

## Database Foundations

### 4-1: Using Oracle SQL Developer Data Modeler to Build ERDs Practices

#### Exercise 0: Installing Oracle SQL Developer Data Modeler

##### Overview

In this practice, you will install Oracle SQL Developer Data Modeler. Follow the instructions depending on whether you have a Linux or Windows or Mac operating System

##### Assumptions

Here the assumption is you have downloaded the installation files from Oracle Technology Network. You can download the files from the link provided:

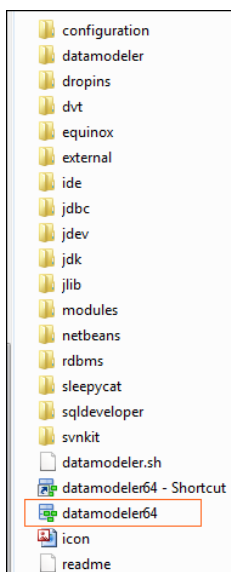
<http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/developer-tools/datamodeler/downloads/index.html>

##### Tasks

1. To install in a Windows 32-Bit or 64-Bit platform:
  - a. Ensure you have a JRE installed, if not, download the JRE from the Oracle Technology Network website

Note: The link to download the JRE is : <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html>

- b. Download Data Modeler zip file
    - c. Extract the zip file into any folder
    - d. Within that folder
    - e. Expand the datamodeler folder
    - f. Double-click datamodeler.exe for 32-bit and double-click datamodeler64.exe for 64-bit



2. To install in a Linux platform:

- a. Ensure you have a JRE installed, if not, download the JRE from the Oracle Technology

Note: The link to download the JRE is : <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html>

- b. Download the <datamodeler...noarch.rpm> file  
c. To extract the rpm file, execute the following command

```
rpm -Uhv <datamodeler...noarch.rpm>
```

- d. Assuming the rpm file has been extracted under the /opt/datamodeler folder, set the privileges :

```
chmod -R 777 /opt/datamodeler
```

- e. Run Data Modeler, login as configured user  
f. Set the timezone environment variable by executing the following command:

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export TMZ="GMT"
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3. To install in a Mac platform:

- a. Ensure you have a JRE installed.

Note the link to download the JRE is: <http://developer.apple.com/java/download/>

- b. Download the zip file (archive file)  
c. Extract the archive into any folder  
d. Double-click the OracleDataModeler.app file

## Exercise 1: Identify and Create Entities, Attributes and Relationships

### Overview

In this practice, you identify and model the entities and attributes for an Academic Database, or in other words a School Management System.

### Tasks

For your convenience, here is a summary of how the Academic Database (School Management System) works:

- A School/University has many Departments which offer courses to students in a given academic session.
- Each of these courses are taught by a faculty.
- Students enroll for different courses in an academic session.
- Besides the registration details, the parent information of the student also needs to be maintained by the University/School.
- The Department maintains the student's attendance details which would decide the eligibility of the student to take up the exams for that academic session.
- For each academic session, exams are conducted and the results are shared with the student within a stipulated period of time.
- The Department also maintains a log of the Faculty login and logout time for their reporting needs.

Here is a sample ERD:

