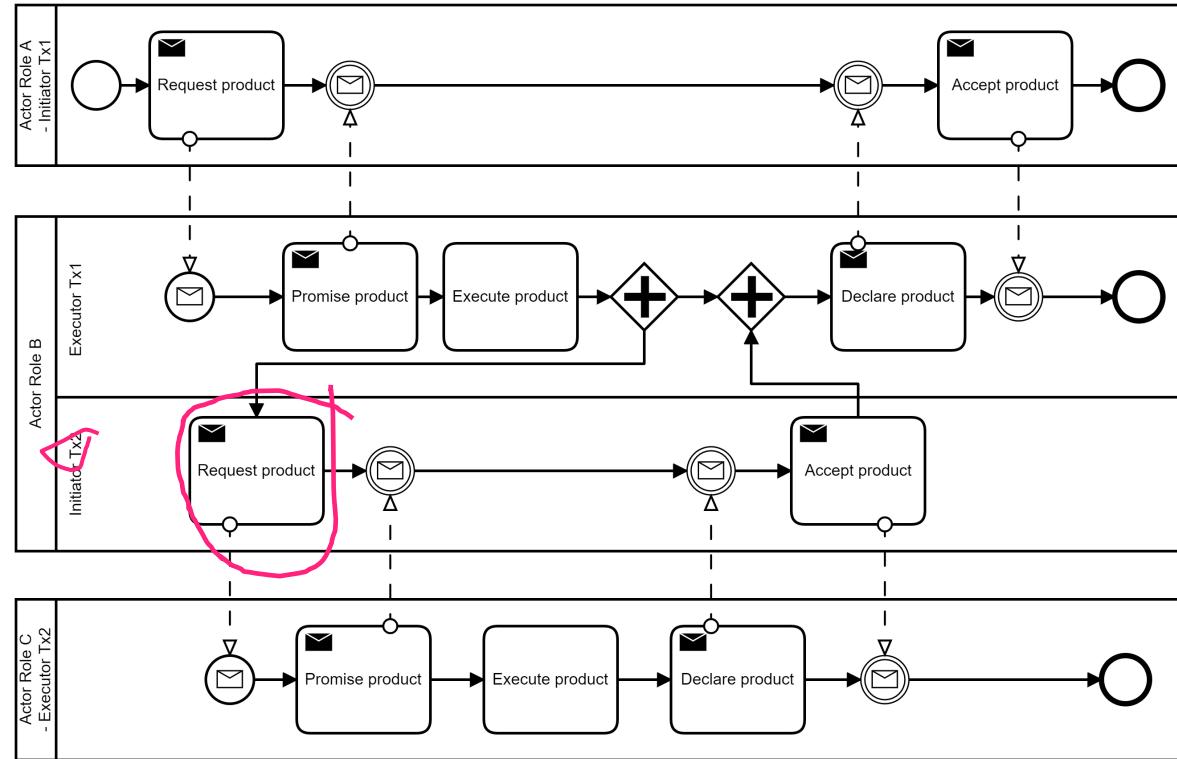


# Transactions dependency – Request after Promise

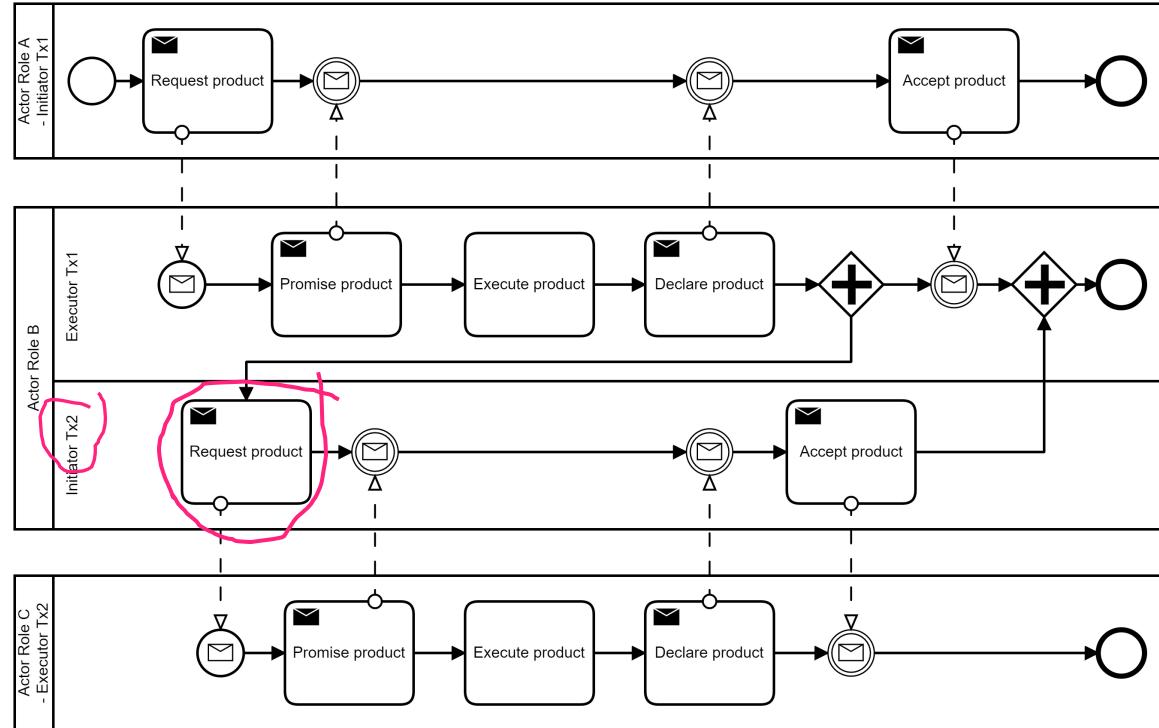




# Transactions dependency – Request after Execute

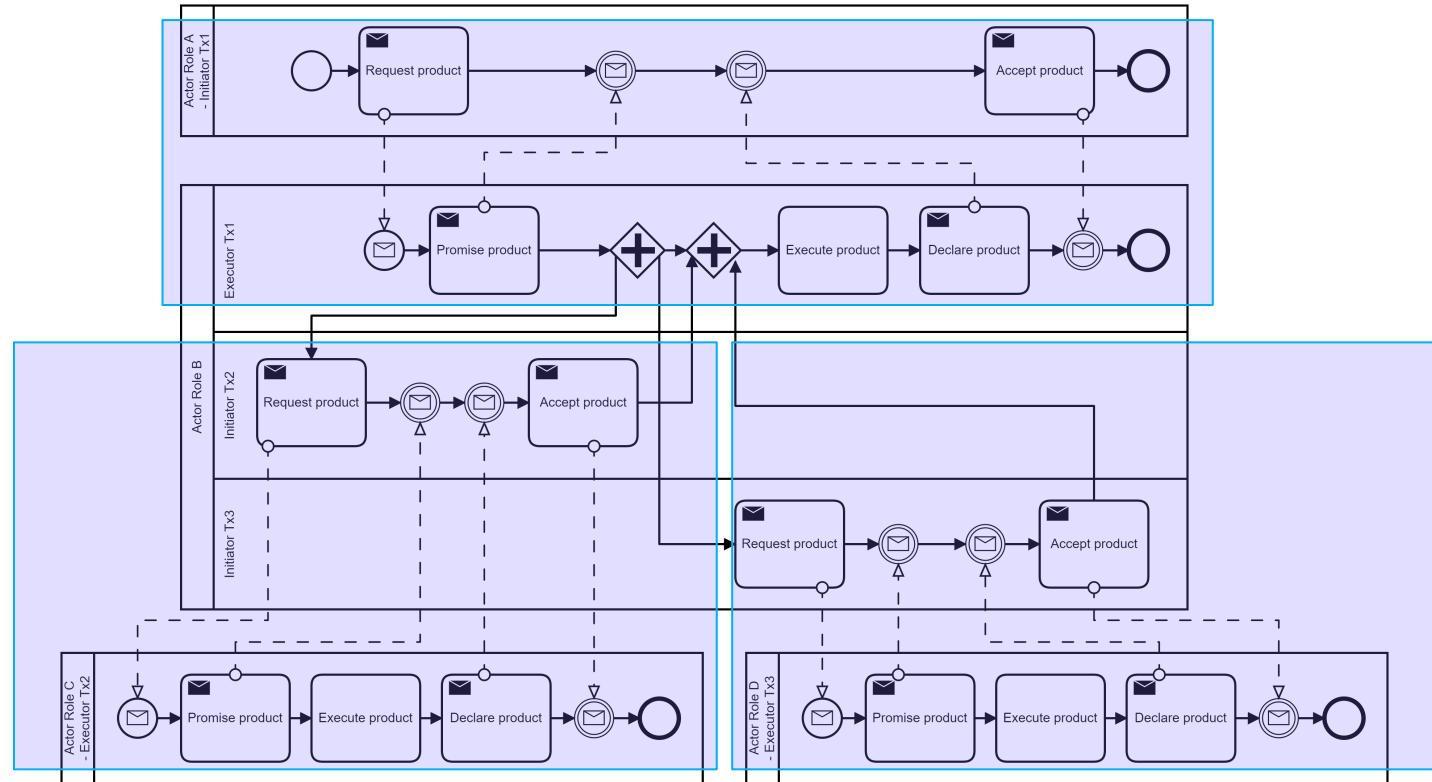


# Transactions dependency – Request after Declare





# RaP composition pattern concerning 3 business transactions where TK2 and TK3 are performed simultaneously.





# <https://github.com/SemantifyingBPMN/SemantifyingBPMN>

```
target % java -jar SemantifyingBPMN-4.0.1.jar
```

The usage of SemantifyingBPMN is the following.

```
SemantifyingBPMN-4.0.1 --actors <filename> --tpt <filename> --tkdepend <filename> --output-file-txt <filename> --output-file-bpmn <filename>
Credits: Sérgio Guerreiro (2022) (github: https://github.com/SemantifyingBPMN/SemantifyingBPMN)
```

where the parameters are,

**--actors:** is a csv file with the list of actor roles and is mandatory. Composed of 2 fields, in each line, with actor role name and description:  
(e.g.: A01 – Customer ; The role that initiates the business process).

**--tpt:** is a csv file with the Transactor Product Table and is mandatory. Composed of 6 fields, in each line, with TK name, TK description, Actor role initiator, Actor role executor, Product kind , Product kind description:

(e.g.: TK01; Sale completing ; A01 – Customer ; A02 – Dispatcher ; PK01 ; [Product] is sold).

