

JIRA-Tosca Integration using Tosca Connect

For Tasktop Version 17.3 and above

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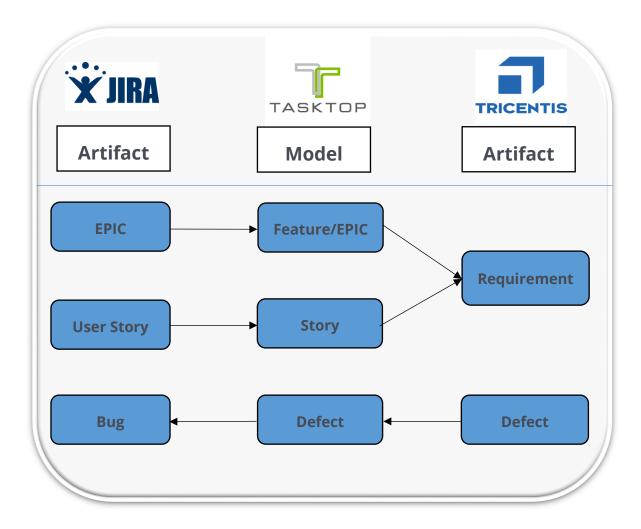
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1 Introduction

JIRA-Tosca integration is a process where we sync the artifacts between both tools. For this integration, we use a third-party tool Tasktop Integration Hub. Tasktop provides the integration between serval tools with its effective model feature. Following picture will explain how JIRA-Tosca integration happens using Tasktop.



EPIC: It is essentially a large user story that can be broken-down into a number of smaller stories.

User Story:- A story or user story is a software system requirement that is expressed in a few short sentences, ideally using non-technical language.

Bug: - An issue could represent a software bug

In this integration, we are connecting EPIC and UserStory of JIRA with the Requirement session of Tosca so that whenever a new Epic or user story get created in JIRA it will automatically get linked to the Requirement of Tosca. Vice versa whenever a defect is created in Tosca it will automatically reflected as a new issue in JIRA.



2 Prerequisite

Following are the prerequisite from each tool.

1. JIRA

- > JIRA should be installed locally or at a remote server with at list one project created inside it.
- > A separate user should be available for the Tasktop.

2. Tasktop

> Tasktop should be installed locally or at a remote server with valid license.

3. Tosca

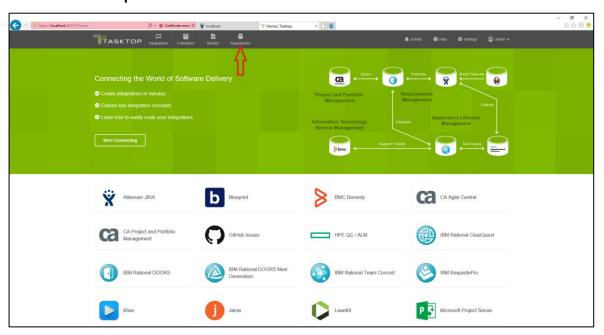
- One multiuser workspace
- > A dedicated user for Tasktop
- > Rest API should be working properly [To communicate with workspace]
- > One empty requirement set



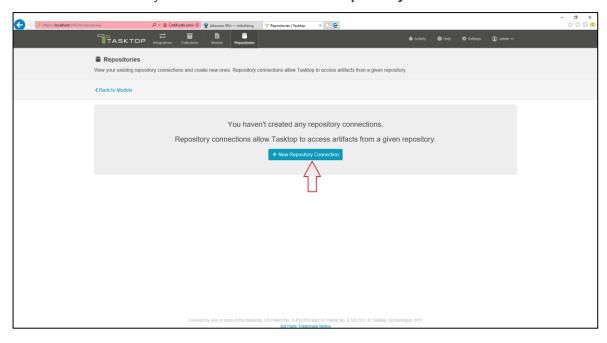
3 JIRA-Tosca Integration Process

To start the JIRA-Tosca integration first we require to login to the Tasktop. To create the integration, we use right to left approach in Tasktop, it means that first we create the Repositories then collections and finally we do the integrations. Following are the step by step process of integration after logging in to the Tasktop.

1. Click on the **Repositories** menu

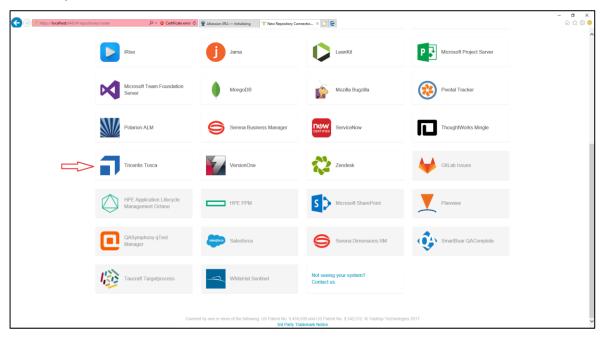


2. Repository is a connection between your tool and Tasktop, it allows Tasktop to communicate with your tool. Here click on **New Repository Connection** button





3. First we will create the connection between Tosca and Tasktop, for that we will select the option **Tricentis Tosca**



4. Now we will provide the connection details,

Label: -Name of the connection

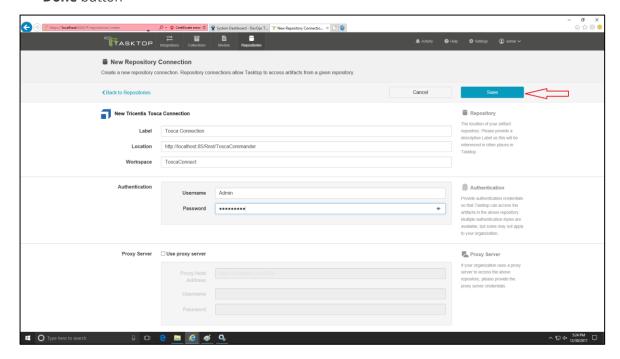
Location: -Provide the Rest API path [Make sure your Rest API is working properly]

Workspace: -Provide the workspace name

Username: -Username of workspace [Dedicated user of Tasktop]

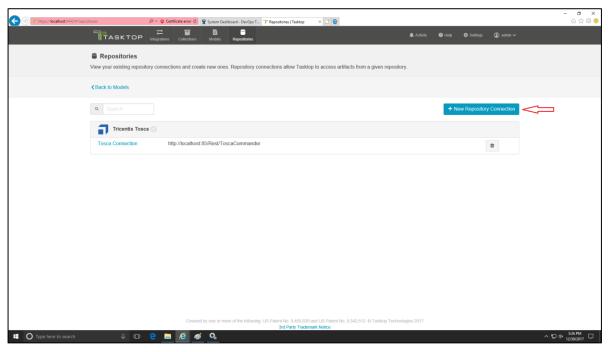
Password: -Password of the user

After this click on **Save** button and wait for establishing the connection, then click on **Done** button

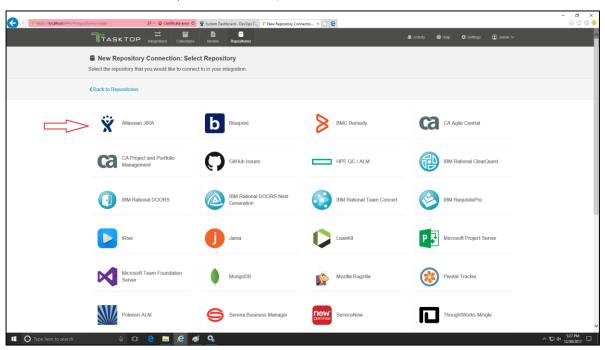




5. Now you can see that your connection is created, similarly we will create the connection for JIRA for that again click on **New Repository Connection** button



