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Using Good UX to Design Great PX

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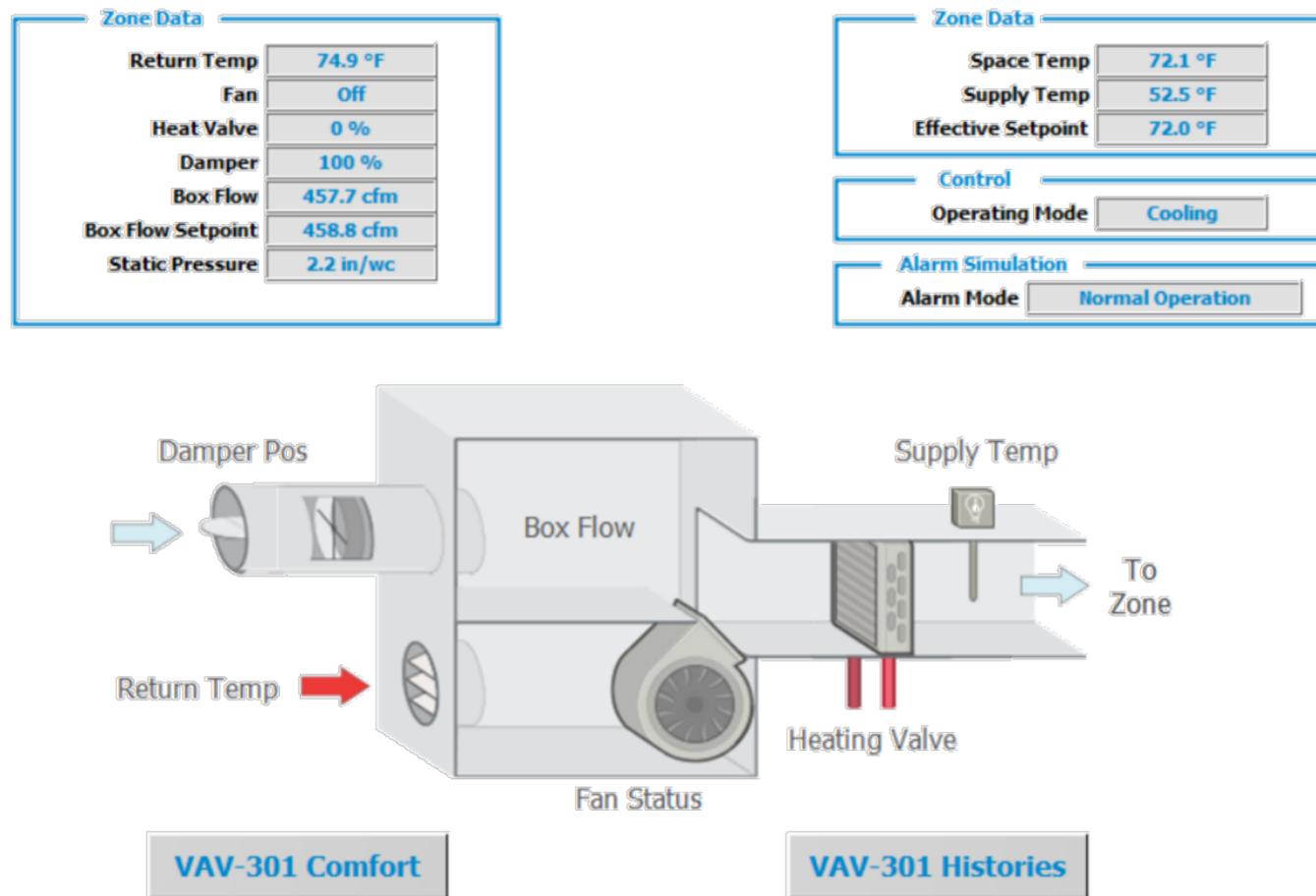
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A nighttime photograph of a city skyline with illuminated skyscrapers against a dark blue sky. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

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What's New with Px

Enhanced Graphics with Tag Based Visualization



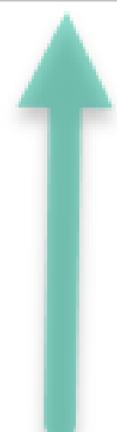
Niagara 4.9 - Create local graphics based on tags once, and then reuse for any other Niagara instance that features tags

- Tags and metadata are the future of building management
 - Conform with the latest building design specifications by using a graphical user interface (GUI) based entirely on tags
- Want to see more information?
 - Check out the [Tridium Talk](#) and free [Tridium University](#) module.

Tag Based

Bound Ords

file:^px/includes/Header.px
file:^px/includes/footerMenu.px
file:^px/includes/leftFooterMenu.px
slot:
slot:Diagnostic/CO2CHK
slot:Diagnostic/ComfortCHECK
slot:Diagnostic/DischargeTMPCHK1



Neqlize Ords (Convert to tag-based)

