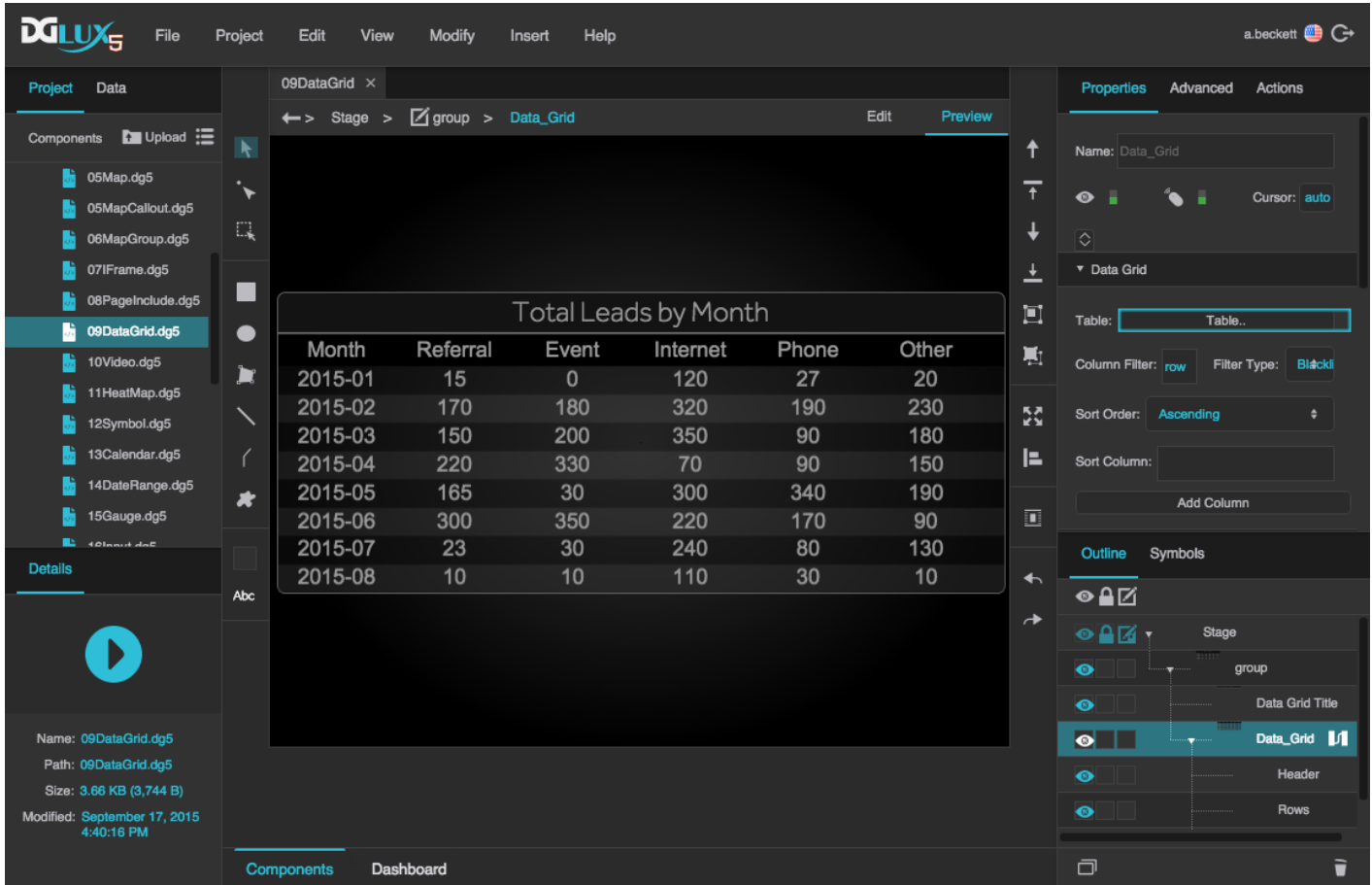


Data Grid

The data grid component lets you display data from a source table, as a set of rows and columns. This page includes quick steps for creating data grids and answers to some frequently asked questions about data grids.

For a detailed reference of properties that affect data grids, see [Common Properties](#) and [Data Grid Properties](#).



The screenshot shows the DGLux5 IDE interface. The main preview window displays a data grid component with the following data:

Month	Referral	Event	Internet	Phone	Other
2015-01	15	0	120	27	20
2015-02	170	180	320	190	230
2015-03	150	200	350	90	180
2015-04	220	330	70	90	150
2015-05	165	30	300	340	190
2015-06	300	350	220	170	90
2015-07	23	30	240	80	130
2015-08	10	10	110	30	10

The Properties panel on the right shows the following settings for the Data Grid component:

- Name: Data_Grid
- Cursor: auto
- Table: Table..
- Column Filter: row
- Filter Type: Blockd
- Sort Order: Ascending
- Sort Column: (empty)

A data grid component in DGLux5

About Column Editors and Column Order

When you create a data grid, you use column editors to control which columns appear in the grid and to control some properties of those columns, such as sortability.

There are three types of column editors: All, Name, and Repeater.

By default, one All column editor is included in a new data grid component. The All type of column editor dictates that all of the columns from the source table are included in the grid, except for those that you

[filter out](#) of the entire grid. The All column editor also lets you edit properties for all grid columns. Regarding column order, when you use the All column editor, grid columns will appear in the same order as source table columns, unless you use a [whitelist filter](#)—in that case, grid columns appear in the order specified in the **Filter** property. With the All column editor type, grid columns have the same column heading text as source table columns.

If you prefer, you can use Name column editors instead. Each Name column editor dictates that one specific table column is included in the grid, and each Name column editor also allows you to edit properties for that particular column, including the column heading text. When you use Name column editors, columns in the grid appear in the order that the column editors appear in the [Outline](#), unless you use a [whitelist filter](#). Just as with an All column editor, the column order in the whitelist filter overrides the column order elsewhere. Additionally, Name column editors allow you to create and manage [categories](#).

Name column editors are also useful when creating column renderers. A column renderer displays a specified [symbol](#) in each cell of a column, using symbol parameters and data from the source table to affect each symbol instance. Column renderers are similar to [repeaters](#). You can see two examples of column renderers in the [FAQ](#), under "How do I put images in my data grid?" and "How do I clip content in my data grid?"

The third and final column editor type is the Repeater column editor. This is the most complex type and allows for the most flexibility in the data grid. A Repeater column editor lets you use a configuration table to determine:

- Which source table columns appear in the grid
- Which symbols represent those columns (if any)
- Properties of the symbols

You can see an example of a Repeater column editor in the [FAQ](#), under "How do I use a Repeater column editor? How do I make a grid with a dynamic number of columns?"

Load Data

Typically, before you can design a chart or data grid, you must load a table in the dataflow.

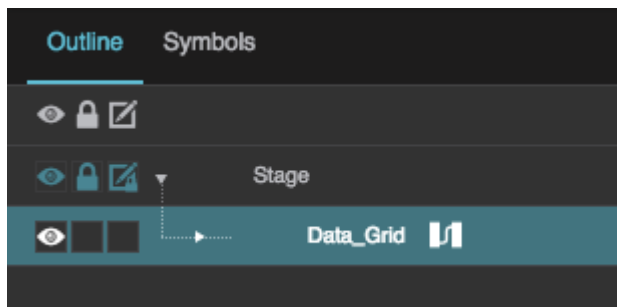
To load a table, follow the steps in [Working with Tables](#).

Create a Data Grid

This section shows quick steps for creating a data grid.

After inserting a data grid component and loading data:

1. In the **Outline**, select the data grid, and click **Dataflow** to open the **dataflow window**.




2. Bind the **output** table from your dataflow to the **Table** property of the data grid.



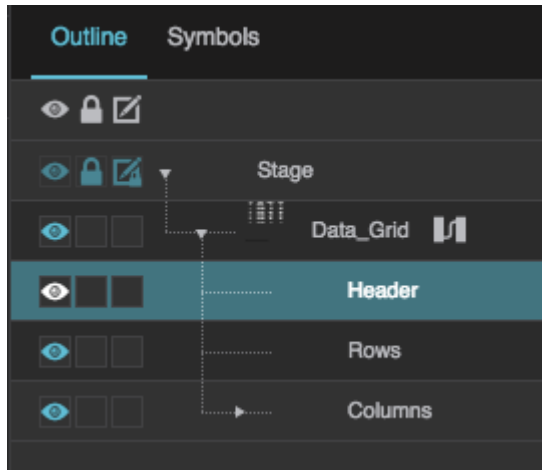
The data appears in the data grid component.

row	Month	Referral	Event
0	2015-01	15	0
1	2015-02	170	180
2	2015-03	150	200
3	2015-04	220	330
4	2015-05	165	30
5	2015-06	300	350
6	2015-07	23	30
7	2015-08	10	10

3. With the data grid selected in the Outline, in the **Selection** properties, choose a fill and stroke and a [selection behavior](#).

If you want to allow the user to select multiple rows, choose  **Multi-Select**.

4. In the Outline, select the data grid's header.



5. Style the data grid's header using the [Property Inspector](#).

row	Month	Referral	Event
0	2015-01	15	0
1	2015-02	170	180
2	2015-03	150	200
3	2015-04	220	330
4	2015-05	165	30
5	2015-06	300	350
6	2015-07	23	30
7	2015-08	10	10

Properties Advanced Actions

▼ Text and Font

Font: EffraLight

Size: 18 *I* **B**

Horiz Alignment: [Left] [Center] [Right]

Vert Alignment: [Top] [Middle] [Bottom]

[List Icon] 0 [List Icon] 0 [List Icon] 0 [List Icon] 0

▼ Gridlines

Vert Line: [Color] Stroke: Solid 1

▼ Fill and Stroke

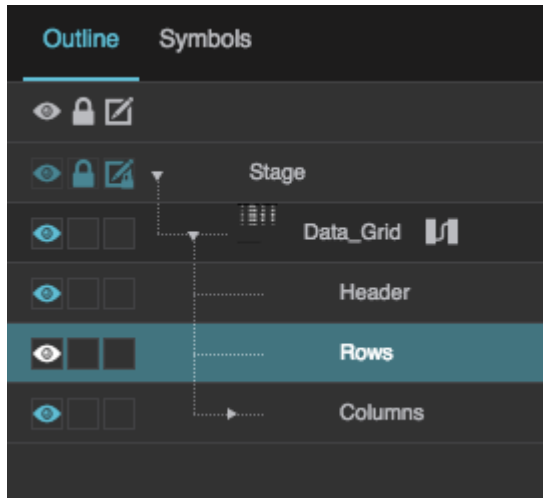
[Fill Icon] [Stroke Icon]

Stroke: Solid 1

▼ Position and Size

[Position Icon] auto

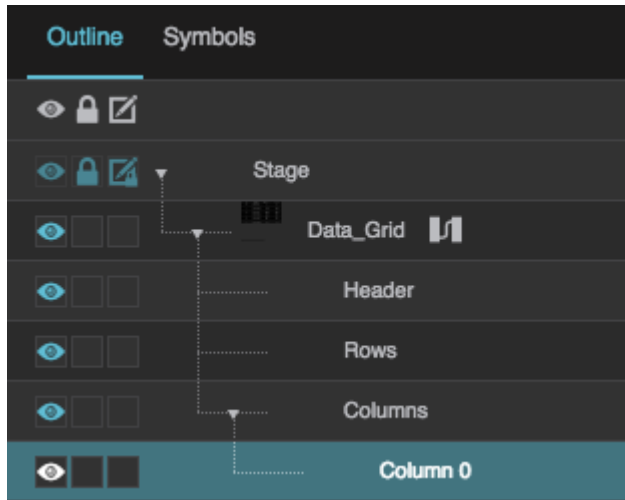
6. In the Outline, select the data grid's rows.



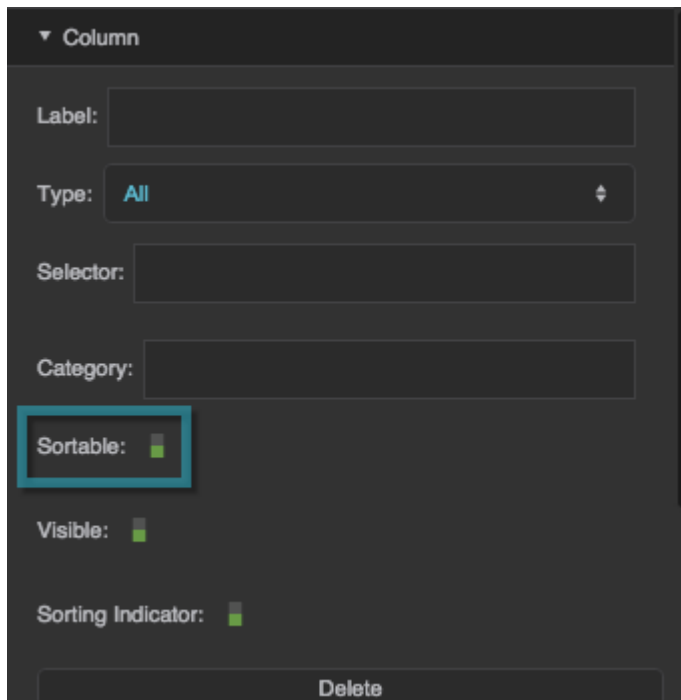
7. Style the data grid rows using the Property Inspector.

row	Month	Referral	Event
0	2015-01	15	0
1	2015-02	170	180
2	2015-03	150	200
3	2015-04	220	330
4	2015-05	165	30
5	2015-06	300	350
6	2015-07	23	30
7	2015-08	10	10

8. In the Outline, select the "Column 0" column editor, which is a child of the "Columns" node.



9. Set **Sortable** to TRUE.



This allows the user to sort the data grid by any column.

row ▲	Month	Referral	Event	Internet	Phone	Other
0	2015-01	15	0	120	27	20
1	2015-02	170	180	320	190	230
2	2015-03	150	200	350	90	180
3	2015-04	220	330	70	90	150
4	2015-05	165	30	300	340	190
5	2015-06	300	350	220	170	90

Using the Category Feature

Data grid categories allow you to create multiple levels of headers for grid columns. If columns within the same category are [adjacent](#), their category headings are merged:

Temp		Flow	
Device 1 Temp	Device 2 Temp	Device 1 Flow	Device 2 Flow
75	73	123	234

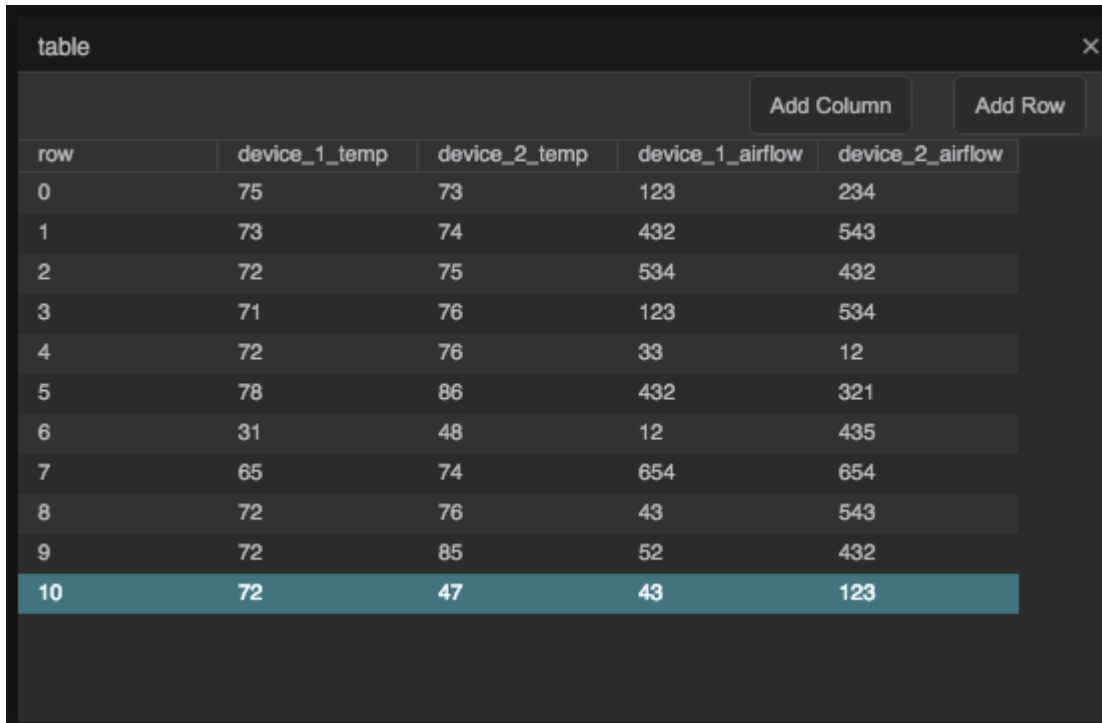
If columns within the same category are not [adjacent](#), the category headings are not merged:

Temp	Flow	Temp	Flow
Device 1 Temp	Device 1 Flow	Device 2 Temp	Device 2 Flow
75	123	73	234

When you create data grid categories, you add them to the [Outline](#) as [column editors](#).

These steps show you first how to use the category feature to categorize columns by type of data, and then how to change the categorization to be by device. These steps illustrate adding only one level of categorization, but you could use the same process to create multiple levels.

1. Create a table for your data grid that looks like the table below. Use the following column headers:
 - device_1_temp
 - device_2_temp
 - device_1_airflow
 - device_2_airflow



row	device_1_temp	device_2_temp	device_1_airflow	device_2_airflow
0	75	73	123	234
1	73	74	432	543
2	72	75	534	432
3	71	76	123	534
4	72	76	33	12
5	78	86	432	321
6	31	48	12	435
7	65	74	654	654
8	72	76	43	543
9	72	85	52	432
10	72	47	43	123

2. Delete the existing column editor, and create six new column editors for your data grid by clicking the **Add Column** button six times.

Properties Advanced Actions

Name:

 Cursor:

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▼ Data Grid

Table:

Column Filter: Filter Type:

Sort Order:

Sort Column:

Add Column

▶ Scrolling

▶ Selection

▶ Fill and Stroke

▶ Rounded Corners

Outline Symbols

 Stage

 Data_Grid

 Header

 Rows

 Columns

 Column 0

 Column 1

 Column 2

 Column 3

 Column 4

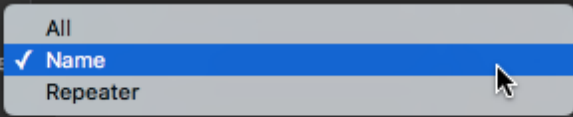
 Column 5

3. Set the **Type** property for all six column editors to **Name**. You can select all six column editors and then change the property once.

Properties Advanced Actions

▼ Column

Label:

Type: 

Selector:

Category:

Sortable:

Visible:


Sorting Indicator:



Sort Asc: Sort Desc:


► Symbol


► Position and Size


Outline Symbols

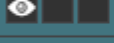
 Stage

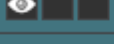
 Data_Grid 


 Header


 Rows


 Columns


 Column 0

 Column 1

 Column 2

 Column 3

 Column 4

 Column 5

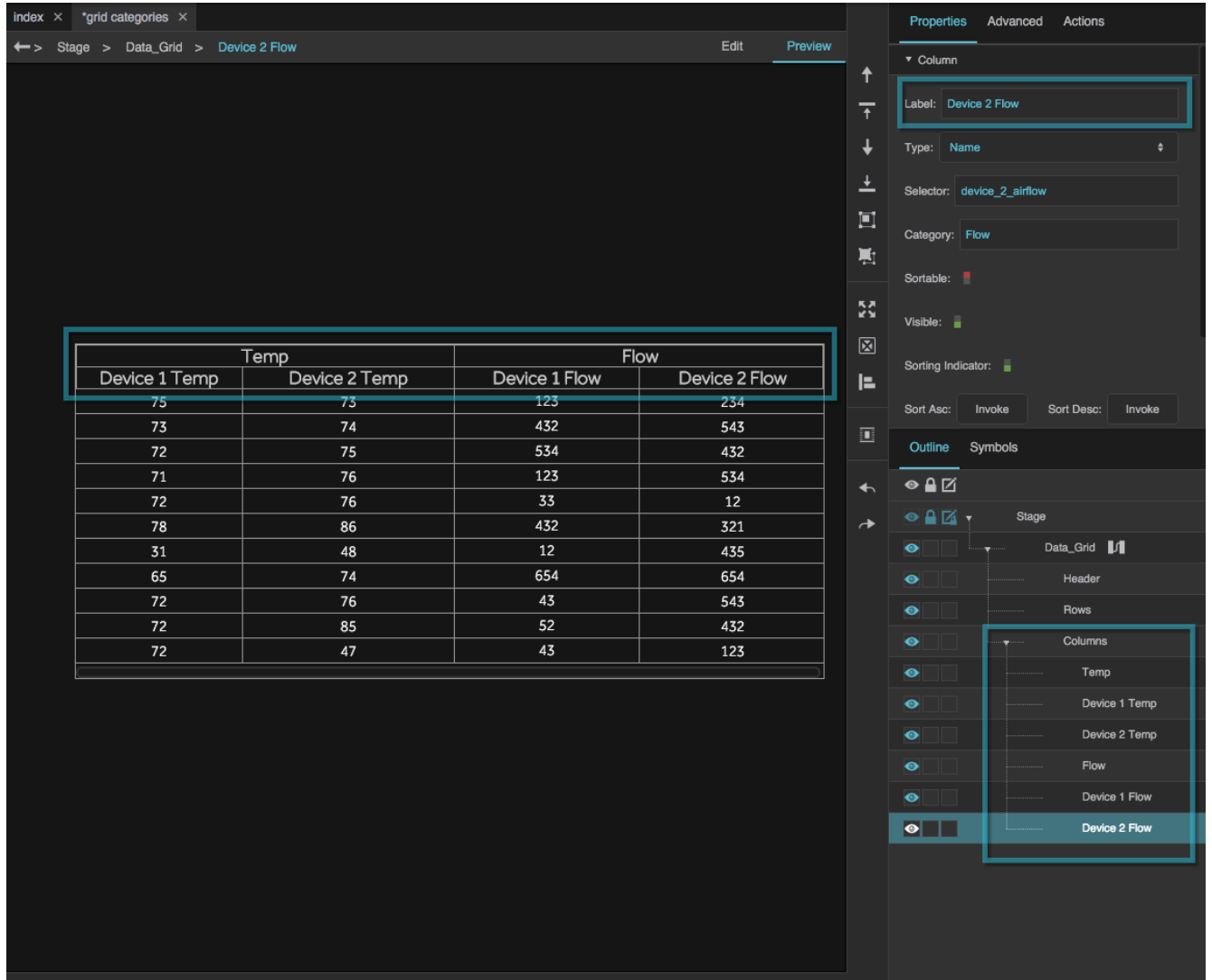
4. Set the **Selector** and **Category** properties for each column editor as follows:
 - For **Column 0**, set **Selector** to Temp and leave **Category** blank.
 - For **Column 1**, set **Selector** to device_1_temp and set **Category** to Temp.
 - For **Column 2**, set **Selector** to device_2_temp and set **Category** to Temp.
 - For **Column 3**, set **Selector** to Flow and leave **Category** blank.
 - For **Column 4**, set **Selector** to device_1_airflow and set **Category** to Flow.
 - For **Column 5**, set **Selector** to device_2_airflow and set **Category** to Flow.

