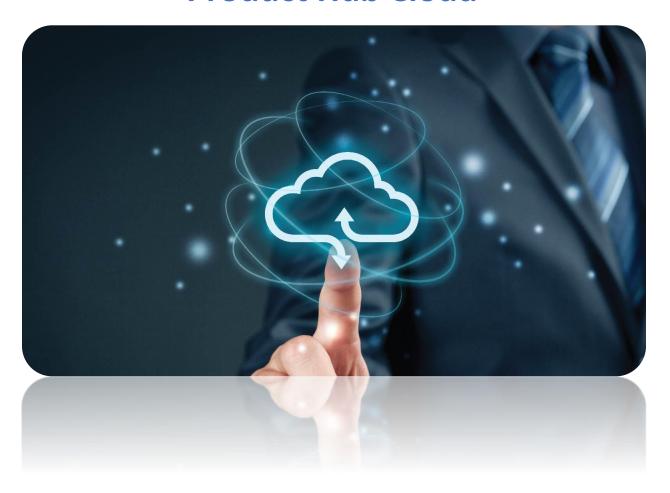


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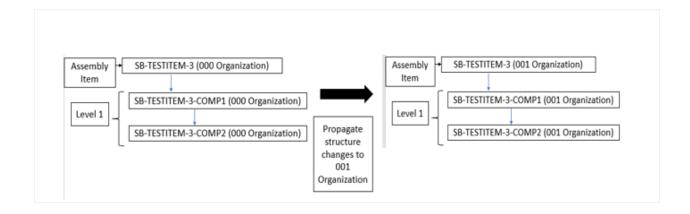
Objective:

This blog will help to understand how to propagate the structure (BOM) changes from one organization to another organization with help of change order in Product Data Hub.

Structure changes:

Propagation is only applicable for commercialization change orders and you can only propagate structure changes.

Let us consider SB-TESTITEM-3 is item existing in 000 organization.SB-TESTITEM-3-COMP1 and SB-TESTITEM-3-COMP2 are components to be added with help of change order at level 1 in structure for 000 organization. SB-TESTITEM-3 item also exists in 001 organization. So same change order can be created to copy the structure with level 1 components from 000 to 001 organization. User needs to make sure that component items also exists in 001 organization.



Business Scenario:

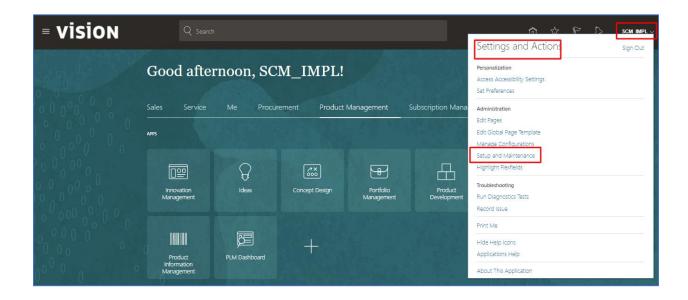
Now suppose user wants to implement item structure changes in multiple organizations by propagating change orders to other organizations. User can achieve this with help of propagation rules thus eliminating need to create change order for each organization. Thus it saves time to create same structure in another organization and also creating change order.



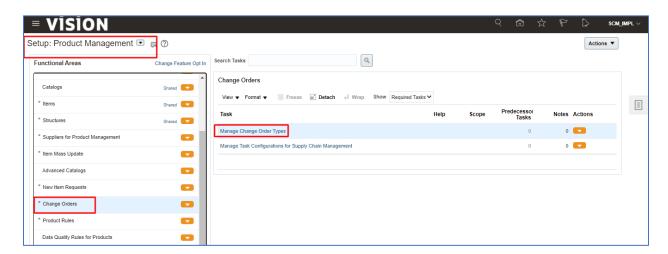
Setup and Process Flow:

Let us define the change order with propagation rules for change order type.

1) On the home page click on the user name dropdown for Settings and Actions menu, then click on Setup and Maintenance link.

