

Course Number: 420-DA3-AS  
Course Title: Multi-tier Applications Development  
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## **Formative Evaluation**

### **LAB 4**

## **Creating and Using the Entity Framework**

**Due Date: November 15, 2022 (Demo in class and submission via LEA)**

### **Objective**

- Basic concepts of Conceptual Model
- Mapping Model and Storage Model
- Creating an Entity Data Model
- Using the Entity Data Model Designer
- Using LINQ to Entities.

### **Performance criteria**

- 1.2 Proper identification of the tasks to be carried out
  - 2.2 Proper configuration of the target platform
  - 3.1 Proper creation or adaptation of the local or remote database
  - 3.2 Proper insertion of initial or test data
  - 3.3 Compliance with the data model
  - 4.1 Appropriate choice and use of graphic elements for display and input
  - 4.3 Adaptation of the interface based on the display format and resolution
  - 5.2 Proper programming of interactions between the graphical user interface and the user
  - 5.3 Appropriate choice of clauses, operators, commands or parameters in database queries
  - 5.4 Correct handling of database data
  - 6.1 Precise application of test plans in the emulator and on the target platform
  - 6.3 Relevance of the corrective actions
- Critical thinking, methodical, analytic and synthetic;
  - Programming efficiency;
  - Autonomy, initiative.
  - Time management

## Part I: Creating the Database with SQL Server 2017

Database Name: **EmployeeProjectDB**

Tables:

- **Employees**

	Column Name	Data Type	Allow Nulls
🔑	EmployeeId	int	<input type="checkbox"/>
	FirstName	nvarchar(30)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	LastName	nvarchar(50)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	PhoneNumber	nvarchar(15)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Email	nvarchar(100)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
▶			<input type="checkbox"/>




	EmployeeId	FirstName	LastName	PhoneNumber	Email
	1111	Joe	Brown	(514)111-1111	joeBrown@gmail.com
	2222	Mary	Brown	(514)222-2222	maryBrown@yahoo.com
	3333	Antony	Wang	(514)333-3333	antonyWang@hotmail.com
	4444	Thomas	Moore	(514) 444-4444	yhomasMoore@yahoo.com
▶▶	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL


- **Projects**

	Column Name	Data Type	Allow Nulls
🔑	ProjectCode	nvarchar(6)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	ProjectTitle	nvarchar(70)	<input type="checkbox"/>
▶			<input type="checkbox"/>

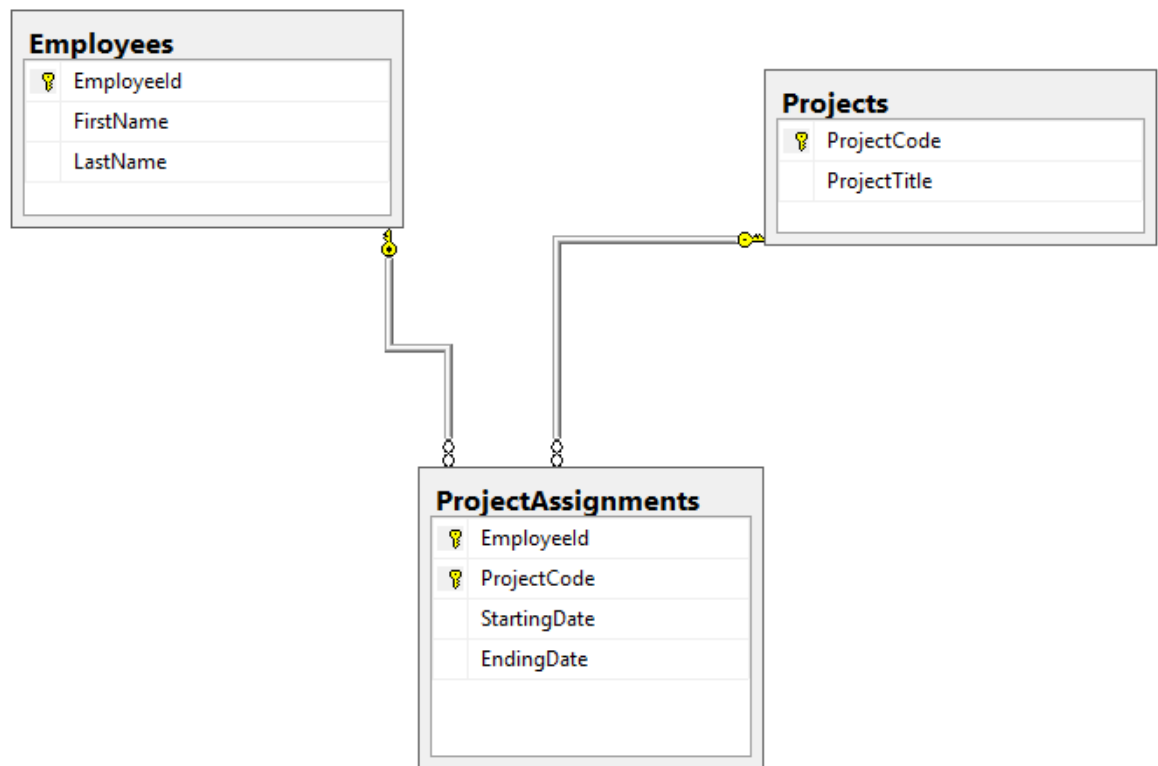
	ProjectCode	ProjectTitle
	PRJ101	On-line Course Registration
	PRJ102	Shopping Cart
	PRJ103	Student Course Management System
▶▶	NULL	NULL

- **ProjectAssignments**

	Column Name	Data Type	Allow Nulls
	EmployeeId	int	<input type="checkbox"/>
	ProjectCode	nvarchar(6)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	StartingDate	date	<input type="checkbox"/>
	EndingDate	date	<input type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="checkbox"/>

	EmployeeId	ProjectCode	StartingDate	EndingDate
	1111	PRJ101	2017-03-10	2017-05-10
	1111	PRJ103	2017-04-10	2017-06-10
	2222	PRJ101	2017-03-10	2017-05-10
	3333	PRJ103	2017-04-10	2017-06-10
	NULL	NULL	NULL	NULL

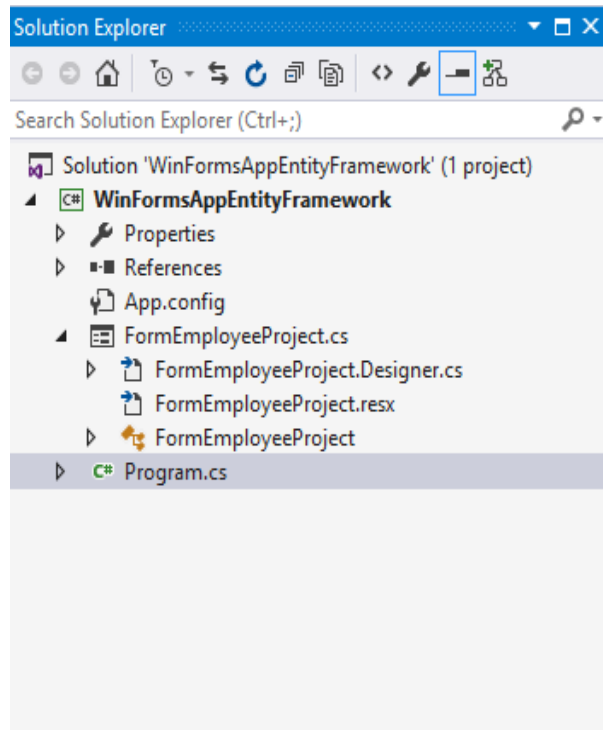
- **E-R Diagram**



## Part II: Developing Windows Form Application

### A. Creating a Windows Form Application

Project Name: **WinFormAppEntityFramework**



## B. Creating the following Form Class

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

Employee Project Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID  First Name  Last Name

(5 digits)

Phone Number  Email

Job Title

Save Update Delete List

**Search Employee**

Search by  Search

Please enter information:

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email

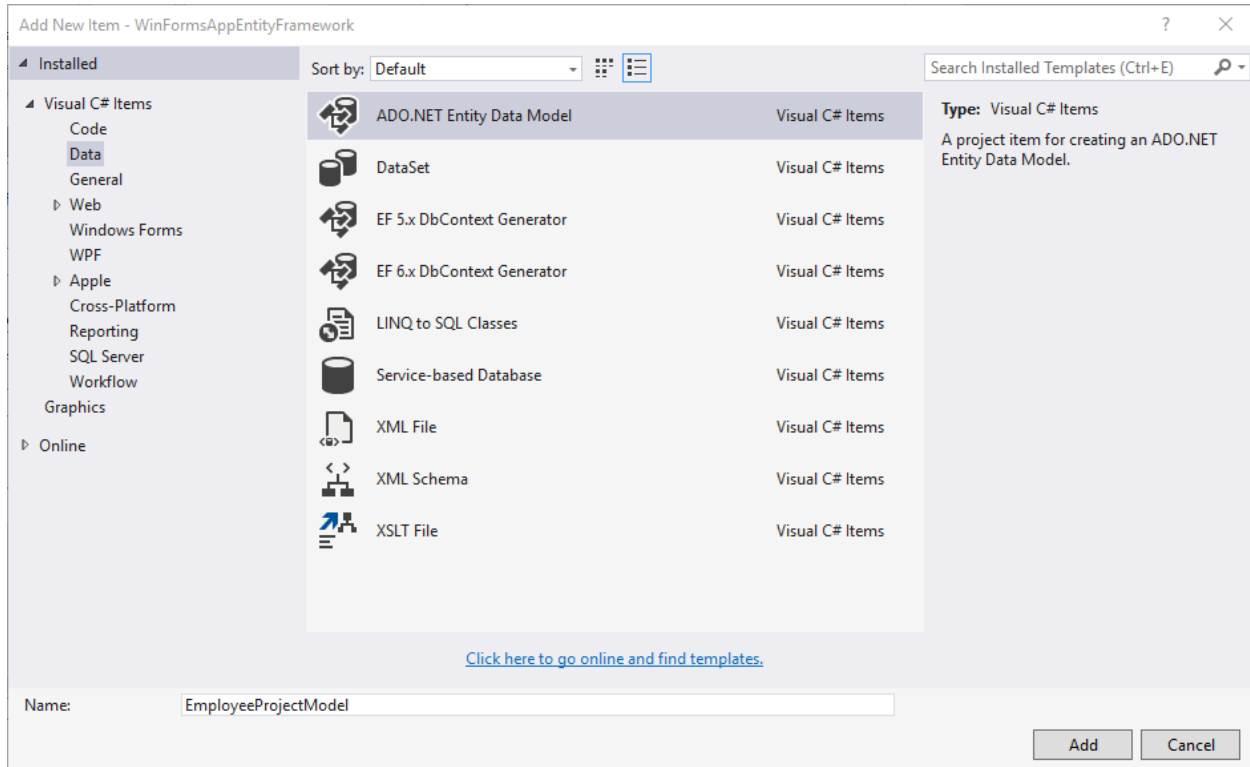
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### C. Creating and Using Entity Framework : Database First