**--tkdepend:** is a csv file with the dependencies matrix N\*N transactions and is mandatory. Composed of Strings with dependencies: **RaP** = Request after Promise pattern, **RaE** = Request after Execution, **RaD** = Request after Declare pattern.

(e.g.:

```
; TK01 ; TK02 ; TK03 ; TK04
TK01 ; ; ; ;
TK02 ; RaP ; ; ;
TK03 ; ; RaE ; ;
TK04 ; ; ; RaE ;
```

)

**--tkview:** is a mandatory csv file with view definition for each transaction per line, acceptable values are: **HappyFlow** |  
**HappyFlowAndDeclinationsAndRejections** | **Complete** | **Custom** | **CustomHappyFlowOnly**. Default value is HappyFlow.

The Custom value accepts extra detail for each transaction step, even empty ones.

(e.g.

```
TransactionKind ; View ; Request Decision ; Request ; Promise Decision ; Promise ; Decline ; After Decline Decision ; Execute ; Declare ;
Decision Accept ; Accept ; Reject ; Evaluate Rejection ; Stop
    TK01 ; HappyFlow
    TK02 ; HappyFlowAndDeclinationsAndRejections
    TK03 ; Custom ; ; Pedido ; ; Executa ; how to decide ; Produce ; Here it is ;
Valida resultado; ; not ok ; decide reject ; ok
    TK04 ; Complete
    TK05 ;
```

)

**--businessObjects:** is a csv file with the list of business object for each transaction step.

(e.g.

```
TransactionKind ; TransactionStep ; BusinessObject
    TK01 ; Request ; Order
    TK02 ; Promise ; Receipt
```

)

**--simplify on|off:** create a BPMN model without communications for simplification purposes only. Optional, default is off.