6. Now we will select the option Atlassian JIRA





7. Now provide the connection details of JIRA

Label: -Provide the name for the connection

Location: -Provide the URL of JIRA

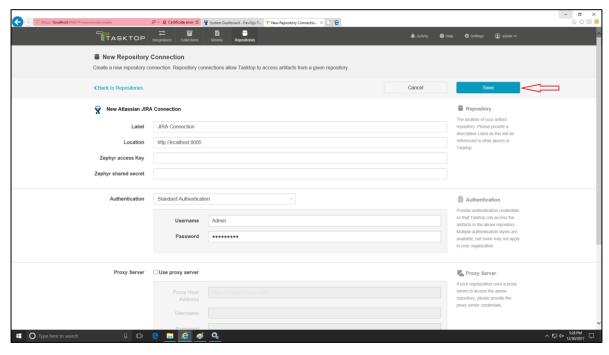
Authentication: -Select Standard Authentication from the drop-down list

Username: -Provide the username of JIRA [Dedicated user of Tasktop]

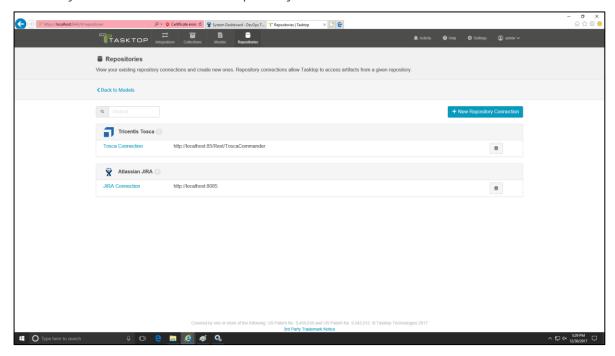
Password: -Provide the password of the user

After this click on Save button and wait for establishing the connection, then click on

Done button

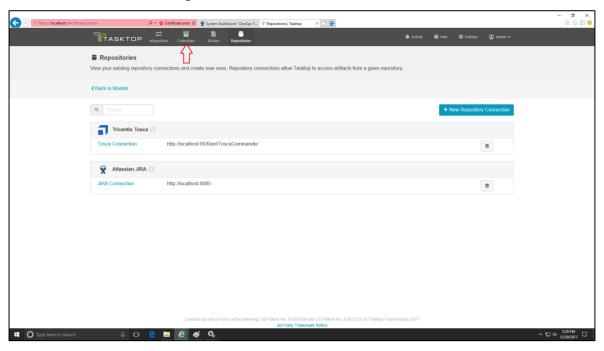


8. Now you can see that both the repository has created

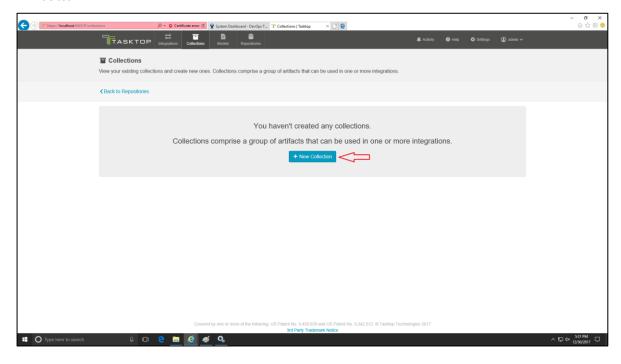




9. Now click on **Collections** menu. Collections comprise a group of artifacts that can be used in one or more integrations.

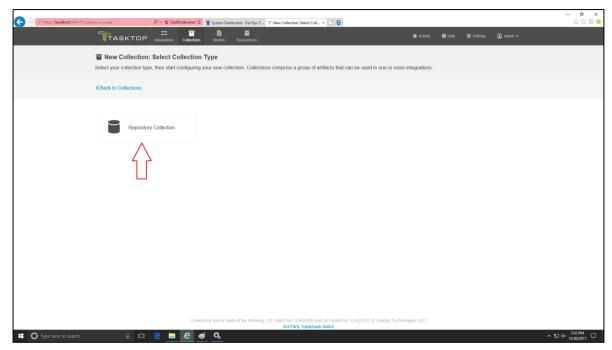


10. Now we will require to create 6 collections 3 of JIRA [EPIC, UserStory, Bug] and 3 for Tosca [EPIC, UserStory, Bug]. For creating collections, we will click on **New Collection** button





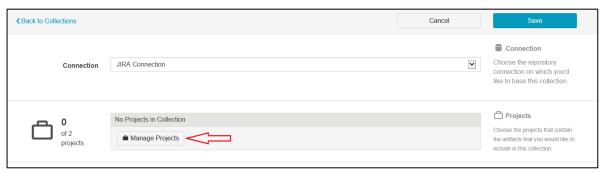
11. Now we will choose collection type as **Repository Collection**



12. First we are creating the collection for JIRA EPIC, so we will provide the appropriate name and from connection we will select the **JIRA Connection**

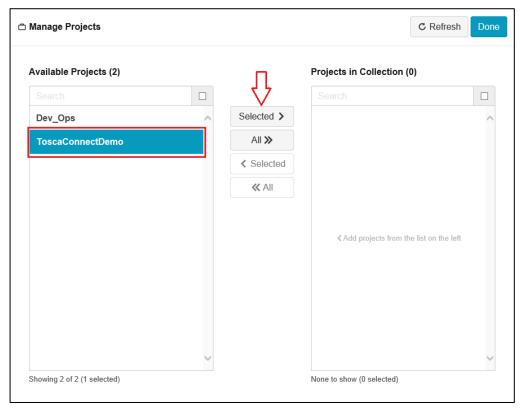


13. Now click on **Manage Projects**

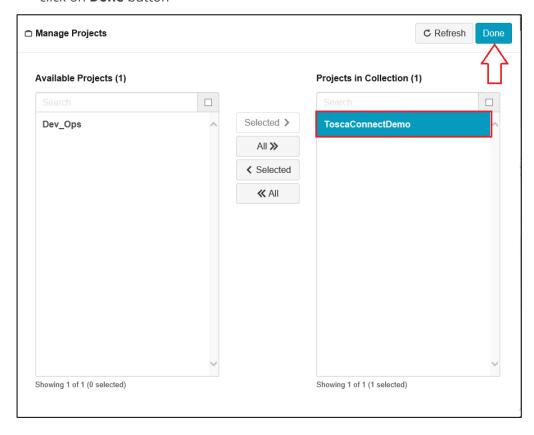




14. All the projects available inside JIRA will be displayed here, from the list choose your project and click on **Selected** button

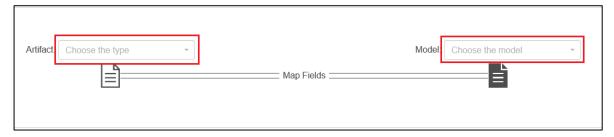


15. Once you select your project, it will move on the right-hand side of the window, now click on **Done** button





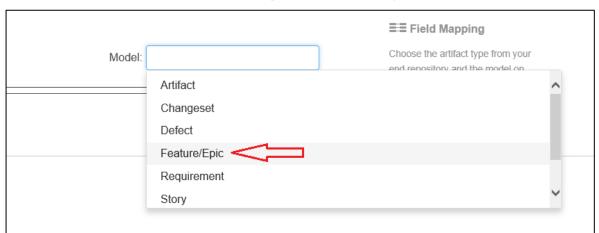
16. Once you select your project you will get two more option one for selecting Artifact of JIRA and second is for choosing the Model of Tasktop



17. Here we want to create the collection for JIRA Epic, so we will choose the Artifact **Epic** from the drop-down list.

