

Oracle APEX and Open Data

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Notes

The aim of this document is helping during the Workshop driven by Novoshore Europe. This document is not a formal guide, but a help source to avoid typos while adding a Web Source module to an Oracle APEX app to consume open source data from Malaga' council.

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1. Create an apex app

1. As first option, we might create an empty app
2. As second option, we might want to generate a backend model using QuickSQL > Load Emp/Dept example, and use automatic app builder to create the entire app

2. Create a REST service, consuming data from Ayuntamiento de Malaga

1. Go to Shared Components > Data Sources > Web Source Modules
2. Create New Web Data Source module > From Scratch
3. Web Source Type, using the following parameters:
Simple HTTP
Name: Bikes
URL Endpoint: [http://datosabiertos.malaga.eu/api/3/action/datastore_search_sql?sql=SELECT * from "3bb304f9-9de3-4bac-943e-7acce7e8e8f9"](http://datosabiertos.malaga.eu/api/3/action/datastore_search_sql?sql=SELECT%20*%20from%20%223bb304f9-9de3-4bac-943e-7acce7e8e8f9%22)
4. Create and Test the service

3. Consume the web service in the app

1. Create an interactive report based on the Web service
2. Do a SQL Local post processing to set an appropriate column type for Num_Libres / Num_ocupados:
to_number(NUM_OCUPADOS) as used,
to_number(NUM_LIBRES) as unused,
3. Create a computed column to show Availability > Set it as Percent graph
DECODE((to_number(NUM_OCUPADOS) + to_number(NUM_LIBRES)),0,0,
((to_number(NUM_OCUPADOS)/(to_number(NUM_OCUPADOS) +
to_number(NUM_LIBRES)))*100)) as availability
4. Modify then navigation menu entry to add an icon: fa-bicycle
5. Add a Refresh chart button (Submit)
6. Create a Dynamic Action to refresh the chart region on button click