

# What's New with SQL Developer Data Modeler

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## Introduction, Heli

- \* Graduated from Helsinki University (Master of Science, computer science)
- Worked with Oracle products since 1993, worked for IT since 1990
- \* Database!
- \* CEO for Kantamestarit Oy since 2000
- CEO for Miracle Finland Oy since 10/2010
- \* Oracle ACE Director since 2013 (ACE since 2011)
- \* Author of the book Oracle SQL Developer Data Modeler for Database Design Mastery (Oracle Press, 2015)







# Oracle SQL Developer Data Modeler for Database Design Mastery

Design, Deploy, and Maintain World-Class Databases on Any Platform

#### Heli Helskyaho

Oracle ACE Director

Forewords by C.J. Date and Tom Kyte.







## Introduction, Heli

- \* Been an Oracle Designer user since 1996 and Data Modeler user since 2010
- \* Been solving performance problems since 1993
  - \* Absolutely convinced that good database design and documentation will reduce this work.
  - \* Absolutely convinced that it is easier to solve problems on database that has been documented



# What is Data Modeler?

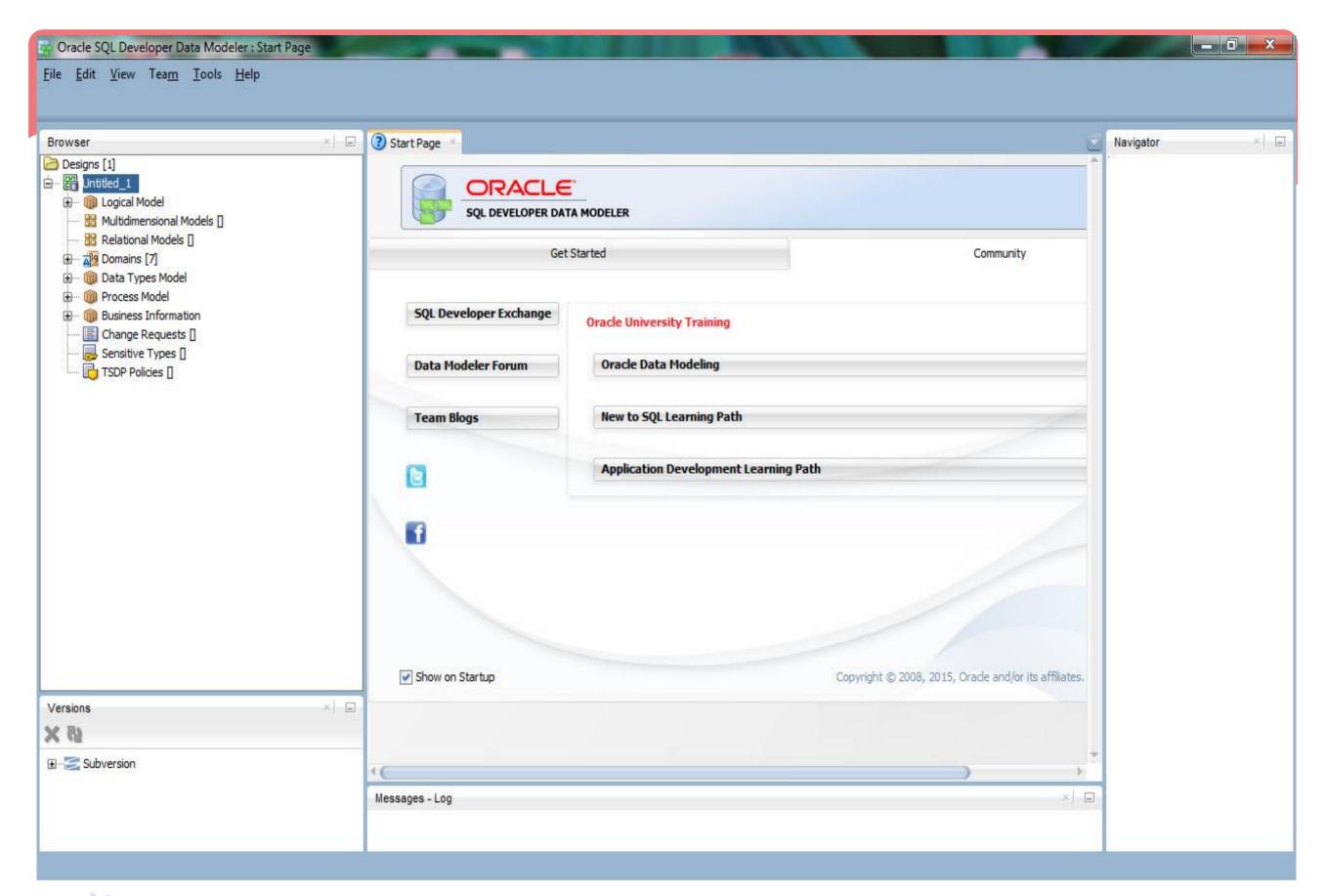
- \* A tool for database design (supports all the "new" Oracle features)
- \* Logical, relational, physical models, DDLs,...
- \* Multidimensional models (DW), Data Flows etc.
- \* For designing and documenting the data architecture and the database
- Support for all the phases in database design and easy moving from one to another, support for reverse engineering
- \* Support for version control and multiuser environment: XML files and Subversion



# What is Data Modeler? Godisnja konferencija

- \* Import: Oracle repository, existing databases, Oracle Designer, file import (Erwin, Bachman), ...
- \* Export: DDL, CSV, ...
- \* Reporting (in tool itself and also Reporting Repository)
- \* Standards: Design Rules, Preferences, Naming Standards, Domains, ...
- Data Modeler viewer integrated in SQL Developer (3.0 ->), also reports







# Agenda for this presentation



- Journaling tables and other Table DDL Transformation
   Scripts
- \* User Defined Properties
- \* Search
- \* Compare
- \* Reverse Engineer



# Preferences and Properties



\* Every version brings new Preferences and Properties to better enable you to tune the tool for your needs





# Journaling

\* How to create journaling tables in DM 4.1?



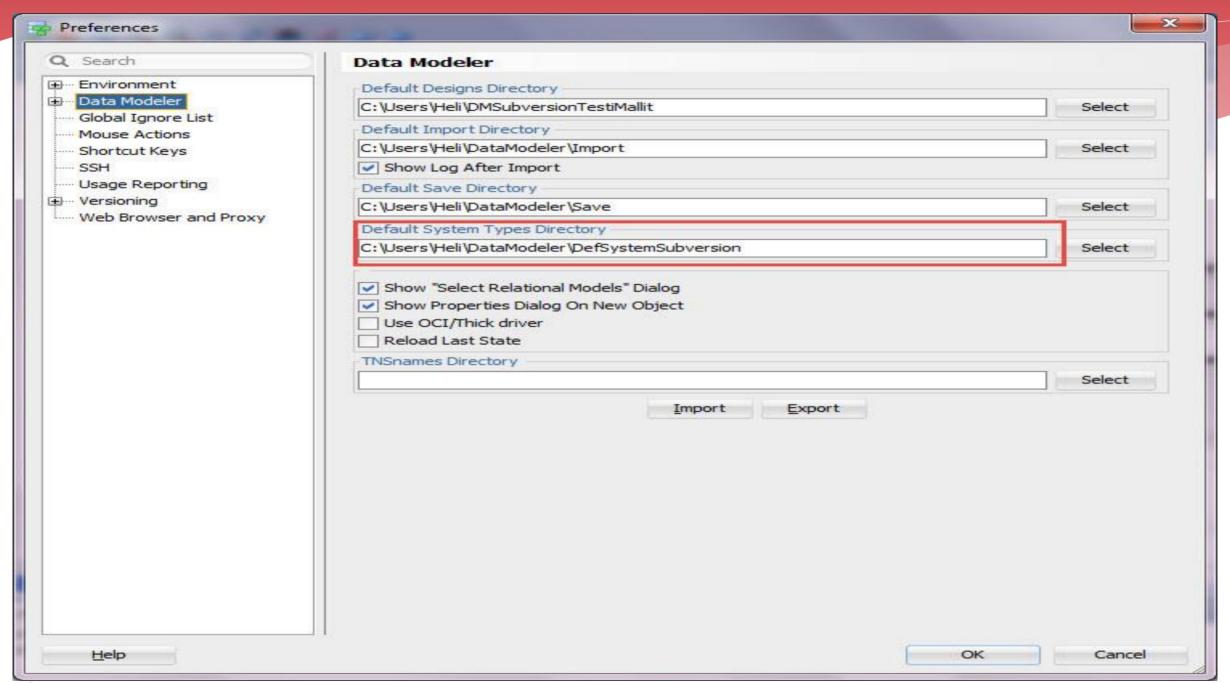


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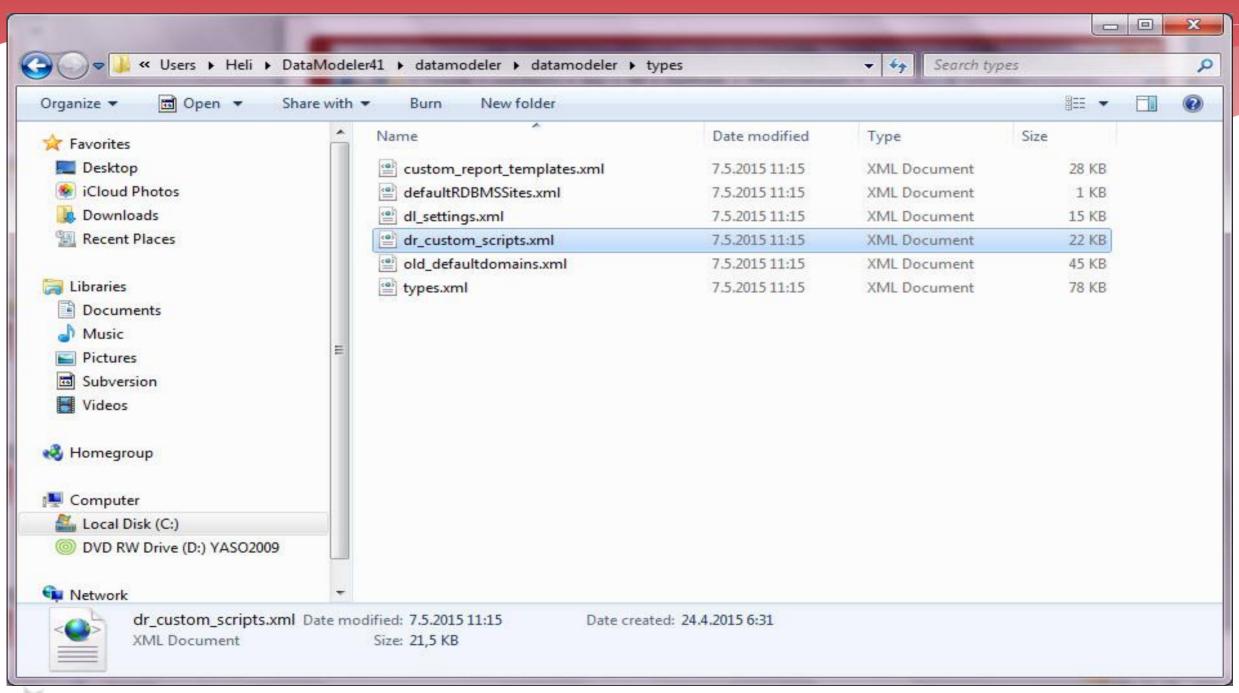
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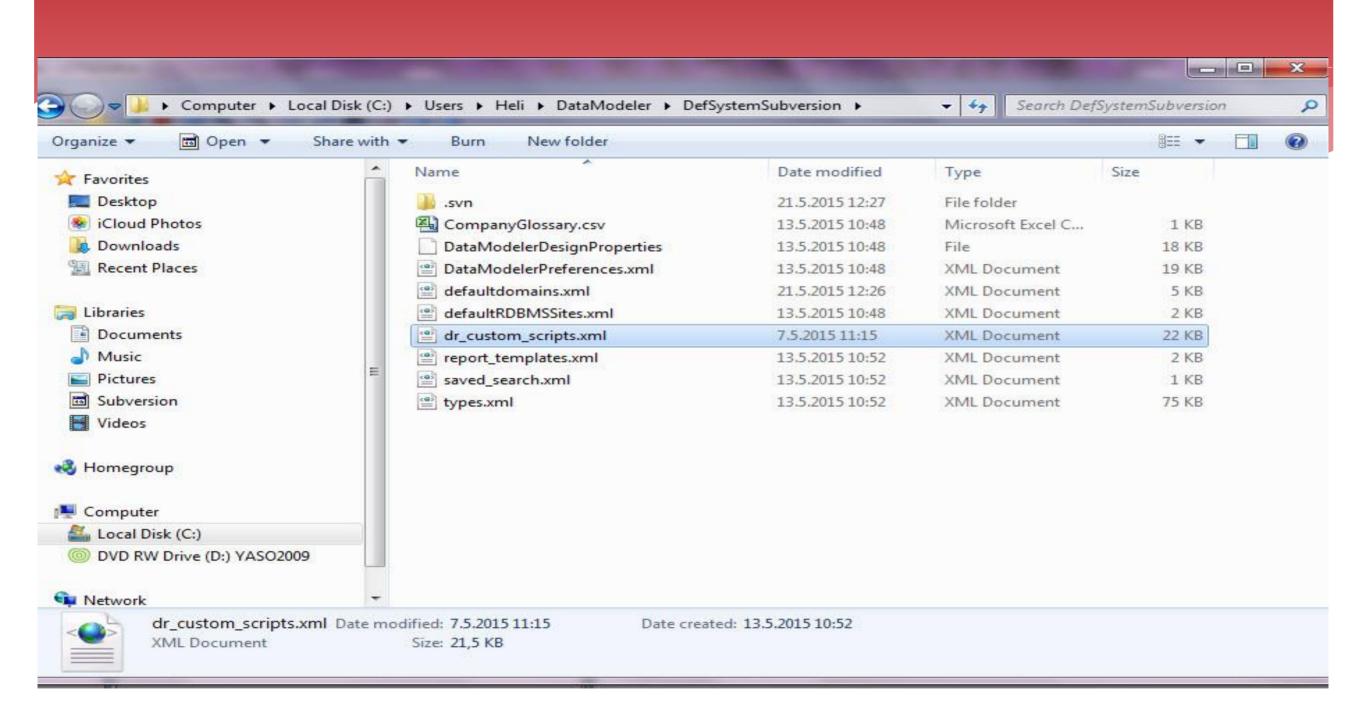
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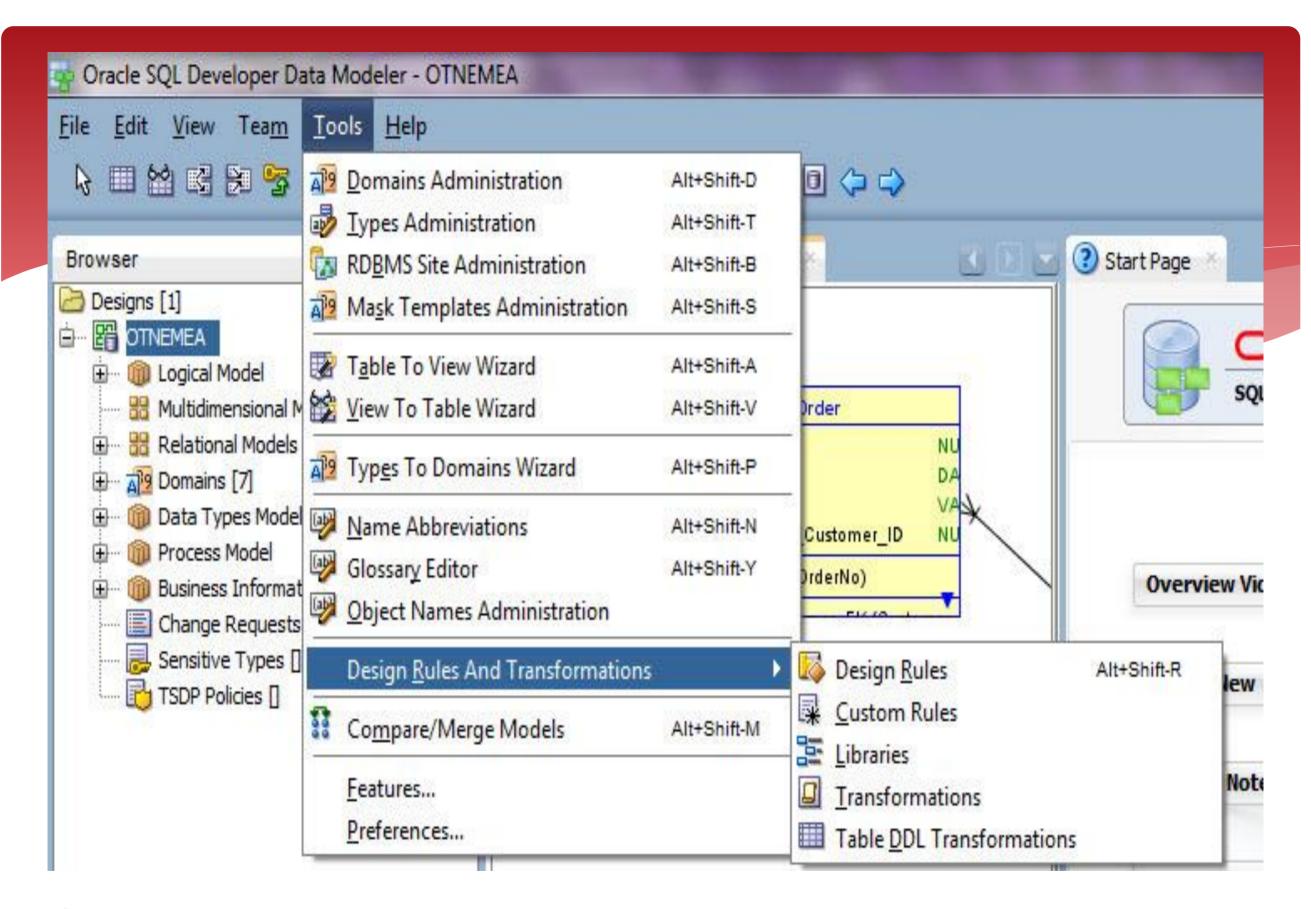




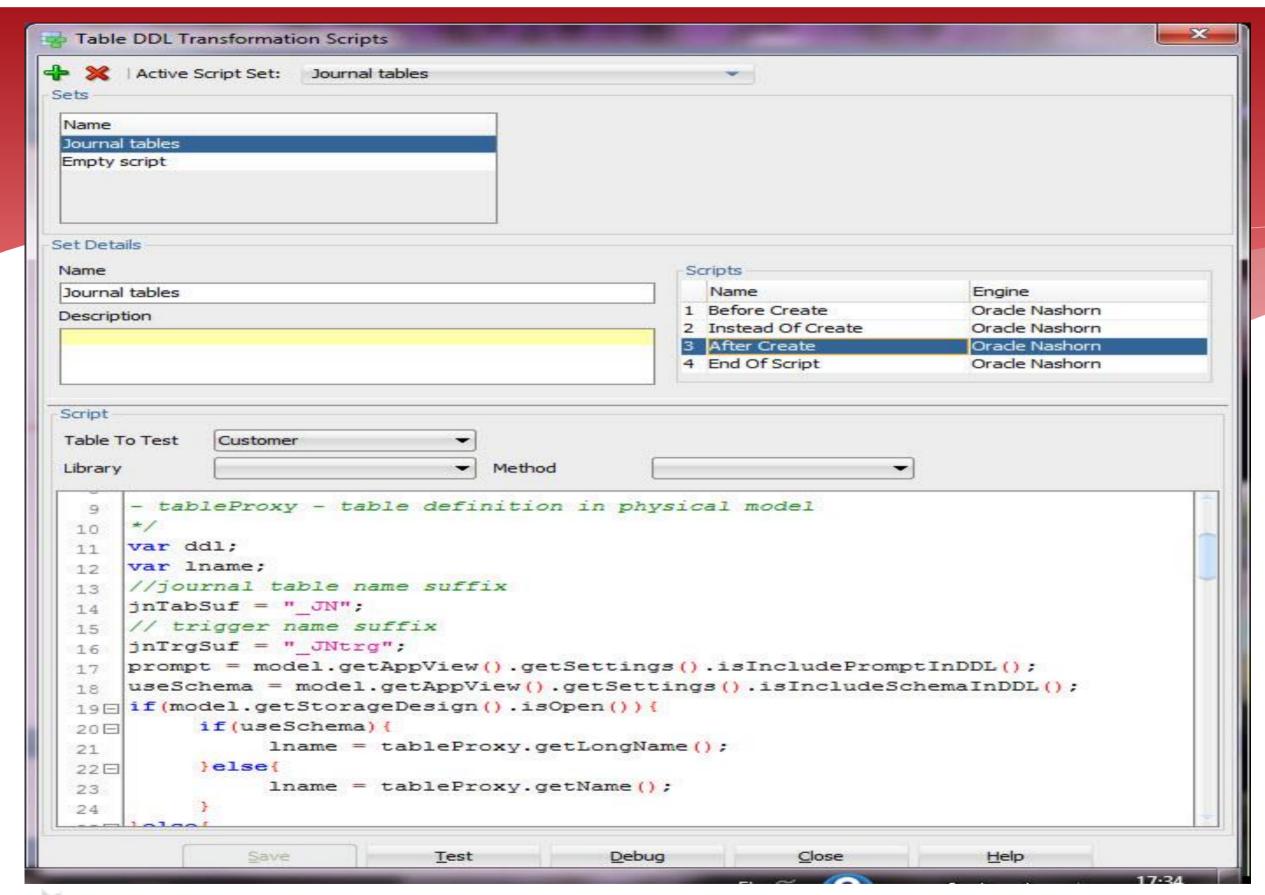


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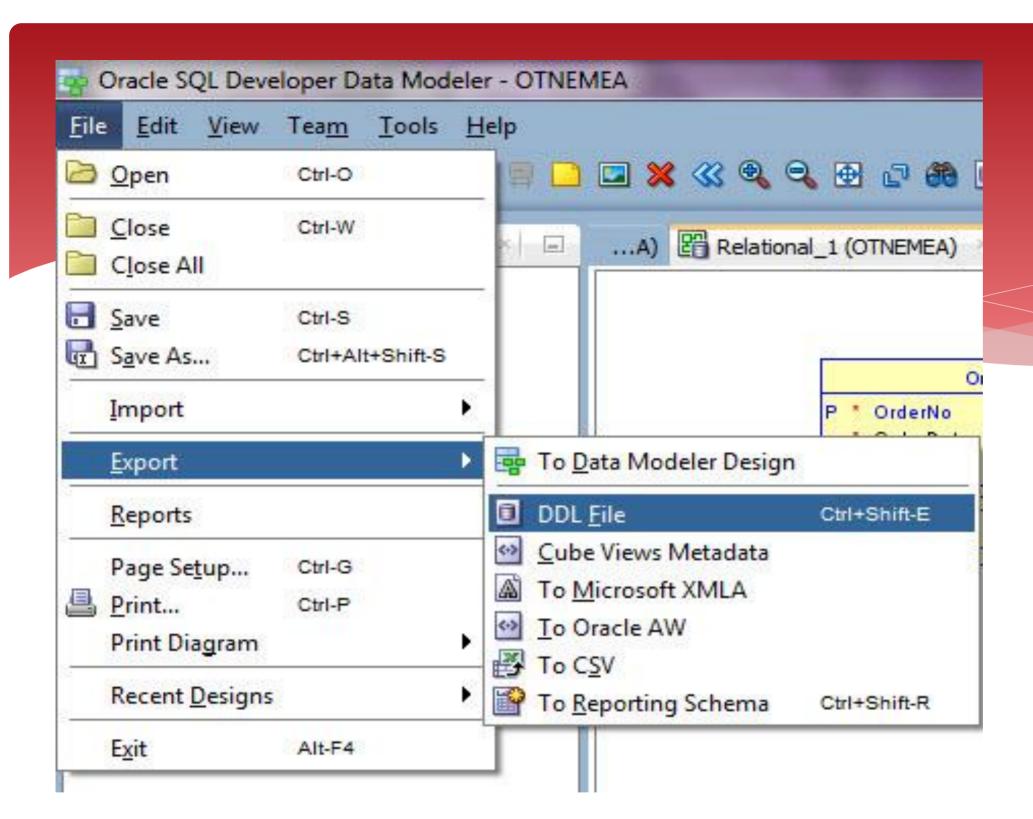






