WORKFLOWS SYNTAX



# Cheat sheet

https://cloud.google.com/workflows/docs/reference/syntax/

# RUNTIME ARGUMENTS

```
main:
   params: [args]
   steps:
        - read_runtime_args:
        assign:
        - arg1: ${args.arg1}
        - arg2: ${args.arg2}
```

# VARIABLES AND DATA TYPES

```
- data_types:
   assign:
                           # 64 bit, signed
     - my_integer: 1
                        # 64 bit, signed floating point number
     - my_double: 4.1
      - my_string: "hello" # unicode <= 64kB length
     - my_boolean: true # true/false, True/False, TRUE/FALSE
      - my_null: null
      - my_list: ["zero", "one", "two"]
     - my_map:
          name: Lila
          last_name: Barton
          birthYear: 1990
- conversion_functions:
   assign:
      - to_double: double("2.7") # string, integer to double
      - to_int: int(2.7)
                                 # string, double to integer
      - to_string: string(1.7)
                                # int, double, boolean to string
```

# **BOOLEAN**

```
- logical_ops:
    assign:
    - my_true: true
    - my_false: false
    - my_false: ${my_true and my_false}
    - my_true: ${my_true or my_false}
    - my_false: ${not my_true}
```

# STRINGS

```
- string_ops:
    assign:
        - my_string: "hello"
        - string_len: ${len(my_string)}
        - string_plus_string: ${my_string+" "+"world"}
        - string_plus_int: ${my_string+" "+string(my_integer)}
        - string_escaped: '${"a: " +my_string}'
```

# LISTS

```
- list_ops:
    assign:
    - my_list: ["zero", "one", "two"]
    - my_list_len: ${len(my_list)}
    - key_exists: ${"Key1" in my_list}
    - my_list[0]: 0
    - idx: 0
    - my_list[idx + 1]: 1
    - my_list[my_list_len - 1]: 2
    - my_list: ${list.concat(my_list, 3)}
    - my_multi_dimen_list: [[10, 11, 12], [20, 21, 22]]
    - my_multi_dimen_list[0][1]: "Value11"
```

# MAPS

```
- map_ops:
    assign:
        - my_map: {"Key1": "hello"}
        - map_len: ${len(my_map)}
        - key_exists: ${"Key1" in my_map}
        - key_list: ${keys(my_map)}
        - key_list: ${keys(my_map)}
        - key_is_null: ${default(map.get(my_map, "Key1"), "Key not found.")}
        - my_map.Key1: "Value1"
        - my_map["Key2"]: "Value2"
        - key_str: "Key"
        - my_map[key_str + "3"]: "Value3"
        - my_nested_map: {"NestedMapKey": {"Key1":"Value1"}}
        - my_nested_map.NestedMapKey.Key2: "Value2"
```

# **CONTROLLING FLOW**

```
- step_with_next:
    assign:
      - foo: "bar'
    next: step_with_nested_steps
- step with end:
    assign:
      - foo: "bar"
    next: end
- step_with_nested_steps:
    steps:
      - nested_step_1:
          assign:
            - foo: "bar"
      - nested_step_2:
          assign:
            - foo: "bar"
```

### ITERATION

```
- for-in-list:
    steps:
      - assignList:
          assign:
            - list: [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
            - sum: 0
      - loopList:
          for:
            value: v
            in: ${list}
            steps:
              - sumList:
                  assign:
                       - sum: \{sum + v\}
- for-in-map:
    steps:
      - assignMap:
          assign:
            - map: {1: 10, 2: 20, 3: 30}
            - sum: 0
      - loopMap:
          for:
            value: key
            in: ${keys(map)}
            steps:
              - sumMap:
                  assign:
                    - sum: ${sum + map[key]}
- for-range:
    steps:
      - assignRange:
          assign:
            - sum: 0
      - loopRange:
          for:
            value: v
            range: [1, 9]
            steps:
              - sumRange:
                  assign:
                     - sum: ${sum + v}
```

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PARALLEL BRANCHES
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```
- parallel_branches:
   parallel:
      shared: [user, notification]
      branches:
        - getUser:
            steps:
              - getUserCall:
                  call: http.get
                  args:
                    url: ${"https://example.com/users/" + args.userId}
                  result: user
        - getNotification:
            steps:
              - getNotificationCall:
                  call: http.get
                  args:
                   url: ${"https://example.com/notification/" + args.notificationId}
                  result: notification
```

# PARALLEL ITERATION

