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Literate Data Model

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Preliminaries

the basic structure of the model

In Literate Data Modeling, the main components of interest are typically Classes, Attributes, Models, and Subjects. However, to streamline the model and promote reusability, we introduce a supertype called Component. By defining common attributes and behaviors in the Component class, we can inherit them in the subclasses, ensuring consistency and reducing duplication throughout the model.

We present the Component class first because it is a best practice in modeling to introduce supertypes before their subtypes. This approach allows readers to understand the general concepts and shared properties before delving into the specifics of each specialized component.

Preliminaries

Component	
An element or building block of the literate data model	

PLURAL Components

IMPLURAL Components

DEPENDENTS [Annotation](#)

SUBTYPES [LiterateDataModel](#), [Subject](#), [Class](#), [Key](#), [AttributeSection](#), [Attribute](#), [Constraint](#), [Method](#), [ParameterAnInputToAMethod](#)

Name	the name of the component, not in camel case
	(String value O_O)

warning This is a warning with emoji

name	The name of the component
	(CamelName value O_O)

Name	(QualifiedCamel value O_O)
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Name	a short form of the component's name, used for cross references and improved readability.
	(CamelName value O_O)

example "LDM" is the short form of "Literate Data Model".

DEFAULT name - how do you say name in english?

OCL x.name == y

CONSTRAINTS the abbreviated name should be shorter than the actual name

OCL len(abbreviatedName) < len(name)

MESSAGE Why have an abbreviation longer than the name?

SEVERITY Warning

note Does this annotation find it's way to the Constraint? YES! It's fixed!

OneLiner	A brief, one-line definition or description of the component, suitable for use in a descriptive table of contents. _
	(OneLiner value O_O)

ration	A more detailed explanation or discussion of the component _
	(RichText value O_O)

ment	Indicates whether this component is an embellishment added during post-parsing processing _
	(Boolean value O_O)

DEFAULT false

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erDiagram
Annotation }o--|| Component : based_on
LiterateDataModel ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Subject ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Subject }o--|| LiterateDataModel : based_on
Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject
Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Class_ |o--o| Class_ : basedOn
Key ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Key }o--|| Class_ : based_on
AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of
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Attribute }o--|| AttributeSection : based_on
Constraint ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Method ||--|| Component : subtype_of
ParameterAnInputToAMethod ||--|| Component : subtype_of
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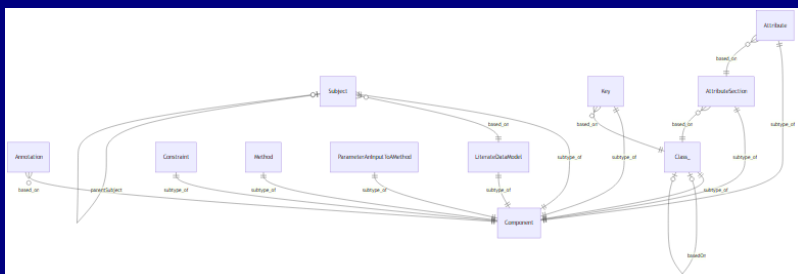
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AnnotationType

a kind of note, or aside, used to call attention to additional information about some Component.

note Each LDM declares a set of Annotation Types, with defined labels, emojis, and clearly documented purposes. These are *recognized or registered* Annotation Types.

PLURAL AnnotationTypes

IMPLIES AnnotationTypes

BASED ON [LiterateDataModel](#)

emoji an emoji
([Emoji](#) value O_O)

Name an emoji
([String](#) value O_O)

unicode the Unicode for the emoji
([String](#) value O_O)

label A short label to indicate the purpose of the annotation _
([LowerCamel](#) value O_O)

plural the plural form of the label
([UpperCamel](#) value O_O)

DEFAULT based on label

purpose the intended reason for the annotation.
([OneLiner](#) value O_O)

depends on LiterateDataModel A link back to the LiterateDataModel on which this AnnotationType depends.
([LiterateDataModel](#) value M_1)

depends on AnnotationType inverse attribute for Annotation.annotationType from which this was implied.
([Annotation](#) value M_1)

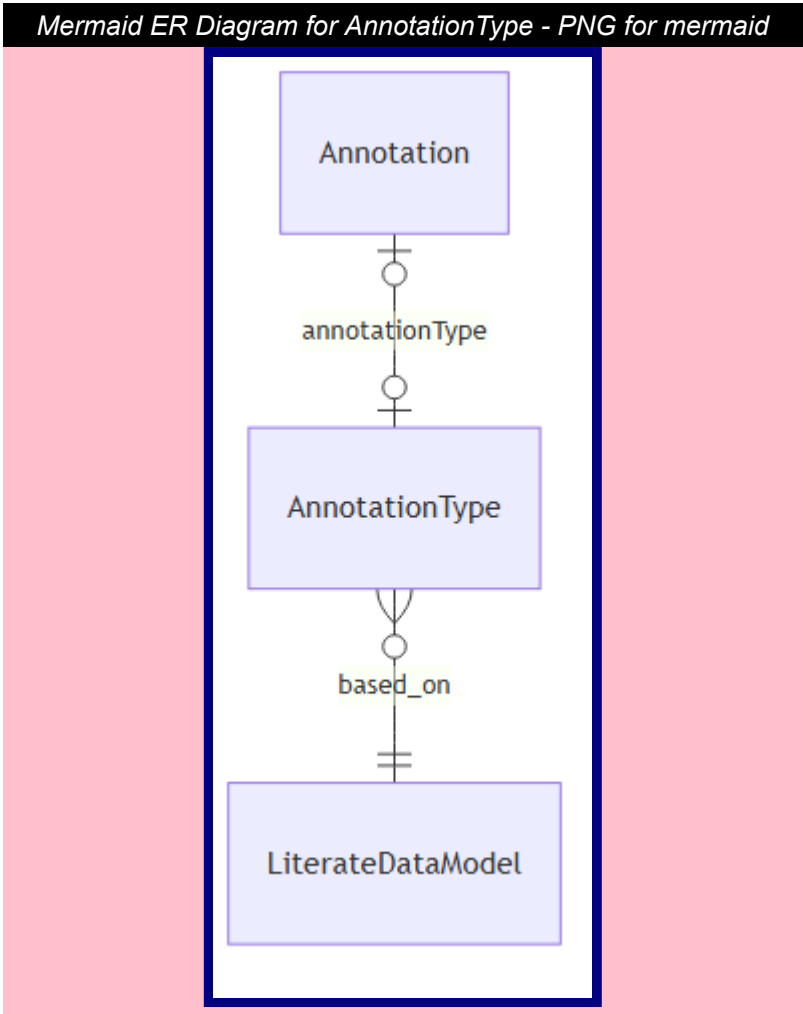
INVERSE [Annotation.annotationType](#)

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    AnnotationType }o--|| LiterateDataModel :
    based_on
    Annotation ||o--o| AnnotationType : annotationType
```

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erDiagram
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```



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Annotation
A note or comment associated with a model element

PLURAL Annotations
MEDPLURALAnnotations
BASEDON [Component](#)

AnnotationType	(Optional AnnotationType value O_O)
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note An Annotation is considered to *recognized* if the label is associated with an Annotation Type. otherwise it is *ad hoc* .
note Should be a Value Type

INVERSE [AnnotationType.inverseOfAnnotationType](#)

label	A short label to indicate the purpose of the annotation _ (CamelName value O_O)
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But any short label is valid.

DEFAULT from annotationType

emoji	(Optional Emoji value O_O)
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DEFAULT from annotation type

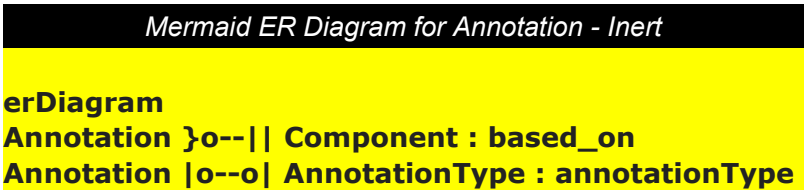
content	The content or body of the annotation (RichText value O_O)
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embellishment	Indicates whether this annotation is an embellishment added during post-parsing processing _ (Boolean value O_O)
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DEFAULT false

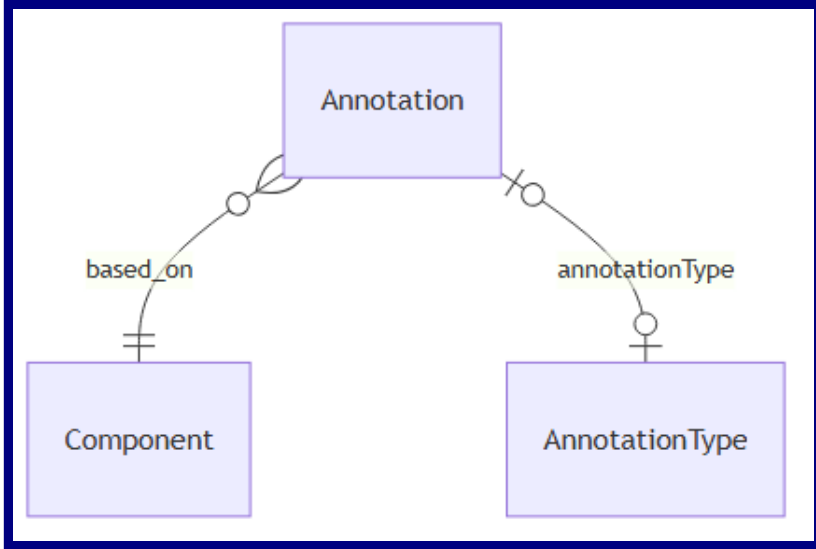
note This attribute is set to true for annotations that are automatically generated or added during the fleshing out, review, or rendering processes, such as suggestions, issues, or diagnostic messages. It helps distinguish embellishment annotations from the annotations defined in the original LDM source.

dependsOn	A link back to the Component on which this Annotation depends. (Component value M_1)
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    Annotation }o--|| Component : based_on
    Annotation ||--o| AnnotationType : annotationType
```