#### Generate DDLs



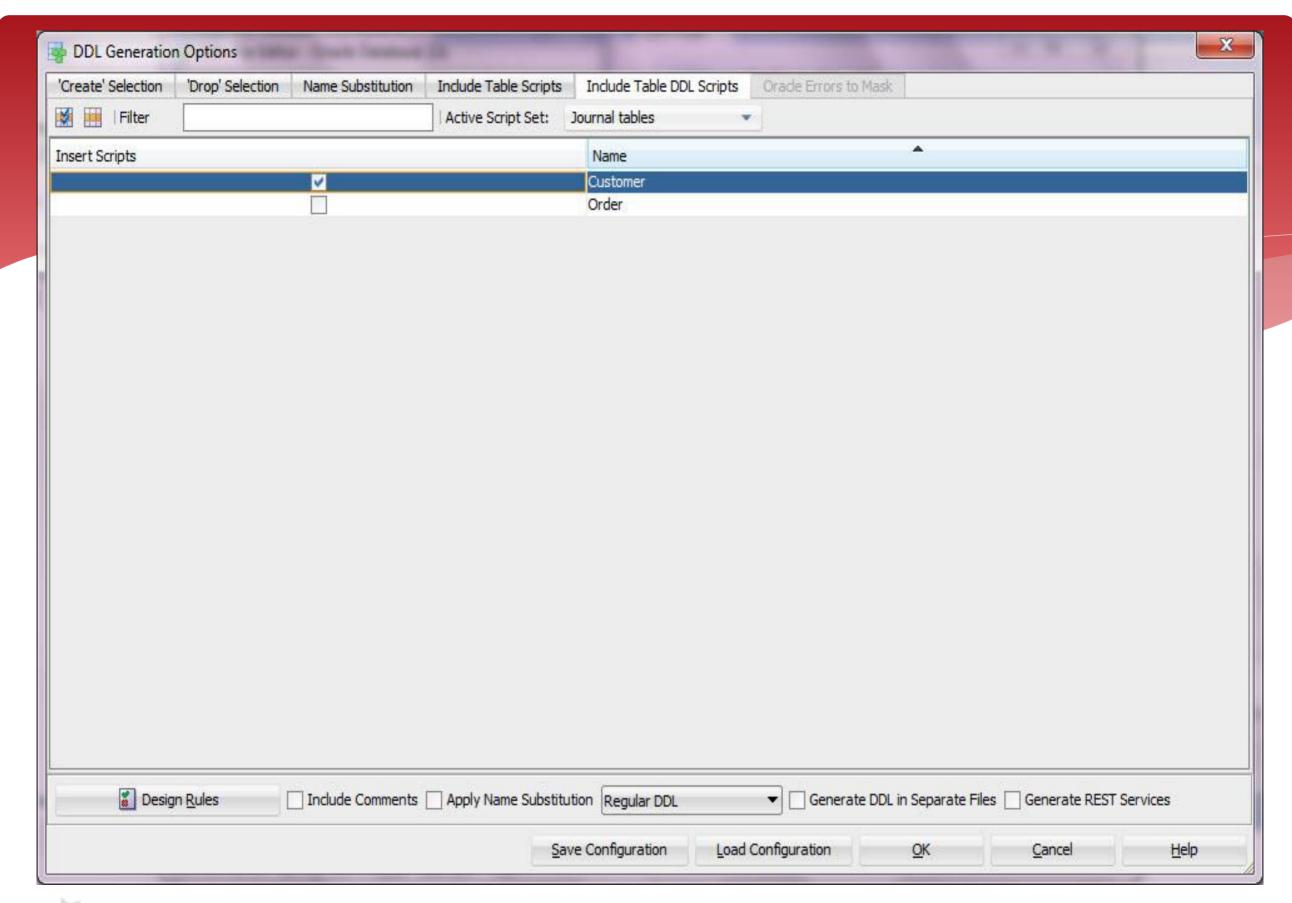




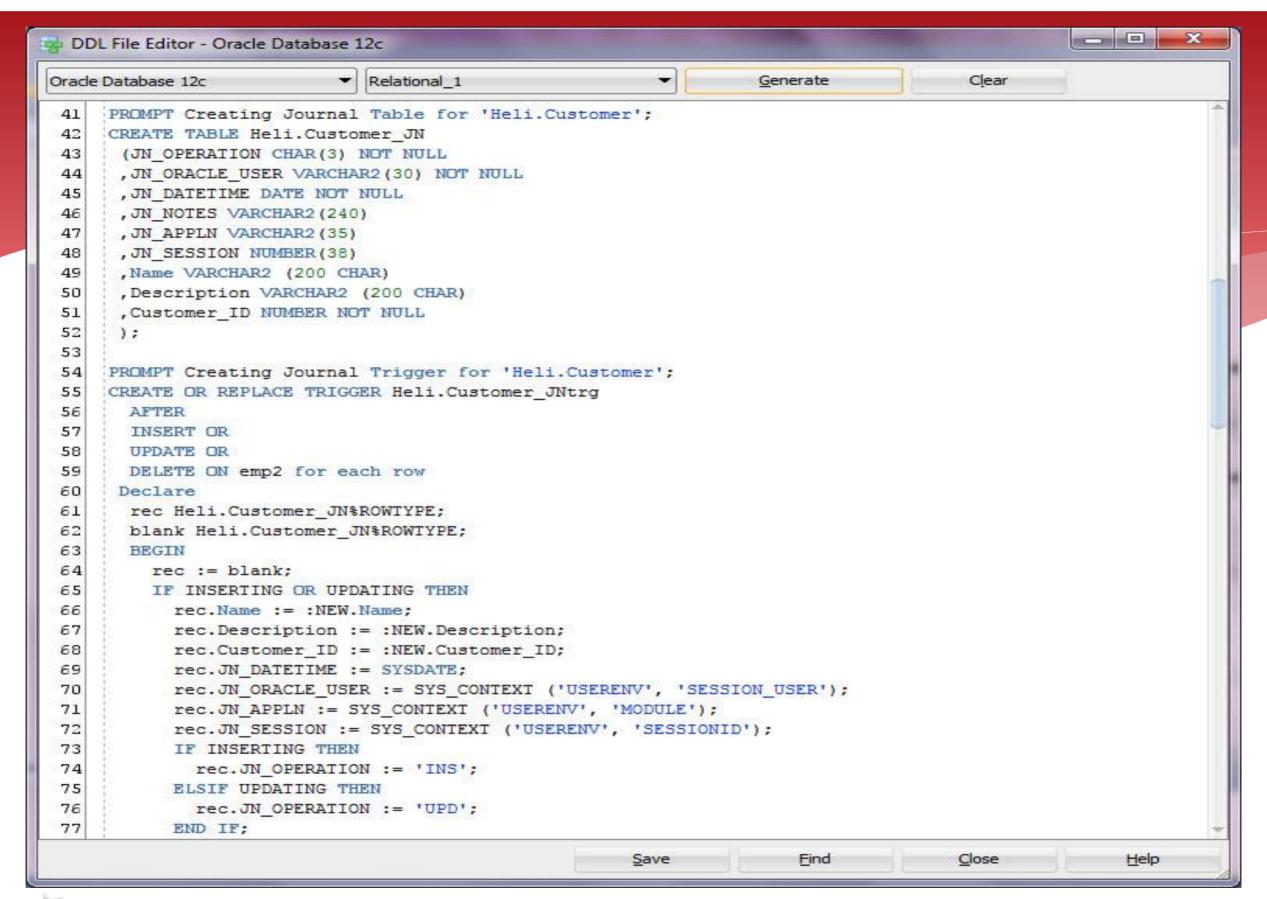
# Select the scripts and tables













# What else can I do with those Table DDL Transformation Scripts?

- \* Anything!
- \* For instance you want to generate DDL for a RDBMS that is not supported by Data Modeler? Use this functionality (instead of create)!



# User Defined Properties (UDPs)

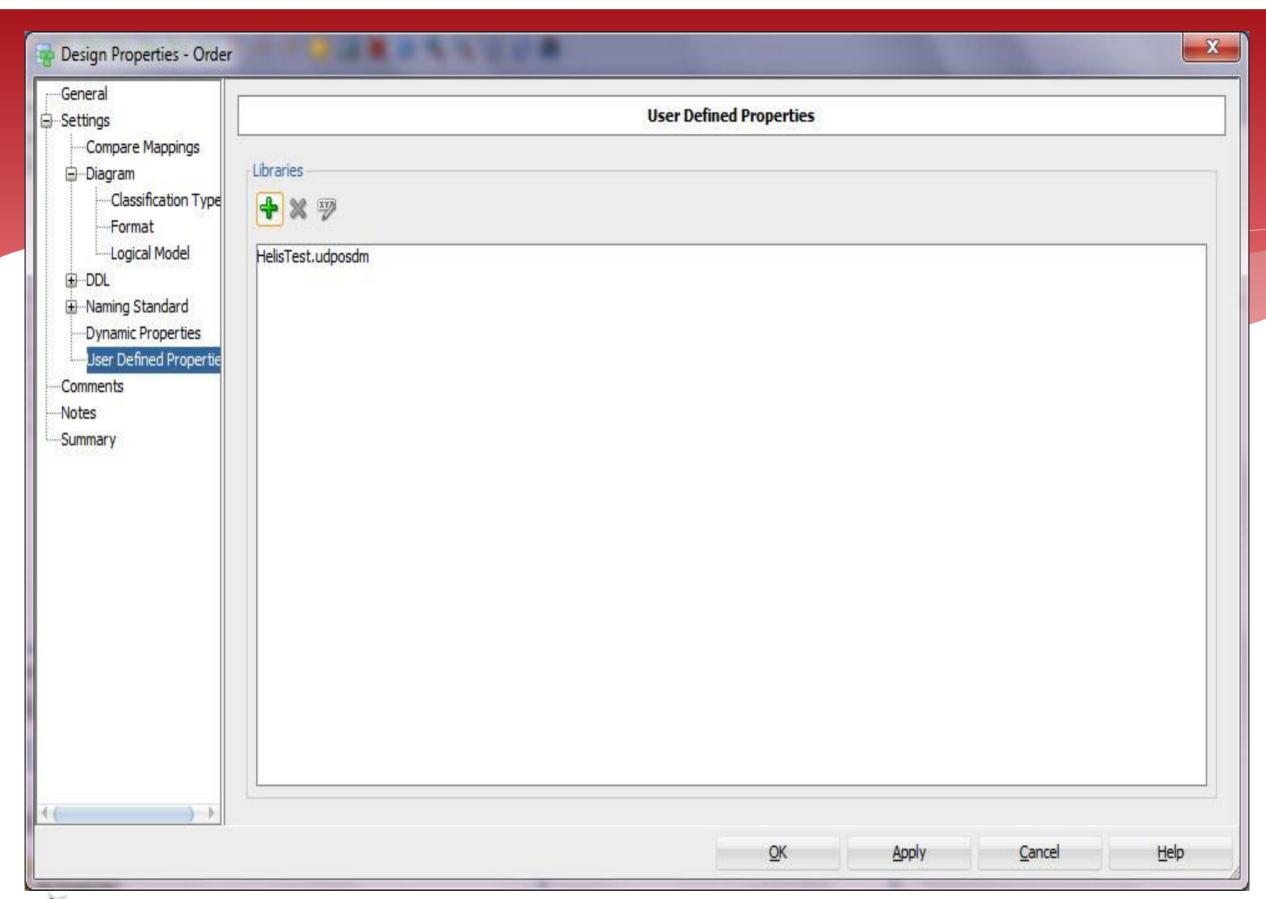




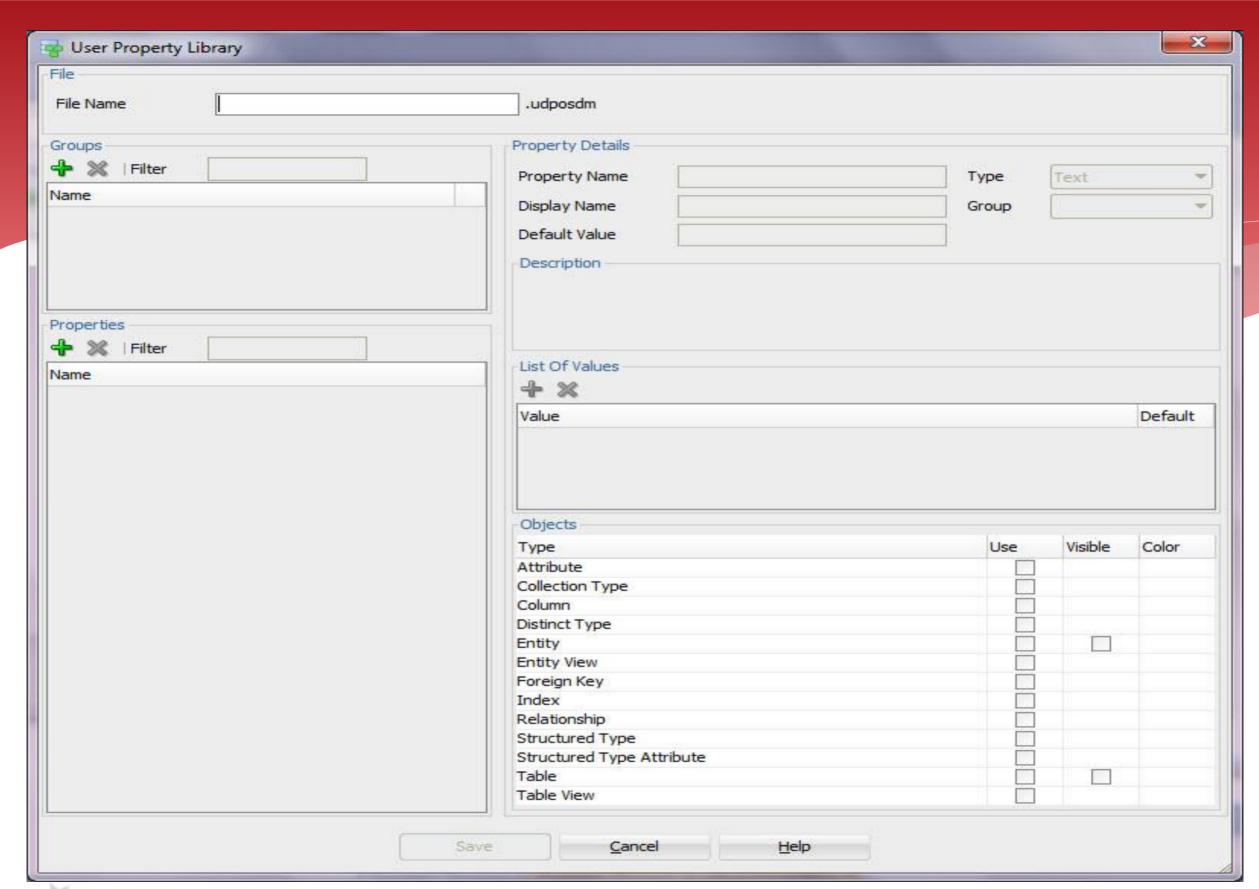
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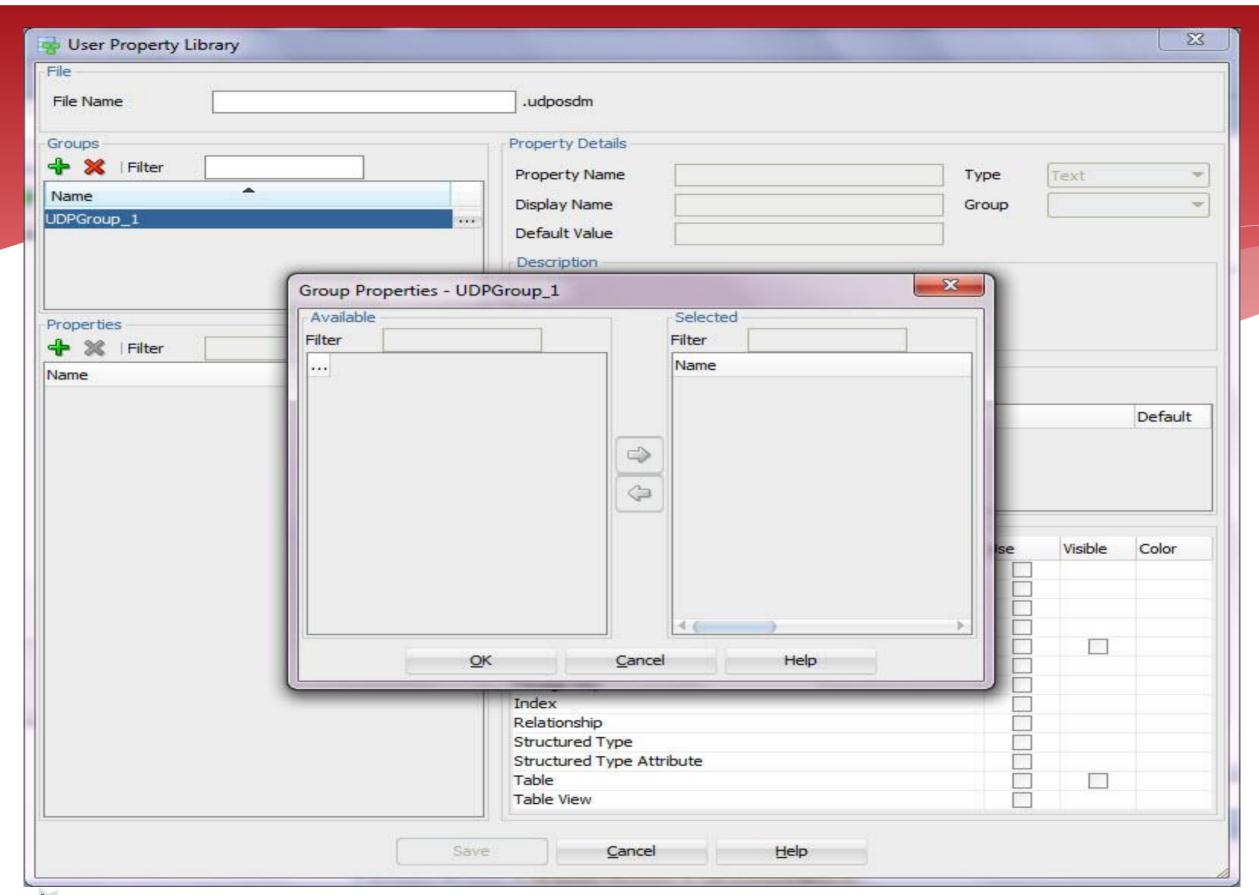




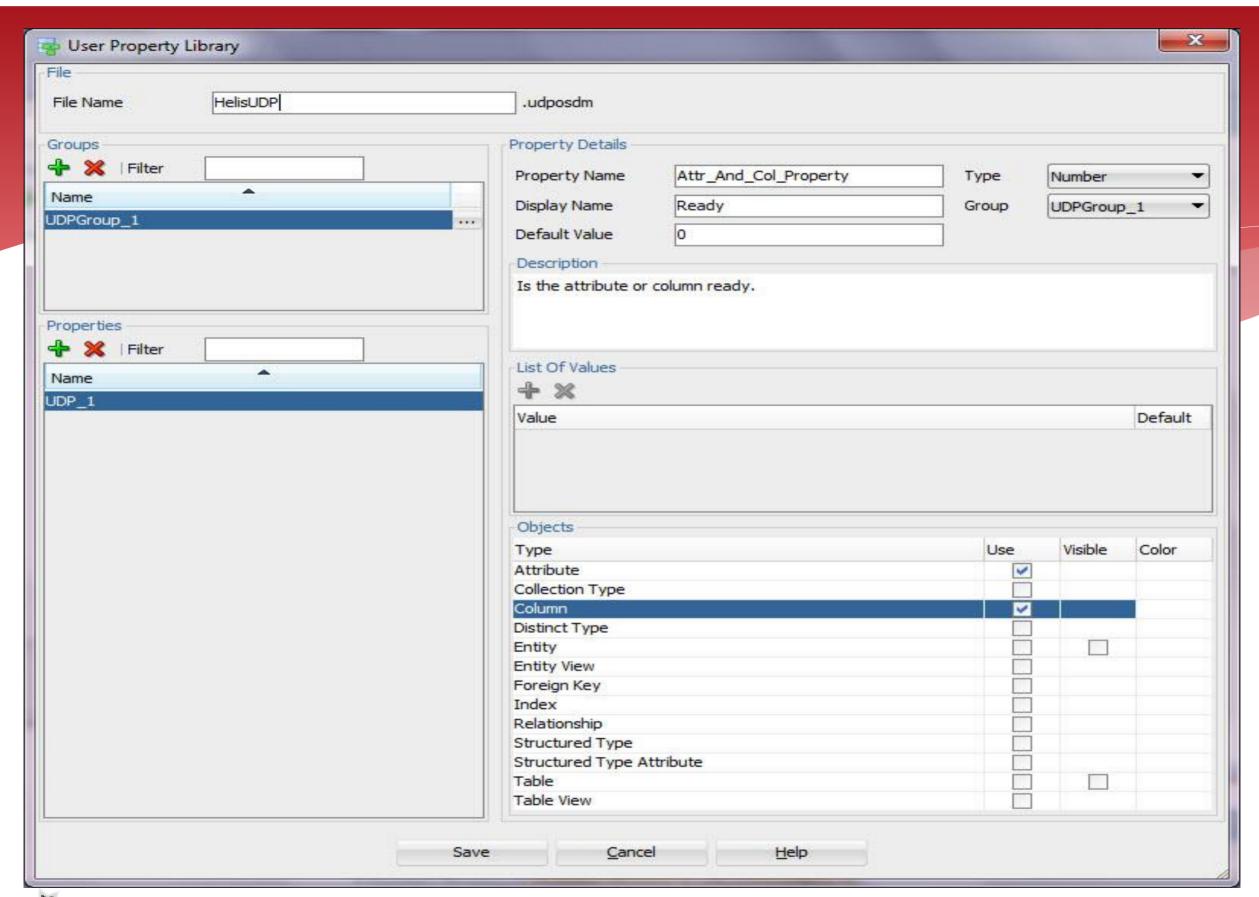




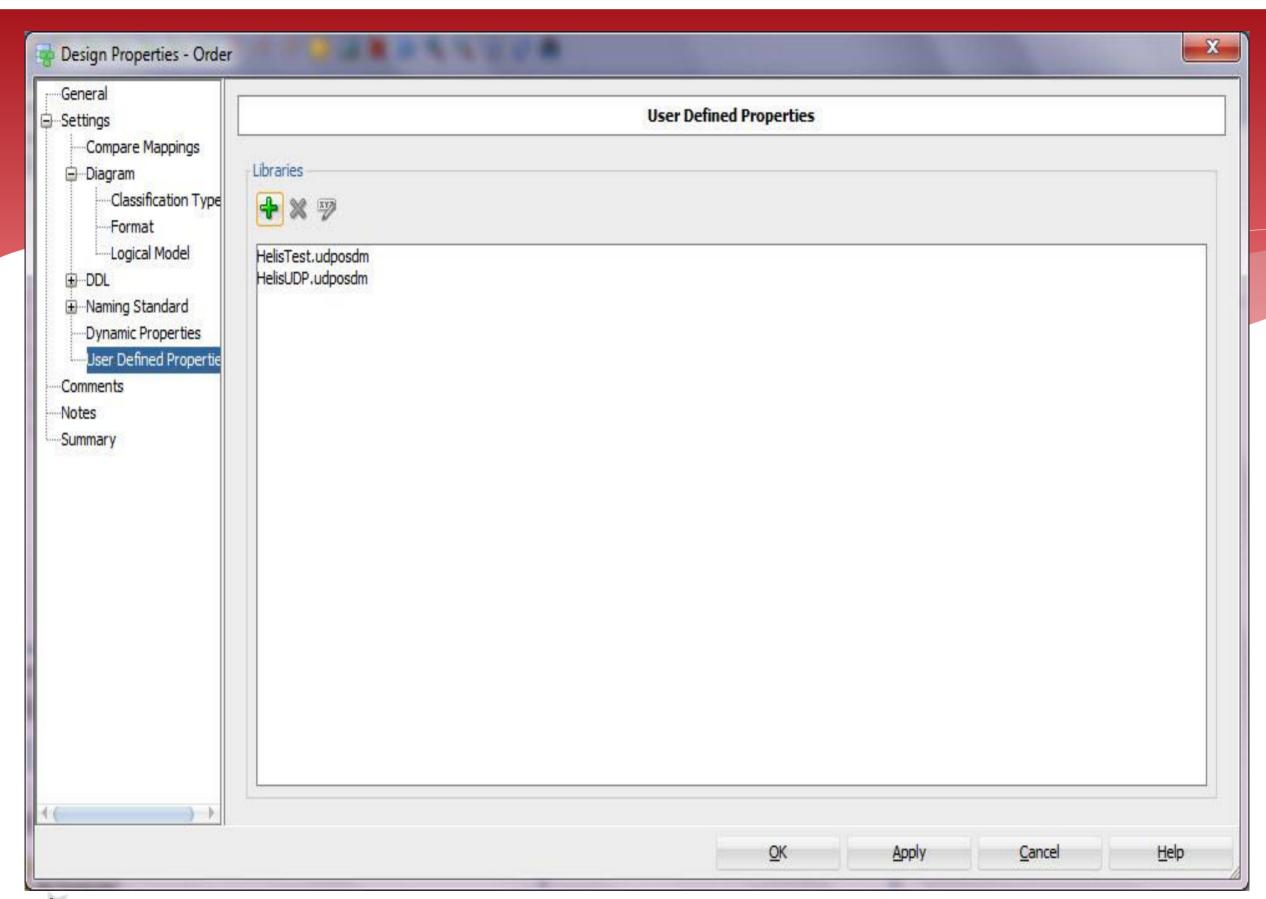




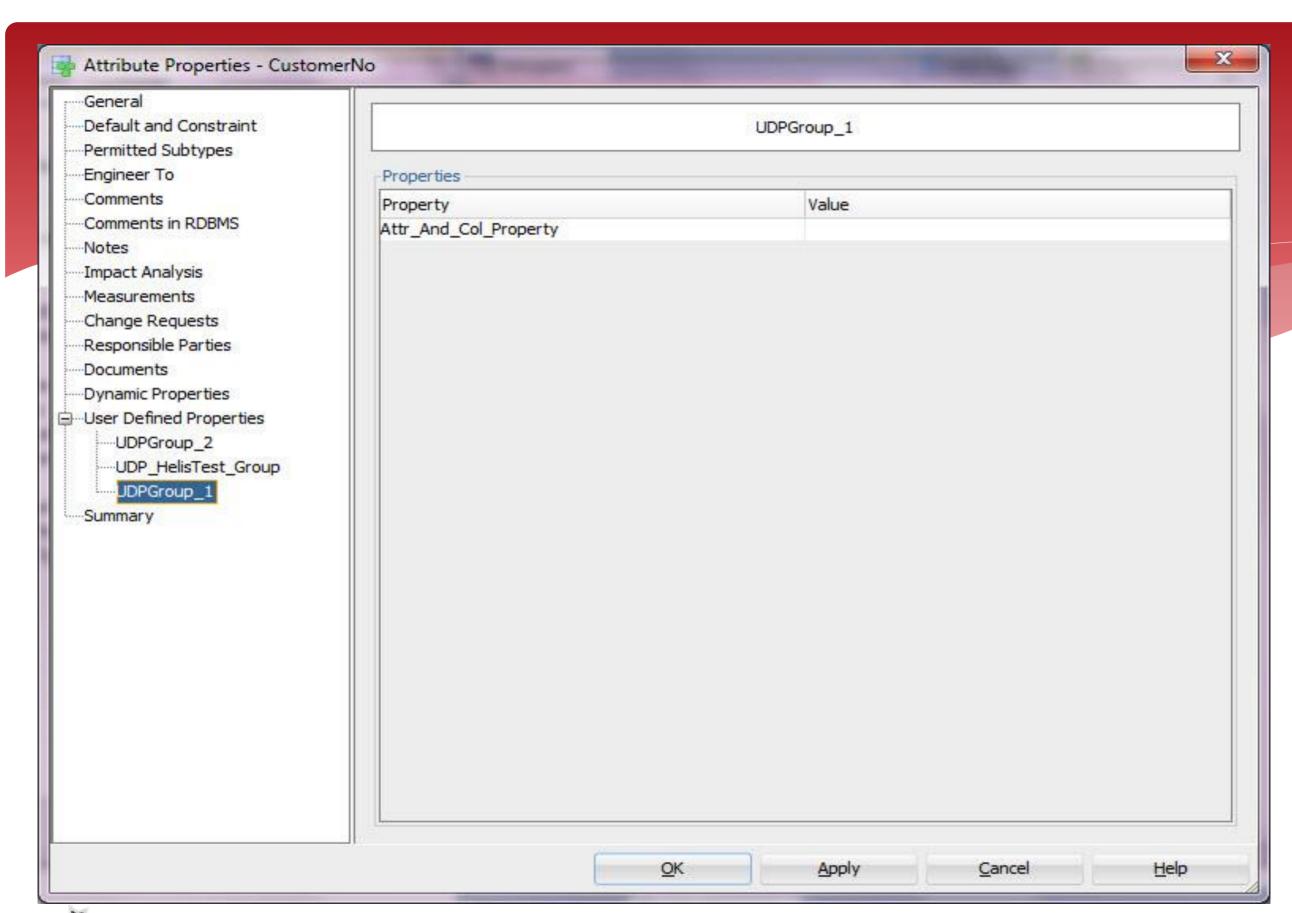














# Why would I like to use UDPs?



\* For instance any UDP can be used in search as any "normal" property...