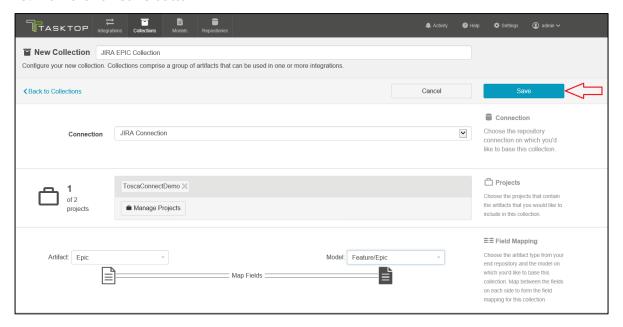


18. After this we will choose the **Feature/Epic** Model of Tasktop

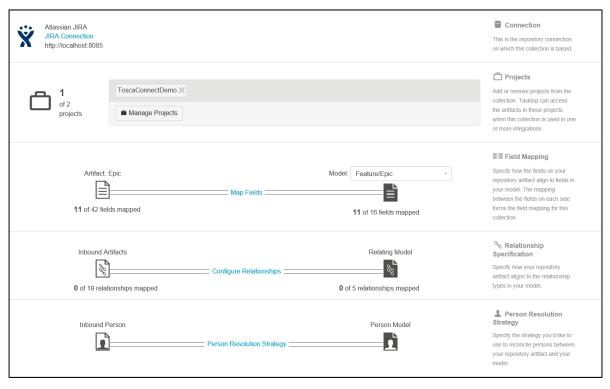




19. Now click on **Save** button

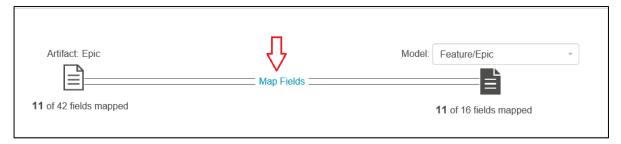


20. Now your collection is created and you can see different type of sub artifacts are mapped

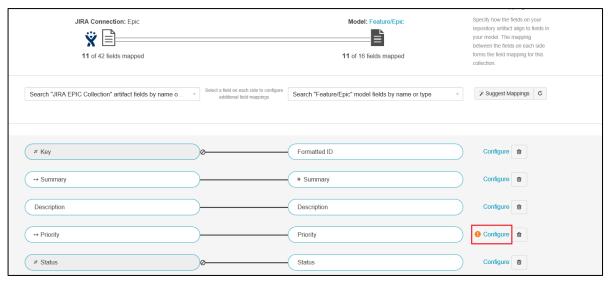




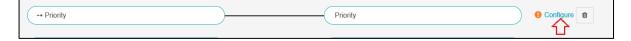
21. Now click on **Map Fields** link



22. Now you can see the error mark at Priority field which means that it is not mapped properly



23. Now click on **Configure** link to see the configuration



24. Here we can see that Highest and Lowest priority are not mapped. The reason behind that is we do have a priority Highest and Lowest available in EPIC schema of JIRA but we don't have these two priorities in Feature/Epic model of Tasktop.

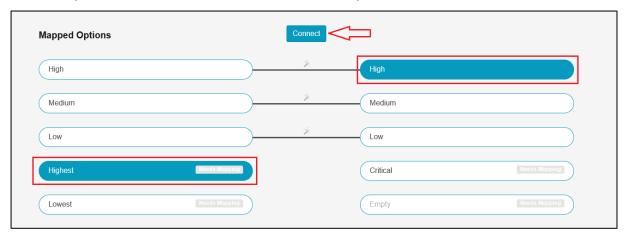




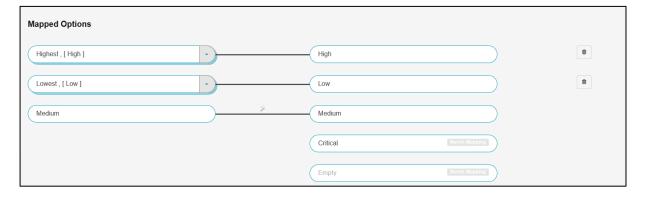
25. Now we are required to connect this priority type with the available priority type in Feature Epic model, for that first we will select **Highest** from JIRA



26. Next we will map this with High priority of Tasktop, for that we will choose **High** from Tasktop, then we will click on **Connect** button to map both the fields

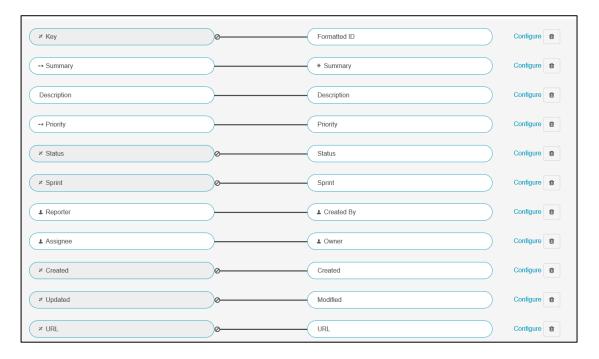


27. In similar way, we will map Lowest with Low, after this click on **Save** button and then click on **Done** button

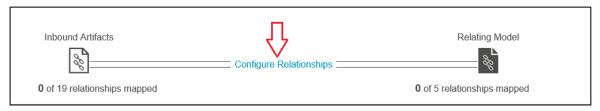




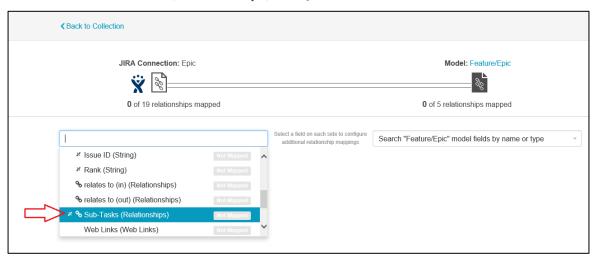
28. Now you will see all the fields are mapped properly



29. Now click on **Configure Relationship** link

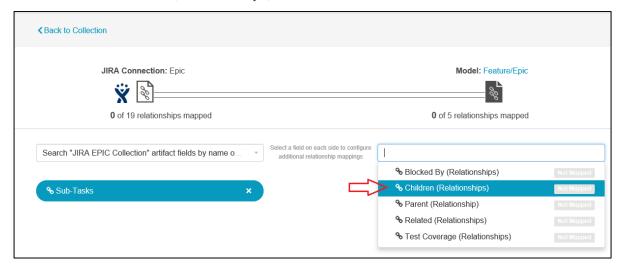


30. Here choose Sub Task(Relationships) from JIRA Connection

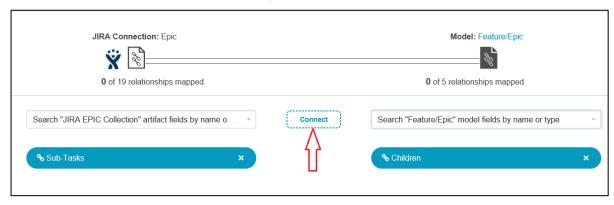




31. Now choose **Children(Relationships)** from model

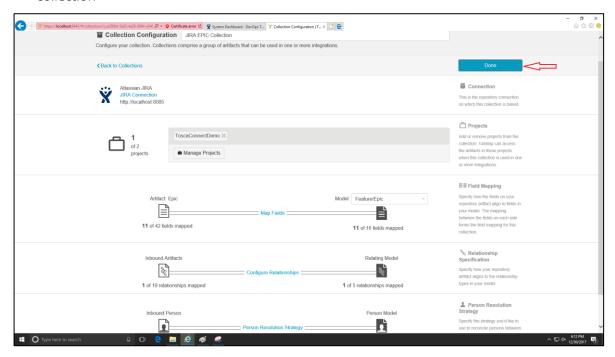


- 32. Now click on **Connect** button, now your relationship is created. After this click on **Save** and then **Done** button.
 - Here we are telling the Tasktop that that this Epic may contain the sub-task also which can be considered as children of the epic.