**--engine camunda|... :** create a BPMN model ready for CAMUNDA execution. Optional.

**--output-file-txt:** is a file to store the model in txt format. Optional.

**--output-file-bpmn:** is a file to store the BPMN model. Optional.

# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

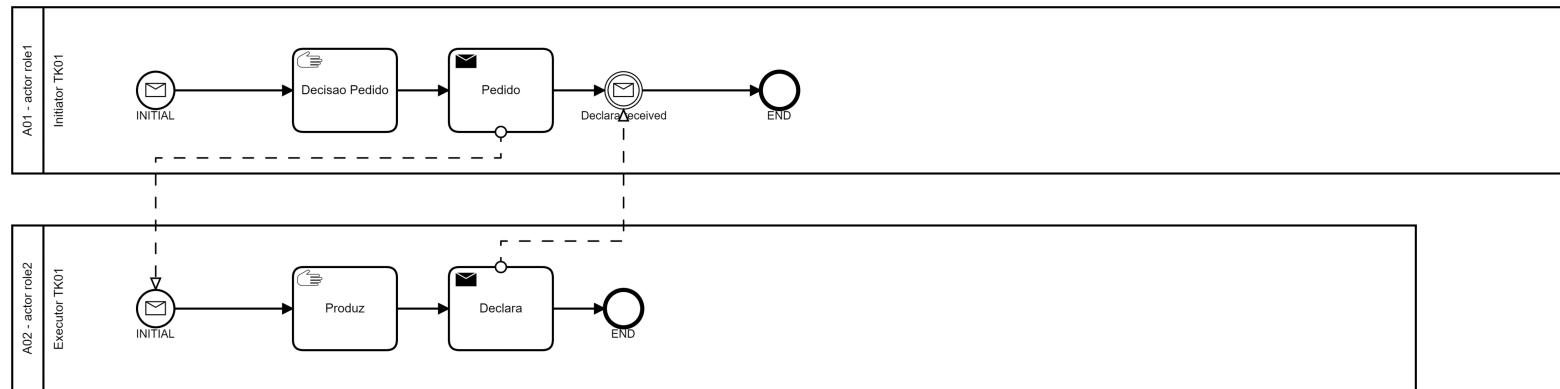
```
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A01 - actor role1 ; Budget transfer solicitor.
A02 - actor role2 ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tpt
TK01;Soliciting budget change; A01 - actor role1 ; A02 - actor role2 ; PK01 ; [budget] has been
changed
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend
      ; TK01
TK01;
```



# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more actors
A01 - actor role1 ; Budget transfer solicitor.
A02 - actor role2 ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tpt
TK01;Soliciting budget change; A01 - actor role1 ; A02 - actor role2 ; PK01 ; [budget] has been
changed
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend
    ; TK01
TK01;
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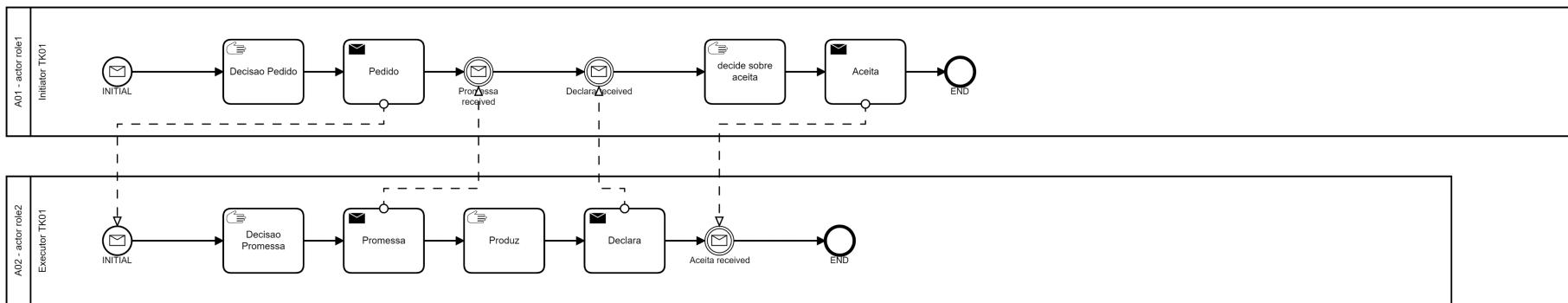
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root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkview2
TransactionKind ; View ; Request Decision ; Request ; Promise Decision ; Promise ; Decline ; After Decline Decision ; Execute ; Declare ; Decision Accept ; Accept ; Reject ; Evaluate Rejection ; Stop
TK01 ; CustomHappyFlowOnly ; Decisao Pedido ; Pedido ; ; ; ; Produz ; Declara ; ; ; ; ;
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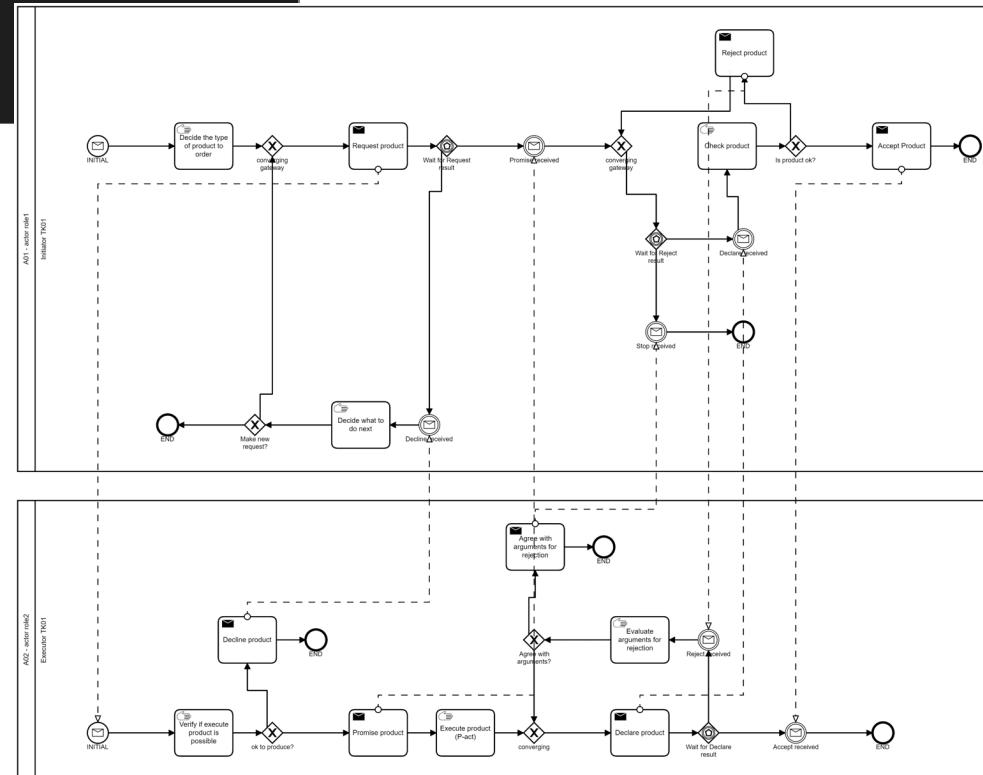
# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

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root@0736c3e84db2:~# more actors  
A01 - actor role1 ; Budget transfer solicitor.  
A02 - actor role2 ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.  
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tpt  
TK01;Soliciting budget change; A01 - actor role1 ; A02 - actor role2 ; PK01 ; [budget] has been  
changed  
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend  
    ; TK01  
TK01;
```

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- □ ×  
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkview1  
TransactionKind ; View ; Request Decision ; Request ; Promise Decision ; Promise ; Decline ; After Decline Decision ; Execute ; Declare ; Decision Accept ; Accept ; Reject ; Evaluate Rejection ; Stop  
TK01 ; CustomHappyFlowOnly ; Decisao Pedido ; Pedndo ; Decisao Promessa ; Promessa; ; Produz; Declara ; decide sobre aceita ; Aceita; ; ;
```



```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more actors
A01 - actor role1 ; Budget transfer solicitor.
A02 - actor role2 ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tpt
TK01;Soliciting budget change; A01 - actor role1 ; A02 - actor role2 ; PK01 ; [budget] has been
changed
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend
    ; TK01
TK01;
```



# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkview6
```

```
TransactionKind ; View ; Request Decision ; Request ; Promise Decision ; Promise ; Decline ; After Decline Decision ; Execute ; Declare ; Decision Accept ; Accept ; Reject ; Evaluate Rejection ; Stop
TK01          ; Complete ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ;
```

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more actors
```

A01 - actor role1 ; Budget transfer solicitor.