### Search





## Search, v 4.1

- \* Search inside an active model
  - \* View | Model Search
  - \* Search icon on tool bar
- \* Search the active pane (incl Message Log)
  - \* Edit | Find
- Search globally on open designs
  - \* View | Global Search
- Search the Help
  - \* Help | Search





# Search for Reporting

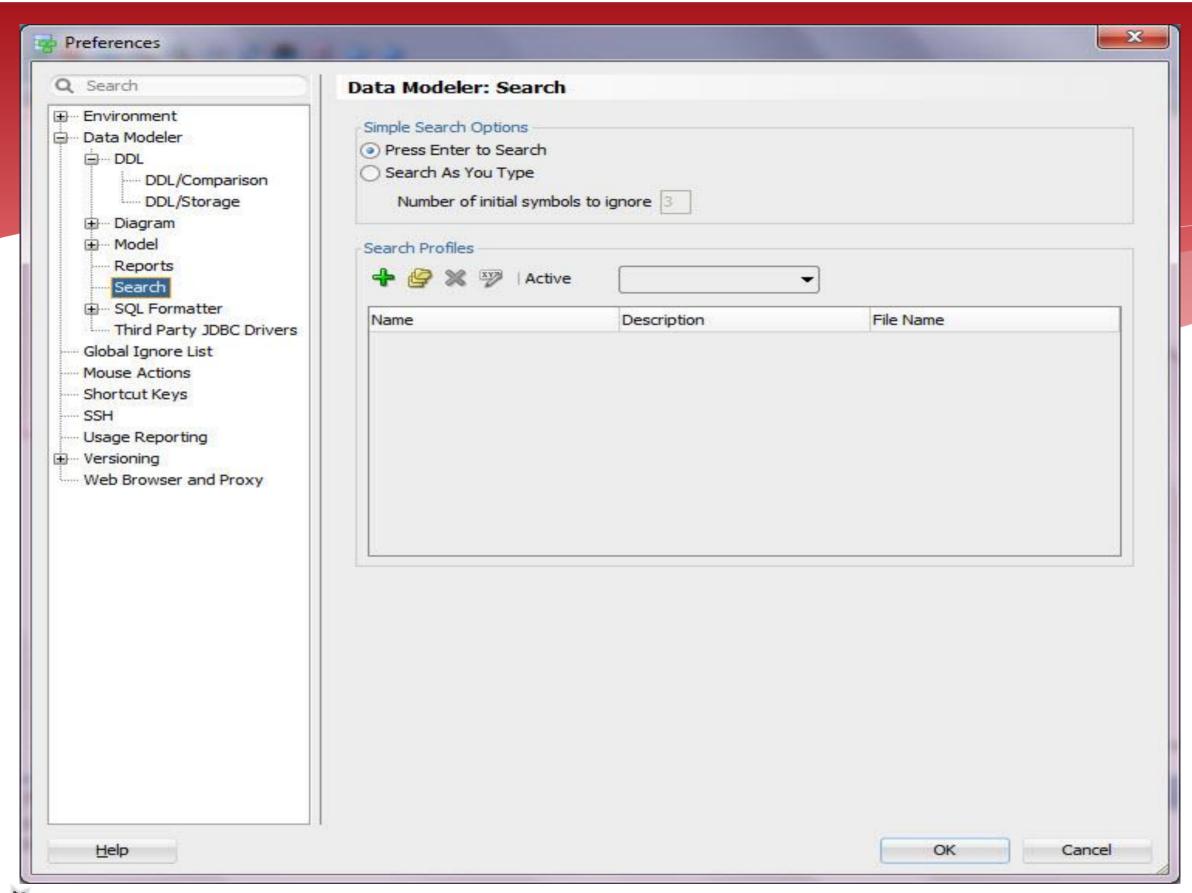
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## Preferences

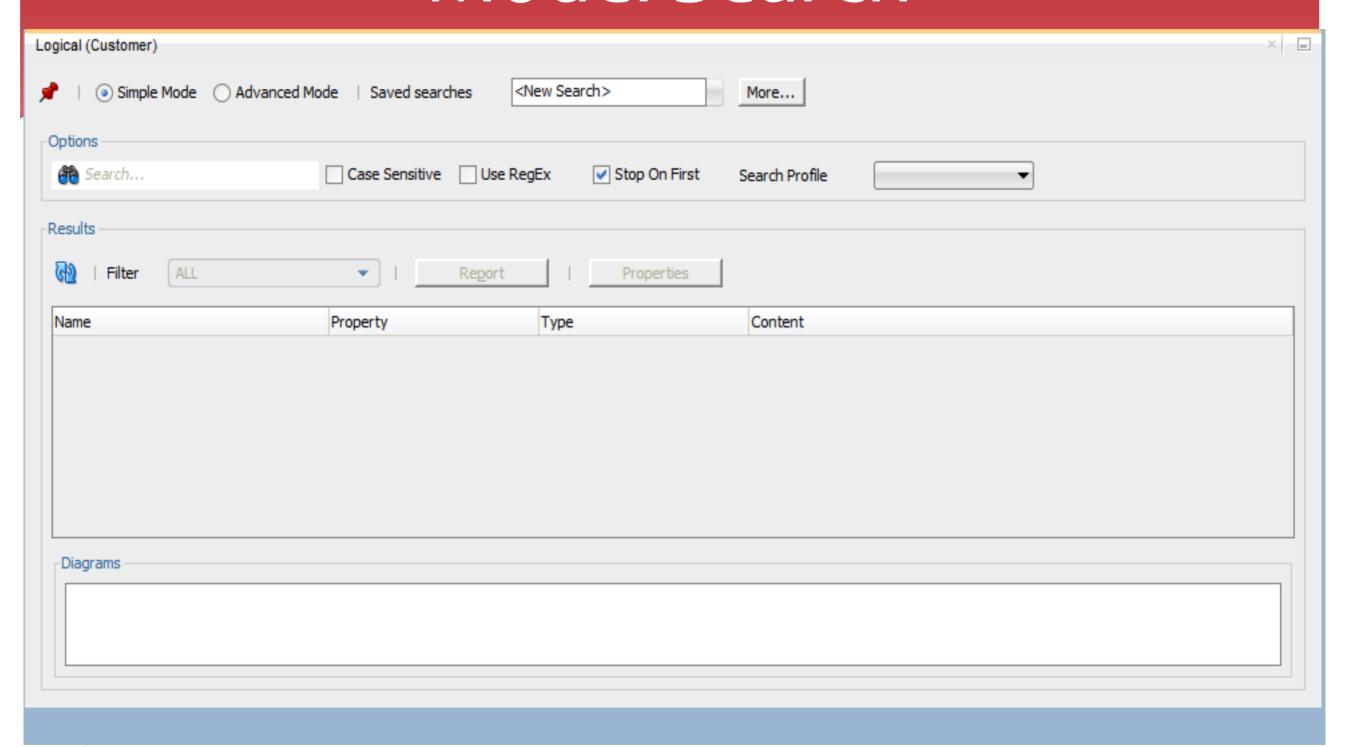








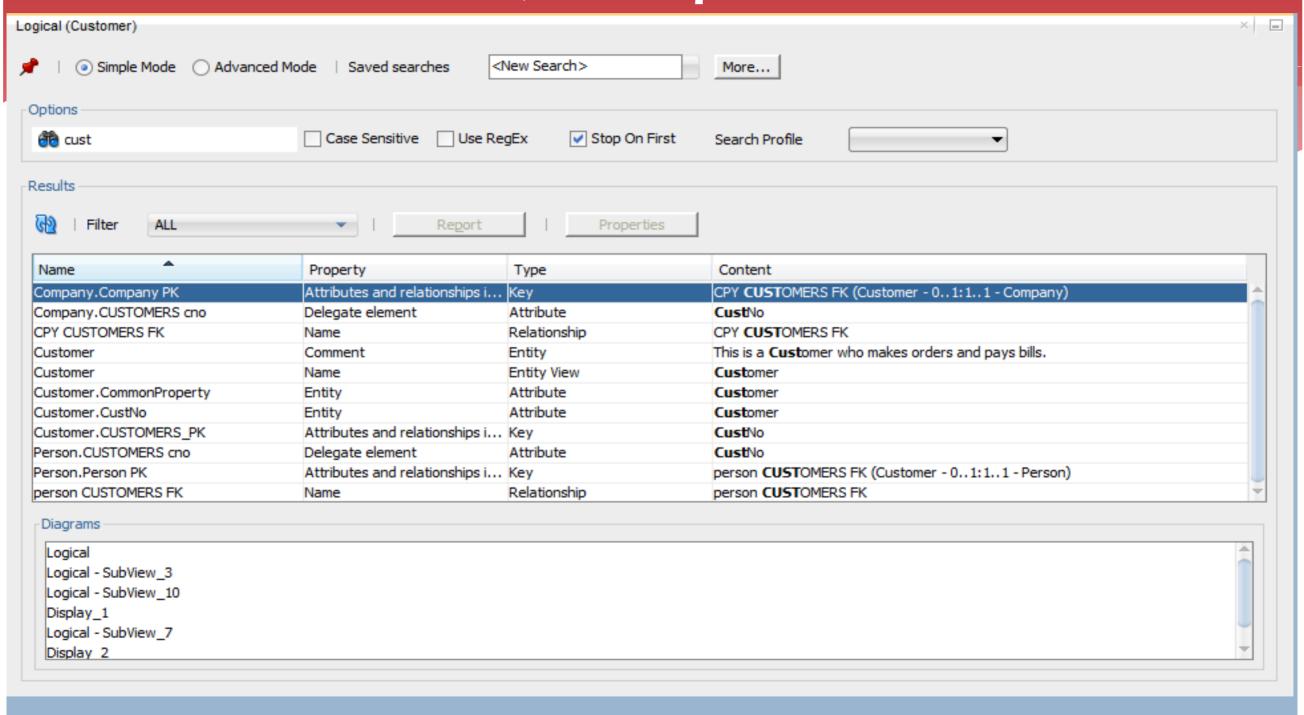
#### Model Search







#### Search, Simple Mode



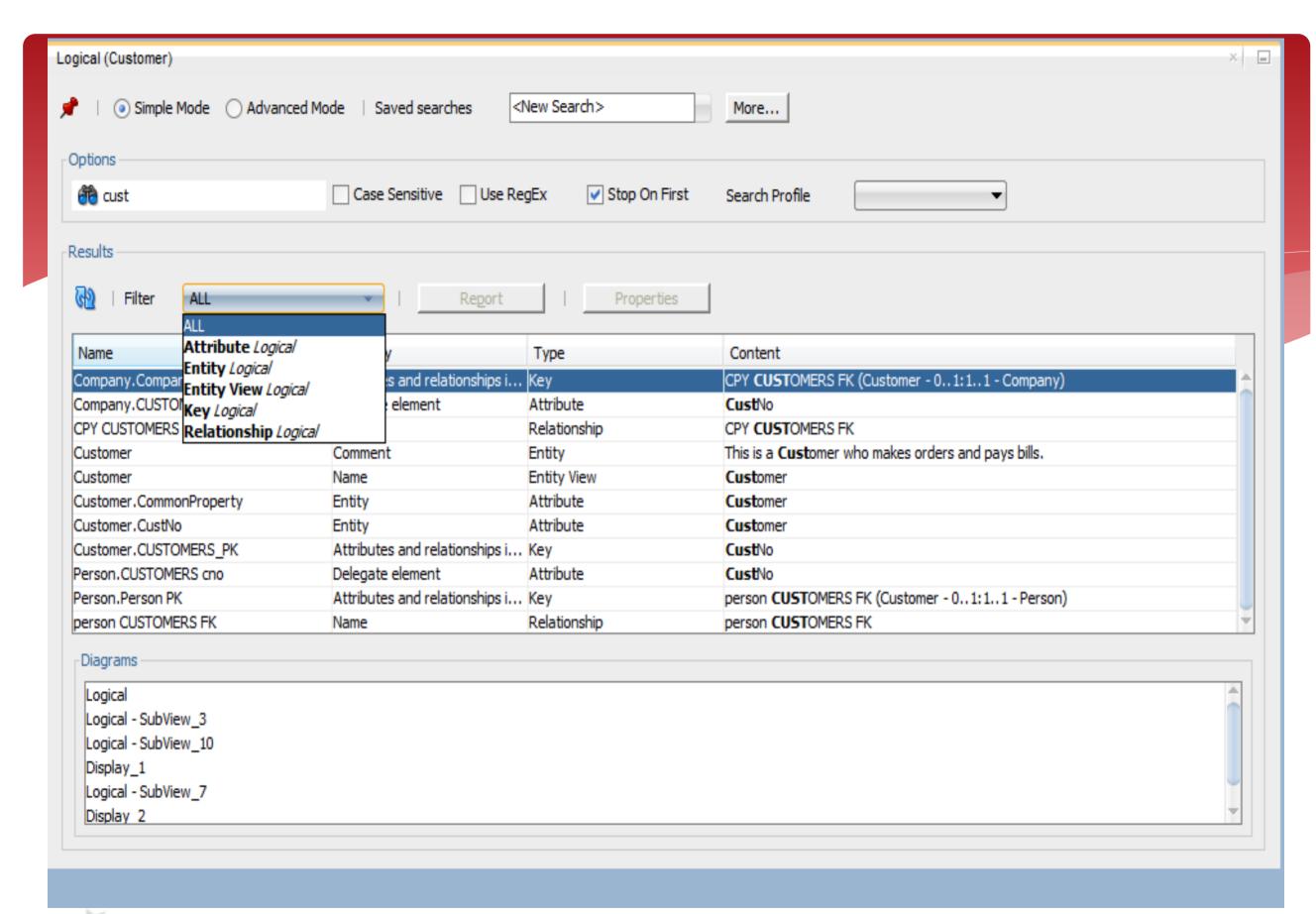




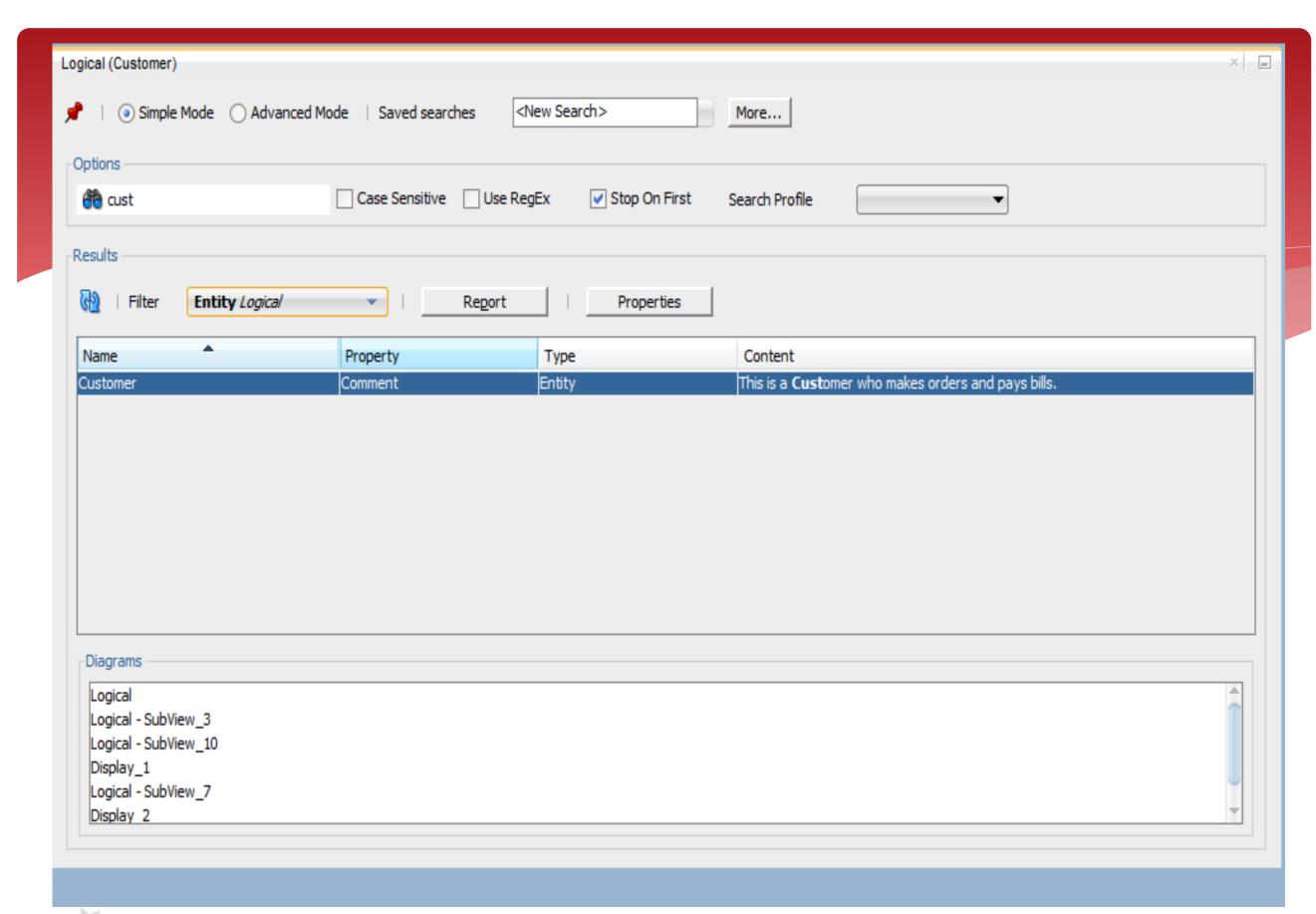
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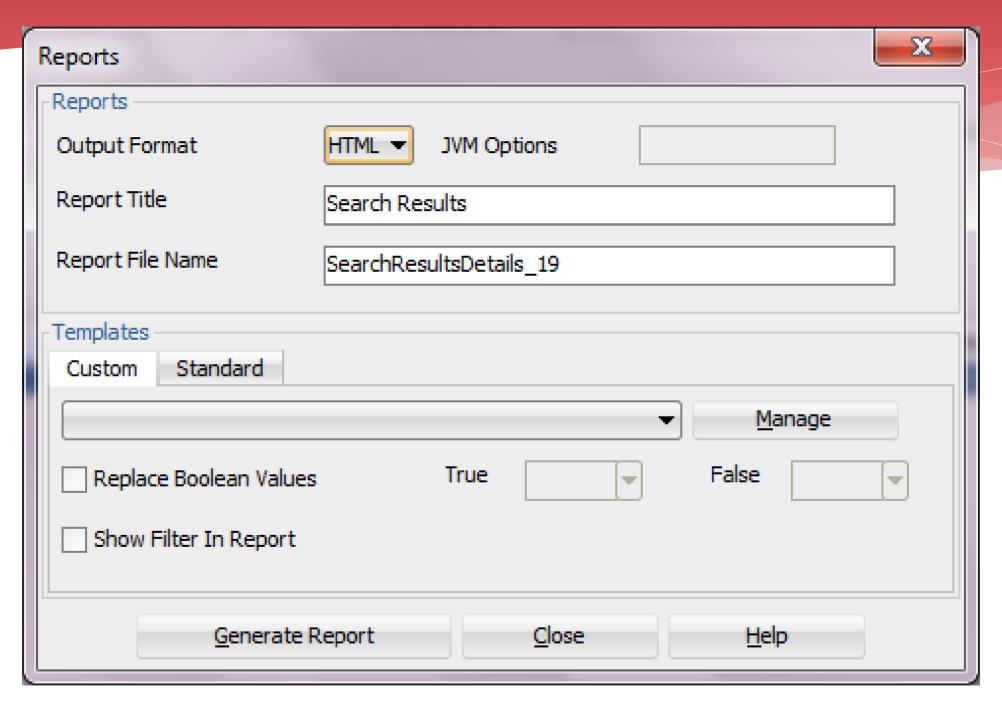






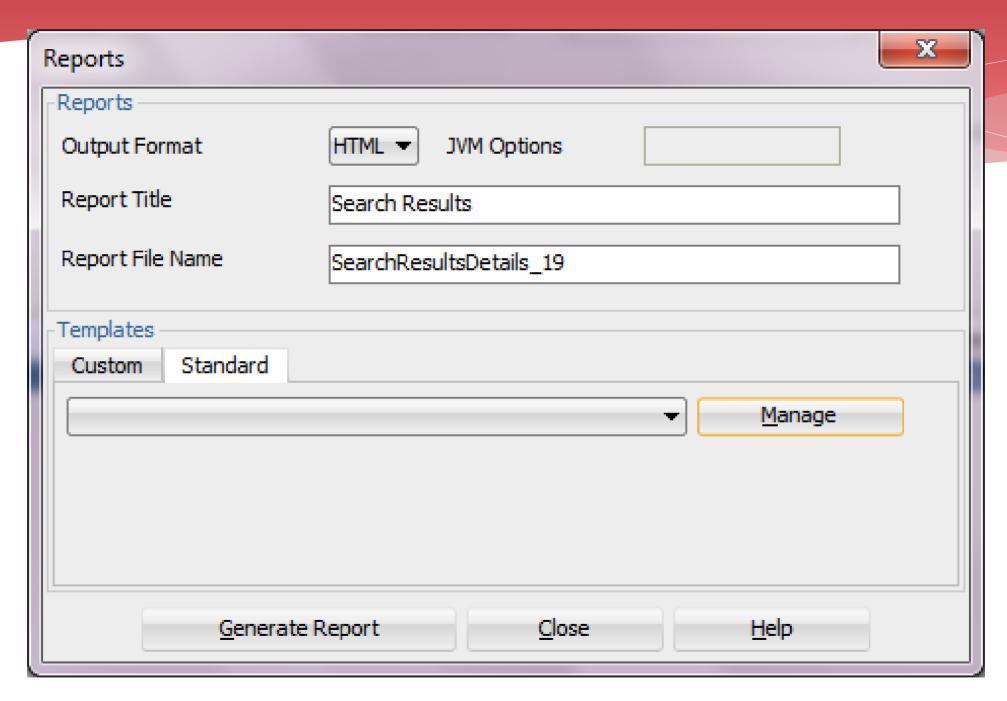










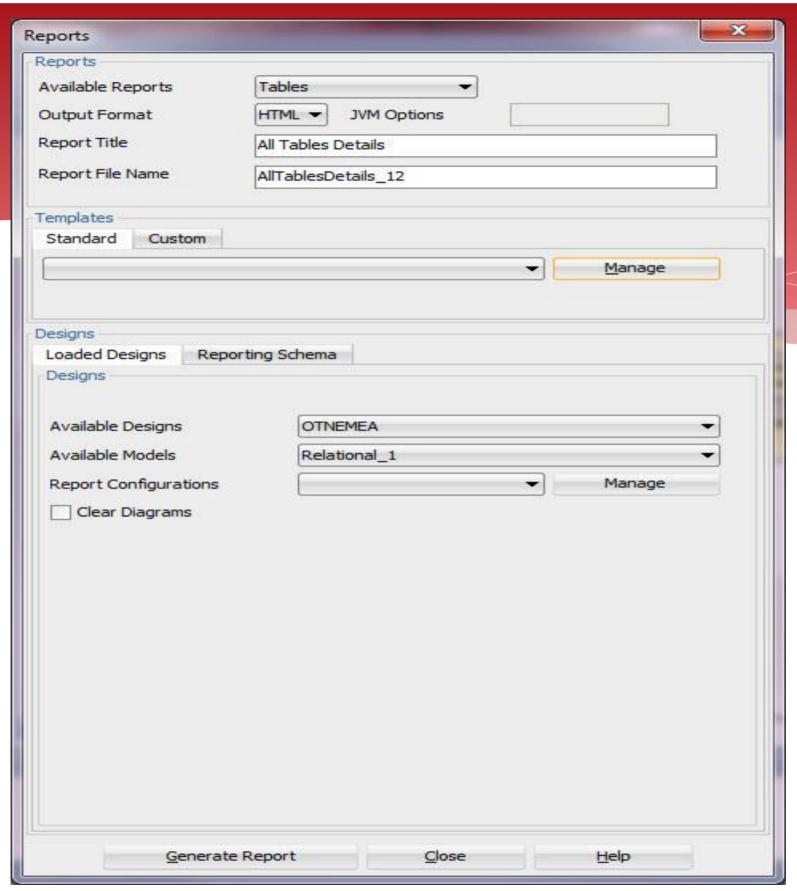






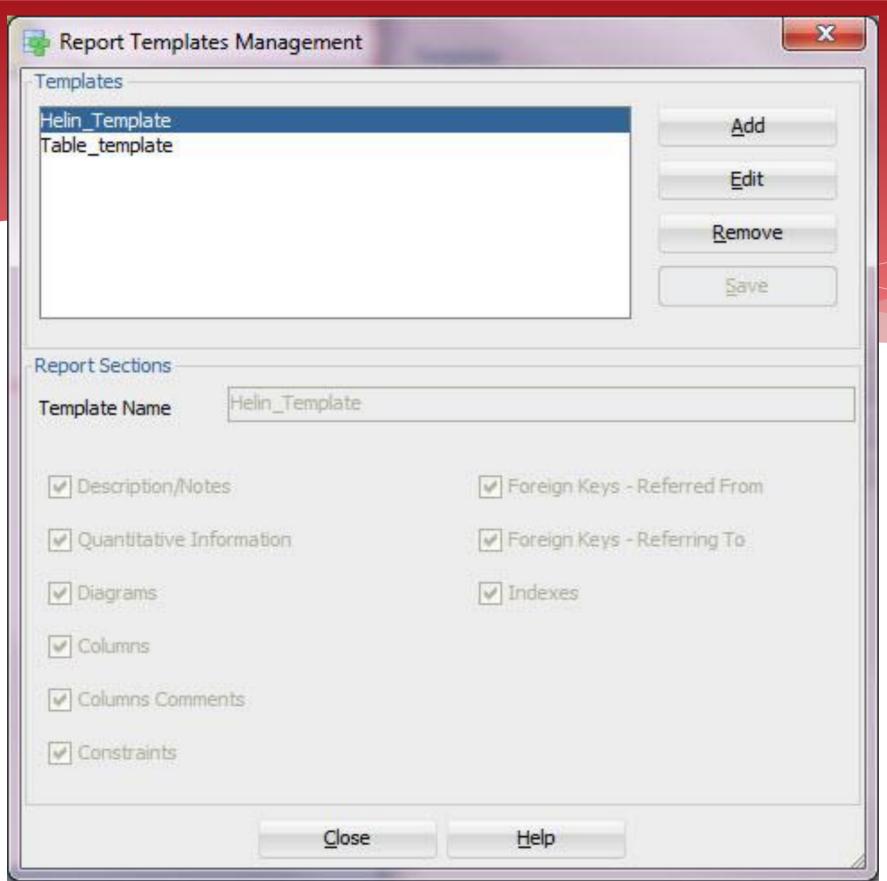
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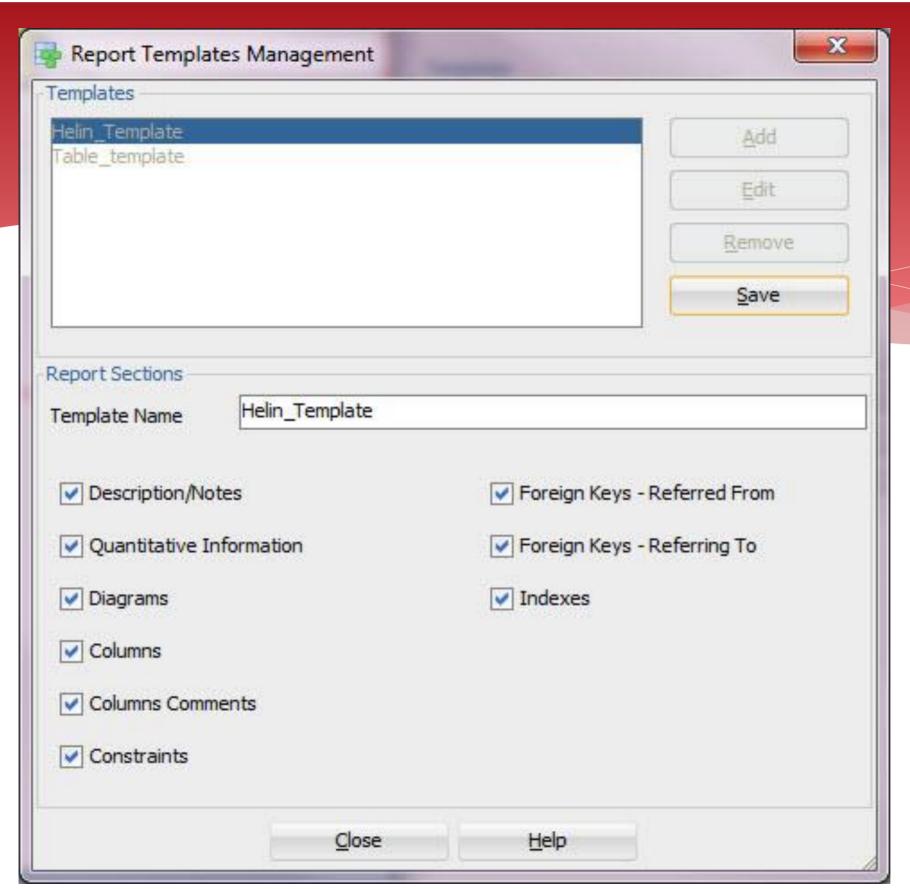








