



# Productivity Tools

## Cascaded Value Calculations

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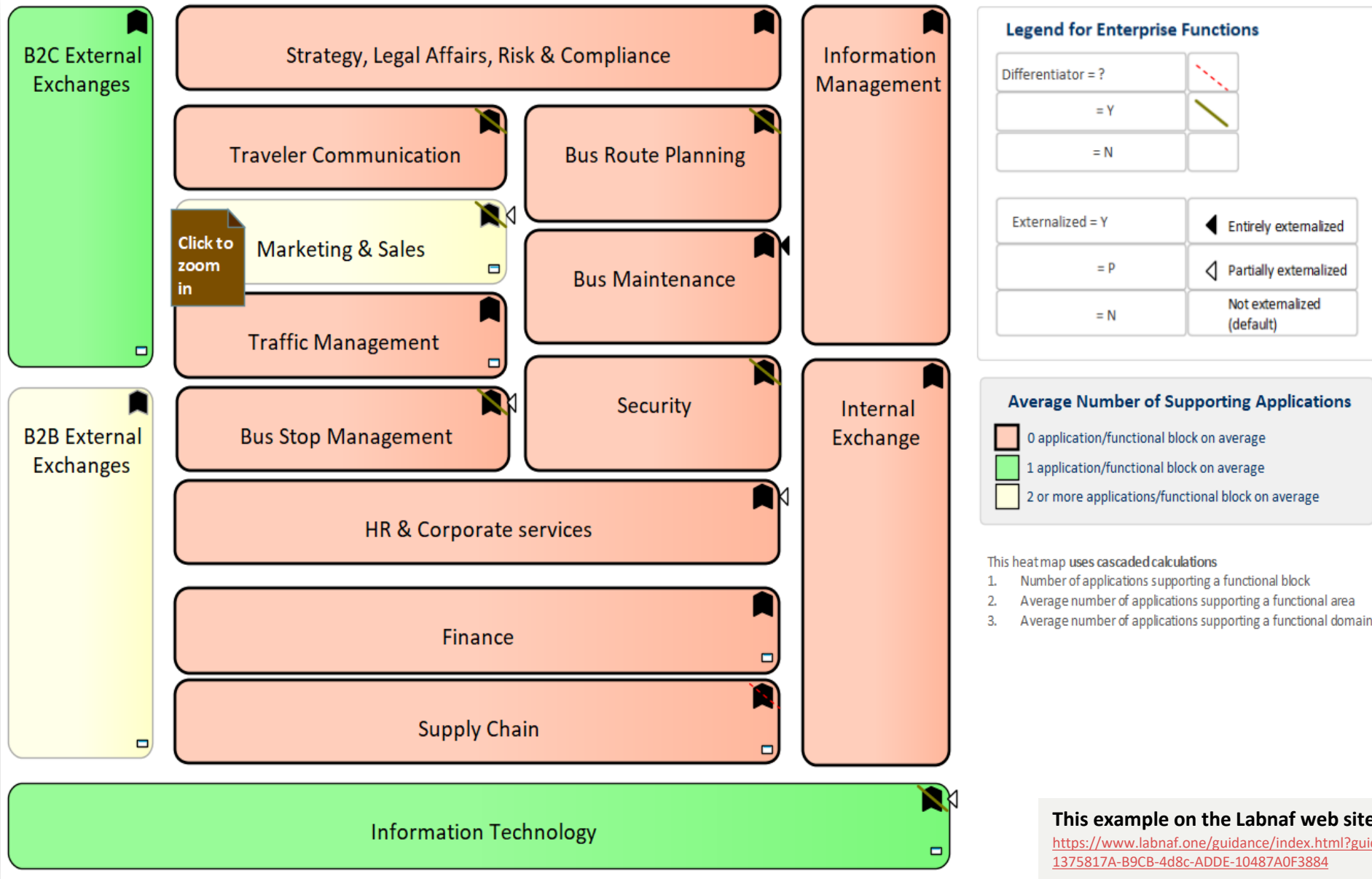
# The purpose of value calculation

- Calculate element properties/tagged values
- Value can be in any format or any combination of formats (text, numeric, date, time series...)
- Calculations can be based on any properties, any elements, any connectors, or any other information stored in the repository
- Calculations can be based on the result of other calculations
- If the calculate tagged value does not exist, then it is automatically added

Application ( from LABN )	
1 TO-BE	Y
2 TRANSITION	Y
3 AS-IS	N
Code	6
Criticality	M
Deployment_Status	Pre-Operation
Doc_Amount	38
Functional_Fit	M
In_Operation_End_D...	2099-12-31
In_Operation_Start_...	2022-03-01
IT_Contact	Happy
IT_Contact_Delegates	Sleepy
Nb_Components	5
Nb_In_and_Out_Flows	3
Nb_Supported_FBs	3
Nb_Users	50
Pct_Unavailable	1
TCO	1250
Technical_Fit	M
Vision	Invest



# Example: Heat map using cascaded calculations



# Example: Heat map using cascaded calculations (cont.)

Controlled Element Values

- ELP Configuration of Calculations - O...
- Templates
- Base for initial value calculation
- Application Values Controls
- Functional Block Values Control
  - Functional Block Values Control
  - Periodical Value Calculation Rule
  - Nb\_Supporting\_Apps**
- Functional Area Values Control
- Functional Domain Values Control

Notes

```
/* Number of applications realizing this functional block */  
SELECT count(*) as CALCULATED_VALUE FROM t_object osrc  
WHERE osrc.Stereotype = 'LABN_Application'  
AND osrc.Object_ID IN  
(SELECT Start_Object_ID FROM t_connector  
WHERE t_Connector.Stereotype = 'LABN_Realization'  
AND t_connector.End_Object_ID = #CurrentElementID#)
```

Marketing & Sales

- FAL - Applications Supporting Fu...
- OBE Marketing & Sales
- FUL Sales
- List of applications supporting th...
- Marketing Management
  - FAL - Applications Supportin...
  - FAL Marketing Management
  - Digital Marketing**

Properties

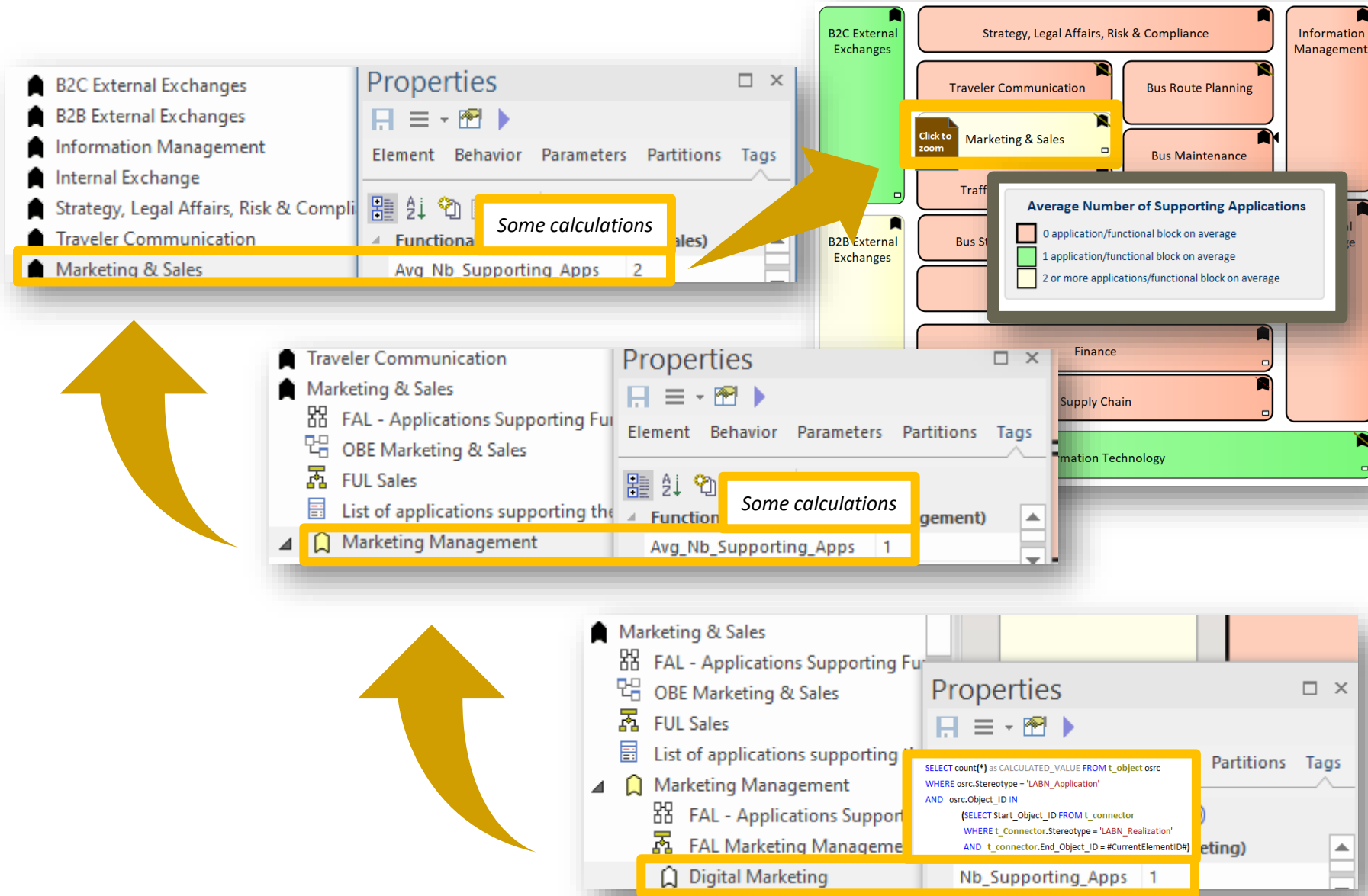
Element Behavior Parameters Partitions Tags

Functional Block (Digital Marketing)

