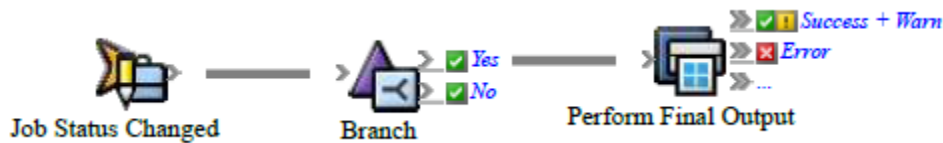


# Checking a condition with a branch

Use the **Branch** flow action to check a condition before continuing a rule.

For example, when a job's status changes, the branch continues with final output only if the **Job Status** is set to **Ready for Final Output**. If the job status changes to **Created**, nothing happens.



1. Create or open a rule set with at least one event and action.  
For example, create a rule that starts with a **Job Status Changed** event connected to a **Final Output** action.
2. On the **Flow** tab, drag a **Branch** to the line between the event and action.  
By default, the action is connected to the **Yes** result of **Branch**.
3. Double-click the line between the event and **Branch**
4. In Branch Editor, under **Check**, create a condition:
  - a. Select the property that you want to evaluate, select an operator, and then enter a value to evaluate against the property.
  - b. Click **OK**.

For example, select **Job > Status**, select **Is** and **Ready for Final Output**, and click **OK**.

5. (Optional) Add an action to the **No** result.
6. Save, close, enable, and test the rule set.