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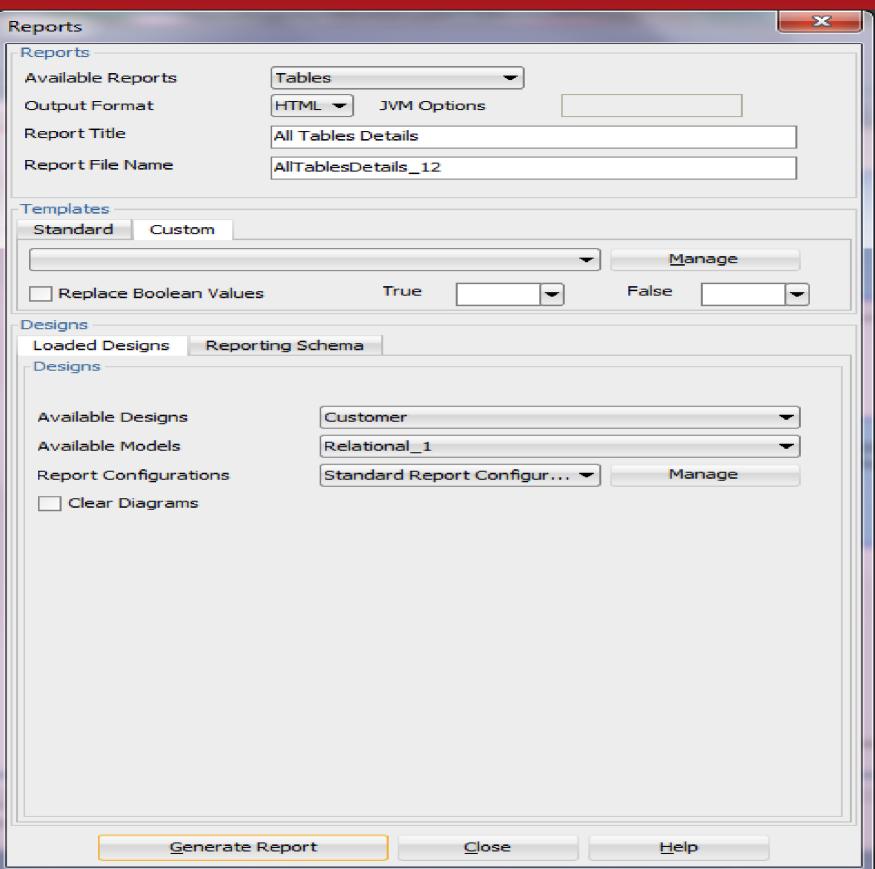






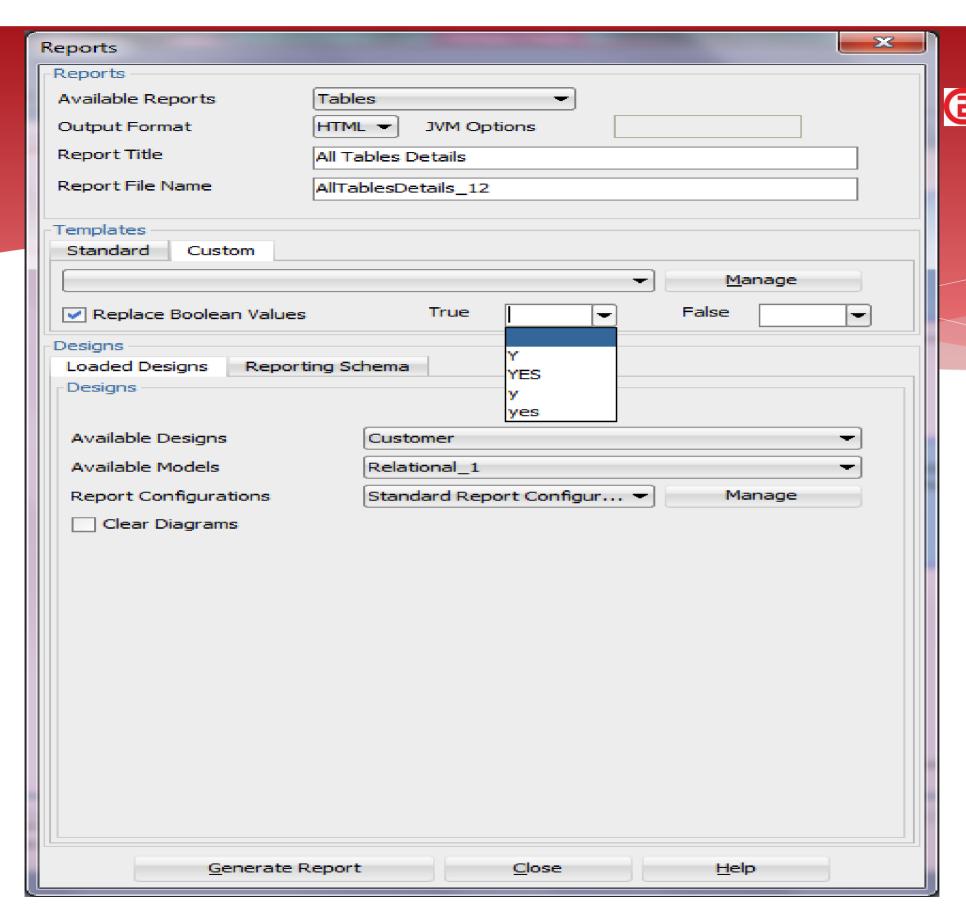
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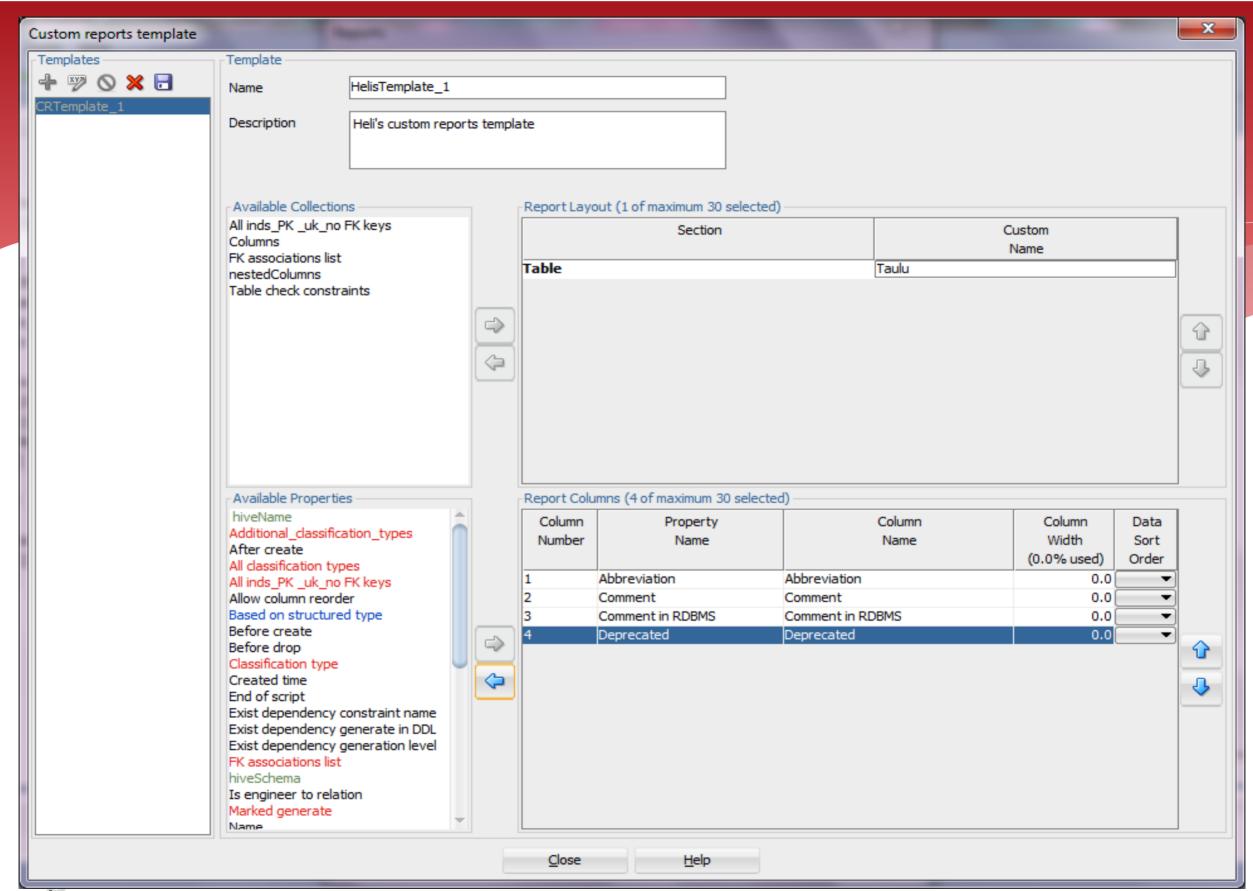




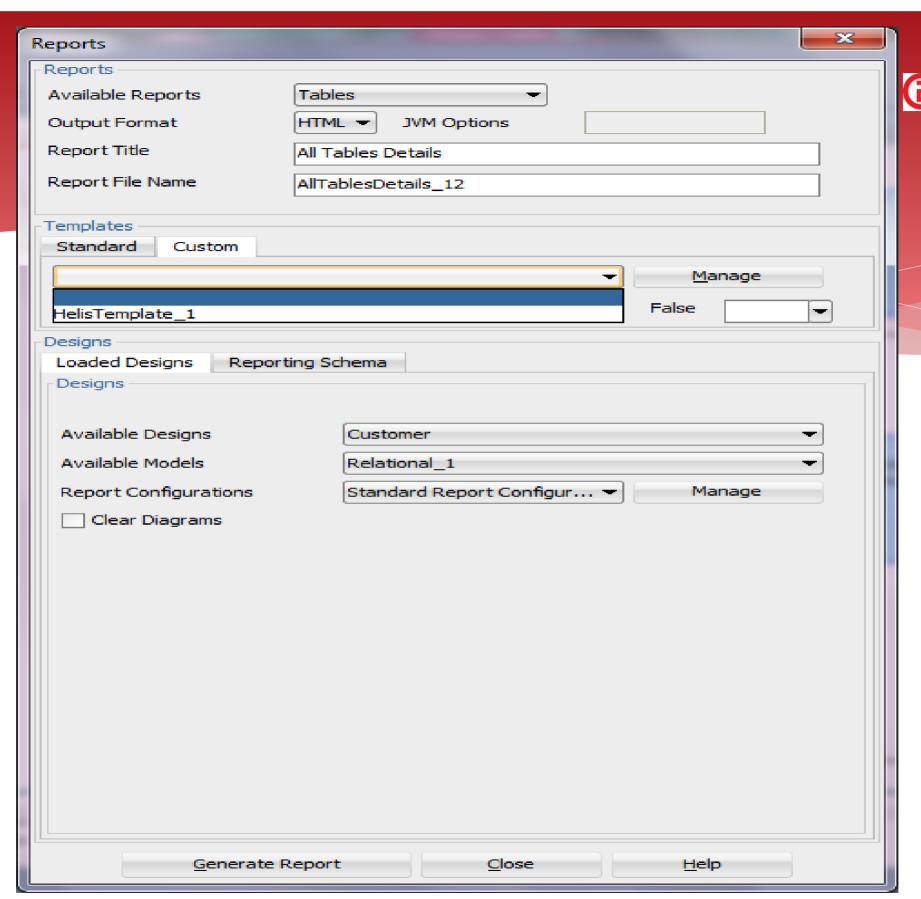












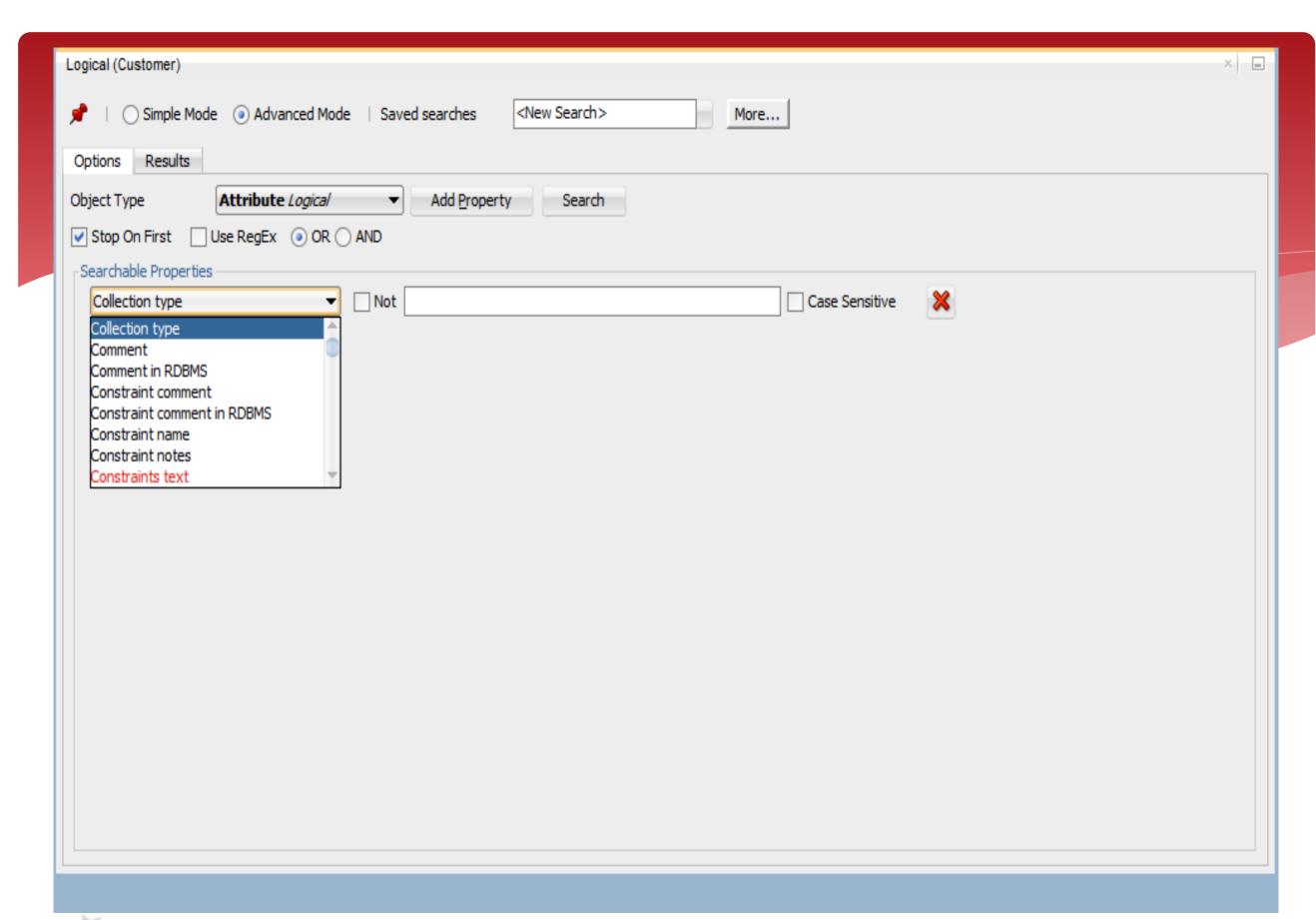


#### Search, Advanced Mode

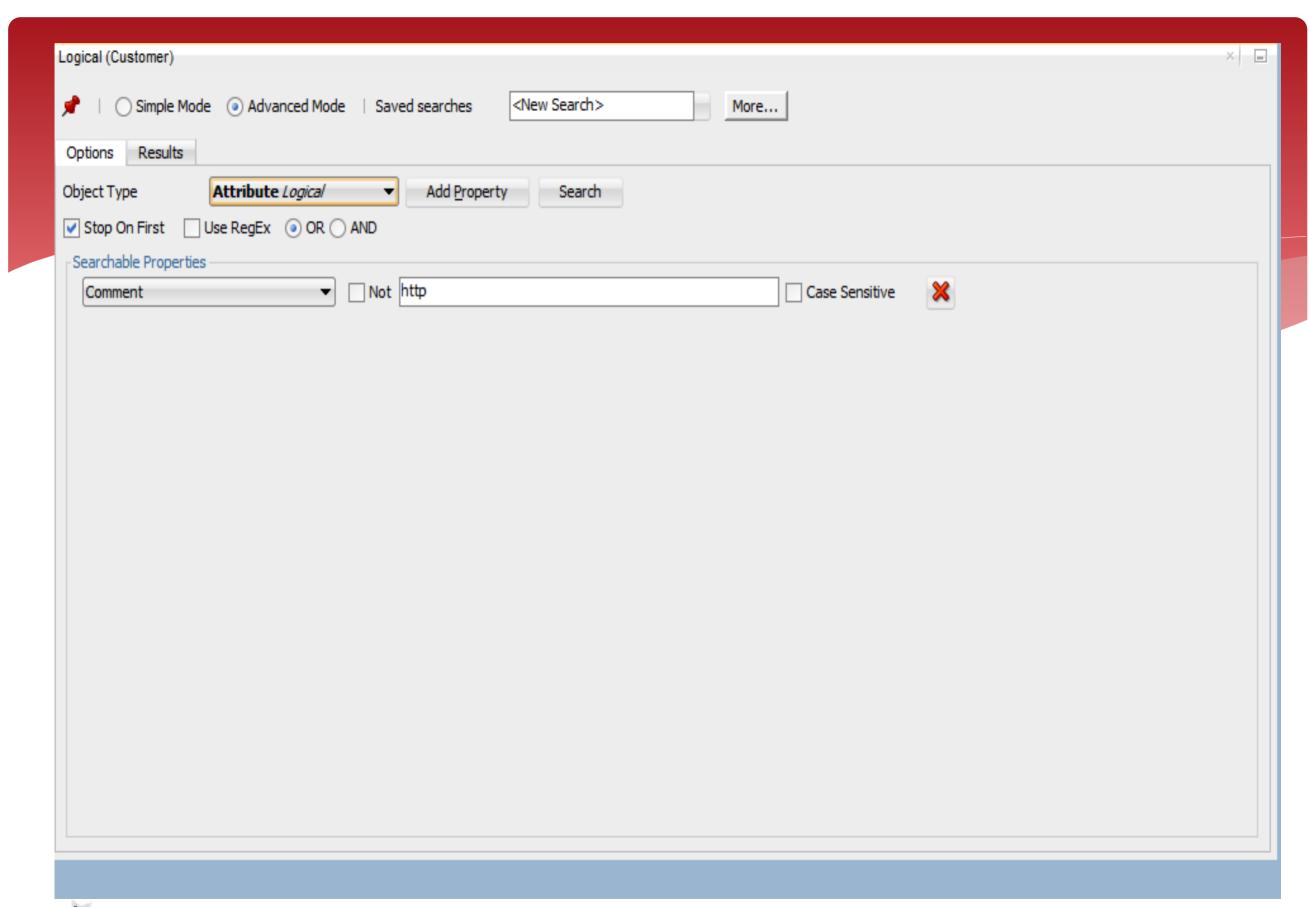


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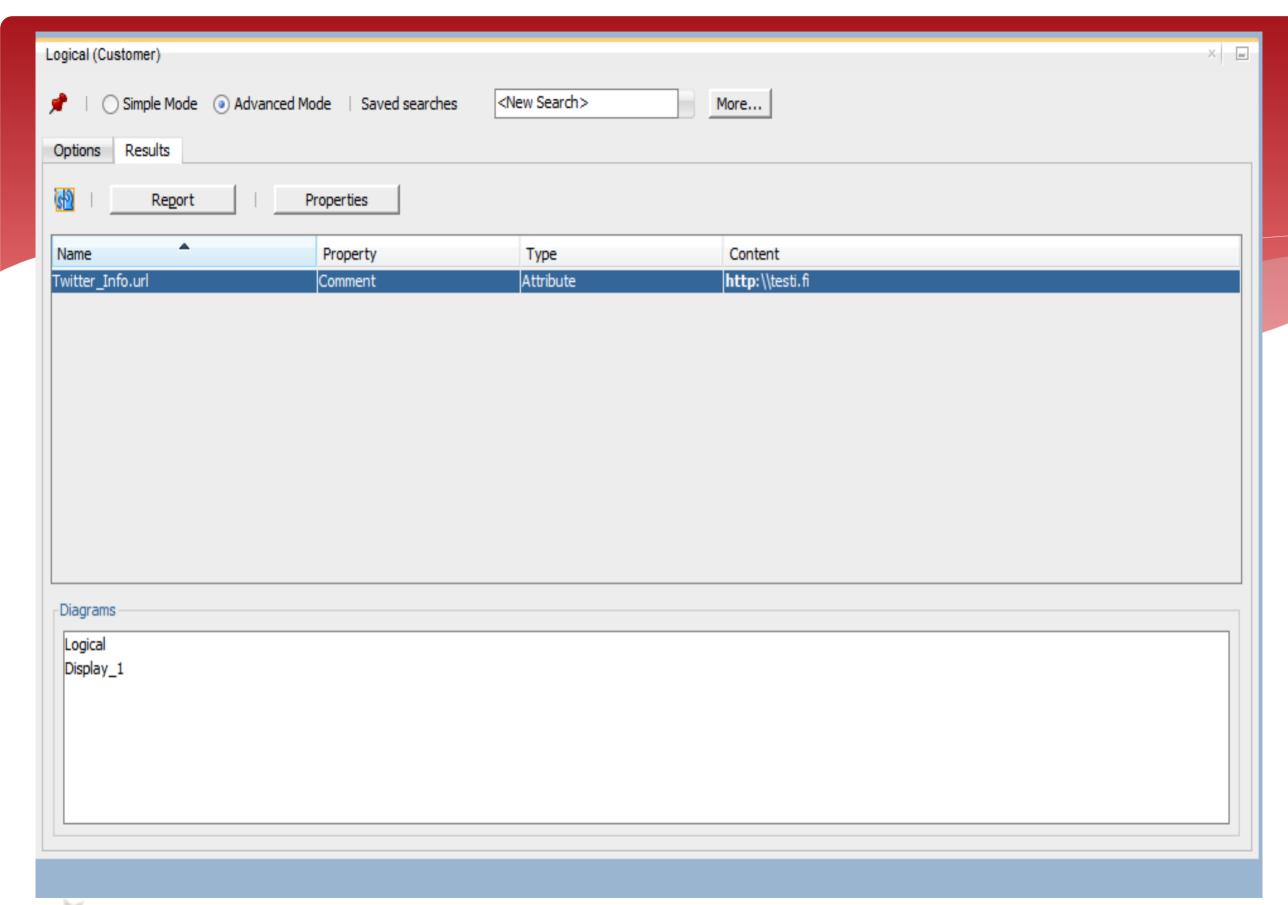
















