

Form Element

Definition
<p>Form Element is a type of plugin that is extensible via Joget's plugin architecture. Form Element is responsible for providing the end users form input elements to interact with.</p> <p>There are many different form fields (i.e., TextField, SelectBox, Hidden Field, etc.) to choose from when your are designing your forms.</p> <p>You can drag-and-drop them on your form canvas and then edit their properties.</p>

Each form element has its own set of attributes, ID and Label attributes are common to most of them.

Edit Text Field

Edit Text Field > Advanced Options > Validator (Default Validator)

ID *

title

Label *

Title

Figure 1: Text Field Properties

ID	<p>The "ID" in the property editor is a unique identifier.</p> <p>The Joget Workflow core uses this ID as a column name within the table associated with the form (e.g. c_ title in the figure above).</p> <p>When a user enters a value in the field during a workflow process, the value is stored in that column.</p> <p>If the ID has never been used in previous forms associated to the same table, a new column will be created.</p> <p>If the ID, on the other hand, has been used before, that column will be used.</p> <p>It is important to note that when someone enters a value when completing a form during a workflow process, that value will overwrite the existing one.</p> <div><div>!</div><div>Reserved IDs</div><p>Do not use the following reserved IDs on the form element's ID attribute:</p><ul style="list-style-type: none">id (can be used, but with caution)appldappVersionversionuserviewidmenuIdkeyembedprimaryKey</div> <div><div>!</div><div>Auto Generated IDs</div><p>Take note of the following IDs as these are automatically generated upon the creation of a new form. Please take note upon submission of the form in runtime, these fields will be updated automatically:</p><ul style="list-style-type: none">dateCreateddateModifiedcreatedBycreatedByNamemodifiedBymodifiedByName</div> <div><div>i</div><div>Recommended Naming Convention</div><p>We recommend the use of snake case (i.e. first_name) as this is the standard database naming convention. The ID declared will be part of the database table column name.</p></div>
Label	<p>"Label" is the human-readable identifier for the form field.</p>

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