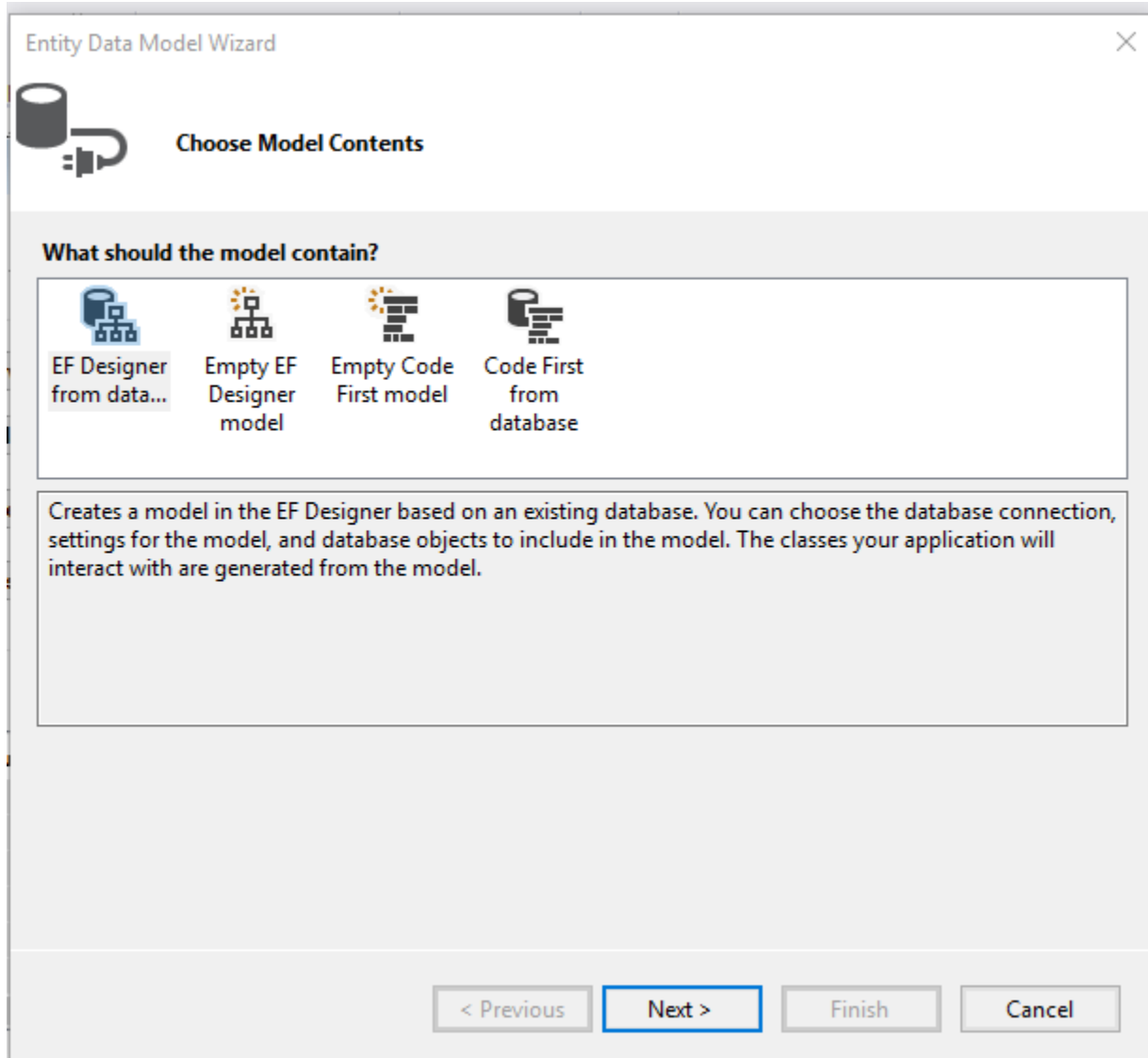
Microsoft has given the following definition of Entity Framework:

The **Microsoft ADO.NET Entity Framework is an Object/Relational Mapping (ORM) framework** that enables developers to work with relational data as domain-specific objects, eliminating the need for most of the data access plumbing code that developers usually need to write. **Using the Entity Framework, developers issue queries using LINQ, then retrieve and manipulate data as strongly typed objects.** The Entity Framework's ORM implementation provides services like change tracking, identity resolution, lazy loading, and query translation so that developers can **focus on their application-specific business logic rather than the data access fundamentals.**

## Adding ADO.NET Entity Data Model



Select **EF Designer from database (first option)**





Connection Properties

Enter information to connect to the selected data source or click "Change" to choose a different data source and/or provider.

Data source:  
Microsoft SQL Server (SqlClient) Change...