The screenshot shows a data grid editor interface. The main area displays a table with four columns grouped into two categories: Temp and Flow. The Temp category includes device_1_temp and device_2_temp, while the Flow category includes device_1_airflow and device_2_airflow. The right sidebar shows the properties for Column 5, with Selector set to device_2_airflow and Category set to Flow.

Temp		Flow	
device_1_temp	device_2_temp	device_1_airflow	device_2_airflow
75	73	123	234
73	74	432	543
72	75	534	432
71	76	123	534
72	76	33	12
78	86	432	321
31	48	12	435
65	74	654	654
72	76	43	543
72	85	52	432
72	47	43	123

This creates a table with four columns that are grouped into two categories.

5. You can change the names in the **Outline** for clarity, and this will also update the **Label** property for each editor, changing what appears in the headers.



- 6. As another example, change the categories to the following:
 - o For **Column 0**, change **Selector** to Device 1 and leave **Category** blank. Change **Label** to Device 1.
 - o For **Column 1**, keep **Selector** as device_1_temp and set **Category** to Device 1.
 - o For **Column 2**, keep **Selector** as device_2_temp and set **Category** to Device 2.
 - o For **Column 3**, set **Selector** to Device 2 and leave **Category** blank. Change **Label** to Device 2.
 - o For **Column 4**, keep **Selector** as device_1_airflow and set **Category** to Device 1.
 - o For **Column 5**, keep **Selector** as device_2_airflow and set **Category** to Device 2.

The screenshot shows a data grid editor interface. The main area displays a table with four columns and 15 rows. The columns are grouped into two categories: 'Device 1' and 'Device 2'. The 'Device 1' category contains 'Device 1 Temp' and 'Device 1 Flow', while the 'Device 2' category contains 'Device 2 Temp' and 'Device 2 Flow'. The right-hand side of the interface features a 'Properties' panel for the selected column, 'Device 2 Flow'. The panel includes fields for 'Label', 'Type', 'Selector', and 'Category', along with checkboxes for 'Sortable', 'Visible', and 'Sorting Indicator'. Below the properties panel is an 'Outline' panel showing a hierarchical view of the data grid structure, including 'Stage', 'Data_Grid', 'Header', 'Rows', and 'Columns'.

Device 1	Device 2	Device 1	Device 2
Device 1 Temp	Device 2 Temp	Device 1 Flow	Device 2 Flow
75	73	123	234
73	74	432	543
72	75	534	432
71	76	123	534
72	76	33	12
78	86	432	321
31	48	12	435
65	74	654	654
72	76	43	543
72	85	52	432
72	47	43	123

This creates a table with four columns that are grouped into two categories, but the categories are not together.

- To place columns in the same category next to one another, select column editors in the Outline and then use the **Bring Forward** and **Send Backward** commands in the [Quick Access panel](#). You cannot reorder column editors in the Outline by dragging.

Device 1		Device 2	
Device 1 Temp	Device 1 Flow	Device 2 Temp	Device 2 Flow
75	123	73	234
73	432	74	543
72	534	75	432
71	123	76	534
72	33	76	12
78	432	86	321
31	12	48	435
65	654	74	654
72	43	76	543
72	52	85	432
72	43	47	123

This creates a table with four columns that are grouped into two categories.

Data Grid FAQ

For frequently asked questions about manipulating the tables that determine the contents of a data grid, see [Working with Tables](#).

Click to display/hide all elements

How do I edit data grid properties?

In general, to edit properties for a data grid or the elements it comprises:

1. Use the [Outline](#) to select a data grid, its header, its rows, or one of its column editors.
2. Use the [Property Inspector](#) to edit properties for the selected element.

For detailed information about each data grid property, see the [Data Grid Properties reference](#).

How do I sort a data grid?

You can sort the source table using a [Sort](#) block, or you can use the data grid's properties:

1. In the [Outline](#), select the data grid.
2. In the [Property Inspector](#), type the name of the column to sort by in the **Sort Column** field.
3. For **Sort Order**, select "Ascending" or "Descending."
4. In the Outline, select **Column 0**, or another column editor that includes the column you want to sort by.
5. In the Property Inspector, set **Sortable** to TRUE.

The data grid is sorted by the column you specified.

How do I filter out data grid columns?

1. In the [Outline](#), select the data grid.
2. For the **Column Filter** property, enter a comma-separated list of table column names.

These can either be the columns to include or the columns to exclude.

3. For the **Filter Type** property, select **Whitelist** to include the listed columns, or **Blacklist** to exclude them.

What is a column editor? How do I specify different properties for each column?

You edit column properties using column editors. You specify whether each column editor affects all columns or just one column. Using a column editor, you can edit properties such as **Sortable**, column width, and header label.

To edit all of the data grid columns at once, you can use the default "Column 0" editor, which is a child of the "Column" node in the Outline.

To edit each data grid column individually:

1. In the [Outline](#), select "Column 0."
2. In the [Property Inspector](#), for **Type**, select **Name**, and for **Selector**, type the name of one of your table columns.
3. In the Outline, select the data grid.
4. In the Property Inspector, under the Data Grid properties, click **Add Column**.
5. In the Outline, select the new column editor.
6. In the Property Inspector, for **Type**, select **Name**, and for **Selector**, type the name of another one of your table columns.
7. Repeat steps 3–6 until you have an editor for each column.

Now you can edit each column's properties individually.

How do I change column header text?

You can change your column header text at the table level using a [Column Mapping](#) block, or you can do it in Property Inspector.

To edit header text using the Property Inspector:

1. Create column editors for each column as described above.
2. In the [Outline](#), select a column editor.
3. In the [Property Inspector](#), under the Column properties, for **Label**, type the label you want to use.

To style header text:

1. In the Outline, select the header.
2. In the Property Inspector, use the Text and Font properties to style the header text.

How do I style the background and gridlines?

To style the background and gridlines for the data grid rows:

1. In the [Outline](#), select Rows.
2. In the [Property Inspector](#), under Gridlines, specify whether you want vertical, horizontal, or both.
3. Select the stroke color, style, and weight for the horizontal and vertical gridlines separately.
4. In the Property Inspector, under Fill and Stroke Properties, edit the properties for **Main**.

The properties are applied to all of the data grid rows.

5. If you want alternating row colors, edit the properties for **Alt**.

The **Alt** properties are applied to alternating data grid rows.

To style the background and gridlines for the data grid header:

1. In the Outline, select Header.
2. In the Property Inspector, under Gridlines, specify the stroke color, style, and weight for the vertical gridlines between column headers.
3. In the Property Inspector, under Fill and Stroke, specify:
 - The stroke color, style, and weight for the outlining the data grid's header.
 - The background fill for the data grid's header.

How do I style the row that the user mouses over?

You can add interactivity by styling the row that the user mouses over.

1. In the [Outline](#), select Rows.
2. In the [Property Inspector](#), under Fill and Stroke Properties, edit the properties for **Hov**.

"Hov" stands for "Hovered Row."

How do I let the user select rows? How do I style selected rows?

You can enable the user to select rows by clicking. You can make selection interactive by styling the selected rows.

Even if you do not enable the user to select rows, you can manually specify one selected row using the Selected Index property.

To enable the user to select rows by clicking:

1. In the [Outline](#), select Data Grid.
2. In the [Property Inspector](#), under Selection, choose a selection type.
 - **Single Select:** The user can select one item.
 - **Toggle Select:** The user can select one item, and click it to deselect.
 - **Multi-Select:** The user can select multiple items, and click them to deselect.

To style the selected row or rows:

1. In the [Outline](#), select Rows.
2. In the Property Inspector, under Fill and Stroke Properties, edit the properties for **Sel**.

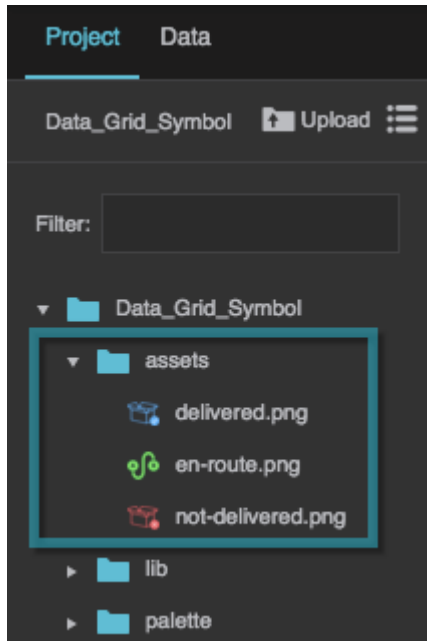
"Sel" stands for "Selected Row."


How do I put images in my data grid?

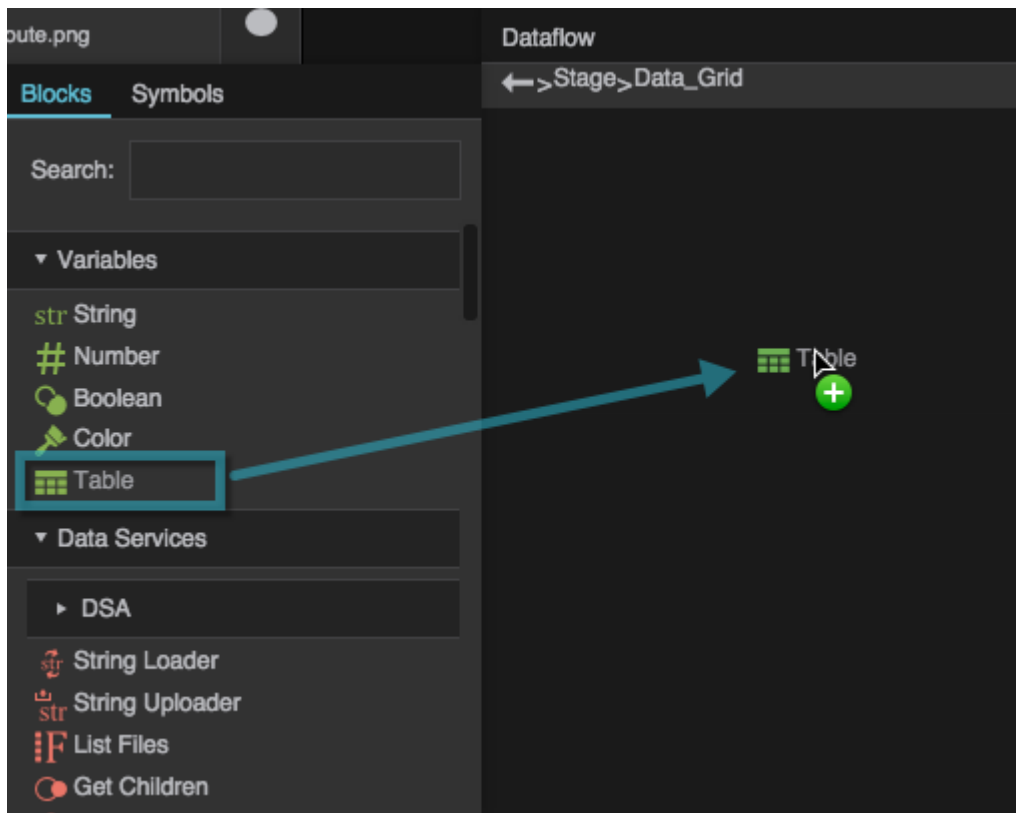
These steps show you how to make a data grid that includes a column of images with tooltips. In these steps, you will use [Table](#) and [Column Mapping](#) dataflow blocks and a [symbol](#).

Configure the Table and Upload Images

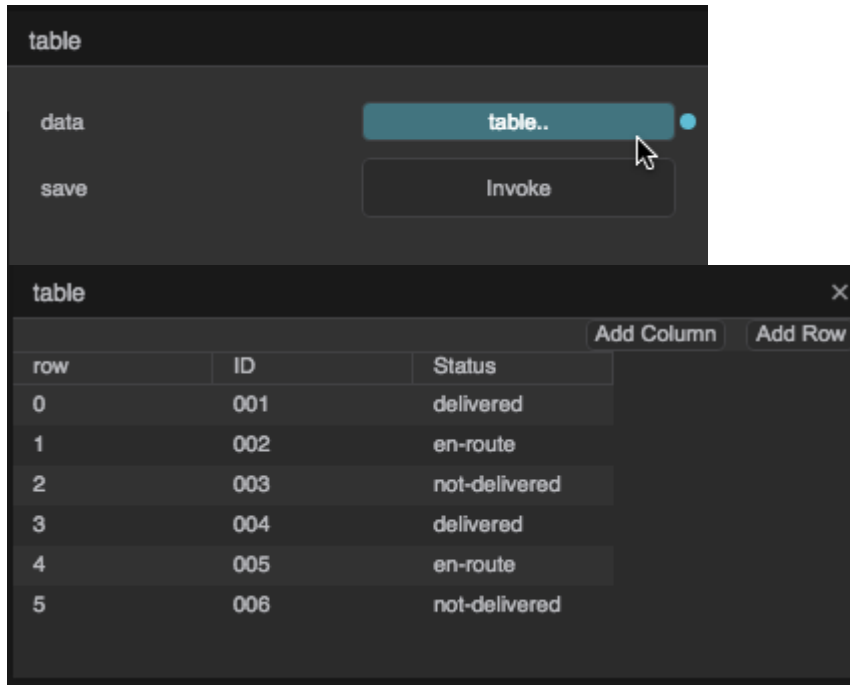
1. Right-click the Stage in the [Document window](#) or [Outline](#), and select **Insert > Components > Data Grid**.
2. Download the following three images, and [upload](#) them into the [assets folder](#) in the [Project panel](#):
 - [delivered.png](#)
 - [en-route.png](#)
 - [not-delivered.png](#)



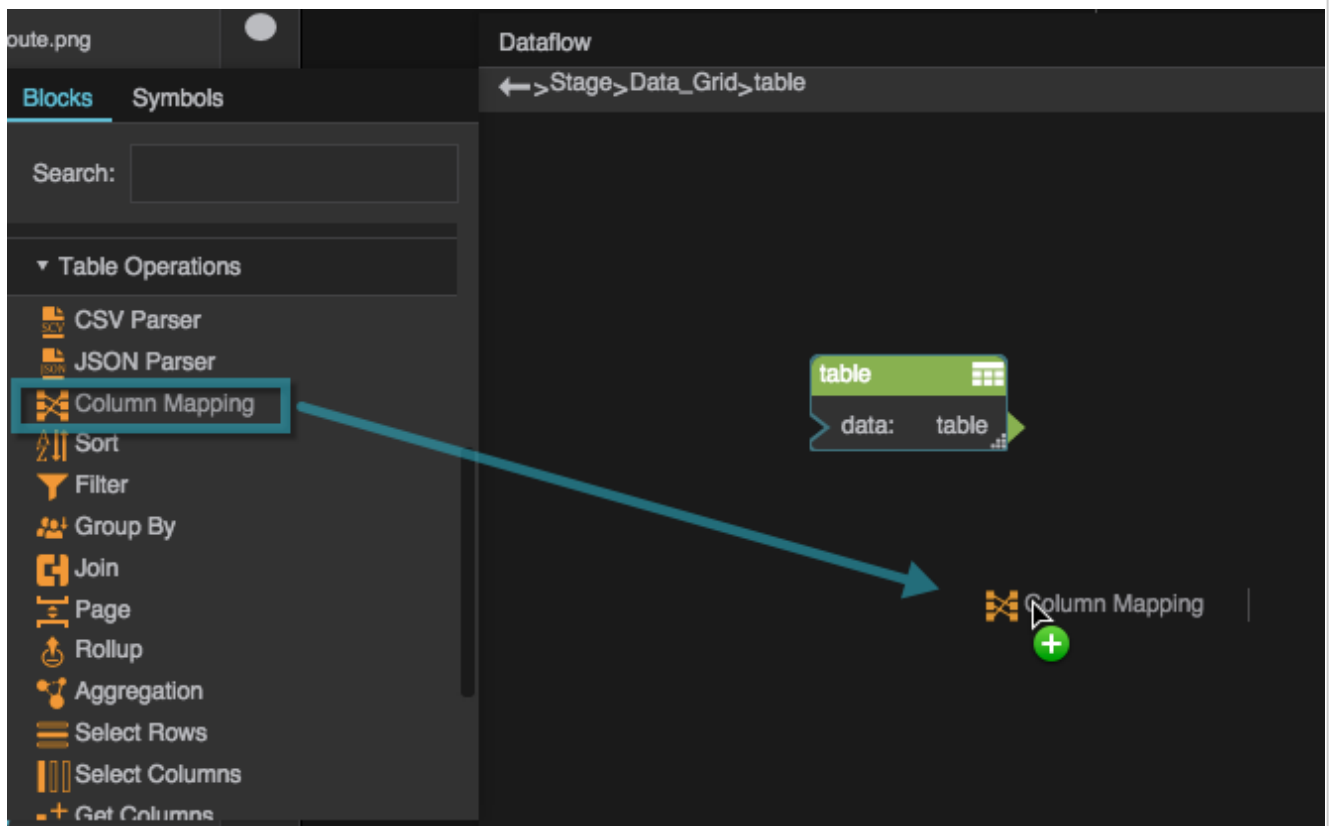
3. In the [Outline](#), right-click the data grid, and select  **Dataflow** to open the [dataflow window](#).
4. Drag a [Table](#) dataflow block to the dataflow window.



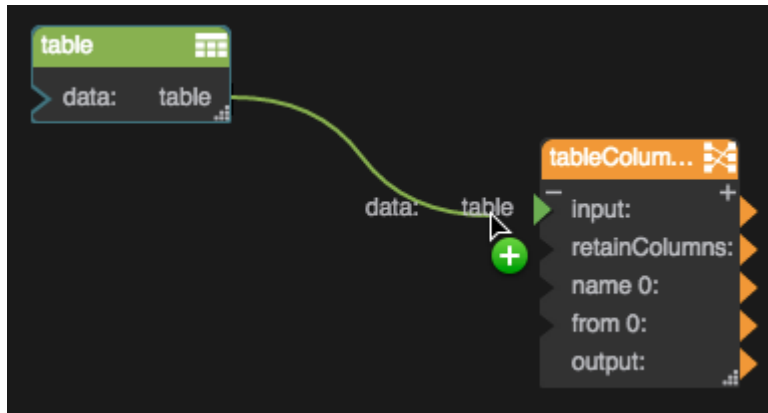
5. Click the button for the **data** property to open the table, and then edit the table so that it appears as shown in the image below. For help, see [Enter Data in a Table Dataflow Block](#).



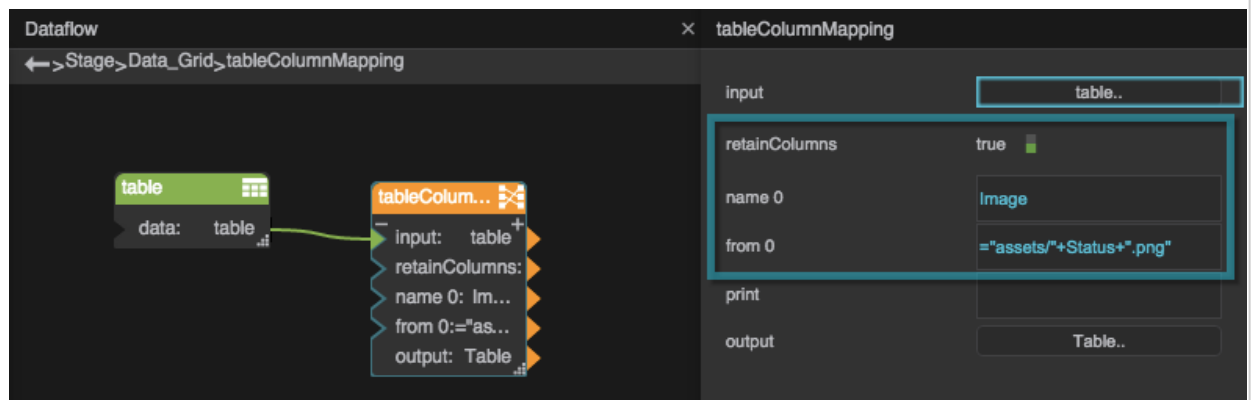
6. Add a [Column Mapping](#) dataflow block to the dataflow window.