#### Global Search

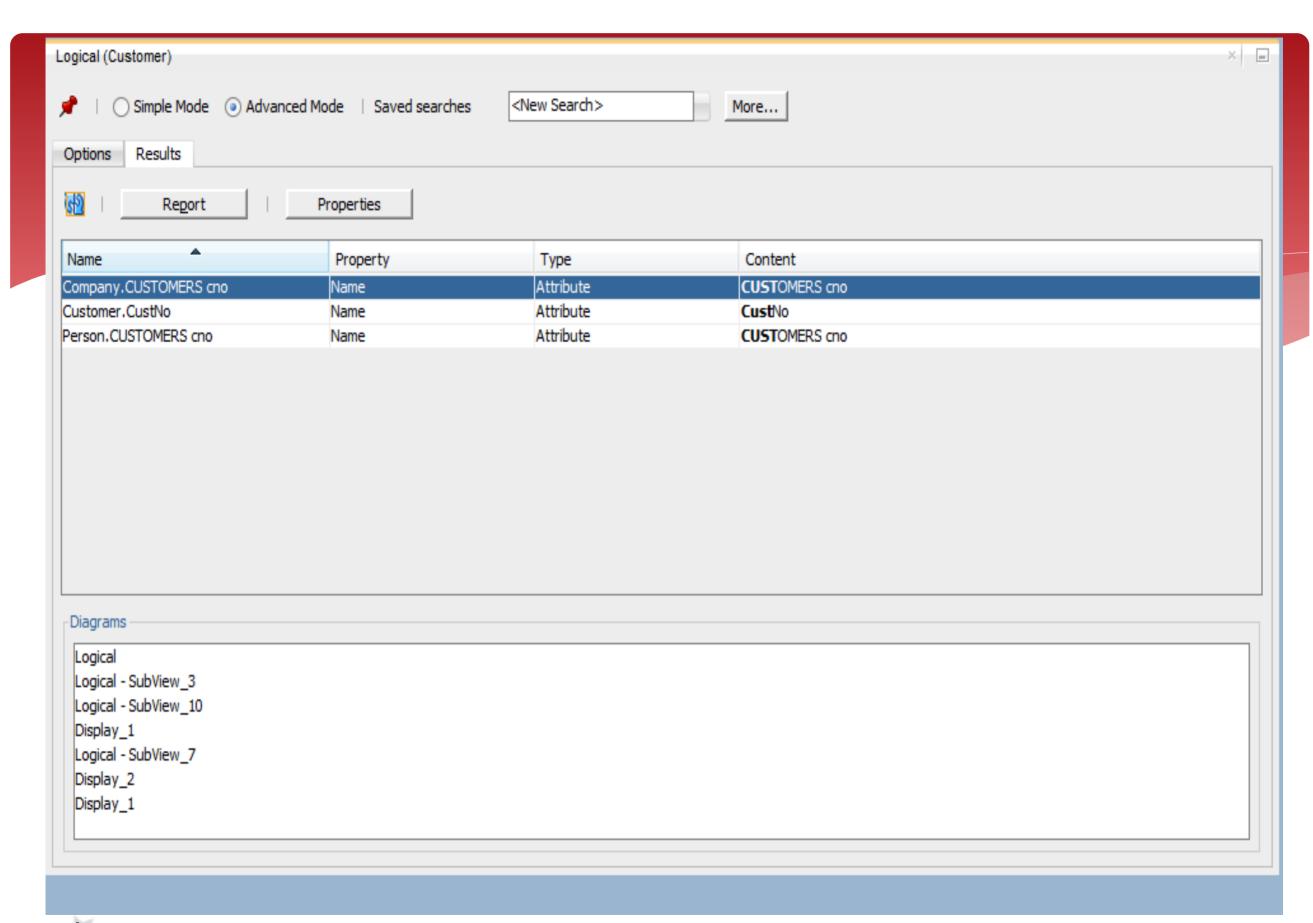
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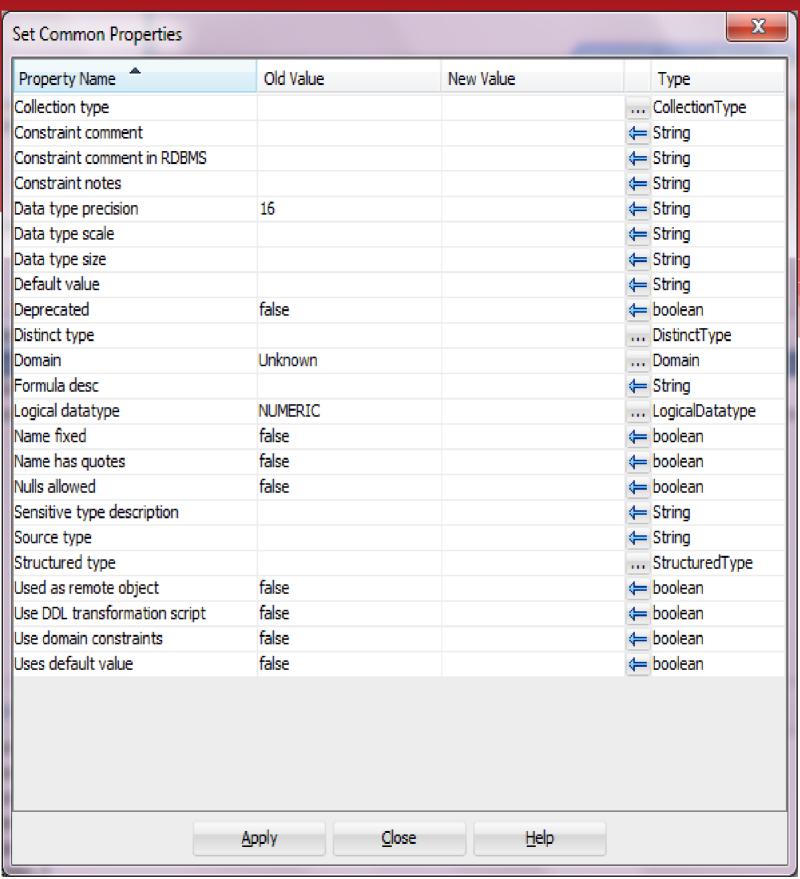
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\* Search, Properties







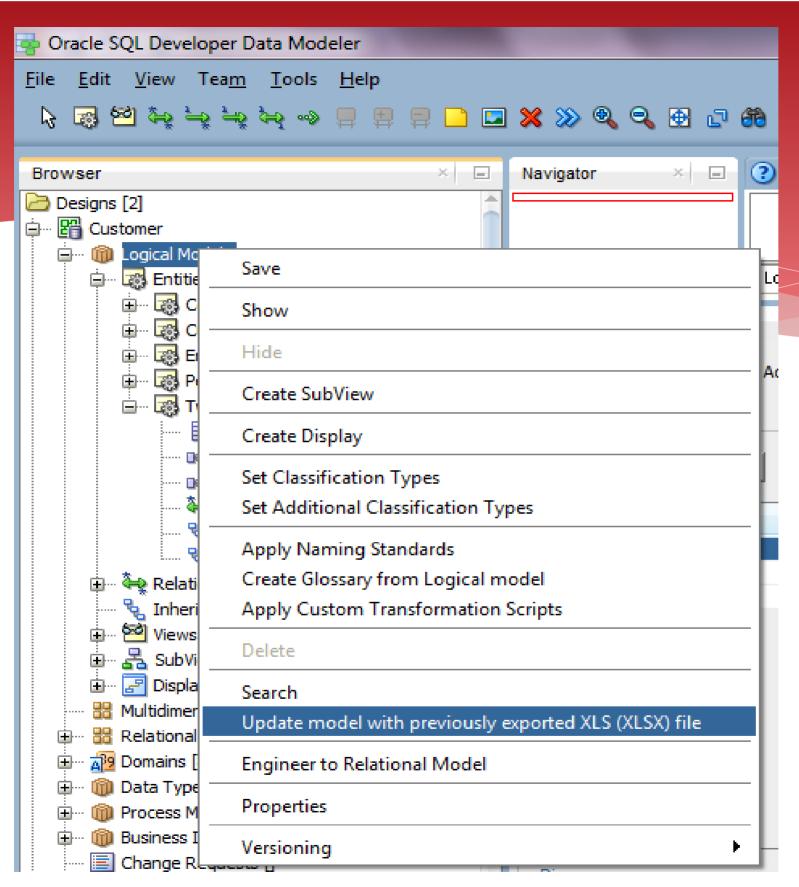






# Bonus 2: Using Excel report for updating the design











### Compare



# Why is compare functionality important?



- \* Better understanding of what you have
- Better quality
- \* Alter DDLs
- \*





#### Different Compares

- Design vs Design
- \* Design vs Database
- \* Database vs Design



### Different Compares, Designs



- \* File | Import | Data Modeler Design
  - \* Compares "everything"
- \* Tools | Compare/Merge Models
  - Compares only relational and physical models
  - ALTER DDLs can be generated
- \* These can be used for instance to compare different versions of the design from version control



### Different Compares, Database



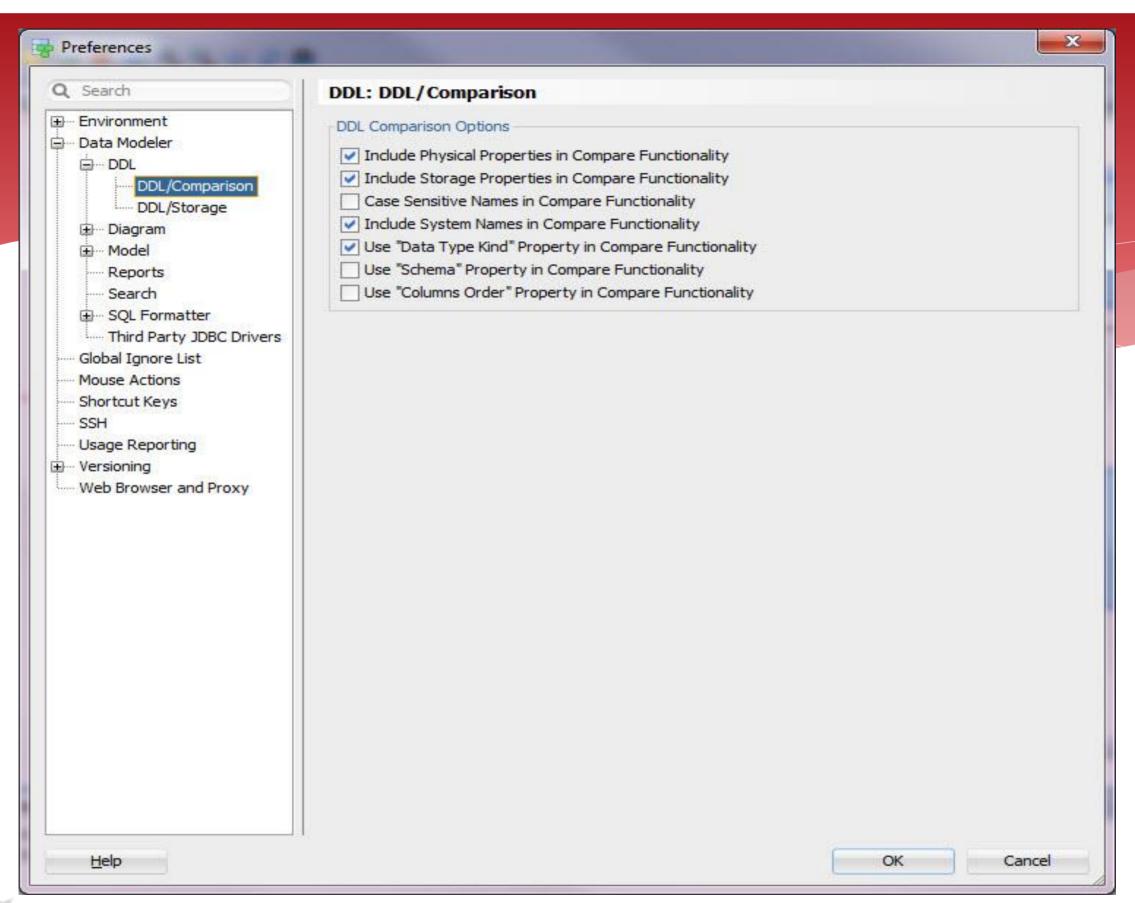
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  - \* Target: model
- Synchronize Data Dictionary With Model
  - \* Target: database
- \* File | Import | DDL File
- \* File | Import | Data Dictionary



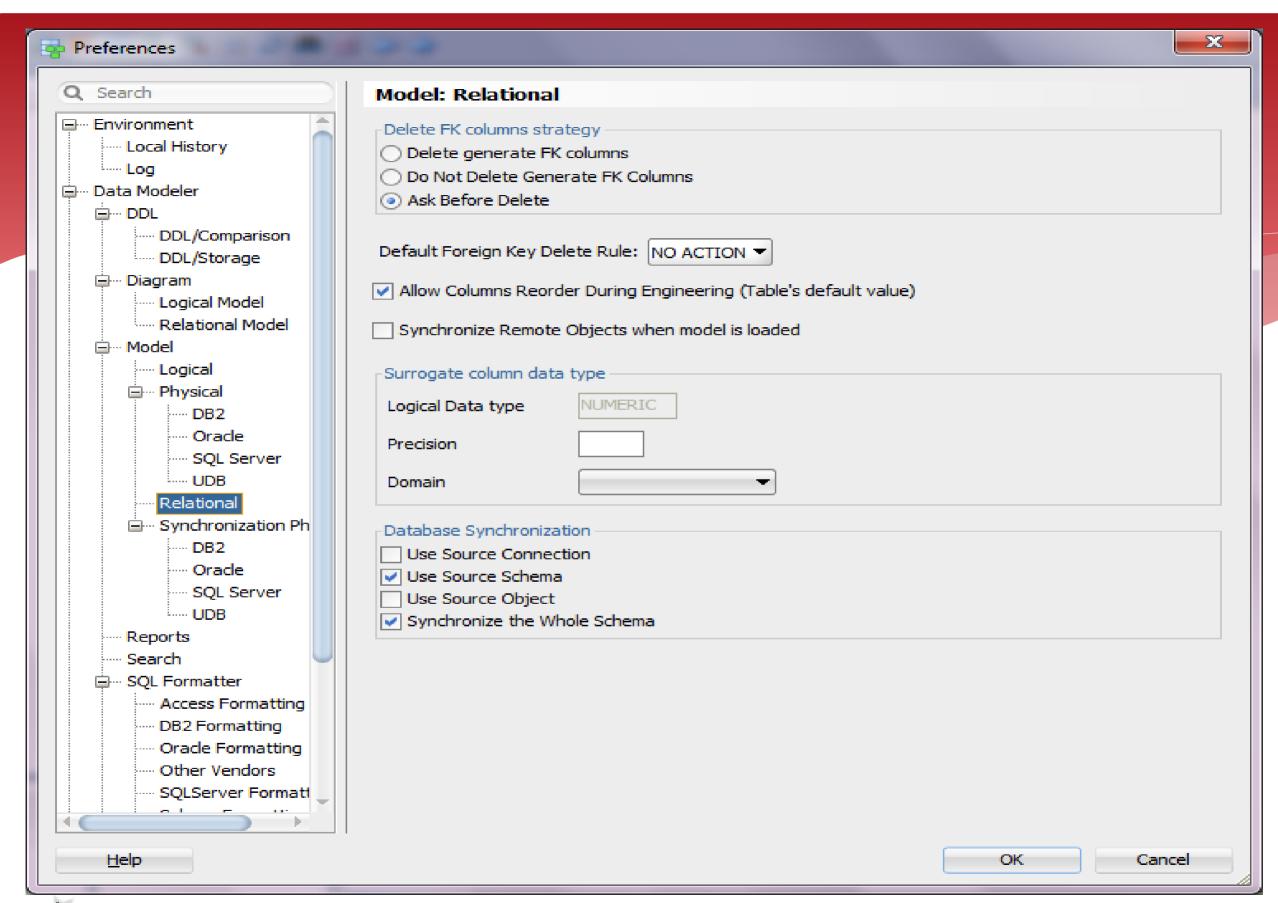
## Preferences and Properties











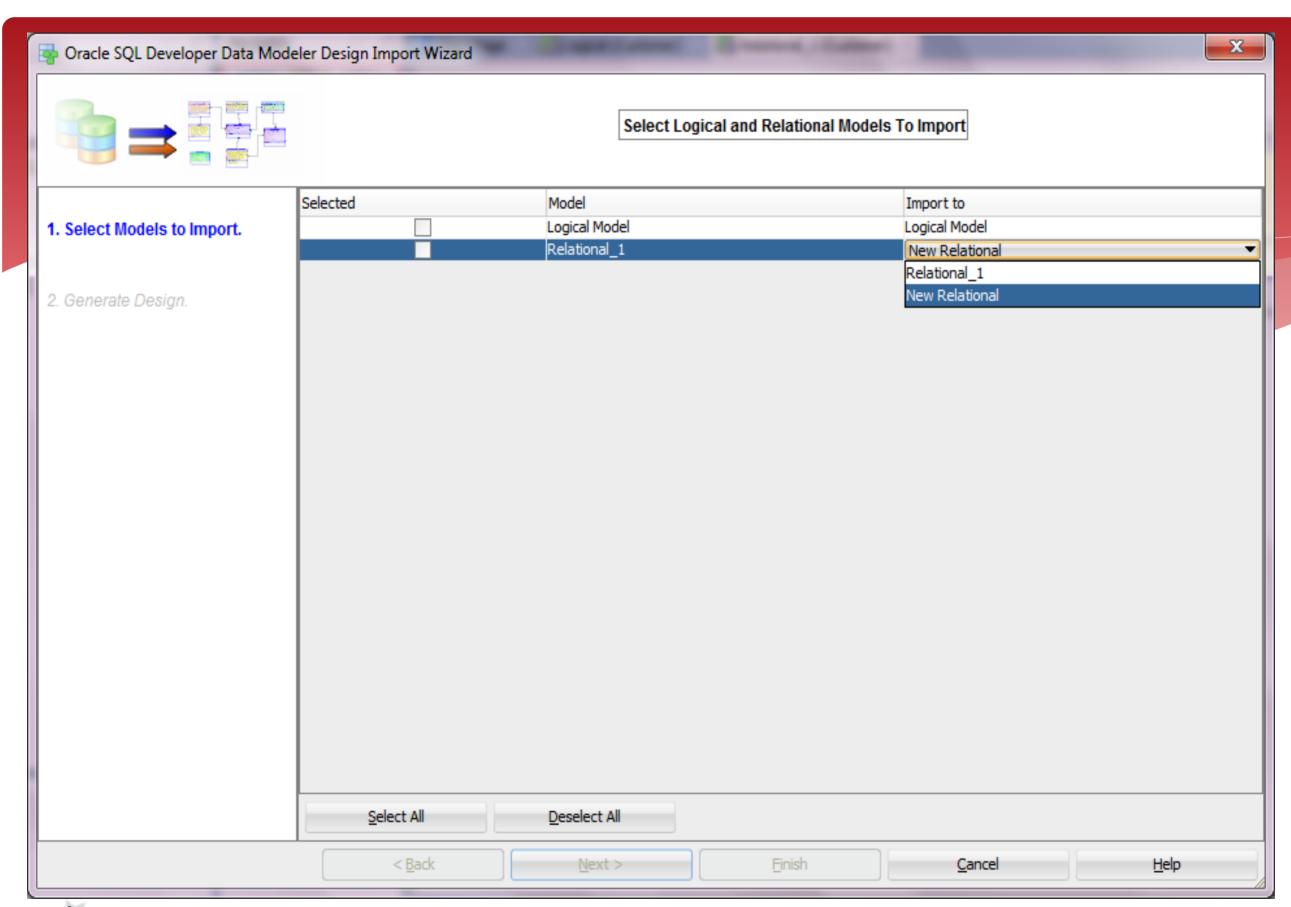


### Comparing Designs, Import

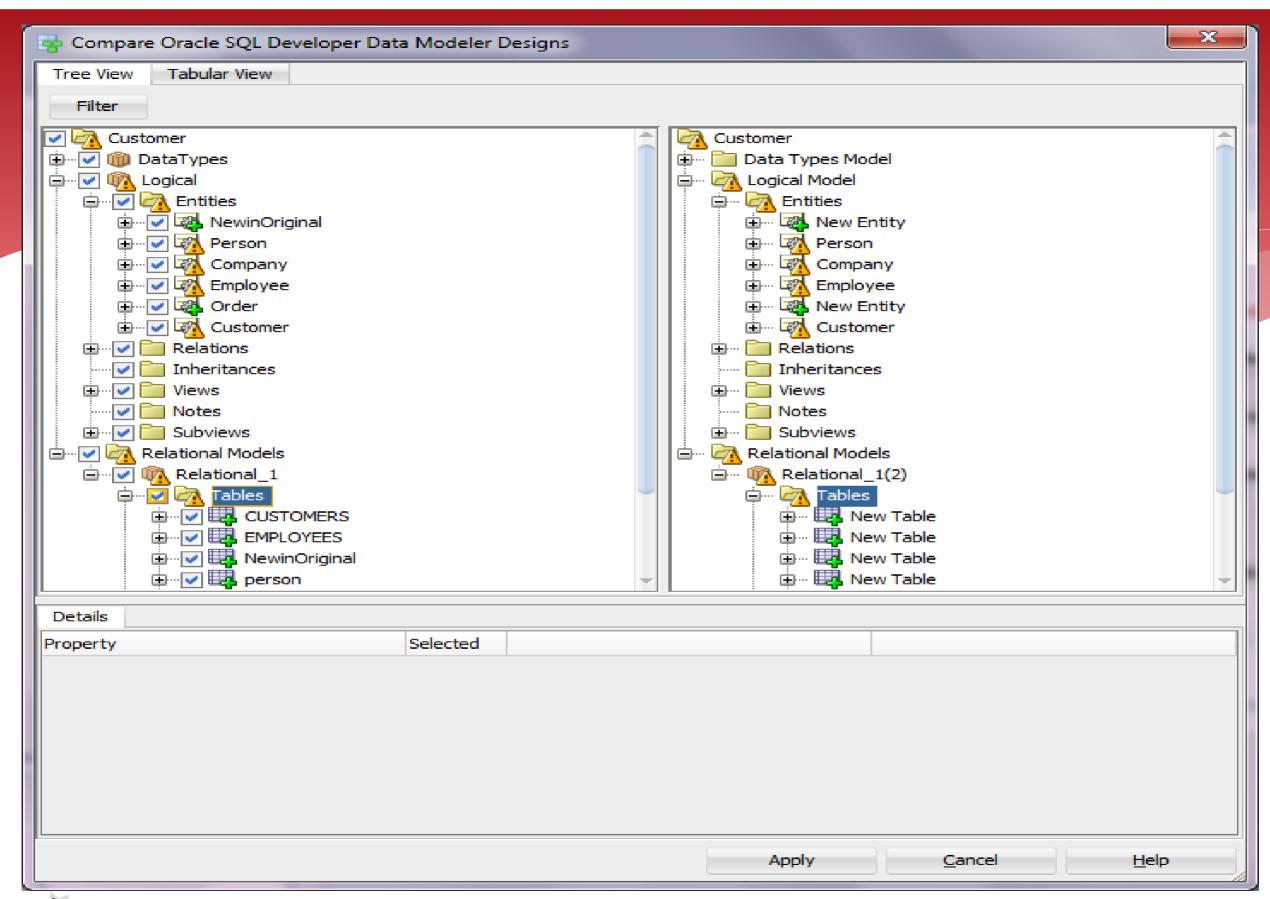


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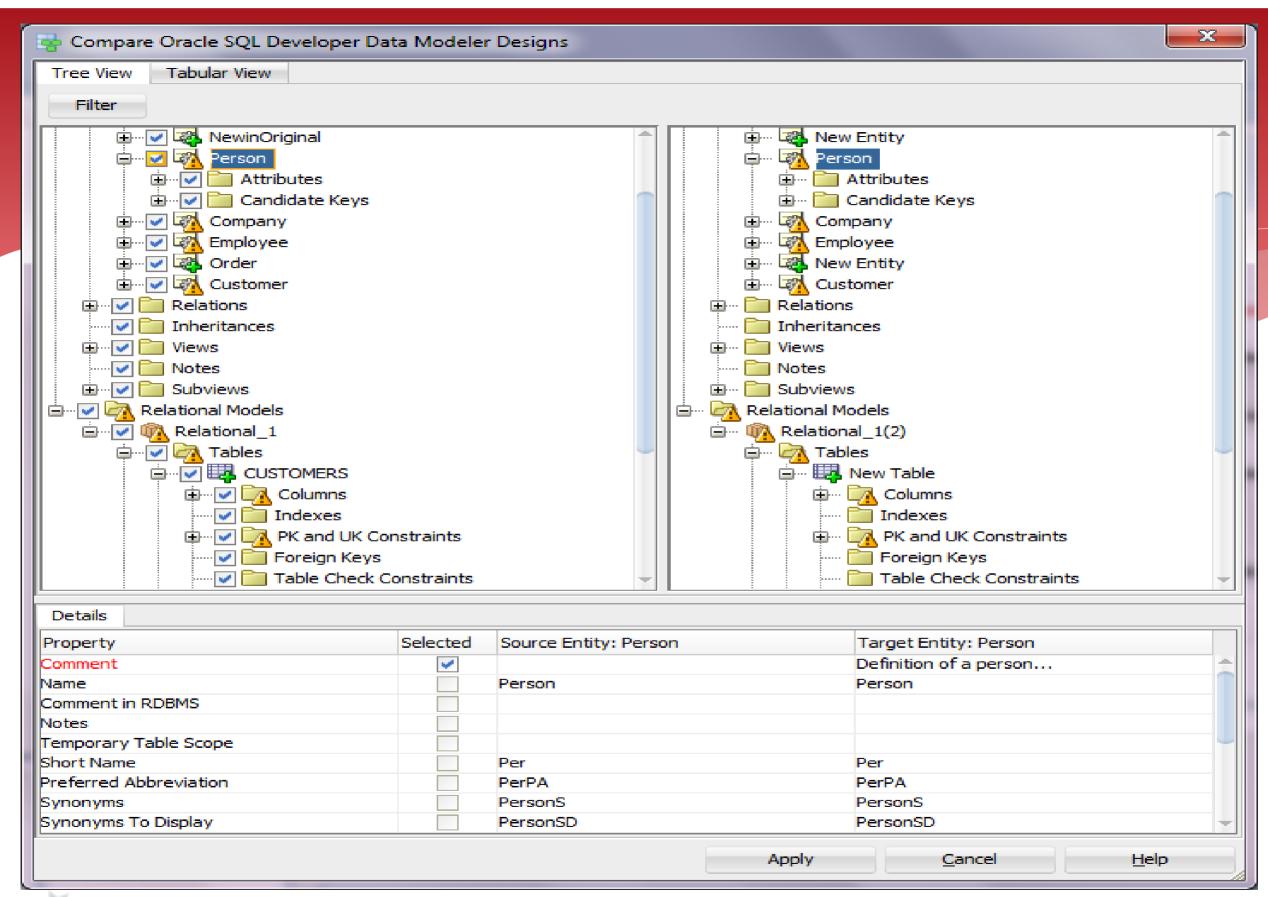




