ETL Process for Cal eStore Prototype

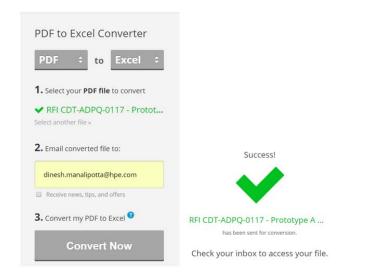
The following graphic depicts the Extract Transform Load (ETL) process the HPE team utilized in developing the Cal eStore prototype.



The following narrative and graphical depictions show the steps in more detail.

Data Conversion

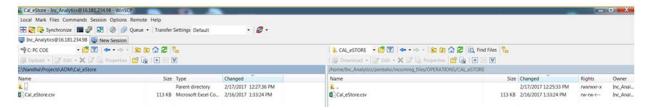
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Resources.pdf provided in GitHub for
prototype A was not a MYSQL DB
(database) consumable format;
therefore we used an open source PDF
to Excel conversion tool. This tool can
be found at
https://www.pdftoexcelonline.com/en/
— to extract the data and convert it to a



Data Loading

.csv file.

We converted the input Excel file into .csv format, then moved the file to a server drop zone where it was loaded into the database using the WinScp tool.



Business Rules

The Prototype A use case requires a comparison of products and services, as well as grouping into high-level categories like Hardware, Software and Services. Data in the *RFI CDT-ADPQ-0117 - Prototype A Resources.pdf* file is **not** conducive for item comparison and application layout. For example, hardware product aspects like product name, operating system, processor, memory, storage, warranty, connectivity type, HDD RPM, and RAM type, were merged together in a single column "Item description." The same issue was there for all other products and services in the resource .pdf file.

To efficiently parse the item description text, we created an Extract, Transform and Load (ETL) process. The ETL process required development of business rules to ensure consistent parsing of the data.

NOTE: The following example is for illustration purposes and is not a complete list of business rules.



Business Rule Objective	Description	Applicable Column	Rank
	BR1. When the Horizontal Category equal to Configuration (Hardware) and Category equal to (Standard Desktop		
Divide each records in to three Product Types (Hardware,	Hardware or Workstation Hardware or Thin Client Hardware or Power Desktop Hardware or All in One	Product_Type	
Software and Services) and Product Category	Hardware) then Product type equal to "Hardware" and Product Category equal to "Desktop"	Product_Category	1
	When the item description contains "DDPE" then Product type equal to "Software" and Product Category equal		
	to "Date Encryption"		
	When the item description contains "Computrace" and then Product type equal to "Software" and Product		
	Category equal to "Device & Data Security"		
,, ,	When the item description contains "Intel Standard Manageability" or "INTEL VPRO"" and then Product type	Product_Type	
Software and Services) and Product Category		Product_Category	2
	BR2. When the Item Description contains = (FHD and LCD or LED and HD or Widescreen or Touchscreen or		
	EliteDisplay or LED and FHD or 4K and LCD) and Sub_Category_Detail (Upgrades or Upgrade or MONITOR) then	Product_Type	
Software and Services)	Product type equal to "Hardware" and Product Category equal to "Monitor"	Product_Category	3
Create the product name for each record		Product_Name	4
	BR4. When the Horizontal Category equal to Configuration (Hardware) and Category equal to (Integrated		
	Microphone or External Speakers or Business Speakers or Wireless Headset or Stereo Speakers or LCD Speakers)	Product_Type	
Software and Services) and Product Category		Product_Category	5
	BR5. When the Horizontal Category equal to Configuration (Hardware) and Category equal to (DVD ROM or		
	External Drive or Optical Disk Drive or USB DVDRW Drive) then Product type equal to "Hardware" and Product	Product_Type	
Software and Services) and Product Category	Category equal to "DVD Drive"	Product_Category	6
	BR6. When the Horizontal Category equal to Configuration (Hardware) and Category equal to (NVIDIA Quadro or		
	AMD Radeon or AMD Graphics card or AMD R5) then Product type equal to "Hardware" and Product Category	Product_Type	
Software and Services) and Product Category	equal to "Graphics Card"	Product_Category	7
	BR7. When the Horizontal Category equal to Configuration (Hardware) and Category equal to (Solid State Drive		
	or Hard disk Drive or Optical Disk Drive) then Product type equal to "Hardware" and Product Category equal to	Product_Type	
Software and Services) and Product Category		Product_Category	8
	0.71	Display Size	
	numerical (14" or 15" or 15.6" or 17.3" or 19" or 19.5" or 21" or 22" or 23" or 24" or 28" or 30") in the Item		
Create the Display Attributes for comparison	Description to a new attribute Disply_Size		9
		Display_Type	
Create the Display Attributes for comparison	or LED) in the Item Description to a new attribute Disply_Type		10
	BR10. When the Product type equal to "Hardware" and Product Category equal to "Monitor" then move the (4K	Display_Definition_Type	
Create the Display Attributes for comparison	or FHD or HD) in the Item Description to a new attribute Display_Definition_Type		11
	BR10. When the in the Item Description contain the word Warranty then move the [(Numeric and year	Warranty	
Create the Warranty Attributes for comparison	description) and (Lifetime)] to a new attribute "Warranty"		12