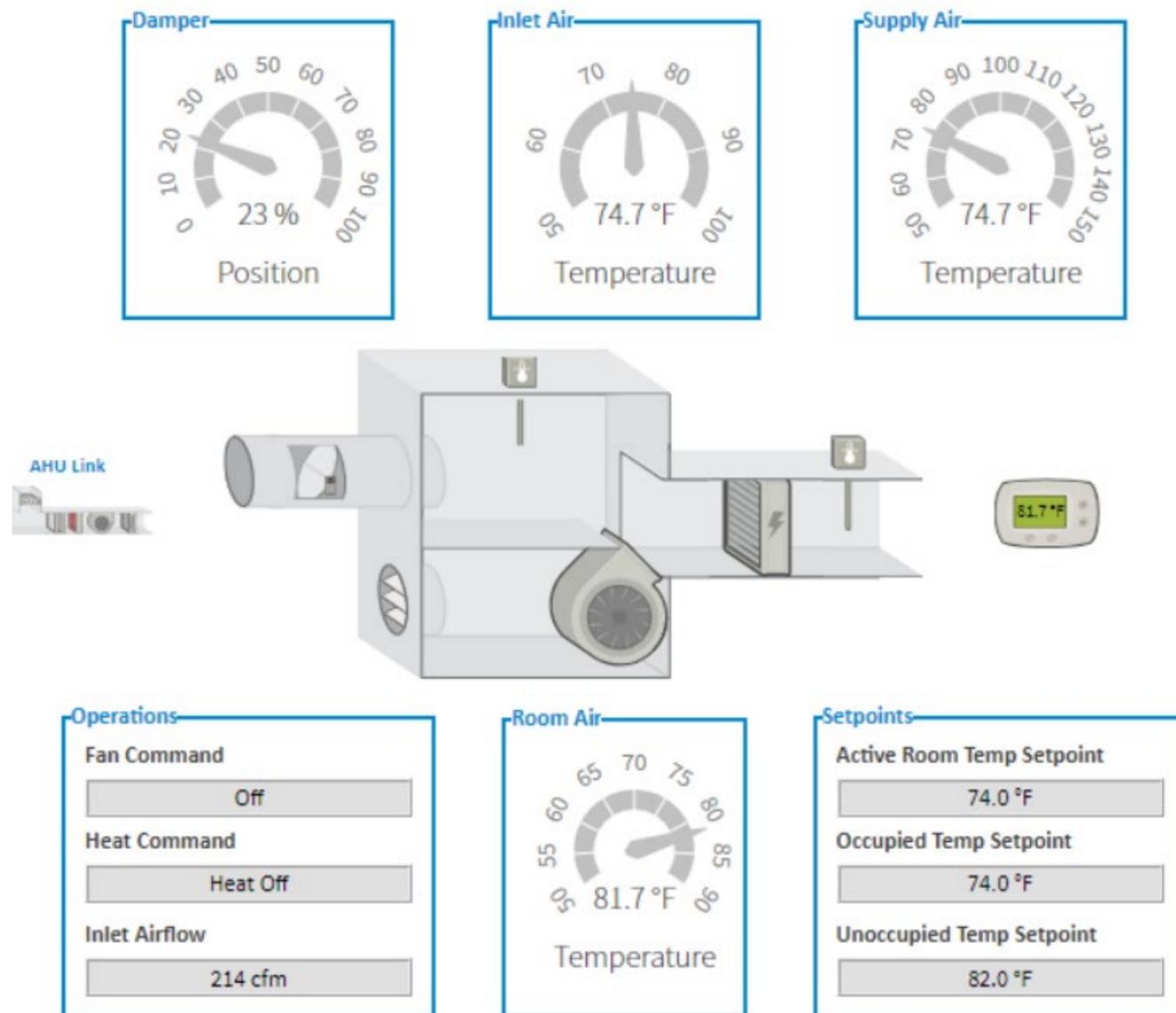
Options... Refresh All

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/CoolStage1	neql:hs:coolStageCmd1 single:	slot:/VA51/Floor1/AHU_0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/Economizer	neql:hs:outsideAirDamperCmd single:	slot:/VA51/Floor1/AHU_0
<input type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/EffOccupancy	slot:points/EffOccupancy	No identifying tags found
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/EffSetpoint	neql:hs:zoneAirTempEffectiveSp single:	slot:/VA51/Floor1/AHU_0
<input type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/FilterCondition	slot:points/FilterCondition	No identifying tags found
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/HeatDeckTmp	neql:hs:hotDeck single:	slot:/VA51/Floor1/AHU_0
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/RoomHumidity	neql:hs:zoneAirHumiditySensor single:	slot:/VA51/Floor1/AHU_0
<input type="checkbox"/>	slot:points/RoomNormalCO2	slot:points/RoomNormalCO2	No identifying tags found
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Before After

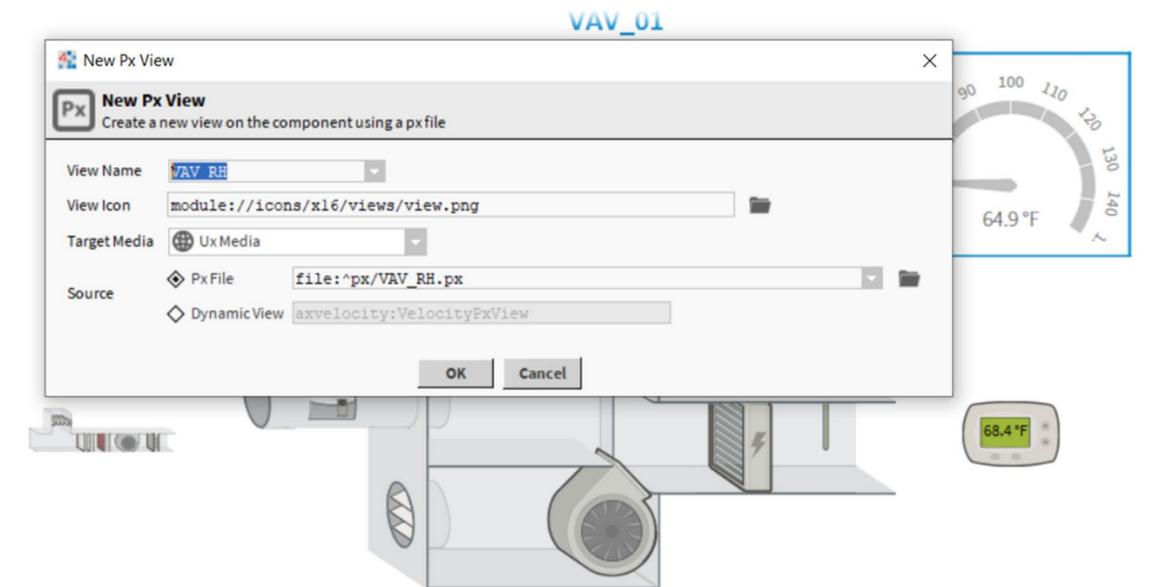
OK Cancel

Enhanced Virtual Graphics with Tag Based Visualization



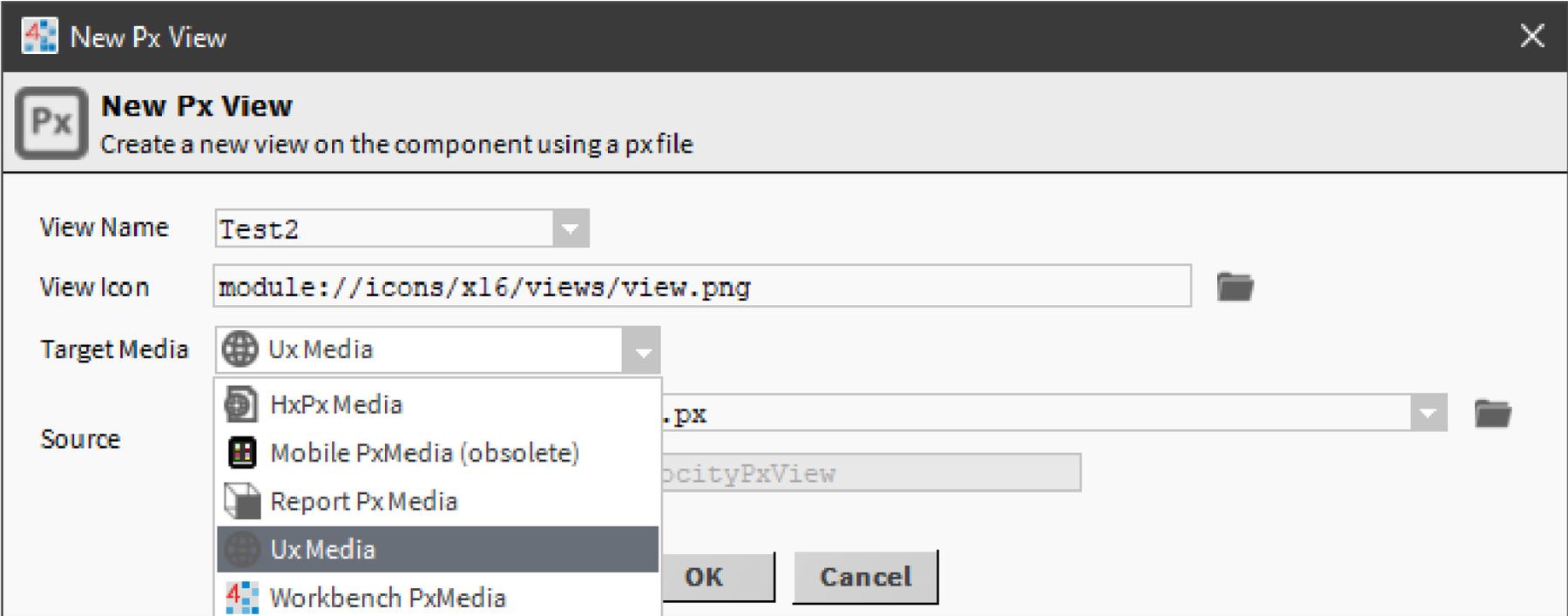
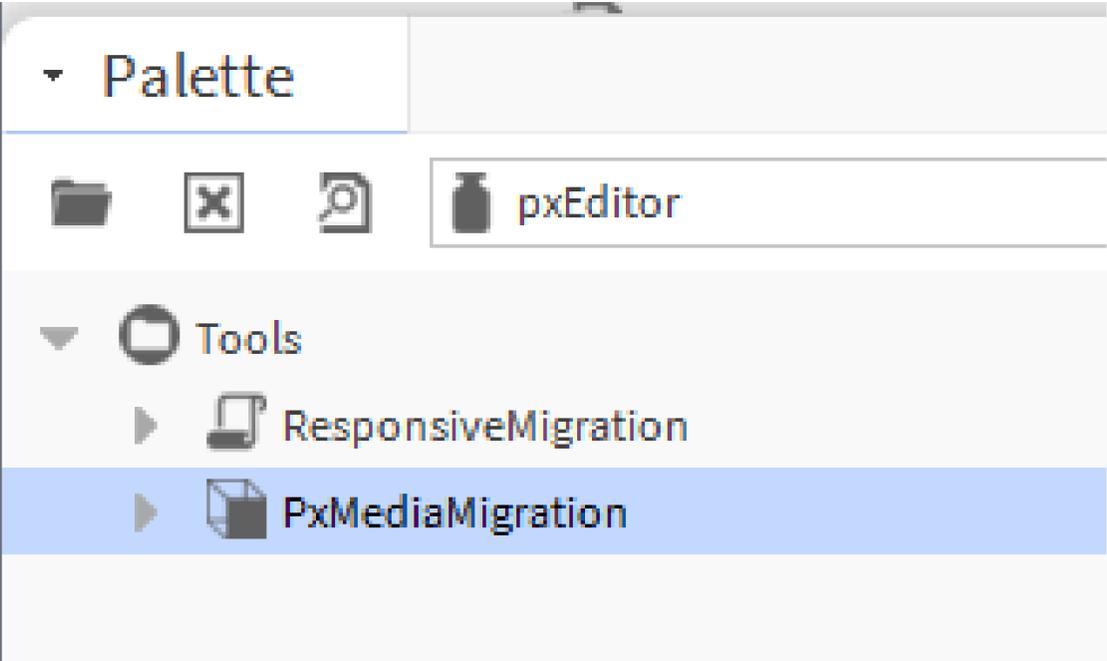
- Niagara 4.10, Tag Based Graphics can now be used with **SystemDB** and **Virtuals**

