

NetSuite Training

SuiteFlow Fundamentals



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Course Objectives

By the end of the day, you should be able to:

- Default data on your forms
- Add field and form level validations during data entry
- Send email notifications
- Automate the creation of tasks, phone calls, etc.
- Transform a record
- Create approval routing processes
- Check the status of a workflow
- Debug a troubled workflow

- What else would **you** like be able to do?



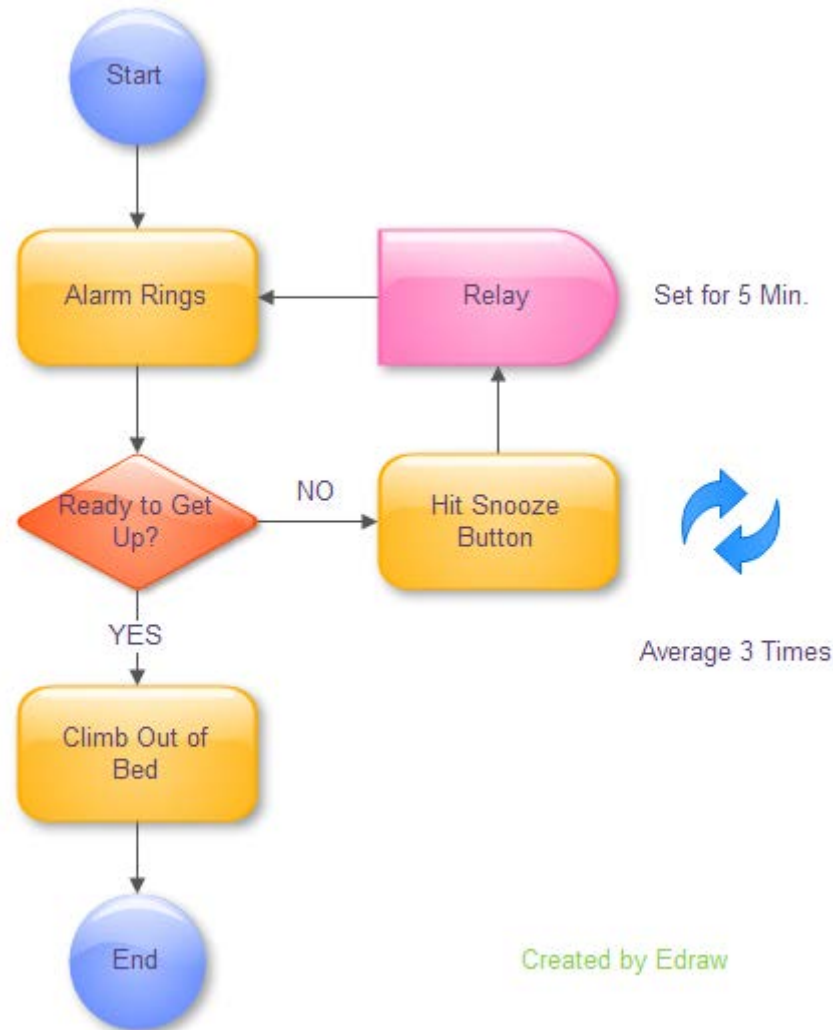
Morning Agenda

From		To	Topic
9:00 am	-	9:45 am	Introduce SuiteFlow Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Basic Information▪ Initiation Triggers▪ Event Definitions▪ Conditions
9:45 am	-	10:15 am	Creating and Understanding Actions <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Before record load actions▪ User event actions▪ Before/after record submit
10:15 am	-	10:30 am	Break
10:30 am	-	11:30 am	Line Level Workflows <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ What are they, and how to use them?
11:30 am	-	12:00 pm	Q&A

What is SuiteFlow?

You use SuiteFlow to create and execute workflows in NetSuite. A workflow is the definition of a custom business process for a standard or custom record in NetSuite. Business processes can include transaction approval, lead nurturing, and record management. A workflow defines and automates the business process.

Wake Up!! A Workflow Example



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SuiteFlow Elements

Base Record:

What record type is used by this business process?

States:

What stage is the business process in?

Actions:

What tasks are to be automated?