A02 - actor role2 ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a bud

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tpt
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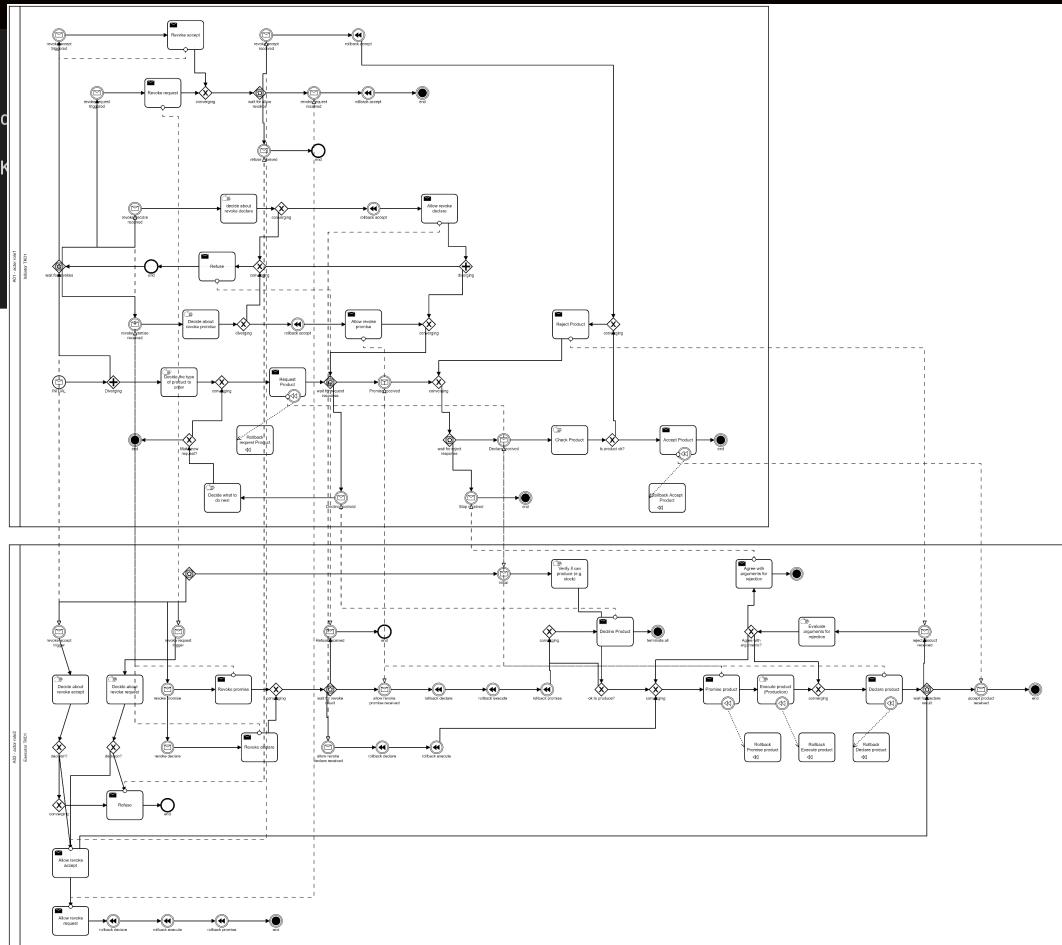
TK01;Soliciting budget change; A01 - actor role1 ; A02 - actor role2 ; PK

changed

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend
```

; TK01

TK01;



# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more actors4
```

A01 - SOC Department ; Budget transfer solicitor.  
A02 - SPFP ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.  
A03 - SPFP Coordinator : Executor of the second validation of the budget transfer.  
A04 - Financial Department Director ; Executor of the third validation of the budget transfer.  
A05 - Governing Board Representative ; Executor of the fourth validation of the budget transfer.

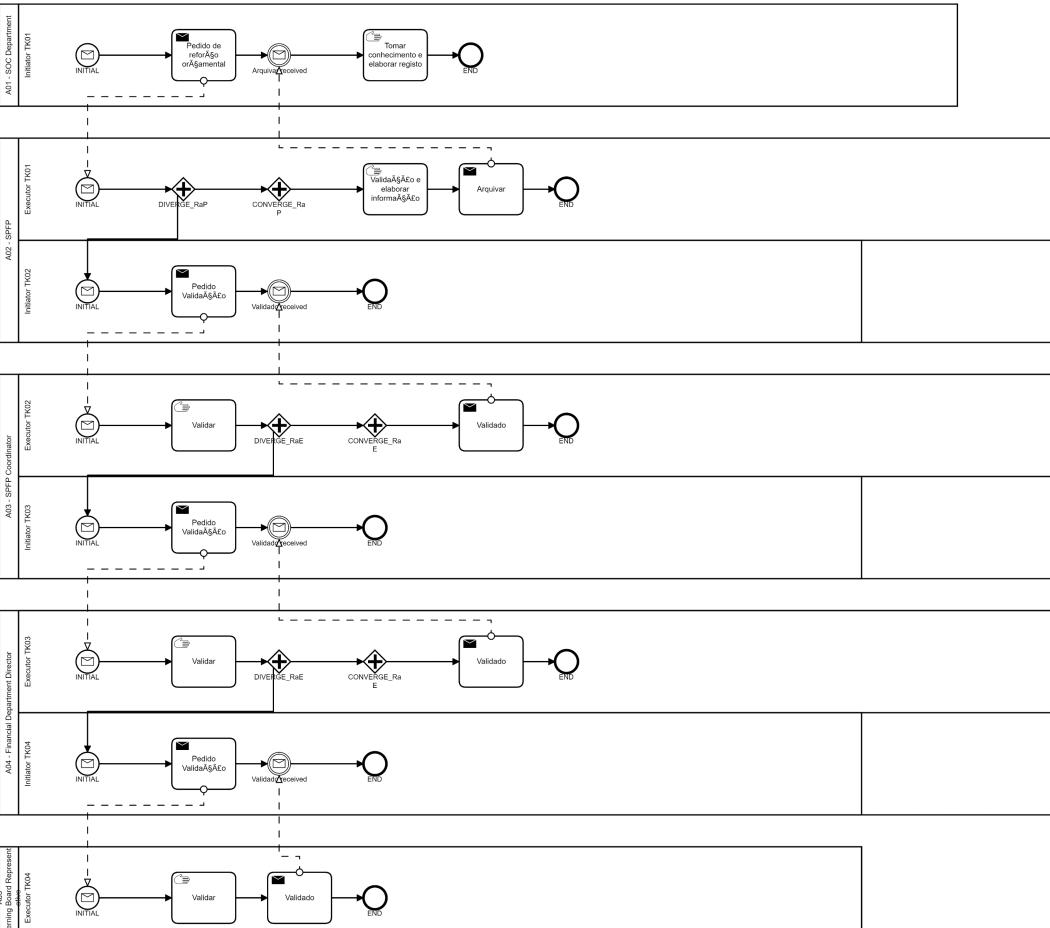
```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tktp4
```