7. Bind the **data** property of the Table block to the **input** property of the Column Mapping block.



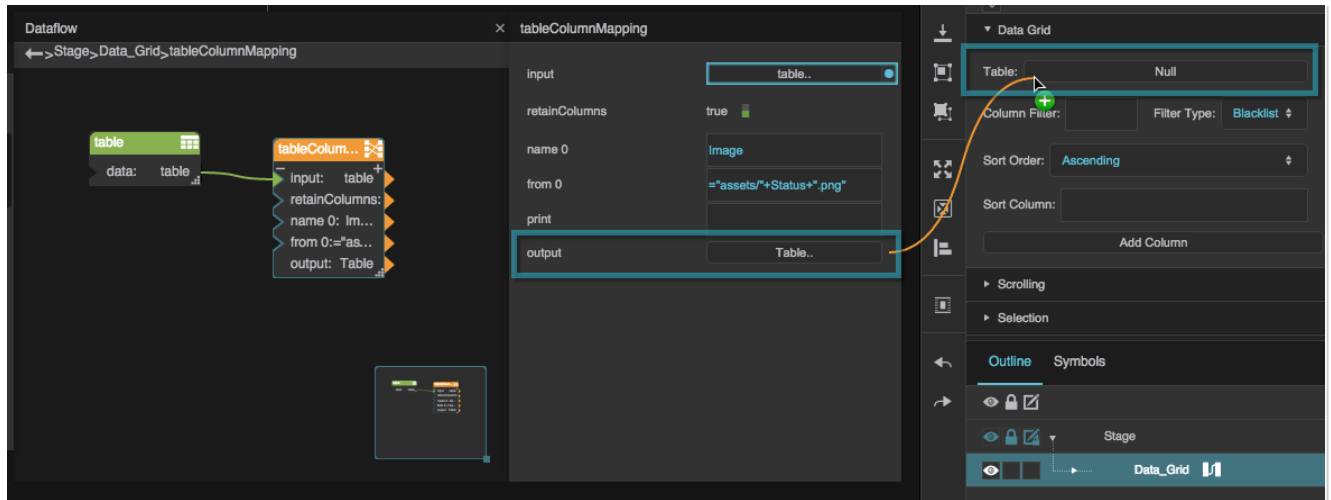
8. For the Column Mapping block:
 1. Set **retainColumns** to TRUE.
 2. Set **name 0** to Image.
 3. Set **from 0** to `"assets/"+Status+".png"`



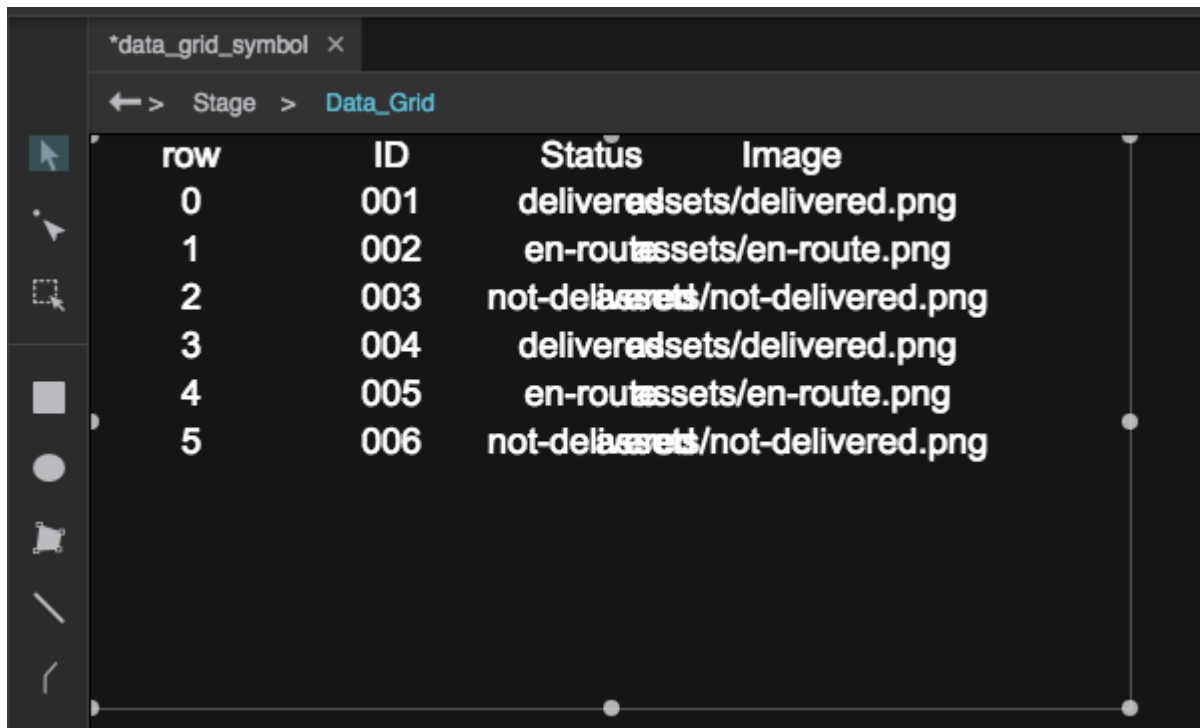
This creates a new table that contains the image paths in a column.

row	ID	Status	Image
0	001	delivered	assets/delivered.png
1	002	en-route	assets/en-route.png
2	003	not-delivered	assets/not-delivered.png
3	004	delivered	assets/delivered.png
4	005	en-route	assets/en-route.png
5	006	not-delivered	assets/not-delivered.png


9. With the data grid selected in the Outline, bind the **output** table of the Column Mapping block to the **Table** property.

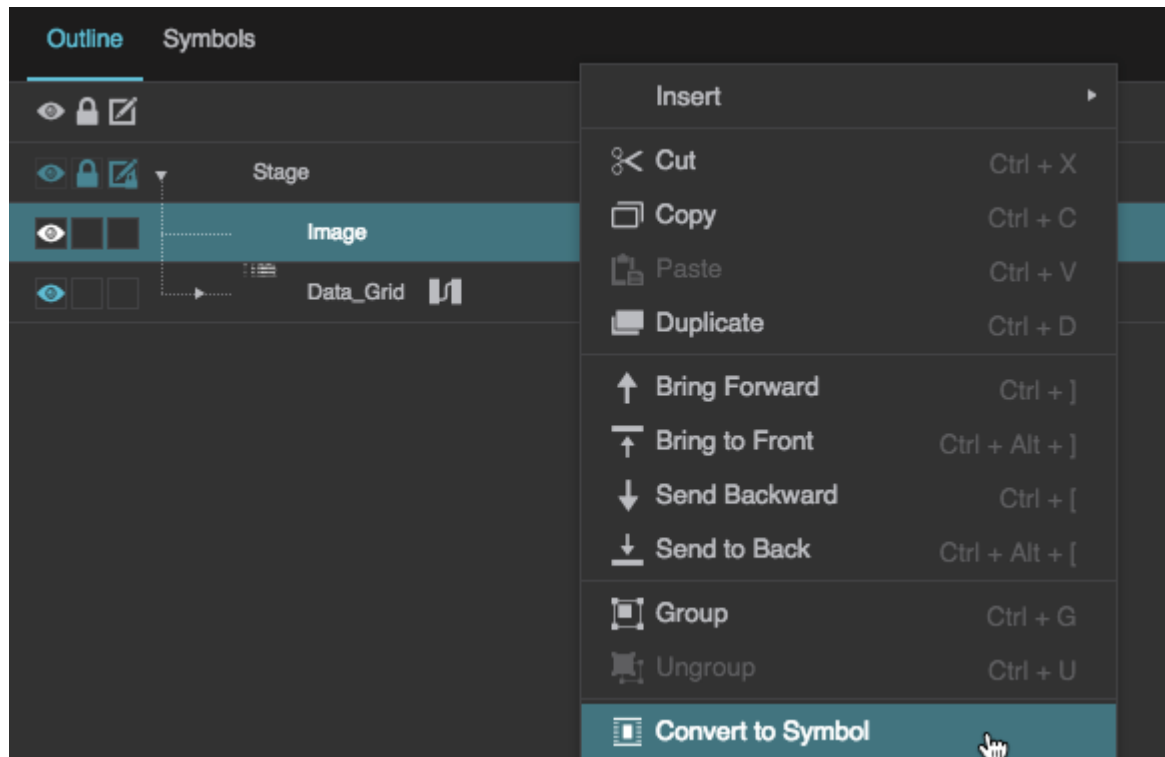


The contents of the table are displayed in the data grid component.

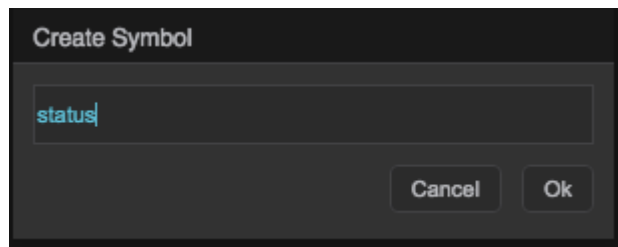



Create the Symbol

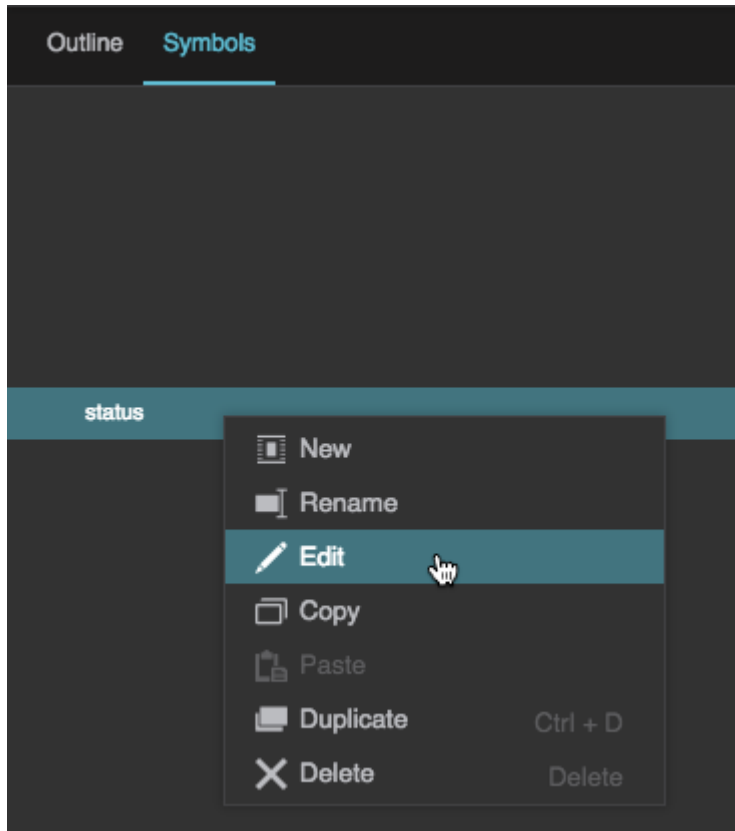
1. Right-click the Stage in the Document window or Outline, and select **Insert > Components > Image**.
2. Right-click the image component that you added, and select  **Convert to Symbol**.



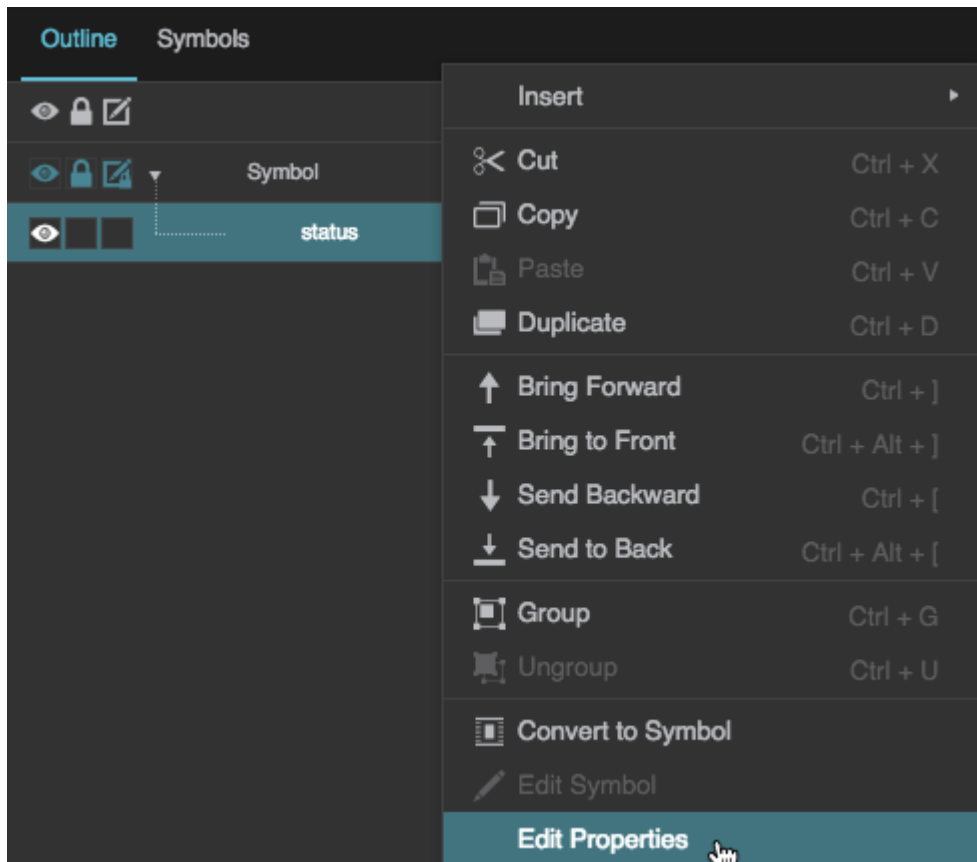
3. When prompted, name the symbol status, and click **OK**.



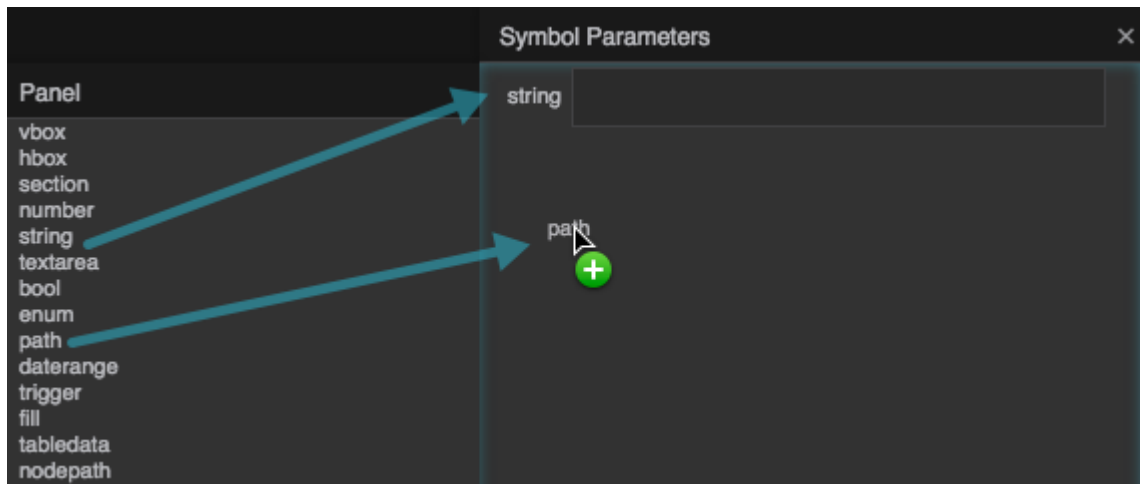
4. In the [Symbols panel](#), right-click **status**, and select  **Edit**.



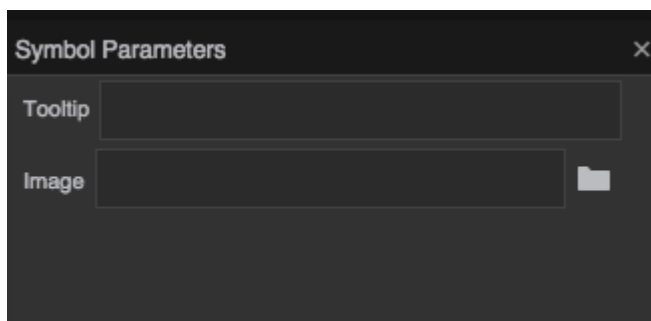
5. In the Outline, right-click **status**, and select **Edit Properties**.



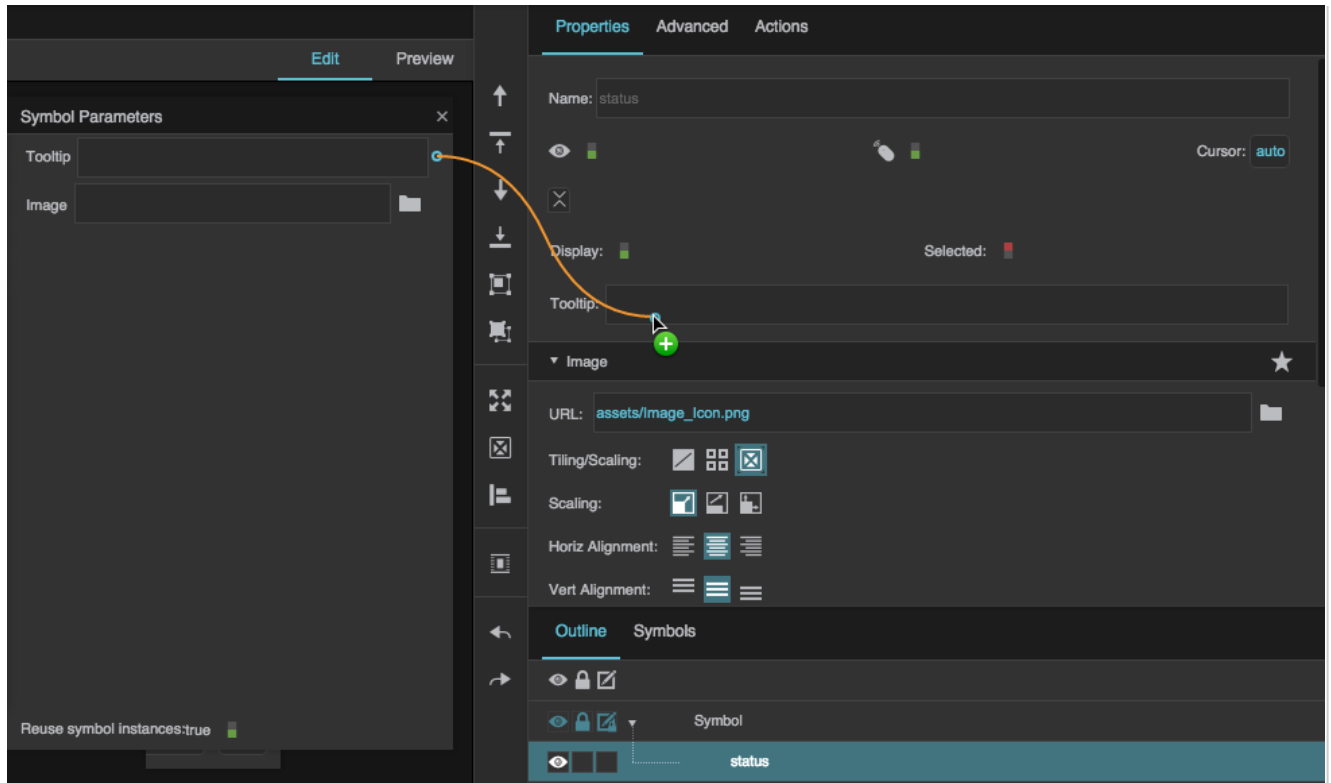
- In the Symbol Parameters dialog, drag one **string** and one **path** to the right-hand panel.



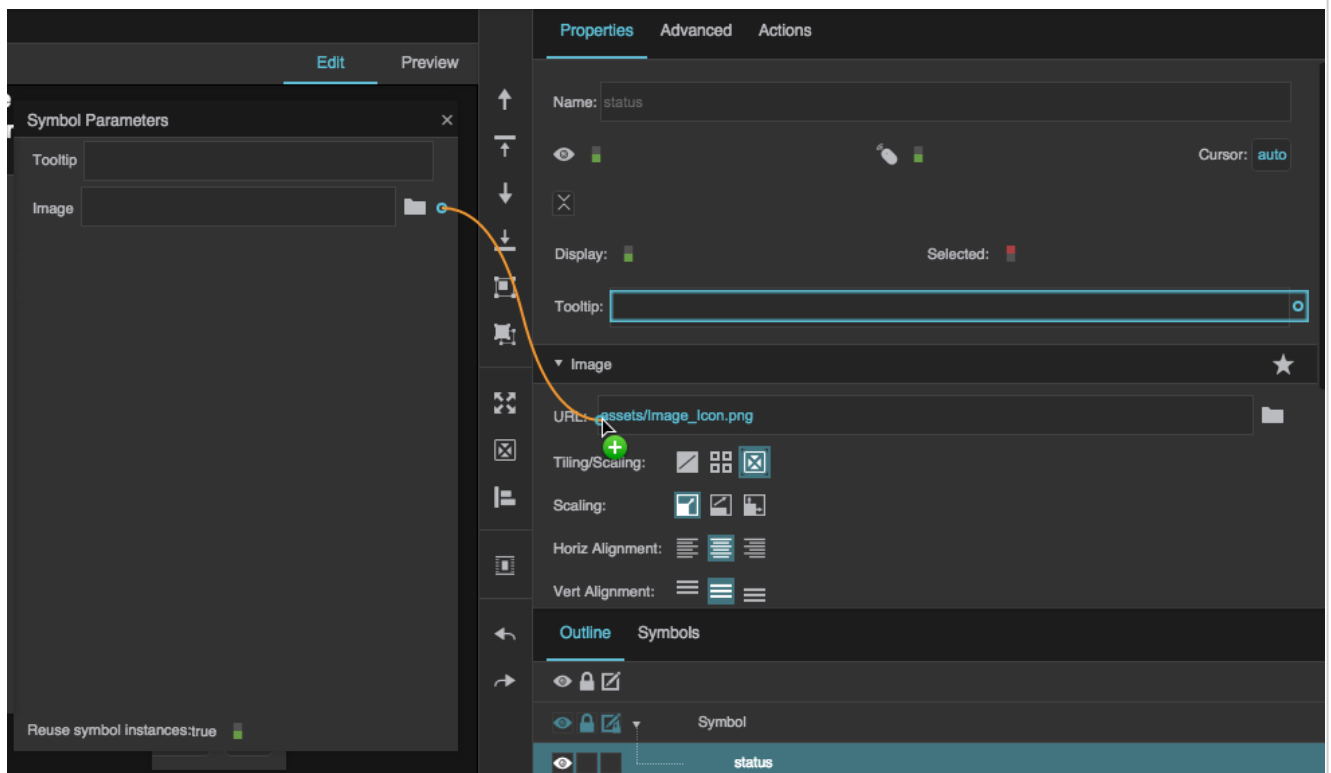
- Double-click the parameter names to rename the string parameter `Tooltip` and the path parameter `Image`.



