

Defining Triggers for your Task

What is a trigger?

A trigger is a set of criteria that when met, starts the execution of a task. When creating a task you need to define the trigger for that task.



Tasks can contain one or more triggers. If a task has multiple triggers, the task will start when any of the triggers occur.

How do you add triggers?

In the **Triggers** section of the **Add Task** wizard, click **Add** to create a new trigger; SQL Enterprise Job Manager opens the **Add Trigger** window. You can go to [Triggers Options](#) to find more information about creating new triggers.

After you create the new trigger, you can also use the following options:

- **Edit** - To access the properties of a trigger and modify it according to your requirements
- **Remove** - To delete a selected trigger

Additionally, you can specify [Advanced Settings](#) for any Trigger.