





Filter UI spec

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UI Filter Builder Component Specification


Purpose

A visual component that allows users to build complex logical filters using **rules** and **groups of rules**. It reflects the structure of the following schema (inspired by Hex's filter UI).

Data Schema Overview

The filter UI works on the following fields:

Column Name	Description
<code>brand_names</code>	Brand name text field
<code>manufacturer_d_names</code>	Manufacturer descriptive names
<code>product_codes</code>	Product codes
<code>event_type</code>	Type of the event
<code>event_text</code>	Raw event text
<code>event_text_description</code>	Description of the event
<code>event_text_additional</code>	Any additional event info
<code>patient_problems</code>	Patient-related problems
<code>product_problems</code>	Product-related problems
<code>web_address</code>	Associated web address

	All columns (special option)
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UI Elements

1. Filter Rule Block

Each rule consists of:

- **Column Selector** (dropdown: includes all columns +)
- **Operator Selector** (context-aware, options based on column selection)
- **Value Field** (text input or multiselect based on operator)

Supported Operators:

- `contains_substring`
- `contains_word`
- `not_contains`
- `not_contains_word`
- `in`
- `not_in`



Example:

Column: brand_names
Operator: contains_word
Value: Promark

2. Filter Group Block

- A **group** can contain any number of filters or nested groups
- Logical operator: `AND` / `OR` toggle
- UI: Indented block for visual nesting

Interactions

- **+ Add Filter:** Adds a rule inside the current group
- **+ Add Filter Group:** Adds a nested group
-  **Delete:** Deletes a rule or a group
-  **Toggle Operator:** Switch between **AND** / **OR**

Layout Behavior

- Indented display for nested groups
- Visual clarity through borders and light separators
- Collapsible nested groups (optional enhancement)

Wireframe Mockup

Below is a wireframe-style mockup illustrating the component UI based on your schema and an example filter configuration.

Filter Configuration Modeled:

```
{
  "logical_operator": "or",
  "rules": [
    {
      "column": "*",
      "operator": "contains_substring",
      "value": "Aseptico"
    },
    {
      "logical_operator": "and",
      "rules": [
        {
          "column": "brand_names",
          "operator": "contains_word",
          "value": "Promark"
        },

```

```

{
  "column": "manufacturer_d_names",
  "operator": "not_contains",
  "value": "Hifi"
}
],
{
  "column": "Manufacturer",
  "operator": "in",
  "value": ["a", "b", "c"]
}
]
}

```

OR

*

contains substring

⊗

manufacturer_

Promark

⊗

AND

brand_names

does not contain

⊗

Manufacturer

in a b c

⊗

+ Add filter

+ Add filter group

Validation Rules (UI-Only)

- If column is , only allow `contains_substring` or `contains_word`
 - Operators like `in` , `not_in` require multi-select input
 - Display user-friendly messages for invalid combinations
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Example Use Cases

1. Simple Filter

Find rows where `brand_names` contains word "Promark".

2. Nested Filter

Find rows where either:

- Any column contains "Aseptico"
- OR `brand_names` contains "Promark" **AND** `manufacturer_d_names` does **not** contain "Hifi"

Deliverables

- Dynamic rule creation
- Nested group support
- Operator- and column-aware UI logic
- Schema-limited column list