```
- parallel_loop:
   parallel:
     shared: [total]
     for:
       value: postId
       in: ${args.posts}
       steps:
         - getPostCommentCount:
             call: http.get
               url: ${"https://example.com/postComments/" + postId}
              result: numComments
         - add:
              assign:
                - total: ${total + numComments}
```

# SUBWORKFLOWS

```
- call_subworkflow:
   call: subworkflow_name_message
   args:
     first_name: "Sherlock"
     last_name: "Holmes"
   result: output
subworkflow_name_message:
 params: [first_name, last_name, country: "England"]
 steps:
    - prepareMessage:
        return: ${"Hello " + first_name + " " + last_name + " from " + country + "."}
```

```
- switch basic:
    switch:
      - condition: ${my_integer < 10}
        next: switch_embedded_steps
      - condition: ${my_boolean}
        next: switch_embedded_steps
      - condition: true # optional, default condition
        next: switch_embedded_steps
   next: switch_embedded_steps
- switch_embedded_steps:
   switch:
      - condition: ${my_integer < 10}
        steps:
          - stepA:
              assign:
               - foo: "bar"
          - stepB:
              assign:
                - foo: "bar"
```

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CONNECTORS
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```
# https://cloud.google.com/workflows/docs/reference/googleapis
## googleapis.compute.v1
- insert_machine:
    call: googleapis.compute.v1.instances.insert
    args:
        project: ${projectID}
        zone: europe-west1-b
        body:
        name: my-machine
        machineType: zones/europe-west1-b/e2-small
        disks:
        - initializeParams:
            sourceImage: "projects/debian-cloud/global/images/debian-10-buster-v123"
        boot: true
        autoDelete: true
        networkInterfaces:
        - network: "global/networks/default"
```

# STANDARD LIBRARY

```
# https://cloud.google.com/workflows/docs/reference/stdlib/overview
## http
- http_get:
    call: http.get
    args:
      url: https://en.wikipedia.org/w/api.php
      headers:
        Content-Type: "text/plain"
      query:
        action: opensearch
        search: monday
    result: wikiResult
- http_post:
    call: http.post
    aras:
      url: https://us-central1-myproject.cloudfunctions.net/myfunc
        type: OIDC
      body:
        some_val: "Hello World"
        another_val: 123
    result: the_message
## sys
- log:
    call: sys.log
    args:
      data: ${wikiResult}
- get_env_vars:
    assign:
      - projectNumber: ${sys.get_env("GOOGLE_CLOUD_PROJECT_NUMBER")}
      - projectID: ${sys.get_env("GOOGLE_CLOUD_PROJECT_ID")}
      - location: ${sys.get_env("GOOGLE_CLOUD_LOCATION")}
      - workflowId: ${sys.get_env("GOOGLE_CLOUD_WORKFLOW_ID")}
      - workflowRevisionId: ${sys.get_env("GOOGLE_CLOUD_WORKFLOW_REVISION_ID")}
      - workflowExecutionId: ${sys.get_env("GOOGLE_CLOUD_WORKFLOW_EXECUTION_ID")}
- get now:
    assign:
      - now: ${sys.now()}
- wait:
    call: sys.sleep
    args:
      seconds: 10
```



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RAISE ERRORS
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```
- raise_custom_string_error:
    raise: "Something went wrong."
- raise_custom_map_error:
    raise:
     code: 55
      message: "Something went wrong."
```

```
- try_retry_except:
    try:
      steps: # steps is only needed if multiple steps
        - step_a:
            call: http.get
            args:
              url: https://host.com/api
            result: api_response1
        - step_b:
            call: http.get
            args:
              url: https://host.com/api2
            result: api_response2
    # retry is optional
    # Either, you can use a retry with default policy
    # retry: ${http.default_retry}
    # Or, you can use a more fine-grained policy
    # retry:
    # predicate: ${http.default_retry_predicate}
       max_retries: 10
       backoff:
           initial_delay: 1
           max_delay: 90
           multiplier: 3
    except:
      as: e
      steps:
        - known_errors:
            switch:
            - condition: ${not("HttpError" in e.tags)}
              return: "Connection problem."
            - condition: ${e.code == 404}
              return: "Sorry, URL wasn't found."
            - condition: ${e.code == 403}
              return: "Authentication error."
        - unhandled_exception:
            raise: ${e}
```

# RETURN FROM WORKFLOW

```
- return_multiple_values:
    return:
     my_integer: ${my_integer}
      my_string: ${my_string}
     my_true: ${my_true}
     my_false: ${my_false}
      my_list: ${my_list}
     my_multi_dimen_list: ${my_multi_dimen_list}
      my_map: ${my_map}
     my_nested_map: ${my_nested_map}
- return_single_value:
    return: ${my_integer}
```

