**Tasks - URL Schemes**

The URL scheme lets pro users and developers of other apps send commands to Tasks. This page explains how it works in detail.

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If you see something missing, reach out to tasks@msquarelabs.com and we'll add support for that at the earliest that we can.

**Create**

**Task**

tasks:///add?title=Buy%20Milk&project=Shopping

The above would create a task titled Buy Milk and place it in the project Shopping . There is a lot more to just adding a title to task. You can add the following fields as mentioned below:

**Parameters**

title - **required**

String. The title of the task to add.

E.g. title=Sign%20Offer%Letter

parent-task-id

String. The identifier of the task to which you want to add this task as a subtask. E.g. parent-task-id=7EED2843-0B69-4BCE-A377-02BA0FCBB98F

project - **required unless parent-task-id is provided**

String. The name of the project to which the task is to be added.

E.g. project=Work

notes or links or any *text field*

String. The text you want to place in that field.

Note: If you have multiple text fields and you want to add the text to a particular field replace the key with the exact value of the field's title

E.g. If your field is called Link in the app - link=https://thetasks.app

date

String. Possible values: today, tomorrow, evening, a date string, or a date time string. Using a date time string adds a reminder for that time.

Note: If you have multiple date fields and you want to assign a date to a particular field replace the date key with the exact value of the field's title

E.g. If your field is called Due-Date in the app - due-date=tomorrow

status

String. You can assign status of a task. If no value is assigned in this field, it will default to the first status of that project.

E.g. status=progress

tags

String separated by commas. You can assign single/multiple tags to a task. E.g. tags=groceries,walmart

If you want to clear the tags for a task, just pass an empty string.

E.g. tags=

priority

String. You can assign the priority for a task.

E.g. priority=high If you want to clear the priority for the task, just pass an empty string.

E.g. priority=

type

String. You can assign the task type for a task.

E.g. type=bug If you want to clear the task type for the task, just pass an empty string.

E.g. type=

**Supports x-callback-url**

On success you'll receive

x-task-id - String. The ID of the task created. x-task-url - String. The link to directly view the task.

**Edit**

**Task**

tasks:///edit?id=9E8AE2FF-F613-4E1B-A45B-DC37441725A6&title=Buy%20Milk

The above would edit the task with identifier

9E8AE2FF-F613-4E1B-A45B-DC37441725A6 . You can edit the following fields in the same way as described above for creating a task.

Note: You cannot edit the project for task using URL Schemes.

**Supports x-callback-url**

On success you'll receive

x-task-id - String. The ID of the task edited. x-task-url - String. The link to directly view the task.

**Open**

**Project**

tasks:///project?id=9E8AE2FF-F613-4E1B-A45B-DC37441725A6

The above would open the view for the Project with identifier

9E8AE2FF-F613-4E1B-A45B-DC37441725A6 . You can long press or right click a Project to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Smart List**

tasks:///smart-list?id=9E8AE2FF-F613-4E1B-A45B-DC37441725A6

The above would open the view for the Smart List with identifier

9E8AE2FF-F613-4E1B-A45B-DC37441725A6 . You can long press or right click a Smart List to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Filter**

tasks:///filter?id=0

The above would open the view for the Filter with identifier 0 . You can long press or right click a Filter to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Task**

tasks:///task?id=7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA

The above would open the Task's detail view with identifier

7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA . You can long press or right click a task to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Tag**

tasks:///tag?id=7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA

The above would open the view of tasks which contain the Tag with identifier 7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA . You can long press or right click a tag from the homescreen/sidebar to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Status**

tasks:///status?id=7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA

The above would open the view of tasks which contain the Status with identifier 7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA . You can long press or right click a status from the homescreen/sidebar to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Task Type**

tasks:///type?id=7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA

The above would open the view of tasks which contain the Type with identifier 7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA . You can long press or right click a type from the homescreen/sidebar to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Priority**

tasks:///priority?id=7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA

The above would open the view of tasks which contain the Priority with identifier 7E560938-F34C-4B6C-904F-1F208EE387BA . You can long press or right click a priority from the homescreen/sidebar to get the link by selecting the Copy link option from the drop down.

**Settings**

tasks:///settings

The above would open the settings screen for Tasks.