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The Model and its Subjects

	LiterateDataModel A representation of a domain's entities, attributes, and relationships, along with explanatory text and examples
PLURAL	LiterateDataModels
DEPENDENTS	AnnotationType , Subject
TYPEOF	Component
name	(UpperCamel value O_O)
PRIDES	Component.name
cts	list of all classes in the model, as ordered in the definition of the model. (List of Classes value O_O)
VERSE	Class.inverseOfAllSubjects
ATION	gathering s.allSubjects over s in subjectAreas
RAINTS	Subject names must be unique across the model.
es	list of all classes in the model, as ordered in the definition of the model. (List of Classes value O_O)
VERSE	Class.inverseOfAllClasses
ATION	gathering s.allClasses over s in allSubjects.
RAINTS	Class names must be unique across the model.
es	(List of AnnotationTypes value O_O)
Language	the recommended language for expressing derivation, defaults, and constraints (CodingLanguage value O_O)
DEFAULT	OCL
languages	(Optional List of CodingLanguages value O_O)
Language	the recommended language for expressing derivation, defaults, and constraints (TemplateLanguage value O_O)
DEFAULT	Handlebars
Languages	(Optional List of TemplateLanguages value O_O)
ns	A list of functions that require sophisticated AI-powered implementation * (List of String value O_O)
ATION	[aiEnglishPlural()]

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AnnotationType }o--|| LiterateDataModel : based_on

LiterateDataModel ||--|| Component : subtype_of

Subject ||--|| Component : subtype_of

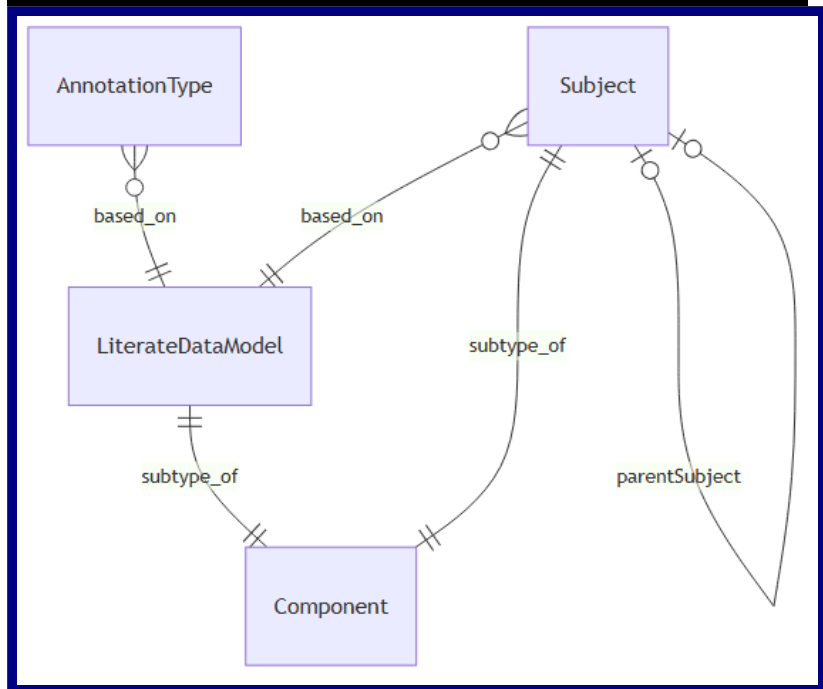
Subject }o--|| LiterateDataModel : based_on

Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject

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Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject

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Subject
A specific topic or theme within the model

Subjects are the chapters an sections of the model.

- A subject need not contain any Classes if it's just expository.

LURAL Subjects
SEDON [LiterateDataModel](#)
YPOF [Component](#)
YPES [SubjectArea](#)

me ([UpperCamel](#) value O_O)
RIDES [Component.name](#)

ect The parent subject, if any, under which this subject is nested _
([Optional](#) [Subject](#) value O_O)

VERSE [Subject.inverseOfParentSubject](#)

es The major classes related to this subject, in the order in which they should be presented _
([List of](#) [Classes](#) value O_O)

issue define chapter, section, subsection as levels?
VERSE [Class.inverseOfClasses](#)

cts Any child subjects nested under this subject, in the order in which they should be presented _
([List of](#) [Subjects](#) value O_O)

DSL : the Classes within a Subject are always displayed before the childSubjects.

VERSE [Subject.inverseOfChildSubjects](#)

s
Model A link back to the LiterateDataModel on which this Subject depends.
([LiterateDataModel](#) value M_1)

Subject Inverse attribute for Subject.parentSubject from which this was implied.
([Subject](#) value M_1)

VERSE [Subject.parentSubject](#)

subjects Inverse attribute for Subject.childSubjects from which this was implied.
([Subject](#) value M_1)