Server name:  
TITANCAO-PC\MSSQLSERVER2014 Refresh

Log on to the server

Authentication: SQL Server Authentication

User name: sa

Password: ••••••••

☐ Save my password

Connect to a database

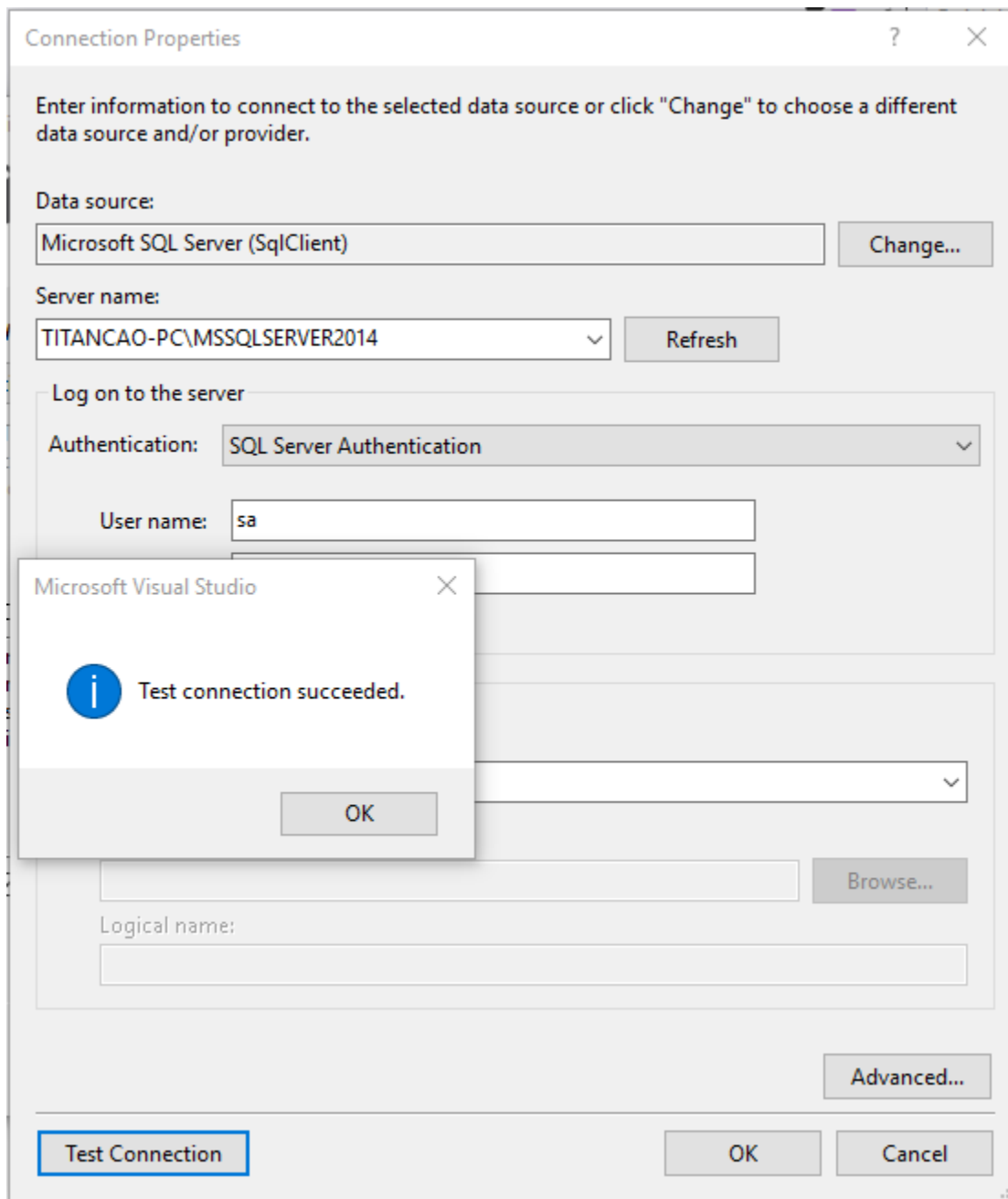
☒ Select or enter a database name:  
EmployeeProjectDB

☐ Attach a database file:  
Browse...

