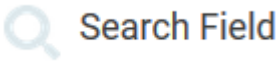
Search Field

The Element Search Field

Element Icon in Sidebar	
Form Field	
Function	You can use a search field to search a list of possible values in the container. Search fields have an auto-complete function: Depending on the input, a suitable hit list is displayed.
Default	A newly generated search field does not contain any functionality. Search fields must be configured accordingly. This requires programming knowledge.
Example	The search term z has been entered in the search field Product. The drop down list displays all product names stored in the container in which this search term occurs:

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- Creating Forms
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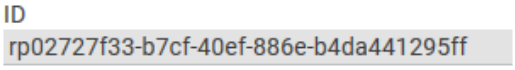
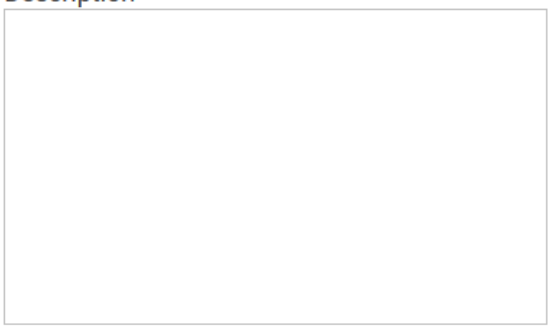
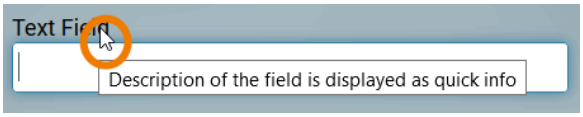
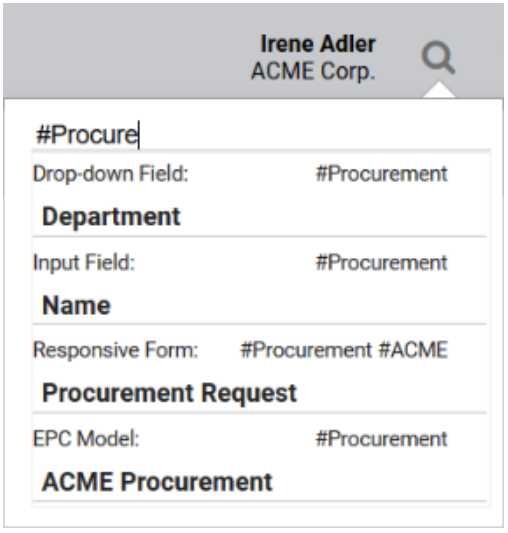
Related Documentation:

- BPaaS Entwicklerhandbuch (German)
  - Suchfeld verwenden

Configuration Options

The form element may be edited via the **Edit Sidebar**.

	Name Field name shown in the form.
	**ID ( )** The read-only field contains the model ID of the element. Designers ca the ID for example in the search to link the element in other models.
	**Description** When a user hovers over a form element during execution, the content commentary field is shown as a quick info: 

Hashtags	**Hashtags** Possibility to insert your own key terms . The leading hashtag sign # (h will be inserted automatically. Use the space bar to separate multiple hashtags: One hashtag may be issued for multiple elements: 
Additional CSS Classes	**Additional CSS Classes** Enables a field-acurate layout customization.
☐ Mandatory	**Mandatory** The marked element must be filled or used.
☐ Read Only	**Read Only** This field is write-protected.
☐ Focus on Element	**Focus on Element** This field is ready for input and will be visually enhanced during form completion.
☐ Show Label Inline	**Show Label Inline** The field identifier is shown within the field and can be overwritten.

Field Name in Container	**Field Name in Container** Defines the name under which the form element will be saved in the da container. If the **Field Name in Container** remains empty, then the fiel identifier **(name)** will be used. If two form elements share the same **Fie Name in Container**, then both will access the same value. The **Field Name in Container** is a technical identifier. It is ofte used for extended coding. Therefore the **Field Name in Conta** should not contain any spaces, special characters or umlaut. F further information please visit page The Container Principle. If the option **Show Label Inline** is used at the same time, the field labe remains visible in the input field until the user has made an entry or a v different from the empty string has been read from the container.
Field Name for Possible Values	**Container Name for Possible Values** To use the search field, possible values are defined in the container us orker or a form function. In the field **Container Name for Possible Val** you have to save the reference to the data object defined in the contai
☑ Save Value in Instance	**Save Value in Instance** If this checkbox is marked, the value entered in this field will be saved database during form execution.