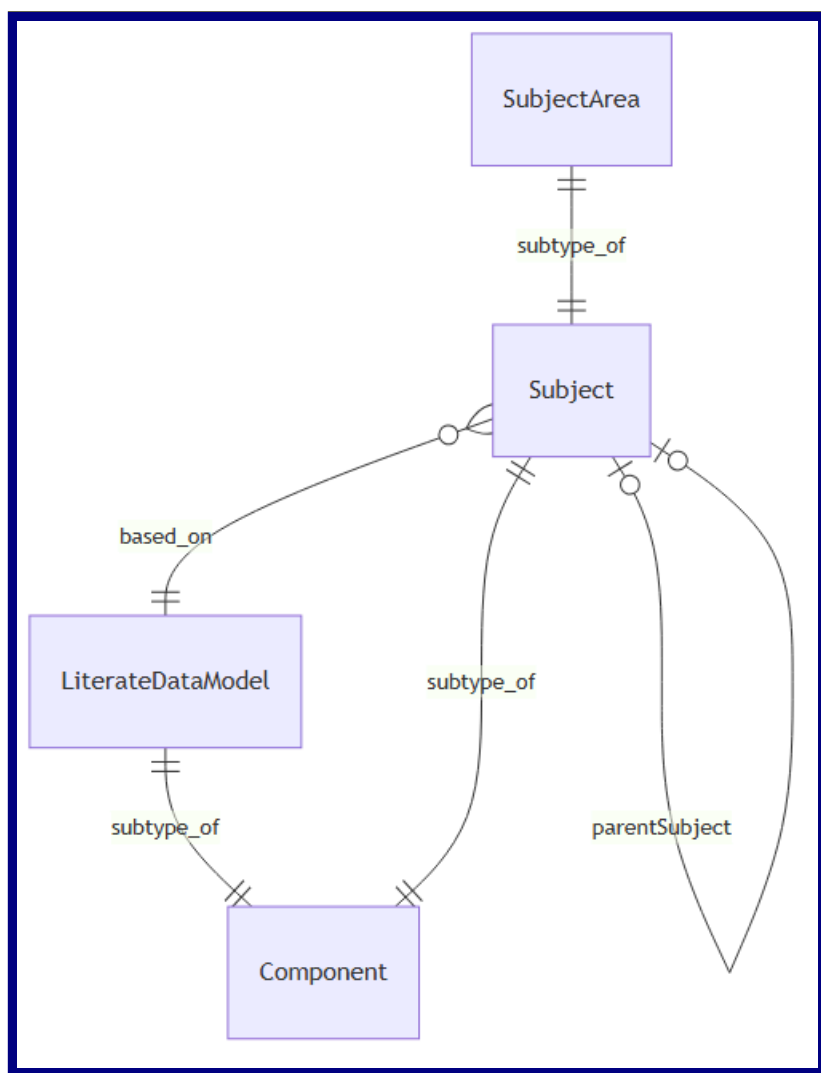
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    Subject ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Subject }o--|| LiterateDataModel : based_on
    Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject
    SubjectArea ||--|| Subject : subtype_of
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erDiagram
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    Subject ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Subject }o--|| LiterateDataModel : based_on
    Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject
    SubjectArea ||--|| Subject : subtype_of
```

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The Model and its Subjects

SubjectArea

A main topic or area of focus within the model, containing related subjects and classes

WHERE parentSubject is absent
PLURAL SubjectAreas
BASEDON [LiterateModel](#), [Xyz](#)
BTYPOF [Subject](#)

Model

A link back to the LiterateModel on which this SubjectArea depends.

([LiterateModel](#) value M_1)

seXyz

A link back to the Xyz on which this SubjectArea depends.

([Xyz](#) value M_1)

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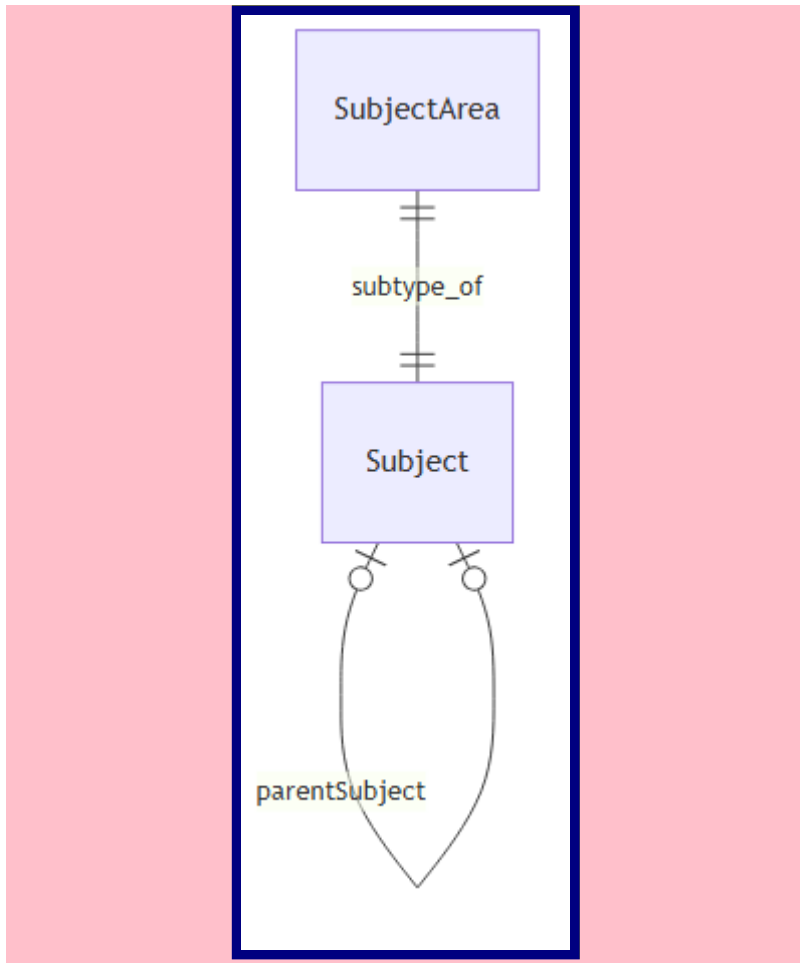
Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject

SubjectArea ||--|| Subject : subtype_of

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erDiagram Subject |o--o| Subject : parentSubject SubjectArea ||--||
Subject : subtype_of

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Classes

Classes

	Class A key entity or object type in the model, often corresponding to a real-world concept
PLURAL	Classes
DEPENDENTS	Subtyping , Key , AttributeSection , ClassConstraint
TYPEOF	Component
TYPES	ReferenceType
CONSTRAINTS	Within each Class, attribute names must be unique.
Plural form	the normal English plural form of the name of the Class (UpperCamel value O_O)
	Might be Books for the Book class or other regular plurals. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• But also might be People for Person.
note	When inputting a model, you will rarely need to specify the plural form. The input program will just look it up.
DEFAULT	the regular plural, formed by adding "s" or "es".
Based On	the Class or Classes on which this class is dependent (Set of Class value O_O)
	This is solely based on Existence Dependency . A true dependent entity cannot logically exist without the related parent entity. For instance, an Order Item cannot exist without an Order. If removing the parent entity logically implies removing the dependent entity, then it is a dependent entity.
note	that basedOn and dependentOf are being used synonymously in this metamodel.
VERSE	Class.inverseOfBasedOn
Parent	The parent class (Es value O_O)
Subtypes	the criteria, or dimensions, by which the class can be divided into subtypes (List of Subtypings value O_O)
Example	in a library model, the <code>Book</code> class could have subtypings based on genre (e.g., Fiction, Non-fiction), format (e.g., Hardcover, Paperback), or subject (e.g., Science, History).
VERSE	Subtyping.inverseOfSubtypings
Specializations	Any subtypes or specializations of this class based on it's subtypings. (List of Classes value O_O)

Classes

example For instance, using the `Book` example, the subtypes could include `FictionBook` , `Non-fictionBook` , `HardcoverBook` , `PaperbackBook` , `ScienceBook` , and `HistoryBook` .

INVERSE [Class.inverseOfSubtypes](#)

Attributes The attributes or properties of the class, in the order in which they should be presented __

([List of Attributes](#) value `O_O`)

INVERSE [Attribute.inverseOfAttributes](#)

Sections additional attributes or properties of the class, grouped for clarity and elaboration. __

([List of AttributeSections](#) value `O_O`)

INVERSE [AttributeSection.inverseOfAttributeSections](#)

Constraints Any constraints, rules, or validations specific to this class __

([List of Constraints](#) value `O_O`)

note Constraints may be expressed on either the `Class` or the `Attribute`. Always?

Methods Any behaviors or operations associated with this class __

([List of Methods](#) value `O_O`)

INVERSE [Method.inverseOfMethods](#)

Attributes based on the Classes which are basedOn this Class

([Optional Set of Classes](#) value `O_O`)

INVERSE [Class.basedOn](#)

UniqueKeys ([Optional Set of UniqueKeys](#) value `O_O`)

INVERSE [UniqueKey.basedOn](#)

Attributes based on subjects Inverse attribute for `LiterateDataModel.allSubjects` from which this was implied.

([LiterateDataModel](#) value `M_1`)

INVERSE [LiterateDataModel.allSubjects](#)

Classes based on Inverse attribute for `LiterateDataModel.allClasses` from which this was implied.

([LiterateDataModel](#) value `M_1`)

INVERSE [LiterateDataModel.allClasses](#)

Classes based on Inverse attribute for `Subject.classes` from which this was implied.

([Subject](#) value `M_1`)

VERSE [Subject.classes](#)

On Inverse attribute for Class.basedOn from which this was implied.
([Class](#) value M_1)

VERSE [Class.basedOn](#)

es Inverse attribute for Class.subtypes from which this was implied.
([Class](#) value M_1)

VERSE [Class.subtypes](#)

es Inverse attribute for Subtyping.classes from which this was implied.
([Subtyping](#) value M_1)

VERSE [Subtyping.classes](#)

ass Inverse attribute for SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataType.coreClass from which this was implied.
([SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataType](#) value M_1)

VERSE [SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataType.coreClass](#)

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Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of

Class_ |o--o| Class_ : basedOn

Subtyping }o--|| Class_ : based_on

ReferenceType ||--|| Class_ : subtype_of

Key ||--|| Component : subtype_of

Key }o--|| Class_ : based_on

AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of

AttributeSection }o--|| Class_ : based_on

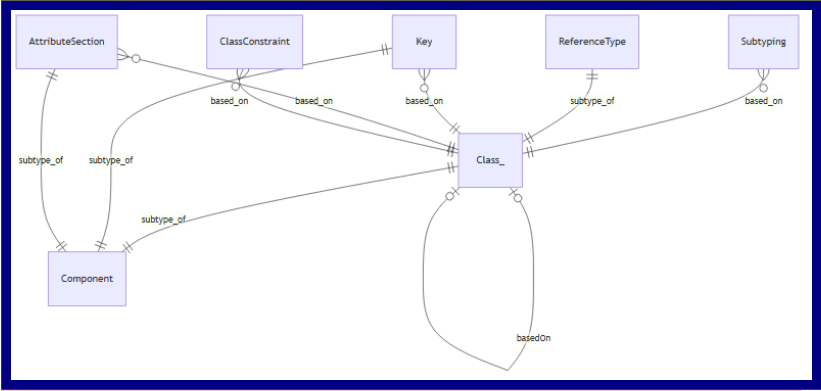
ClassConstraint }o--|| Class_ : based_on

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erDiagram Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of Class_ |o--o| Class_ : basedOn Subtyping }o--|| Class_ : based_on ReferenceType ||--|| Class_ : subtype_of Key ||--|| Component : subtype_of Key }o--|| Class_ : based_on AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of AttributeSection }o--|| Class_ : based_on ClassConstraint }o--|| Class_ : based_on

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Classes



Subtyping
a way in which subtypes of a Class may be classified

LURAL Subtypings
DPLURAL Subtypings
SEDON [Class](#)

me ([LowerCamel](#) value O_O)

ive ([Boolean](#) value O_O)

DEFAULT true

ive ([Boolean](#) value O_O)

DEFAULT true

es (List of [Classes](#) value O_O)

DSL : Shown in the DSL as

- Subtypes: byBrand - Brand1, Brand2,... (non exclusive, exhaustive)
- on the super class. And as
 - Subtype of: SuperClass byBrand
- on the subclass.

note every class can have an unnamed subtyping.
[Class.inverseOfClasses](#)

VERSE

s
ings
Inverse attribute for Class.subtypings from which this was implied.
([Class](#) value M_1)

VERSE [Class.subtypings](#)

ss
A link back to the Class on which this Subtyping depends.
([Class](#) value M_1)

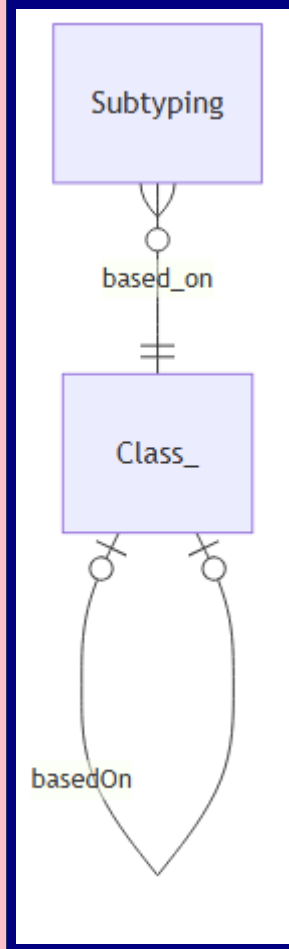
Mermaid ER Diagram for Subtyping - Inert

erDiagram
Class_ |o--o| Class_ : basedOn
Subtyping }o--|| Class_ : based_on

Mermaid ER Diagram for Subtyping - Live!

```
erDiagram
    Class_ ||--o| Class_ : basedOn Subtyping
    Class_ ||--o| Class_ : based_on
```

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ReferenceType

A class that is presumed to be used as a reference, rather than a value

LURAL ReferenceTypes
DPLURALReferenceTypes
TYPEOF [Class](#)

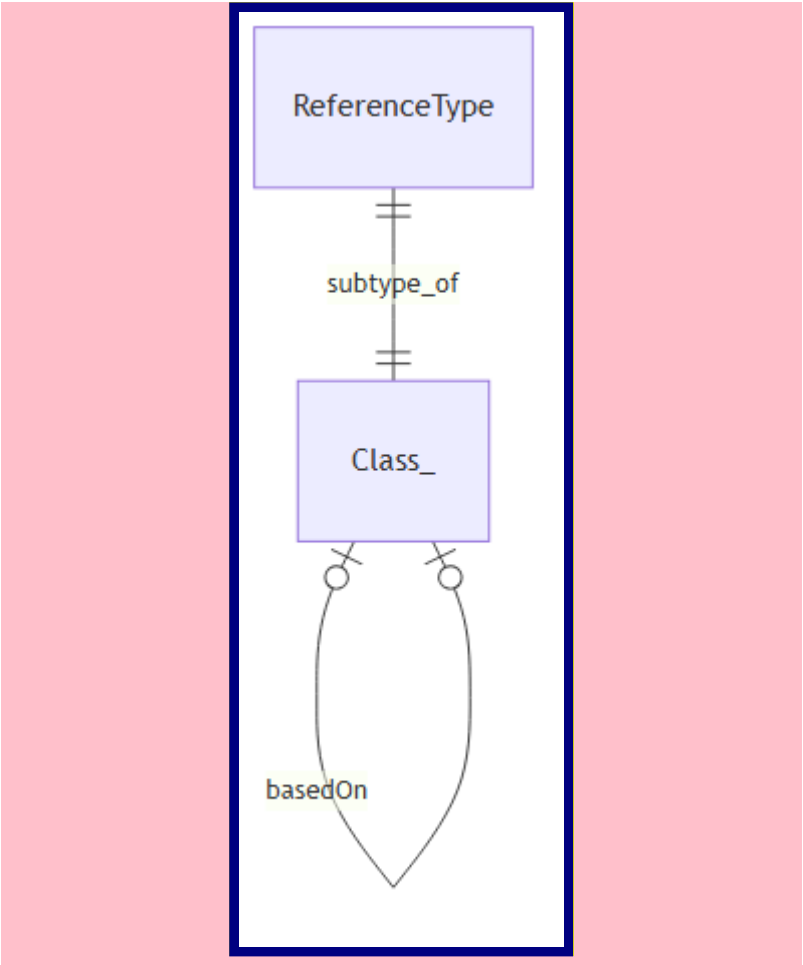
Mermaid ER Diagram for ReferenceType - Inert

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erDiagram
    Class_ ||--o| Class_ : basedOn
    ReferenceType ||--|| Class_ : subtype_of
```

Mermaid ER Diagram for ReferenceType - Live!

```
erDiagram
    Class_ ||--o| Class_ : basedOn
    ReferenceType ||--|| Class_ : subtype_of
```

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Value Type	CodeType
	A data type or enumeration used in the model

PLURAL CodeTypes
IMPLIES PLURAL CodeTypes
DEPENDENTS [CodeValue](#)

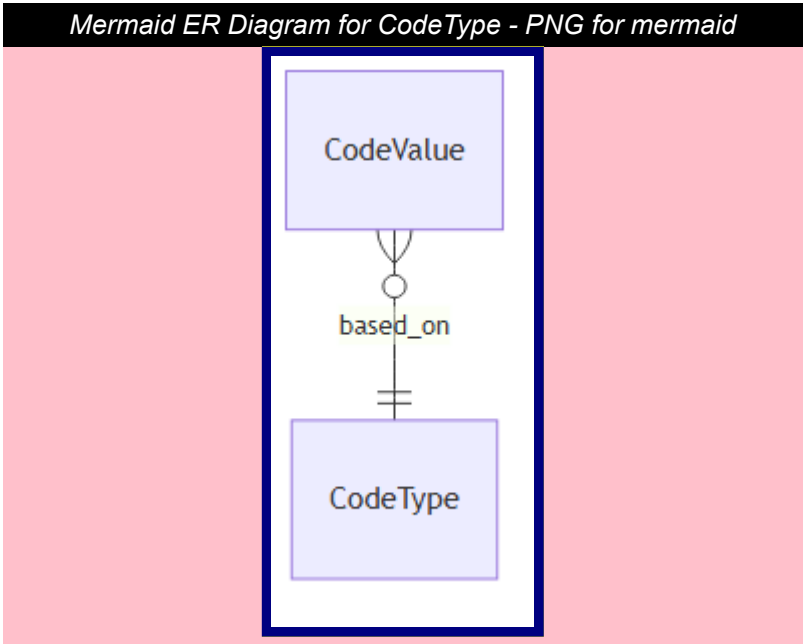
Implication	the code type was implied by use in an attribute and is only used for that attribute
	(Boolean value O_O)

Mermaid ER Diagram for CodeType - Inert

```
erDiagram
    CodeValue }o--|| CodeType : based_on
```

Mermaid ER Diagram for CodeType - Live!

```
erDiagram CodeValue }o--|| CodeType : based_on
```



Type	CodeValue
	A possible value for an enumerated data class
PLURAL	CodeValues
DEPENDS ON	CodeType
description	A short code or abbreviation for the value __ (NameString value O_O)
note	an explanation of what the code means (RichText value O_O)
note	Often, a CodeType will be assigned to just one attribute in the model. In such cases, there's no need to declare a new Code Type and invent a name for it. Instead:
link back	A link back to the CodeType on which this CodeValue depends. (CodeType value M_1)

Mermaid ER Diagram for CodeValue - Inert

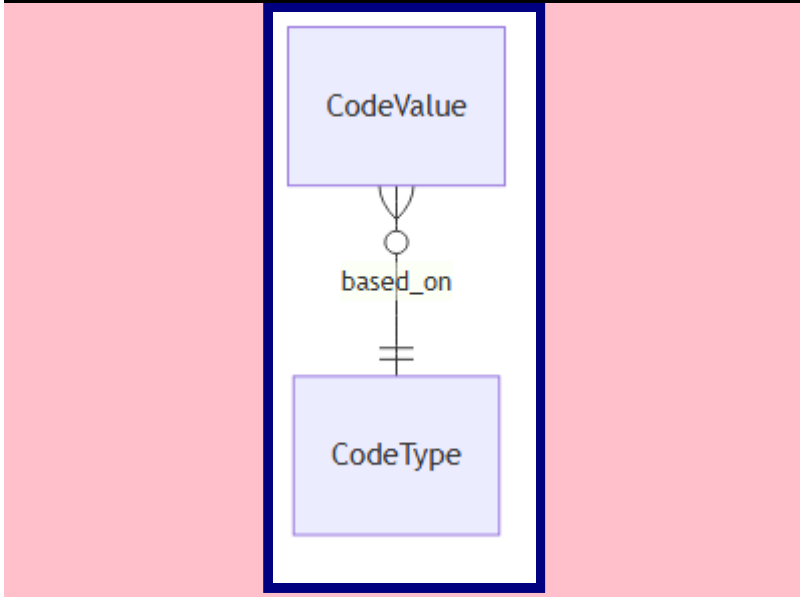
erDiagram

CodeValue }o--|| CodeType : based_on

Mermaid ER Diagram for CodeValue - Live!

`erDiagram CodeValue }o--|| CodeType : based_on`

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Key
a list of attributes of a class

LURAL Keys
DPLURAL Keys
SED ON [Class](#)
TYPE OF [Component](#)
TYPES [UniqueKey](#)

es the attributes of the base Class.
(*List of [Attributes](#) value O_O*)

VERSE [Attribute.inverseOfKeyAttributes](#)
RAINTS each attribute must be a direct or inherited of the base class.
RAINTS no repetitions allowed in keyAttributes
👉 **Issue** : introduce PureLists?

issue need ascending descending to support index keys or ordering keys.

ss A link back to the Class on which this Key depends.
(*[Class](#) value M_1*)

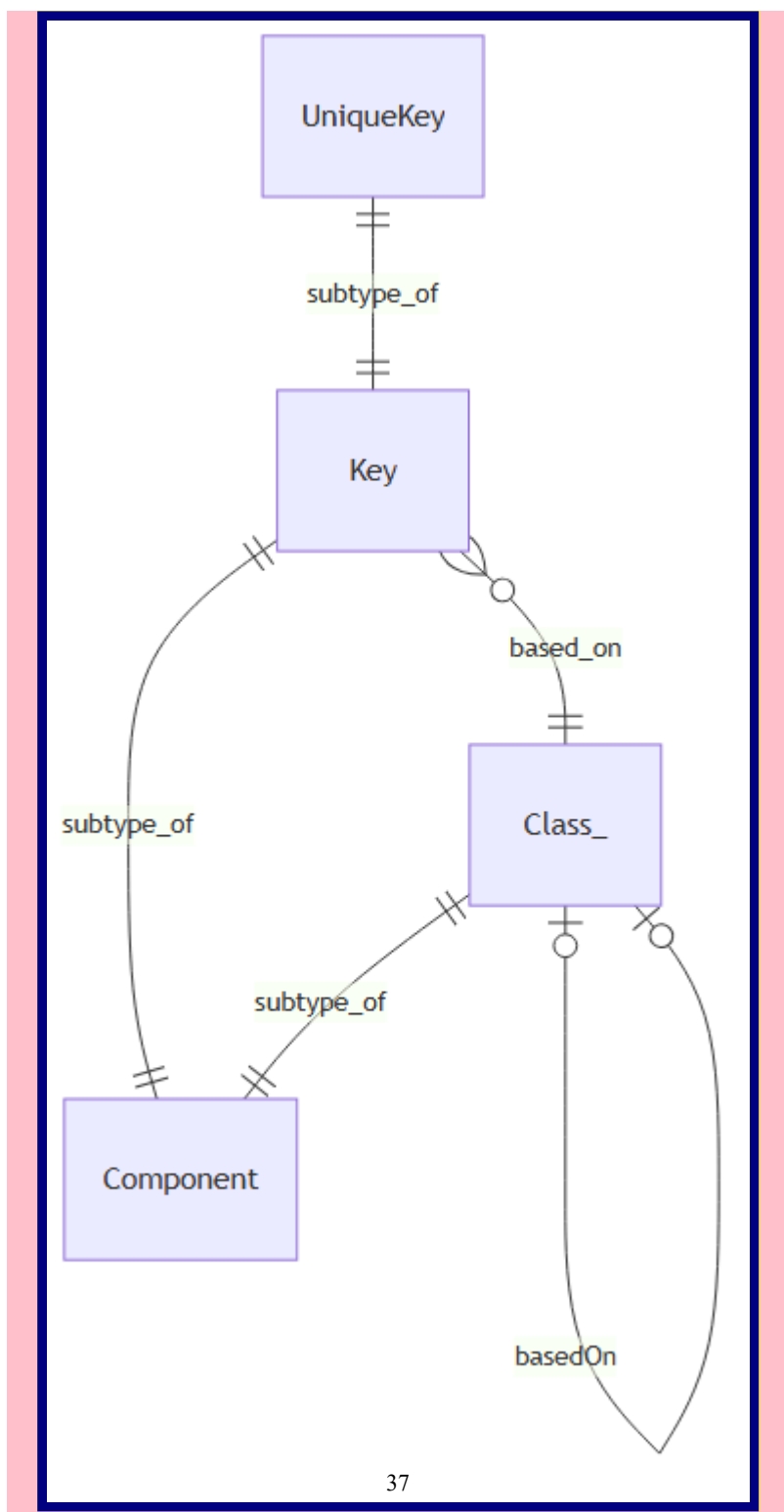
Mermaid ER Diagram for Key - Inert

```
erDiagram
    Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Class_ |o--o| Class_ : basedOn
    Key ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Key }o--|| Class_ : based_on
    UniqueKey ||--|| Key : subtype_of
```

Mermaid ER Diagram for Key - Live!

```
erDiagram
    Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Class_ |o--o| Class_ : basedOn
    Key ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Key }o--|| Class_ : based_on
    UniqueKey ||--|| Key : subtype_of
```

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UniqueKey

a list of attributes on which instances of the base class may be keyed.

note order unimportant for Unique Keys.

LURAL UniqueKeys
DPLURAL UniqueKeys
YPEOF [Key](#)

Mermaid ER Diagram for UniqueKey - Inert

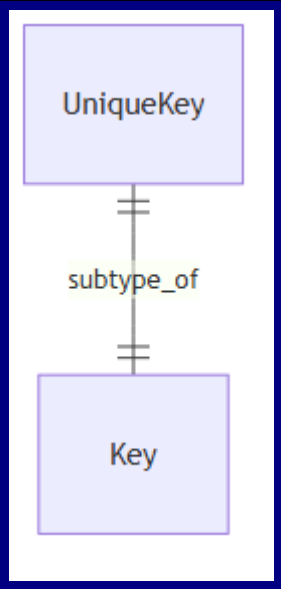
erDiagram

UniqueKey ||--|| Key : subtype_of

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erDiagram UniqueKey ||--|| Key : subtype_of

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Attributes

AttributeSection

a group of attributes for a class that merit a shared explanation.

LURAL AttributeSections
ADPLURAL AttributeSections
SEDON [Class](#)
DENTS [Attribute](#)
YPEOF [Component](#)

whether the attributes in this section, taken together, are optional.

([Boolean](#) value O_O)

If the Attribute Section is required, then each Attribute within the sectional is optional or required, depending on how it is marked.

- But if the Attribute Section is optional each attribute in the section is only required if any attribute in the section is present.

AttributeSections inverse attribute for Class.attributeSections from which this was implied.

([Class](#) value M_1)

VERSE [Class.attributeSections](#)

A link back to the Class on which this AttributeSection depends.

([Class](#) value M_1)

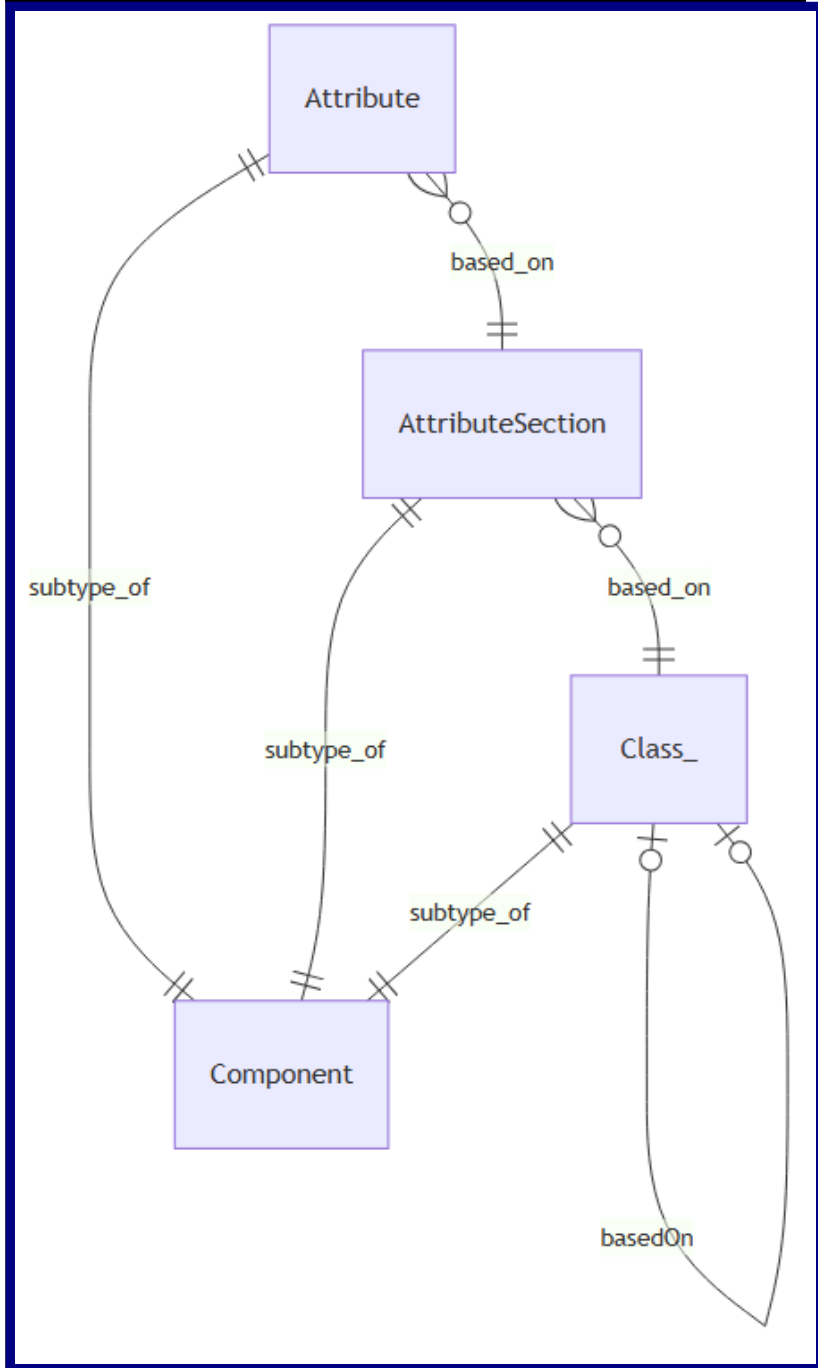
Mermaid ER Diagram for AttributeSection - Inert

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erDiagram
    Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Class_ ||o--o| Class_ : basedOn
    AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    AttributeSection }o--|| Class_ : based_on
    Attribute ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Attribute }o--|| AttributeSection : based_on
```

Mermaid ER Diagram for AttributeSection - Live!

```
erDiagram
    Class_ ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Class_ ||o--o| Class_ : basedOn
    AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    AttributeSection }o--|| Class_ : based_on
    Attribute ||--|| Component : subtype_of
    Attribute }o--|| AttributeSection : based_on
```

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	Attribute
	A property or characteristic of a class
LURAL	Attributes
SED ON	AttributeSection
DENTS	AttributeConstraint
YPE OF	Component
me	(LowerCamel value O _ O)
RIDES	Component.name
pe	The kind of object to which the attribute refers. _ (DataType value O _ O)
	But, <ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ List of Editions◦ Set of Edition◦ ... and more complicated cases.
see	the section below on Data Type Specifiers.
nal	Indicates whether the attribute must have a value for every instance of the class _ (Boolean value O _ O)
FAULT	*** False
ity	The cardinality of the relationship represented by the attribute _ (CardinalityCode value O _ O)
FAULT	*** For a singular attribute, the default cardinality is N:1. If the attribute is 1:1, it must be stated explicitly. For a collective attribute, the default is 1:N. If the attribute is N:M, it must be stated explicitly.
sample	
nor	(InventedName value O _ O)
ks	(Optional InventedName value O _ O)
note	how this works with optionality
s ble	(Boolean value O _ O)
ATION	true if the data type is a class or a simple collection of members of a class.

Attributes

Class	the class which contains, or would contain the inverse attribute (Optional Class value O_O)
DERIVATION	from the data type. Null unless attribute is invertible.
Attribute	(Optional Attribute value O_O)
Optional	(Optional Attribute value O_O)
Default	The rule or formula for calculating the value, if no value is supplied Now running to a second line with the parenthetical on yet a third line (Optional Derivation value O_O)
note	even when an Attribute has a default derivation, there's no guarantee that every instance will have an assigned value. Example needed.
Derivation	For derived attributes, the rule or formula for calculating the value _ (Optional Derivation value O_O)
issue	on insert vs on access?
Constraints	Any validation rules specific to this attribute _ (List of Constraints value O_O)
note	from Class.constraints
Linking	
Overrides	
Attributes	
Attributes	Inverse attribute for Class.attributes from which this was implied. (Class value M_1)
INVERSE	Class.attributes
Attributes	Inverse attribute for Key.keyAttributes from which this was implied. (Key value M_1)
INVERSE	Key.keyAttributes
Section	A link back to the AttributeSection on which this Attribute depends. (AttributeSection value M_1)

Mermaid ER Diagram for Attribute - Inert

erDiagram

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AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Attribute ||--|| Component : subtype_of
Attribute }o--|| AttributeSection : based_on
AttributeConstraint }o--|| Attribute : based_on

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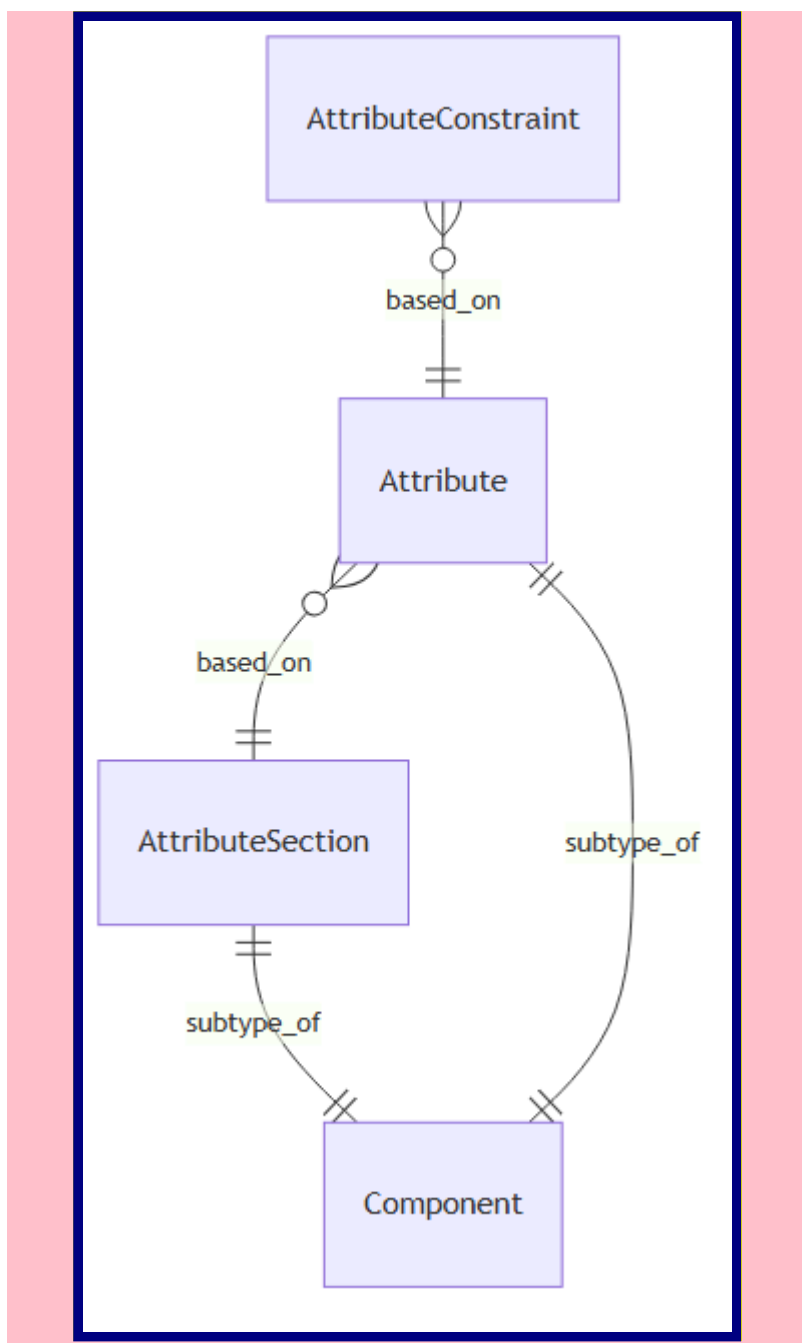
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erDiagram
    AttributeSection ||--|| Component : subtype_of Attribute
    ||--|| Component : subtype_of Attribute }o--|| AttributeSection :
    based_on AttributeConstraint }o--|| Attribute : based_on

```

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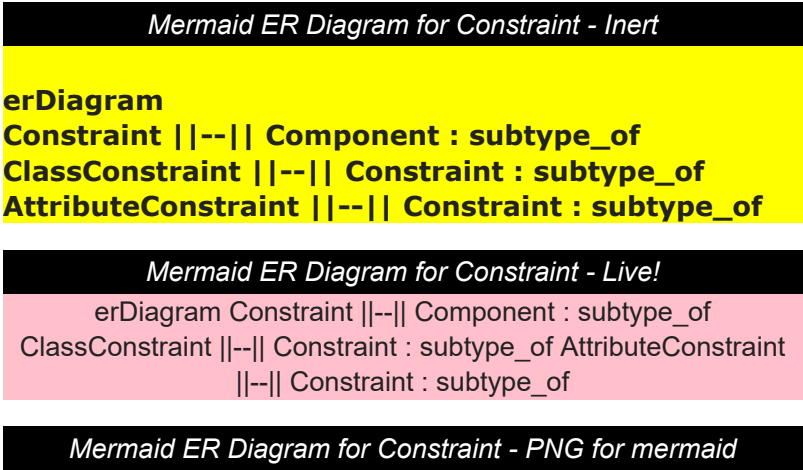


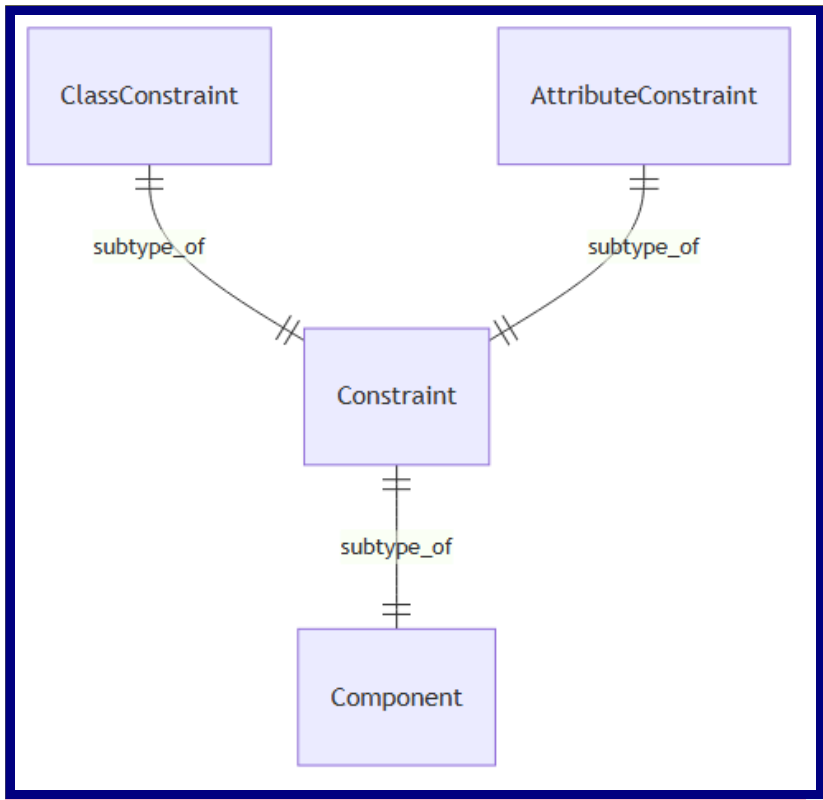
Value Type **Derivation**

A rule or formula for deriving the value of an attribute

PLURAL Derivations

ent	An English language statement of the derivation rule _ (RichText value O_O)
on	The formal expression of the derivation in a programming language _ (CodeExpression value O_O)
Type	Constraint A rule, condition, or validation that must be satisfied by the model
LURAL	Constraints
YPEOF	Component
YPES	ClassConstraint , AttributeConstraint
ent	An English language statement of the constraint _ (RichText value O_O)
on	The formal expression of the constraint in a programming language (InventedName value O_O)
ity	(Code value O_O)
	<div>Warning, nothing fatal; just a caution</div> <div>Error, serious. Fix now</div>





Value Type **ClassConstraint**

PLURAL ClassConstraints

IMPLIES ClassConstraints

BASED ON [Class](#)

BTYPED OF [Constraint](#)

Attributes
Class

A link back to the Class on which this ClassConstraint depends.