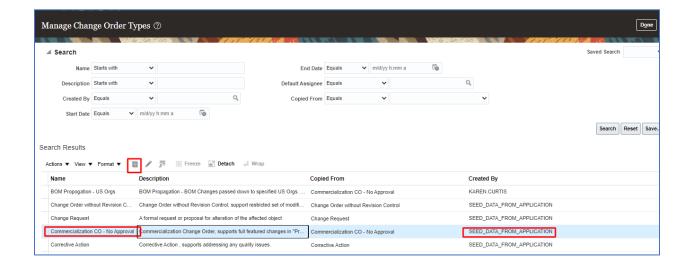


2) Under the Setup dropdown select Product Management. Select Functional area as Change Orders. On the right click on the task Manage Change Order Types.

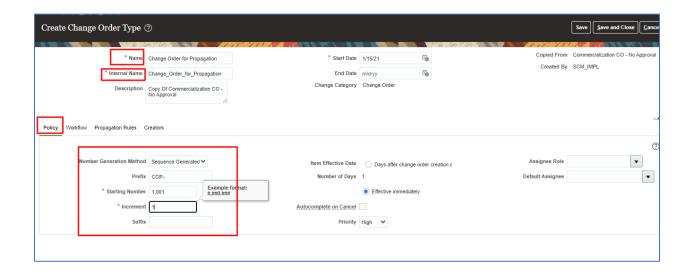




3) Highlight the row for Commercialization CO- No Approval change order type name available in system as predefined change order type and click on Duplicate icon.

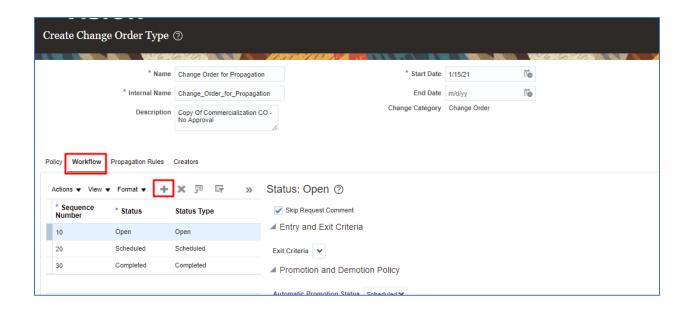


4) Enter the Name and Internal Name for change order. Under the Policy tab select the change order number generation details.

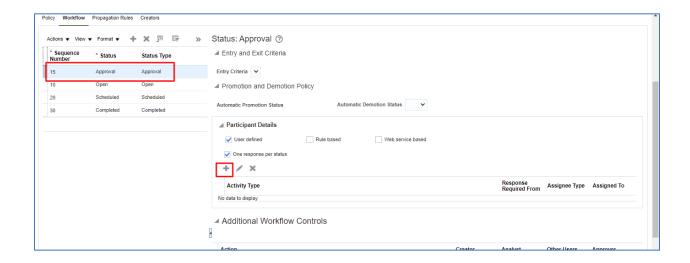




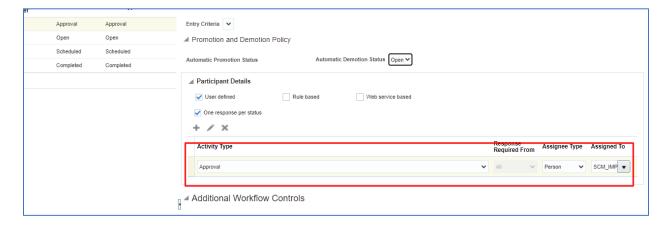
5) Click on the Workflow tab and click on + icon to add row for Approval Status



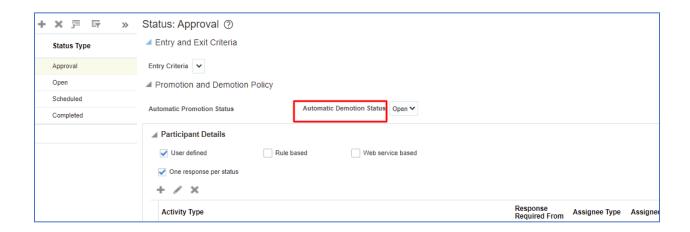
6) Highlight the row for Approval status and click on + icon to add participant's details to approve the change order







