

# LinkML to MySQL Schema Conversion

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## Functionality delivered:

- Generation of **gk\_central.sql**, including DDL and DataModel table insert statement
- Based on comparison of **previous** and **newly generated** gk\_central.sql:
  - Generation of the following 'new vs previous' difference reports:
    - **Raw**: which tables/attributes were created and dropped. Doesn't make clear which attributes were moved or changed from single-valued to multi-valued or vice versa
    - **Processed**: makes explicit which tables/attributes are truly new/dropped, and lists precisely which attributes have been moved (e.g. from subclass to a superclass) and/or changed from single-valued to multi-valued or vice versa
  - Based on Processed difference report, generation of **gk\_central.update.sql**, including:
    - DDL update and create statements
    - Data population statements reflecting updated DDL
    - DataModel table insert statement
    - DDL drop table statements

## Usage and Testing:

- [generate.py](#) mysql → [gk\\_central.sql](#) (from [schema.yaml](#))
- Make changes in [schema.yaml](#) to reflect [test cases](#) → [schema.yaml.changed](#)
- [generate.py](#) mysql → [gk\\_central.sql.changed](#) (from [schema.yaml.changed](#))
- [compare\\_sql.py](#) [gk\\_central.sql](#) [gk\\_central.sql.changed](#) <output\_dir> generate\_update\_ddl →
  - [gk\\_central.update.sql](#)
  - Print out raw and processed difference reports (see: [gk\\_central.diffs.txt](#))

## DDL template files used for SQL generation:

- [gk\\_central.sql](#)

```
/*!40101 SET @OLD_CHARACTER_SET_CLIENT=@@CHARACTER_SET_CLIENT */;
/*!40101 SET @OLD_CHARACTER_SET_RESULTS=@@CHARACTER_SET_RESULTS */;
/*!40101 SET @OLD_COLLATION_CONNECTION=@@COLLATION_CONNECTION */;
/*!40101 SET NAMES utf8mb4 */;
/*!40103 SET @OLD_TIME_ZONE=@@TIME_ZONE */;
/*!40103 SET TIME_ZONE='+00:00' */;
/*!40014 SET @OLD_UNIQUE_CHECKS=@@UNIQUE_CHECKS, UNIQUE_CHECKS=0 */;
/*!40014 SET @OLD_FOREIGN_KEY_CHECKS=@@FOREIGN_KEY_CHECKS, FOREIGN_KEY_CHECKS=0 */;
/*!40101 SET @OLD_SQL_MODE=@@SQL_MODE, SQL_MODE='NO_AUTO_VALUE_ON_ZERO' */;
/*!40111 SET @OLD_SQL_NOTES=@@SQL_NOTES, SQL_NOTES=0 */;
```

@SCHEMA\_CONTENT@

```
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = @saved_cs_client */;
/*!40103 SET TIME_ZONE=@OLD_TIME_ZONE */;
/*!40101 SET SQL_MODE=@OLD_SQL_MODE */;
/*!40014 SET FOREIGN_KEY_CHECKS=@OLD_FOREIGN_KEY_CHECKS */;
/*!40014 SET UNIQUE_CHECKS=@OLD_UNIQUE_CHECKS */;
/*!40101 SET CHARACTER_SET_CLIENT=@OLD_CHARACTER_SET_CLIENT */;
/*!40101 SET CHARACTER_SET_RESULTS=@OLD_CHARACTER_SET_RESULTS */;
/*!40101 SET COLLATION_CONNECTION=@OLD_COLLATION_CONNECTION */;
/*!40111 SET SQL_NOTES=@OLD_SQL_NOTES */;
```

## DDL template files used for SQL generation:

- [gk\\_table.sql](#)

```
--  
-- Table structure for table `@TABLE_NAME@`  
--  
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS `@TABLE_NAME@`;  
/*!40101 SET @saved_cs_client = @@character_set_client */;  
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = utf8 */;  
CREATE TABLE `@TABLE_NAME@` (  
  @TABLE_CONTENT@  
) ENGINE=InnoDB@AUTO_INCREMENT@ DEFAULT CHARSET=utf8 COLLATE=utf8_unicode_ci;  
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = @saved_cs_client */;
```

## DDL template files used for SQL generation:

- [gk\\_class2non\\_instance\\_attr\\_table.sql](#)

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS `@CLAZZ@_2_@ATTRIBUTE@`;
/*!40101 SET @saved_cs_client = @@character_set_client */;
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = utf8 */;
CREATE TABLE `@CLAZZ@_2_@ATTRIBUTE@` (
  `DB_ID` int(10) unsigned DEFAULT NULL,
  `@ATTRIBUTE@_rank` int(10) unsigned DEFAULT NULL,
  `@ATTRIBUTE@` `@MYSQL_TYPE@`,
  KEY `DB_ID` (`DB_ID`),
  KEY `@ATTRIBUTE@` (`@ATTRIBUTE@` `@DISPLAY_WIDTH@`)
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=utf8 COLLATE=utf8_unicode_ci;
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = @saved_cs_client */;
```

## DDL template files used for SQL generation:

- [gk\\_class2instance\\_attr\\_table.sql](#)

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS `@CLAZZ@_2_@ATTRIBUTE@`;
/*!40101 SET @saved_cs_client = @@character_set_client */;
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = utf8 */;
CREATE TABLE `@CLAZZ@_2_@ATTRIBUTE@` (
  `DB_ID` int(10) unsigned DEFAULT NULL,
  `@ATTRIBUTE@_rank` int(10) unsigned DEFAULT NULL,
  `@ATTRIBUTE@` int(10) unsigned DEFAULT NULL,
  `@ATTRIBUTE@_class` varchar(64) COLLATE utf8_unicode_ci DEFAULT NULL,
  KEY `DB_ID` (`DB_ID`),
  KEY `@ATTRIBUTE@` (`@ATTRIBUTE@`)
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=utf8 COLLATE=utf8_unicode_ci;
/*!40101 SET character_set_client = @saved_cs_client */;
```

## SQL generation-specific schema changes needed:

- Various attributes/slots added to effect various curation-specific overrides (e.g. constraints), but had to be excluded from both DDL (via config in [generate.py](#)) and from graph-core classes (i.e. removed explicitly in [schema.web.diff.yaml](#))
- Mysql-specific types introduced:
  - `mysql_signed_int_type` (most integer values `int(10)` unsigned in mysql, but some just `int(10)`)
  - `mysql_inverse_slot` - needed for DataModel content only
- Lines added or removed:
  - `schema.yaml`, `schema.web.diff.yaml` → 325
  - `generate.py` → 595
  - `compare_sql.py` → 462



## Assumptions and notes:

- Assumption: it's the user's responsibility to make sure that an attribute that is moved from a **superclass** down the hierarchy in linkml **is always moved to all subclasses** of that superclass. When generating update DDL, [compare\\_sql.py](#) just follows the exact changes made in [schema.yaml](#) and doesn't try to second-guess the user's intentions.
- Note that the SQL-specific changes to [schema.yaml](#) have not been reflected in [graph-core-curator](#) java classes and hence those classes should not be used.