Logical name:

Advanced...

Test Connection OK Cancel



**Note:** Use your Server Name

**Choose Your Data Connection**

**Which data connection should your application use to connect to the database?**

titancao-pc\mssqlserver2014.EmployeeProjectDB.dbo

New Connection...

This connection string appears to contain sensitive data (for example, a password) that is required to connect to the database. Storing sensitive data in the connection string can be a security risk. Do you want to include this sensitive data in the connection string?

- ☒ No, exclude sensitive data from the connection string. I will set it in my application code.
- ☐ Yes, include the sensitive data in the connection string.

Connection string:

```
metadata=res://*/EmployeeProjectModel.csdl|res://*/EmployeeProjectModel.ssdl|
res://*/EmployeeProjectModel.msl;provider=System.Data.SqlClient;provider connection string="data
source=TITANCAO-PC\MSSQLSERVER2014;initial catalog=EmployeeProjectDB;user
id=sa;MultipleActiveResultSets=True;App=EntityFramework"
```

☒ Save connection settings in App.Config as:

EmployeeProjectDBEntities

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Finish

Cancel

**Choose Your Version**

**Which version of Entity Framework do you want to use?**

☒ Entity Framework 6.x

☐ Entity Framework 5.0

**i** It is also possible to install and use other versions of Entity Framework.  
[Learn more about this](#)

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Next >

Finish

Cancel



## Choose Your Database Objects and Settings

Which database objects do you want to include in your model?

- ☒ Tables
  - ☒ **dbo**
    - ☒ Employees
    - ☒ ProjectAssignments
    - ☒ Projects
    - ☒ sysdiagrams
- ☐ Views
- ☐ Stored Procedures and Functions

- ☒ Pluralize or singularize generated object names
- ☒ Include foreign key columns in the model
- ☒ Import selected stored procedures and functions into the entity model

Model Namespace:

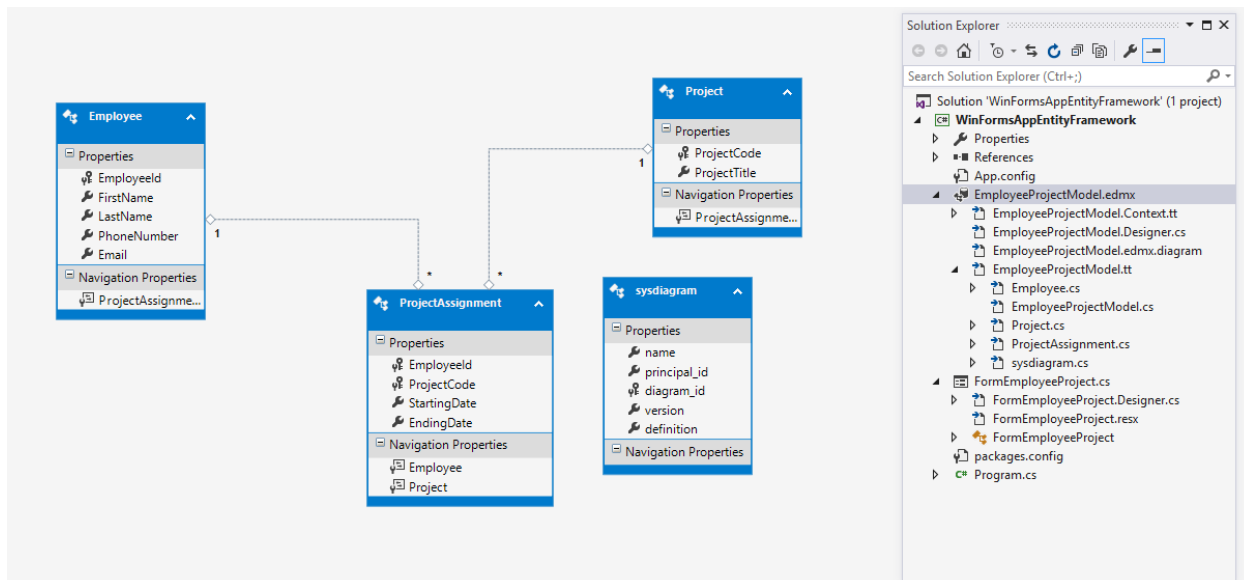
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Finish