8) Select Automatic Demotion status as Open

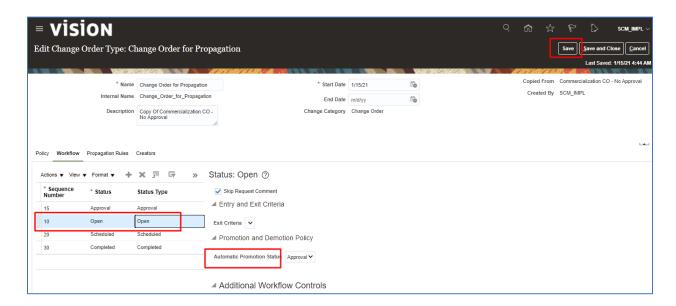


9) Click on Save button

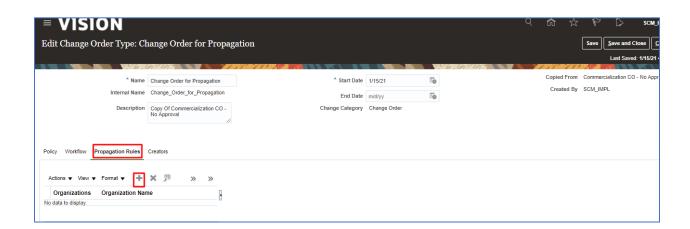




10) Highlight the row for Open status. Select Automatic Promotion Status as Approval from the dropdown and click on Save button.

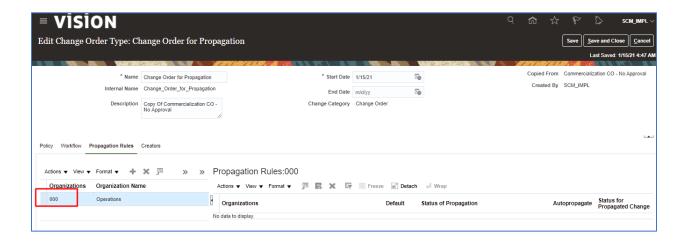


11) Click on Propagation Rules tab and then click on + icon to add row

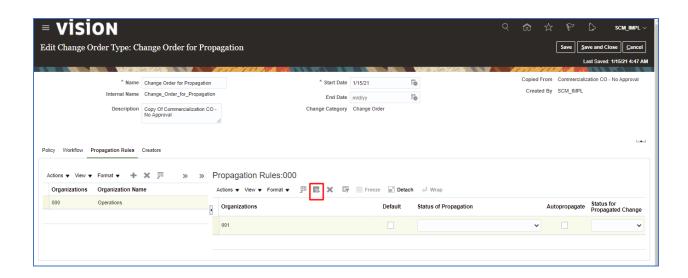




12) Select the Organization from where the structure changes needs to be propagated. For eg. 000



13) Create Propagation rules for organization 000 by clicking on Select and Add icon



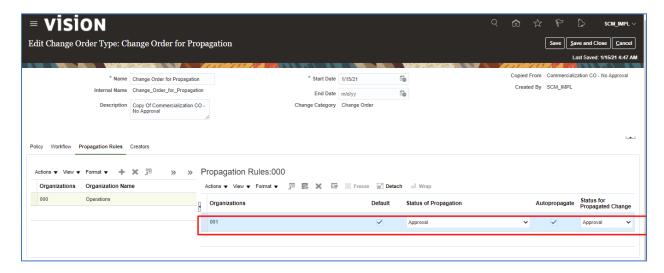
14) Highlight the row for organization 001 and enter the details below

Check the **Default** flag to set the rule as default for structure changes propagation

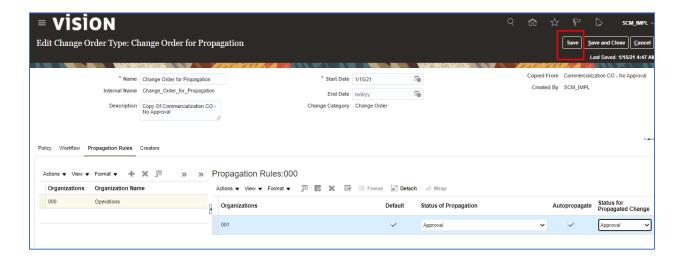
Status of Propagation as Approval i.e. when change order for organization 000 is in Approval status change order for organization 001 needs to be created

Status for Propagated Change as Approval i.e when change order is created for organization 001 it should be in Approval status.