UxMedia



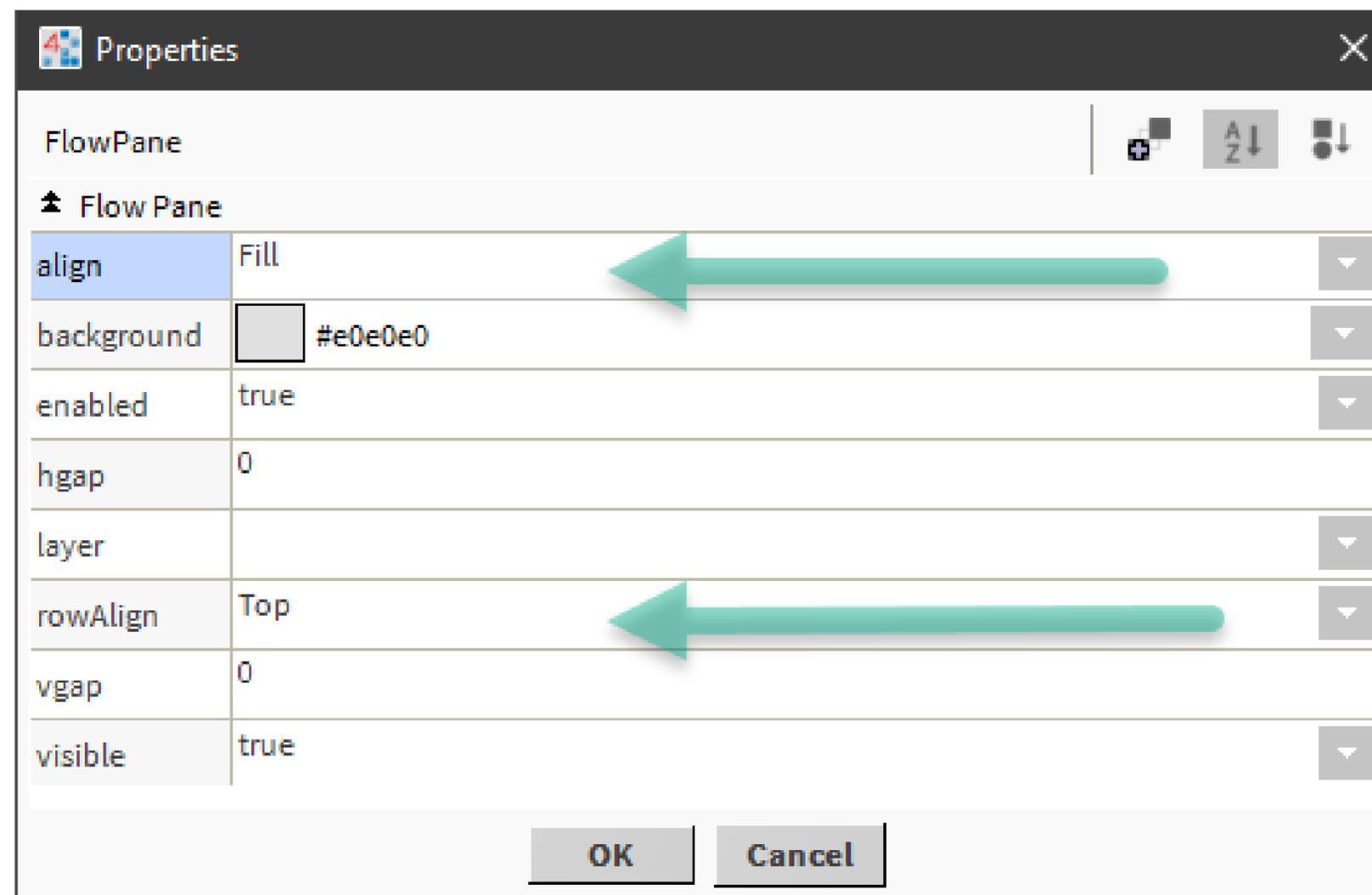
- Enables an improved end user experience
 - **Faster graphics load time** by removing the rendering and layout from the JACE and **shifting** it to the browser
 - UxMedia widgets provides **immediate feedback** upon value changes
- Fosters an enriched modern developer environment
 - Utilize rich sets of open-source development tools to enable a **native HTML5 and JavaScript UI** that is more flexible and adaptable to future cloud-based solutions
 - **UI development process is more efficient** since evaluating widget changes does not require a module rebuild and a station restart - just hit refresh in the browser to try out the new behavior!
 - **Instantaneously convert existing PX Graphics** to utilize UxMedia via the PxMediaMigrator and the browser-native Audition Mode

UxMedia



HxPx vs UxMedia

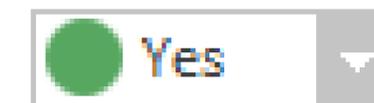
calculating in java vs css flexbox



Audition Mode

- In the **HTML5 Hx Profile** when you have the Web Profile option for 'Enable View Selection' turned on, you will see an additional Media Settings Command in the toolbar when viewing a Px graphic. This allows an easy way to try out you're existing Px graphics in Audition Mode to see how well they behave in UxMedia.