TK01;Soliciting budget change; A01 - SOC Department ; A02 - SPFP ; PK01 ; [budget] has been changed  
TK02;Validating second-level budget change; A02 - SPFP ; A03 - SPFP Coordinator; PK02 ; [budget change] has been validated by second level  
TK03;Validating third-level budget change;A03 - SPFP Coordinator;A04 - Financial Department Director; PK03 ; [budget change] has been valid  
TK04;Validating fourth-level budget change;A04 - Financial Department Director;A05 - Governing Board Representative ; PK04 ; [budget change]

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend4
```

; TK01; TK02;TK03;TK04  
TK01; ; ;  
TK02; RaP ; ;  
TK03; ; RaE ; ;  
TK04; ; ;RaE ;

# BPMN Semantifying tool OUTCOME

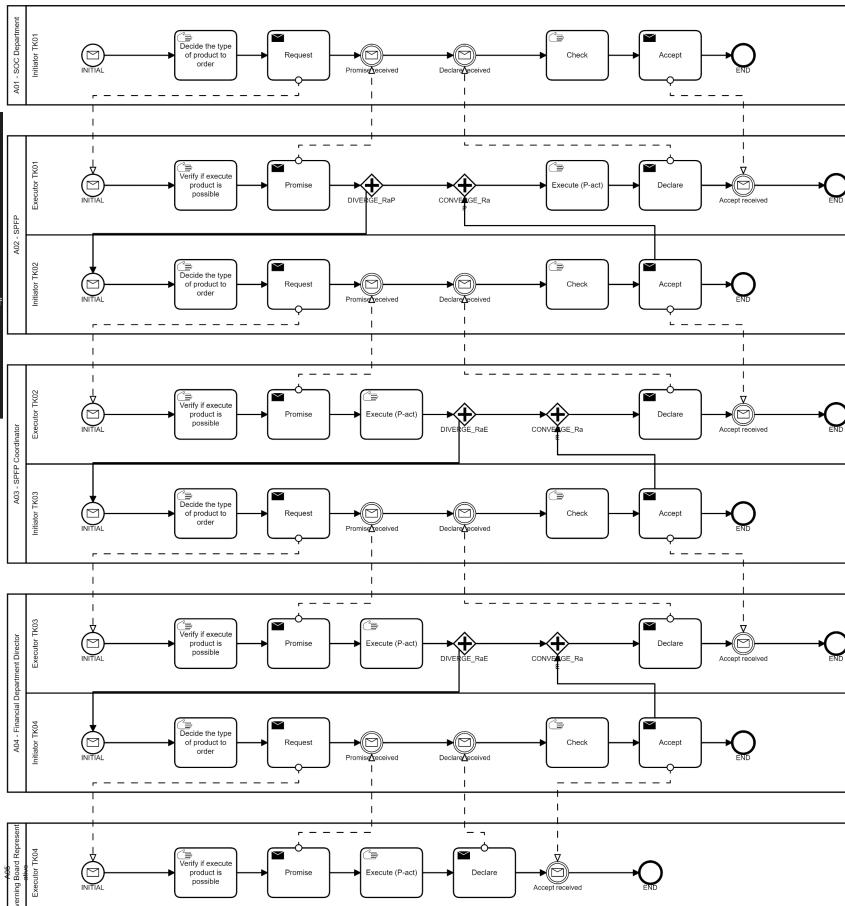


```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkview4
```

TransactionKind : View ; Request Decision; Request ; Promise Decision ; Promise ; Decline ; After Decline Decision ; Execute ; Declare ; Decision Accept ; Accept ; Reject ; Evaluate Rejection ; Stop  
TK01 ; CustomHappyFlowOnly ; Pedido de reforço orçamental ; ; ; ; ; ;  
TK02 ; CustomHappyFlowOnly ; Pedido Validação ; ; ; ; ; ;  
TK03 ; CustomHappyFlowOnly ; Pedido Validação ; ; ; ; ; ;  
TK04 ; CustomHappyFlowOnly ; Pedido Validação ; ; ; ; ; ;

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more actors4
A01 - SOC Department ; Budget transfer solicitor.
A02 - SPFP ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.
A03 - SPFP Coordinator : Executor of the second validation of the budget transfer.
A04 - Financial Department Director ; Executor of the third validation of the budget transfer.
A05 - Governing Board Representative ; Executor of the fourth validation of the budget transfer.
```

```
root@0736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend4
; TK01; TK02;TK03;TK04
TK01; ;
TK02; RaP ;
TK03; RaE ;
TK04; ;RaE ;
```



# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

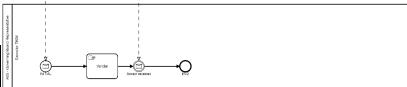
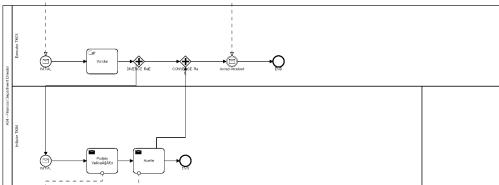
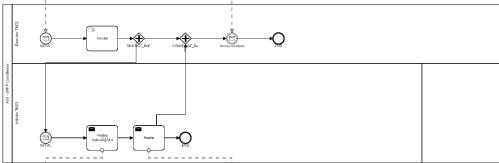
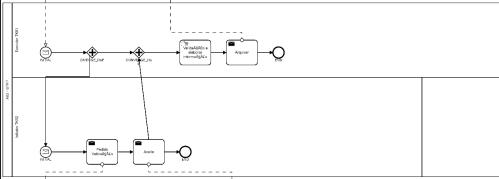
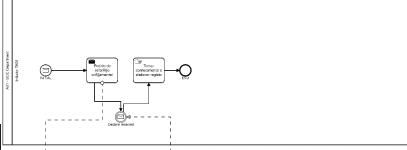
	TransactionKind	View	Request Decision	Request	Promise Decision	Promise	Decline	After Decline Decision	Execute	Decision	Declare	Decision Accept	Accept	Reject	Evaluate Rejection	Stop
TK01	HappyFlow			Pedido de reforço orçamental						Validação e elaborar informação	Arquivar		Tomar conhecimento e elaborar registo			
TK02	HappyFlow				Pedido Validação					Validar	Validado					
TK03	HappyFlow					Pedido Validação				Validar	Validado					
TK04	HappyFlow						Pedido Validação			Validar	Validado					