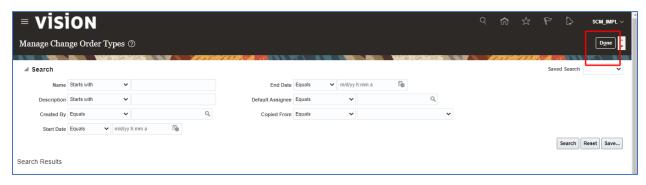




15) Click on Save button



16) Click on Done button



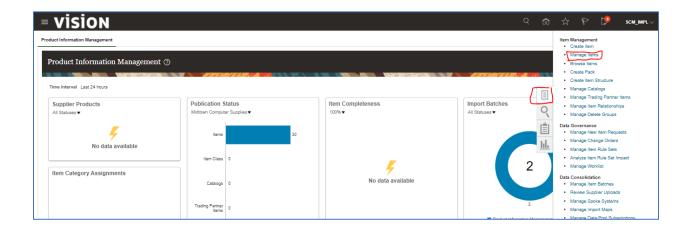
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17) Navigate to home page and click on Product Information Management

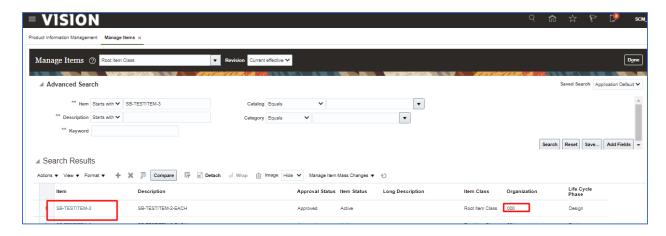


18) Click on task panel and click on link for Manage Items

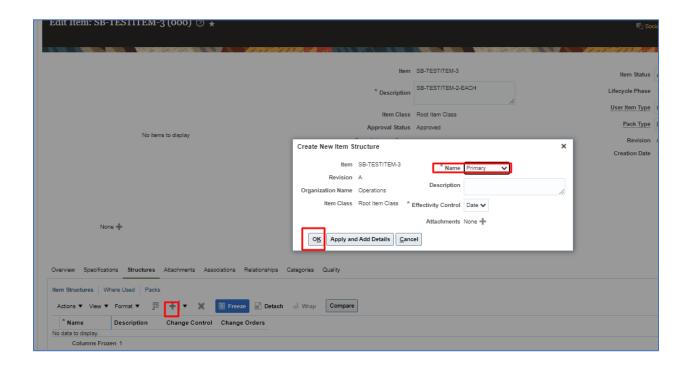


19) Search for the item in 000 organization and open the item in edit mode by clicking on item link in search results



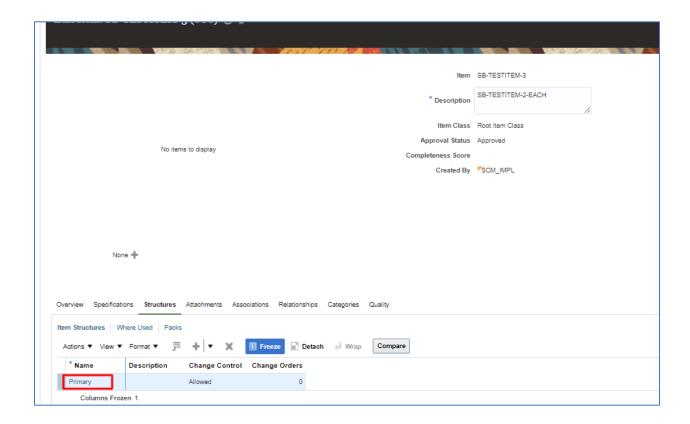


- 20) Click on Structures tab
- 21) Click on + icon to create Primary Structure with assembly item. Enter Name as Primary and click OK button.