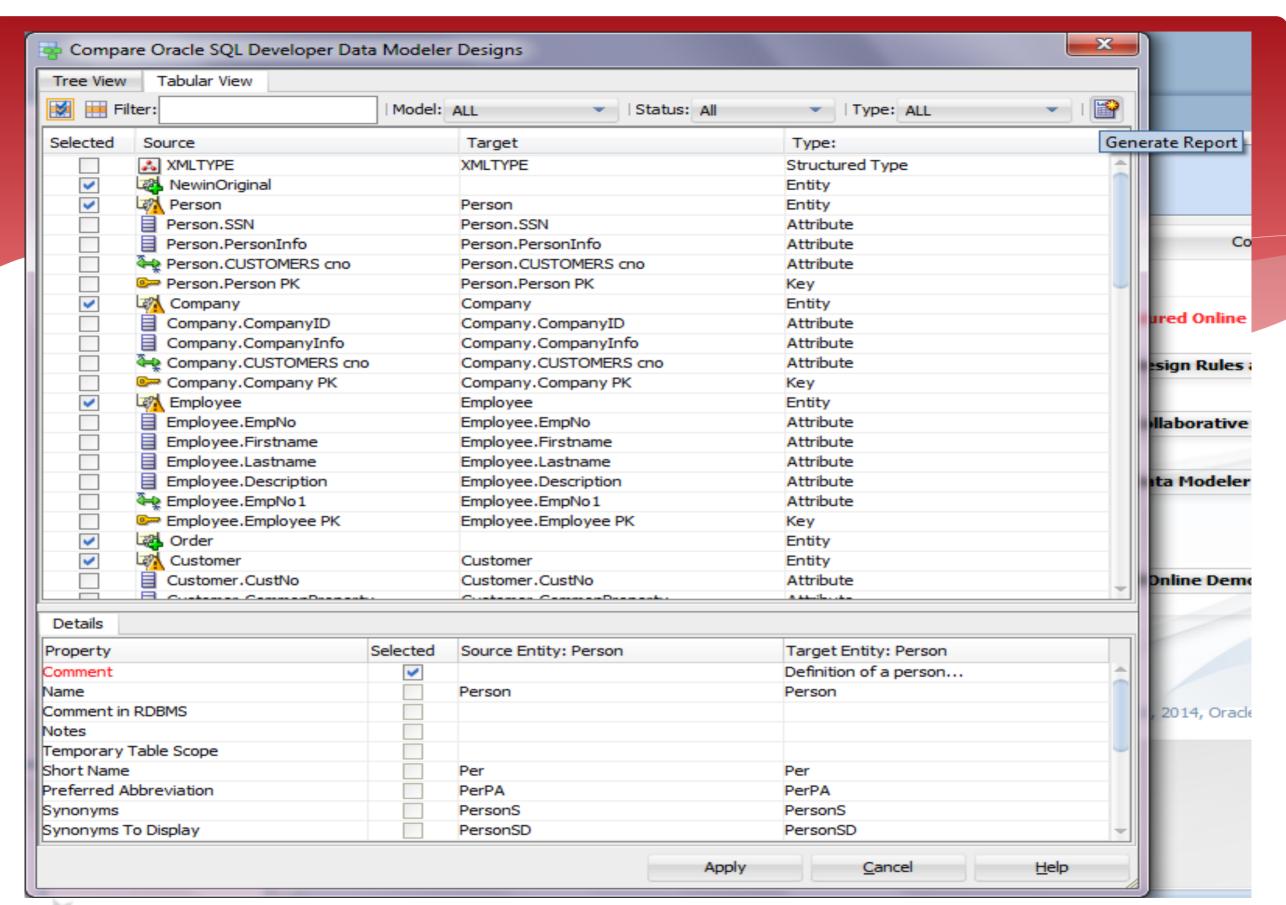










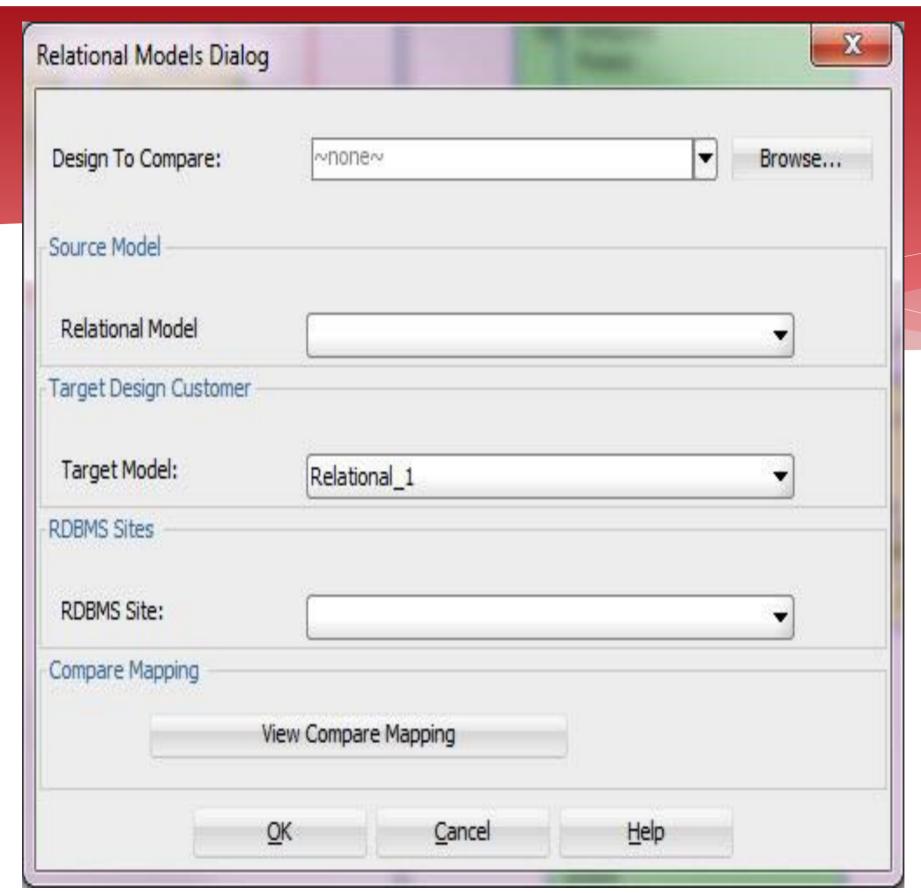




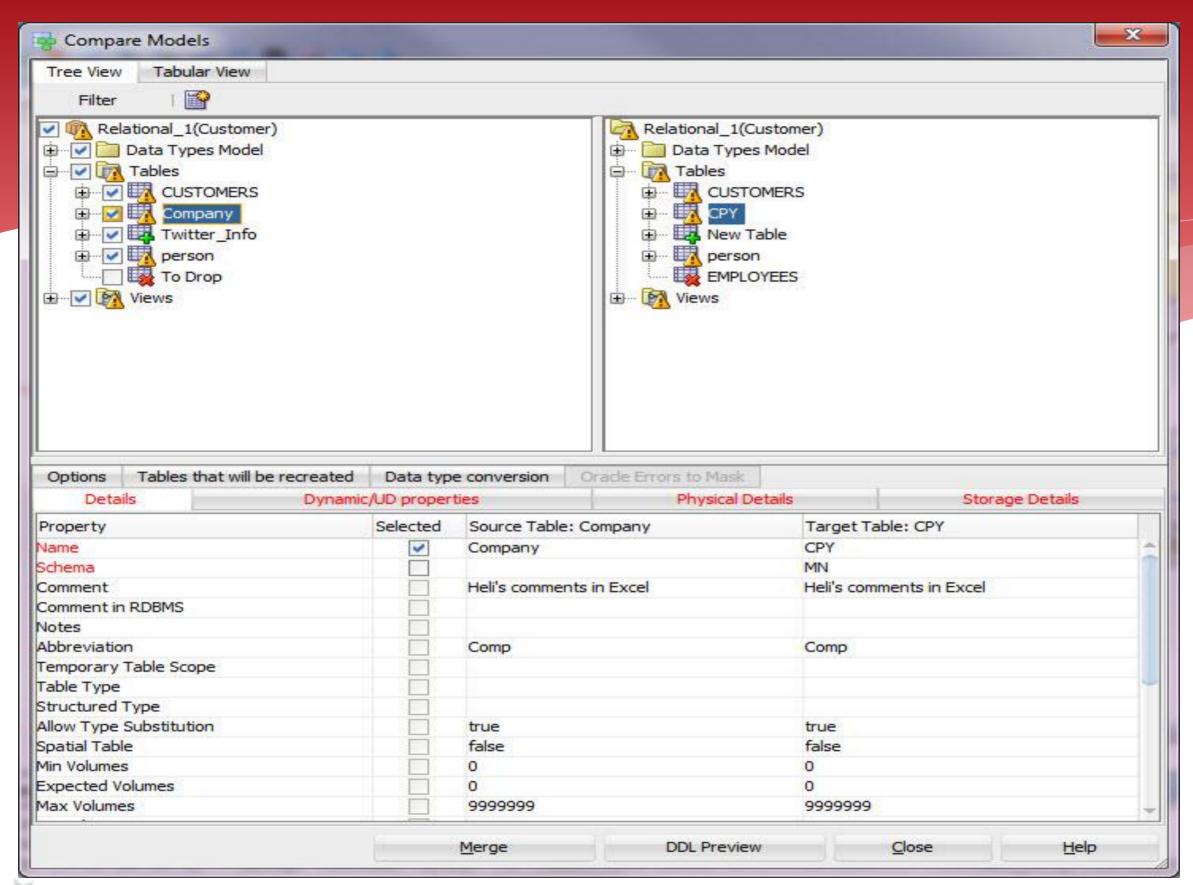
# Comparing Designs, Compare/Merge Models

- \* Tools | Compare/Merge Models
- Compares the design that is open and a design you select to be compared
- \* Compares only relational and physical models