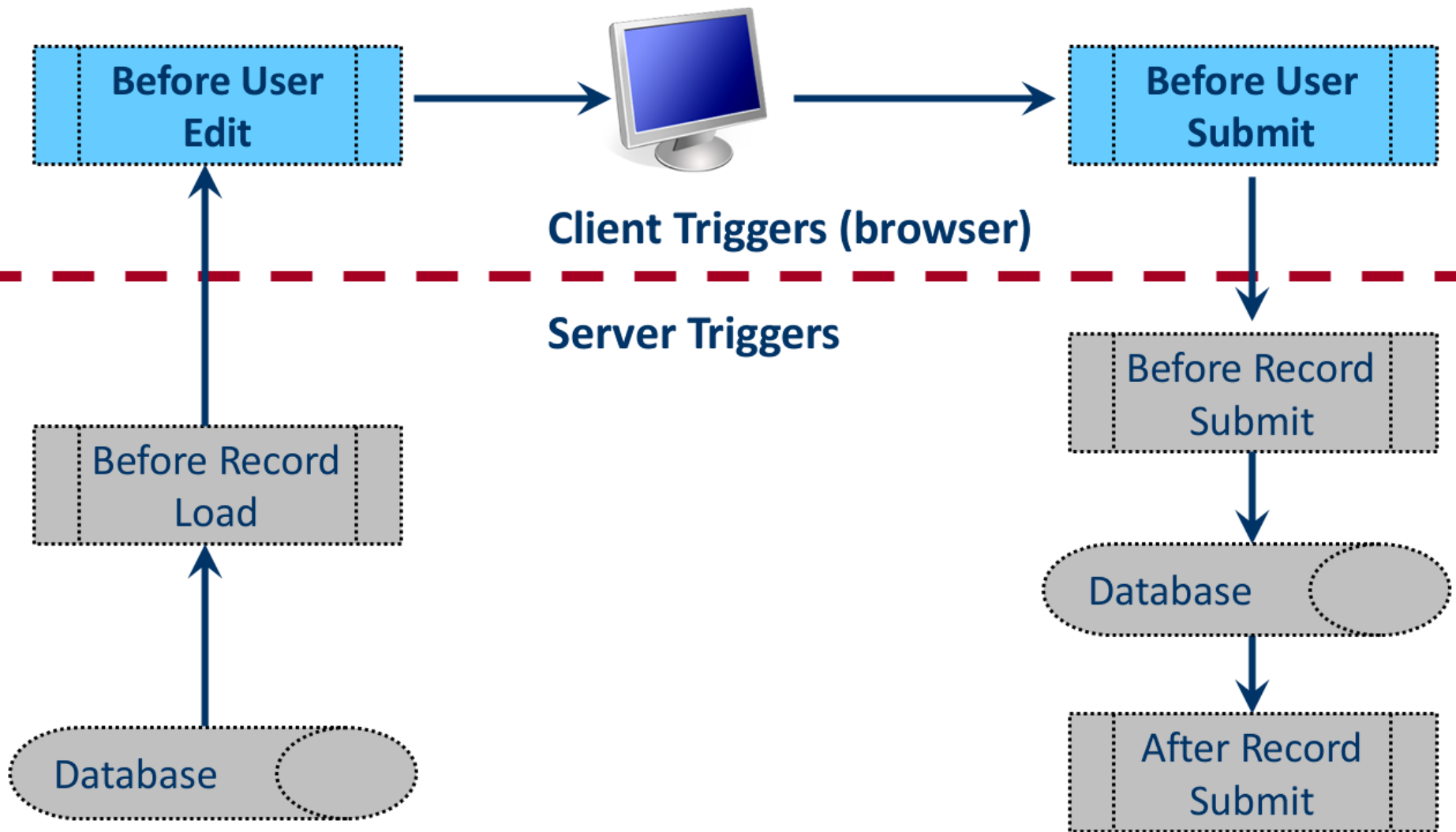
Transitions:

Where does the business process move to next?

