

# Initiate a Connection in Script Mode for ServiceNow

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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 ServiceNow

### Attention:

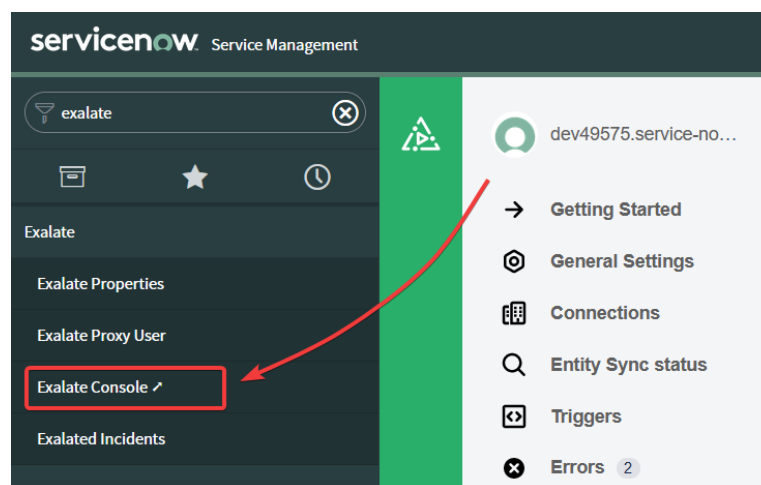
It doesn't matter which side you start initiating the Connection from. The Exalate UI will remain the same.

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

1. Navigate to the **Connections** tab in the Exalate admin menu

To navigate to the **Connections** tab:

1. Click **Exalate Console**



2. Click **Connections**

2. Click **Initiate Connection**.

**Connections**

Connection defines synchronization behavior, including communication details, sync rules, and scope.

Initiate connection
Accept invitation

Connection	Work items under sync	Last sync	Status

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.

**Initiate connection** x

**Destination instance URL**

I don't have a URL

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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.

**Initiate connection** x

**Destination instance URL**

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I don't have a URL

**Choose the configuration type**

**Basic**

- Automatic configuration of basic fields
- Sync rules cannot be edited
- Recommended for use cases of basic complexity

**Script**

- Groovy-based scripting
- Recommended for use cases of basic to advanced complexity

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5. Click **Next**.

6. Enter the Connection Information

Field	Description
<b>Local instance short name</b>	A short name for your instance
<b>Destination instance short name</b>	A short name for the destination instance
<b>Connection name</b>	Name of the connection
<b>Description</b>	Description of the connection

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**Connection information**

**Local instance short name\***

**Remote instance short name\***

**Connection name\***

**Description**

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7. Click **Next**.

8. Click **Copy invitation code**.

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

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On the "[remote]" side, you (or their application administrator) need to **Accept the Invitation**.  
Use the following invitation code:

< Go to remote

9. Click **Go to remote** to access the destination instance.

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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