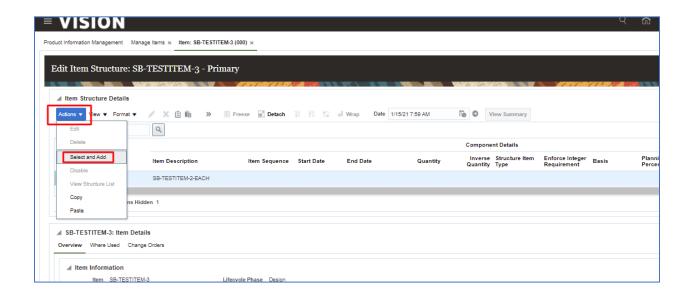




22) Click on Primary link



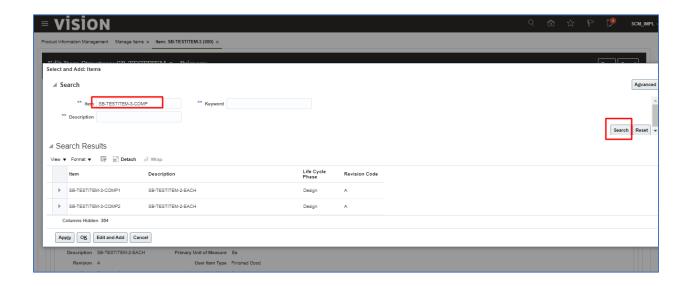
23) Click on Action and click Select and Add from dropdown.



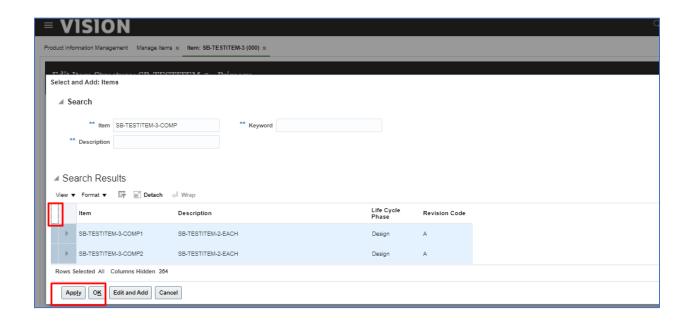
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24) Search for the component items by entering item details and clicking on Search button

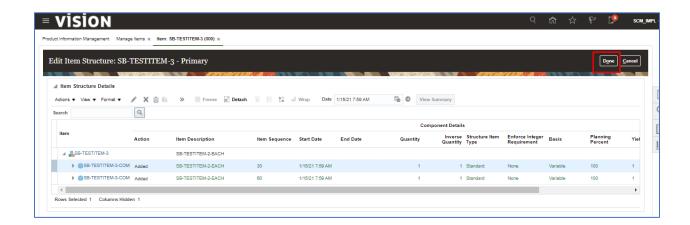


25) Click on the section highlighted and then click on Apply and then OK button to select multiple items from the search results section.

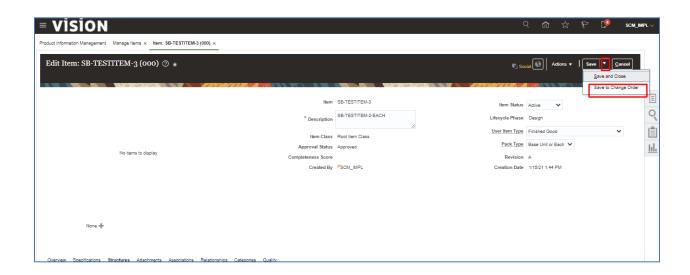




26) Click on Done button

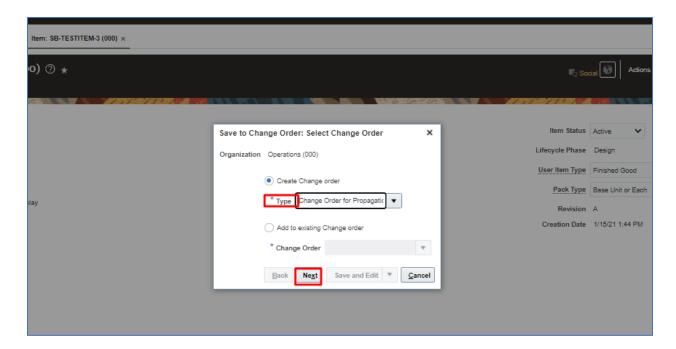


27) Click on triangle next to Save button and select Save to Change Order from the dropdown