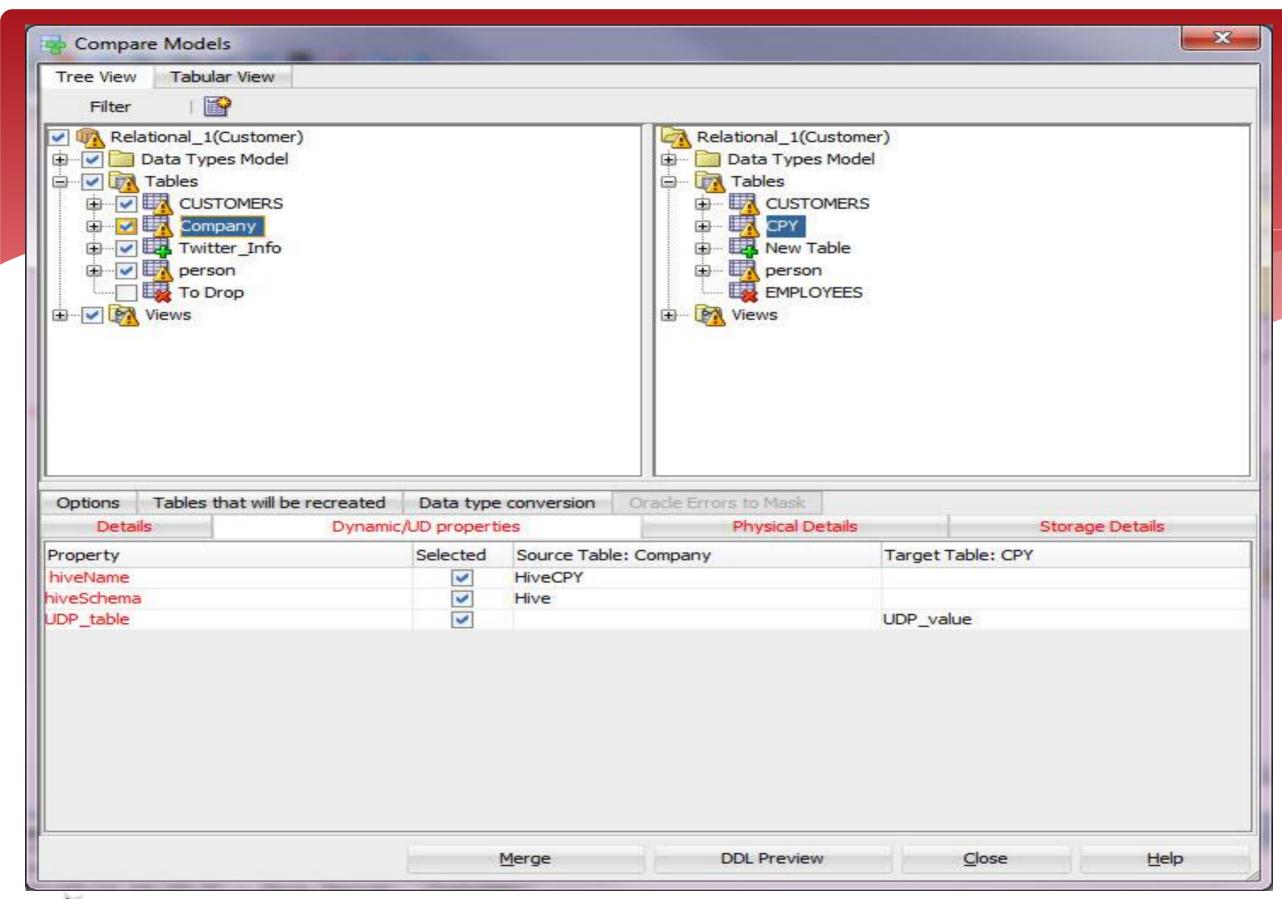




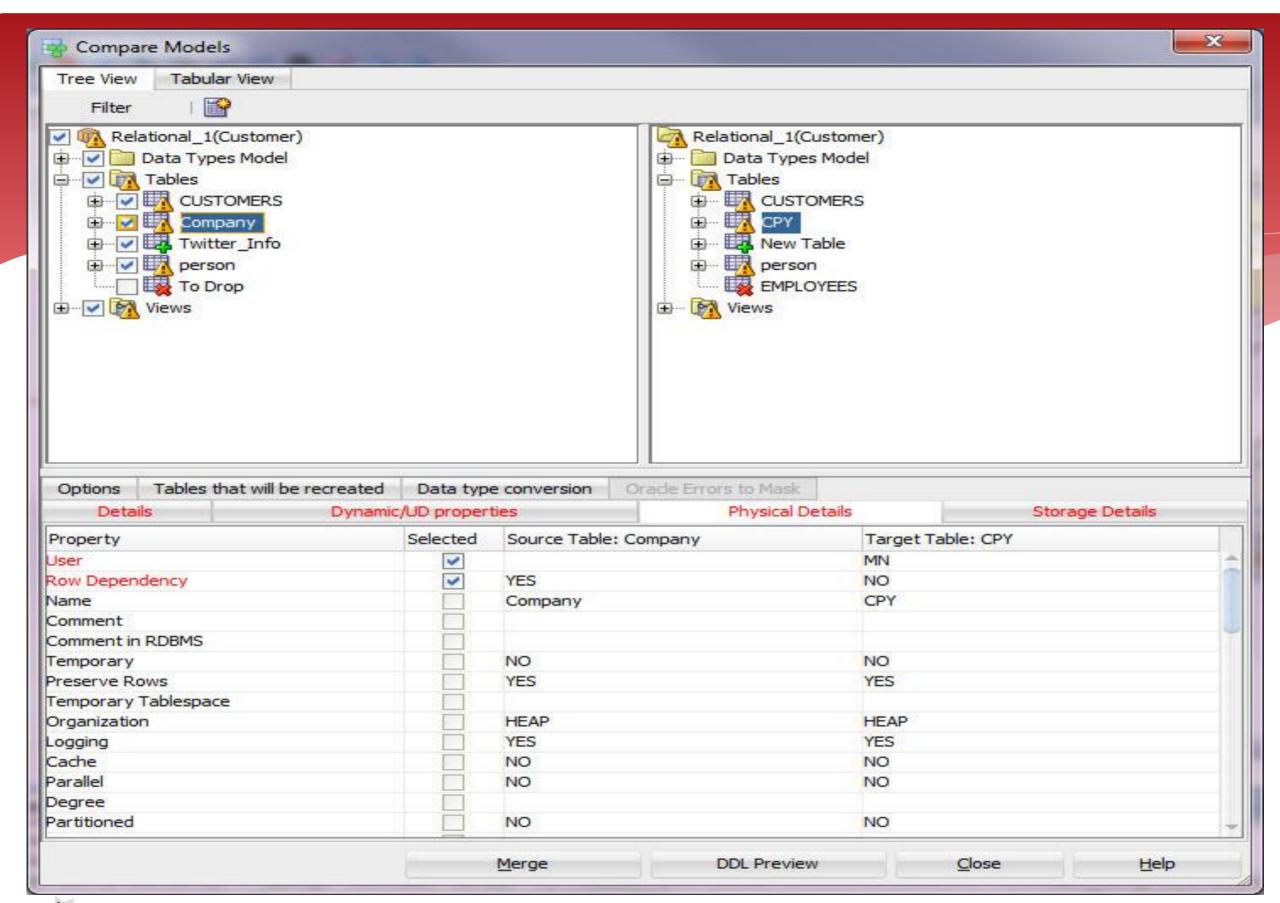




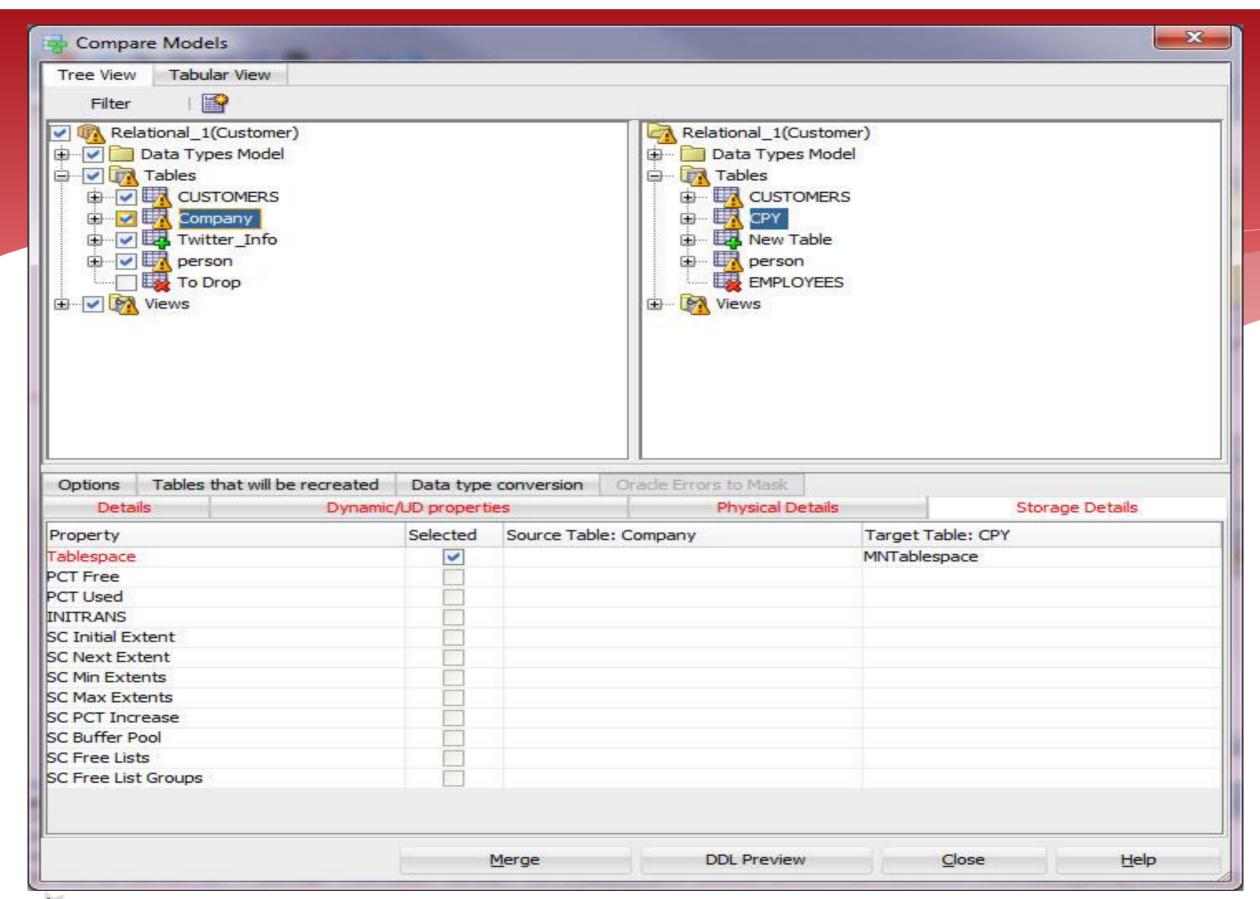




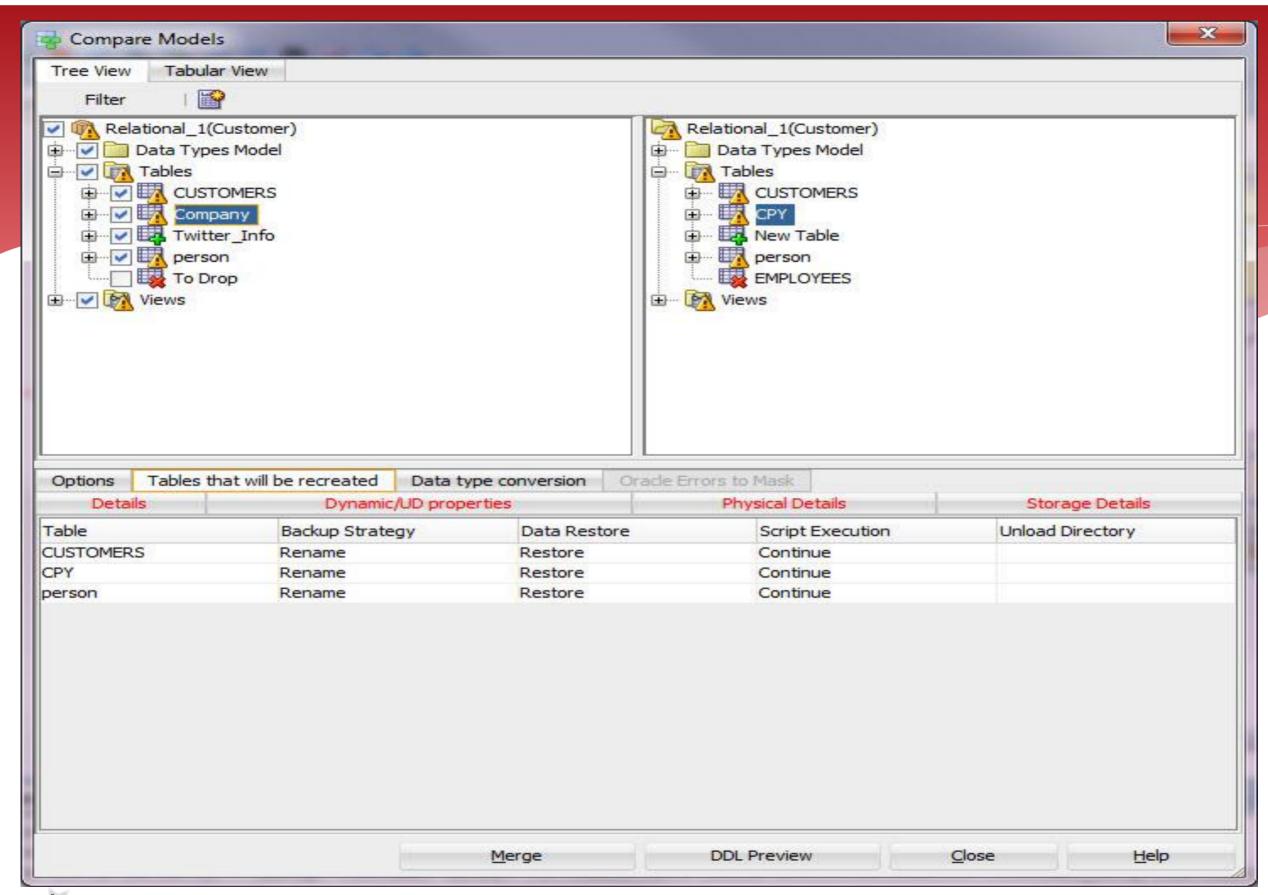




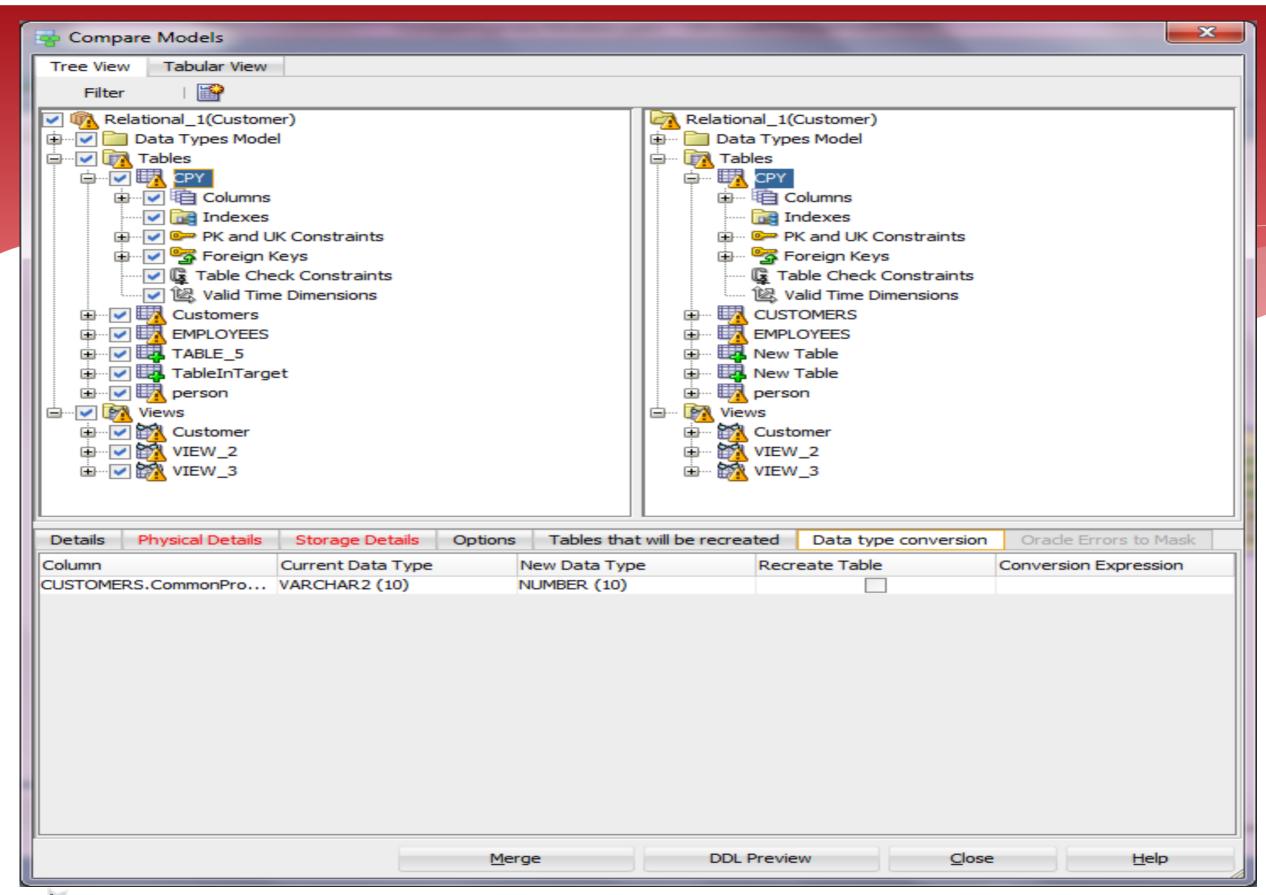




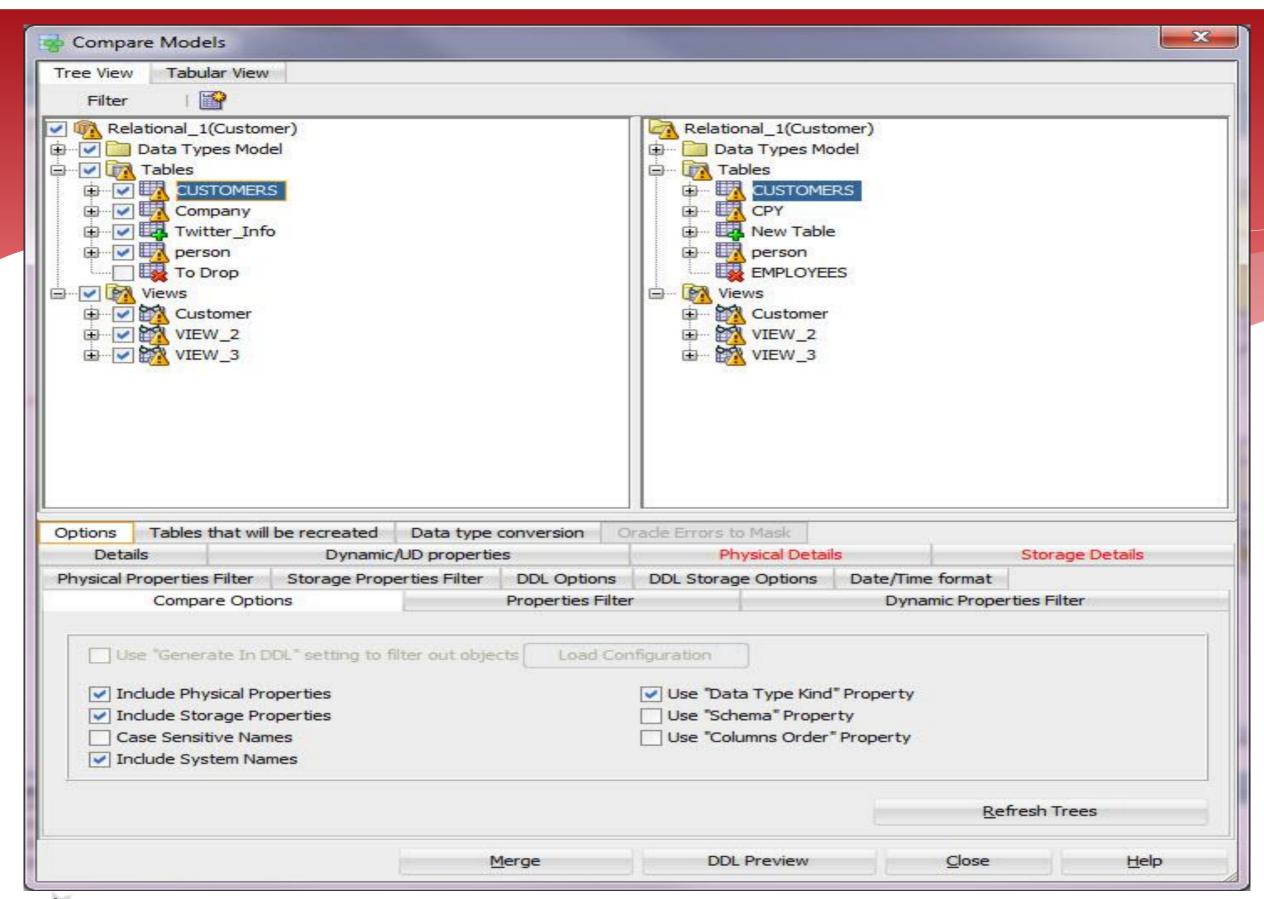




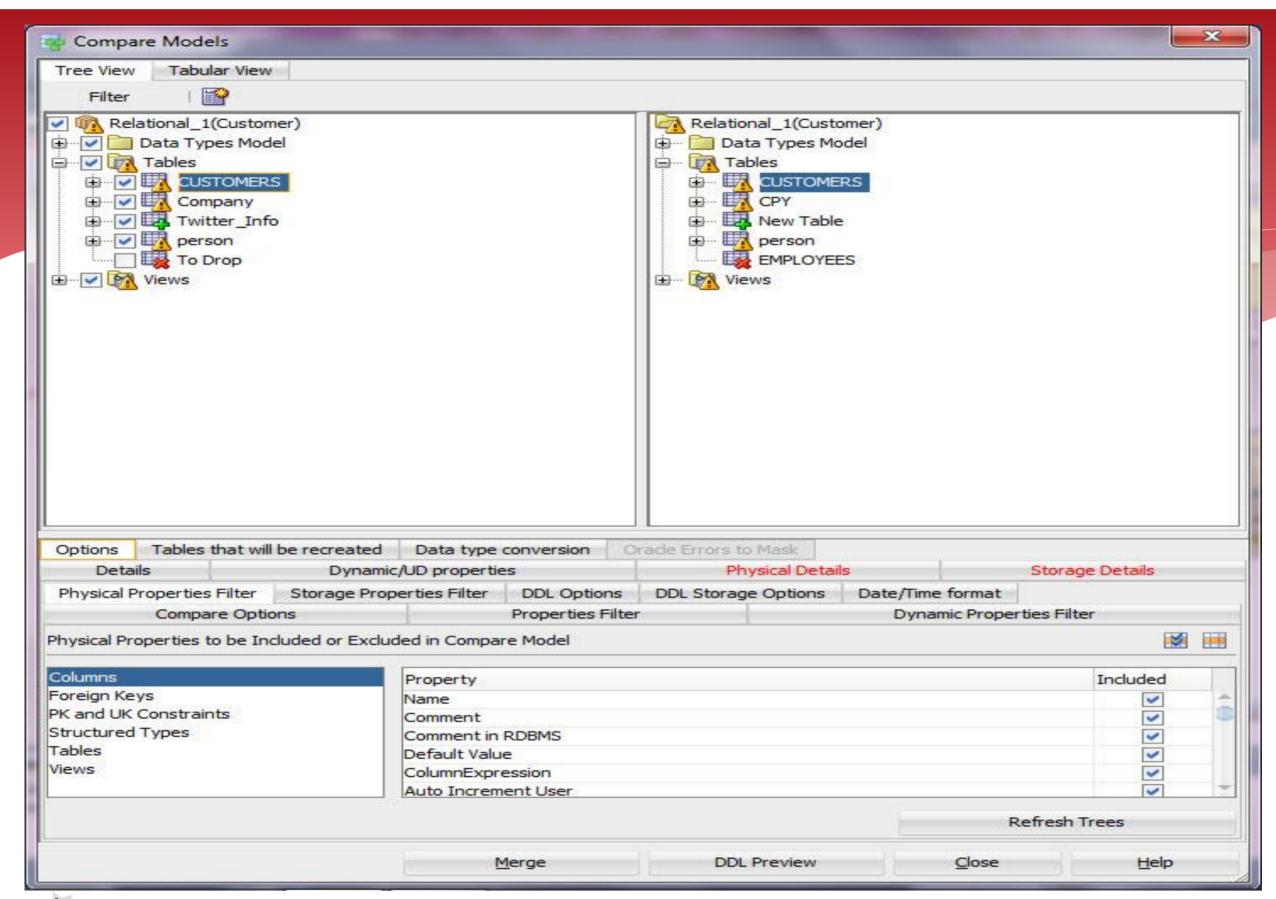




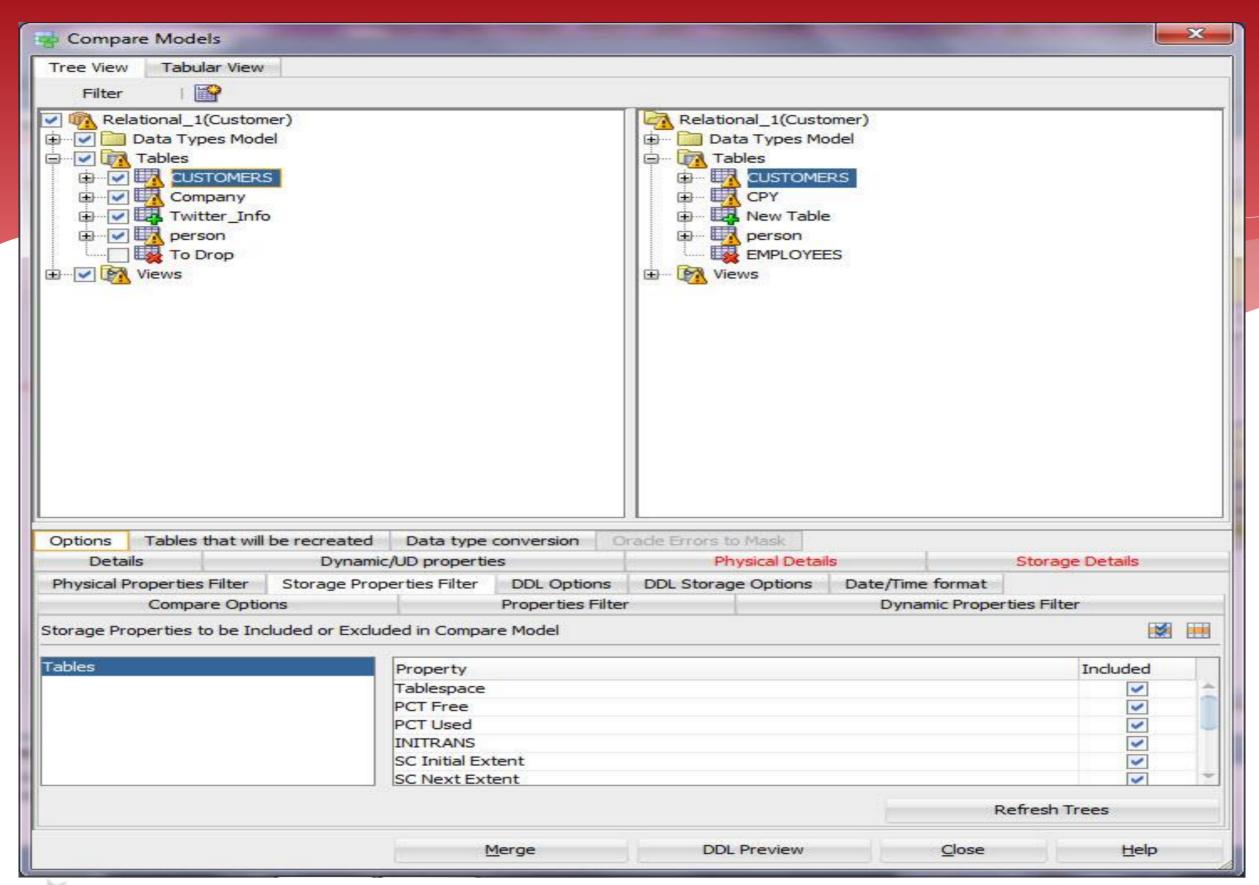




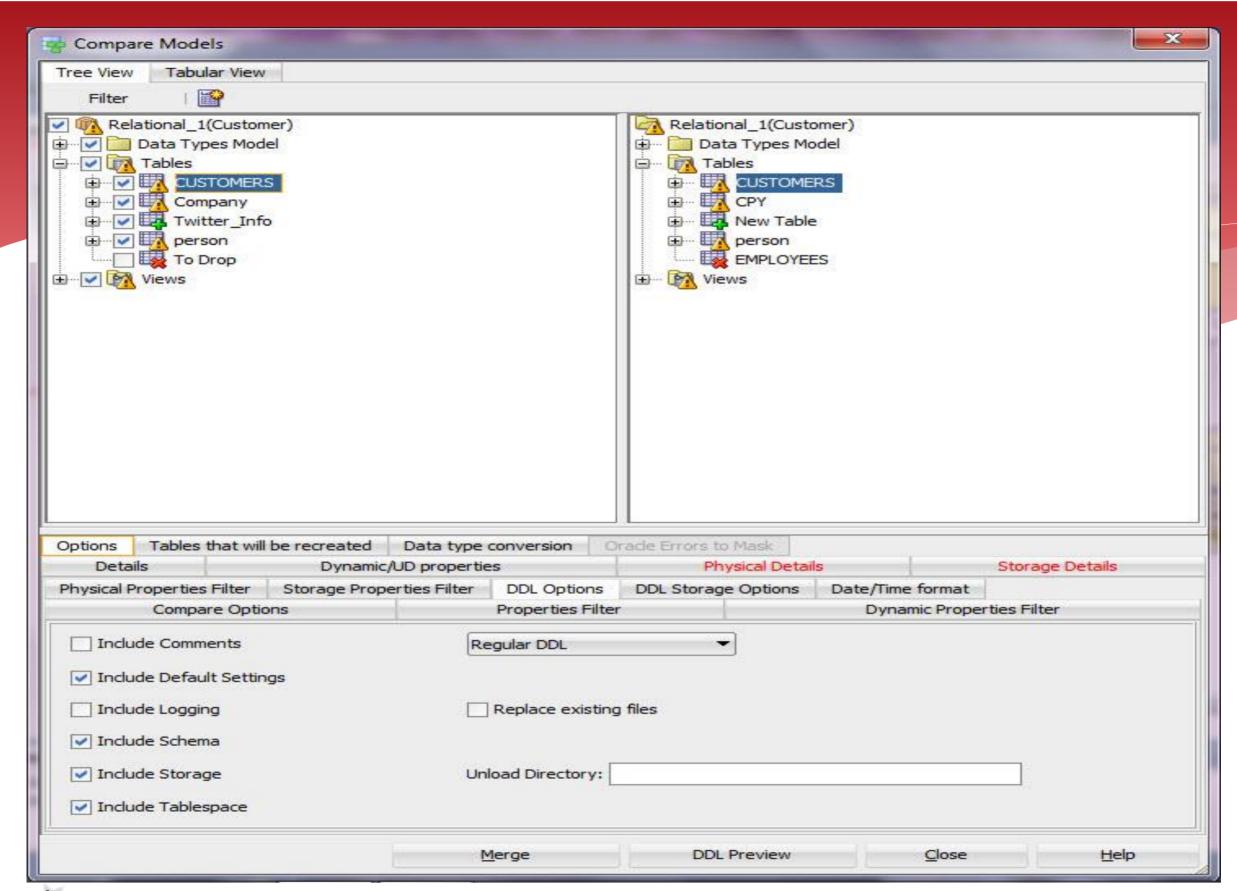




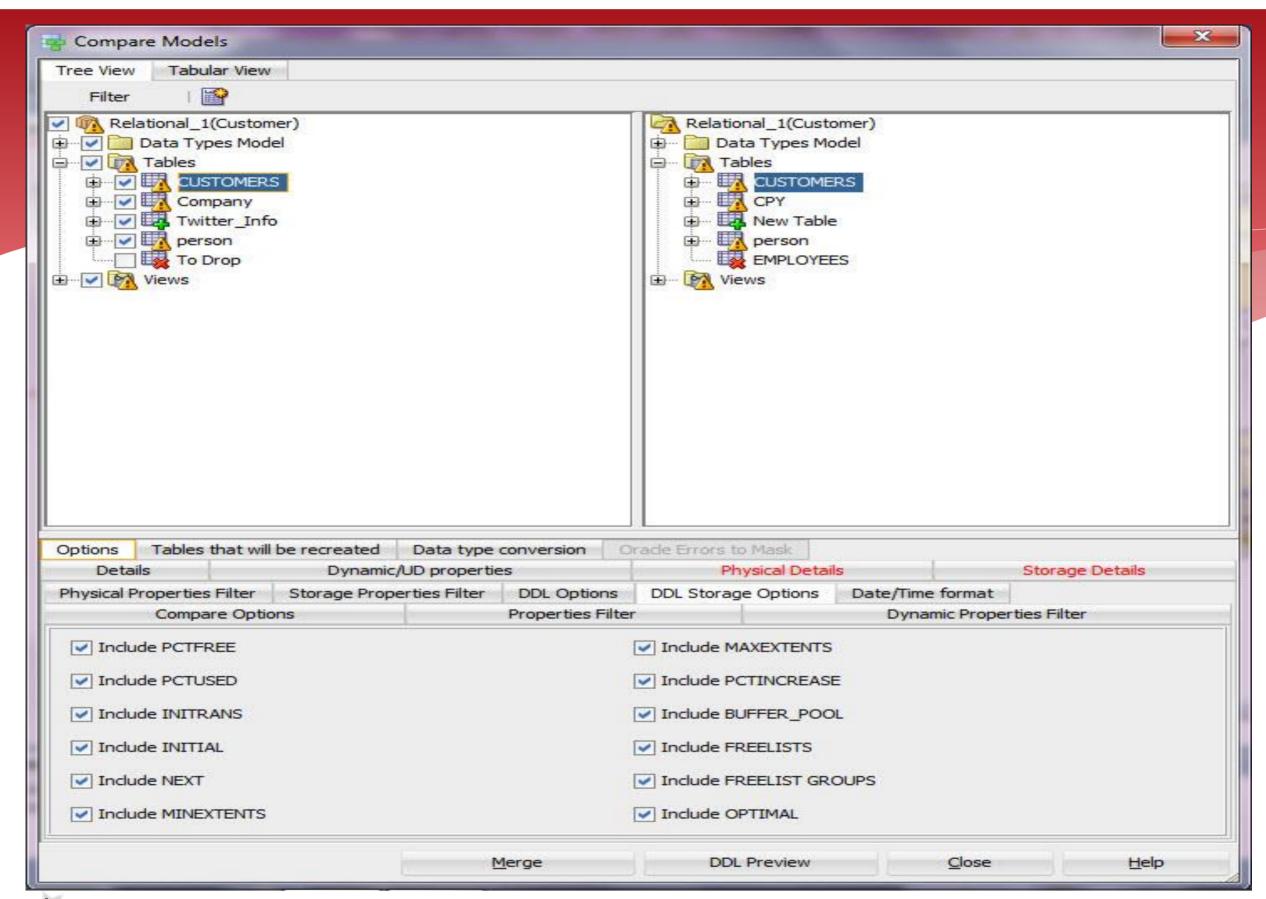




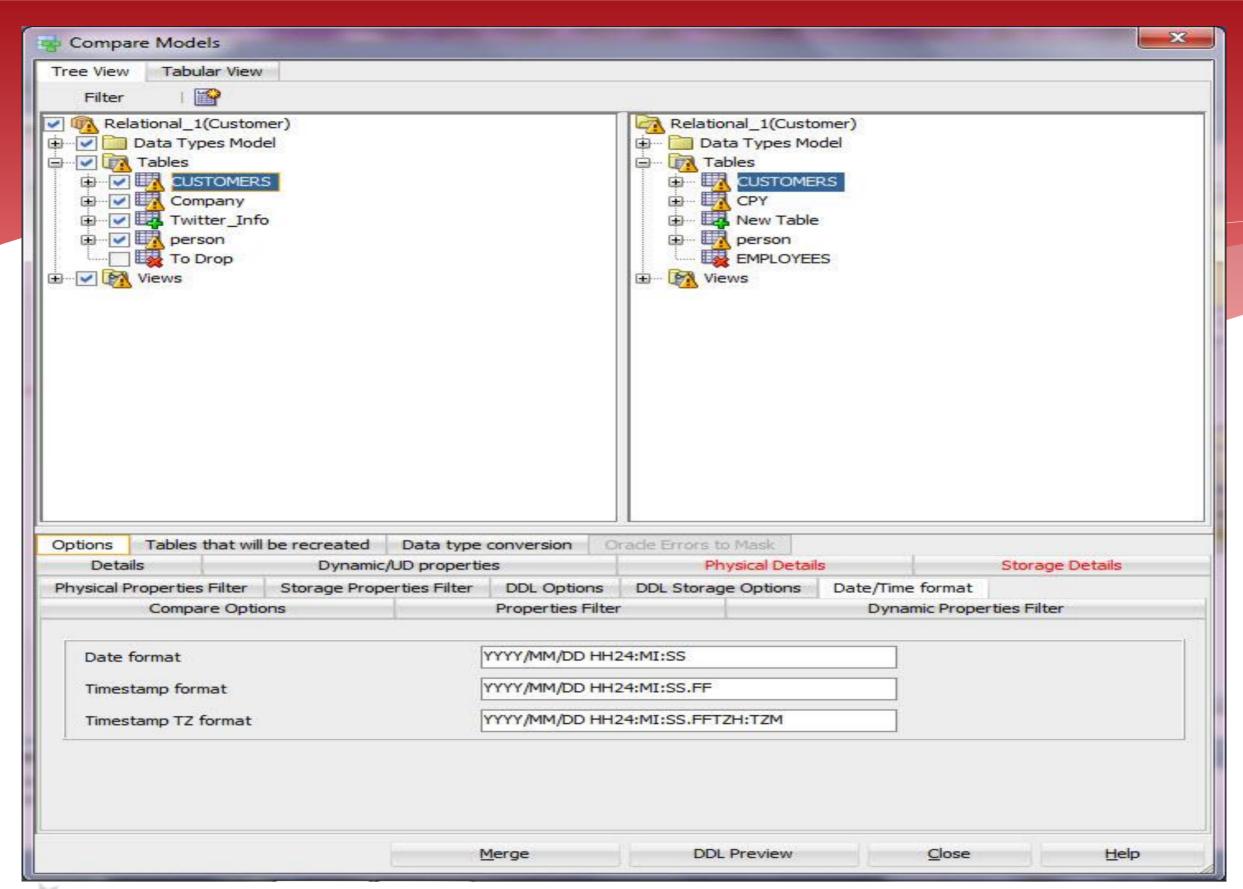




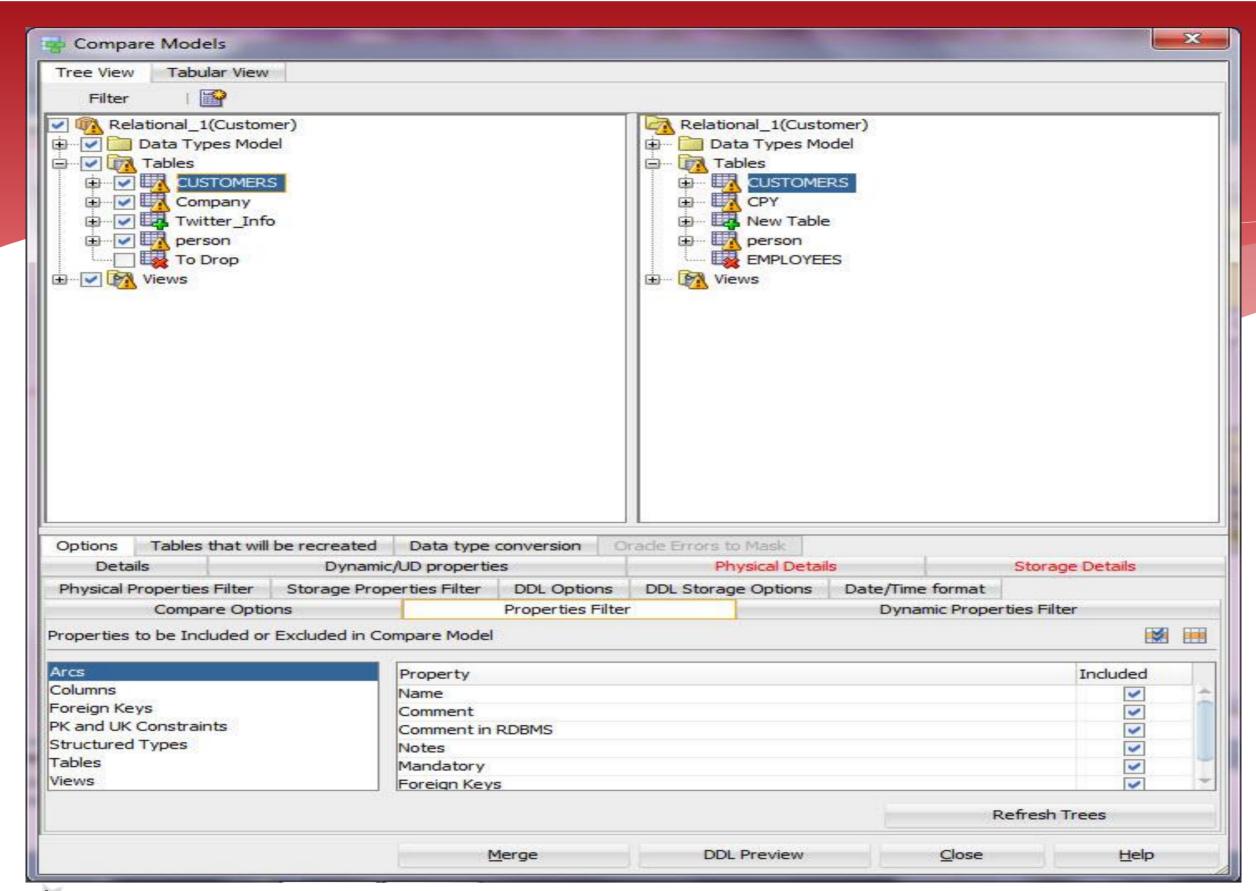




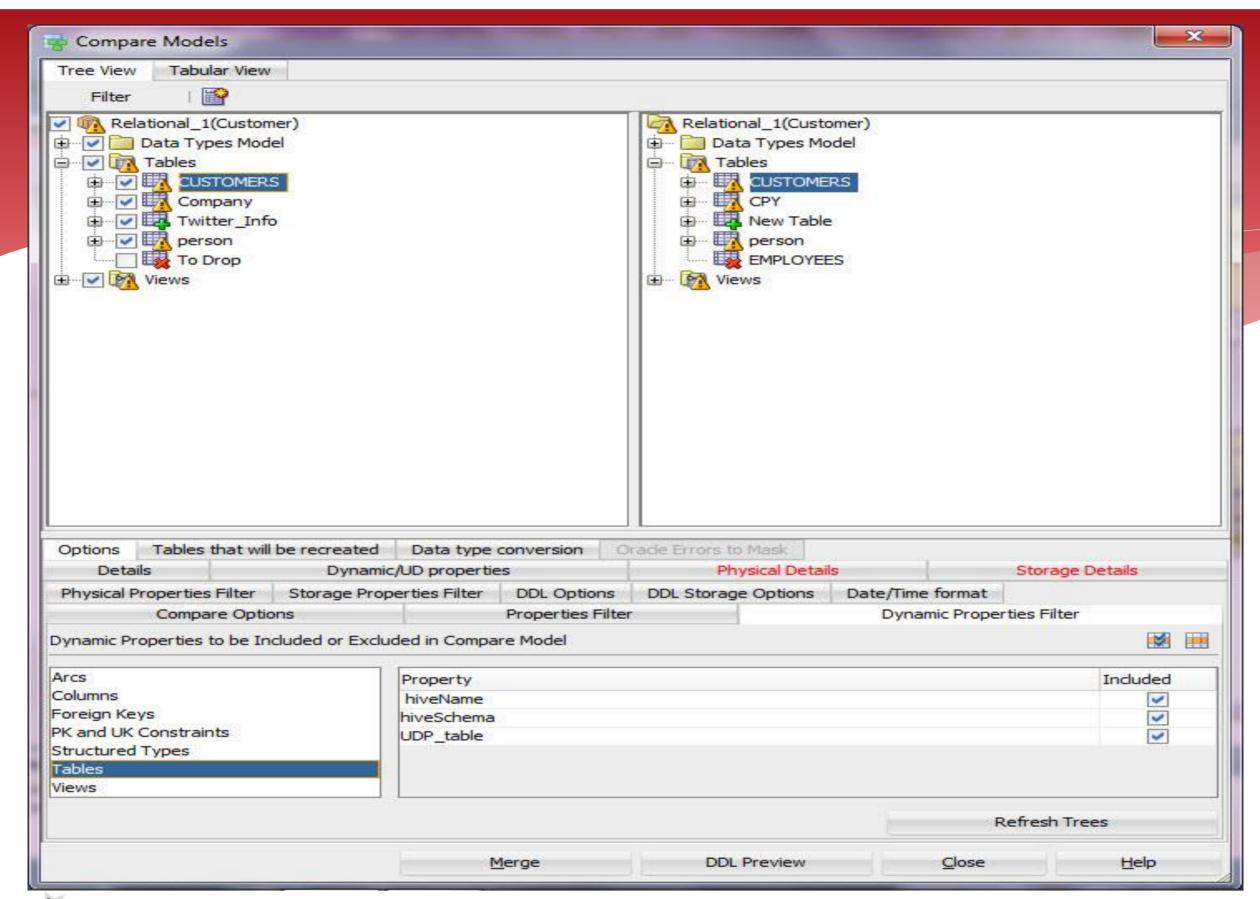














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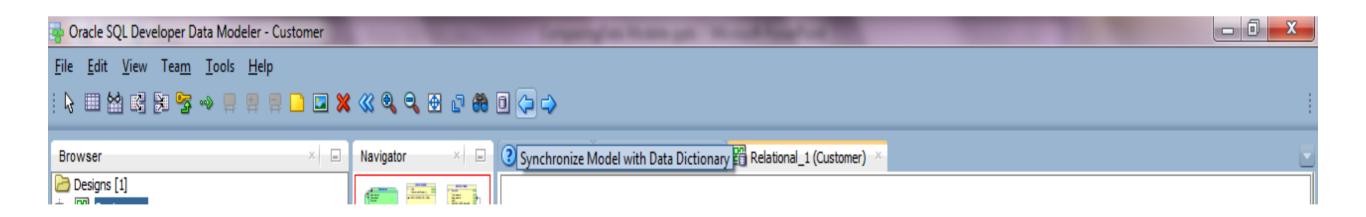