# BPMNSemantifying tool OUTCOME

```
root@0736c3eb4db2:~# more actors4
A01 - SOC Department ; Budget transfer solicitor.
A02 - SPFP ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.
A03 - SPFP Coordinator ; Executor of the second validation of the budget transfer.
A04 - Financial Department Director ; Executor of the third validation of the budget transfer.
A05 - Governing Board Representative ; Executor of the fourth validation of the budget transfer.
```

```
root@0736:3e84db2:# more tpt4
TK01;Soliciting budget change;A01 - SOC Department ; A02 - SPFP ; PK01 ; [budget] has been changed
TK02;Validating second-level budget change;A02 - SPFP ; A03 - SPFP Coordinator ; PK02 ; [budget change] has been validated by second level
TK03;Validating third-level budget change;A03 - SPFP Coordinator;A04 - Financial Department Director; PK03 ; [budget change] has been validated by third level
TK04;Validating fourth-level budget change;A04 - Financial Department Director;A05 - Governing Board Representative; PK04 ; [budget change] has been validated by fourth level
```

```
root@0736c3e84bd2:~# more tkdepend4  
; TK01; TK02;TK03;TK04  
TK01; ; ; ;  
TK02; RaP ; ; ;  
TK03; ; RaE ; ;  
TK04; ; ;RaE ;
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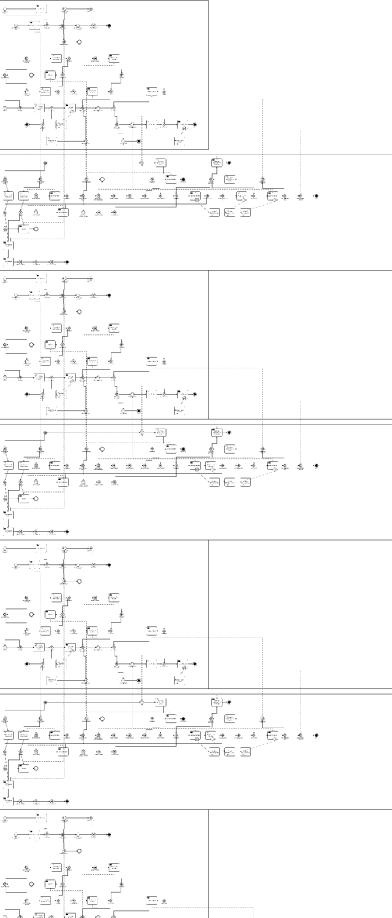


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root@0736c3e84db2:# more tkview6
TransactionKind; View; Request Decision ; Request ; Promise Decision ; Promise ; Decline ; After Decline Decision ; Execute ; Declare ; Decision Accept ; Accept ; Reject ; Evaluate Rejection ; Stop
TK01 ; Custom; ; Pedido de reforço orçamental ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ;
TK02 ; Custom; ; Pedido Validação ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ;
TK03 ; Custom; ; Pedido Validação ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ;
TK04 ; Custom; ; Pedido Validação ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ; ;
```

```
root@736c3e84db2:~# more actors4
A01 - SOC Department ; Budget transfer solicitor.
A02 - SPPF ; Executor of the first validation and creator of a budget transfer proposal.
A03 - SPPF Coordinator ; Executor of the second validation of the budget transfer.
A04 - Financial Department Director ; Executor of the third validation of the budget transfer.
A05 - Governing Board Representative ; Executor of the fourth validation of the budget transfer.

root@736c3e84db2:~# more tpt4
TK01;Soliciting budget change;A01 - SOC Department ; A02 - SPPF ; PK01 ; [budget] has been changed
TK02;Validating second-level budget change;A02 - SPPF ; A03 - SPPF Coordinator; PK02 ; [budget change] has been validated by second level
TK03;Validating third-level budget change;A03 - SPPF Coordinator;A04 - Financial Department Director; PK03 ; [budget change] has been validated by third level
TK04;Validating fourth-level budget change;A04 - Financial Department Director;A05 - Governing Board Representative; PK04 ; [budget change] has been validated by fourth level

root@736c3e84db2:~# more tkdepend4
; TK01; TK02;TK03;TK04
TK01; : ; ;
TK02; RaB ; ;
TK03; ; RaE ;
TK04; ; ;RaB ;
```



This BPMN XML file produced in some numbers:

**8460 lines • 26 send tasks • 76 exclusive gateways •**

14 parallel gateways • 48 intermediateThrowEvent •

**40 manualTasks • 560 BPMN edges • 68 messageFlows •**

## 430 flowNodeRefs ...

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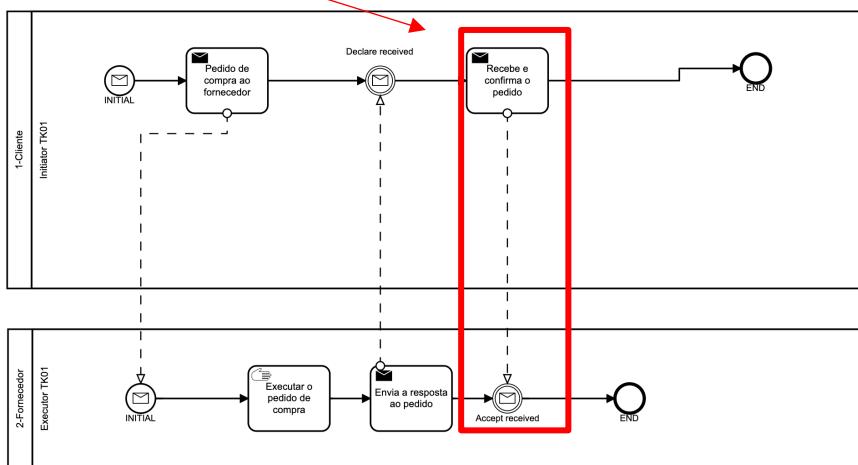
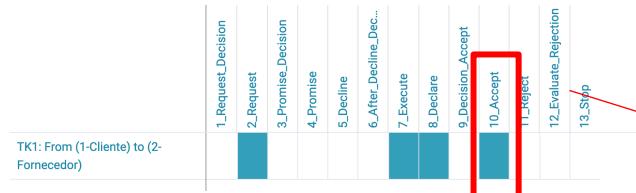
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TK01 ; Complete; : Pedido de reforço orçamental ; : Pedido Validação ; : Validação e elaborar informação; Arquivar ; Tomar conhecimento e elaborar registo ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ;
TK02 ; Complete; : Pedido Validação ; : Validação ; : Validação e elaborar informação; Arquivar ; Tomar conhecimento e elaborar registo ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ;
TK03 ; Complete; : Pedido Validação ; : Validação ; : Validação e elaborar informação; Arquivar ; Tomar conhecimento e elaborar registo ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ;
TK04 ; Complete; : Pedido Validação ; : Validação ; : Validação e elaborar informação; Arquivar ; Tomar conhecimento e elaborar registo ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ; : Aceita ;

