Initiate a Connection in Script Mode for Jira Cloud

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You cannot toggle between the different modes. To do so, you need to create a new Connection in Visual mode, Script mode, or Basic mode.

Before you set up a Connection in Script mode ensure that:

- your instance is public.
- you are either in the Evaluation (trial) period or have a Paid license.

Initiate a Connection in Script Mode from Jira Cloud

Attention:

It doesn't matter which side you start initiating the Connection from. The Exalate UI will remain the same.

If you are initiating the connection you become the source and the other side becomes the destination.

To establish a Connection in Script mode between two instances, you need to generate an **Invitation Code** on one instance and accept it on the other instance.

- 1. Navigate to the **Connections** tab in the Exalate console.
 - Click **Settings** \rightarrow **Apps** & click **Connections** under the **Exalate** menu.



2. Click Initiate Connection.

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| onnection defines synchronization behavio lles, and scope. | r, including communication de | tails, sync | | | | |
| Connection | Issues under sync | Last sync | Status | | | |
| Local_to_Destination | 2 | Issue P1-2 3 days ago | Active | ľ | Ś | |

3. Enter the **Destination Instance URL**.

The **Destination Instance URL** is the link to the instance you want to set up a connection with. You can directly enter the link of that instance or the **Exalate URL** from the **General Settings** tab in the Exalate admin panel.

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Exalate will suggest available Configuration Modes based on the destination instance.

4. Select the Configuration Mode. In this case, **Script** Mode.

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| Basic Automatic configuration of basic fields Sync rules cannot be edited Recommended for use cases of basic complexity | Ever-code, visual interface Recommended for use cases of basic to intermediate complexity | Script Groovy-based scripting Recommended for use cases of basic to advanced complexity |

5. Click Next.

6. Enter the Connection Information

| Field | Description |
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| Local instance short name | A short name for your instance |
| Destination instance short name | A short name for the destination instance |
| Connection name | Name of the connection |
| Description | Description of the connection |

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| Connection information Local instance short name* | Remote instance short name* | ^ |
| Connection name* | | |
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7. Click Next.

8. Select a project where you would like to sync issues received from the destination side.

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| Select a project for the incoming sync | |
| Exalate generates default sync rules to synchronize basic issue fields. By default the following issue data will be synchronized: summary, description, comments, attachments and issue types. | |
| Please select the project where you want to create issues, received from the other side.* Select Project | |
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9. Click Initiate.

10. Click **Copy invitation code**.

You can send the invitation code to the destination instance admin.

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| On the """ side, you (or their application administrator) need to Accept the Invitation. Use the following invitation code: Copy invitation code | ~ |
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11. Click **Go to remote** to access the destination instance.

To finish setting up the connection, the partner needs to accept the connection invitation.

When the other side accepts your invitation your connection will be activated. Refresh the **Connections** page to see the Connection status change.

What's Next?

You need to accept the Connection Invitation on the platform you want to set up an integration with. Go to the **Connections** tab in the Exalate Admin console on that platform and click the **Accept Invitation** button. Then paste the invitation code you have copied above.

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