Nb_Supporting_Apps	1
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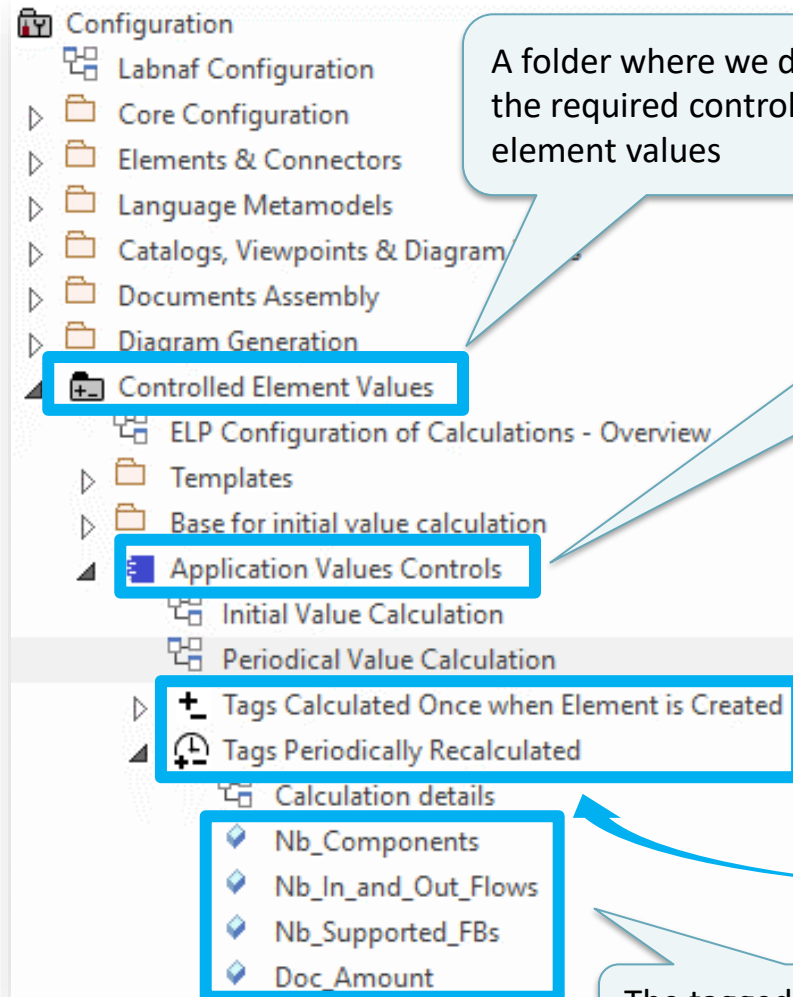


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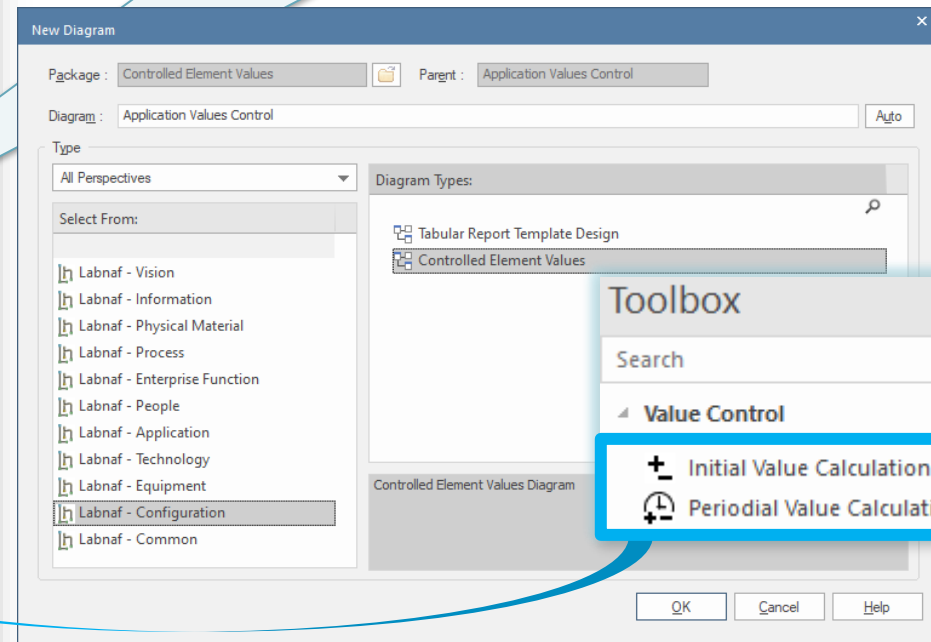
# Value Calculation - Overview

## Structure in the repository



A folder where we define the required controls on element values

An element prototype for grouping all the required value controls. So we can see that the embedded value control definitions (calculations...) are for elements of that specific type and stereotype.

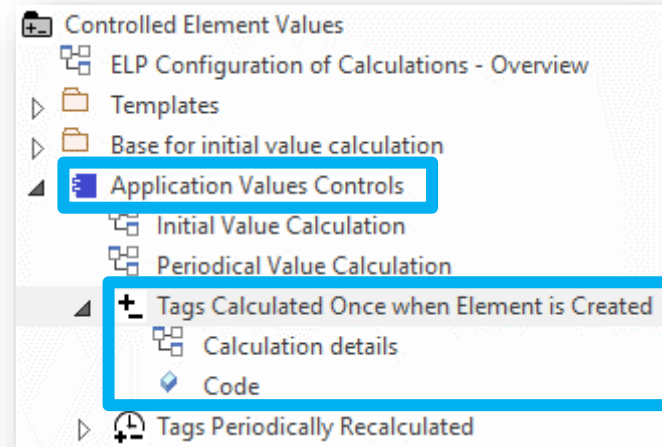


The tagged values that must be calculated

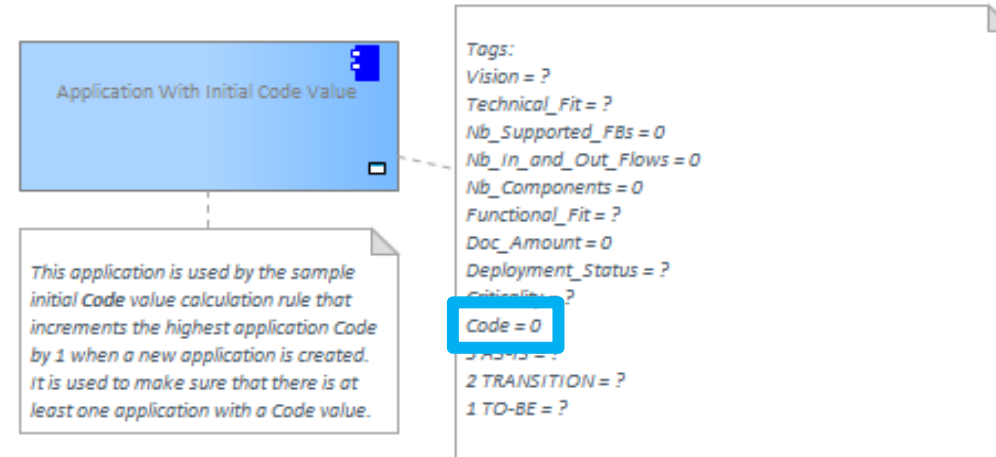


# Initial Value Calculation Overview

1. **Structure:** What tagged values need to be calculated for which stereotype?



2. **Base:** What is the referenced base element in case there is no other element with an initial value to be incremented?



3. **Calculation:** How shall we calculate the value?

Application Values Controls

- Initial Value Calculation
- Periodical Value Calculation
- Tags Calculated Once when Element is Created
  - Calculation details
  - Code**
- Tags Periodically Recalculated

## Notes

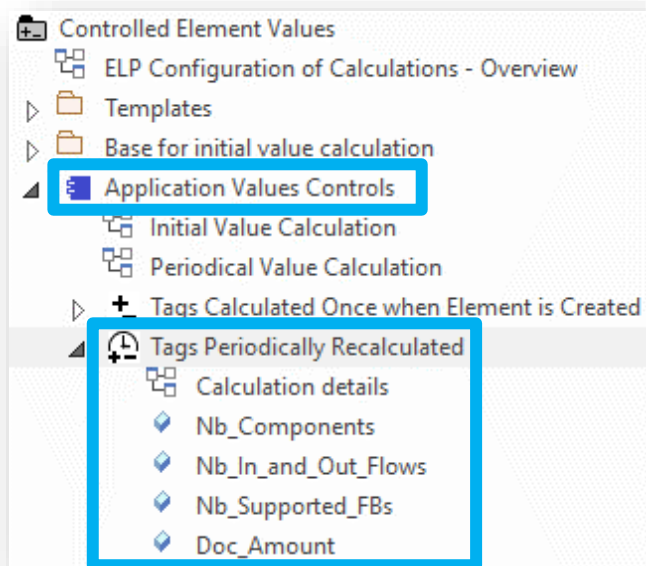
```
SELECT TOP 1 CAST((CASE WHEN p.value NOT LIKE '%[^0-9]%' THEN p.value END) AS INT) + 1 AS CALCULATED_VALUE from
  t_object o,
  t_objectproperties p
where
  o.stereotype = 'LABN_Application'
  AND p.object_id = o.object_id
  AND p.property = 'Code'
order by CAST((CASE WHEN p.value NOT LIKE '%[^0-9]%' THEN p.value END) AS INT) DESC
```



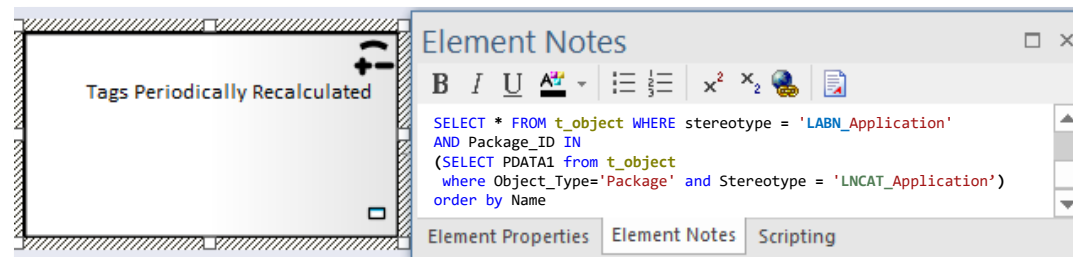


# Periodical Value Calculation - Overview

## 1. Structure: What tagged values need to be calculated for which stereotype?



## 2. Scope (optional): Which elements need to be updated?



By default, all elements with the same stereotype "LABN\_xxx" as the element prototype are selected from the related catalog packages with stereotype "LNCAT\_xxx".