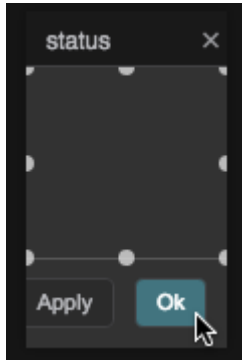
- Bind the `Tooltip` parameter to the **Tooltip** property in the Property Inspector.



9. Bind the Image parameter to the **URL** property in the Property Inspector.

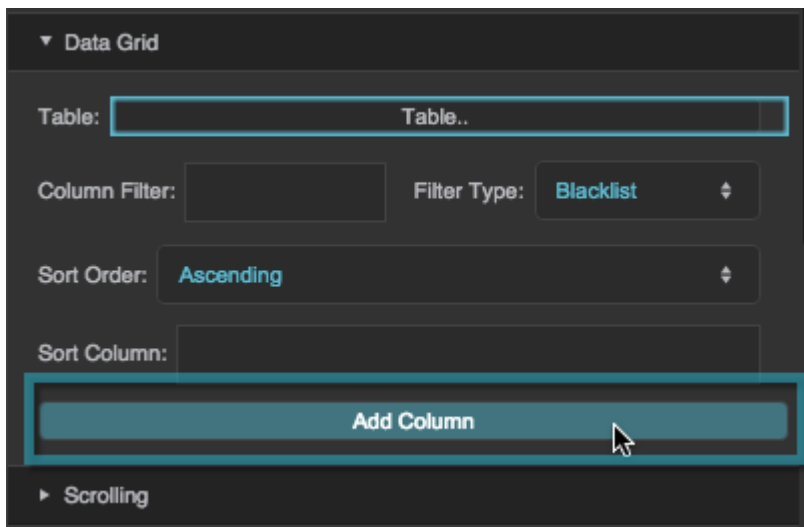


10. Close the Symbol Parameters dialog, and then click **OK** to close the symbol editing dialog.

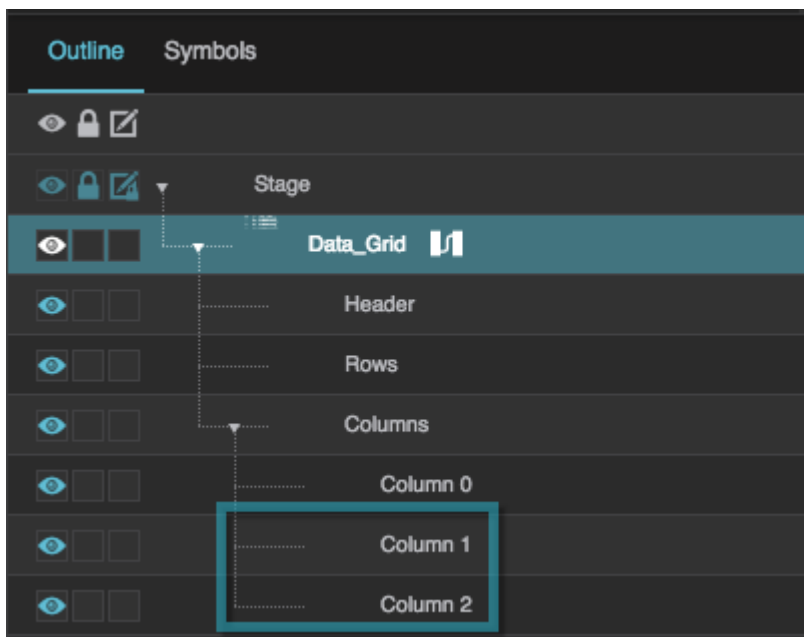


Edit the Column Properties

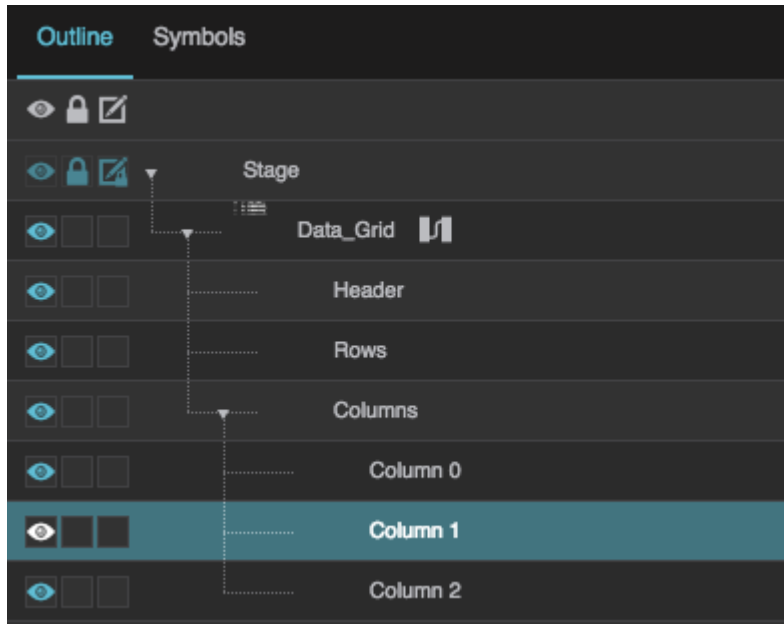
1. With the data grid selected in the Outline, under **Data Grid**, click **Add Column** twice.



The column editors appear under the Columns node in the Outline.

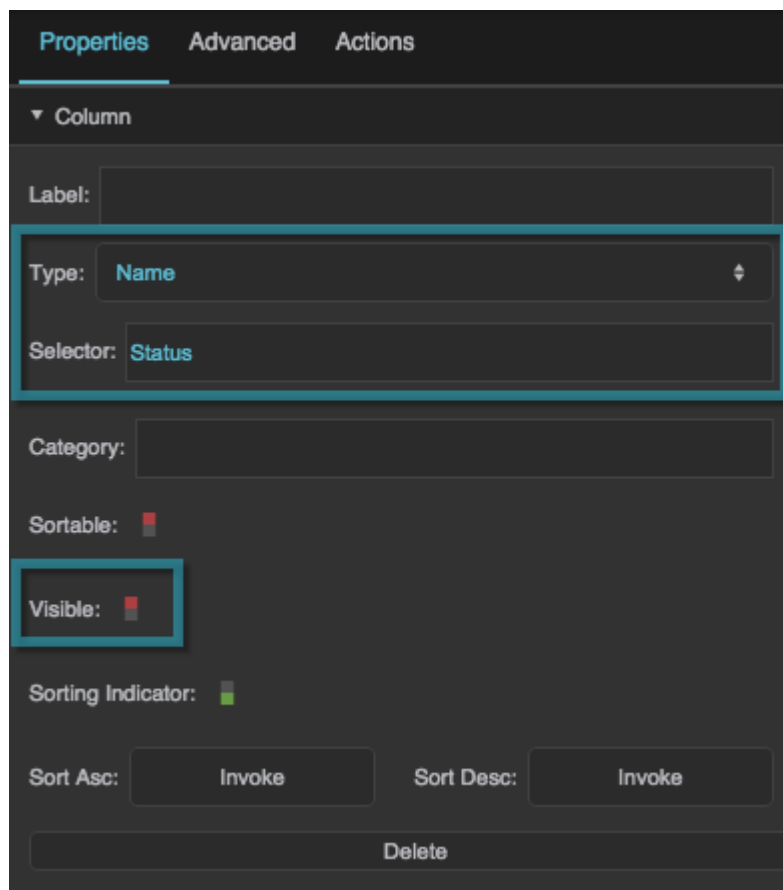


2. Select "Column 1" in the Outline.

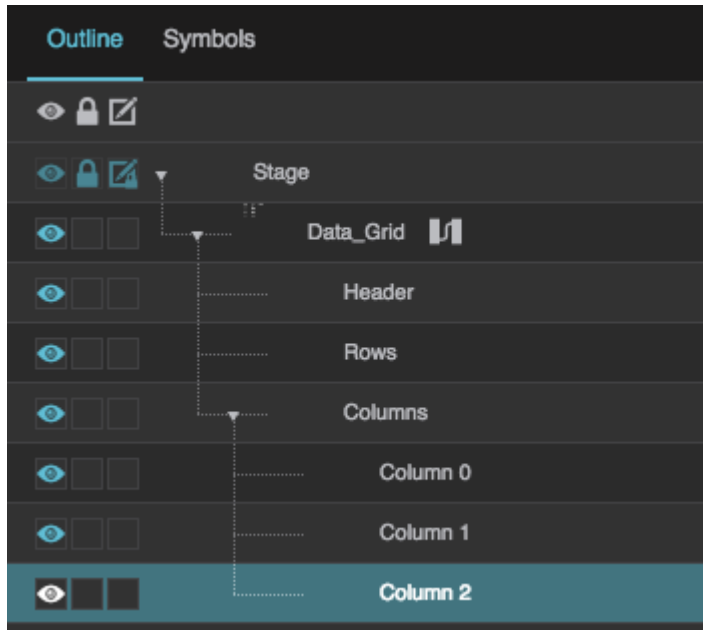


3. For Column 1:

1. Set **Type** to **Name**.
2. Set **Selector** to **Status**.
3. Set **Visible** to **FALSE**.



4. Select "Column 2" in the Outline.



5. For Column 2:

1. Set **Label** to Status.
2. Set **Type** to **Name**.
3. Set **Selector** to Image.
4. Set **Symbol** to status.

Properties Advanced Actions

▼ Column

Label:

Type:

Selector:

Category:

Sortable:

Visible:

Sorting Indicator:

Sort Asc: Sort Desc:

▼ Symbol

Symbol:


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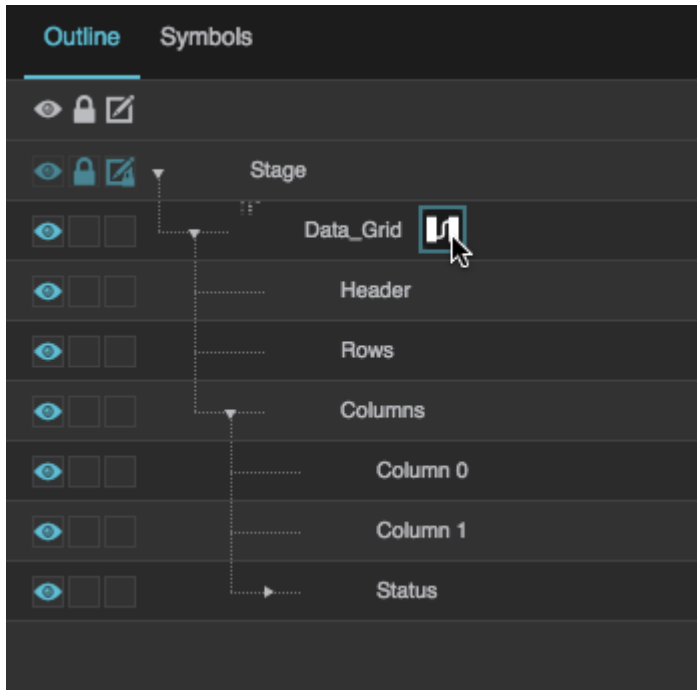
► Position and Size

Outline Symbols

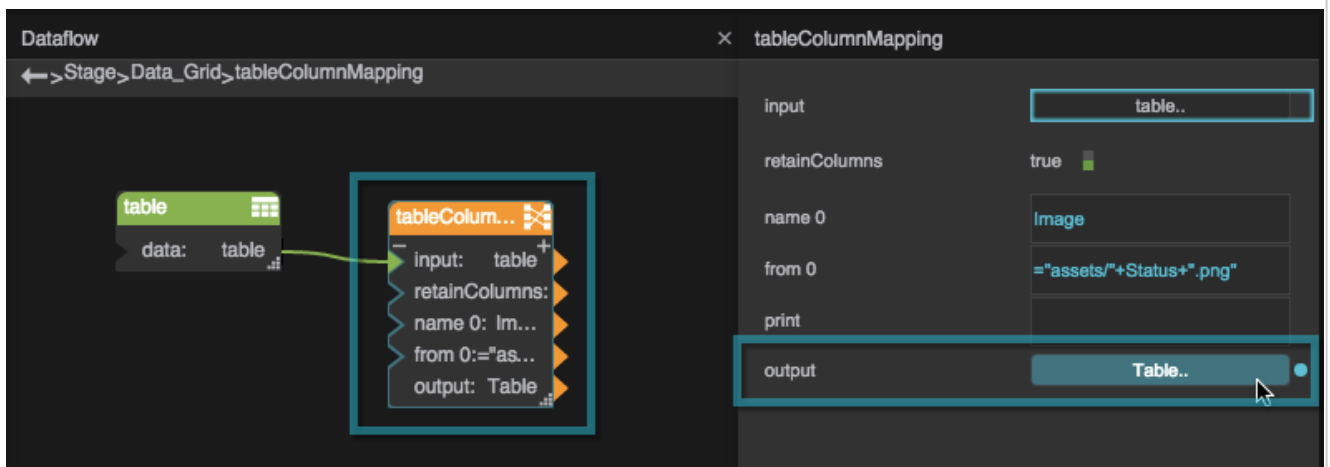
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👁️	👁️	👁️	▶	Columns	
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👁️	👁️	👁️	▶	Column 1	
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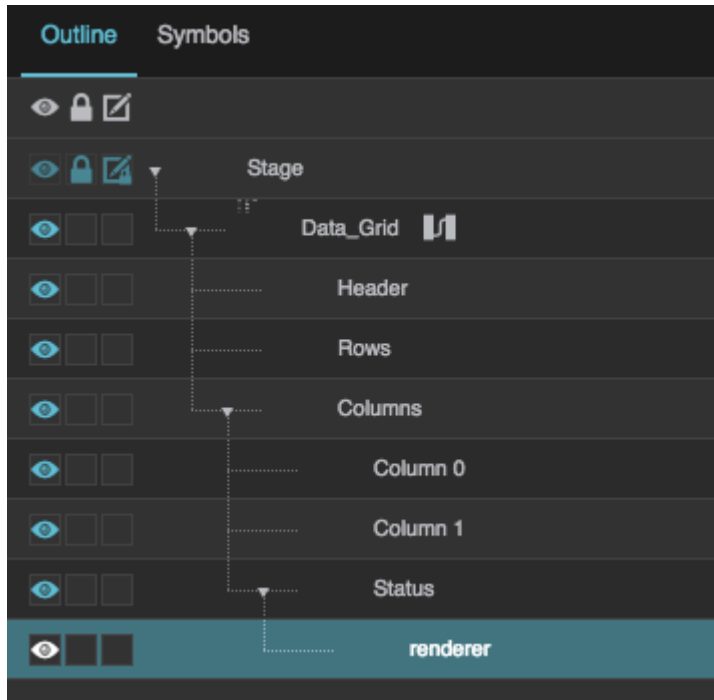
6. Click  **Dataflow** to open the dataflow for the data grid.



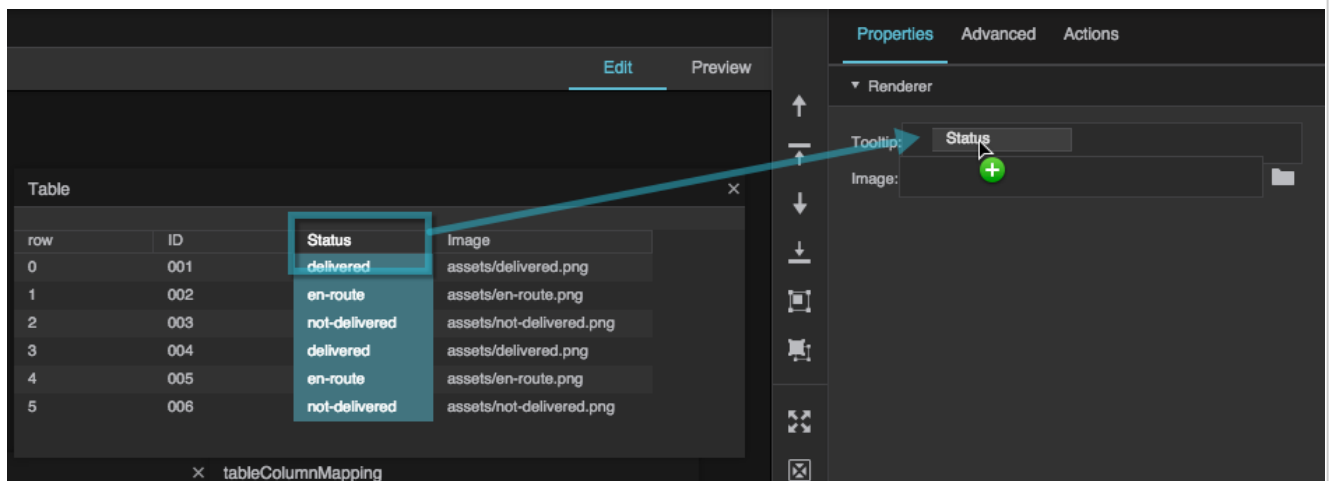
7. Select the Column Mapping block, and click the button to open the output table.



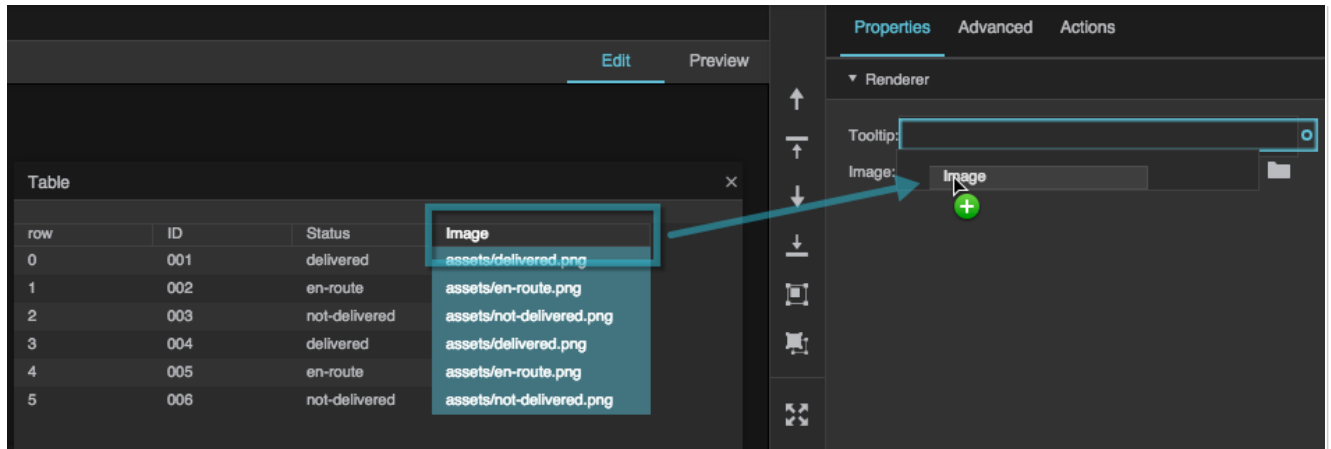
8. Expand "Status" in the Outline, and select **renderer**.



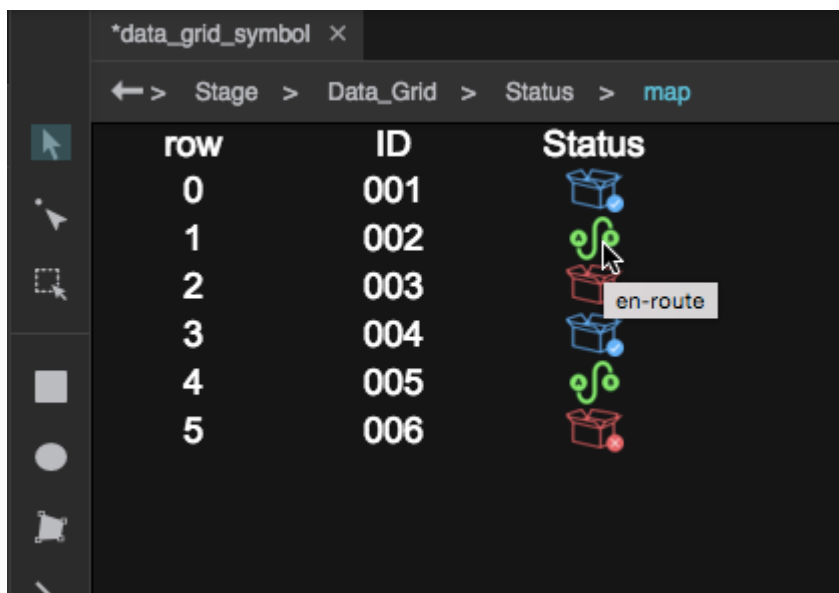
9. Drag the **Status** table column header to the **Tooltip** property.