33. Now our collection is created properly, after this click on **Done** button to complete the collection

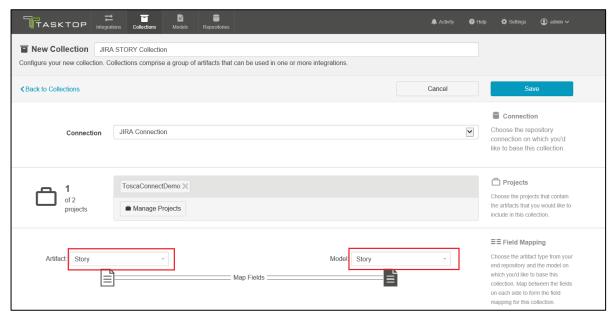


34. JIRA EPIC Collection is ready, in similar way we will create the remaining collection, for that we will again click on **New Collection** button

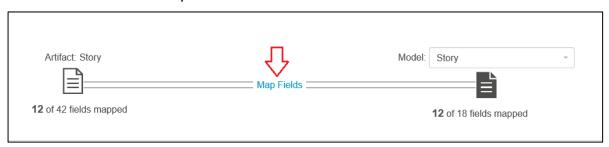




35. Now we will create collection for JIRA UserStory for that we will choose **Story** artifact from JIRA and **Story** model from Tasktop



36. Here we will click on Map Fields link

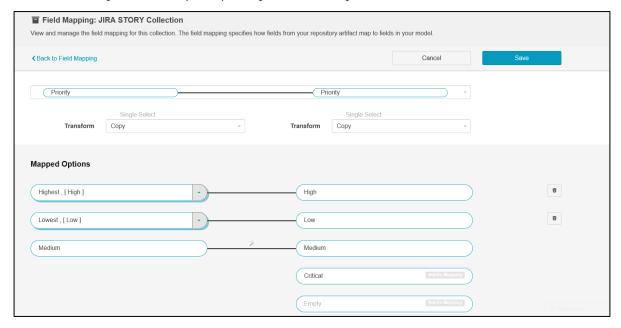


37. We will again click on **configure** on priority field

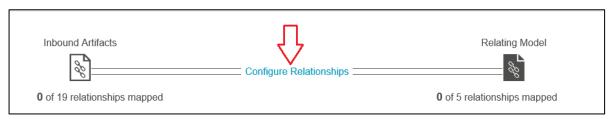




38. In same way, we will map the priority field for story



39. Now we will configure the **Relationship**

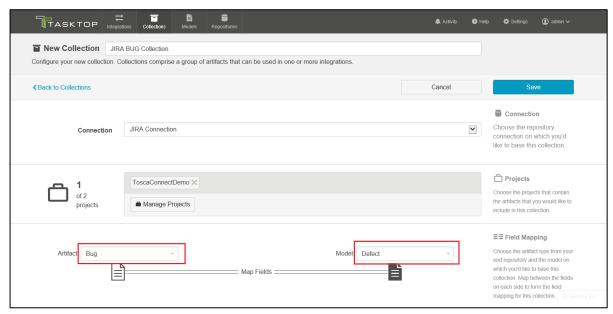


40. Here we will connect Epic Link to Parent. We will save this collection and our JIRA User story collection is ready.

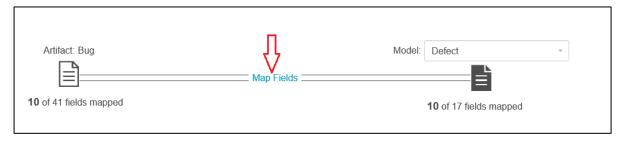




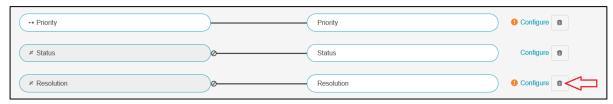
41. Now we will create the JIRA Bug collection, for this we will map **Bug** artifact of JIRA with **Defect** model of Tasktop



42. We will map the fields



43. Here we can see that two fields are not mapped properly, as we are not going to use Resolution filed, we will simply delete this field. After this we will map the Priority field like we map for EPIC and User Story collections and at the end we will save this collection. Now our JIRA Bug collection is ready to use.

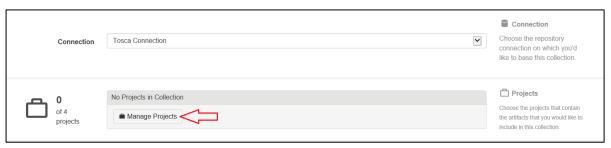




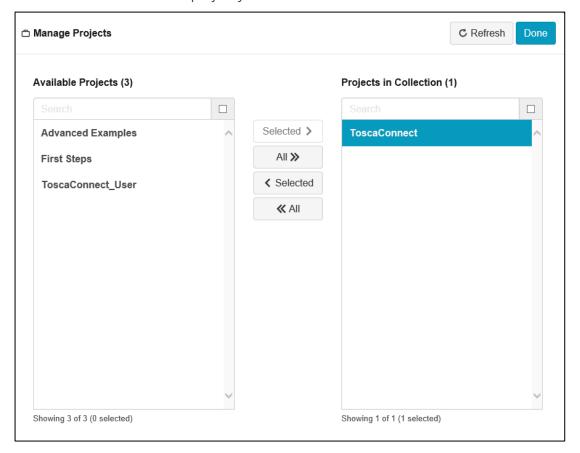
44. Now our JIRA Collections are ready and we will create the Tosca Collections. First we will create the Tosca EPIC Collection, for this we will choose the Tosca Connection.



45. Now we will again click on Manage Projects to select project

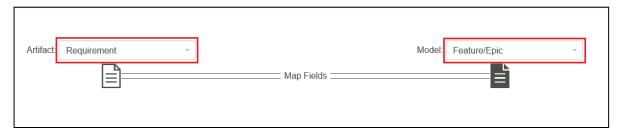


46. From the list choose the project you want to use and then click on **Done** button





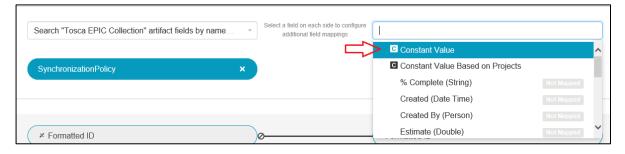
47. For this collection, we will choose **Requirement** as artifact from Tosca and **Feature/Epic** model from Tasktop. For JIRA EPIC Collection, we have already chosen the model Feature/Epic and for Tosca also we have choose the Feature/Epic Model, so this model is standing in-between this artifact to flow the data from one end to another end.