([Class](#) value M_1)

Mermaid ER Diagram for ClassConstraint - Inert

erDiagram

Class_ ||o--o| Class_ : basedOn

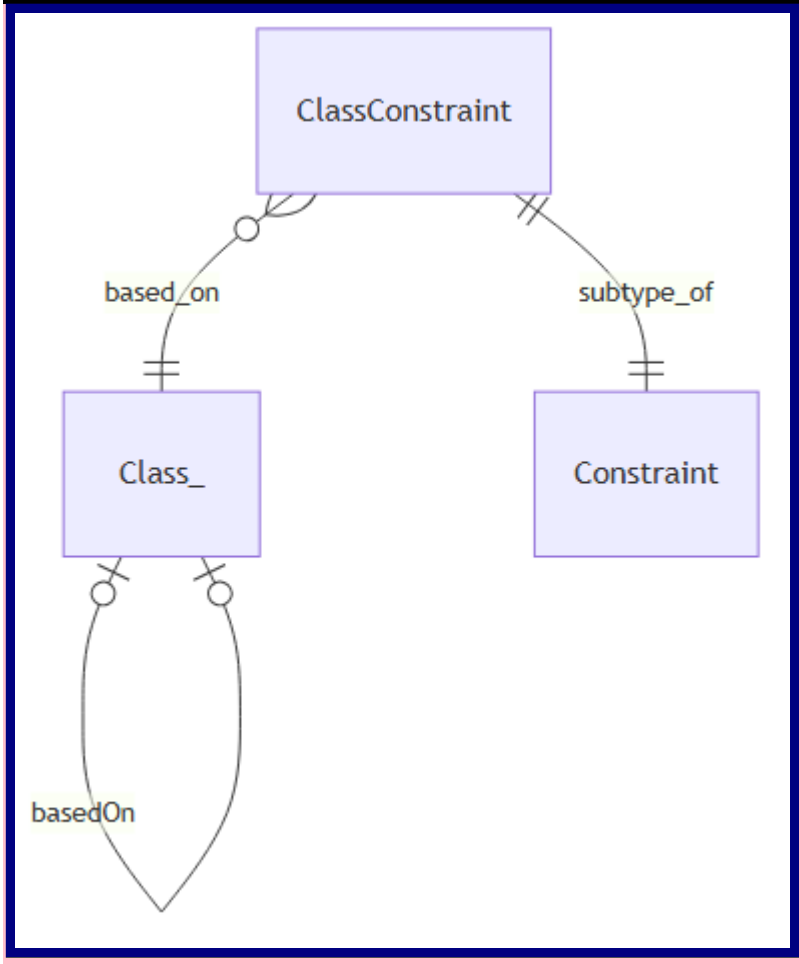
ClassConstraint ||--|| Constraint : subtype_of

ClassConstraint }o--|| Class_ : based_on

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```
erDiagram
    Class_ ||--o| Class_ : basedOn
    ClassConstraint ||--o| Class_ : basedOn
    Constraint ||--o| Class_ : basedOn
    ClassConstraint ||--o| Constraint : subtype_of
```

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Type **AttributeConstraint**

LURAL AttributeConstraints

EDPLURAL AttributeConstraints

SEDON [Attribute](#)

YPEOF [Constraint](#)

A link back to the Attribute on which this AttributeConstraint depends.

([Attribute](#) value M_1)

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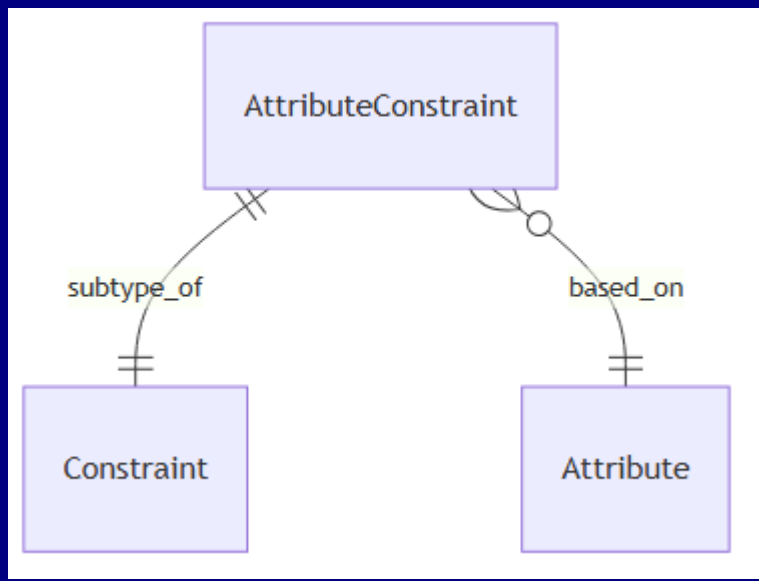
erDiagram

AttributeConstraint ||--|| Constraint : subtype_of
AttributeConstraint }o--|| Attribute : based_on

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erDiagram AttributeConstraint ||--|| Constraint : subtype_of
AttributeConstraint }o--|| Attribute : based_on

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Methods

	Method A behavior or operation associated with a class
MULTIPLICITY	Methods
TYPE OF	Component
PARAMETERS	The input parameters of the method __ (List of <u>Parameters</u> value 0..0)
VERSES	ParameterAnInputToAMethod.inverseOfParameters
RETURN TYPE	The data type of the value returned by the method __ (DataType value 0..0)
IMPLIES	Inverse attribute for Class.methods from which this was implied. (Class value M..1)
VERSES	Class.methods

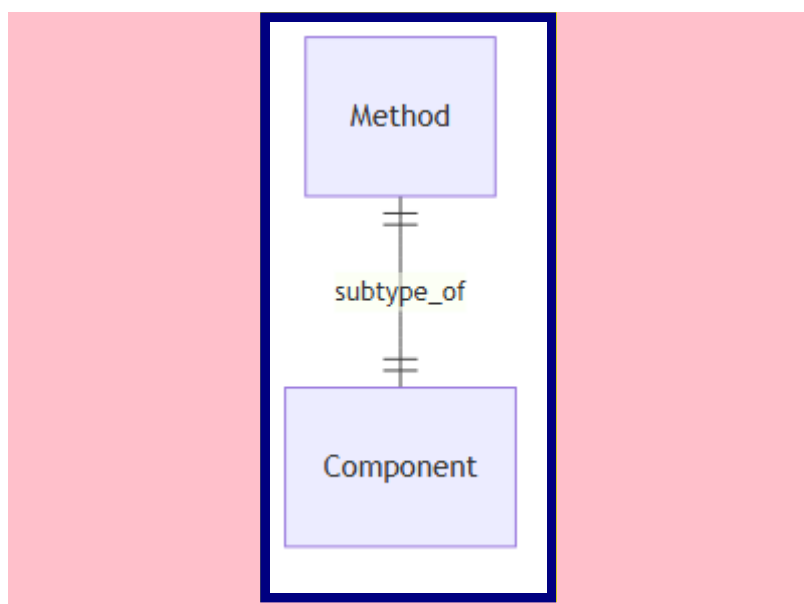
Mermaid ER Diagram for Method - Inert

```
erDiagram
    Method ||--|| Component : subtype_of
```

Mermaid ER Diagram for Method - Live!