10. Drag the **Image** table column header to the **Image** property.



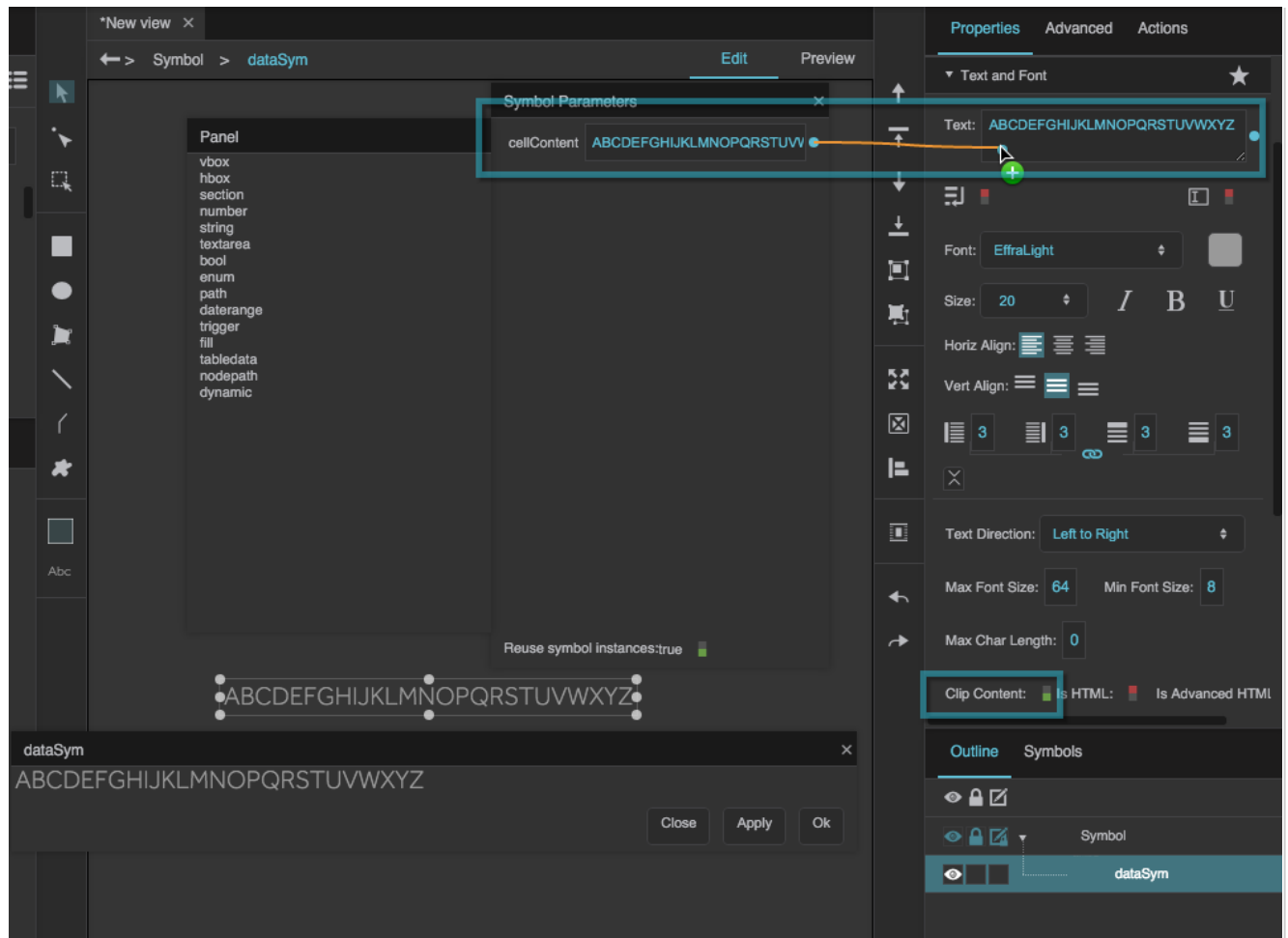
This populates the Status column of the data grid with images that display tooltips when moused over.



How do I clip content in my data grid?

Clipping content is similar to including images as described above. In both cases, you must use a column renderer to customize the content of the cells. To clip cell content using a column renderer:

1. Create a [symbol](#) based on a [text component](#). Set the **Clip Content** property of the text component to TRUE. Then, create a string [parameter](#) and bind it to the **Text** property of the text component insider the symbol.



2. In the **Data Grid** properties, create a separate column editor for every column in which you want to clip content.

The screenshot shows a software interface with a central data grid and a right-hand configuration panel. The data grid contains the following data:

row	Page Title	URL	Created
IoT Data Visualization Software	IoT Data Visualization Software	http://www.dglogik.com/	2019-01-01
Internet of Everything Application	Internet of Everything Application	http://www.dglogik.com/	2019-01-01
2IoT Application	2IoT Application	http://www.dglogik.com/	2019-01-01

The configuration panel on the right includes the following sections:

- Properties:** Table: table.., Column Filter: [empty], Filter Type: Blacklist, Sort Order: Ascending, Sort Column: [empty]. An "Add Column" button is highlighted with a red box.
- Outline:** A tree view showing the hierarchy: Stage > Data_Grid > Header > Rows > Columns > Column 0, Column 1, Column 2, Column 3. The "Columns" section is highlighted with a red box.

The screenshot shows a data grid editor interface. The main area displays a table with the following data:

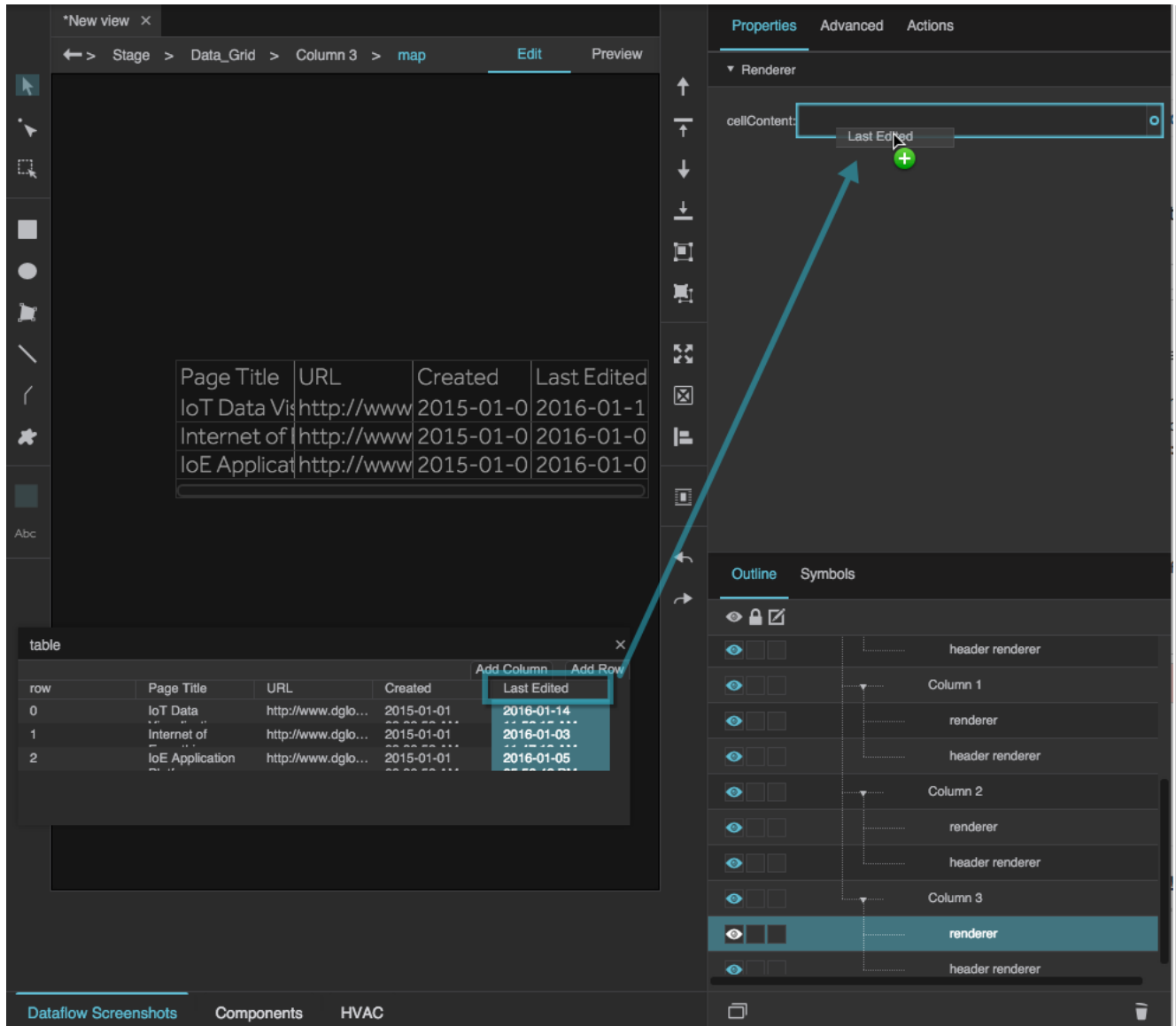
row	Page Title	URL	Created
0	IoT Data Visualization Software	http://www.iiot.org/	2015-06-01 08:39
1	Internet of Everything Applications	http://www.iiot.org/	2015-06-01 08:39
2	2IoT Application Platform	http://www.iiot.org/	2015-06-01 08:39

The right-hand side of the interface shows the 'Properties' panel for 'Column 0'. The 'Type' is set to 'Name' and the 'Selector' is 'Page Title'. Below the table, the 'Outline' panel shows the hierarchy: Stage > Data_Grid > Header > Rows > Columns > Column 0.

- Use the symbol that you created in step 1 for the **Symbol** property of all of the column editors. This creates column renderers. If you want to clip content in the headers as well, you can bind the same symbol or a different symbol to the **Header Symbol** property.

The screenshot shows a software interface for editing a data grid. The main workspace displays a table with four columns and four rows, each cell containing the text 'ABCDEFGH'. The interface includes a top navigation bar with 'Stage > Data_Grid > Column 3', an 'Edit' button, and a 'Preview' button. On the right side, there is a 'Properties' panel with tabs for 'Properties', 'Advanced', and 'Actions'. The 'Properties' tab is active, showing settings for 'Sortable', 'Visible', and 'Sorting Indicator', along with 'Sort Asc' and 'Sort Desc' buttons set to 'Invoke', and a 'Delete' button. Below these is a 'Symbol' section with a blue border, containing 'Symbol: dataSym' and 'Header Symbol: dataSym'. At the bottom right, an 'Outline' panel shows a tree view of the stage elements: Stage, Data_Grid, Header, Rows, Columns, Column 0, Column 1, Column 2, and Column 3. 'Column 3' is selected and highlighted in blue.

4. Bind the columns of the data grid's source table to each renderer's string property by dragging the table column headers. If you created header renderers, bind the table column headers to these fields as well.



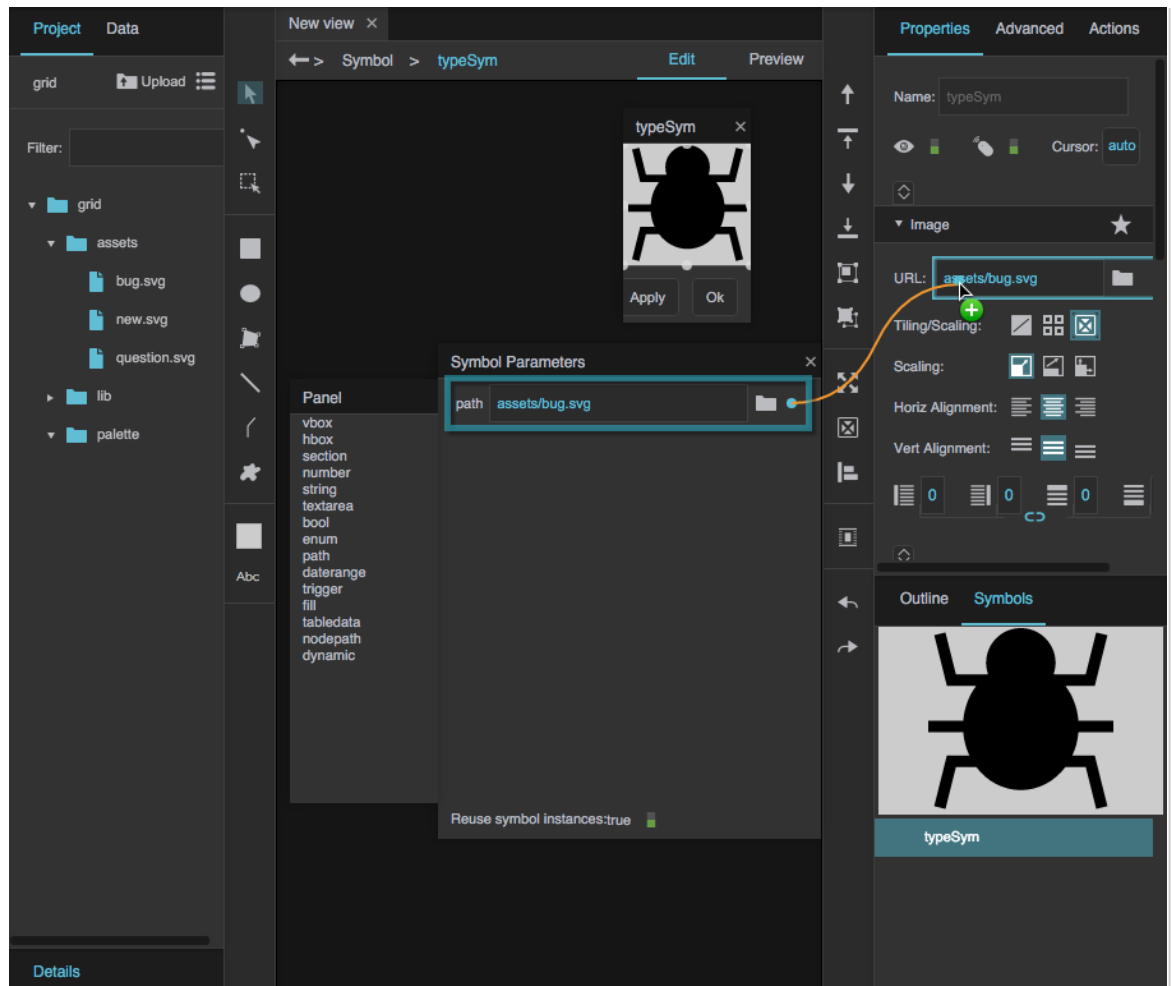
How do I use a Repeater column editor? How do I make a grid with a dynamic number of columns?

A [Repeater column editor](#) lets you use a configuration table to determine:

- Which source table columns appear in the grid
- Which symbols represent those columns (if any)
- Properties of the symbols

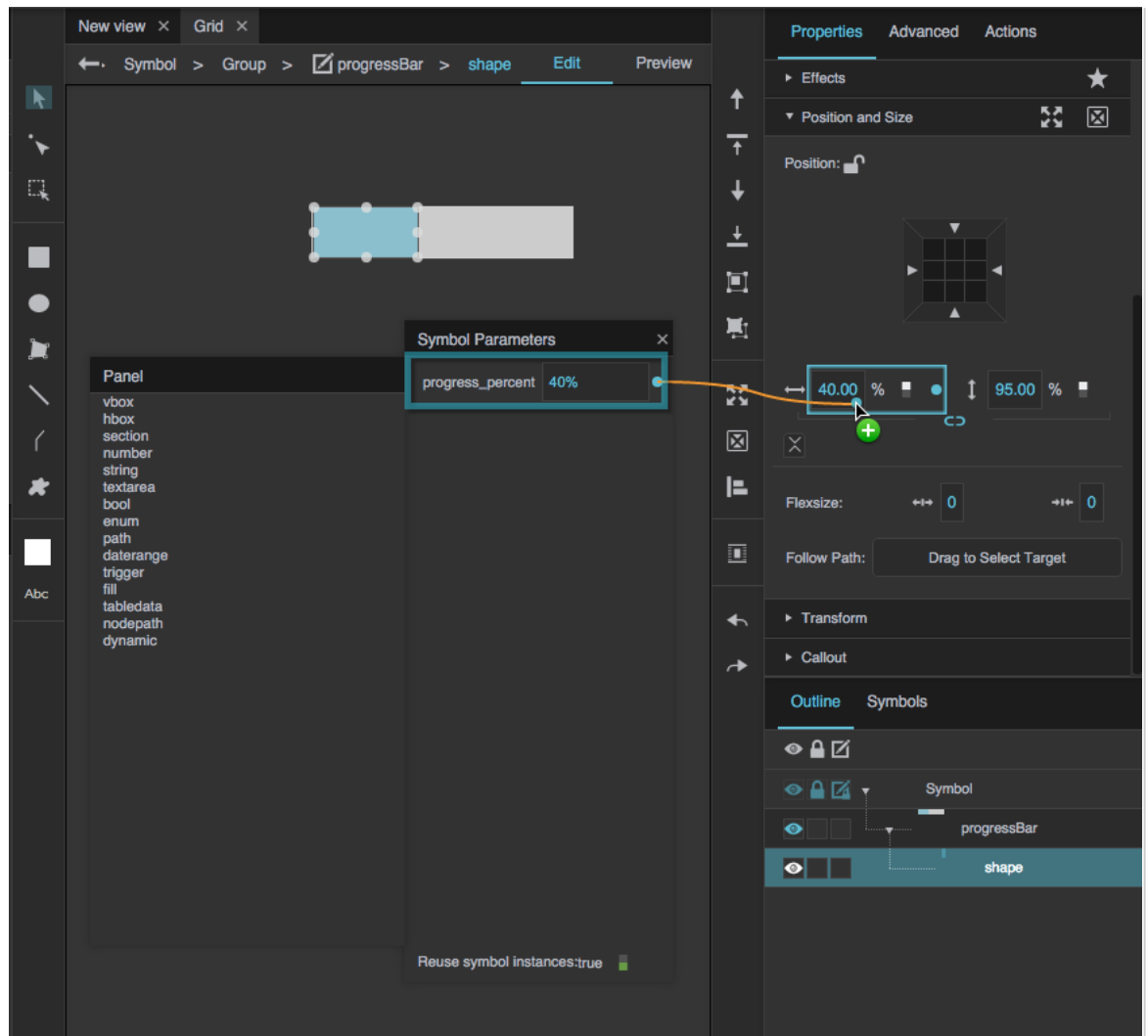
These steps show you how to create a data grid that uses a basic Repeater column editor:

1. Create [symbols](#) for your data grid like the four shown below.
 1. typeSym:
 - Based on an [image](#) component
 - **Parameter:** a **path** parameter named path that is [bound](#) to the image's **URL** property



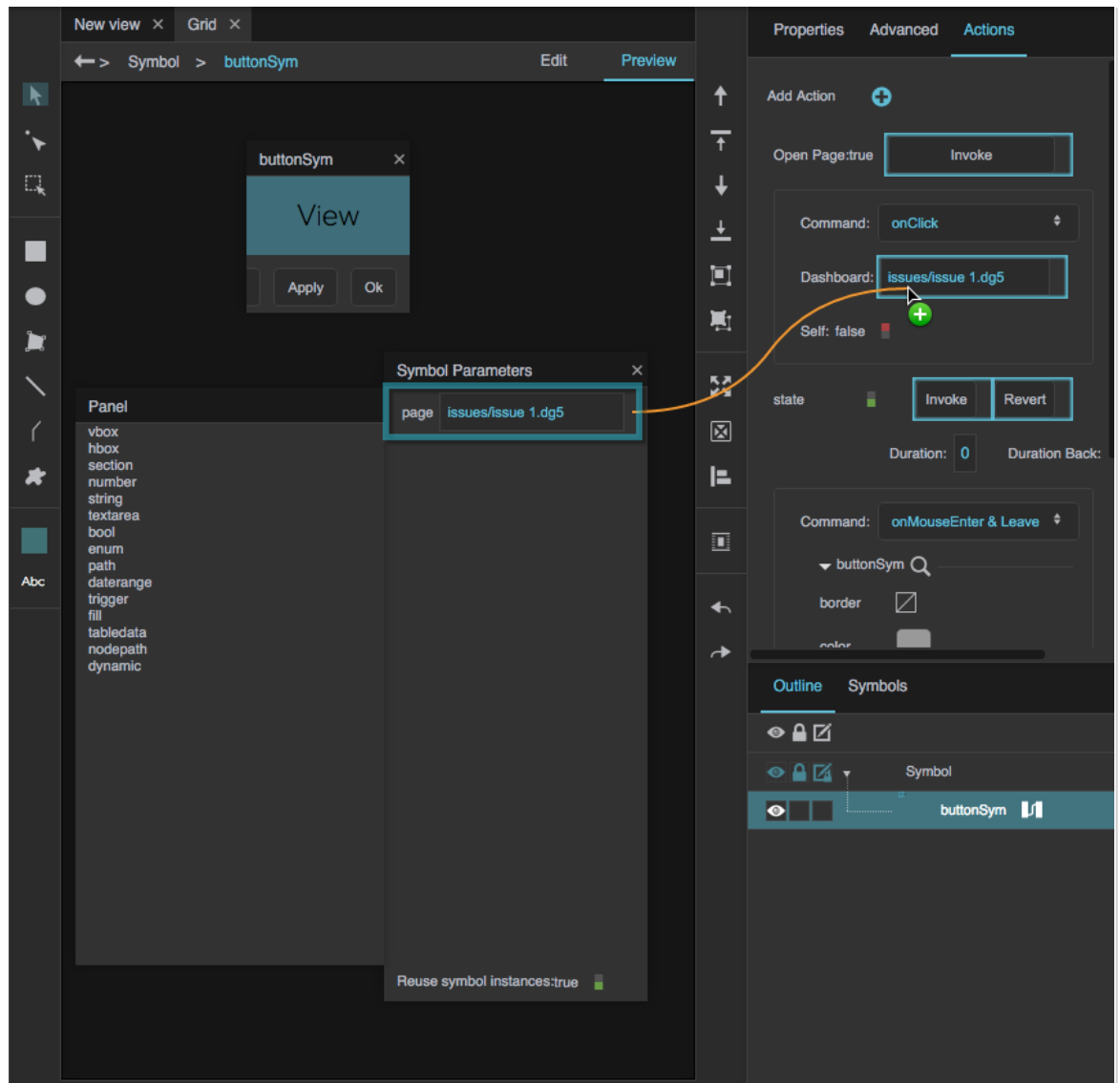
2. progressBar:

- Based on a [group](#) that uses [Horizontal layout](#) and that contains a [shape](#) with a percentage [width](#)
- Parameter: a **string** parameter named `progress_percent` that is bound to the shape's **Width** property