48. Next thing is to **Map Fields**, here we are required to map one extra field. For this we will choose the field **SyncronizationPolicy**

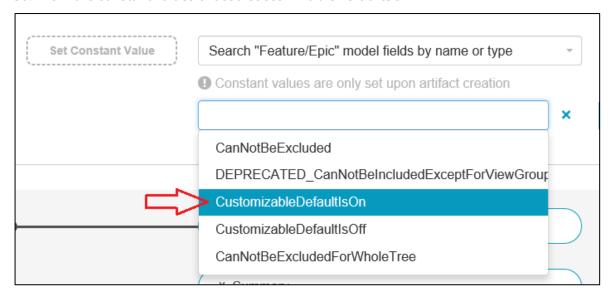


49. From **Feature/Epic** model we will choose **Constant Value** and wait for some time to load the constant values

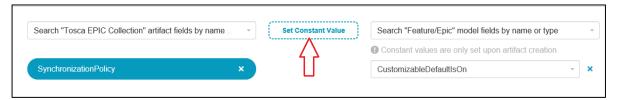




50. From the constant values choose **CustomizableDefaultsOn**



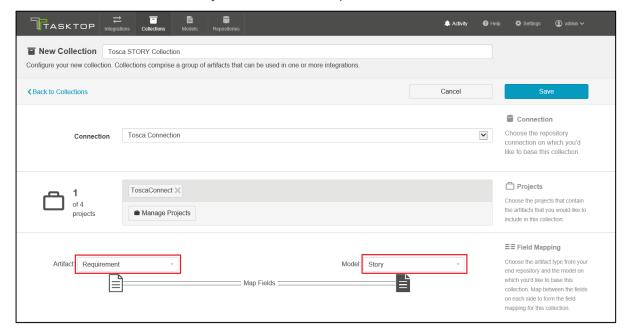
51. Now we will click on **Set Constant Value** button, and save the collection. Now Tosca EPIC Collection is ready to use.



Here we are adding one extra mapping **SynchronizationPolicy** to know more about this read this KB article

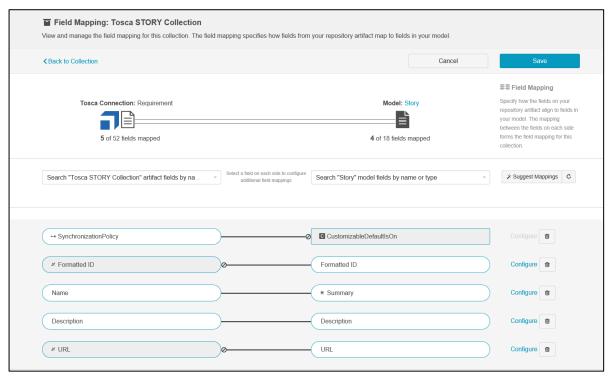
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52. Now we will create Tosca STORY Collection, For this we will choose the Requirement artifact from Tosca and Story model from Tasktop.

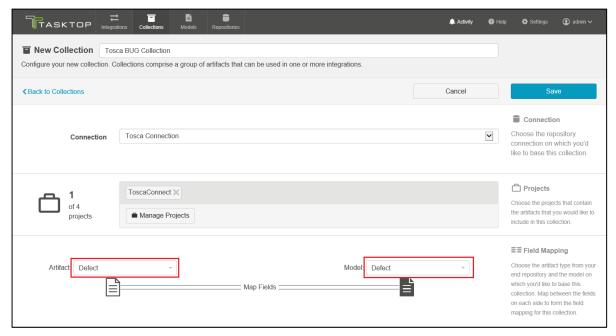




53. Now again we will map the extra field i.e. SynchronizationPolicy. Now save the collection and our Tosca Story Collection is ready to use.

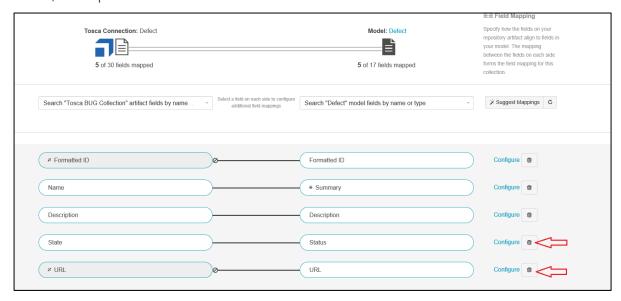


54. Now we will create our last collection i.e. Tosca Bug Collection, for this we will choose Defect artifact from Tosca and Defect model from Tasktop.

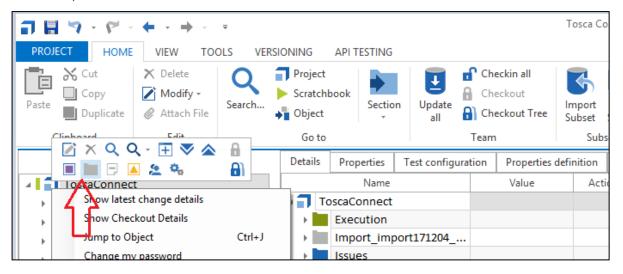




55. Here two extra field are mapped and we don't require that so we will delete state and URL fields. Now we need to map the Priority field, but if we search in the artifacts field of Tosca then we will not be able to see this field because it is not available inside Tosca. So, we required to create this filed inside Tosca.

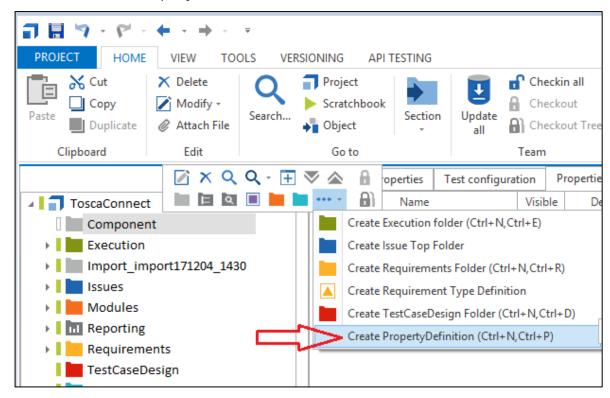


56. To create this filed inside Tosca open the workspace you have choose for this integration and checkout the workspace. Now create one Component folder inside workspace.

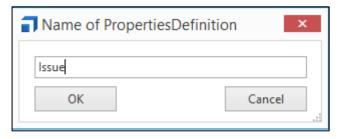




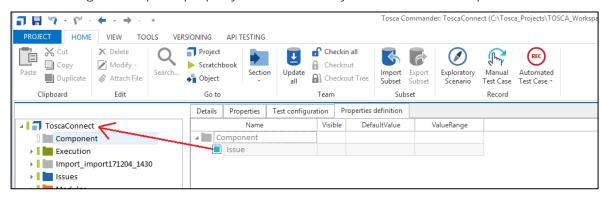
57. Now create one Property Definition for this folder



58. Name this PropertiesDefination to **Issue** and click on OK

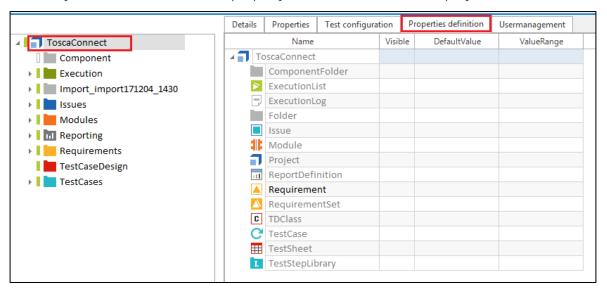


59. Now drag and drop this property definition to Project level of the workspace

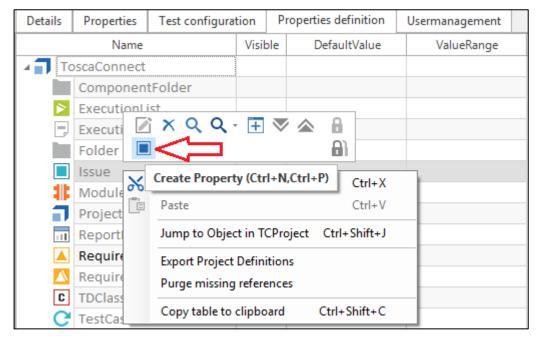




60. Now you will be able to see this property definition at root level of project

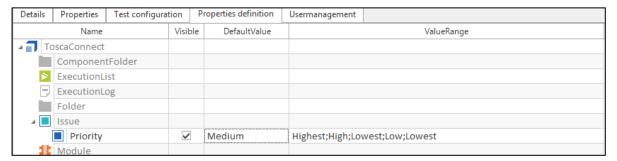


61. Now right click on property definition and choose the option create property





62. Now rename this property to Priority and Put the **ValueRange** as "Highest;High;Medium;Low;Lowest". Give "Medium" as default value and save the workspace. Now check-in all so that changes will get reflected to all the users.