Enable View Selection



Media Settings

- **Stored Media Type:** Set the target media type for the current Px graphic.
- **Show Ux Media Preview:** If true, the Stored Media Type will be read only and pressing OK will show you a UxMedia Preview without changing the Stored Media Type.
- **Audition Mode:** allows for a quick and easy way to check every single graphic in the system. If true, two more “back” and “forwards” commands will appear, navigating you quickly to the previous or next Px graphic to see how it looks. If Show Ux Media Preview is checked, navigating using these commands will continue to show a UxMedia Preview.
- **Audition Index:** only used in Audition Mode. Allows you to navigate by index to the very first Px graphic found in the system (index 0), to the last one.
- **Show Validation Warnings:** set to true to display any validation warnings in the browser. Use this to determine exactly which widgets or bindings in your page are incompatible with UxMedia.

Media Settings	
Stored Media Type	<input type="text" value="Ux Media"/>
Show Ux Media Preview	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> true
Audition Mode	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> true
Audition Index	<input type="text" value="47"/>
Show Validation Warnings	<input type="checkbox"/> false

- As an alternative, you can set the system property `niagara.preferUxMedia=true`, which will display all Px pages in UxMedia in the browser, regardless of audition or media settings.
- You can also hide the additional Media Settings command for all users by adding the system property `niagara.profile.hideMediaCommand=true`.