## 3. Calculation: How shall we calculate the values?

Notes

```
/* The total count of incoming and outgoing application flows for this application */
select COUNT(*) AS CALCULATED_VALUE from t_connector
where
t_connector.Stereotype = 'LABN_ApplicationFlow'
AND (t_connector.End_Object_ID = #CurrentElementID#
OR t_connector.Start_Object_ID = #CurrentElementID#)
=2*Nb_Supported_FBs + 5*Nb_In_and_Out_Flows + 3*Nb_Components
```



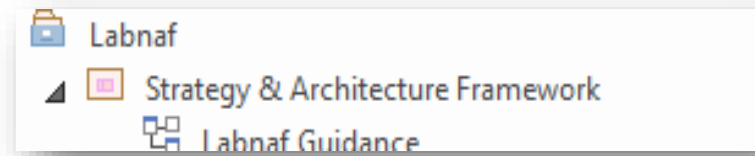
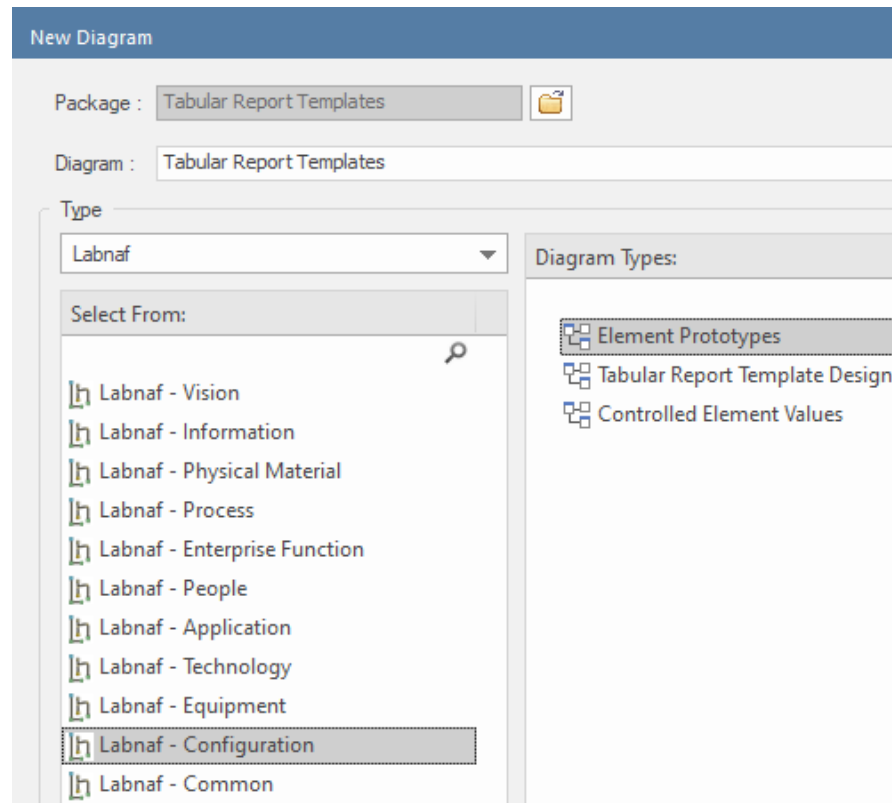
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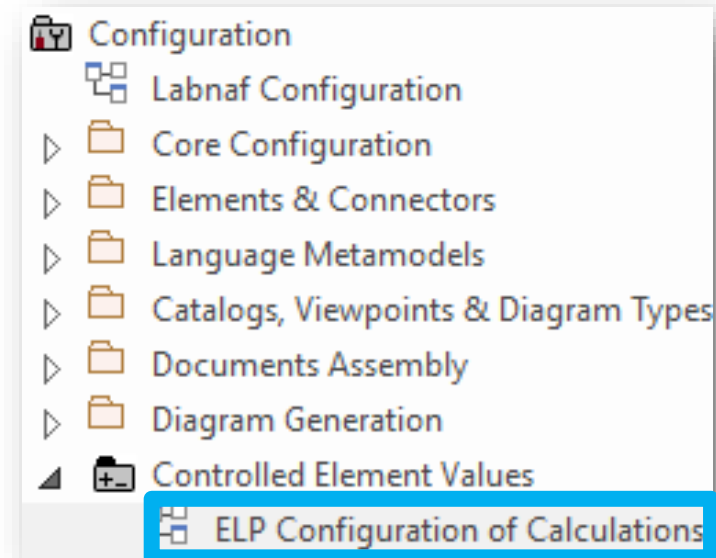


# Define the type of element needing calculation...

- If it does not exist yet, create a diagram of type “Element Prototypes” or any diagram type containing the elements you need in the toolbox.
- Name it, for example, “ELP Configuration of Calculations”

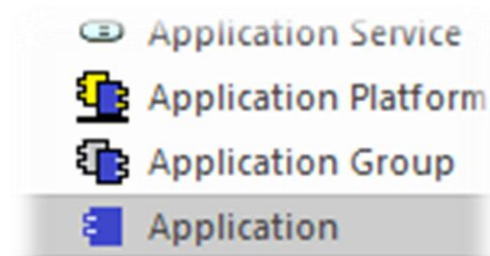


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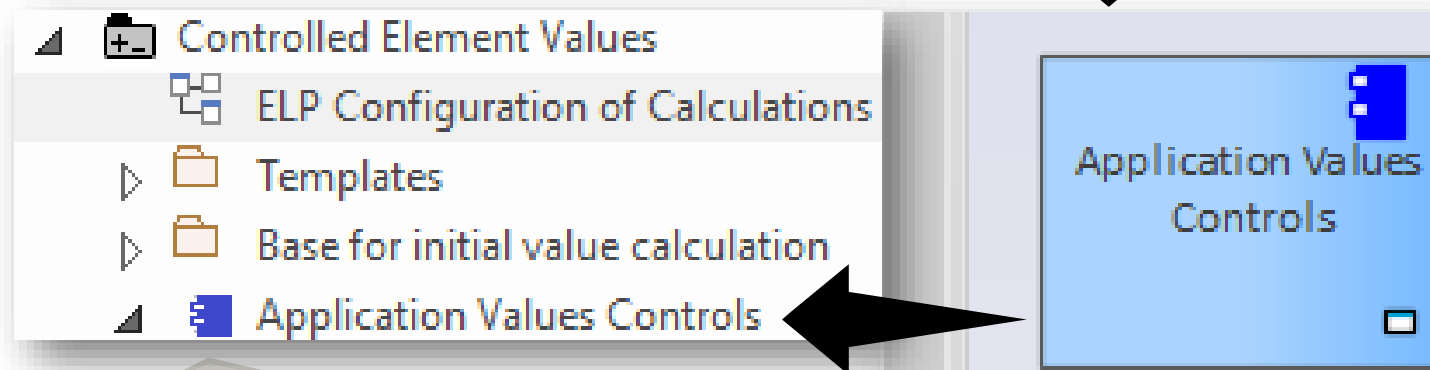


# ... using an element prototype

- Select an element in the toolbox  
*You need only one element prototype of each type. But you can have more, for example, to further classify your calculations.*
- Name the element prototype for example “Application Values Controls”



Type of element needing calculations



This is an **element prototype** that will group all the **application calculations** (periodical or initial value).

By default, the Labnaf PowerShell periodically calculates values for all element prototypes contained in the “Controlled Element Values” folder. But you can be selective as well.

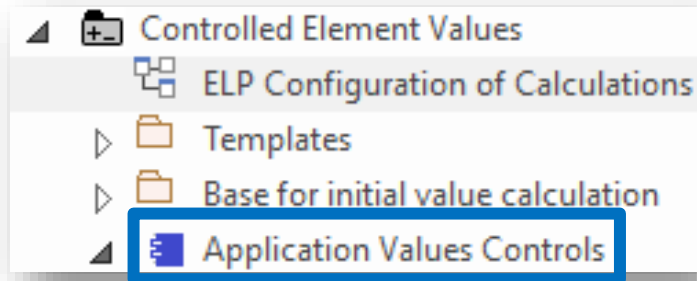


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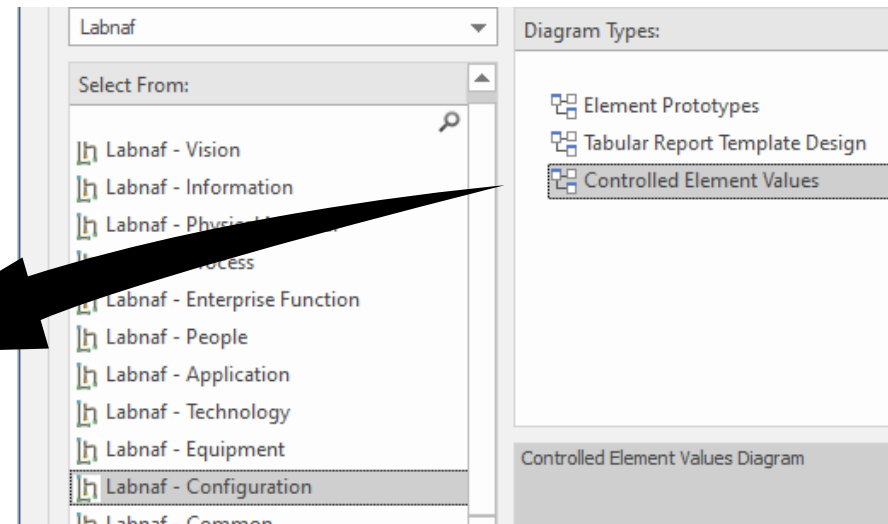
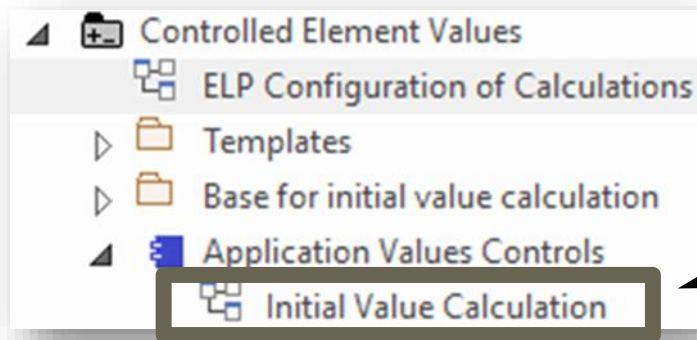


# Add a diagram for creating your Value Controls (Value calculation elements)

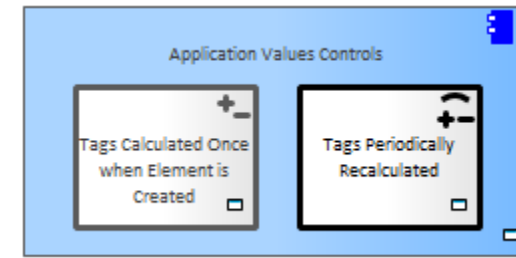


Right click on the element prototype and select **“Add Diagram”**

Under “Labnaf Configuration”, select **“Controlled Element Values”**



# *2 possible scenarios for* **Creating a New Value Control**



**From  
Scratch**

Add a value control from the toolbox 

**Fast  
Track**

Copy and adapt an existing value control 





Add value controls following your needs and with some meaningful name(s)

The screenshot displays the Labnaf software interface. At the top, a blue panel titled "Application Values Controls" contains two value control widgets: "Tags Calculated Once when Element is Created" and "Tags Periodically Recalculated". To the right, a "Value Control" toolbox lists two options: "Initial Value Calculation" (with a plus-minus icon) and "Periodical Value Calculation" (with a clock icon). Below, a tree view shows the project structure under "Controlled Element Values", with "Application Values Controls" expanded to show the two value control widgets. A callout box points to the "Tags Periodically Recalculated" widget with the text: "If you want some periodical calculation template to be ignored by the Labnaf PowerShell, then add the prefix "--" to its name."

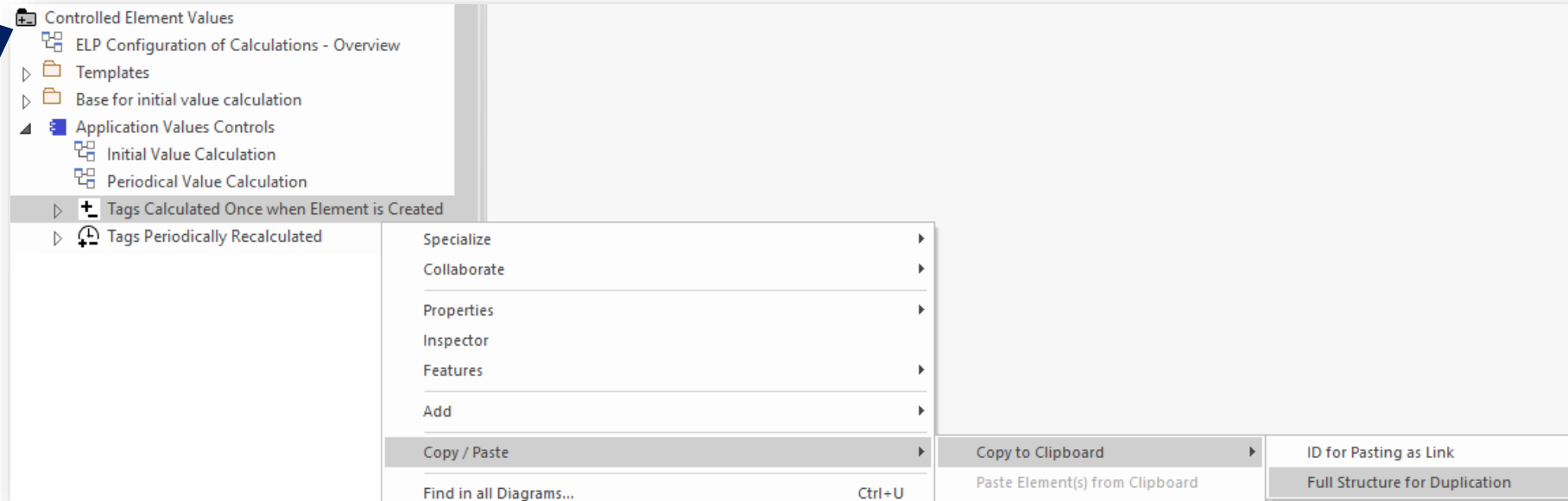
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- Copy an existing value control



- Paste to the “Controlled Element Values” Folder
- Rename the new value control
- Move it into the appropriate element prototype
- Add/remove the content you need. See following slides...



# Completing/Adapting the New Value Control...



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# For PERIODICAL Value Calculations ONLY

Selecting the

Collection of Elements

to be Calculated

{5B 5	Ares
{78 6	Athena Cash Desk
{D6 8	Bellona ESB
{39 7	CMDB
{C4 10	Custom Mail Application
{23 11	Demeter
{39 12	Generic Web Browser
{3E 13	Hera
{1C 15	Janus
{F9 16	Jupiter Cash Desk
{69 9	Labnaf Powered by Enterprise Architect
{6D 17	LOGIN B2B
{3D 14	Mail Server
{F7 18	Mars
{F8 19	Mars WebApp



# Defining a selection of elements (scope) requiring calculations

## Options that can be defined in the template

1. Elements and packages present in a “scope” diagram that belongs to the template
2. Elements selected by some SQL select defined in the template
3. All elements in the catalog (default)

*If multiple scopes have been defined, then the above sequence corresponds to priorities*

## Additional option when the calculation is started from the user interface

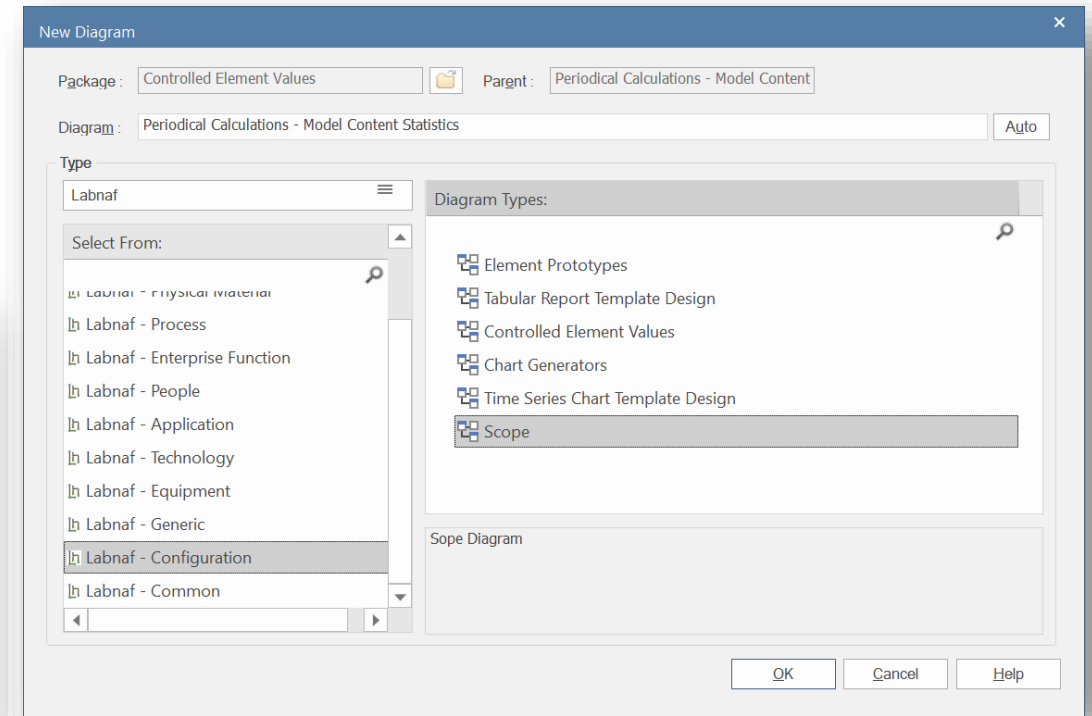
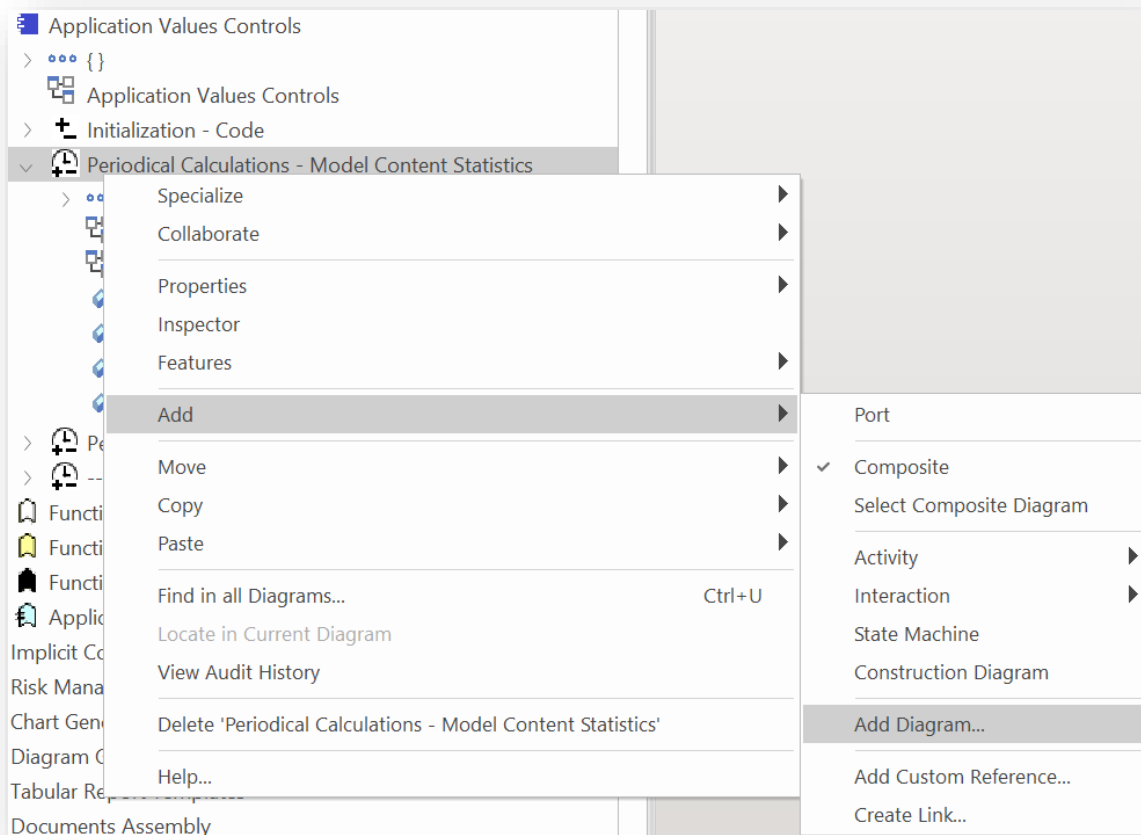
- Apply all calculations applicable to the element selected in the project browser or in the active diagram (typically used for calculation development and test purpose)



# 1. Scope Diagram

## Creating a “scope” diagram defining the collection of element to be reported

- Select a periodical value calculation template element and add a « Scope » diagram

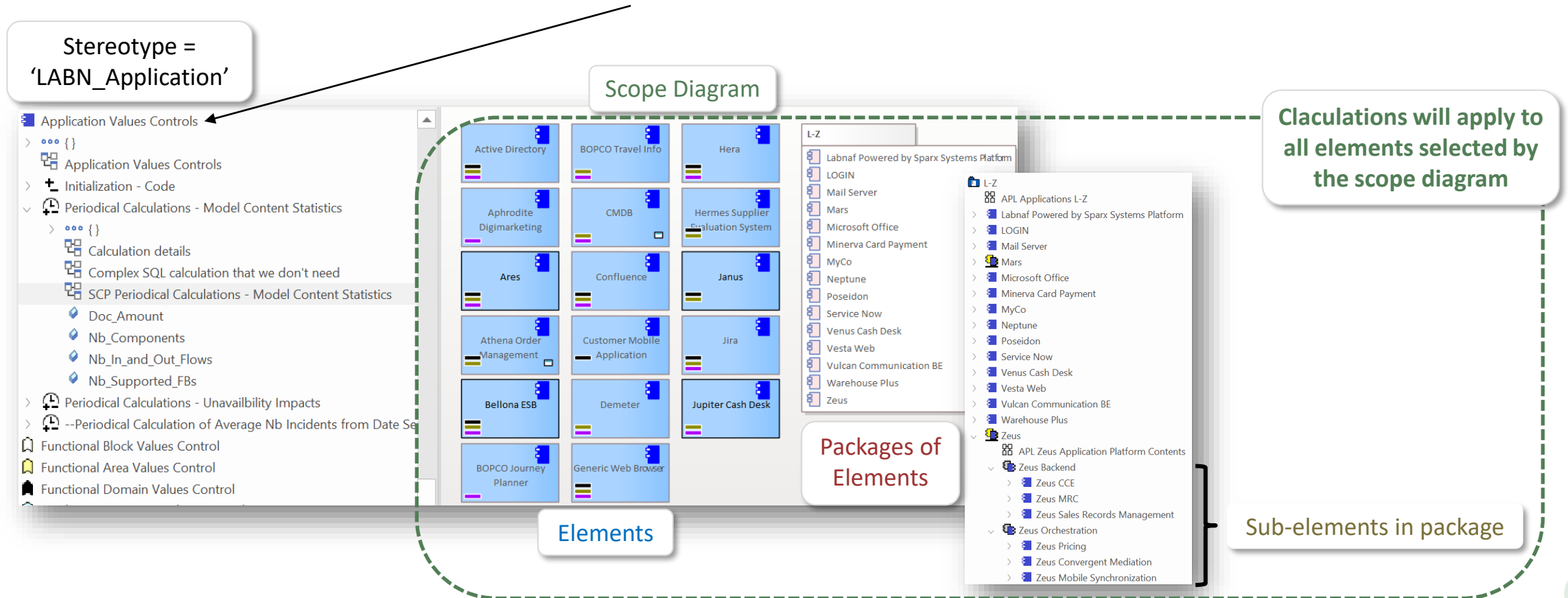


# Populate the Scope diagram

- Add to the scope diagram the elements and packages of elements for which calculations are required

⇒ Collected elements =

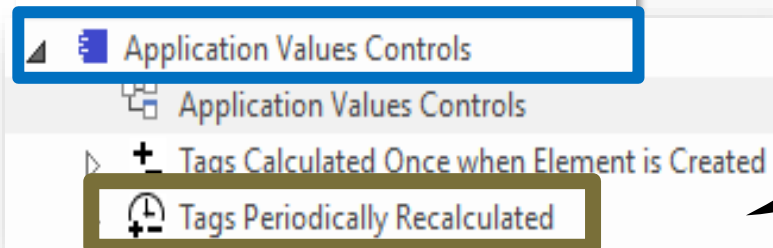
- Elements and packages of elements (including sub-elements) in the scope diagram
- that have the same stereotype as the parent element prototype



## 2. Scope As SQL Select

Custom **SQL** for selecting the **collection of elements** requiring calculations.

By default, all elements with the same stereotype as the element prototype are selected.



The "**Notes**" property of the value control element contains some SQL SELECT statement.  
**That SQL statements selects the elements that have values to be calculated.**

```
Notes
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/* Selection in a 2 levels hierarchy of packages using a variable to be defined as
an attribute in the "(((ModelingLanguageConfiguration)))" element */
SELECT * FROM t_object o
WHERE stereotype='LABN_Application'
AND o.Package_ID IN
(SELECT package1.package_ID FROM t_package package1
LEFT JOIN t_package package2 ON package2.package_id = package1.parent_id
WHERE package2.ea_guid = '#MyParentApplicationPackageGUID#')
ORDER BY Name
```

*With professional database engines, that SELECT statement can reach a level of sophistication that goes way beyond users' requirements.*

*File-based databases, on the other hand, have some limitations, but it is still usually sufficient to implement most use cases. File-based databases are anyway not designed for running on professional database servers.*





# Sample SQL Statements

```
/* Selection in a 2 levels hierarchy of packages */
SELECT * FROM t_object o
WHERE stereotype='LABN_Application'
AND o.Package_ID IN
(SELECT package1.package_ID FROM t_package package1
LEFT JOIN t_package package2 ON package2.package_id = package1.parent_id
WHERE package2.ea_guid = '#uMyVariableContainingAPackageGUID#')
ORDER BY Name

/* selection in a set of packages
SELECT * FROM t_object WHERE stereotype ='LABN_Application' AND package_ID=550
UNION
SELECT * FROM t_object WHERE stereotype ='LABN_Application' AND package_ID=1126
*/

/* Ordered selection in a set of packages (Access only)
SELECT * FROM (
SELECT * FROM t_object WHERE stereotype ='LABN_Application' AND package_ID=550
UNION
SELECT * FROM t_object WHERE stereotype ='LABN_Application' AND package_ID=1126
)
ORDER BY NAME
*/
```

Statement can include comments

```
/* my comment */
```

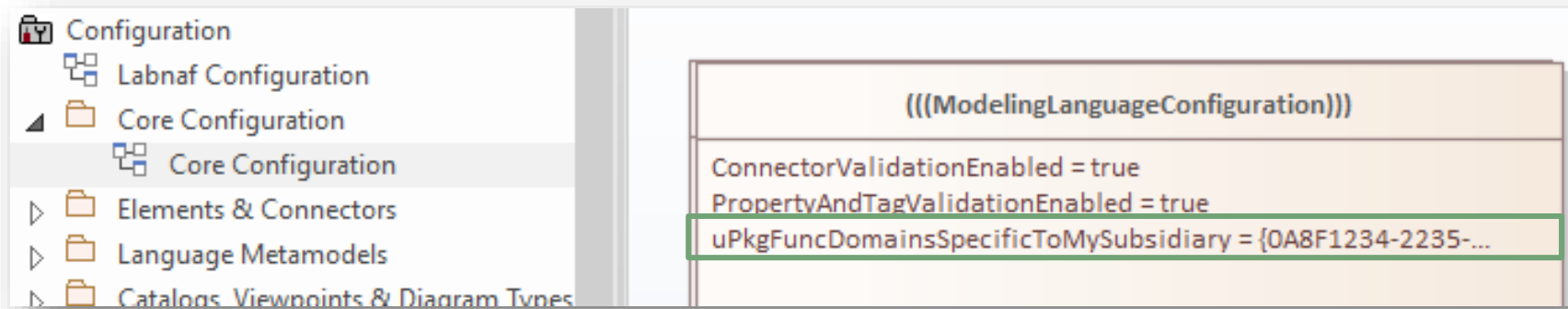


# These SQL statements can include variables

Variables defined in the core configuration can be used in SQL statements. You can add your own variables.

User-define variable must start with the letter 'u'

**Example: A user-defined variable containing the GUID of a package:**



**Usage of the user-defined variable in a SQL statement:**

```
select * from t_object o inner
join t_package p on o.package_id = p.package_id
where o.ParentID = 0 and o.stereotype like 'LABN_%'
and p.ea_guid = '#uPkgFuncDomainsSpecificToMySubsidiary#'
ORDER BY o.Name
```

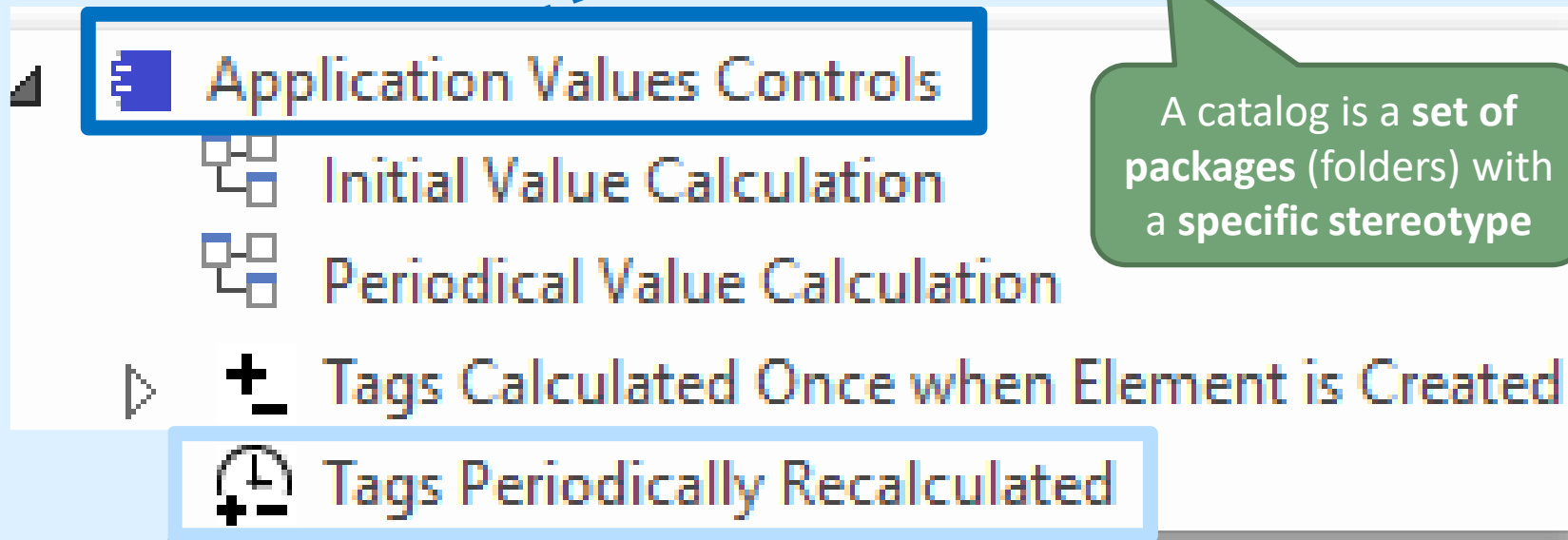


### 3. Scope As Catalog (Default)

Default Scope = All elements in the catalog

**By default**, all elements with the same stereotype as the element prototype are selected from the related catalog

```
SELECT * FROM t_object WHERE stereotype = 'LABN_Application'  
AND Package_ID IN  
(SELECT PDATA1 from t_object  
  where Object_Type='Package' and Stereotype = 'LNCAT_Application')  
order by Name
```



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# Tagged values to be calculated

'Initial value calculation' and 'periodical value calculation' elements contain attributes. The name of the **attributes** correspond to the **tagged values** to be calculated.

The screenshot displays the SAP Application Values Controls interface. On the left, a tree view shows the hierarchy: Application Values Controls > Tags Calculated Once when Element is Created > Calculation details > Code (highlighted with a red box). Below it, Tags Periodically Recalculated > Calculation details > Nb\_Components (highlighted with a green box). A large grey arrow points from the tree view towards the right. On the right, the Properties pane shows a table with columns 'Element' and 'Tags'. The table lists various attributes and their values for the 'Application Values Controls' element. The 'Code' attribute is highlighted with a red box, and the 'Nb\_Components' attribute is highlighted with a green box.

Name	Application Values Controls
General	
Application ( from LABN )	
1 TO-BE	?
2 TRANSITION	?
3 AS-IS	?
Code	2
Criticality	?
Deployment_Status	?
Doc_Amount	0
Functional_Fit	?
IT_Contact	
IT_Contact Delegates	
Nb_Components	0
Nb_In_and_Out_Flows	0
Nb_Supported_FBs	0



# The Sequence of (Cascaded) Calculations

The sequence of calculation follows the order of elements and attributes in the project browser

Use the **Ctrl-Up** and **Ctrl-Down** keys to change the order of elements and attributes

Select the value control, then press F9 to edit its attributes

Features	
Attributes	Operations
Name	
◆ Nb_Components	
◆ Nb_In_and_Out_Flows	
◆ Nb_Supported_FBs	
◆ Doc_Amount	

$=2 \cdot \text{Nb\_Supported\_FBs} + 5 \cdot \text{Nb\_In\_and\_Out\_Flows} + 3 \cdot \text{Nb\_Components}$

Cascaded calculations



# Calculation Expressions

Calculations expressions are stored in the attribute's **Notes** property, e.g. **NB\_Components.Notes**

The calculation can be expressed in three different formats, depending on your needs.

Formats =>	SQL SELECT statement	Date Series Consolidation Function + SQL SELECT statement	Mathematical expression
Syntax	SQL SELECT statement that returns <b>one single row</b> and a <b>single column</b> called ' <b>CALCULATED_VALUE</b> '.	A <b>function name</b> followed by a <b>SQL SELECT statement</b> that returns <b>multiple rows</b> and a <b>single column</b> called ' <b>CALCULATED_VALUE</b> '. Function is either <b>SumValuesInMatchingDateSeries</b> or <b>AverageValuesInMatchingDateSeries</b>	={math expression}
Example	<u>Nb_Components.Notes</u> SELECT COUNT(*) AS <b>CALCULATED_VALUE</b> from <b>t_object</b> oChild where oChild.ParentID = (SELECT Object_ID from <b>t_object</b> oParent where oChild.Stereotype in ('LABN_DataStore','LABN_ApplicationComponent') AND oParent.ea_guid = '#CurrentElementGUID#')	<u>MTBF.Notes</u> <b>AverageValuesInMatchingDateSeries</b> SELECT oApp.Name as AppName, prop.value AS <b>CALCULATED_VALUE</b> FROM <b>t_object</b> oApp LEFT JOIN <b>t_objectproperties</b> prop ON oApp.object_id = prop.object_id WHERE oApp.Stereotype = 'LABN_Application' AND oApp.Object_ID IN (SELECT Start_Object_ID FROM <b>t_connector</b> WHERE <b>t_Connector</b> .Stereotype = 'LABN_Realization' AND <b>t_connector</b> .End_Object_ID = #CurrentElementID#) AND prop.Property='MTBF'	<u>Doc_Amount.Notes</u> =2*Nb_Supported_FBs + 5*Nb_In_and_Out_Flows + 3*Nb_Components
Input data	Any combination of repository content including catalogs, elements, connectors, diagrams, properties/tagged values, authors...	Any combination of repository content including catalogs, elements, connectors, diagrams, properties/tagged values, authors...	Properties/tagged values that belong to a same element



# SQL SELECT Statements

Tags Periodically Recalculated  
Calculation details  
Nb\_Components

SQL SELECT statement that returns one single row and a single column called '**CALCULATED\_VALUE**'.



Notes

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```
/* The number of application components and data stores in the application */ /* Insert your comments between delimiters */  
  
SELECT COUNT(*) AS CALCULATED_VALUE from t_object oChild where oChild.ParentID =  
(SELECT Object_ID from t_object oParent where oChild.Stereotype in ('LABN_DataStore','LABN_ApplicationComponent')  
AND oParent.ea_guid = '#CurrentElementGUID#')
```

Contextual variables can be used in the SQL calculation statements:  
#CurrentElementGUID#  
#CurrentElementID#





## Database Engine: Use SQL Server

- SQL syntax is different across database engines

- **SQL Server is very powerful including for queries**

Because the calculation language is SQL, the possibilities and combinations are almost infinite.

- **File-based databases (SQLite, Access) are limited**

Trying to make SQL-based value calculations in Access databases is mostly a waste of time

### Notes

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/\* The number of application components and data stores in the application \*/

```
SELECT COUNT(*) AS CALCULATED_VALUE from t_object oChild where oChild.ParentID =  
(SELECT Object_ID from t_object oParent where oChild.Stereotype in ('LABN_DataStore','LABN_ApplicationComponent')  
AND oParent.ea_guid = '#CurrentElementGUID#')
```



# Date Series Consolidation Functions

- **Definition:** A date series is a series of values of a quantity obtained at successive dates.
- **Format:** Labnaf Date Series tagged value format is: “YYYY-MM-DD=NumericValue; YYYY-MM-DD=NumericValue; ...”

- **Sample Application Date Series:**

Nb_Incidents_History	2022-01-01=2;2022-02-01=3;2022-03-01=1
Nb_Incidents_History	2022-01-01=9;2022-02-01=5;2022-03-01=6
MTBF	2022-01-01=10;2022-02-01=15;2022-03-01=20
MTTR	2022-01-01=2;2022-02-01=3;2022-03-01=1
Pct_Unavailable	1
Expected_Unavailability	3

- **Multiple date series can be consolidated.**

For example, the property **Nb\_Incidents\_History** from multiple applications realizing a same functional block can be consolidated into a single **Nb\_Incidents\_History** for that functional block.

**Properties**

Element Behavior Parameters Partitions Tags

**Functional Block (Digital Marketing)**

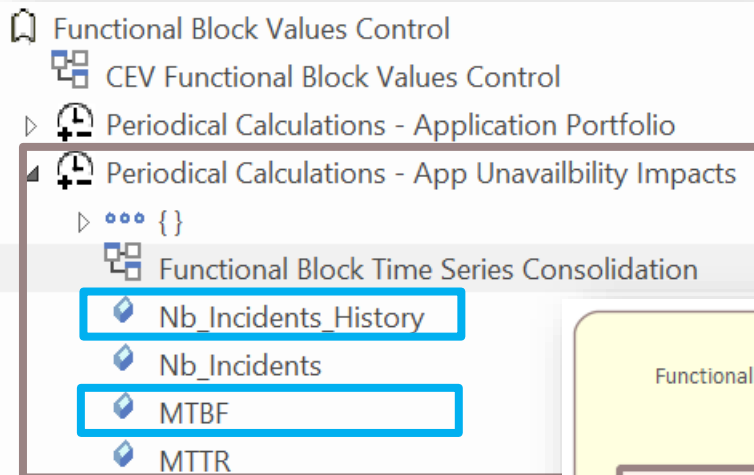
Data_Impacted_By_...	0
MTBF	2022-01-01=285;2022-02-01=472;2022-03-01=235
MTTR	2022-01-01=4;2022-02-01=3;2022-03-01=1
Nb_Incidents_History	2022-01-01=11;2022-02-01=8;2022-03-01=7
Users_Impacted_By_...	1

Values of matching dates are either **summed**, or their **average** value is calculated.



# SumValuesInMatchingDateSeries and AverageValuesInMatchingDateSeries

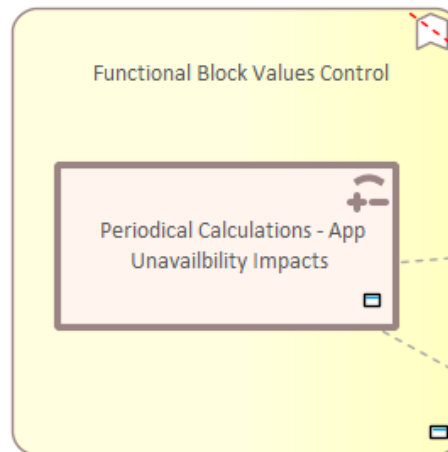
Sample Date Series consolidation for the properties **Nb\_Incident\_History** and **MTBF**



Each select statement selects multiple application date series properties to be consolidated..

For **NB\_Incidents\_History**, values are summed for the matching dates.  
For **MTBF**, the average values are calculated for the matching dates.

The attribute's Notes that contain the calculation



```
Nb_Incidents_History
SumValuesInMatchingDateSeries
SELECT oApp.Name as AppName, prop.value AS CALCULATED_VALUE /* Direct realization of any type of EF by applications */
FROM t_object oApp LEFT JOIN t_objectproperties prop ON oApp.object_id = prop.object_id
WHERE oApp.Stereotype = 'LABN_Application'
AND oApp.Object_ID IN
  (SELECT Start_Object_ID FROM t_connector
   WHERE t_Connector.Stereotype = 'LABN_Realization'
   AND t_connector.End_Object_ID = #CurrentElementID#)
AND prop.Property='Nb_Incidents_History'
```

```
MTBF
AverageValuesInMatchingDateSeries
SELECT oApp.Name as AppName, prop.value AS CALCULATED_VALUE /* Direct realization of any type of EF by applications */
FROM t_object oApp LEFT JOIN t_objectproperties prop ON oApp.object_id = prop.object_id
WHERE oApp.Stereotype = 'LABN_Application'
AND oApp.Object_ID IN
  (SELECT Start_Object_ID FROM t_connector
   WHERE t_Connector.Stereotype = 'LABN_Realization'
   AND t_connector.End_Object_ID = #CurrentElementID#)
AND prop.Property='MTBF'
```

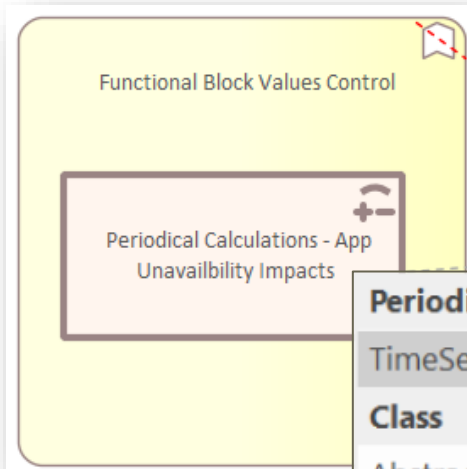


# SumValuesInMatchingDateSeries and AverageValuesInMatchingDateSeries

## Consolidating Inconsistent Sets of Date Series

Periodical Value Calculation Rule elements contain a property called « **Time\_Series\_OnMissingValue** »

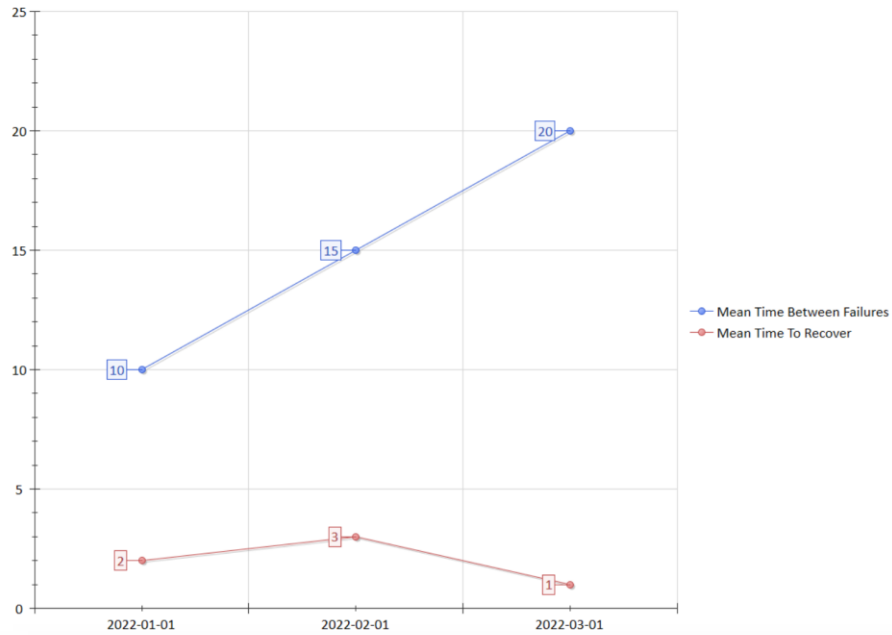
This property defines what to do when a date/value is missing in a time series.



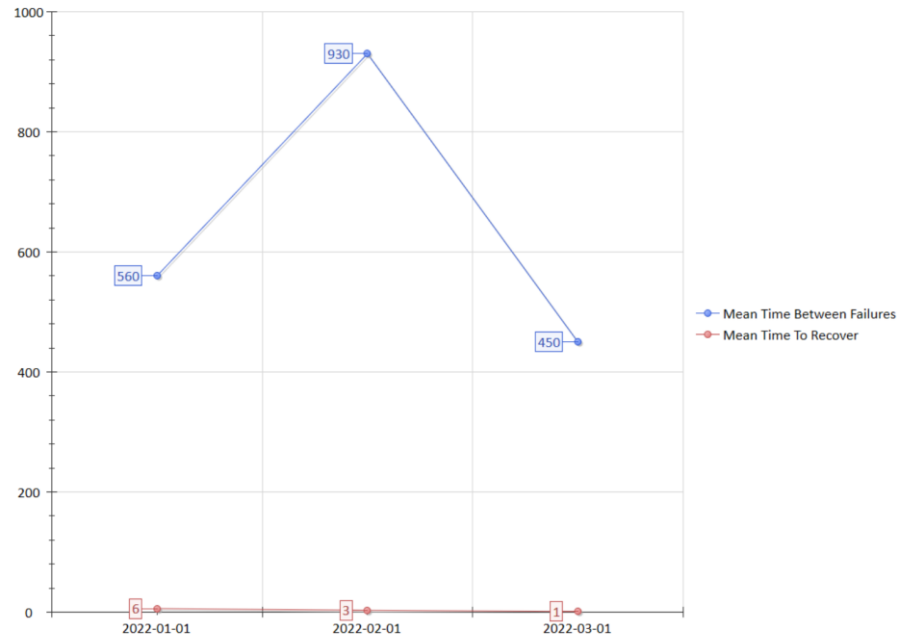
Periodical Value Calculation Rule ( from LABN )	
TimeSeries_OnMissingValue	Discard This Date/Time For This Element
<b>Class</b>	Discard This Date/Time For This Element
Abstract	Discard This Date/Time For All Elements
Active	Discard All Dates/Times For This Element



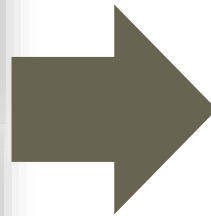
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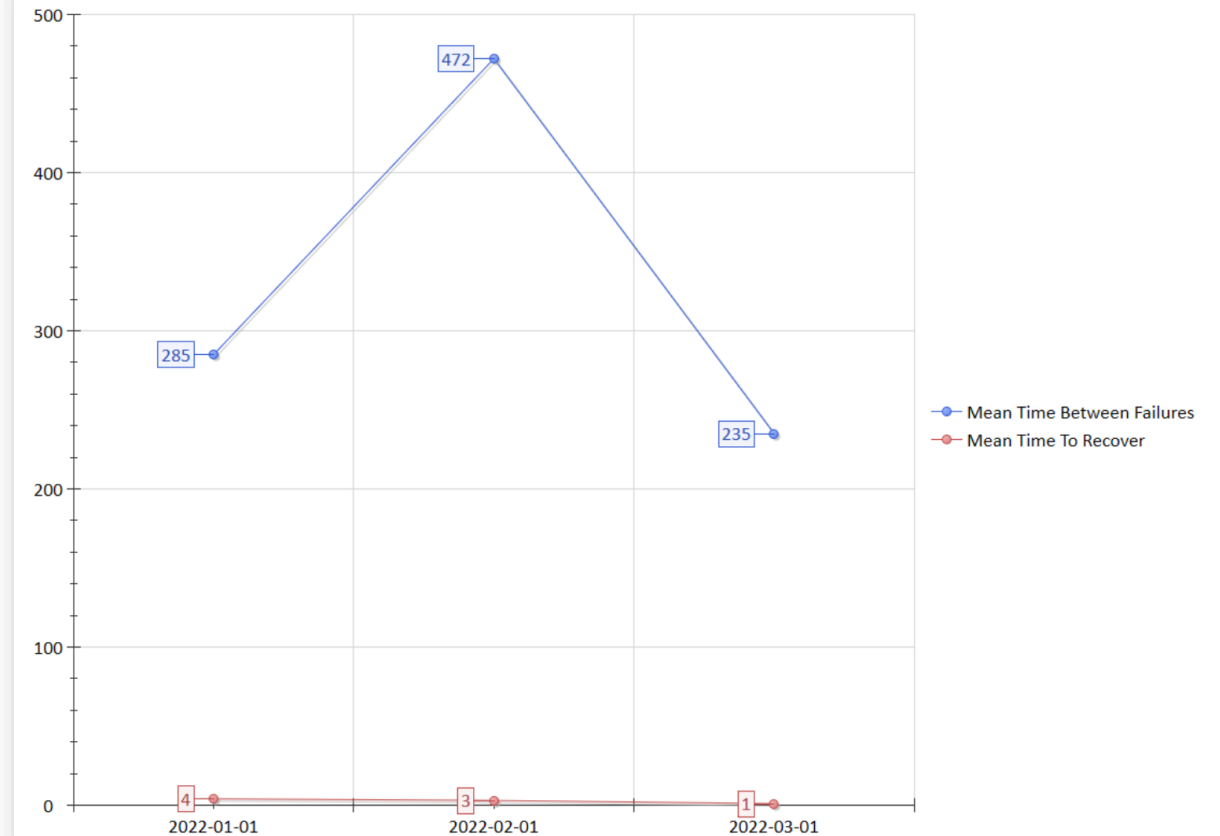
Application Incident Mean Times - Poseidon



# Typical usage is consolidated time series chart generation



Application Incident Mean Times - Functional Block: Digital Marketing



# Mathematical Expressions

The attribute's **Notes** field contains the expression as follows:

**"= {Calculation Expression}"**

where {Calculation Expression} can include any of the items on the right =>

- **Property/Tagged Value names** that exist in the current element

- **Operators:**

\*

/

+

-

Power:  $x^y$

Modulo:  $x\%y$

Factorial:  $x!$

- **Functions:** **Round**(x), **RoundDown**(x), **Abs**(x), **Sqrt**(x)
- **Parenthesis**, which can be embedded: **( )**



# Mathematical Expressions

## Examples

- Application Values Controls
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  - Initialization - Code
  - Periodical Calculations - Model Content Statistics
    - Calculation details
      - Nb\_Components
      - Nb\_In\_and\_Out\_Flows
      - Nb\_Supported\_FBs
      - Doc Amount
  - Periodical Calculations - Unavailability Impacts
    - CEV TestCalc
      - Users\_Impacted\_By\_Unavailability
      - Data\_Impacted\_By\_Unavailability

### Notes

**B** *I* U  $x^2$   $x_2$

/\* Cascaded Calculation (Calculation based on previous calculations)  
Number of FBs: Weight=20%  
Number of flows: Weight=50%  
Number of application components and data stores: Weight=30% \*/

=2\*Nb\_Supported\_FBs + 5\*Nb\_In\_and\_Out\_Flows + 3\*Nb\_Components

### Notes

**B** *I* U  $x^2$   $x_2$

=Round(Expected\_Unavailability\*User\_Community\_Size/5)



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# Making calculated values Read Only

- **'Configure (Ribbon) > UML Types > Tagged Value Types**
- Add a new tag name that correspond to the name of your tagged value

The screenshot displays the 'UML Types' configuration window. On the left, a tree view shows 'UML Types' expanded to 'Tagged Value Types'. The main area shows 'Tag Name: Nb\_Components' and 'Detail: Type=Const;'. Below this, the 'Properties' window is open, showing a table of properties for 'Nb\_Components'.

Name	Application Values Controls
1 TO-BE	?
2 TRANSITION	?
3 AS-IS	?
Code	2
Criticality	?
Deployment_Status	?
Doc_Amount	0
Functional_Fit	?
IT_Contact	
IT_Contact_Delegates	
Nb_Components	0



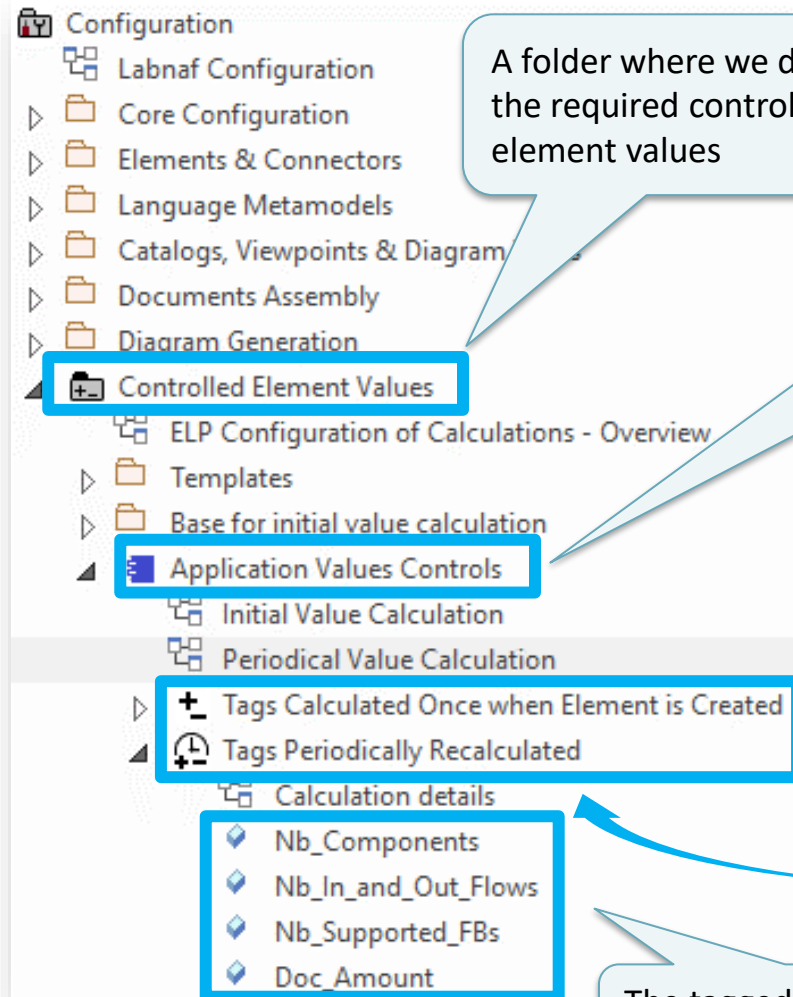
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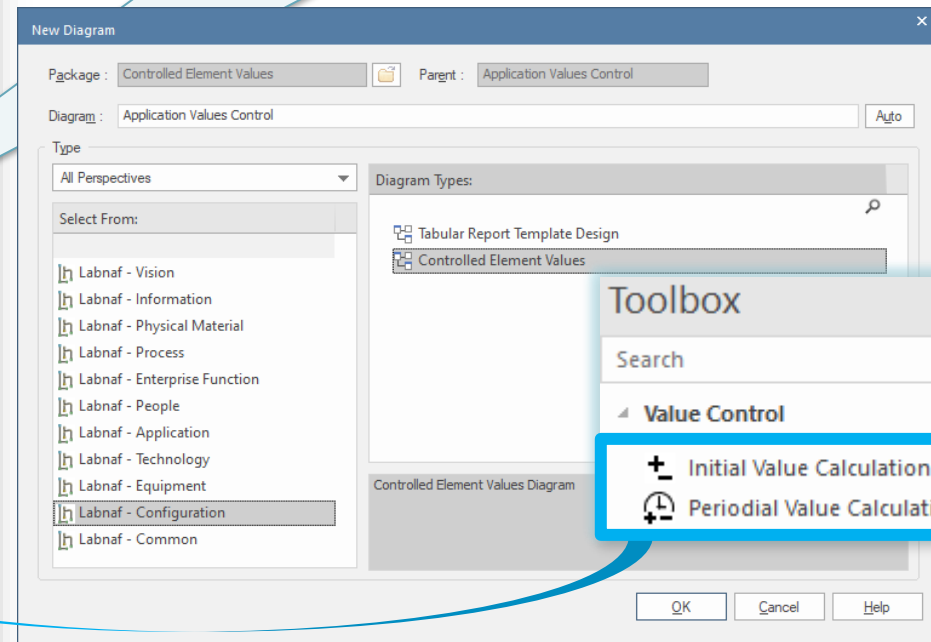
# Value Calculation - Overview

## Structure in the repository



A folder where we define the required controls on element values

An element prototype for grouping all the required value controls. So we can see that the embedded value control definitions (calculations...) are for elements of that specific type and stereotype.



The tagged values that must be calculated



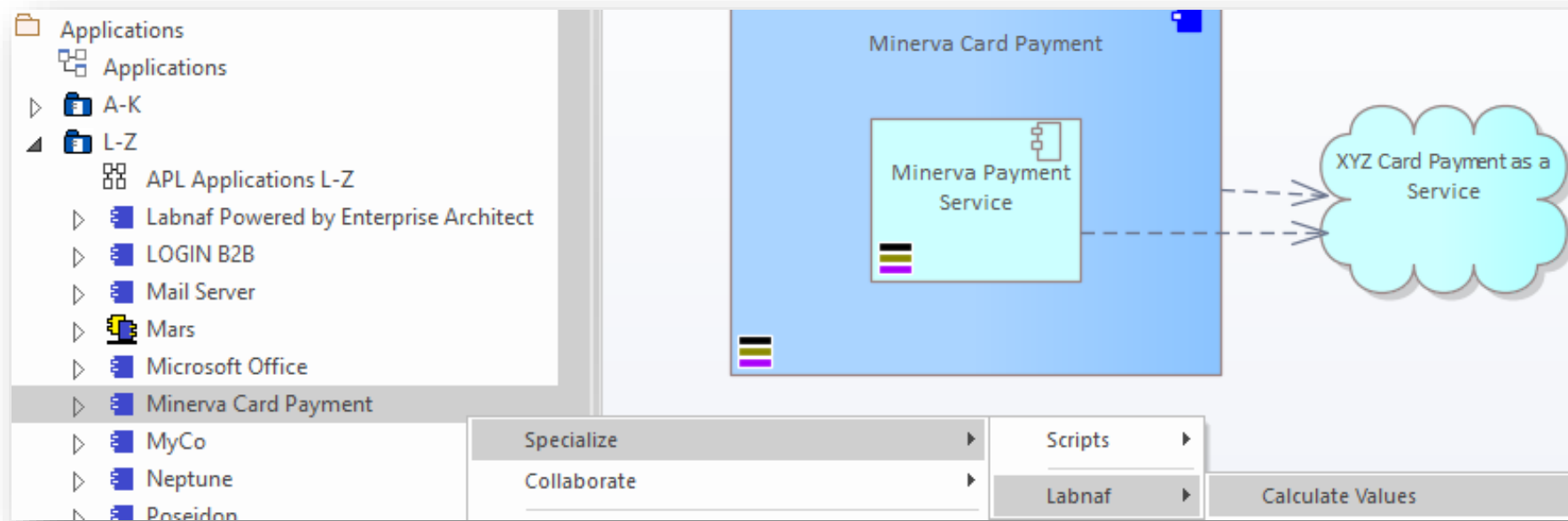
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# Testing your Periodical Value Calculation

- Right-click on any element that has a periodical value calculation associated to its type (either in the browser window or in a diagram)
- Select **Specialize > Labnaf > Calculate Values**



# Scheduling Periodical Value Calculation

See the  
**Labnaf PowerShell**  
documentation

