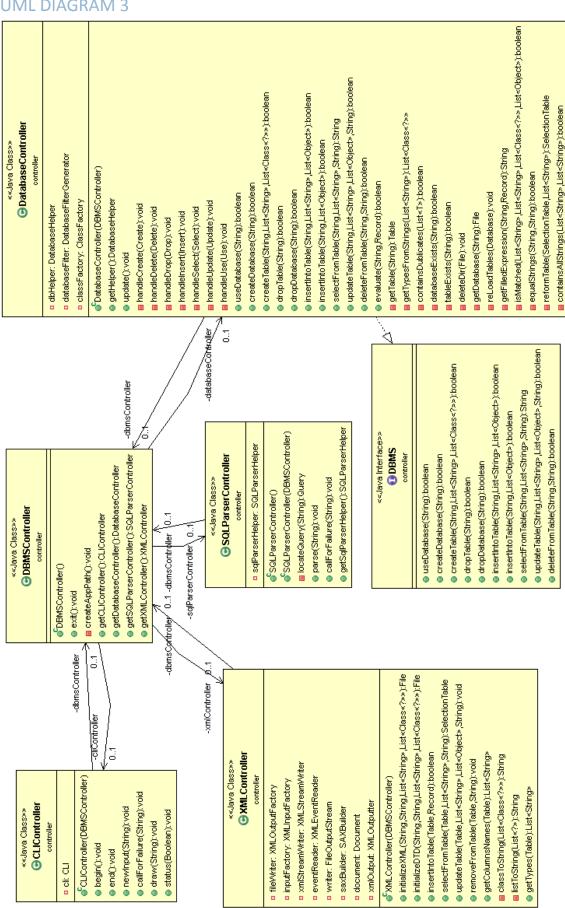
# XML DBMS APPLICATION REPORT

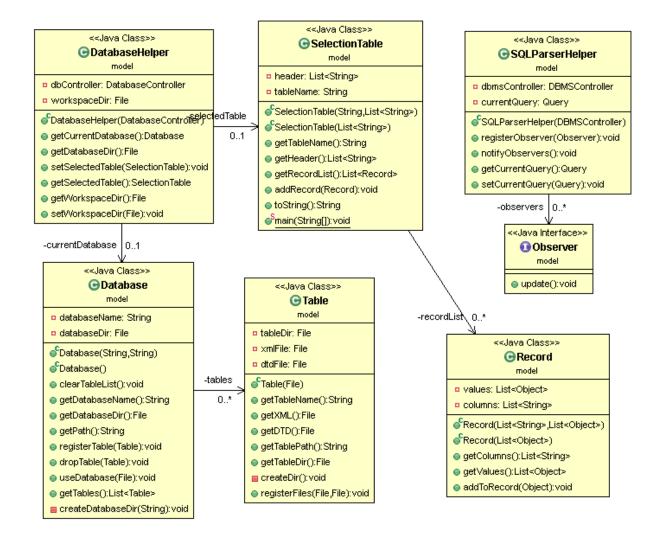
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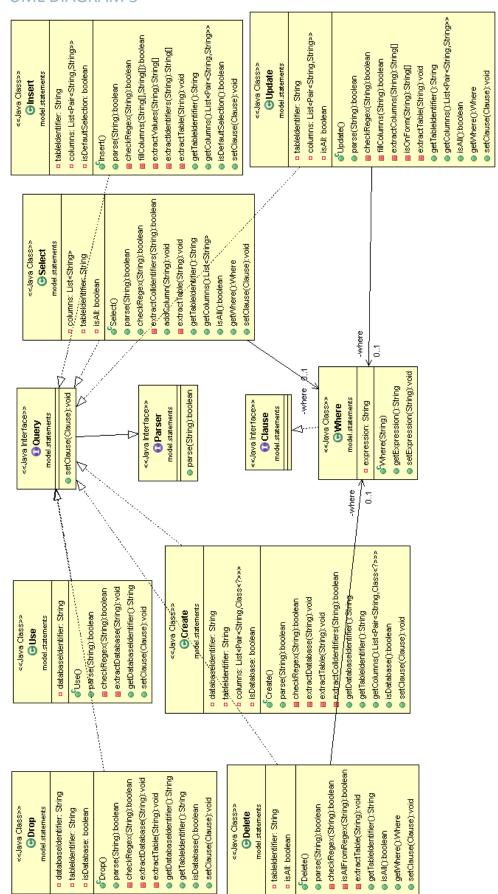
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### **INTRODUCTION**