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# Visualizing the patterns



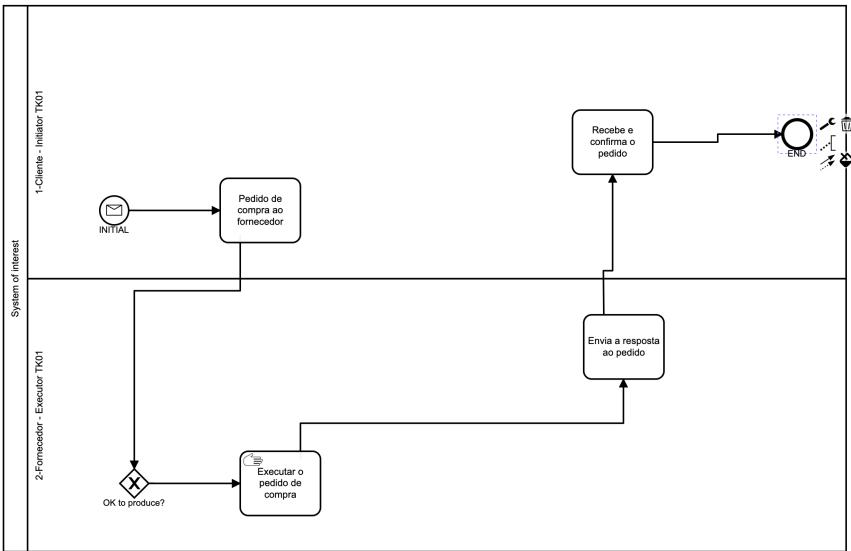
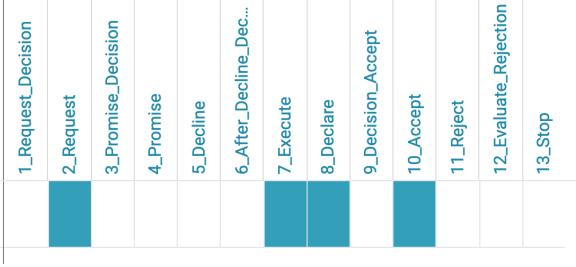
# BPMN PRODUCED IN MULTIPLE POOLS





# BPMN PRODUCED IN MULTIPLE LANES

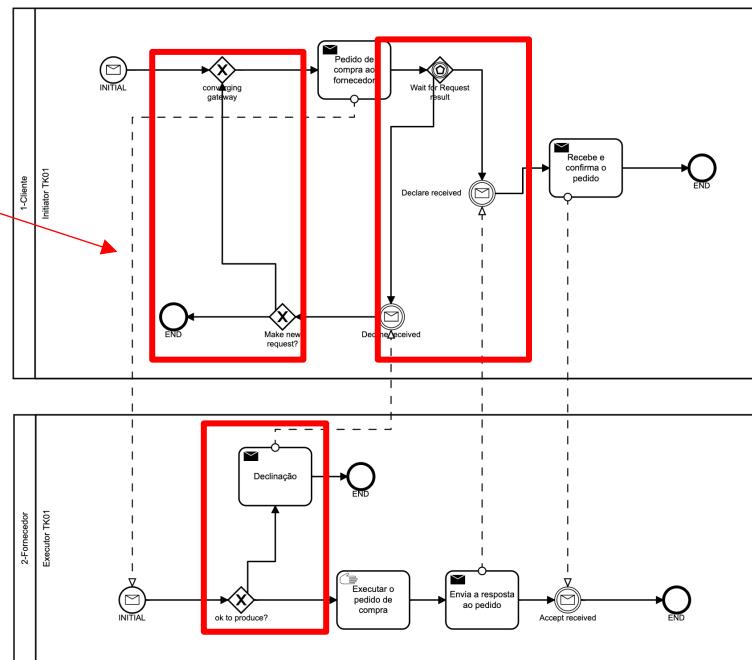
TK1: From (1-Cliente) to (2-Fornecedor)





