

Starting Stand-Alone Robots

Scheer PAS RPA offers two different types of software robots:

- **Software robots embedded in a business app:** This kind of robot is part of the EPC model of an app. The underlying robot process is started during the app execution.
- **Stand-alone software robots:** Stand-alone robots are modeled for usage outside business apps, for example to catch data from third systems. They have to be started manually.

To enable users to start their stand-alone software robots, the **Scheer PAS Cockpit** offers the possibility to create a robot tile.

Creating a Software Robot Tile

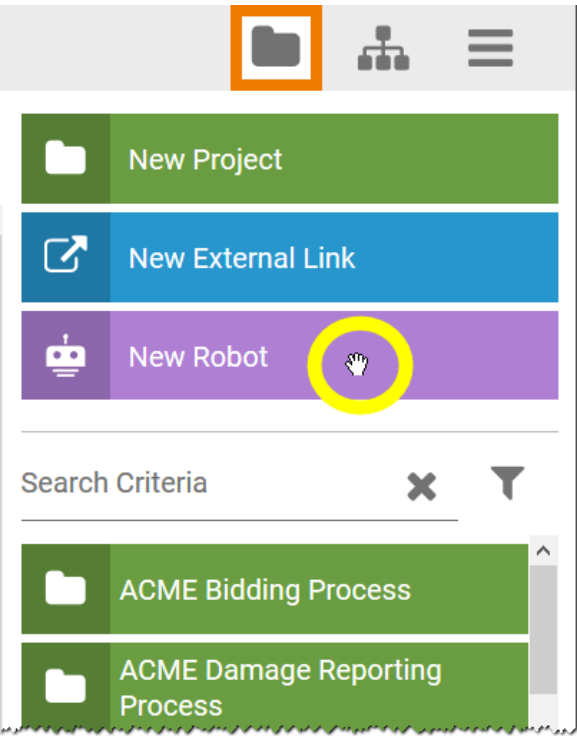

The prerequisite for the creation of a robot tile is that a robot process already exists. The tile is only a start link for the robot process which has to be created in [UIPath Studio](#) and has to be deployed to [UIPath Orchestrator](#) (see page [Integrating a Robot into Your Process > Creation of Software Robots](#) for further information).

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	<p>Open your Scheer PAS Cockpit.</p> <p>In the sidebar New Elements you will find the link New Robot.</p>
	<p>Drag & drop the element to the cockpit to create a robot tile</p>

New Robot

Robot Name

Description

Robot Environment

Robot Group

Robot ID

Robot Process ID

Background Image (URL)

Robot Arguments

No arguments or no process selected.

SAVE

CANCEL

Cockpit tiles cannot exist outside of cockpit groups.

You have two options:

1. Creating the robot tile **in an existing cockpit group**, wh
configure the robot link only.

New Robot

Step 1: Create Group

Group Name

Background Color

Step 2: New Robot

Robot Name

Description

Robot Environment

Robot Group

Robot ID

Robot Process ID

Please select a process from the list.

Background Image (URL)

Robot Arguments

No arguments or no process selected.

SAVE

CANCEL

2. Creating the tile and **a new cockpit group** together, whi
have to configure the groups' settings as well as the robot t

New Robot

Step 1: Create Group

Group Name

ACME Stand-Alone Robots

Background Color

Robot Environment

Robot Group

Robot ID

Robot Process ID

Please select a process from the list.

Background Image (URL)

Robot Arguments

No arguments or no process selected.

SAVE

CANCEL

If you create tile and group together, insert a name for the g
nd Color to determine a color for the group.