This project is a simple database management system that takes as input SQL statements from the user in the terminal window and parses executes them handling data stored in XML files.

The supported SQL statements are as follow:

- Create database
- Create table
- Insert into table
- Delete from table
- Drop database
- Drop table
- Select from table
- Update table
- Use table

Each table in a database is stored in two files, an XML file for the data, and a DTD file for the table structure.

# **USER GUIDE**

Upon launching the project the user is presented with a prompt displaying his current directory.

SQL statements are case insensitive. The user enters any of the supported SQL statements and the parser evaluates them. If the statement is false the user is notified with an appropriate error message. Else the parser executes the statement.

Before beginning to deal with tables, the user should enter the USE statement to select the database first.

### **DESIGN**

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The main interface of the application is the DBMS interface which contains the following methods:
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public boolean useDatabase(String databaseName);

public boolean createDatabase(String databaseName);

public boolean createTable(String tableName, List<String> colNames, List<Class<?>> types);

public boolean dropTable(String tableName);

public boolean dropDatabase(String databaseName);

public boolean insertIntoTable(String tableName, List<String> colNames, List<String> values);

public boolean insertIntoTable(String tableName, List<String> values);

public String selectFromTable(String tableName, List<String> colNames, String condition);

public boolean updateTable(String tableName, List<String> colNames, List<String> values, String condition);

public boolean deleteFromTable(String tableName, String condition);

The database controller implements this interface.

#### XML CONTROLLER

Applies the queries on the XML files of the database directly.

#### **BOOLEAN EVALUATOR**

Evaluates a Boolean expression returning true, false or throws an exception if the expression is invalid.

## **REGEX EVALUATOR**

Evaluates a given pattern on a given string and return matching groups.

## **SQLPARSERCONTROLLER**

Parses the input SQL statements and check the syntax. If correct create a query object and pass it to the SQLParserHelper.

#### **SQLPARSERHELPER**

Receives a query object from the SQLParserController and notifies the database controller.

## **XMLPARSER**

Data are written on hard desk and being operated on using SAX, STAX and DOM XML Parsers.

# **OOP CONCEPTS**

### **DESIGN PATTERNS**

#### **OBSERVER DESIGN PATTERN**

Used with the SQL parser to notify the database controller that the user has entered a new statement, and that the XML parser should execute the statement and update the files on disk if necessary.

#### **FACTORY DESIGN PATTERN**

ClassFactory: given a string representing a class name returns an object of that class if it is a valid data type class supported by the application.

ObjectFactory: given a string representing a specific data type, returns an object of that datatype after casting/parsing it.

#### MVC

The project uses the MVC design pattern where the model represents the factories, the table columns, the records and the table. In addition, the model represents the classes of the different statements and the where condition.

The view part consists of the CLI class responsible for displaying the prompts and asking the controller to print the table.

The controller consists mainly of 2 classes. The SQLParser which is responsible for parsing the statements and creating appropriate query objects depending on the statement. The second main part in the controller is the database controller which implements the main interface of the application, the DBMS interface. This class executes the statements. The XML controller is also a main class which deals with the data of the tables stored on the disk.

# **ASSUMPTIONS & EXTRA FEATURES**

- Equality is supported only using "==" sign.
- Support AND, OR and NOT operations using literals or signs.
- All comparisons are supported "<=", ">=", "==", "!=", ">", "<".

## **SCREENSHOTS**

• Creating a database, use it, create a table into it and insert two new records.

• Using a previously stored database with selecting a table.