

Verified Integration Program Verification and Submission Checklist: Standard Integrations with Confluent Platform

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Overview

This document defines the criteria Confluent employs to verify an integration with Confluent at the **standard** level. Because of the breadth of the platform there are lots of integration points to be considered at this level and the requirements might change over time. Partners are encouraged to check back often to make sure they're always working with the most up-to-date criteria. The goal behind verification is to make sure we accurately capture the characteristics of the integration while also providing guidance to partners on the best practices behind using Confluent Platform.

Verification Process

The verified integration program is broken up into the following phases. This details the meaning of each phase and the criteria for exiting it.

Initiated

A connector initiative has been identified and the partner and Confluent have agreed to work together on it.

Deliverable: A 2 page product brief describing the connector and the partner information.

Guidance

The connector is actively being developed. Confluent can provide both development (Q&A) support as well as process support.

Deliverable: An integration for review via demonstration and/or evaluation. A completed verification checklist and evaluation guide.

Submitted

The integration is being reviewed by Confluent. There may be some revision and further discussion in this process as the evaluation guide is followed.

Deliverable: A completed verification report including a checklist confirmation and gap analysis.

Verified

The connector has been verified by Confluent.

Deliverable(s): Potentially including but not limited to: A card on the Confluent hub.

An entry in the Confluent internal repository for field enablement. Blogs, co-marketing, etc.

Submission Checklist

Integrations for verification can be submitted via email to vip@confluent.io

(*=REQUIRED)

Software Package	
Link to github, maven repo, dropbox URL, etc	
Documentation	
Product Brief*	
Quickstart / Tutorial	
Test Results	
Other documentation	
Evaluation Guide (or demonstration)*	
Scheduled Demonstration with Confluent (or evaluation guide)*	

Verification Criteria (* = required)

Overall		Testing	
Integration Type* (eg source / sink, platform, stream processing, value-ad)		Test description	
Contacts*		Test results	
Fully Supported*		Documentation	
License*		Product Brief*	
Functionality (must include one)*		Configurations	
Demonstrated		Quickstart Guide / Tutorial	
Reproducible via Eval Guide		Overall product documentation	
Confluent Platform			
Schema Registry			
Kafka Connect			
Kafka Streams			
MQTT Proxy			
REST Proxy			
Confluent Control Center			
Auto Data Balancer			
Confluent Cloud			
K8s Operator			