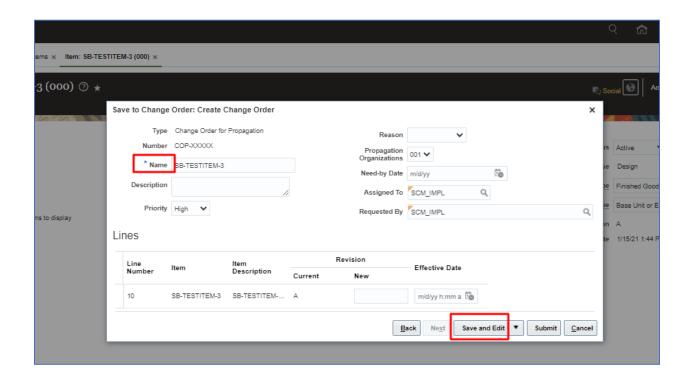


28) Select the type of change order already created and click on Next button



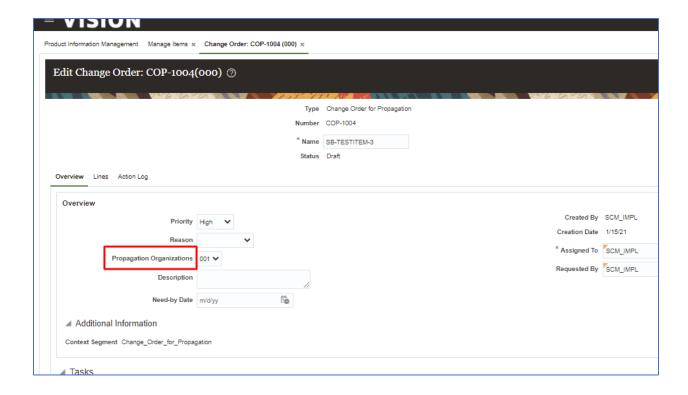


29) Enter the Name for the change order and click on Save and Edit button

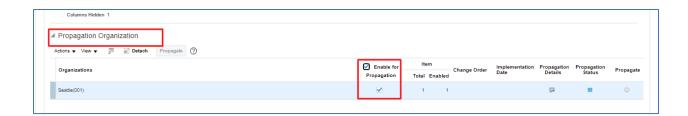




30) Check the propagation organization selected as 001

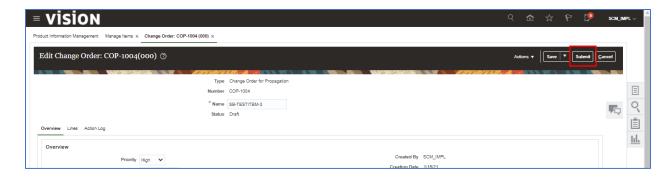


31) Drill down to Propagation Organization section and enable the organization for propagation.

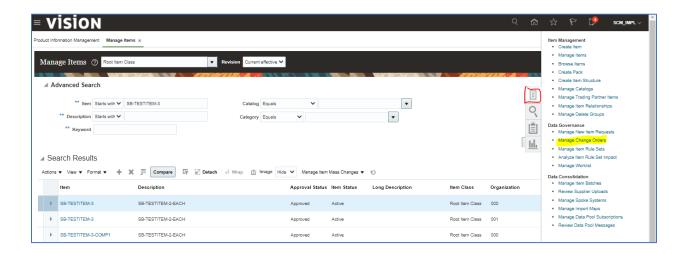


32) Click on Submit button to submit the change order.

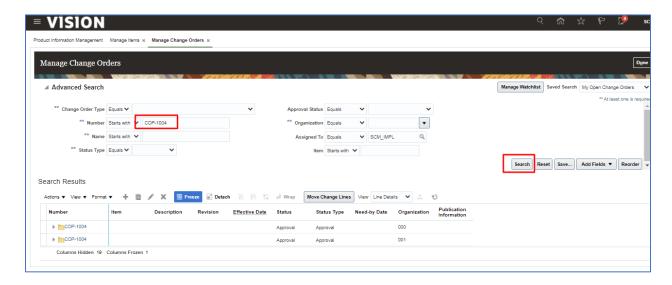




33) Click on task panel and click on Manage Change Orders page



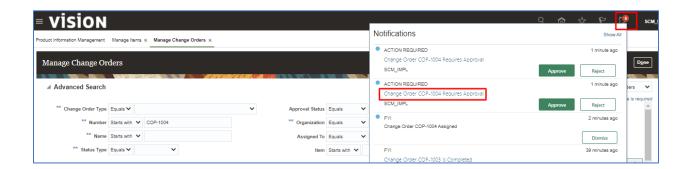
34) Search for the change order by entering change order number and clicking on Search button