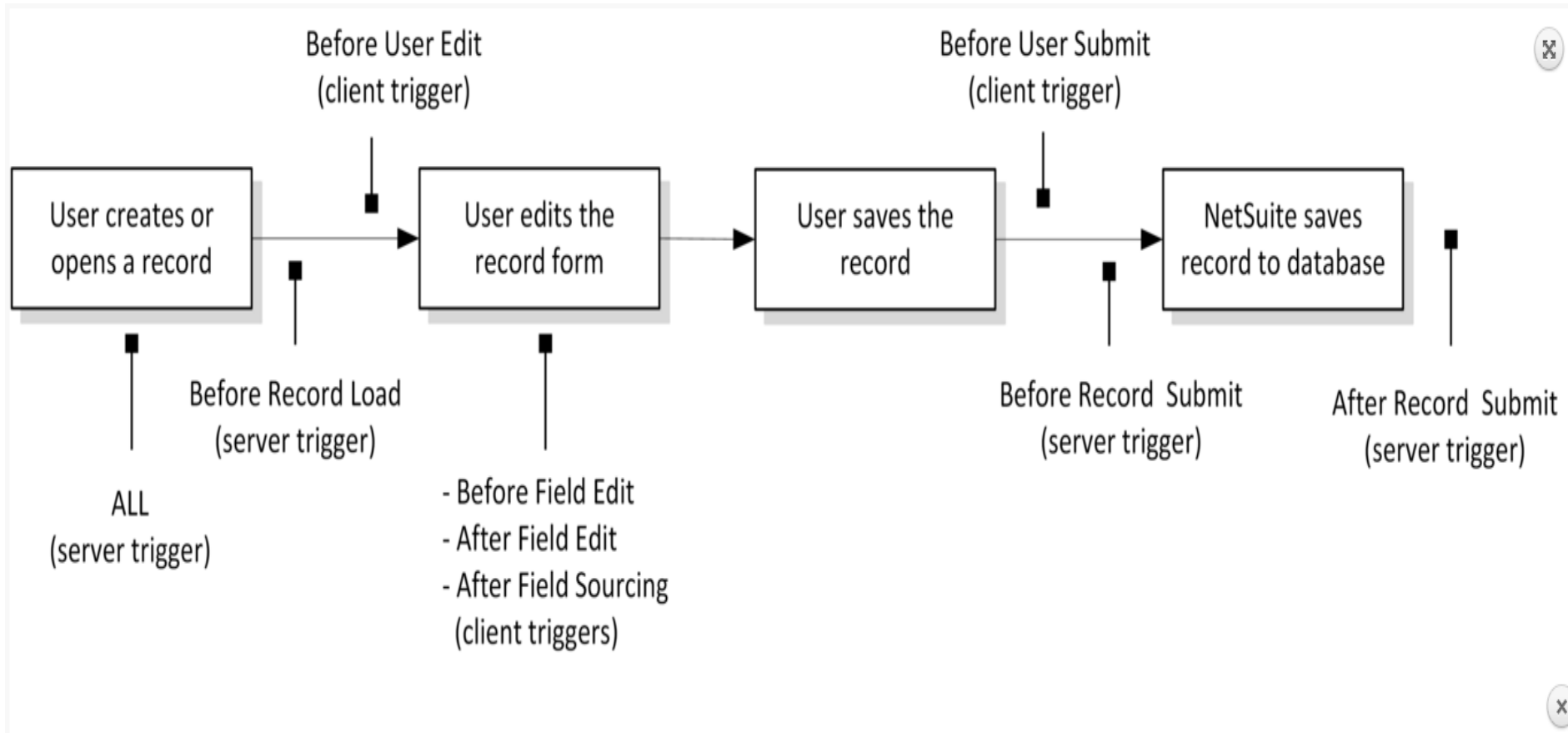
Triggers:

When to transition to the next state, or to take action?

Timing IS Everything!



Trigger Illustration





Client Triggers

Client Triggers Reference

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► [SuiteFlow \(Workflow\)](#) ► [SuiteFlow Reference and Examples](#) ► [Triggers Reference](#) ► [Client Triggers Reference](#)

The following table describes the client triggers and their functionality. See [Workflow Triggers](#) and [Client Triggers](#) for general information about client triggers.

Trigger Name	Description
Before User Edit	Executes after a record form loads into the browser and before the user makes any changes to the form. See Before User Edit Trigger .
Before Field Edit	Executes before a user completes changes to a field on a record form. See Before Field Edit Trigger .
After Field Edit	Executes after a user completes changes to a field on a record form. See After Field Edit Trigger .
After Field Sourcing	Executes after all dependent field values on a record form have been populated. See After Field Sourcing Trigger .
Before User Submit	Executes after a user clicks Save on a record and before the Before Record Submit server trigger executes. See Before User Submit Trigger .

Server Triggers

Server **Triggers** Reference

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The following table describes the server triggers and their functionality. See [Workflow Triggers](#) and [Server Triggers](#) for general information about server triggers.

Trigger Type	Applies To	Description
Before Record Load	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workflow initiation• Actions• Transitions	Executes before a record loads into the browser. See Before Record Load Trigger .
Before Record Submit	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workflow initiation• Actions• Transitions	Executes after a user clicks Save on a record, but before NetSuite saves the data to the database. See Before User Submit Trigger .
After Record Submit	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workflow initiation• Actions• Transitions	Executes after NetSuite saves the record data to the database. See After Record Submit Trigger .

Ready... ACTION!