New Robot

Step 1: Create Group

Group Name

ACME Stand-Alone Robots

Background Color

Step 2: New Robot

Robot Name

Order Robot

Description

Bot catches order data from SAP

Robot Environment

ScheerTest

Robot Group

dev1_bpaas-test

Robot ID

Demo VM Atten. dev1

Robot Process ID

SuccessRobot (dev1_bpaas-test)

X

Background Image (URL)

https://mypictures.com/robot.jpg

Robot Arguments

robotQueueId*

use process default

(System.Guid)

robotArgument

use process default

(System.String)

SAVE

CANCEL

In the next step, the robot details have to be configured:

- **Robot Name:** It is mandatory to assign a name to the
- **Description:** Entering a description for the tile is optional
- **Robot Environment:** Choose your robots work environment menu, e.g. production, quality management, development. **Environment** is independent from the BPaaS environment
- **Robot Group:** Choose the environment from [UIPath](#) (process is located).
- **Robot ID:** Choose the robot you want to use. The robot is located in the [Orchestrator](#).
- **Robot Process ID:** The robot process ID depends on the drop-down list shows all robot processes of the former. Choose the process you want to execute by using the
- **Background Image (URL):** Enter a URL of a picture for the background picture.

New Robot

Step 1: Create Group

Group Name

ACME Stand-Alone Robots

Background Color

Step 2: New Robot

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Background Image (URL)

https://mypictures.com/robot.jpg

Robot Arguments

robotQueueId*

use process default

(System.Guid)

robotArgument

use process default

(System.String)

SAVE

CANCEL

Robot Arguments

The robot arguments are prepared during the creation of the robot. In the **Section Robot Arguments** allows you to change their configuration. The chosen robot will be listed in this section.

In our example, two arguments have been configured in the UI:

- `robotQueueId`
- `robotArgument`

If no argument has been created for the robot, the section is empty:

Background Image (URL)

https://mypictures.com/sweet_robot.jpg

Robot Arguments

No arguments or no process selected.

SAVE

CANCEL

Robot Arguments

robotQueueId*

use process default

(System.Guid)

An arguments' input field shows you important information:

- The arguments name.
- The arguments type.
- The information if a default value has been defined.
- The information if the argument is mandatory or not.

Robot Arguments

robotQueueId*

use process default



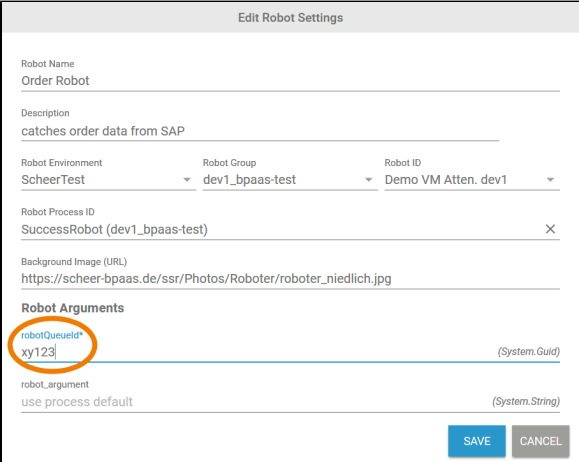
(System.Guid)

Name



The arguments name is displayed on top of the input field, for different arguments of a robot.