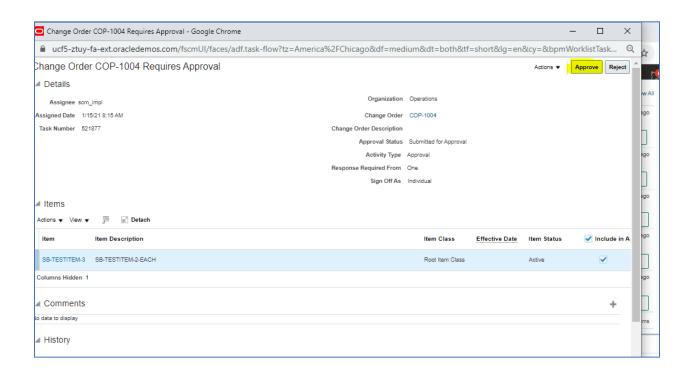
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35) Click on notification bell icon and click on notification to approve change order for 000 organization.

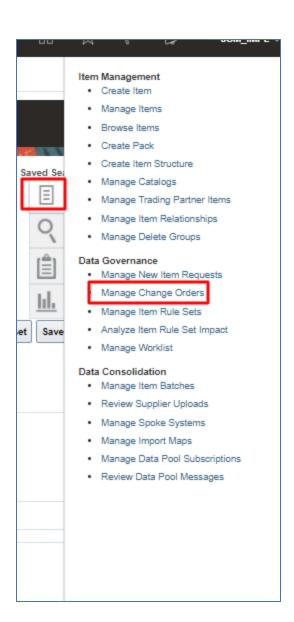


36) Click on Approve button to approve change order



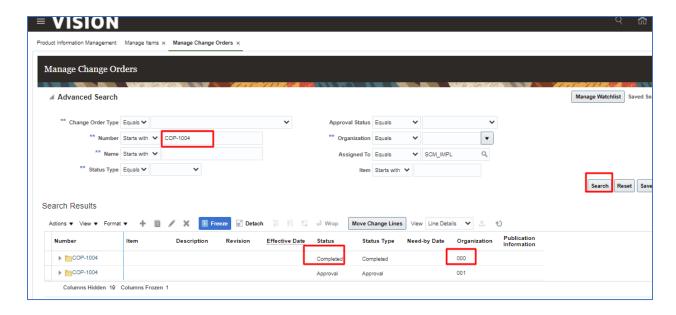
37) Click on the task panel. Click on Manage Change Orders page by clicking on the link





38) Search for the change order with change order number and click on Search button.

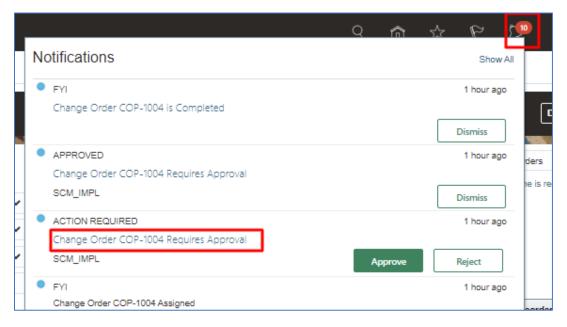




Now you can see two change orders (000 and 001 organizations) with same number where change order for 000 organization is completed and change order for 001 organization is still in Approval status.

Note: Master organization and child organization change orders on same item cannot be scheduled in parallel because there can be master controlled attributes that are propagated to child organizations and hence may result in lock errors. Therefore, effective date for lines between two change orders must be at least 30 minutes.

