

## Comparison Chart

Now you can define, design, and deliver automated processes that drive your business by linking people, processes, and information with ease. Choose Altiris™ Workflow Solution or Altiris Workflow Solution Advanced from Symantec to meet your organization's specific workflow automation requirements.

### Key features and benefits

Feature	Benefit	Workflow Solution	Workflow Solution Advanced
<b>Workflow Engine</b> provides advanced logic to address process complexities.	Allows users to focus on the process—not on the tools.	✓	✓
<b>Workflow Designer</b> is a drag-and-drop interface that simplifies the design process.	Creates automation quickly through a rich graphical interface that delivers results fast without coding.	✓	✓
<b>Components Generator</b> , a wizard-driven interface, features 18 different application-access capabilities—including Web services, SQL, Oracle®, and flat files—that can be integrated into the existing infrastructure.	Enables organizations to leverage their infrastructure investments by creating reusable components tied directly to their environments.	✓	✓
<b>Advanced Workflow Components</b> enable the development of sophisticated workflows requiring simultaneous approvals, such as those for change management processes, and custom-built forms for integrating mobile users seamlessly.	Provide an automation environment that accommodates all business process needs regardless of their complexity.	✓	✓
<b>Task List</b> delivers an end-user view of the workflow portal, allowing actors to process tasks as part of a workflow. For instance, managers reviewing time-off, hardware, or new hire requests can log in to the portal to see which tasks require action.	Gives end users access to workflow status and enables managers to batch requests and accelerate processes. Additionally, provides a management repository for automated document distribution.		✓
<b>Process Manager</b> is a licensed portal that provides visibility across the entire workflow process. Administrators can manage workflows by running reports that show workflow status, including number of times a workflow has run, any processing problems, origin of requests, and other metrics to help optimize processes.	Allows administrators to understand workflow performance from end to end, eliminate bottlenecks and inefficiencies, and implement process improvement strategies.		✓
<b>Mobile Forms</b> are specialized components that have been optimized for presenting information to workflow participants using mobile devices.	Enables the design of easy-to-use forms, giving mobile users the ability to receive and act on information in a timely manner regardless of location.		✓
<b>Server Clustering</b> enables load balancing between servers to accommodate large data processing demands for complex workflows. A robust messaging bus allows a single workflow and processes to be geographically distributed and run across multiple servers and locations.	Increases the availability of workflows in distributed environments and eliminates downtime risk associated with a single point of failure.		✓
<b>Service Catalog</b> provides documentation that shows end users which workflows are available and which actions are driven through automated processes.	Identifies key workflow automation services provided to the organization and provides a single repository for understanding and accessing those services.		✓