Expansion Region and Expansion Nodes

The Expansion Region and Expansion Nodes can be drawn in the Activity diagram.

You can create those elements using the diagram palette:

•	The Expansion Region button.			
	Expansion Region			
•	• The Input and Output Expansion Nodes are located under the Object Node button			
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	∃ Object Flow	3 🗆	Central Buffer Node	
	😕 Control Flow	30	Data Store Node	
	Send Signal Action	Ð	Activity Parameter Node	
	Accept Event Action	P	Input Expansion Node	
	🔀 Time Event	血	Output Expansion Node	
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To display Expansion Nodes on the Expansion Region border:

- 1. Select the Expansion Region shape of the Expansion Nodes you want to display.
- Perform one of the following steps:
 From the shortcut menu, select Display > Display Expansion Nodes.

- On the diagram toolbar, click and select **Display Expansion Nodes.**

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