ETL Job Steps

We triggered the shell script 'job_cal_eStore_load.sh' to load the data through the ETL job.

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Inc_Analytics@IAS-RHEL:~/pentaho/Scripts/Cal_eStore

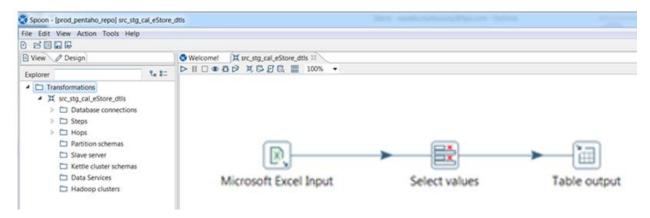
[Inc_Analytics@IAS-RHEL Cal_eStore]$ pwd
/home/Inc_Analytics/pentaho/Scripts/Cal_eStore
[Inc_Analytics@IAS-RHEL Cal_eStore]$ ls -ltr
total 4
-rw-rw-r--. 1 Inc_Analytics Inc_Analytics 1349 Nov 8 13:59 job_cal_eStore_load.sh
[Inc_Analytics@IAS-RHEL Cal_eStore]$ sh job_cal_eStore_load.sh
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The following depictions describe the individual steps in the ETL process.



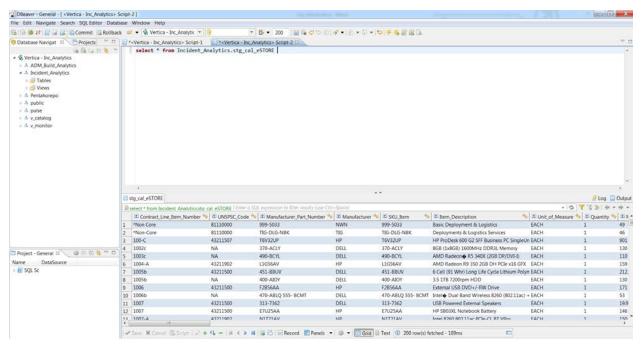
Step 1 — ETL staging job

This job reads data from .csv file and loads it into a staging table.



Step 2 — Staging table

Data was successfully loaded into the staging table 'stg_Cal_eStore'.



Step 3 — Facts and Dimension tables for Cal eStore

The ETL job in the following example reads data from the staging table, sorts by dimensions, and loads the sorted data to various dimension tables.



Records for Cal eStore were successfully loaded into dimension tables as illustrated in the following example.