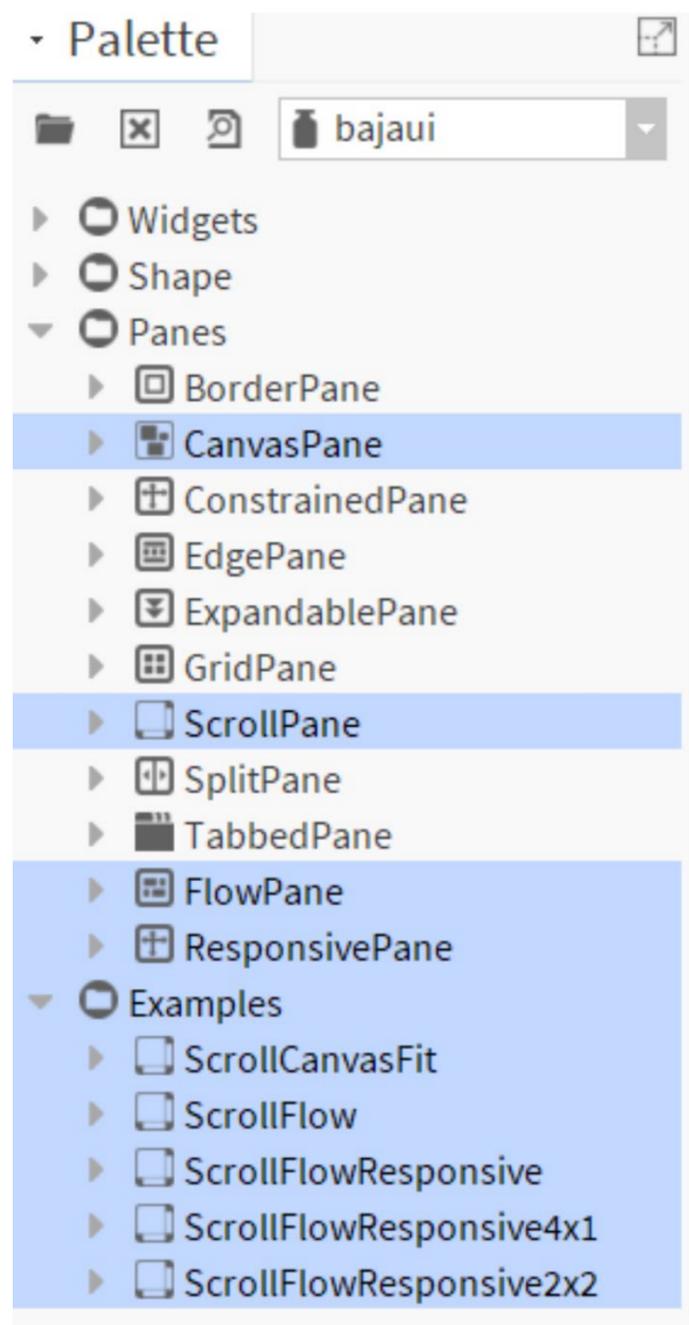
Responsive Tools

- Scroll, Flow, Responsive, and Canvas Panes



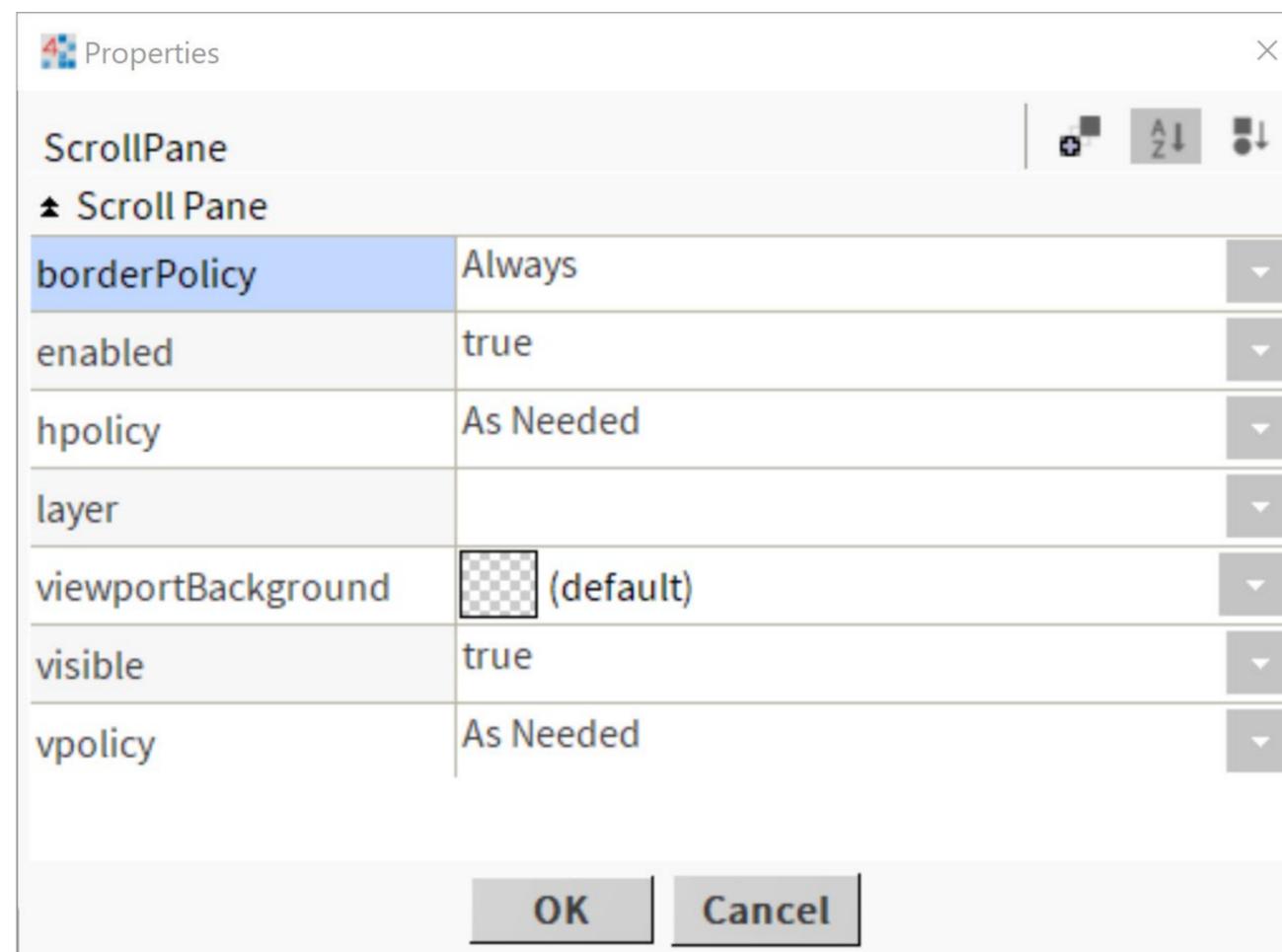
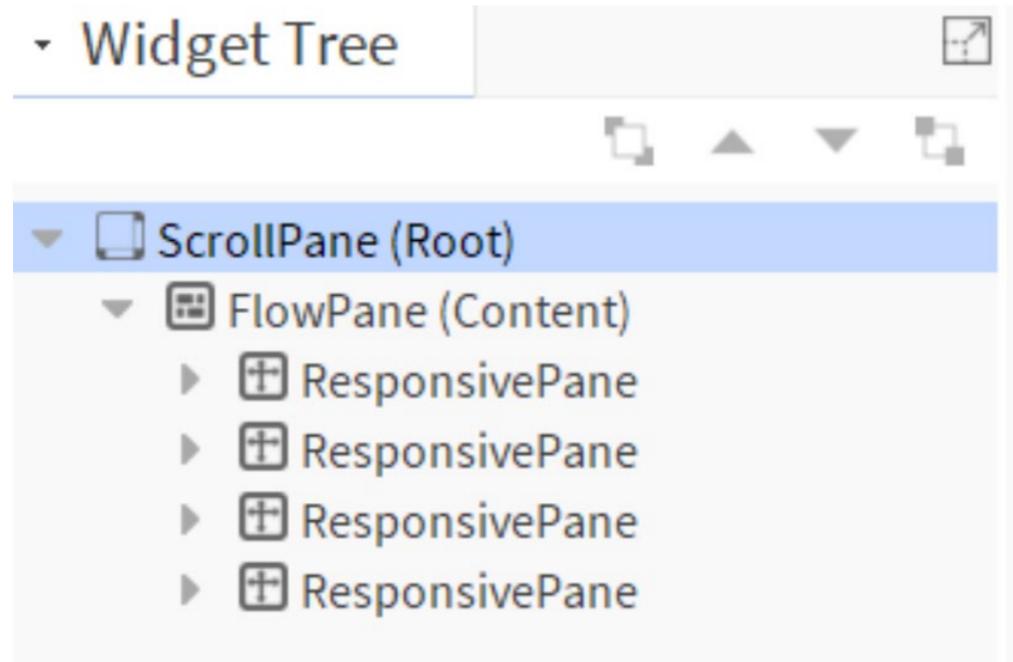
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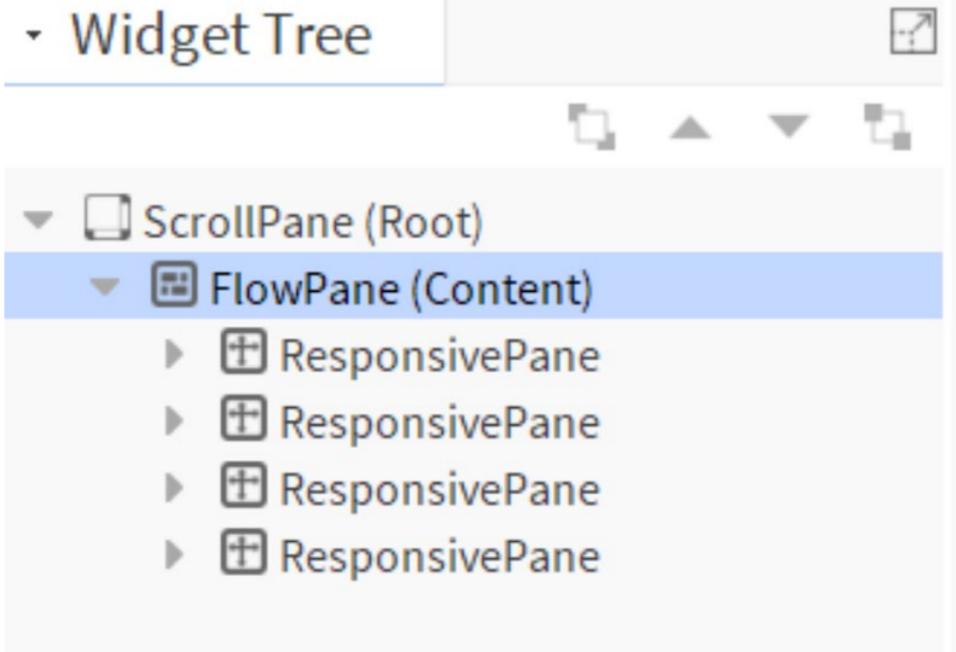


1. ScrollPane
2. FlowPane
3. ResponsivePane
4. CanvasPane

ScrollPane



FlowPane



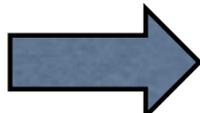
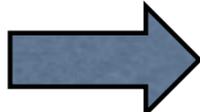
Properties