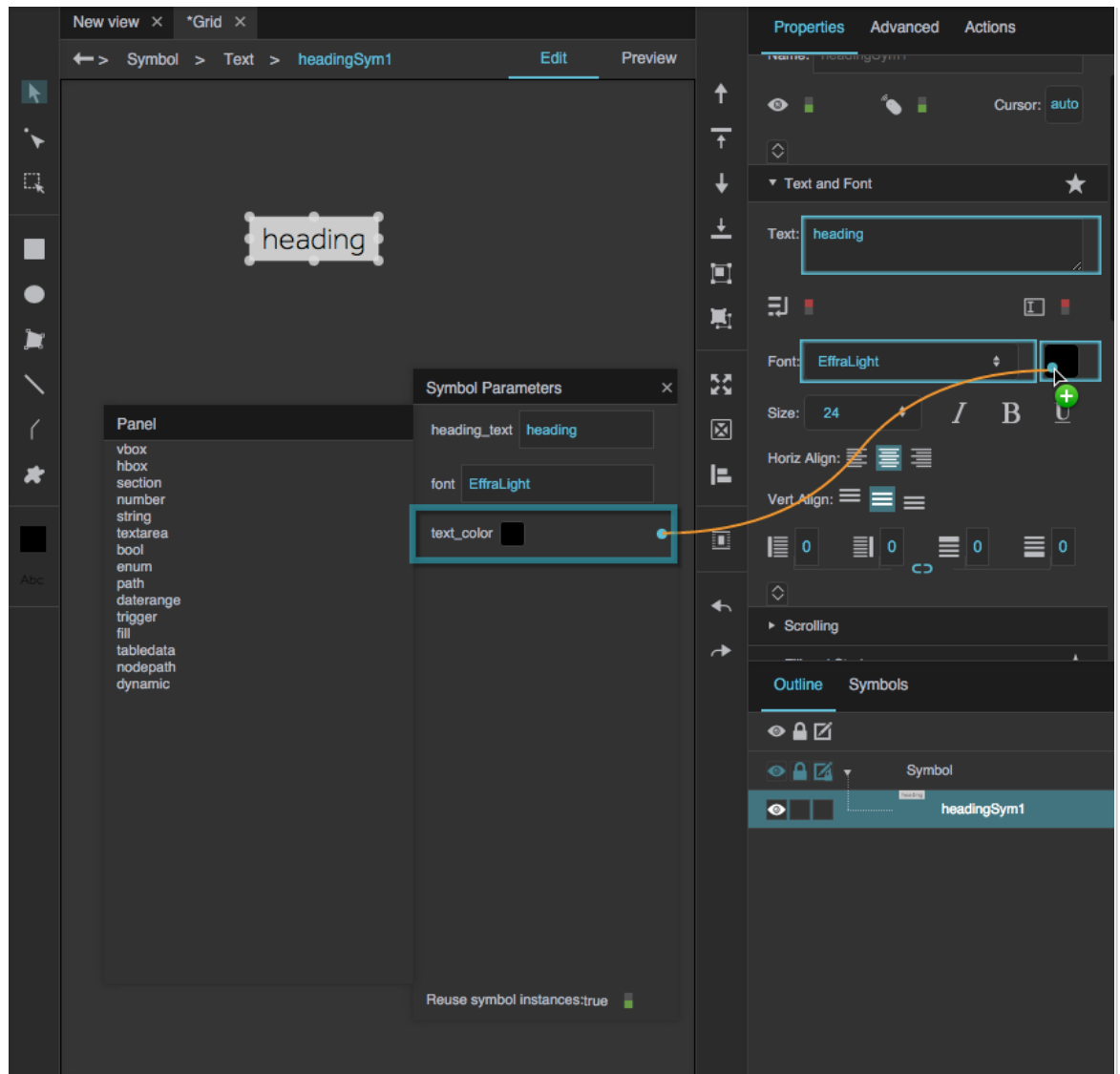
3. buttonSym:

- Based on a [text](#) component that has an Open Page [onClick](#) action
- Parameter: a **string** parameter named page that is bound to the onClick action's **Dashboard** property



4. headingSym:

- Based on a [text](#) component
- Parameters: a **string** parameter called `heading_text` that is bound to the **Text** property; optional formatting parameters

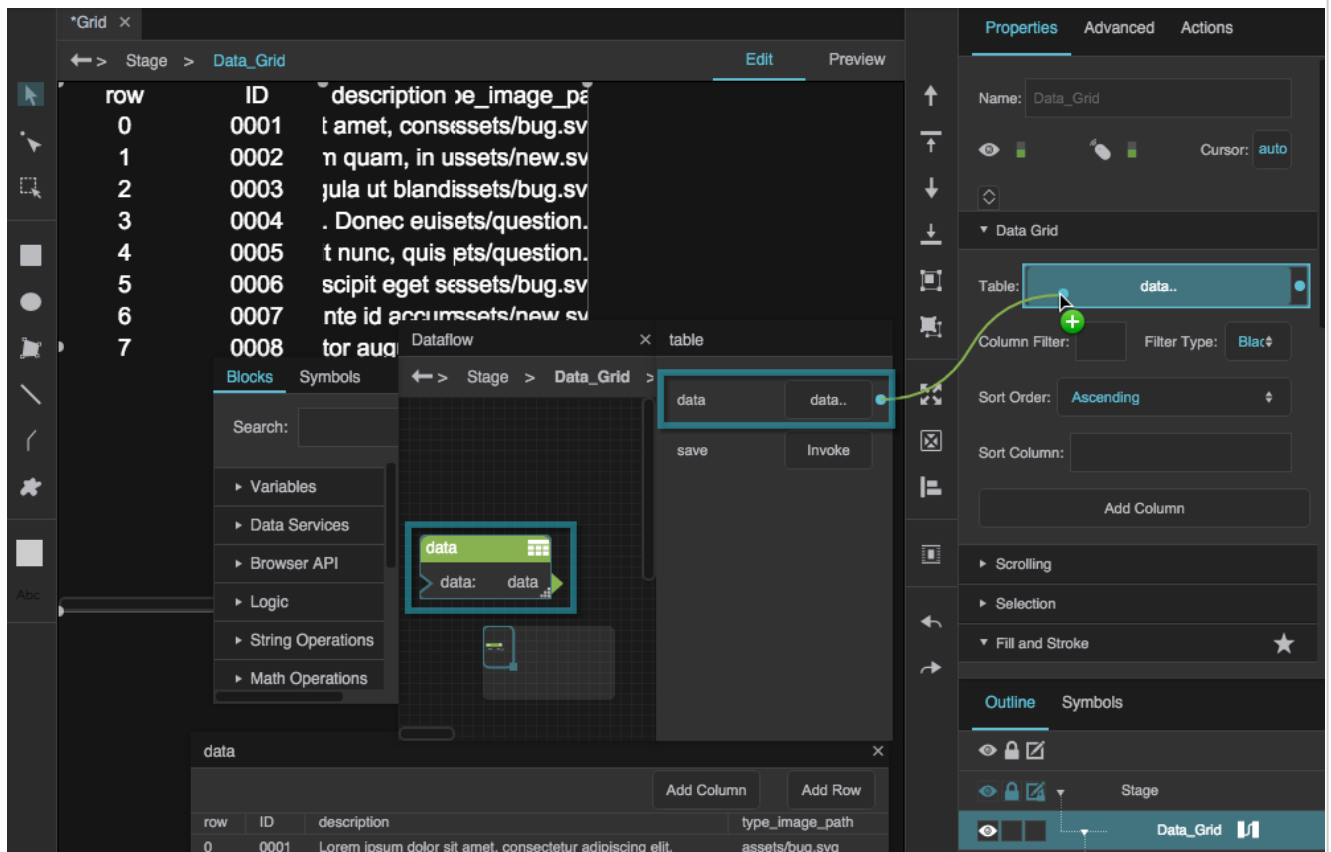


2. In the [dataflow](#), create a "data" [table](#) for your data grid that looks like the table below. Use these column headings:
- ID
 - description
 - type_image_path
 - progress_percent

 - page

row	ID	description	type_image_path	progress_percent	page
0	0001	Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit.	assets/bug.svg	40%	issue 1.dg5
1	0002	Ut bibendum rutrum quam, in ultricies leo gravida.	assets/new.svg	10%	issue 2.dg5
2	0003	In dictum at ligula ut blandit. Quisque ac.	assets/bug.svg	90%	issue 3.dg5
3	0004	Prasent ut varius diam. Donec euismod scelerisque neque.	assets/questio...	05%	issue 4.dg5
4	0005	Phasellus bibendum velit nunc, quis posuere mauris portitor.	assets/questio...	20%	issue 5.dg5
5	0006	Nullam lacus eros, suscipit eget semper et, consectetur.	assets/bug.svg	50%	issue 6.dg5
6	0007	Integer elementum nec ante id accumsan. Nullam scelerisque.	assets/new.svg	30%	issue 7.dg5
7	0008	Nullam placerat auctor augue quis viverra. Nam sed.	assets/questio...	30%	issue 8.dg5

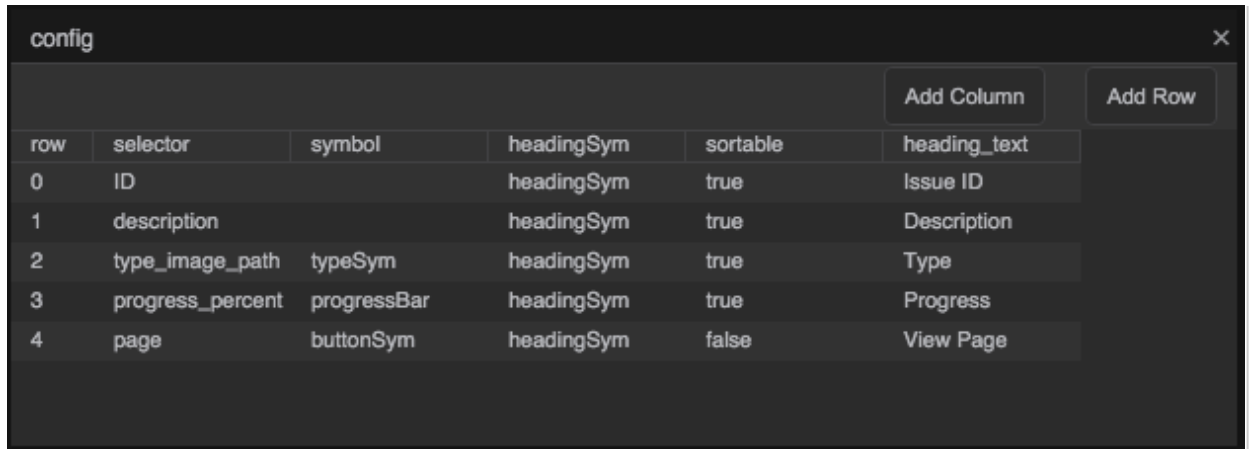
3. Bind the data table to the data grid.



4. In the dataflow, create a "config" table for your data grid that looks like the table below. Use these column headings:

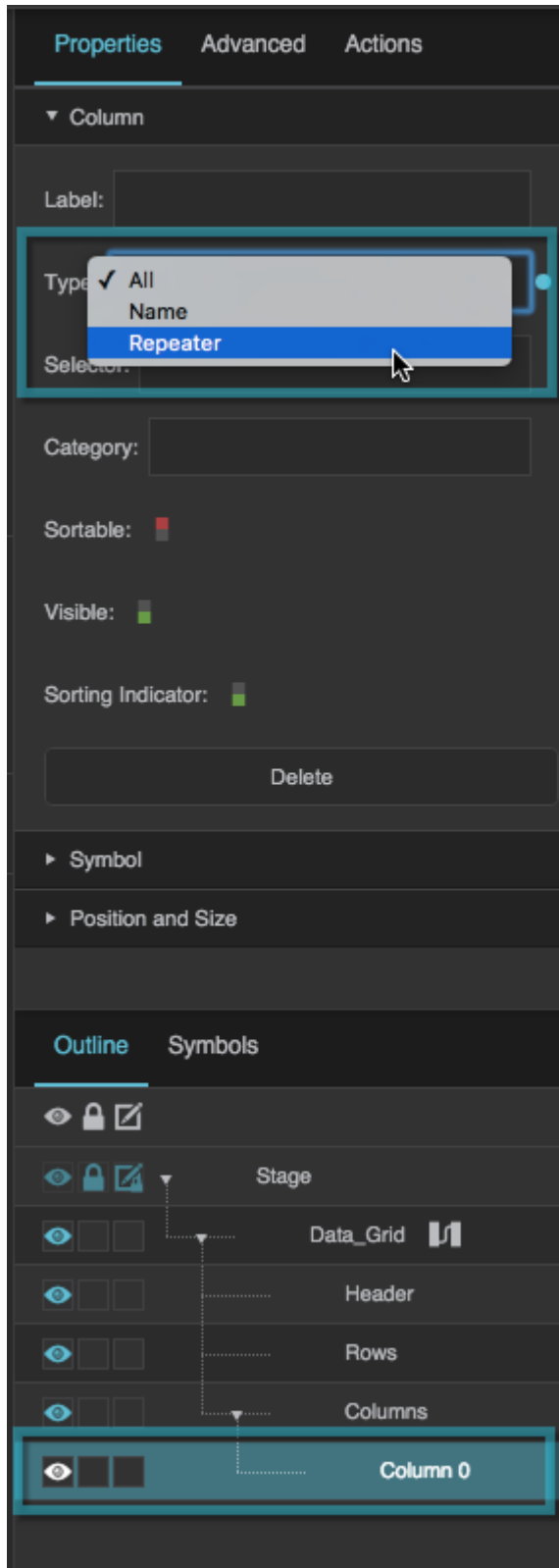
- selector (Use data table column names in this column. Names are case sensitive.)
- symbol (Use symbol names in this column. Names are case sensitive.)
- headingSym (Use symbol names in this column. Names are case sensitive.)
- sortable (Use boolean values.)

- heading_text



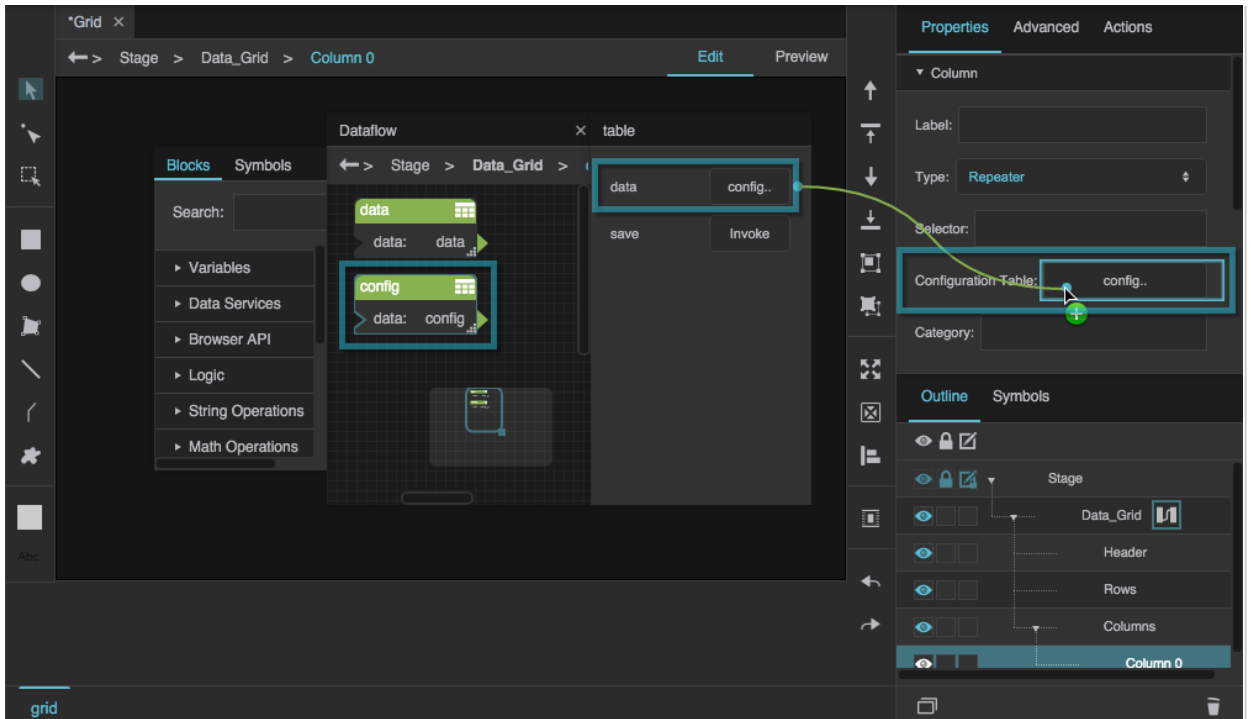
row	selector	symbol	headingSym	sortable	heading_text
0	ID		headingSym	true	Issue ID
1	description		headingSym	true	Description
2	type_image_path	typeSym	headingSym	true	Type
3	progress_percent	progressBar	headingSym	true	Progress
4	page	buttonSym	headingSym	false	View Page

5. In the [Outline](#), select the default column editor, which is named "Column 0", and set **Type** to **Repeater**.

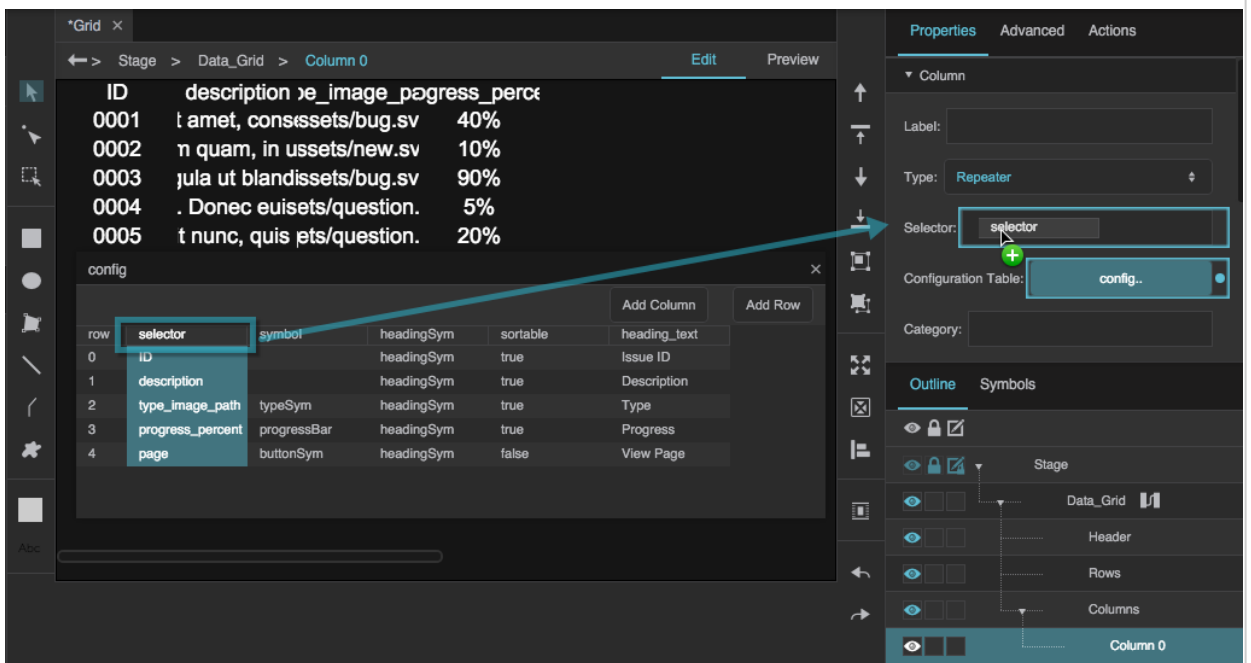


6. With the "Column 0" column editor selected, create these bindings:

1. Bind the "config" table to **Configuration Table**.



2. Bind the selector column to the **Selector** property.



3. Bind the symbol column to the **Symbol** property.

The screenshot shows a data grid editor with a table of data and a configuration table. The data table has columns: ID, description, image_path, progress_percent, and page. The configuration table has columns: row, selector, symbol, headingSym, sortable, and heading_text. The properties panel on the right shows the configuration for the selected column, with the Symbol property set to 'symbol'.

row	selector	symbol	headingSym	sortable	heading_text
0	ID		headingSym	true	Issue ID
1	description		headingSym	true	Description
2	type_image_path	typeSym	headingSym	true	Type
3	progress_percent	progressBar	headingSym	true	Progress
4	page	buttonSym	headingSym	false	View Page

4. Bind the headingSym column to the **Header Symbol** property.

The screenshot displays a software development environment with three main components:

- Data Grid:** A table with 8 rows and 4 columns. The first column contains IDs (0001-0008), the second contains text, the third contains bug icons, and the fourth contains blue bars. The header row is labeled "heading heading heading heading".
- config Table:** A table with 5 rows and 6 columns. The first row is the header: "row", "selector", "symbol", "headingSym", "sortable", "heading_text". The subsequent rows are: "0", "ID", "true", "true", "Issue ID"; "1", "description", "true", "true", "Description"; "2", "type_image_path", "typeSym", "true", "Type"; "3", "progress_percent", "progressBar", "true", "Progress"; "4", "page", "buttonSym", "false", "View Page".
- Properties Panel:** A sidebar on the right with sections for "Column", "Symbol", and "Position and Size". The "Column" section has fields for Label, Type (set to "Repeater"), Selector, Configuration Table (set to "config.."), and Category. The "Symbol" section has a "Header Symbol" field set to "headingSym".

A red arrow points from the "headingSym" column in the "config" table to the "Header Symbol" field in the "Symbol" section of the Properties panel.

