

Modifying the LiveCycle Submit Button, Example

By Thom Parker, WindJack Solutions, Inc., / www.pdfscripting.com

How it Works

The LiveCycle Submit Action is controlled through an XML Tag in the form Template. It's located in the Click Event for the submit button. The attributes for this <submit> tag control how the Submit Action is performed, and are documented in the the XML Form Object Model Reference. Look up the "submit" object. The two examples below use data entered into the form fields to dynamically modify the attributes of the submit tag, changing the return email addresses, subject line, body text, and format of submitted form data.

Customer Information

* First Name: * Last Name:

Street Address:

City: State or Province:

Country: Postal Code:

* Email: Phone Number:

* Required Fields

Send a copy to the customer

Data Format:

XML data only Complete Form

Email Distribution List:
(Select one or more Departments)

- * The Distribution List addresses will be added to the Blind CC (BCC). The email address is the export export value of the list item.
- * The customer's email address will be added to the regular CC, if "Send a copy to the customer" is selected.
- * All Code is placed in the example buttons below.

Example #1: Single Button Solution	Example #2: Two Button Solution
<p>A single submit button is added to the form. Data from the form is used to modify the submit action on the mouse down event. The Submit Action is run on the Click Event, which is triggered on Mouse Up.</p>	<p>An invisible submit button is added to the form and a regular button is used as a proxy for the submit. The visible button modifies the submit action on the invisible button, and then forces a click event, which triggers the Submit Action.</p>