Cancel

## Looking at the File EmployeeProjectModel.edmx



```
//-----
// <auto-generated>
//   This code was generated from a template.
//
//   Manual changes to this file may cause unexpected behavior in your application.
//   Manual changes to this file will be overwritten if the code is regenerated.
// </auto-generated>
//-----

namespace WinFormsAppEntityFramework
{
    using System;
    using System.Collections.Generic;

    public partial class Employee
    {
        [System.Diagnostics.CodeAnalysis.SuppressMessage("Microsoft.Usage",
"CA2214:DoNotCallOverridableMethodsInConstructors")]
        public Employee()
        {
            this.ProjectAssignments = new HashSet<ProjectAssignment>();
        }

        public int EmployeeId { get; set; }
        public string FirstName { get; set; }
        public string LastName { get; set; }
        public string PhoneNumber { get; set; }
        public string Email { get; set; }

        [System.Diagnostics.CodeAnalysis.SuppressMessage("Microsoft.Usage",
"CA2227:CollectionPropertiesShouldBeReadOnly")]
        public virtual ICollection<ProjectAssignment> ProjectAssignments { get; set; }
    }
}
```

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"CA2214:DoNotCallOverridableMethodsInConstructors")]
        public Project()
        {
            this.ProjectAssignments = new HashSet<ProjectAssignment>();
        }

        public string ProjectCode { get; set; }
        public string ProjectTitle { get; set; }

        [System.Diagnostics.CodeAnalysis.SuppressMessage("Microsoft.Usage",
"CA2227:CollectionPropertiesShouldBeReadOnly")]
        public virtual ICollection<ProjectAssignment> ProjectAssignments { get; set; }
    }
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// </auto-generated>
//-----

namespace WinFormsAppEntityFramework
{
    using System;
    using System.Collections.Generic;

    public partial class ProjectAssignment
    {
        public int EmployeeId { get; set; }
        public string ProjectCode { get; set; }
        public System.DateTime StartingDate { get; set; }
        public System.DateTime EndingDate { get; set; }

        public virtual Employee Employee { get; set; }
        public virtual Project Project { get; set; }
    }
}
```

## Performing **CRUD** Operations

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

**Employee** | **Project** | **Project Assignment**

**Employee Information**

Employee ID  First Name  Last Name

(5 digits)

Phone Number  Email

Job Title

**Search Employee**

Search by

Please enter information:

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email

```
using System;
using System.Collections.Generic;
using System.ComponentModel;
using System.Data;
using System.Drawing;
using System.Linq;
using System.Text;
using System.Threading.Tasks;
using System.Windows.Forms;

namespace WinFormsAppEntityFramework
{
    public partial class FormEmployeeProject : Form
    {
        public FormEmployeeProject()
        {
            InitializeComponent();
        }

        private void buttonExit_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
        {
            Application.Exit();
        }
    }
}
```



## List Employees

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

**Employee** | Project | Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Save
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Update
(4 digits)			Delete
Phone Number	Email		List
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>		

**Search Employee**

Search by  Search

Please enter information:

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email
1111	Joe	Brown	(514)111-1111	joeBrown@gmail.com
2222	Mary	Brown	(514)222-2222	maryBrown@yahoo.com
3333	Antony	Wang	(514)333-3333	antonyWang@hotmail.com
4444	Thomas	Moore	(514) 444-4444	thomasMoore@yahoo.com

<  >

Exit

```
private void buttonList_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{