5. Bind the sortable column to the **Sortable** property.

The screenshot shows a data grid with the following data:

	heading	heading	heading	heading
0001	t amet, conse			
0002	n quam, in u			
0003	jula ut blandi			
0004	. Donec euis			
0005	t nunc, quis			
0006	scipit eget se			
0007	nte id accum			
0008	tor augue qu			

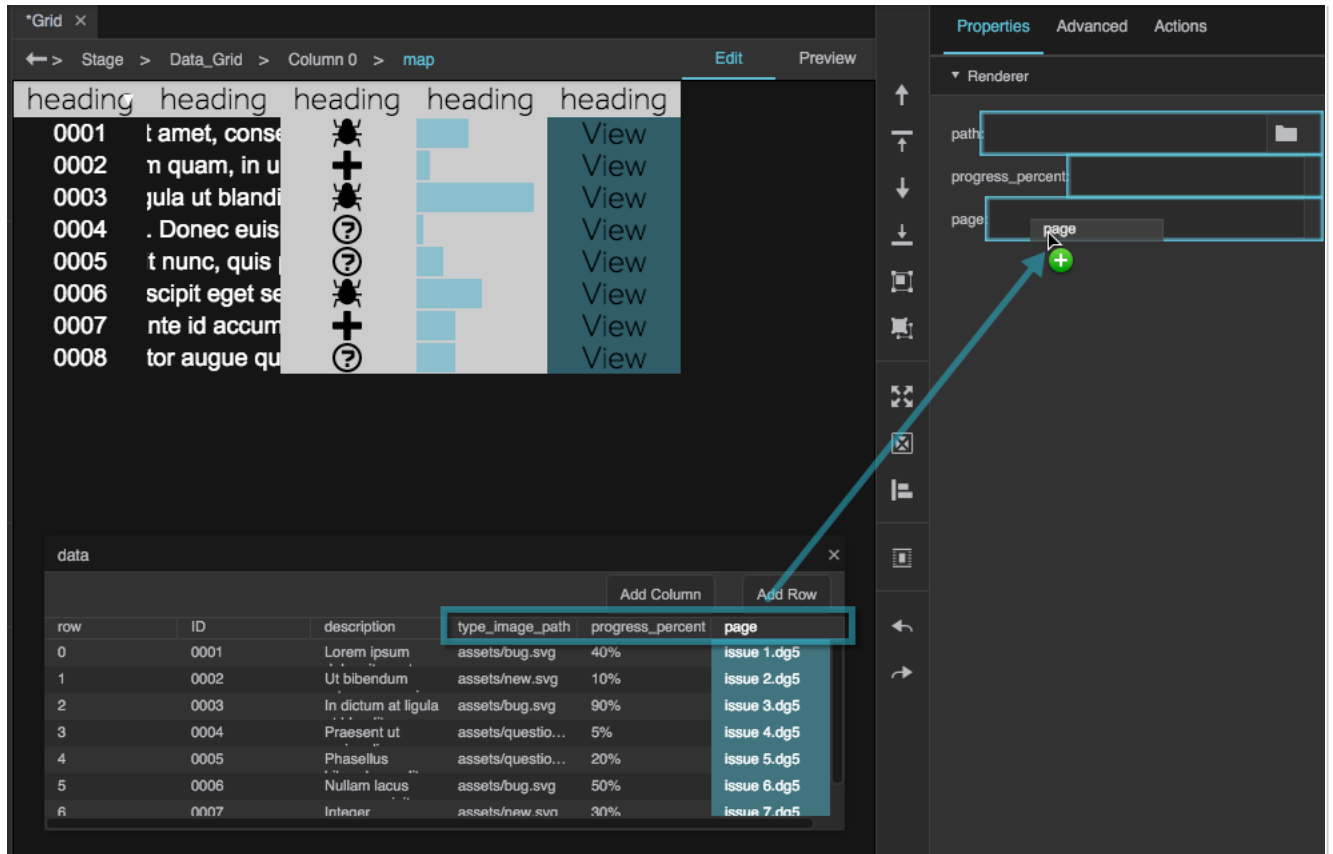
The configuration table below the grid is:

row	selector	symbol	headingSym	sortable	heading_text
0	ID		headingSym	true	Issue ID
1	description		headingSym	true	Description
2	type_image_path	typeSym	headingSym	true	Type
3	progress_percent	progressBar	headingSym	true	Progress
4	page	buttonSym	headingSym	false	View Page

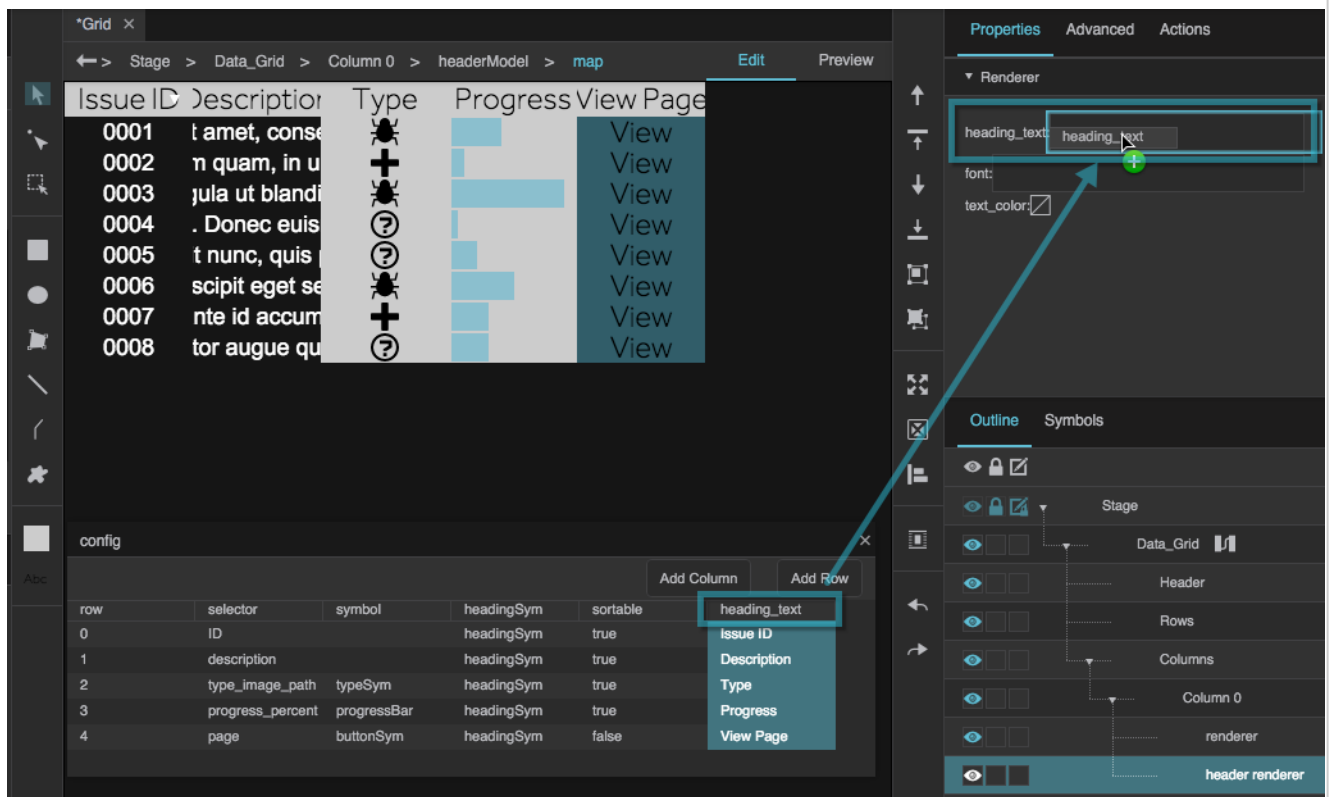
The right sidebar shows the 'Properties' panel for the selected column, with the following settings:

- Type: Repeater
- Configuration Table: config..
- Sortable: sortable
- Visible:
- Sorting Indicator:
- Sort Asc: Invoke
- Sort Desc: Invoke

- In the Outline, select the renderer, and bind data table columns to the **path**, **progress_percent**, and **page** properties.



8. Select the header renderer, and bind the heading_text column of the config table to the heading_text property.



9. Style the two remaining columns, either using the data grid **Rows** properties, or using custom symbols that you create.

Issue ID	Description	Type	Progress	View Page
0003	In dictum at ligula ut blandit. Quis	🐛	<div style="width: 50%;"></div>	View
0006	Nullam iacus eros, suscipit eget t	🐛	<div style="width: 75%;"></div>	View
0001	Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, con	🐛	<div style="width: 60%;"></div>	View
0007	Integer elementum nec ante id a	+	<div style="width: 40%;"></div>	View
0008	Nullam placerat auctor augue qu	?	<div style="width: 30%;"></div>	View
0005	Phasellus bibendum velit nunc, q	?	<div style="width: 20%;"></div>	View
0002	Ut bibendum rutrum quam, in ut	+	<div style="width: 10%;"></div>	View
0004	Praesent ut varius diam. Donec e	?	<div style="width: 5%;"></div>	View

Notes



- You can bind to a Repeater column renderer property from either the data table or the configuration table.
- If multiple symbol properties have the same name and data type and are used by the same Repeater column renderer, those properties will only appear once in the renderer properties and will share the same data binding.

Data Grid Properties

The following properties affect the data grid component. For data grids, you can customize properties for the header, rows, and columns.

For a guide to using the data grid component, see [Data Grid](#).

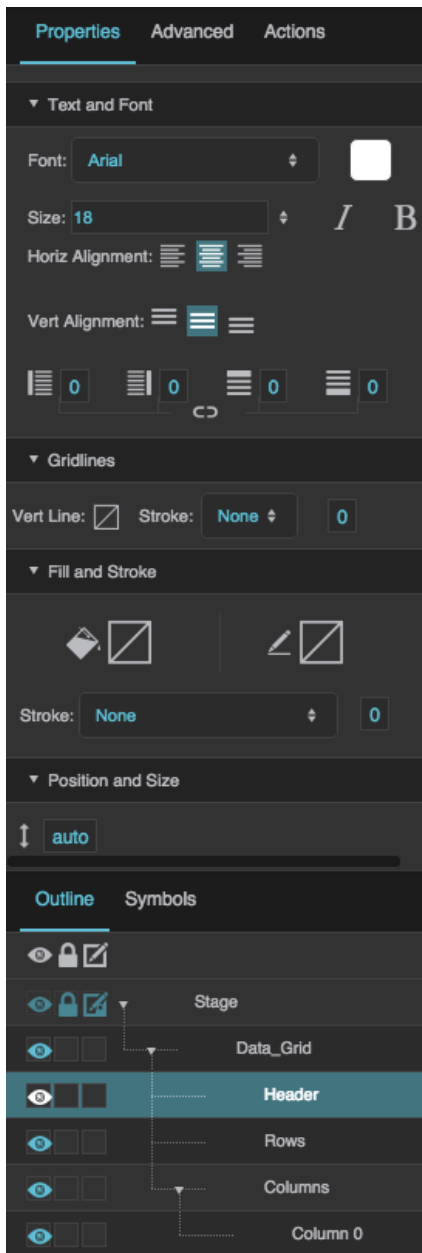


Data grid components are also affected by [Common Properties](#).

General Data Grid properties

Data Grid Row properties

Data Grid Column properties



Data Grid Header properties

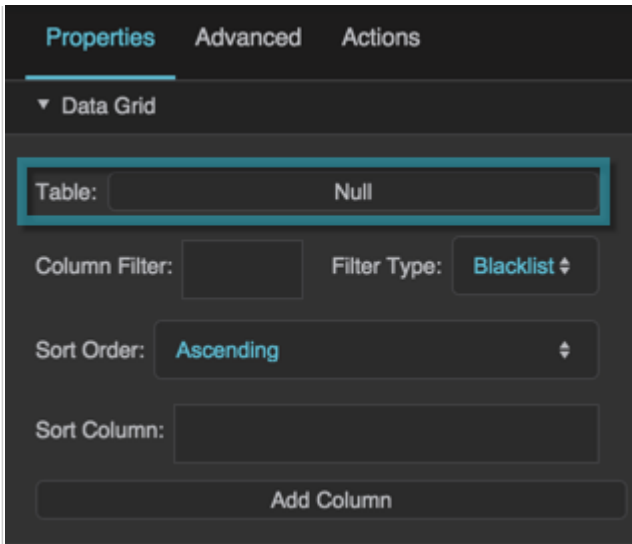
Click to display/hide all elements

General Data Grid properties

These properties affect the entire data grid. To see these properties in the Property Inspector, click on your data grid on the Stage or in the Outline.

Table

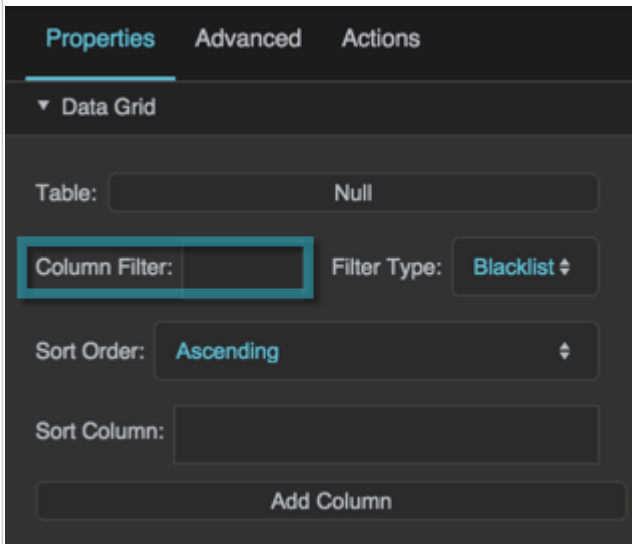
Defines the table that the data grid uses as a data source.



The Table property

Column Filter

Specifies the columns for a filter, as a comma-separated list of table column names. Use the Filter Type property to specify whether these columns are shown in this data grid or hidden from it. The order of columns in a whitelist filter overrides the column order in the Outline and the source table.



The Column Filter property

Filter Type

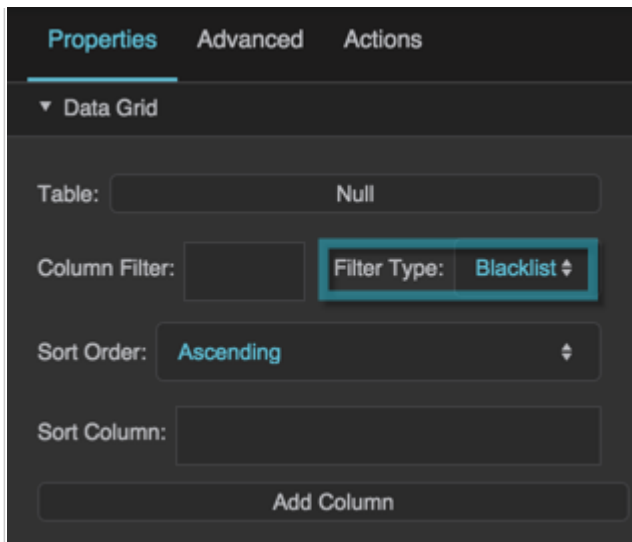
Specifies how this filter handles the listed columns.

Whitelist

Only the listed columns are shown in this data grid. Columns appear in the order specified in the filter.

Blacklist

The listed columns are hidden from this data grid.

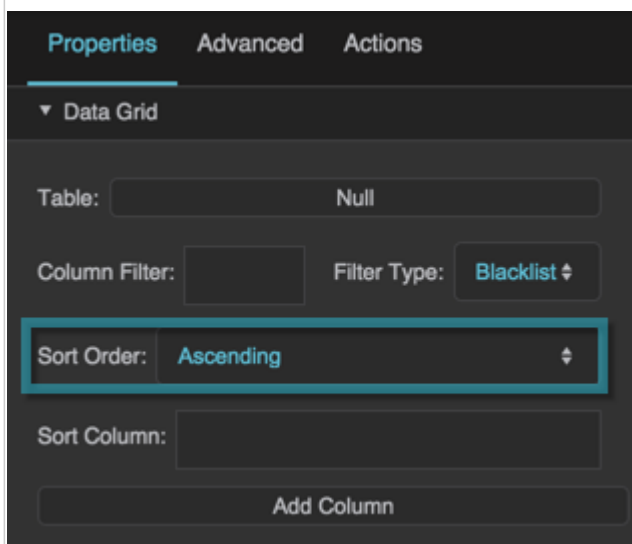


The Filter Type property

Sort Order

Specifies whether the data is sorted in ascending or descending order.

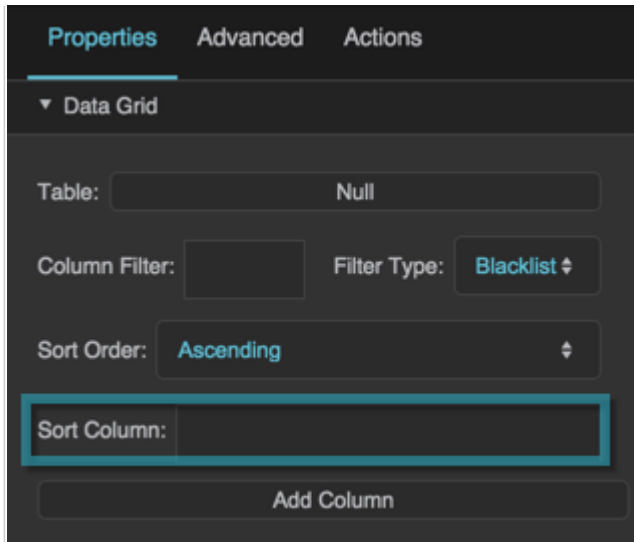
To change whether the data is treated as strings or numbers when sorted, open the dataflow for this data grid and edit the [Sort](#) block.



The Sort Order property

Sort Column

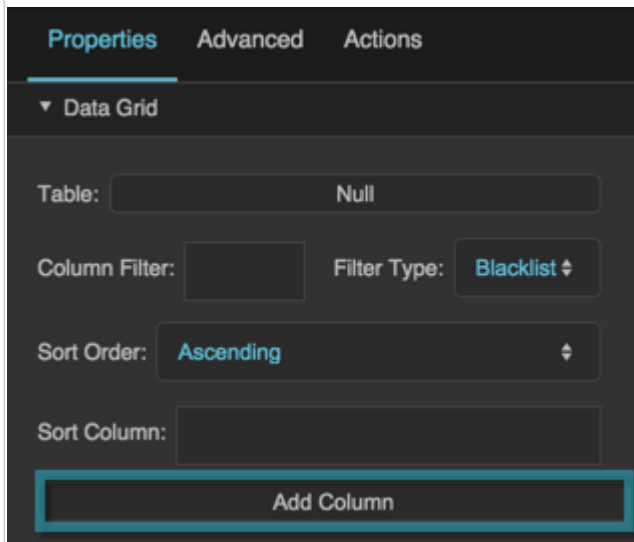
Specifies the name of the column by which to sort the data. Only works if the column has the **Sortable** property enabled.



The Sort Column property

Add Column

Click this button to add a column editor to the Outline. Each column editor lets you edit the properties of a group of one or more data grid columns.



The Add Column property

Data Grid Header Properties

These properties affect the data grid header. There are four groups of Data Grid Header properties. To see these properties in the Property Inspector, click on Header in the Outline.

Header Text and Font

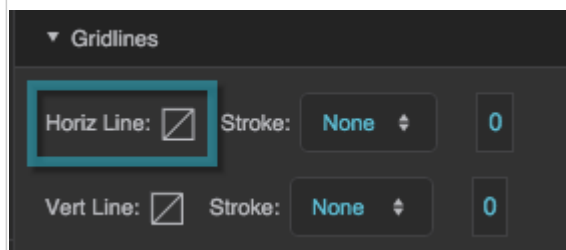
The Text and Font properties for headers are similar to those for [text components](#).

Header Gridlines

These properties control the style of the vertical lines between column headings and the horizontal lines between column headings and category headings.

Header Horizontal Stroke Color

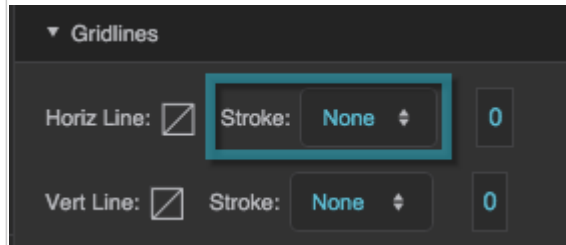
Defines the stroke color for the horizontal lines that divide the column headings and category headings.



The Header Horizontal Stroke Color property

Header Horizontal Stroke Style

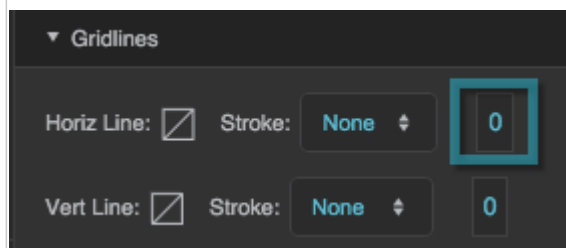
Defines the stroke style for the horizontal lines that divide the column headings and category headings.



The Header Horizontal Stroke Style property

Header Horizontal Stroke Weight

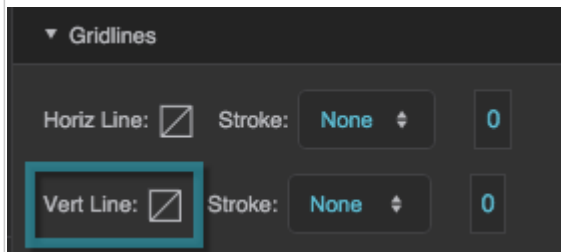
Defines the stroke weight for the horizontal lines that divide the column headings and category headings.



The Header Horizontal Stroke Weight property

Header Vertical Stroke Color

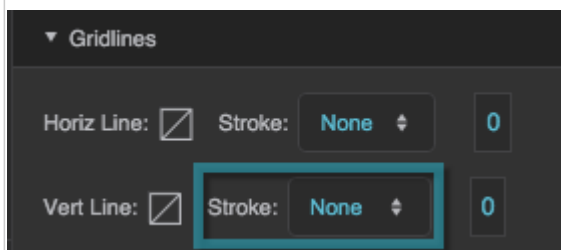
Defines the stroke color for the vertical lines that divide the column headings.



The Header Vertical Stroke Color property

Header Vertical Stroke Style

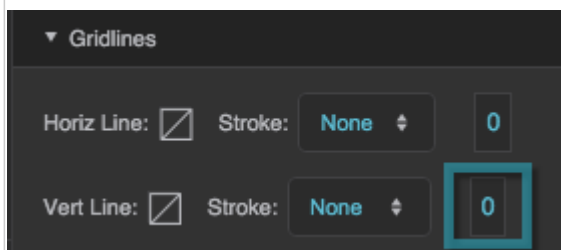
Defines the stroke style for the vertical lines that divide the column headings.



The Header Vertical Stroke Style property

Header Vertical Stroke Weight

Defines the stroke weight for the vertical lines that divide the column headings.



The Header Vertical Stroke Weight property

Header Fill and Stroke

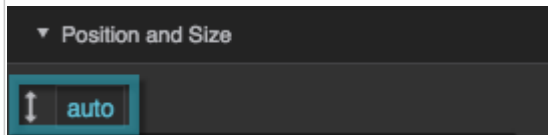
The Fill and Stroke properties for headers are similar to those for [most components](#).