FlowPane

▲ Flow Pane

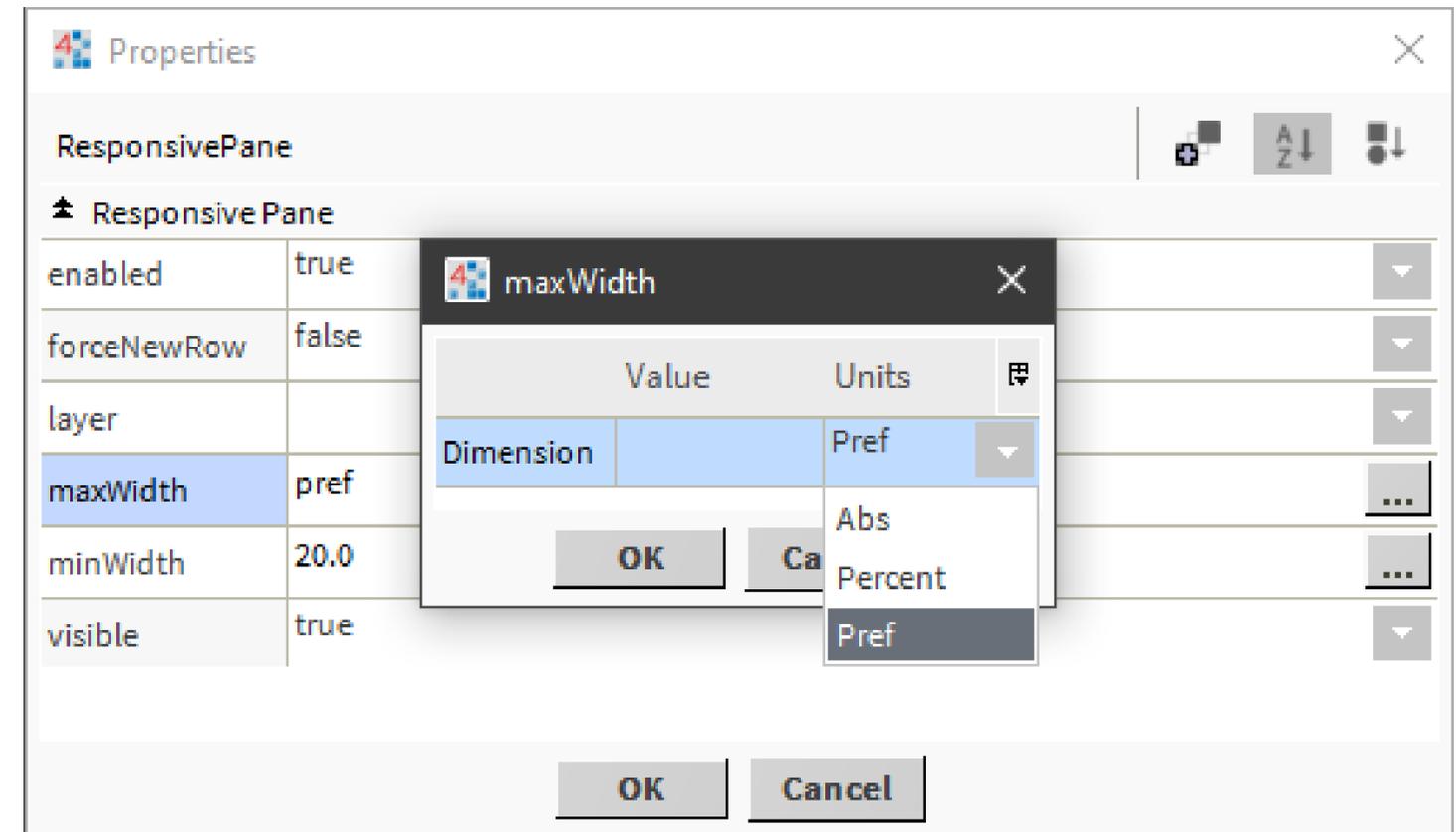
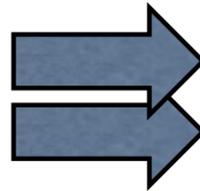
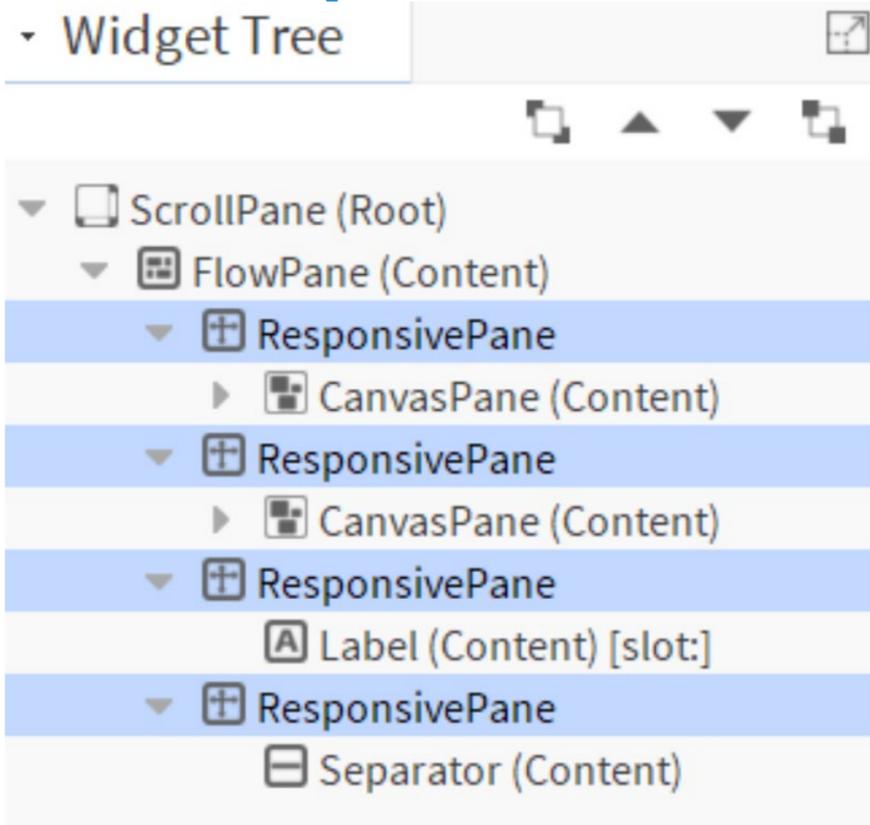
align	Fill	▼
background	<input type="color" value="#e0e0e0"/> #e0e0e0	▼
enabled	true	▼
hgap	0	
layer		▼
rowAlign	Center	▼
vgap	0	
visible	true	▼

