Cloning FMEA Table rows

Usually, FMEA Tables contain a number of rows that only slightly differ from each other. To create new rows more quickly, you can clone existing FMEA Table rows with their column values. The cloning feature allows you to clone one or multiple rows at a time, and select which column values should be cloned.

To clone existing FMEA table rows

- 1. Select The FMEA Table row(s) you want to clone. To select multiple rows, hold down the Ctrl key. If you want to select several consecutive rows, select the first row in a sequence, then hold down the Shift key, and select the last row in a sequence.
- 2. Do one of the following:
 - In the table toolbar, click Clone Row
 - Right-click the selected rows, and, from the menu, select Clone Row.
- 3. In the **Select Properties** dialog, select the columns you would like to clone. By default, all the columns are selected, as shown in the figure below. To clear the check boxes of all table columns, click **Clear All**, and, to select all table columns, click **Select All**.

Select Properties	X								
Select columns to clone Select the columns to clone from the selected row(s) to new row(s)									
E FMEA Item									
Classification	V true								
Item	✓ true								
Subsystem	✓ true								
Failure Mode	▼ true E								
Local Effect Of Failure	▼ true								
Final Effect Of Failure	✓ true								
SEV	V true								
Cause Of Failure	V true								
OCC	✓ true								
Prevention Control	🔽 true								
Detection Control	✓ true								
DET	📝 true 👻								
Q Type here to filter properties									
	Clear All Select All								
	OK Cancel								

4. Click OK.

After following the procedure described above, the selected rows of an FMEA Table are cloned reusing the values of the columns selected in the **Selec t Properties** dialog. As a result, new FMEA Items are created in the package specified as the scope of an FMEA Table, and new table rows (clones) are added for each new FMEA Item. By default, the names of new FMEA Items are the same as the names of the FMEA Items described in the source rows with the word *clone* added as a suffix. See the *Name* column of the sample FMEA Table displayed below.

		#	Id	Name	Classification	Item	Subsystem	Failure Mode	Local Effect Of Failure	Final Effect Of Failure
Cloned rows	ſ	1	F-1	F1	electrical	battery : Design::	Pump	🐵 Unable to be charged		🔞 Underdose or overdose 🗧
	_		F-2	🕑 F2	electrical	battery : Design::	Pump	🔞 Voltage error		🐵 Therapy delay
	≁[3	F-7	F2 done	electrical	battery : Design::	Pump	🛞 Voltage error		📵 Therapy delay
		4	F-3	🕞 F3	electrical	battery : Design::	Pump	🛞 Unable to be charged		📵 Therapy delay
	_	5	F-4	🕑 F4	electrical	P dispenser : Desig	Pump	🔞 Pumps inaccurate size	📵 Air in line	
	≁	6	F-8	F4 done	electrical	P dispenser : Desig	Pump	🔞 Pumps inaccurate size	(ii) Air in line	}
	_		F-5	🕑 F5	electrical	P display : Design::	Pump	🔞 Broken keypad		📵 Therapy delay
	≁	8	F-9	F5 done	electrical	display : Design::	Pump	🔞 Broken keypad		📵 Therapy delay
		9	F-6	🖲 F6	electrical	P sensor : Design::	Pump	随 Drop in sensitivity	 High glucose-level undetected Low glucose-level undetected 	

The sample FMEA Table demonstrates the behavior of the row cloning feature. The selected rows (highlighted in blue) have been cloned, and each row clone appears right below the row from which it was cloned.

Recommendation \oslash

It is recommended that you change the names of the new FMEA Items that are created by cloning table rows to meaningful ones.

Sample model

The model used for the figures of this page is the Medical FMEA and Hazard Analysis sample model that comes with Cameo Safety and Reliability Analyzer plugin. To open this model do one of the following

- Download Medical FMEA and Hazard Analysis.mdzip.
- Open the model from the <install_root>\samples\Safety and Reliability Analysis directory.

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