

# Check if an attachment was added recently

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## Use case

This use case is useful to check if the current user has uploaded a attachment during a definite period of time. With Jira expressions it is currently not possible to compare the number of attachments before and after a transition.



## Configuration

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Jira expression\*

```
issue.attachments[issue.attachments.length-1].created > new Date().minusMinutes(2)
```





At least one attachment must has been added in the previous two minutes before executing the transition.





By changing **2** you can increase or decrease the time range in minutes.



## Related use cases

| Use case  | JWT feature | Workflow function  | Use case description   | Complexity |
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| <a href="#">Block a transition based on issue links</a>         |             | <a href="#">Jira expression condition</a><br><a href="#">Jira expression validator</a> | Evaluate <b>issue links</b> and hide transitions based on the outcome.<br><br>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a> . The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator. | ADVANCED   |
| <a href="#">Block a transition based on sprint information</a>  |             | <a href="#">Jira expression condition</a><br><a href="#">Jira expression validator</a> | Make sure that an issue is <b>not</b> in an <b>active sprint</b> .<br><br>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a> . The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.     | BEGINNER   |
| <a href="#">Block a transition based on the day of the week</a> |             | <a href="#">Jira expression condition</a><br><a href="#">Jira expression validator</a> | Block transitions on weekends or any other day of the week.<br><br>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a> . The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.            | BEGINNER   |

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| Block a transition if a predefined field value has not been changed         |    | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p> <p>Update fields</p> | <p>Evaluate a <b>Date Picker</b> field and block the transition if it has <b>not been updated</b>.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>   | BEGINNER     |
| Block a transition if some issues under an epic are not in a certain status |    | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p>                      | <p>Check <b>whether an epic</b> has <b>all issues under it in a certain status</b>.</p> <p>This is particularly important if you want to <b>block an epic</b> as long as work is still being done on related sub-tasks.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>  | INTERMEDIATE |
| Check current issue status  |    | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p>                      | <p>Check <b>whether the current issue</b> is in a <b>particular status</b>.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>  | BEGINNER     |
| Check for unresolved sub-tasks  |   | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p>                      | <p>Check <b>whether the current issue</b> has any <b>unresolved sub-tasks</b>.</p> <p>This is particularly important if you want to <b>block a parent issue</b> as long as work is still being done on related sub-tasks.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>  | INTERMEDIATE |
| Check if an attachment was added recently                                   |  | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p>                      | <p>Make sure that the current user has <b>uploaded a attachment</b> during a definite period of time.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>  | BEGINNER     |
| Check parent issue type   |  | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p>                      | <p>Check whether the <b>parent of the current issue</b> is of a <b>certain issue type</b>.</p> <p>This is particularly important if you want to <b>reuse</b> a workflow for multiple sub-task issue types but only want a transition to be available if the sub-task belongs to a certain <b>user story</b> or a <b>bug</b>.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p> | INTERMEDIATE |
| Check the number of times that a field has changed                          |  | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p>                      | <p>Check the <b>number of times that a field has changed</b>.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a>. The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>  | INTERMEDIATE |

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| Evaluate the Parent Link field                                       |  | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p> | <p>Evaluate different values of the issue in the Parent Link field of the transitioned issue.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a> . The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p>                                    | INTERMEDIATE |
| Evaluate worklogs in sub-tasks                                       |  | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p> | <p>Evaluate if <b>work has been logged in a sub-task</b> to prevent transitioning the parent issue when no work has been logged.</p> <p>This use case is valid for both <a href="#">conditions</a> and <a href="#">validators</a> . The only difference is that you can specify an additional <b>error message</b> when using a validator.</p> | BEGINNER     |
| Validate an issue only if a comment is written during the transition |  | Jira expression validator   | <p>Evaluate the <b>comments</b> and hide transitions based on the outcome.</p> <p>This use case is only valid for <a href="#">validators</a> as it involves making changes during a transition. An additional <b>error message</b> can be added.</p>   | BEGINNER     |
| Validate worklogs  |  | <p>Jira expression condition</p> <p>Jira expression validator</p> | Evaluate if <b>a user has logged more than a certain amount of time</b> in the latest worklog.   |              |

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