OK Cancel



Left
Center
Right
Fill

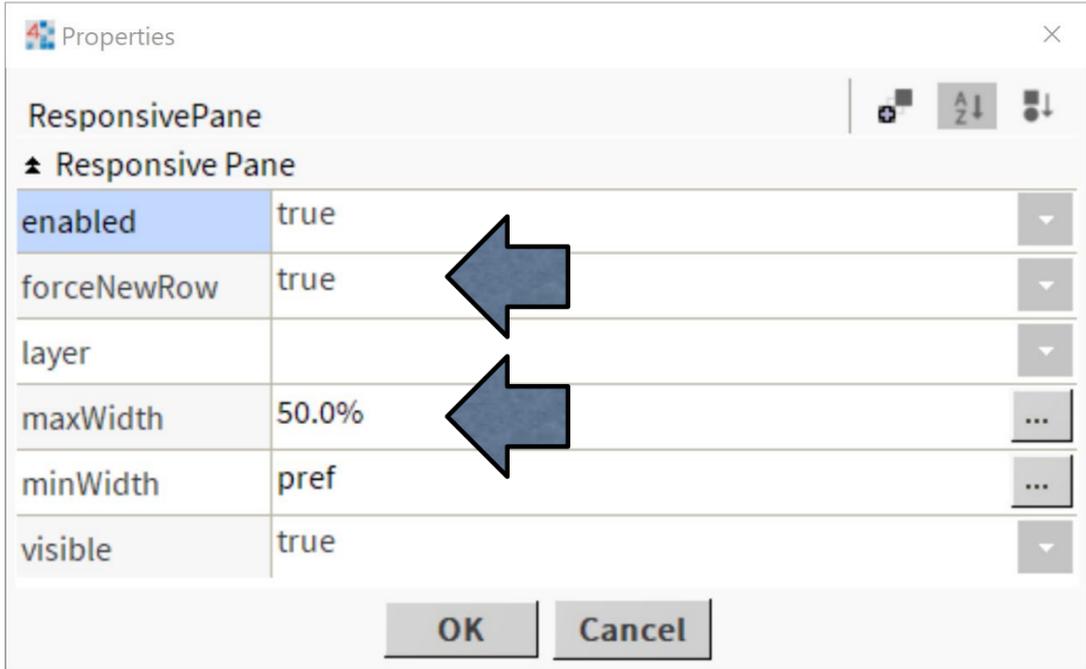
ResponsivePane



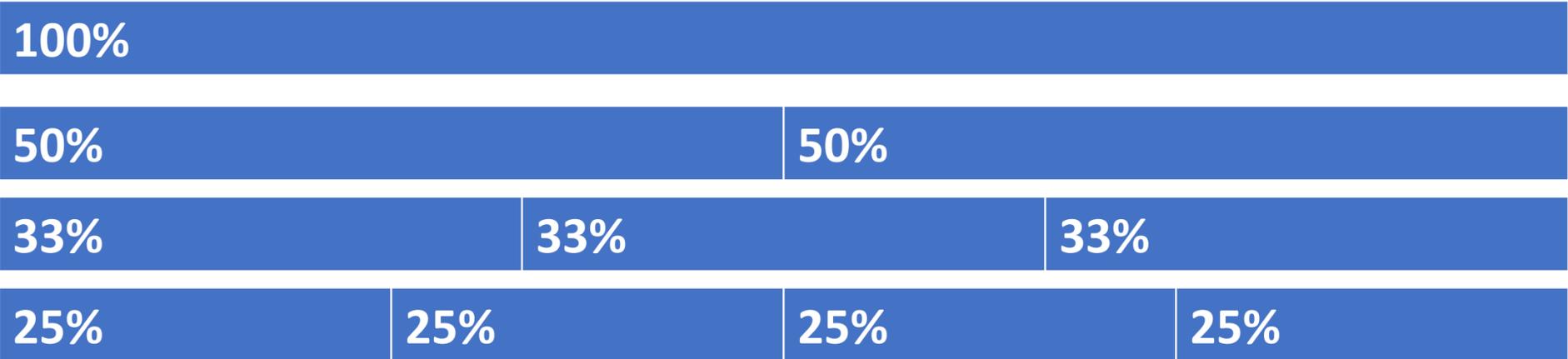
Preferred (Pref)
Absolute (Abs)
Precent (Percent)

ResponsivePane

(how you get columns / rows)



maxWidth Examples

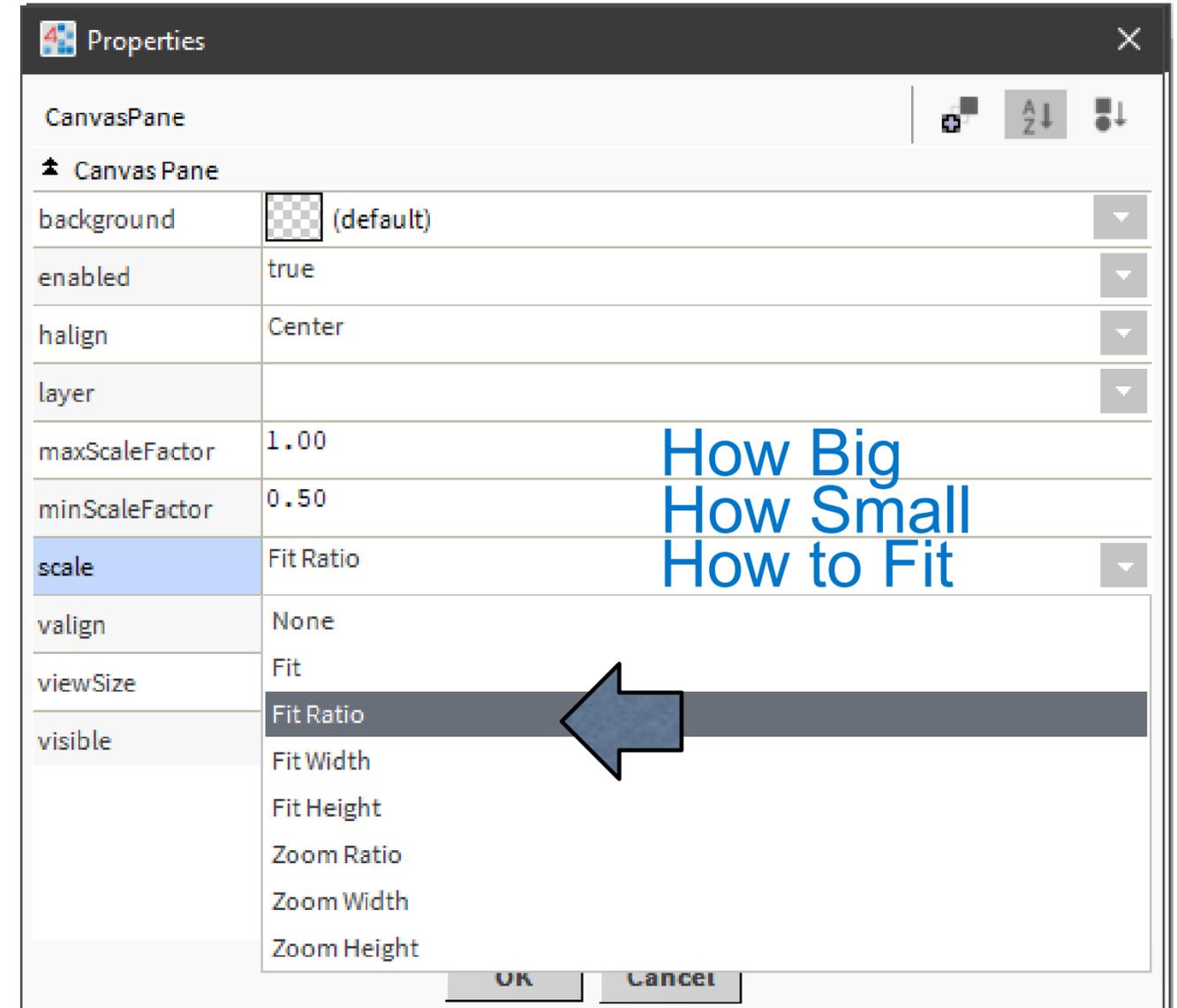
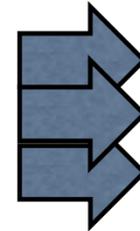
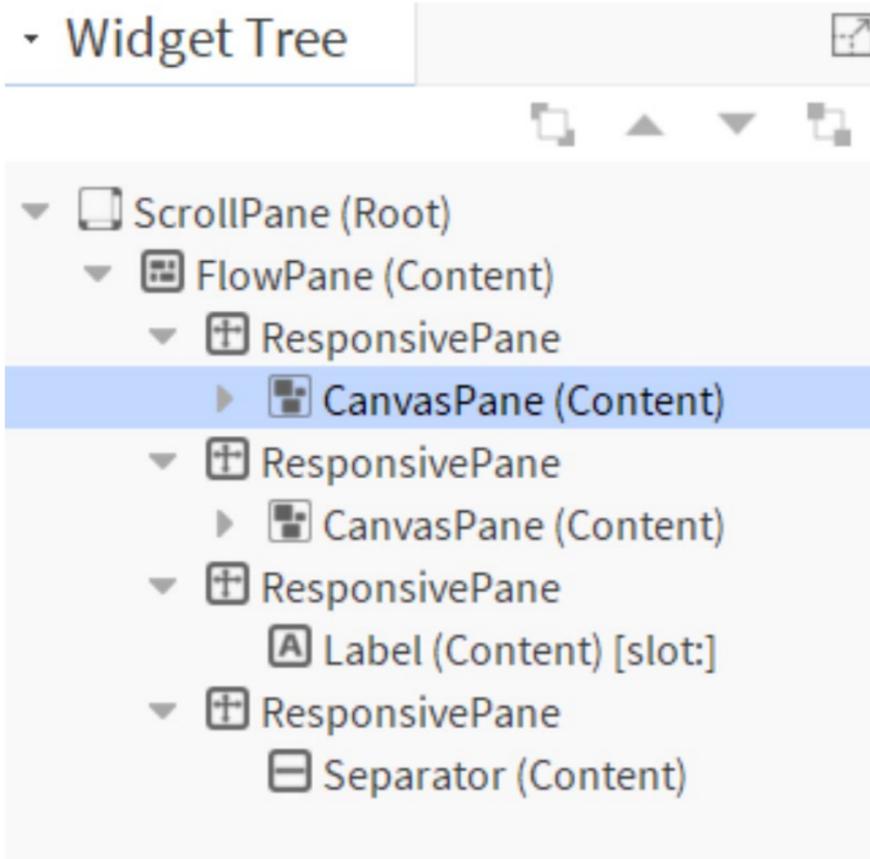