```
erDiagram Method ||--|| Component : subtype_of
```

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	ParameterAnInputToAMethod
PLURAL	Parameters
TYPEOF	Component
type	The data type of the parameter _ (DataType value O_O)
ity	The cardinality of the parameter (InventedName value O_O)
s	
ters	Inverse attribute for Method.parameters from which this was implied. (Method value M_1)
d	
VERSE	Method.parameters

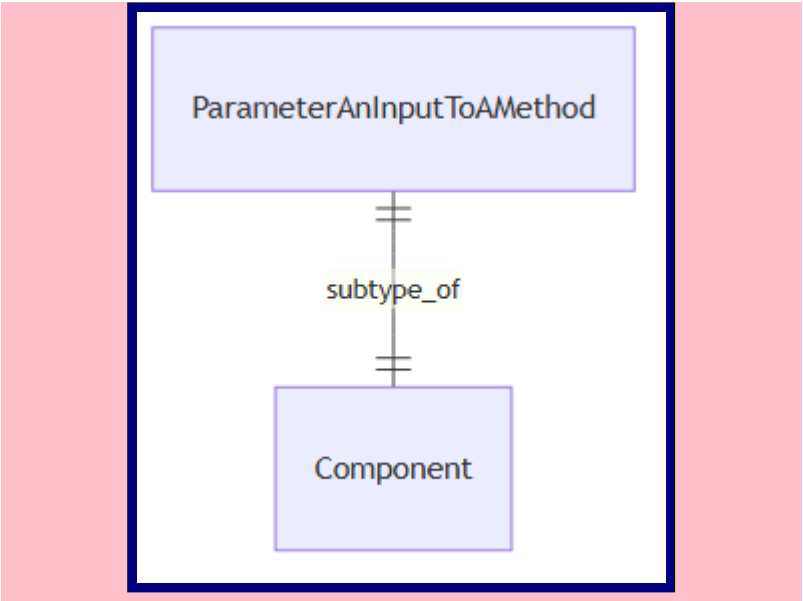
Mermaid ER Diagram for ParameterAnInputToAMethod - Inert

erDiagram
ParameterAnInputToAMethod ||--|| Component :
subtype_of

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erDiagram ParameterAnInputToAMethod ||--|| Component :
subtype_of

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Trivial Data Types

Type	Message
LURAL	Messages
PLURAL	Messages
	Message is trivial; no diagram
Type	CodeExpression
LURAL	CodeExpressions
PLURAL	CodeExpressions
Definition	<div>the programming language</div> <div>(<u>Code</u> value O_O)</div> <div>OCI, Object Constraint Language Java, Java</div>
Domain	(<u>String</u> value O_O)
	CodeExpression is trivial; no diagram
Type	DataType
LURAL	DataTypes
PLURAL	DataTypes
	DataType is trivial; no diagram
Type	SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataType
LURAL	SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataTypes
PLURAL	SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataTypes
Class	(<u>Class</u> value O_O)
VERSE	<u>Class.inverseOfCoreClass</u>
	SimpleDataTypeSubtpeOfDataType is trivial; no diagram
Type	ComplexDataType
LURAL	ComplexDataTypes
PLURAL	ComplexDataTypes
Domain	(<u>AggregatingOperator</u> value O_O)
Domain	(List of <u>DataTypes</u> value O_O)

ComplexDataType is trivial; no diagram

Value Type **AggregatingOperator**

PLURAL AggregatingOperators

IMEDPLURALAggregatingOperators

name (Code value O_O)

SetOf

ListOf

Mapping

arity (Integer value O_O)

elling (Template value O_O)

AggregatingOperator is trivial; no diagram

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Trivial Low level Data Types

insert Camel Case.md

Type **Emoji**

SINGULAR Emojis

PLURAL Emojis

Emoji is trivial; no diagram

Type **String**

SINGULAR Strings

PLURAL Strings

String is trivial; no diagram

Type **CamelName**

A short string without punctuation or spaces, suitable for names, labels, or identifiers and presented in camel case.

SINGULAR CamelNames

PLURAL CamelNames

TYPEOF [String](#)

TYPES [UpperCamel](#), [LowerCamel](#)

Constraint ([String](#) value O_O)

Constraints Must follow the camel case naming convention and not be empty.

Example "firstName", "orderDate", "customerId"

Usage Note

- *CamelName* is presented here, just after its first usage by another class (Component), to provide context and understanding before it is used further in the model.

CamelName is trivial; no diagram

Type **UpperCamel**

a *CamelName* that begins with a capital letter

Example _ "Customer", "ProductCategory", "PaymentMethod"

WHERE content begins with an upper case letter.

SINGULAR UpperCamels

PLURAL UpperCamels

TYPEOF [CamelName](#)

UpperCamel is trivial; no diagram

Value Type	LowerCamel
	a CamelName that begins with a lower case letter
example	"firstName", "orderTotal", "shippingAddress"
WHERE	content begins with a lower case letter.
PLURAL	LowerCamels
MEDPLURAL	LowerCamels
BTYPOF	CamelName

LowerCamel is trivial; no diagram

Value Type	QualifiedCamel
	an expression consisting of Camel Names separated by periods
PLURAL	QualifiedCamels
MEDPLURAL	QualifiedCamels
BTYPOF	String
STRAINTS	

content consists of CamelNames, separated by periods. Each of the camel names must be Upper Camel except, possibly, the first.

QualifiedCamel is trivial; no diagram

	ValueTypeRichText
	A string with markup for block level formatting.
PLURAL	ValueTypeRichTexts
MEDPLURAL	ValueTypeRichTexts
BTYPOF	String

value	the string content
	(String value O_O)

format	the rich text coding language used
	(Code value O_O)

	HTML
	MarkDown

ValueTypeRichText is trivial; no diagram

Value Type	OneLiner
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String with markup for line level formatting.

LURAL OneLiners
DPLURAL OneLiners
TYPEOF [RichText](#)

ue the string content
([String value O_O](#))

RAINTS must not contain a line break or new line character
MESSAGE A line can't span two lines

OneLiner is trivial; no diagram

Type **PrimitiveType**
A basic, built-in data type

LURAL PrimitiveTypes
DPLURAL PrimitiveTypes
TYPES [String](#), [Integer](#), [Decimal](#), [Boolean](#), [Date](#), [Time](#), [DateTime](#)

PrimitiveType is trivial; no diagram

Type **String**

LURAL Strings
DPLURAL Strings
TYPEOF [PrimitiveType](#)
TYPES [CamelName](#), [QualifiedCamel](#), [ValueTypeRichText](#)

String is trivial; no diagram

Type **Integer**

LURAL Integers
DPLURAL Integers
TYPEOF [PrimitiveType](#)

Integer is trivial; no diagram

Type **Decimal**

LURAL Decimals
DPLURAL Decimals
TYPEOF [PrimitiveType](#)

Decimal is trivial; no diagram

Trivial Low level Data Types

Value Type Boolean

PLURAL Booleans

IMMEDPLURAL Booleans

BTYPOF [PrimitiveType](#)

Boolean is trivial; no diagram

Value Type Date

PLURAL Dates

IMMEDPLURAL Dates

BTYPOF [PrimitiveType](#)

Date is trivial; no diagram

Value Type Time

PLURAL Times

IMMEDPLURAL Times

BTYPOF [PrimitiveType](#)

Time is trivial; no diagram

Value Type DateTime

PLURAL DateTimes

IMMEDPLURAL DateTimes

BTYPOF [PrimitiveType](#)

DateTime is trivial; no diagram

Annotation Types Used

These are the recognized Annotation Types for the LDM model.

And this is how you register the AnnotationTyped for a model. By including this sort of array in the DSL document for the model.

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@startjson

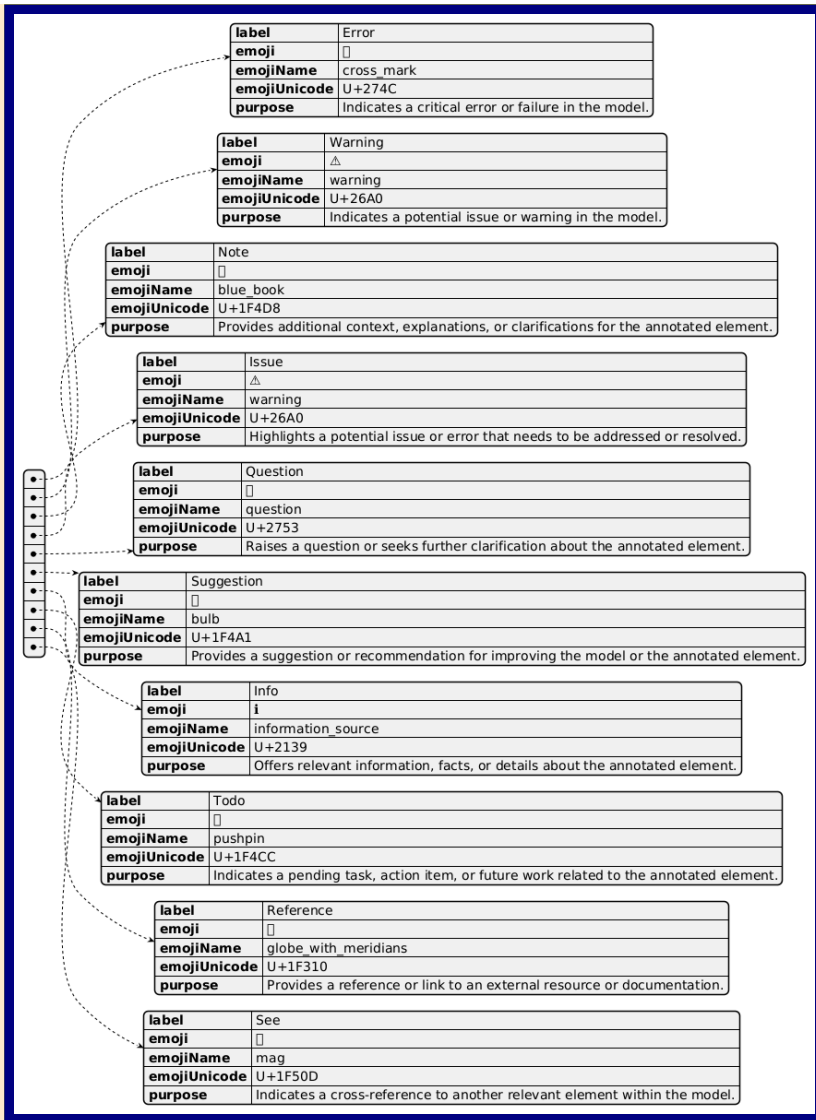
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the model."
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element."
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  "emojiName": "warning",
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that needs to be addressed or resolved."  
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},  
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  "purpose": "Indicates a cross-reference to another  
relevant element within the model."  
}  
]  
@endjson
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Annotation Types Used



Annotation types as CSV

Annotation types as CSV

label,emoji,emojiName,emojiUnicode,purpose

Error,✖,cross_mark,U+274C,Indicates a critical error or failure in the model.

Warning,⚠,warning,U+26A0,Indicates a potential issue or warning in the model.

Note,📘,blue_book,U+1F4D8,"Provides additional context, explanations, or clarifications for the annotated element."

Issue,⚠,warning,U+26A0,Highlights a potential issue or error that needs to be addressed or resolved.

Question,❓,question,U+2753,Raises a question or seeks further clarification about the annotated element.

Suggestion,💡,bulb,U+1F4A1,Provides a suggestion or recommendation for improving the model or the annotated element.

Info,📖,information_source,U+2139,"Offers relevant information, facts, or details about the annotated element."

Todo,📌,pushpin,U+1F4CC,"Indicates a pending task, action item, or future work related to the annotated element."

Reference,🌐,globe_with_meridians,U+1F310,Provides a reference or link to an external resource or documentation.

See,🔍,mag,U+1F50D,Indicates a cross-reference to another relevant element within the model.

labelemojiemojiNameemojiUnicodepurpose					
0	Error	✖	cross_mark	U+274C	Indicates a critical error or failure in the model.
1	Warning	⚠	warning	U+26A0	Indicates a potential issue or warning in the model.
2	Note	📘	blue_book	U+1F4D8	Provides additional context, explanations, or clarifications for the annotated element.
					Highlights a potential issue

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Appendices

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