Action	Result
Show Message	Show an informational message
Set Field Value	Load a field with a value
Set Field Mandatory	Set whether a field is required or not
Set Field Display Type	Set whether a field is editable or not
Set Field Display Label	Dynamically set a field's label

Take 2! and... ACTION!

Action	Result
Add Button	Add a button to the form
Remove Button	Remove a button from the form
Lock Record	Lock the record from further changes
Confirm	Show a warning message
Return User Error	Show an error message
Send Email	Send a customized email message

Chain ReACTION!

Action	Result
Transform Record	Transform a transaction record into another transaction record type
Create Record	Creates a new record
Go To Record	Redirects a user to a specific record
Subscribe To Record	Allows for the tracking of changes made to the record created via the Create Record action



15 minute break

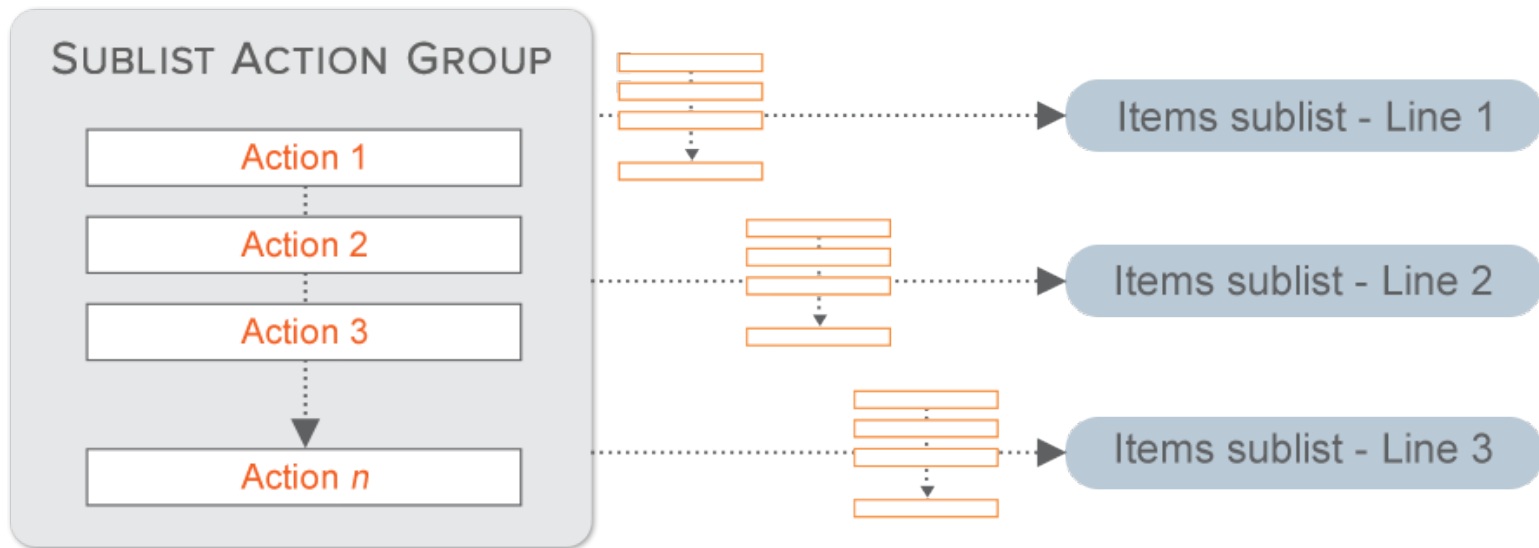


Line-Level Workflows

- Available on the “items” sublist (not expenses)
- You can impact header level fields, and line level fields based off the sublist criteria
- Must create a “sublist action group”, then place an independent action in that group.
- Sublist fields can be used in formula within the workflow (l.e. {line.quantity})
- Only a subset of the sublist fields are available

How does it work?

The sublist action group, processes each line individually, by looping through the lines.



*Sublist Action Groups process the **Items** sublist line by line. As long as the group and action's conditions have been met, the actions will be executed on each sublist line.*

What is the availability?

Available triggers

- Server Triggers
 - Before user submit
 - After user submit
 - NOT before record load
 - Scheduled
 - On entry
 - On exit
- Client Triggers
 - No client triggers available

Available Transactions

- Estimates
- Sales Orders
- Invoice
- Cash Sales
- Returns & Credits
- Purchase Orders
- Vendor Bills
- More.....

What actions can be performed?

- **Available now**

- Create Record
- Set field value

- **Coming in 2018.2**

- Send Email
- Return User Error

- **Special action note**

- If you use a condition, the condition must be met for both the action group AND the individual action for the execution to occur

Questions?

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