# ADDING EXCEPTIONS: REQUEST DECLINATION USING POOLS

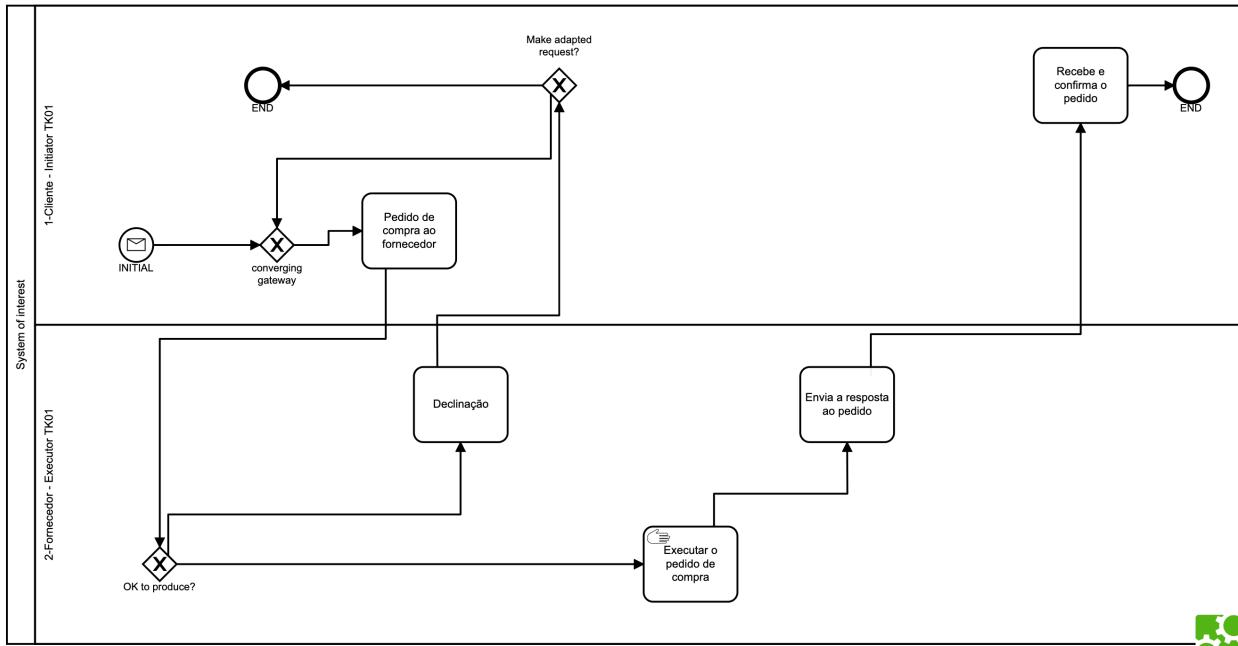
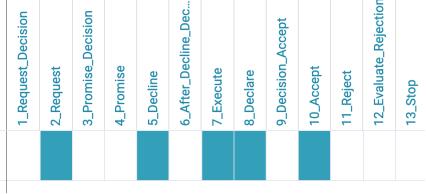
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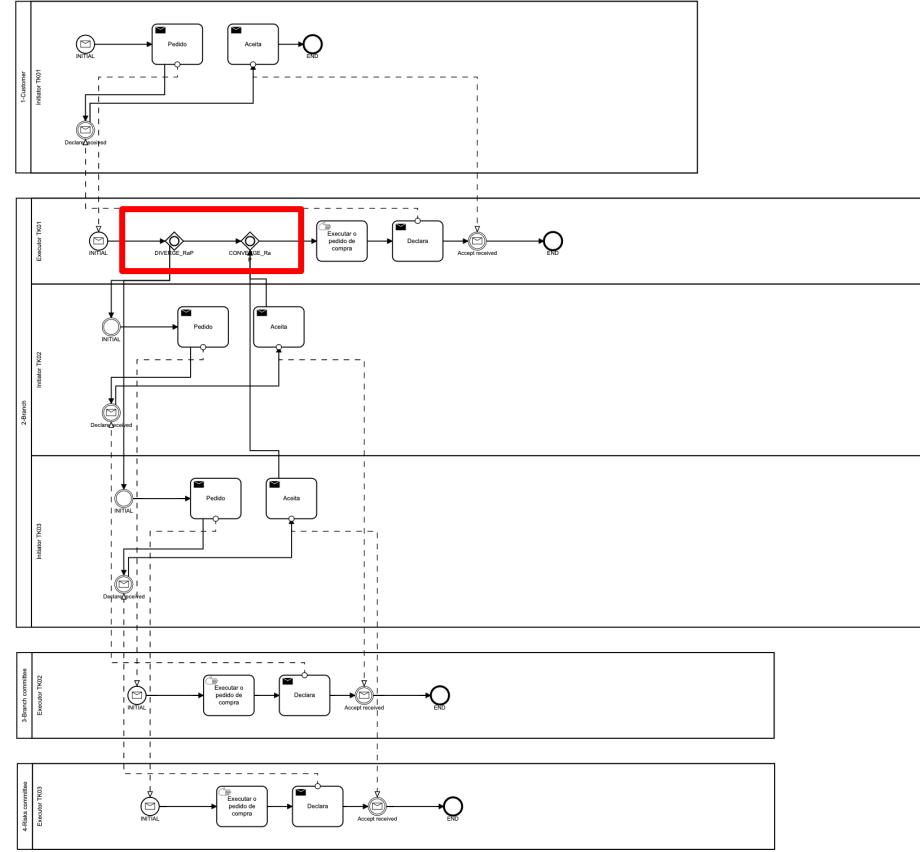
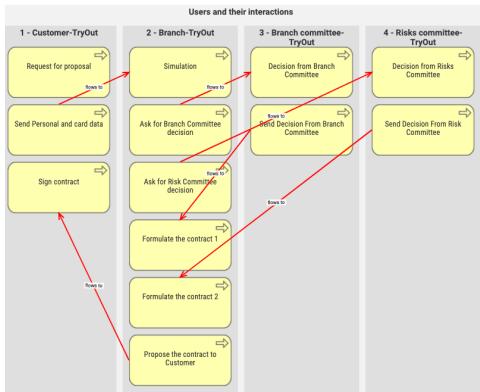
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TK1: From (1-Cliente) to (2-Fornecedor)

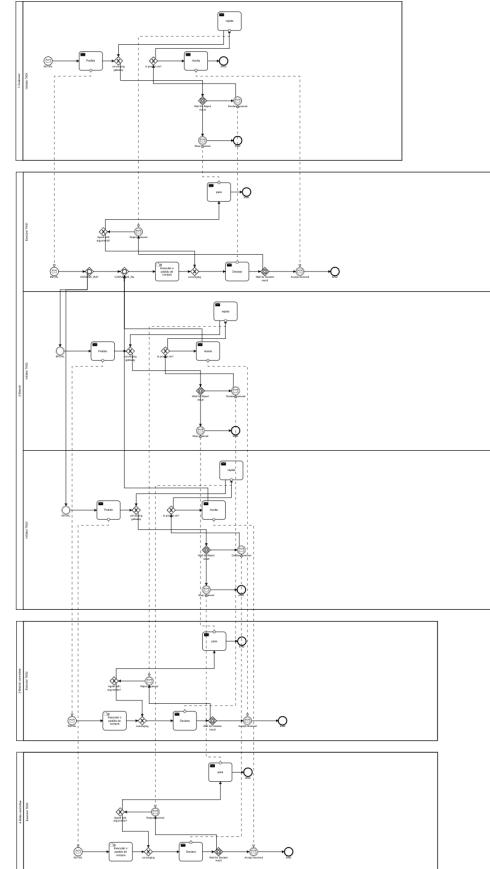
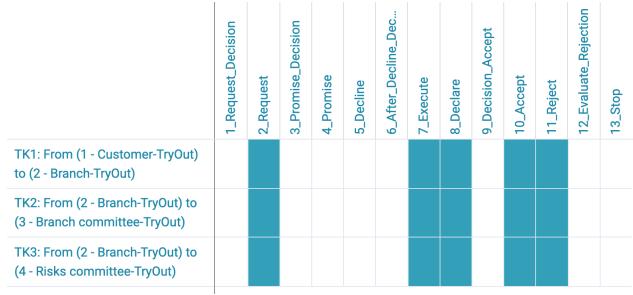




# PRODUCING A NETWORK OF 4 ACTORS + 3 TKS USING POOLS



# ADDING REJECTION TO THE NETWORK OF 4 ACTORS + 3 TKS USING POOLS



# Q&A





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