Header Position and Size

This property controls the height of the header.

Header Height

Defines the height of the header in pixels. A value of Auto makes the header height follow the size of its content.



The Header Height property

Data Grid Row Properties

These properties affect data grid rows. There are four groups of Data Grid Rows properties. To open these properties in the Property Inspector, click on Rows in the Outline.

Row Text and Font

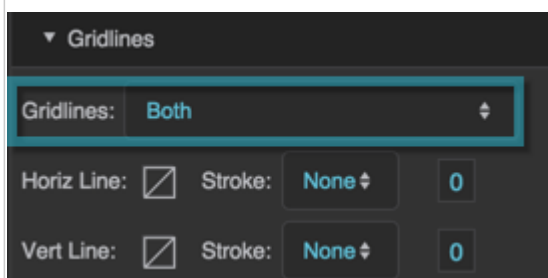
The Text and Font properties for data grid rows are similar to those for [text components](#).

Row Gridlines

These properties control the lines that divide the columns and rows.

Gridlines

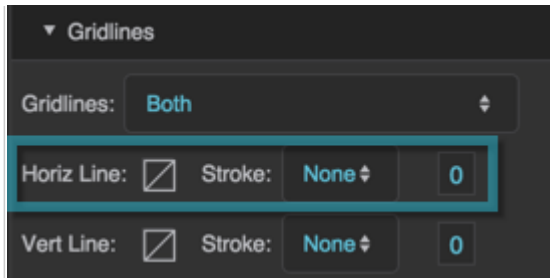
Specifies whether the Property Inspector displays property editing options for horizontal gridlines, vertical gridlines, or both. Changing which gridline properties are displayed does not reset any properties.



The Gridlines property

Horizontal Line

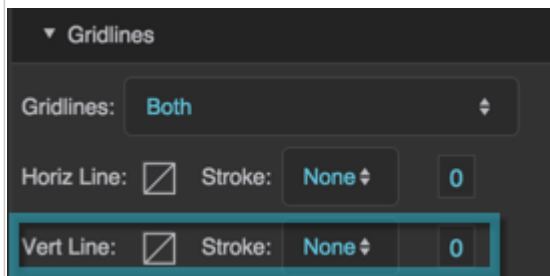
These properties define the horizontal lines between rows. They are similar to the Stroke properties for [most components](#)



The Horizontal Line properties

Vertical Line

These properties define the vertical lines between columns. They are similar to the Stroke properties for [most components](#).



The Vertical Line properties

Row Fill and Stroke

The Fill and Stroke properties for rows are similar to those for [most components](#). You can define fill and stroke for the types of rows listed in the table. In each case, the properties define the fill for the row, and the stroke that outlines the row.

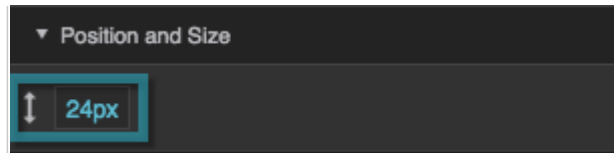
Property	Description
Main Rows	The first group of alternating rows.
Alternate Rows	The second group of alternating rows.
Hovered Row	The row that the user mouses over.
Focused Row	The row that is in focus.
Selected Rows	The selected rows. Only works if selection is enabled for this data grid.

Row Position and Size

This property controls the row height:

Row Height

Defines the height in pixels of each data grid row.



The Row Height property

Column Properties

These properties affect data grid columns. There are three groups of column properties. To open these properties in the Property Inspector, expand Column in the Outline, and select a column editor.

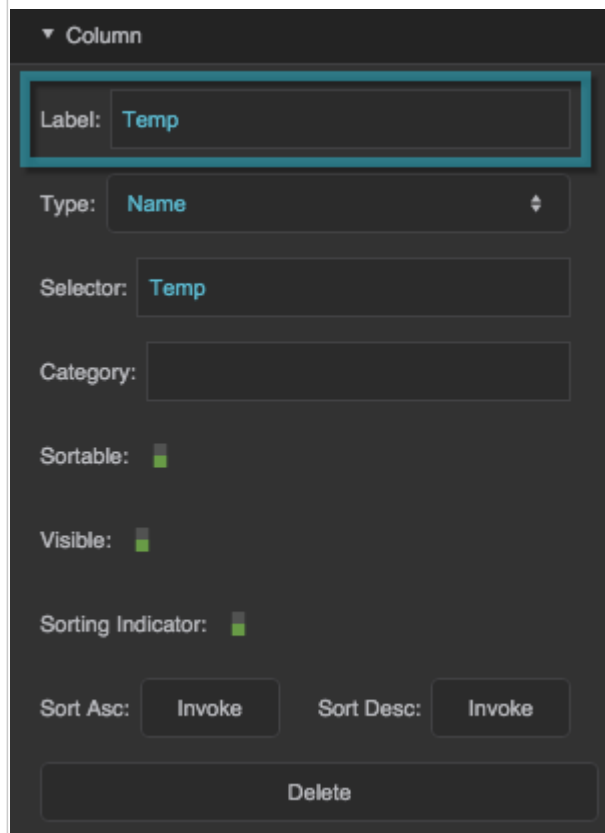
A column editor lets you edit the properties of a group of one or more data grid columns. To add a column editor, go to the General Data Grid Properties and click Add Column.

Column Editor Properties

These properties specify which columns this editor controls, as well as sorting and visibility for those columns.

Column Label

Defines the label to be used as heading text for columns controlled by this [column editor](#).



The Column Label property

Column Editor Type

Defines the kind of column group this column editor controls. See [About Column Editors and Column Order](#)

all

An All column editor dictates that all of the columns from the source table are included in the grid, except for those that you filter out of the entire grid. Grid columns appear in source table order, unless you specify another order using a whitelist filter. Properties edited for this column editor apply to all columns.

name

Each Name column editor dictates that one column from the source table is included in the grid. Grid columns appear in the order in which they appear in the Outline, unless you specify another order using a whitelist filter. Properties edited for this column editor apply to this column.

repeater

A Repeater column editor lets you use a configuration table to determine which source table columns appear in the grid, which symbols represent those columns (if any), and properties of the symbols.

Column Editor configuration panel:

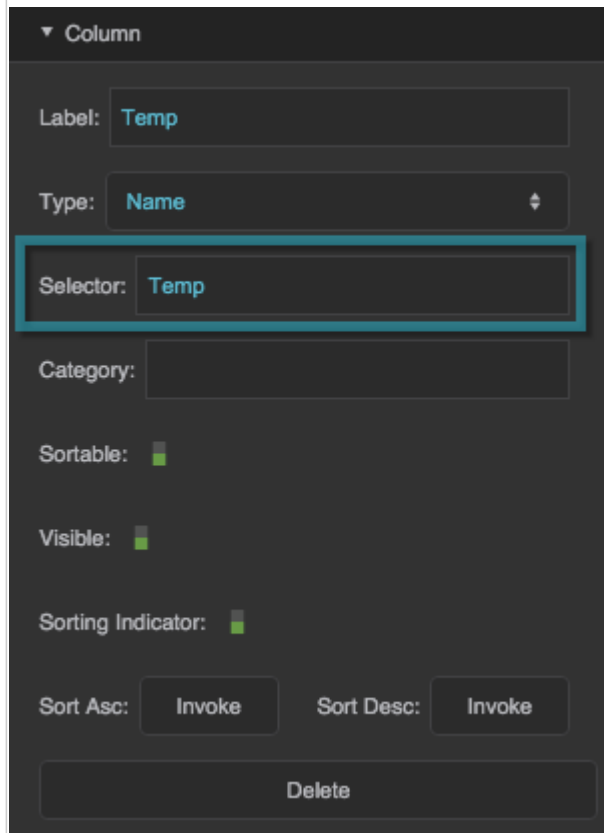
- Label: Temp
- Type: Name (highlighted)
- Selector: Temp
- Category:
- Sortable:
- Visible:
- Sorting Indicator:
- Sort Asc: Invoke
- Sort Desc: Invoke
- Delete

The Column Editor Type property

Column Editor Selector

Specifies which column or columns this column editor controls. If the column editor type is All, this

property does nothing. If the column editor type is Name, this property specifies the name of one column in the source table. If the column editor type is Repeater, this property specifies which column of the configuration table contains the data table column names.



▼ Column

Label: Temp

Type: Name

Selector: Temp

Category:

Sortable:

Visible:

Sorting Indicator:

Sort Asc: Invoke Sort Desc: Invoke

Delete

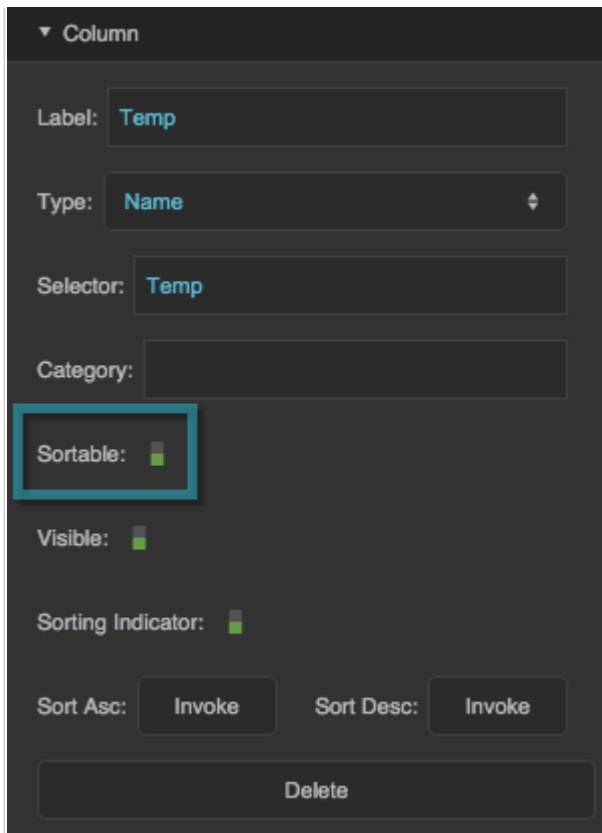
The Selector property

Category

Specifies the category to which this column belongs. Must match the Selector property of some other column editor in this grid. For more information, see [Using the Category Feature](#).

Sortable

Specifies whether the columns affected by this column editor are sortable.



▼ Column

Label: Temp

Type: Name

Selector: Temp

Category:

Sortable:

Visible:

Sorting Indicator:

Sort Asc: Invoke Sort Desc: Invoke

Delete

The Sortable property

Visible

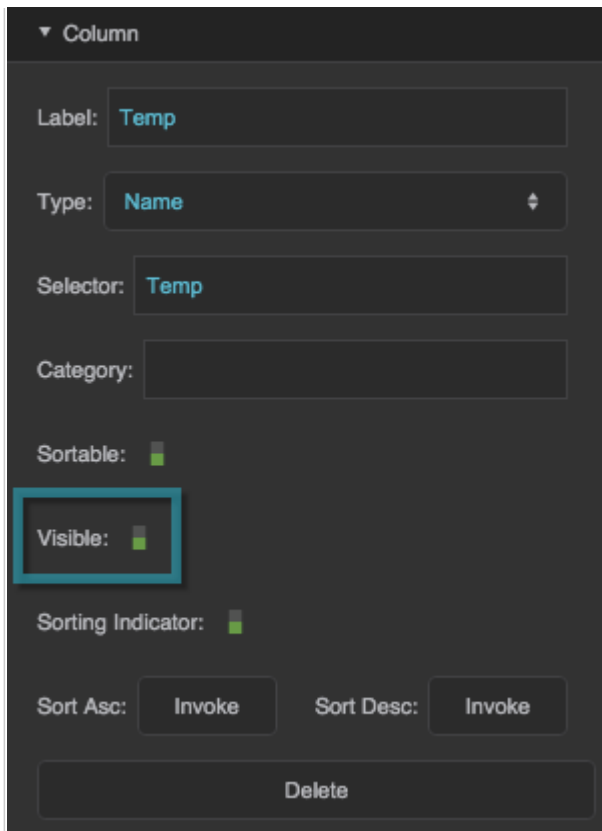
Defines whether this element is visible. Regardless of value, the element affects layout and is stored in the user's browser memory. Because the element is stored in memory, performance might be affected.

TRUE

This element is visible.

FALSE

This element is not visible, but it still affects layout and is stored in browser memory.



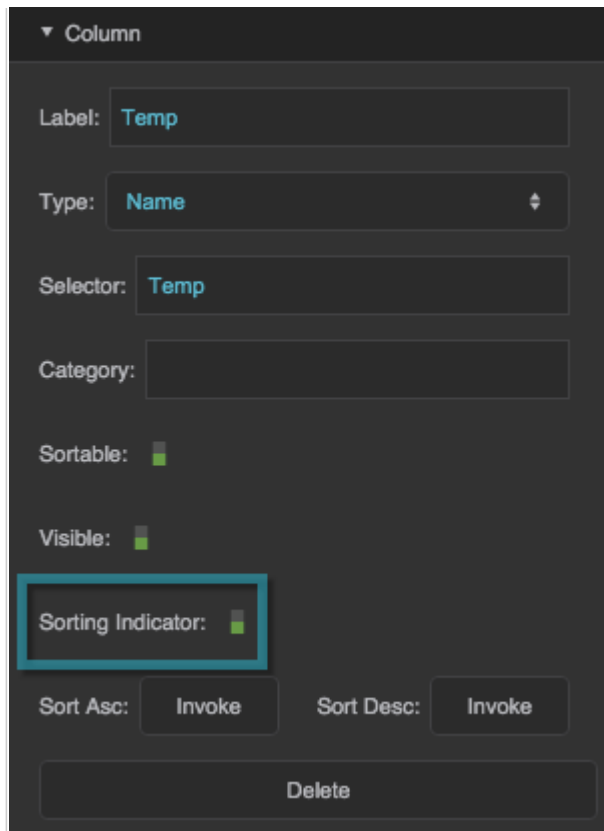
Column editor for a column named 'Temp'. The interface includes the following fields and controls:

- Label:** Temp
- Type:** Name
- Selector:** Temp
- Category:** (empty)
- Sortable:**
- Visible:** (highlighted with a red box)
- Sorting Indicator:**
- Sort Asc:** Invoke
- Sort Desc:** Invoke
- Delete:** (button)

The Visible property

Sorting Indicator

Specifies whether a graphic appears in the column that currently sorts the data. The Sorting Indicator property for a Name column editor overrides the Sorting Indicator property for an All column editor.

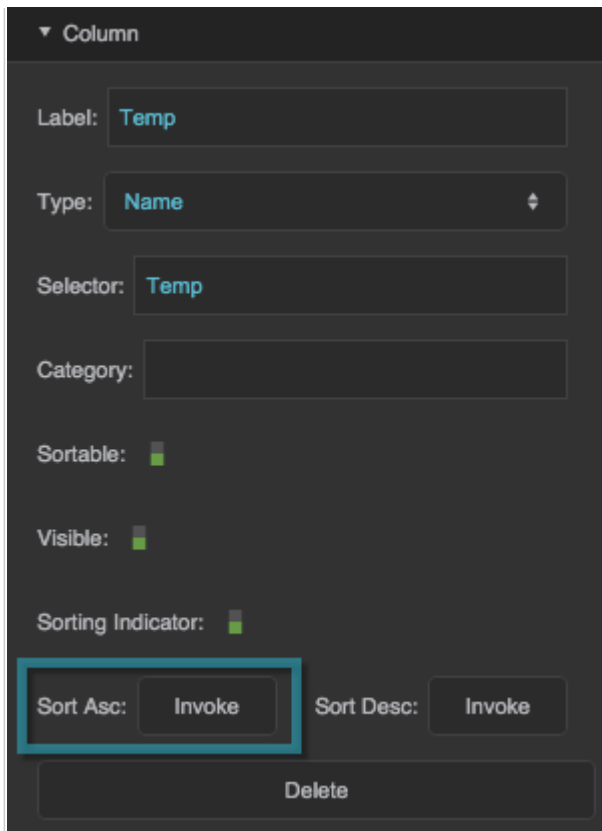


The image shows a dark-themed configuration panel for a column. At the top, it says 'Column' with a dropdown arrow. Below are several fields: 'Label' with the value 'Temp', 'Type' with a dropdown menu showing 'Name', 'Selector' with the value 'Temp', and 'Category' which is empty. There are three toggle switches: 'Sortable' (checked), 'Visible' (checked), and 'Sorting Indicator' (checked). The 'Sorting Indicator' field is highlighted with a red rectangle. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Sort Asc: Invoke' and 'Sort Desc: Invoke', and a 'Delete' button.

The Sorting Indicator property

Sort Ascending

Sorts the data using this column, in ascending order. Using this trigger changes the **Sort Order** to Ascending, under Data Grid properties.



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The Sort Ascending property

Sort Descending

Sorts the data using this column, in descending order. Using this trigger changes the **Sort Order** to Descending, under Data Grid properties.

Column

Label: Temp

Type: Name

Selector: Temp

Category:

Sortable:

Visible:

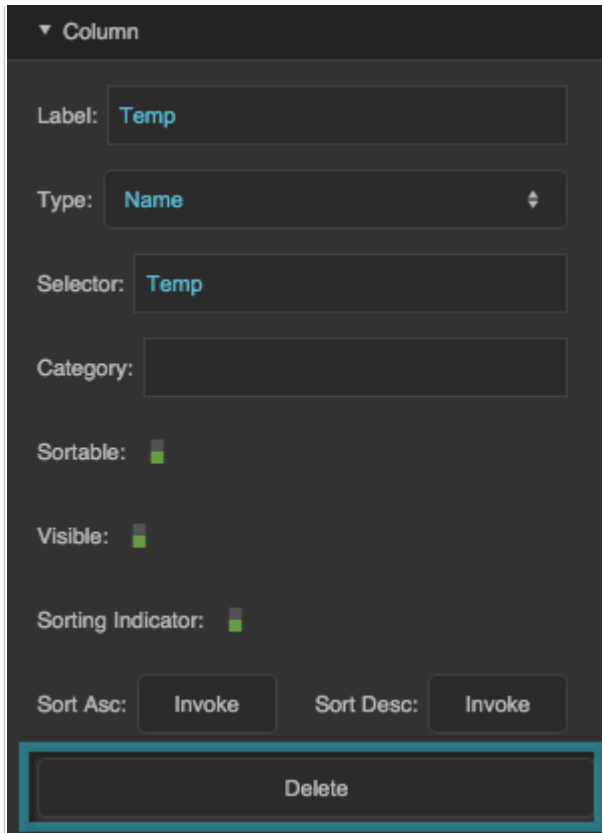
Sorting Indicator:

Sort Asc: Sort Desc:

The Sort Descending property

Delete

Deletes this column editor.



Column configuration panel showing various properties:

- Label: Temp
- Type: Name
- Selector: Temp
- Category: (empty)
- Sortable:
- Visible:
- Sorting Indicator:
- Sort Asc: Invoke
- Sort Desc: Invoke
- Delete (highlighted)

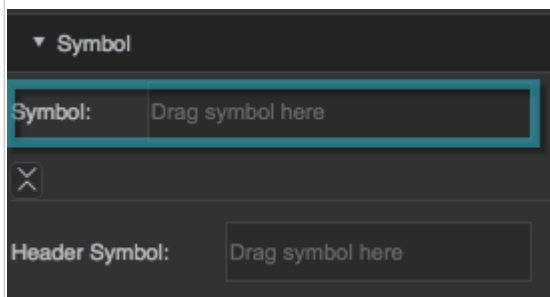
The Delete property

Column Symbol Properties

These properties control symbols that appear in this data grid.

Symbol

Specifies the name of the symbol that appears in each cell of the columns affected by this column editor.



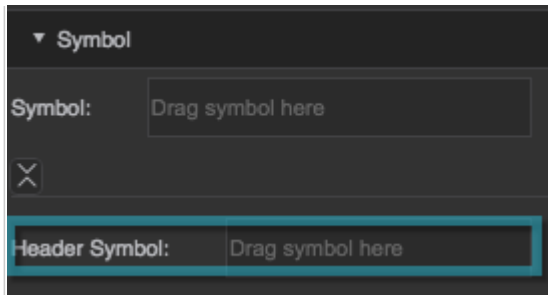
Symbol configuration panel showing:

- Symbol: Drag symbol here (highlighted)
- Header Symbol: Drag symbol here

The Symbol property

Header Symbol

Specifies the name of the symbol that appears in the header of the columns affected by this column editor.



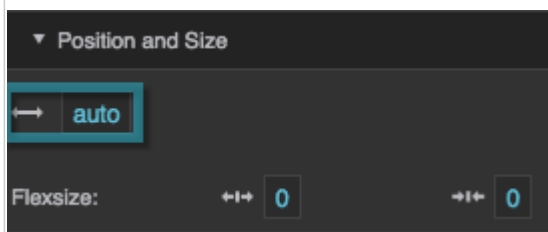
The Header Symbol property

Column Position and Size Properties

These properties control column width.

Column Width

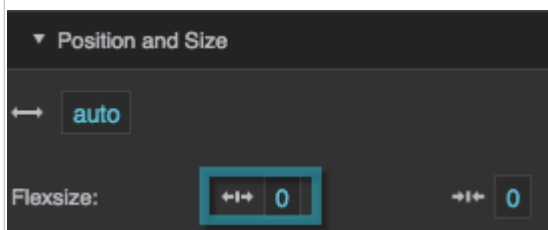
See [Common Properties](#).



The Column Width property

Column Flex-Grow

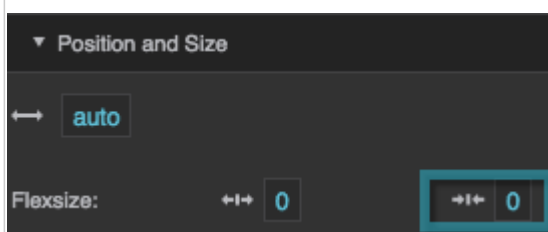
See [Position and Size Properties](#).



The Column Flex-Grow property

Column Flex-Shrink

See [Position and Size Properties](#).



The Column Flex-Shrink property

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More Resources

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- [Create data grid from history](#)

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