

# Adding Existent Element

The elements are stored in the files with the .etc extension.

The directory to store the elements can be set in the [Application Settings](#) dialog.

To add an element from a file to the *Workflow Designer* select either *Actions > Add element with external tool* in the main menu or the following icon on the toolbar:



In the appeared dialog select the required .etc file. The element is added to the group on the *Palette* and appears on the *Scene*.