Columns: maxWidth

Formula: $100 / (\text{Columns})$

Rows: forceNewRow: true / false

CanvasPane

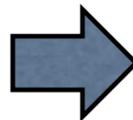


Zoom was added to 4.11

CanvasPane

Widget Tree

- ScrollPane (Root)
 - FlowPane (Content)
 - ResponsivePane
 - CanvasPane (Content)**
 - ResponsivePane
 - CanvasPane (Content)
 - ResponsivePane
 - Label (Content) [slot:]
 - ResponsivePane
 - Separator (Content)



Properties

CanvasPane

Canvas Pane

background	silver	▼
enabled	true	▼
halign	Left	▼
layer		▼
maxScaleFactor	0.00	
minScaleFactor		
scale		▼
valign		▼
viewSize		...
visible	true	▼

viewSize

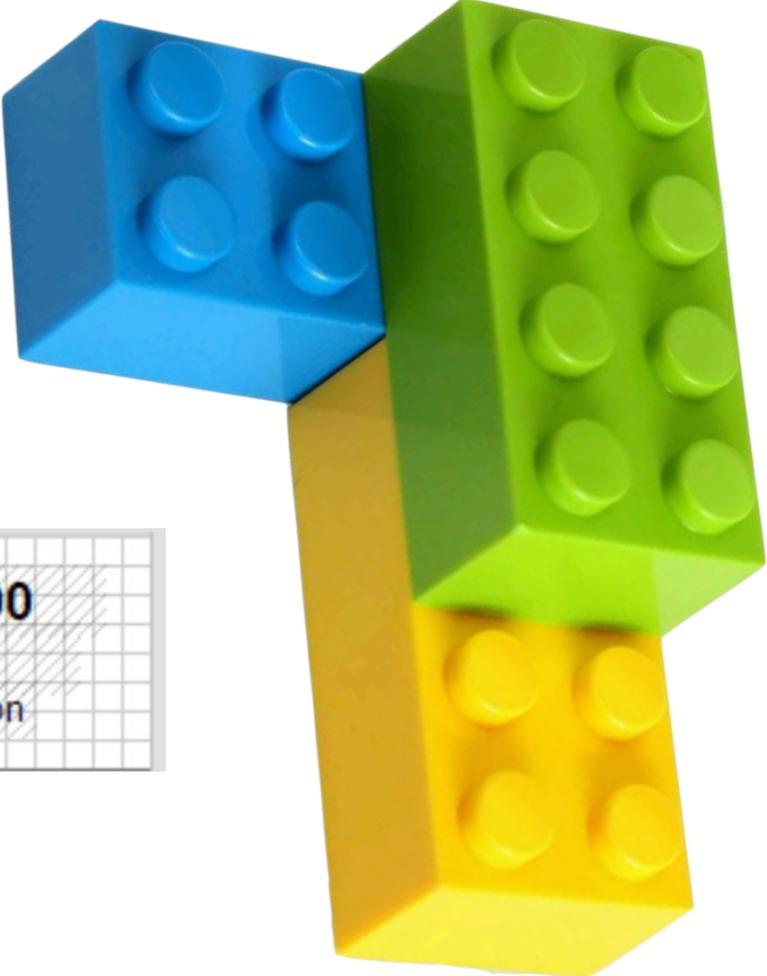
Width 150.00 [0.00 - 10000.00]

Height 50.00 [0.00 - 10000.00]

OK Cancel

OK Cancel

Think Lego Blocks



Widget Tree

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viewSize

Width 150.00 [0.00 - 10000.00]
Height 80.00 [0.00 - 10000.00]

OK Cancel

474,700
units
description

 1 PIX BORDER	 232,300 units description	 474,700 units description
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Browser Tools



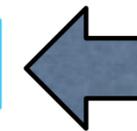


Google Chrome



- Save page as... Ctrl+S
- Create shortcut...
- Clear browsing data... Ctrl+Shift+Del
- Extensions
- Task manager Shift+Esc
- Developer tools Ctrl+Shift+I**

- New tab Ctrl+T
- New window Ctrl+N
- History ▶
- Downloads Ctrl+J
- Bookmarks ▶
- Zoom - 80% + []
- Print... Ctrl+P
- Cast...
- Find... Ctrl+F
- More tools ▶**
- Edit Cut Copy Paste
- Settings
- Help ▶
- Exit
- Managed by your organization



iPhone 5/SE 320 x 568 100%

FlowPane LEFT

maxWidth and minWidth = Pref (Fit as Many)

CanvasPane 200 x 200

forceNewRow = False
maxWidth = Pref
minWidth = Pref

CanvasPane 200 x 200

CanvasPane 200 x 200

forceNewRow = False
maxWidth = Pref
minWidth = Pref

CanvasPane 200 x 200

CanvasPane 200 x 200

Elements Console Sources Network Performance

Dock side

Hide console drawer Esc
Search Ctrl + Shift + F
Run command Ctrl + Shift + P
Open file Ctrl + P
More tools

Shortcuts
Settings F1
Help

padding -
320 x 568

```

<!doctype html>
<html xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml" lang="en"
"overflow:auto;">
  <head>...</head>
  <body class="Zebra" onload="hxProfileOnload();">
    <form class="hx HTML5HxProfile" method="post" ...
  </form>
</body>
</html>

```

body.Zebra

Styles Event Listeners DOM Breakpoints Properties

Filter :hov .cls +

```

element.style {
}
body {
  font-family: "Source Sans Pro",
    SourceSansPro, sans-serif;
  font-size: 13px;
  background-color: #696f79;
}
body, form.hx {
  background-color: #fff;
  font-weight: normal;
  font-size: 11px;
  font-family: Tahoma, sans-serif;
}
html, body, form {

```

Console What's New

Highlights from the Chrome 74 update

Hover over a CSS property like padding or margin in the Styles pane to highlight all nodes affected by that declaration.

Lighthouse v4 in the Audits panel
Featuring a new "tap targets" audit for checking that mobile links and buttons are properly sized, and a new UI for PWA reports.

WebSocket binary message viewer
Click a WebSocket connection in the Network Log, go to the Messages tab, then click a binary message to view its contents.

Deep Dive

Responsive Px



Live Walkthrough

Station: Bldg1 and UxExamples

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