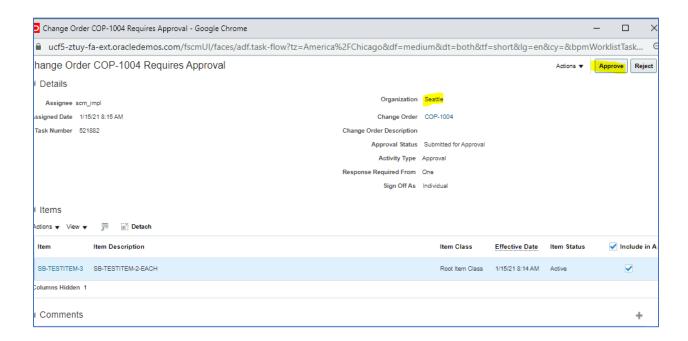
39) Click on the notification bell icon and change order requires approval link for 001 organization.



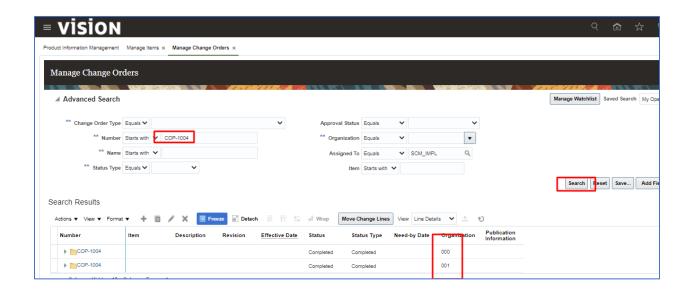
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40) Approve the change order by clicking on Approve button for 001(Seattle) organization

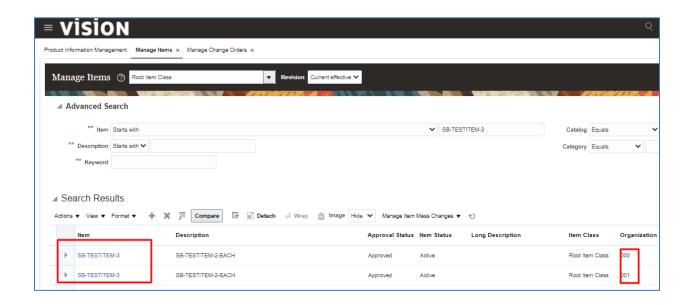


41) Search for the change order again through Manage Change Orders page through task panel. Now the change orders in both the organizations are in Completed status.

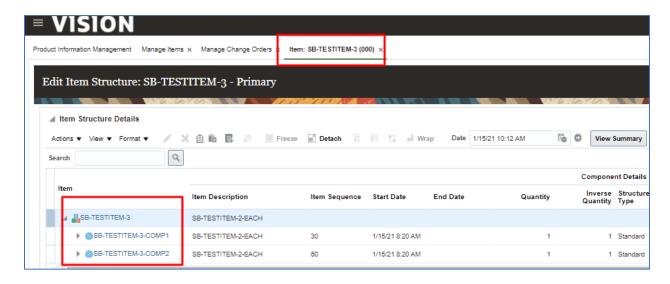




42) Now verify the items by opening them in edit mode through Manage Items link available in task panel.

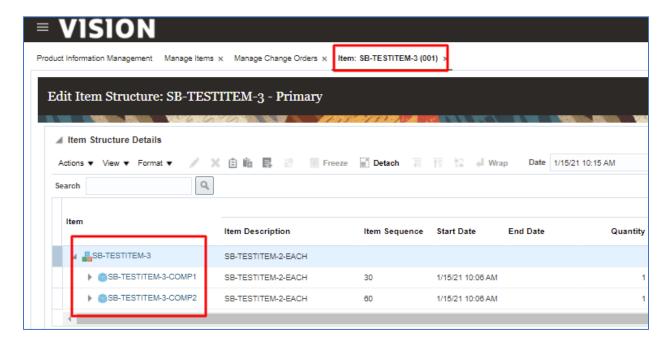


Below is the structure for 000 organization



Below is the structure for 001 organization. Structure changes have been successfully propagated from 000 organization to 001 organization





Conclusion:

Thus we can create structure changes with help of change order in one organization and propagate structure changes to other organizations with the help of change orders.

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