63. Go back to Tasktop again and click on Refresh button which is just next to Suggest Mappings

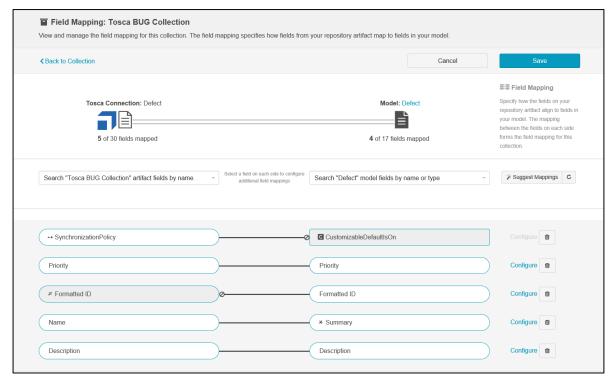


64. You will be able to see Priority filed, Now connect this mapping with Priority field of Defect model

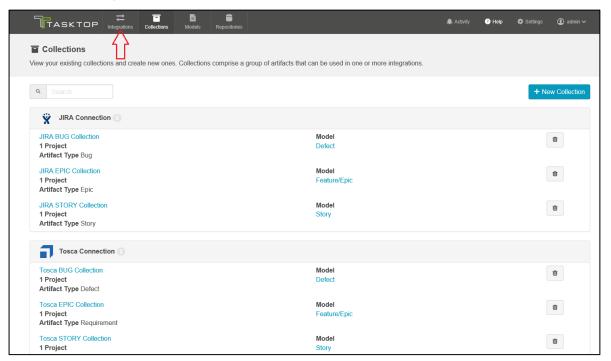




65. Now also map the SychronizationPolicy field and save the collection

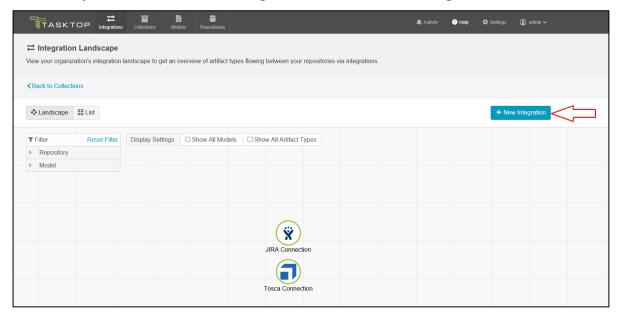


66. Our all 6 collections are ready to use, now next thing is to do the integration between this collection so that they can synchronized the data. Click on Integrations menu to start the integrations

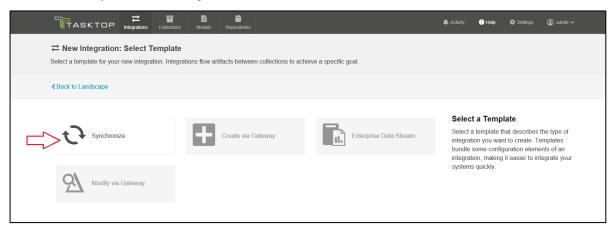




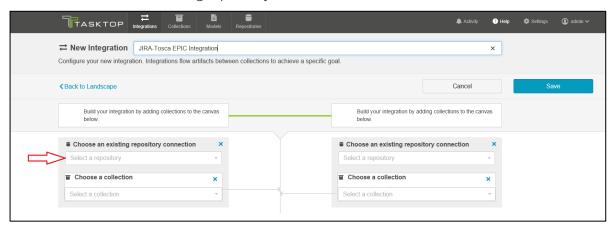
67. Here we are required to create the 3 integrations, one is for Epic collection, second is for Story collection and last is for Bug Collection. Click on New Integration



68. From the options choose Synchronize

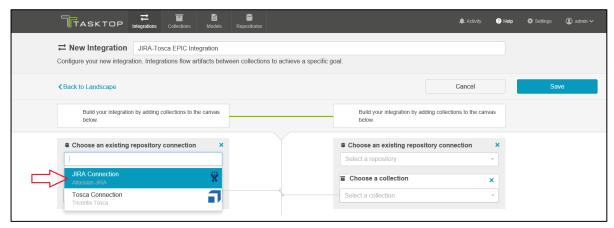


69. First we will create integration for Epic Collection. Provide the appropriate name. Now click on "Choose an existing repository connection".