}
}
```

## Save Employee

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

**Employee** | Project | Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID: 5555 | First Name: Jennifer | Last Name: Brown | **Save** | Update | Delete | List

(4 digits) | Phone Number: 555) 555-5555 | Email: jenniferBrown@gmail.com

**Search Employee**

Search by:  | Search

Please enter information:

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email
1111	Joe	Brown	(514)111-1111	joeBrown@gmail.com
2222	Mary	Brown	(514)222-2222	maryBrown@yahoo.com
3333	Antony	Wang	(514)333-3333	antonyWang@hotmail.com
4444	Thomas	Moore	(514) 444-4444	thomasMoore@yahoo.com

<  >

**Exit**

**Employee Saved**

Employee has been saved successfully

**OK**

```
private void buttonSaveEmployee_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{

}

}
```

## Search Employee

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

Employee

Project

Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID

5555

(4 digits)

First Name

Jennifer

Last Name

Brown

Phone Number

(555) 555-5555

Email

jenifferBrown@gmail.com

Save

Update

Delete

List

**Search Employee**

Search by

Employee ID

Search

Please enter information:

5555

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email
1111	Joe	Brown	(514)111-1111	joeBrown@gmail.com
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4444	Thomas	Moore	(514) 444-4444	thomasMoore@yahoo.com
5555	Jennifer	Brown	(555) 555-5555	jenifferBrown@gmail.com

Exit

```
private void buttonSearchEmployee_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{

}
```

## Update Employee

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

**Employee** | Project | Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Save
<input type="text" value="5555"/>	<input type="text" value="Jennifer"/>	<input type="text" value="Brown"/>	
(4 digits)			Update
Phone Number	Email		Delete
<input type="text" value="(666) 666-6666"/>	<input type="text" value="jenifferBrown@gmail.com"/>		
			List

**Search Employee**

Search by  
Employee ID  Search

Please enter information:

Employee Updated

Employee has been updated successfully

OK

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email
1111	Joe	Brown	(514)111-1111	joeBrown@gmail.com
2222	Mary	Brown	(514)222-2222	maryBrown@yahoo.com
3333	Antony	Wang	(514)333-3333	antonyWang@hotmail.com
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5555	Jennifer	Brown	(555) 555-5555	jenifferBrown@gmail.com

Exit

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

**Employee** | Project | Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Save
<input type="text" value="5555"/>	<input type="text" value="Jennifer"/>	<input type="text" value="Brown"/>	
(4 digits)			Update
Phone Number	Email		Delete
<input type="text" value="(666) 666-6666"/>	<input type="text" value="jenifferBrown@gmail.com"/>		
			List

**Search Employee**

Search by  
Employee ID  Search

Please enter information:

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4444	Thomas	Moore	(514) 444-4444	thomasMoore@yahoo.com
5555	Jennifer	Brown	(666) 666-6666	jenifferBrown@gmail.com

Exit

```
private void buttonUpdateEmployee_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{

}

}
```

## Delete Employee

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

Employee Project Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID: 5555 First Name: Jennifer Last Name: Brown Save Update

(4 digits)

Phone Number: (666) 666-6666 Email: jenifferBrown@gmail.com Delete List

**Search Employee**

Search by: Search

Please enter information: 5555

Employee ID	First Name	Last Name	Phone Number	Email
1111	Joe	Brown	(514)111-1111	joeBrown@gmail.com
2222	Mary	Brown	(514)222-2222	maryBrown@yahoo.com
3333	Antony	Wang	(514)333-3333	antonyWang@hotmail.com
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5555	Jennifer	Brown	(666) 666-6666	jenifferBrown@gmail.com

Exit

Employee Deleted

Employee has been deleted successfully.

OK

Employee - Project Maintenance: Using Entity Framework

Employee Project Project Assignment

**Employee Information**

Employee ID First Name Last Name Save

5555 Jennifer Brown Update

(4 digits)

Phone Number Email Delete

(666) 666-6666 jenniferBrown@gmail.com List

**Search Employee**

Search by Search

Please enter information:

5555

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Exit

```
private void buttonDelete_Click(object sender, EventArgs e)
{
    }
}
```

## Important Notes

Add a text file to your project. In this file, specify the following:

Your name :

Auto-evaluation : /100

Suggestions: