

Standard Paths

Standard Paths are a convenient template used to store common steps for use with most databases. If a large percentage of your applications go through the same automated steps for promotions to each environment the steps can be stored here as a one time configuration and then applied to each database where necessary. This saves time manually configuring each database with similar automated activities for each Build or Promotion Path.

Step	Description
Standard Promotion Paths <select this document to create new paths>	
0	Promotion Path: To Test Environment
2	ACL: Change ACL so only Accessable to Testers
18	Set Agent On Behalf Of: Changing Agent Signer
41	Sign Database: Sign DB with Test ID
50	Refresh Db Design: Refresh the NSF with this design automatically
100	Email Notification: Jonny Quality
Promotion Path: To Production	
-1	Approval: Authorisation for production
2	ACL: Set Production ACL
4	Database Properties: Update DB title on Production Server
14	Set Agent Server: Set the server to run on for the Agent
41	Sign Database:
100	Email Notification: Management
Build Path: From Dev to Repository	
-1	Design Audit: Audit of Dev version of DB using TMS Analyzer
1	CIAO! Make Version: Version the DB on entry to the Repository
9	Compile All LotusScript: Compile all LotusScript on entry to the Repository

To create a Standard Path:

1. From the Resources tab, select Stored Resources - Standard Paths
2. Select the first document in the view then click Create > Build Path or Create > Promotion Path.
3. Set up the Promotion Path as you would for a database with the automated steps configured (refer to section [Create Automated Build Scripts](#)).

Note: Use the macro language (see section '[Creating Automated Build Scripts - Replacement Macros](#)') where possible so steps are not specific to one particular database.

4. It is recommended that you select all the steps for each path and disable them. This is a visual guide for administrators when using Standard Paths. Once applied to a database the Administrator can then review each path for applicability and further configure the step if required before enabling the step under the database referenced.

Note: If any step is not needed once applied to the database you can delete the step under the Promotion Path of the Database. This does not affect the steps or order stored in the Standard Path.

5. To apply a Standard Path to a database, select the configuration document then click [Build Manager - Copy Standard Path](#)