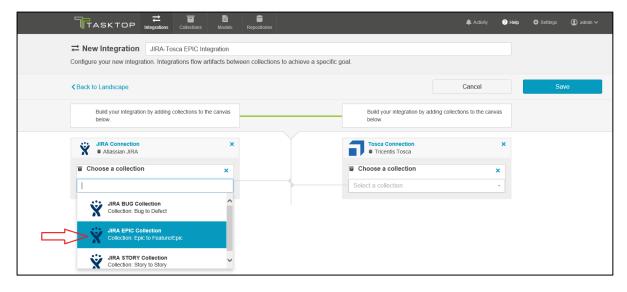




70. Now select JIRA Connection from the list and same way choose the Tosca Connection from right hand side.

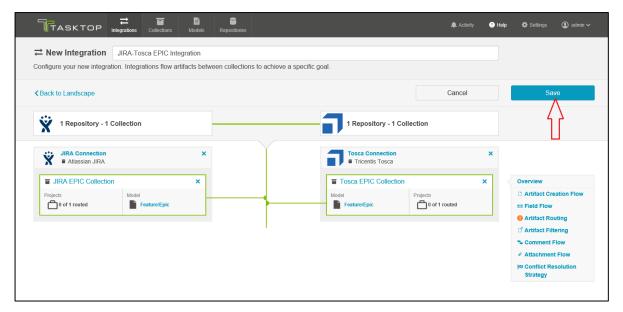


71. Now choose JIRA Epic Collection from left hand side and Tosca Epic collection from right hand side





72. Click on Save button

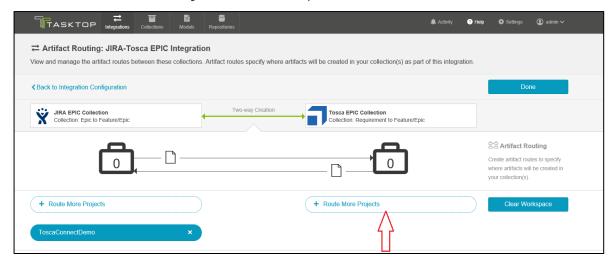


73. Now you will see an error at Artifact Routing, click on it to configure it correctly

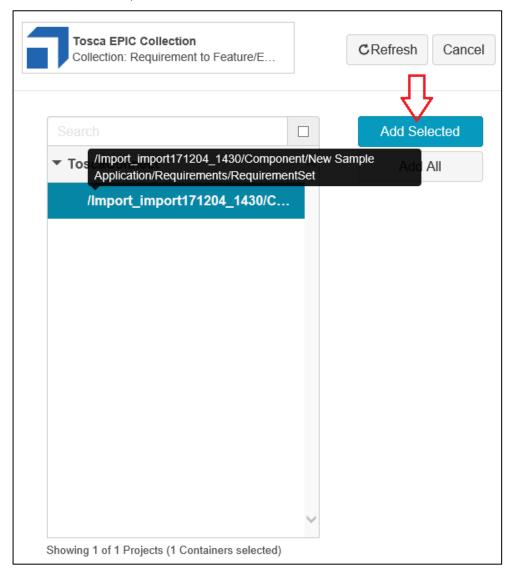




74. Click on Route More Projects from Tosca Epic Collection side

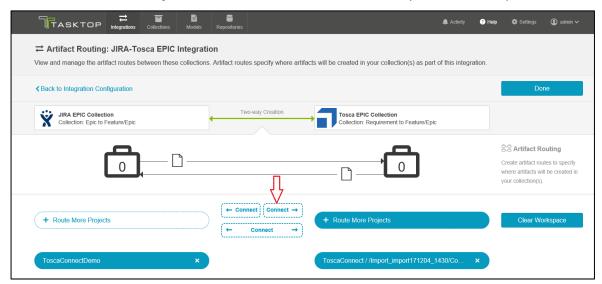


75. Choose the RequirementSet from the list and click on Add Selected

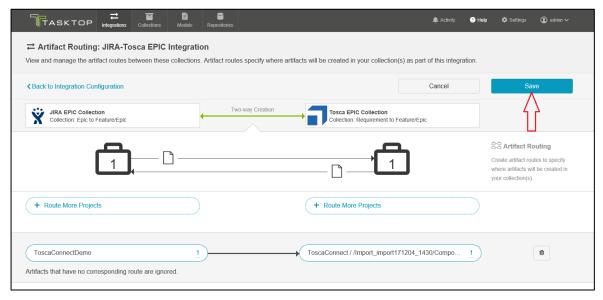




76. Now you can see three connection options are available, one for both way connect and two for single way connect. Here we are connecting JIRA Epic to Tosca Requirement so we will select one way connect which will connect from JIRA Epic to Tosca Requirement

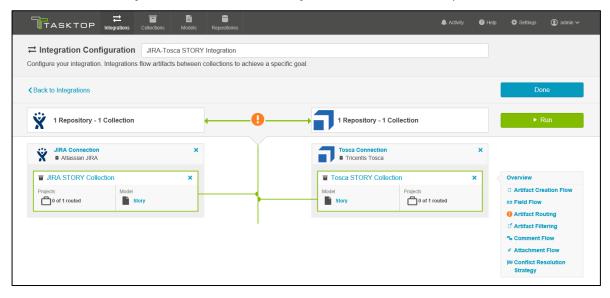


77. Once you click on connect button you will see the connection, now click on **Save** button and then click on **Done** button. Now our JIRA-Tosca Epic is ready to use

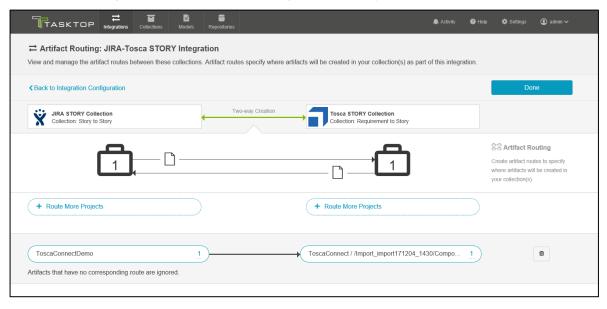




78. Same way we will create the integration for JIRA-Tosca Story collection, here we will choose JIRA Story collection and Tosca Story Collection from the respective side

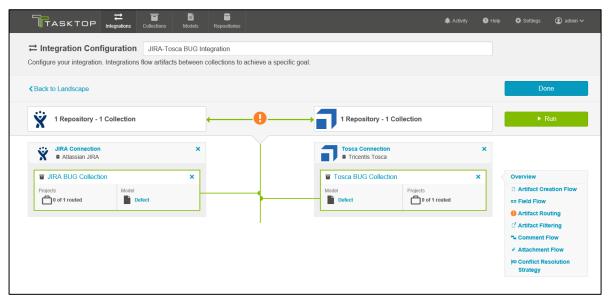


79. Now we will do the artifact routing and we will choose single direction routing. Now save this integration and our second integration is ready to use

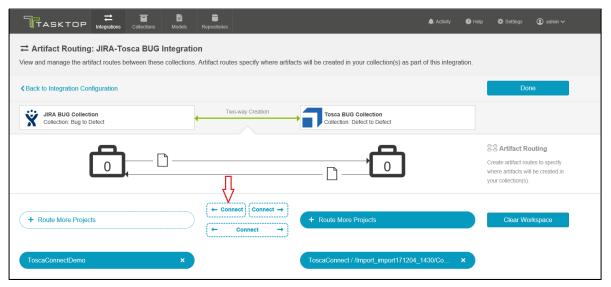




80. Now we will create the last integration for JIRA-Tosca Bug Integration, here choose JIRA Bug Collection and Tosca Bug Collection from the respective side

