

# ICAT - CORE Core Entities

This diagrams contains the major ICAT - CORE entities.

The diagram was made from scratch and the idea was to show what we thought to be the major dependencies.

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Remarks:

- PFK : primary foreign Key

some of the FK will be PFK to emphasis that the child PK is not sufficient in some cases to uniquely identify a record. For instance an instrument manufactured by the same supplier may be used at different facilities and thus may have the same name everywhere. The multi-facilities setup within one DB instance is not perhaps supported yet in conjunction with TopCAT. Not sure about the actual status to be checked.

- FK: Foreign key

- AK : Alternate Key means is UNIQUE

- NN: Not Null