<div> <div>Robot Arguments</div> <div> <div>robotQueueId*</div> <div>use process default</div> <div>(System.Guid)</div> </div> </div>	<p>Type</p> <p>The type of the argument is indicated on the right of the input field, make sure that the value meets the expectations.</p> <div> Further information about the available data types found on page Robot Arguments. </div>
<div> <div>Robot Arguments</div> <div> <div>robotQueueId*</div> <div>use process default</div> <div>(System.Guid)</div> </div> </div>	<p>Mandatory</p> <p>During the creation of a robot in UIPath Studio, the model is required. If this is the case, an asterisk is added to the argument.</p> <p>If the input field is marked as required, you need to fill it, if not defined.</p>
<div> <div>Robot Arguments</div> <div> <div>robotQueueId*</div> <div>use process default</div> <div>(System.Guid)</div> </div> </div> <div> <div>Robot Arguments</div> <div> <div>robotQueueId</div> <div>no value</div> <div>(System.Guid)</div> </div> </div>	<p>Default Value</p> <p>During the creation of a robot in UIPath Studio, the model is for the robot argument, but this is not mandatory. That is the possible contents in the input field of a robot argument:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> use process default: A default value has been defined, change it by inserting another value in the input field. no value: No default value has been defined. You cannot fill the field if it is marked as mandatory, you must insert a value.
<div> <div>New Robot</div> <div> <div>Step 1: Create Group</div> <div> <div>Group Name</div> <div>ACME Stand-Alone Robots</div> </div> <div> <div>Background Color</div> <div></div> </div> </div> <div> <div>Step 2: New Robot</div> <div> <div>Robot Name</div> <div>Order Robot</div> </div> <div> <div>Description</div> <div>Bot catches order data from SAP</div> </div> <div> <div>Robot Environment</div> <div>ScheerTest</div> </div> <div> <div>Robot Group</div> <div>dev1_bpaas-test</div> </div> <div> <div>Robot ID</div> <div>Demo VM Atten. dev1</div> </div> <div> <div>Robot Process ID</div> <div>SuccessRobot (dev1_bpaas-test)</div> </div> <div> <div>Background Image (URL)</div> <div>https://mypictures.com/robot.jpg</div> </div> <div> <div>Robot Arguments</div> <div> <div>robotQueueId*</div> <div>use process default</div> <div>(System.Guid)</div> </div> <div> <div>robotArgument</div> <div>use process default</div> <div>(System.String)</div> </div> </div> <div> <div>SAVE</div> <div>CANCEL</div> </div> </div> </div>	<p>If you have configured all necessary fields of the robot tile,</p>
<div> <div>Search Criteria</div> <div> <div>ACME Stand-Alone Robots</div> <div> <div>Order Robot</div> <div></div> </div> </div> </div>	<p>The robot tile is created in the new group in your cockpit.</p>

Editing a Software Robot Tile

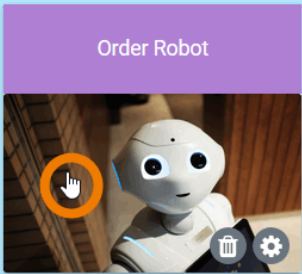
	<p>You can edit the settings of a software robot tile at any time. Just click the icon  at the bottom of the tile.</p>
	<p>The dialog Edit Robot Settings opens.</p> <p>You can edit the tile settings.</p> <p>Click the Save button to keep the changes or Cancel to abort the operation.</p>

Deleting a Software Robot Tile

	<p>If you want to remove a software robot tile from your cockpit, just click the icon  at the bottom.</p>
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<div><div>Remove Tile from Cockpit "Order Robot"</div><div>Are you sure you want to remove the tile from the cockpit?</div><div><div>DELETE</div><div>CANCEL</div></div></div>	<p>A dialog window opens. Confirm the deletion by clicking the Delete button or click Cancel to abort the operation.</p>
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Starting a Stand-Alone Robot

<div><div>ACME Stand-Alone Robots</div><div><div>Order Robot</div><div></div></div></div>	<p>If you want to start a stand-alone software robot, click on its tile in the cockpit.</p>
<div><div>Start Robot</div><div><div>Robot Process ID</div><div>SuccessRobot (dev1_bpaas-test)</div></div><div><div>Robot Environment</div><div>ScheerTest</div><div>Robot Group</div><div>dev1_bpaas-test</div><div>Robot ID</div><div>Demo VM Atten. dev1</div></div><div><div>Robot Arguments</div><div>Fields marked with * are mandatory.</div><div><div>robotQueueId*</div><div>use process default</div><div>(System.Guid)</div></div><div><div>robot_argument</div><div>use process default</div><div>(System.String)</div></div></div><div><div>You are trying to start a robot. This cannot be undone. Are you sure?</div><div><div>CANCEL</div><div>START</div></div></div></div>	<p>The pop-up window Start Robot opens.</p> <p>The tile starts the robot process as defined, so most of the fields shown in this pop-up are read-only.</p> <p>You can only change the robot arguments before starting the robot, which enables you to overwrite pre-defined values.</p> <p>Click the Start button to start the execution of the software robot.</p>



Please note that once the robot is started, you cannot undo this action.