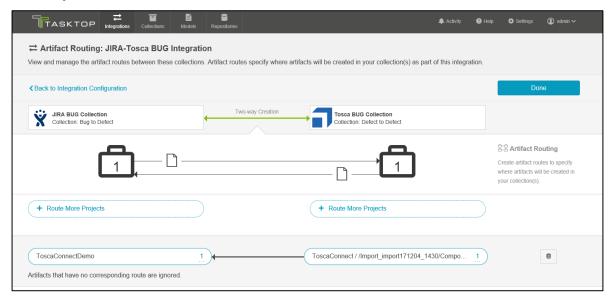


81. In defect integration, we will sync defect of Tosca with Bug of JIRA, so we here we will choose left single connect.

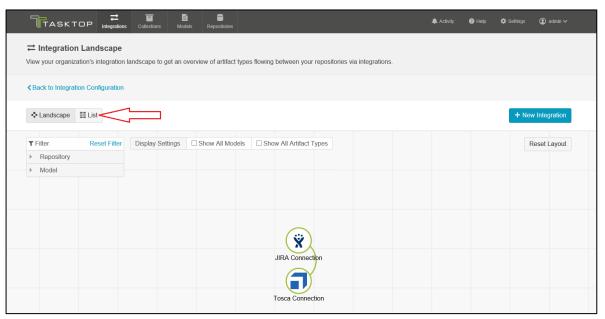




82. Once you select the connection click on Save and Done and your last integration is ready to use

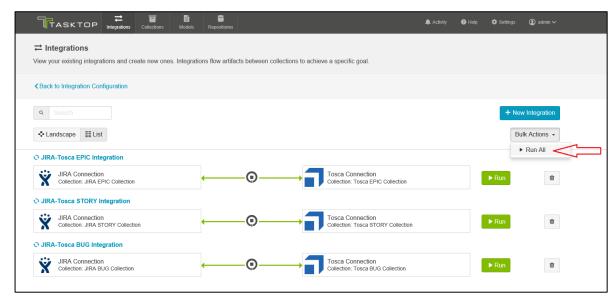


83. Go back to the integration and click on **List** button

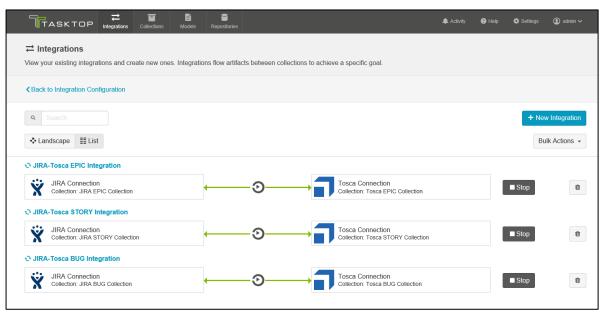




84. You will be able to see all integrations in single window, now click on Bulk Actions and then Run All.

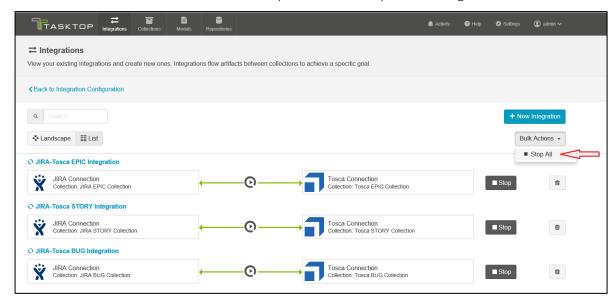


85. Now you all integrations are running, you can start or stop them individually

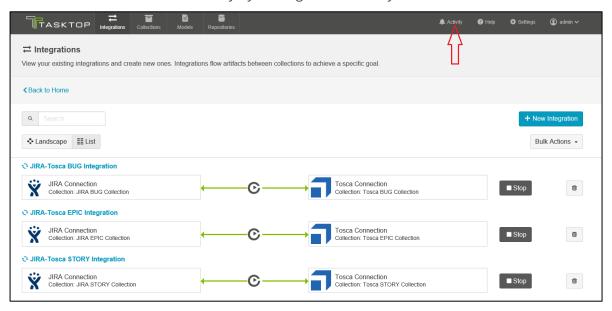




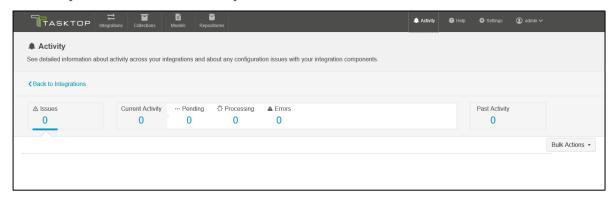
86. Now click on Bulk Actions and then Stop All, this will stop all the integrations



87. You can track the current activity by clicking on the Activity link



88. Here you can track all the activity details



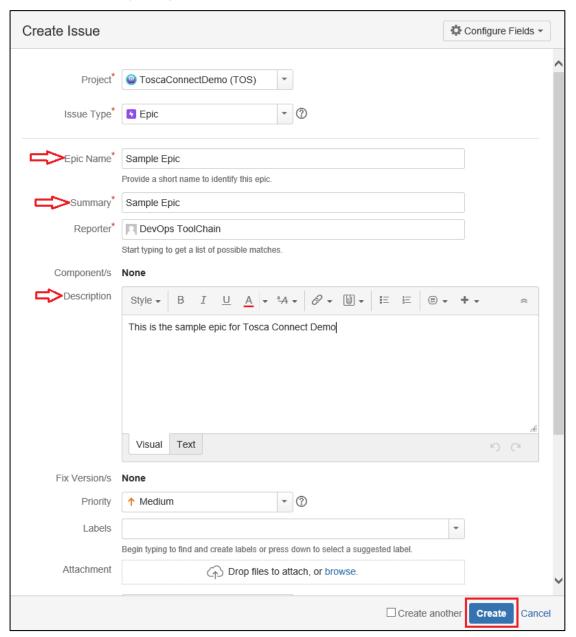


4 Hands-on Example

1. Log in to the JIRA and click on **Create**

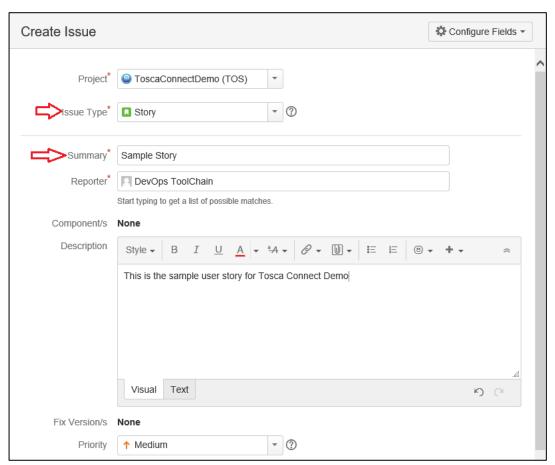


2. Now choose **Issue Type** as Epic, Put **Epic Name**, **Summary**, **Description** and then click on **Create** button, your Epic is created

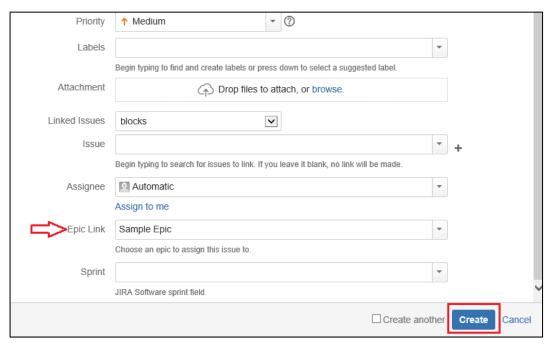




3. Now once again click on **Create** and now choose **Issue Type** as Story, put **Summary** and scroll down

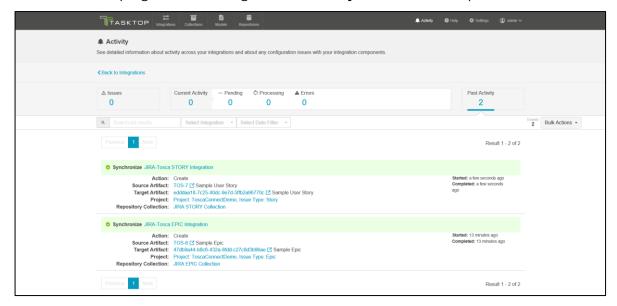


4. Now click on Epic Link and select Epic you just have created and then click on **Create** button

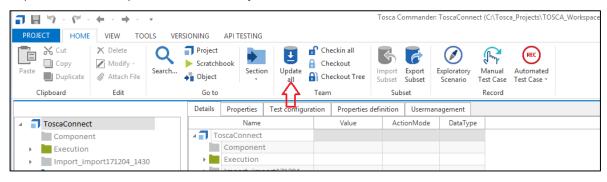




5. You can see the progress of the integration in **Activity** window of Tasktop



6. Open Tosca workspace and click on **Update all**



7. You can see the Epic and User Story are now linked to the Requirement set of Tosca and you can find the more information in Description

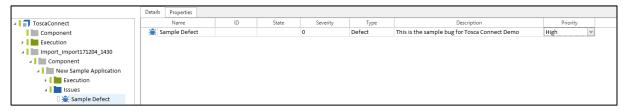




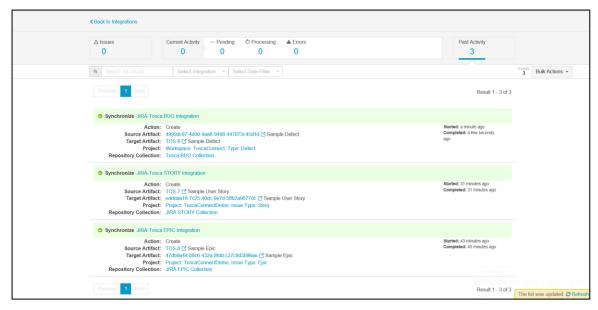
8. Now checkout the workspace, create a defect by right clicking on Issue folder and then selecting the **Create Defect** option



9. Fill the **Description** of it, also select the **Priority.** Save and checkin all the changes



10. You can see the details of defect integration in **Activity** window of Tasktop





11. Once you log-in to the JIRA you can see that your new defect is created as a Bug inside JIRA