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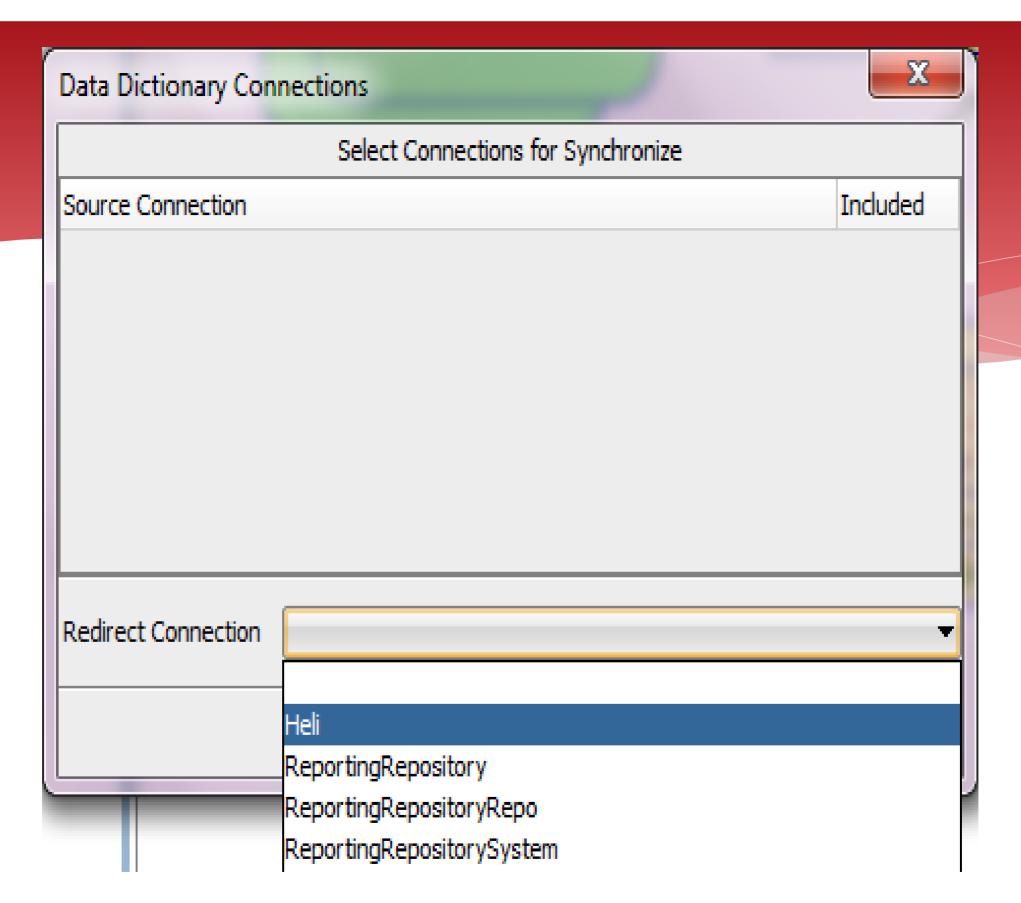


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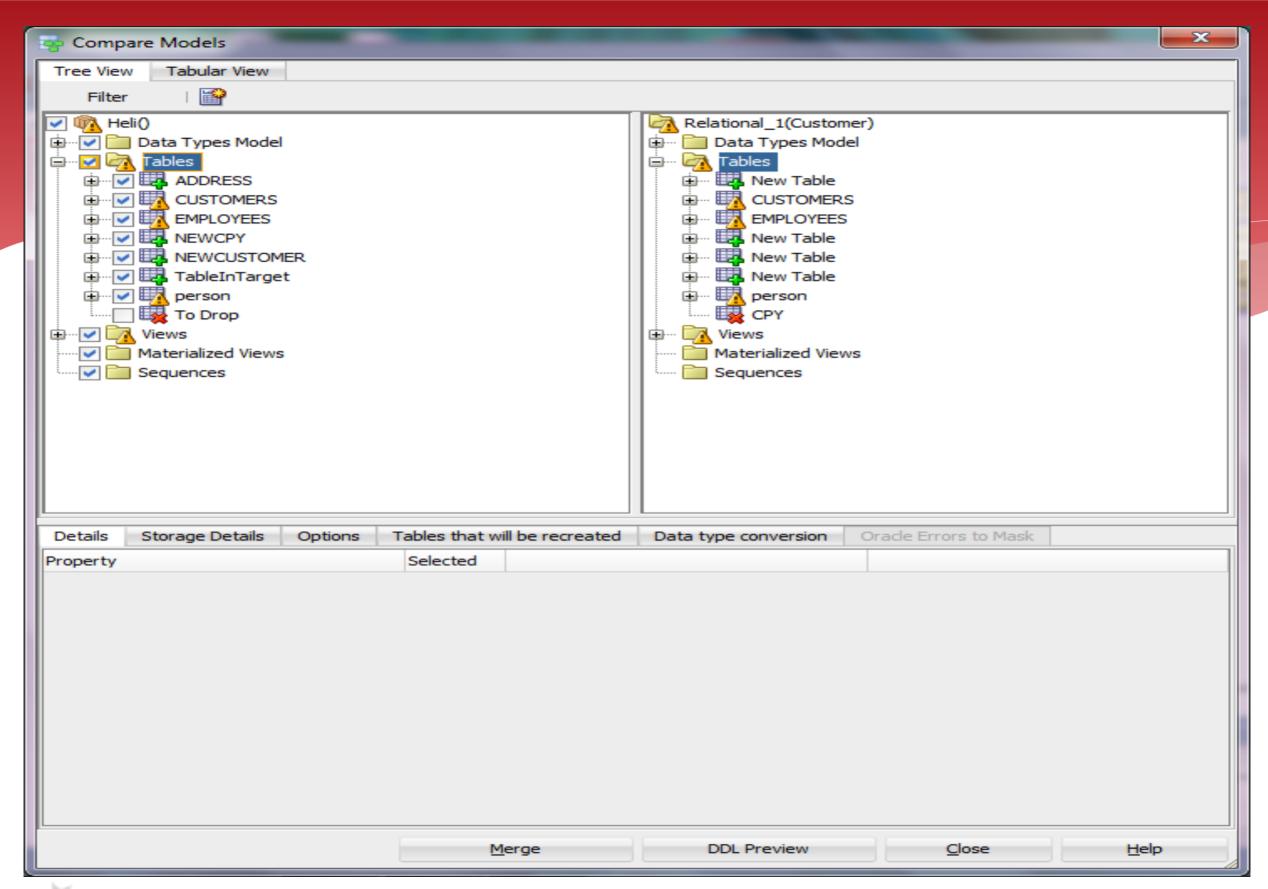
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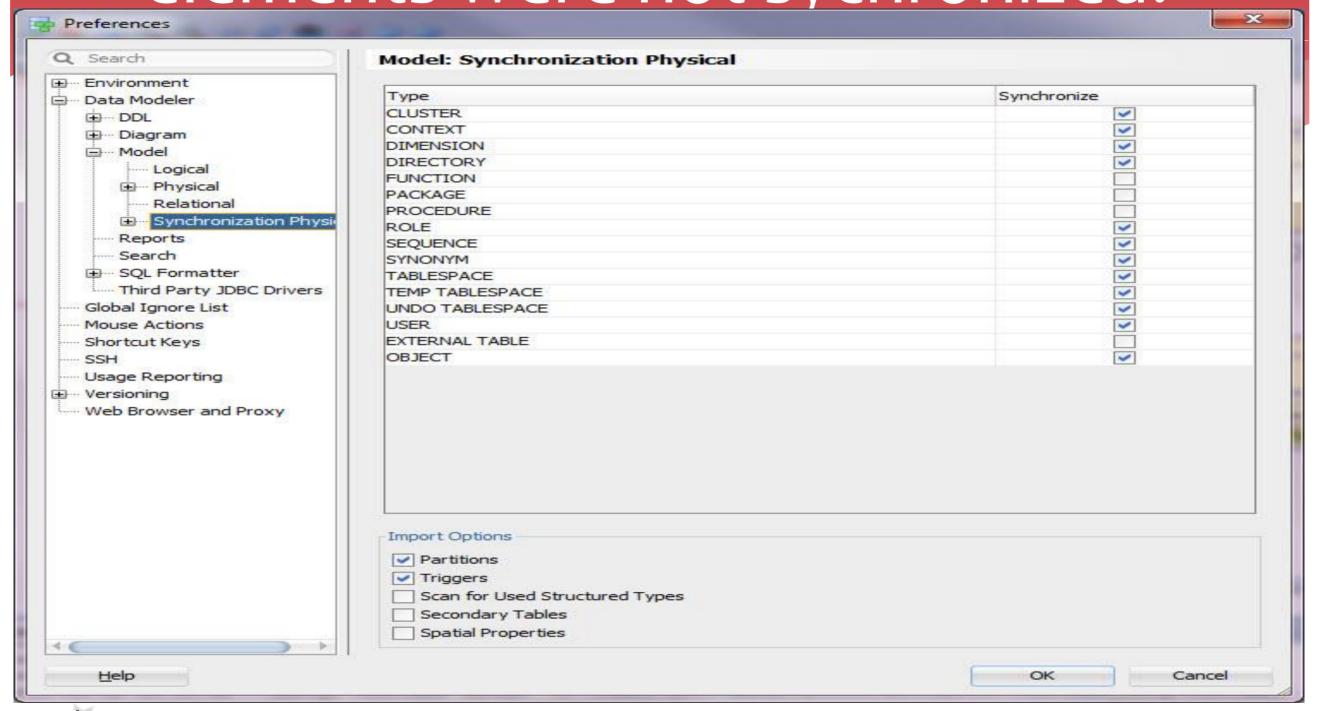








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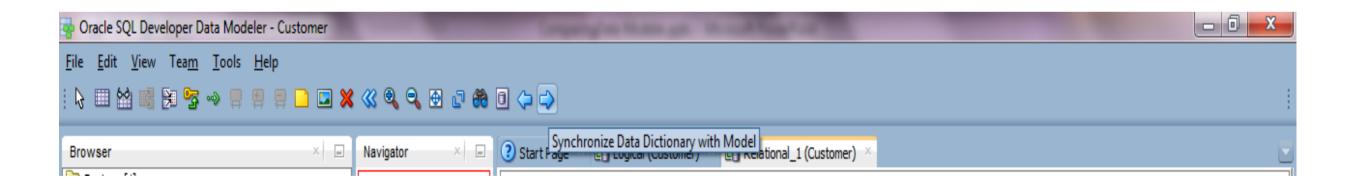




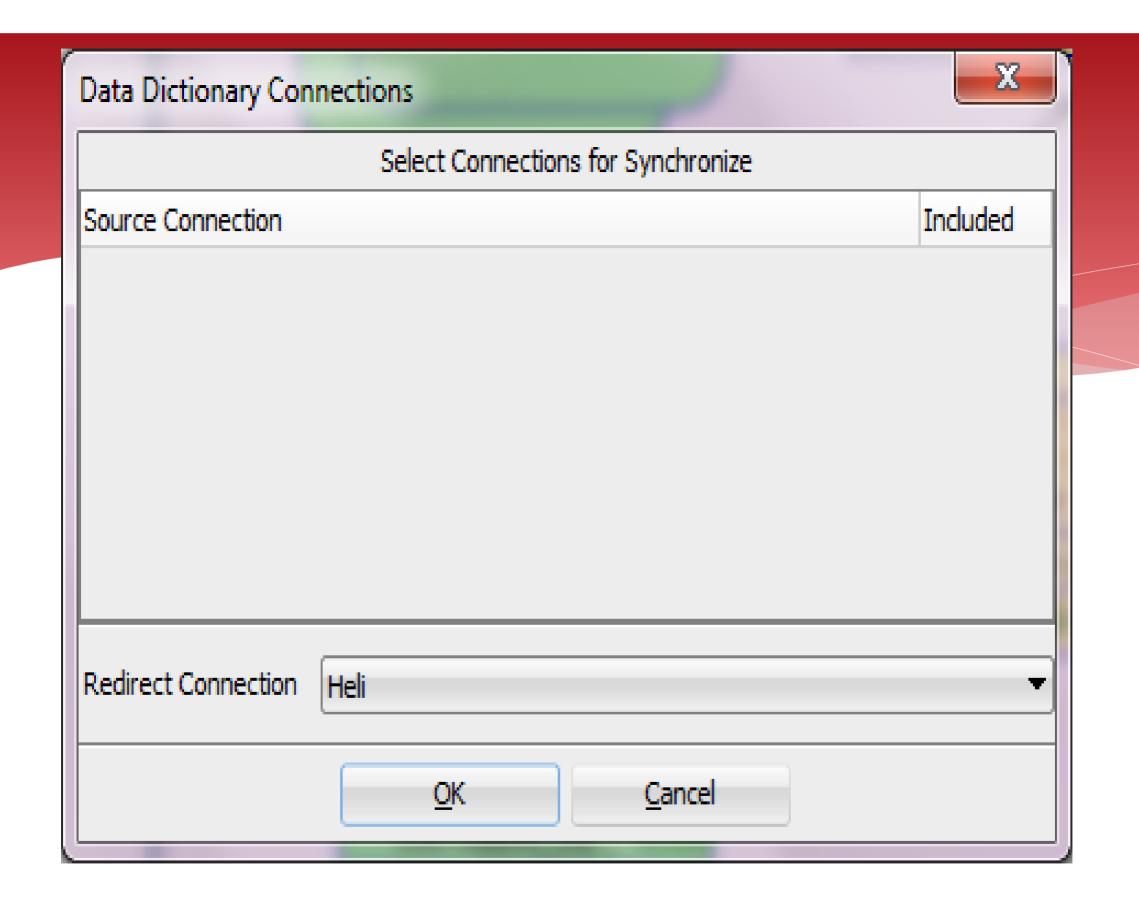


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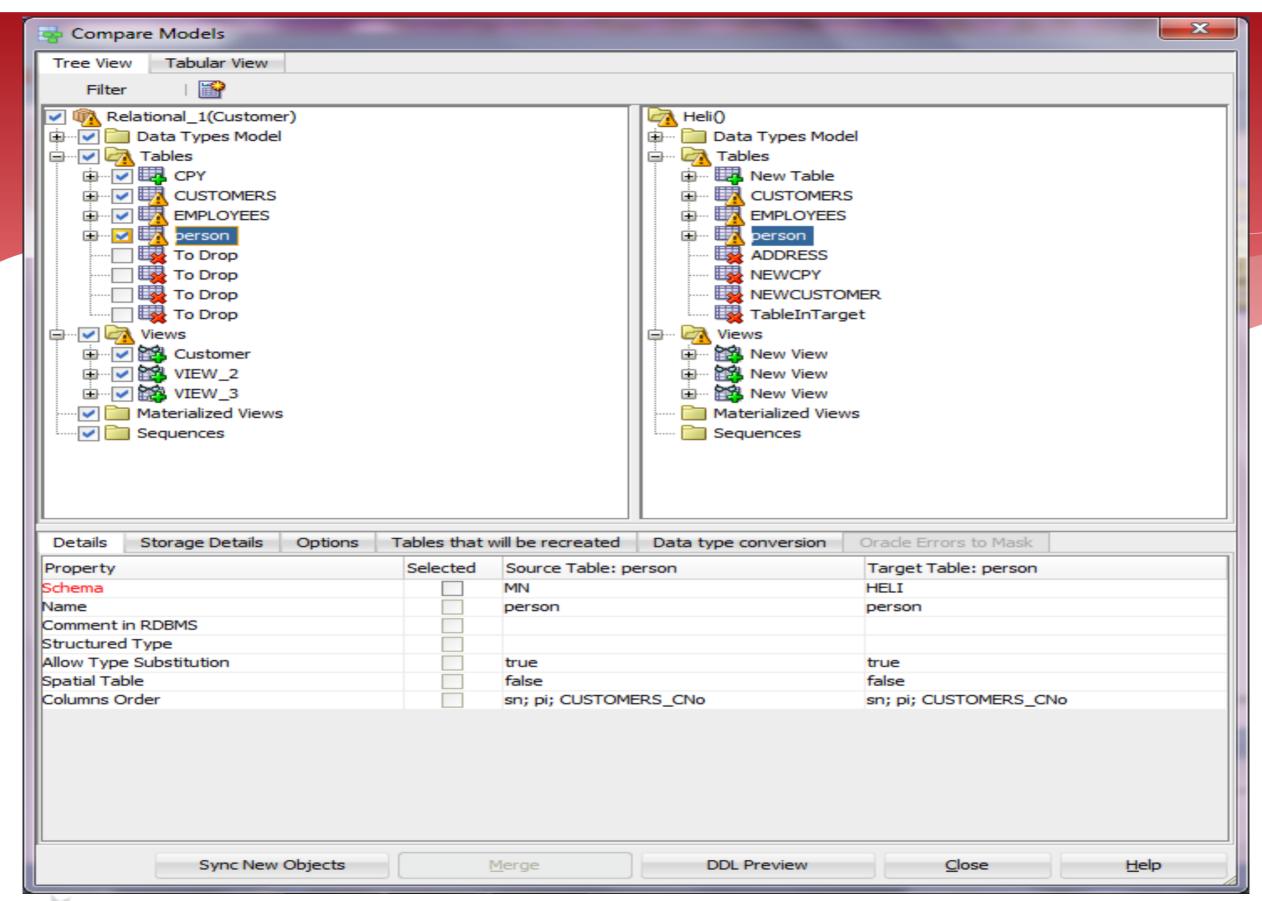
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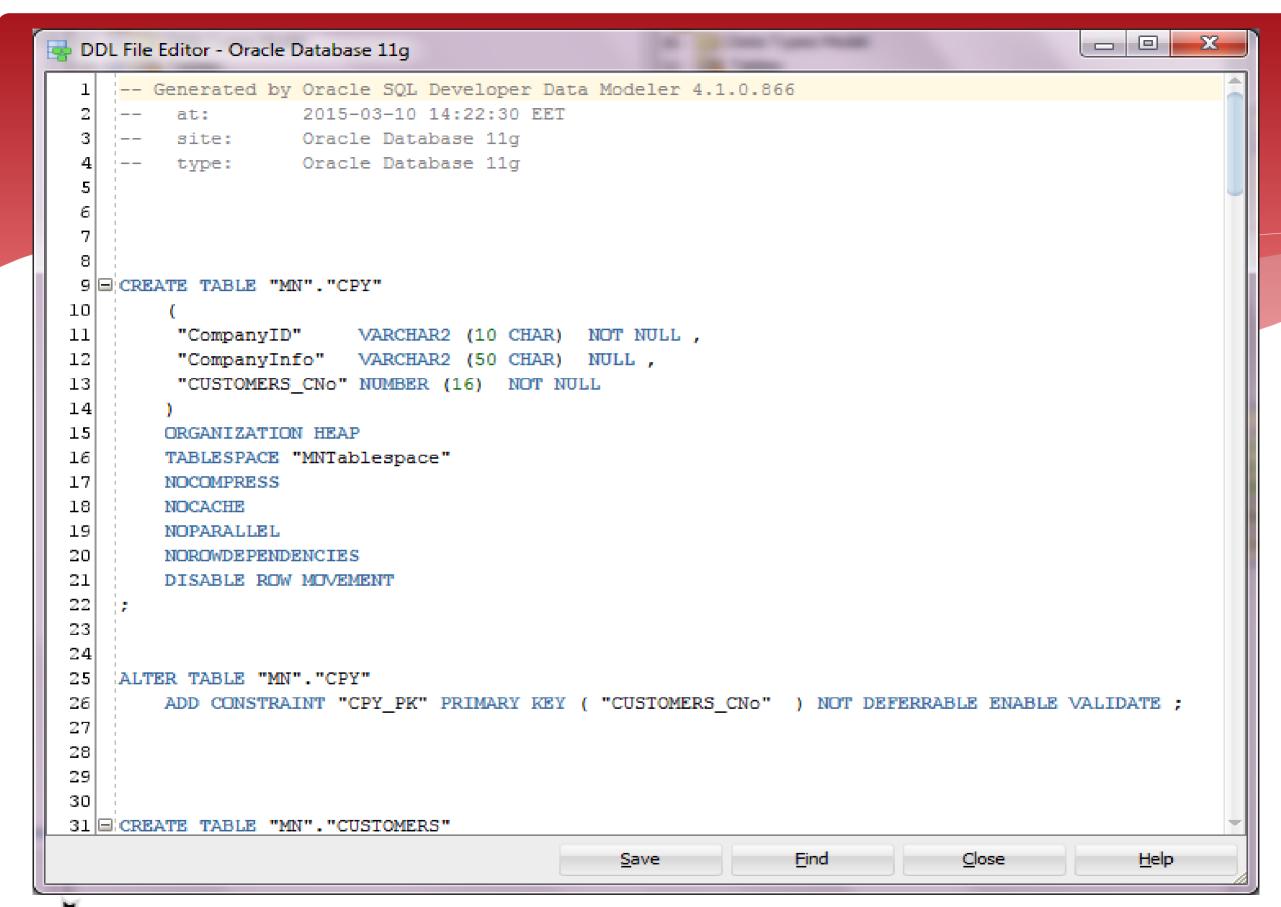










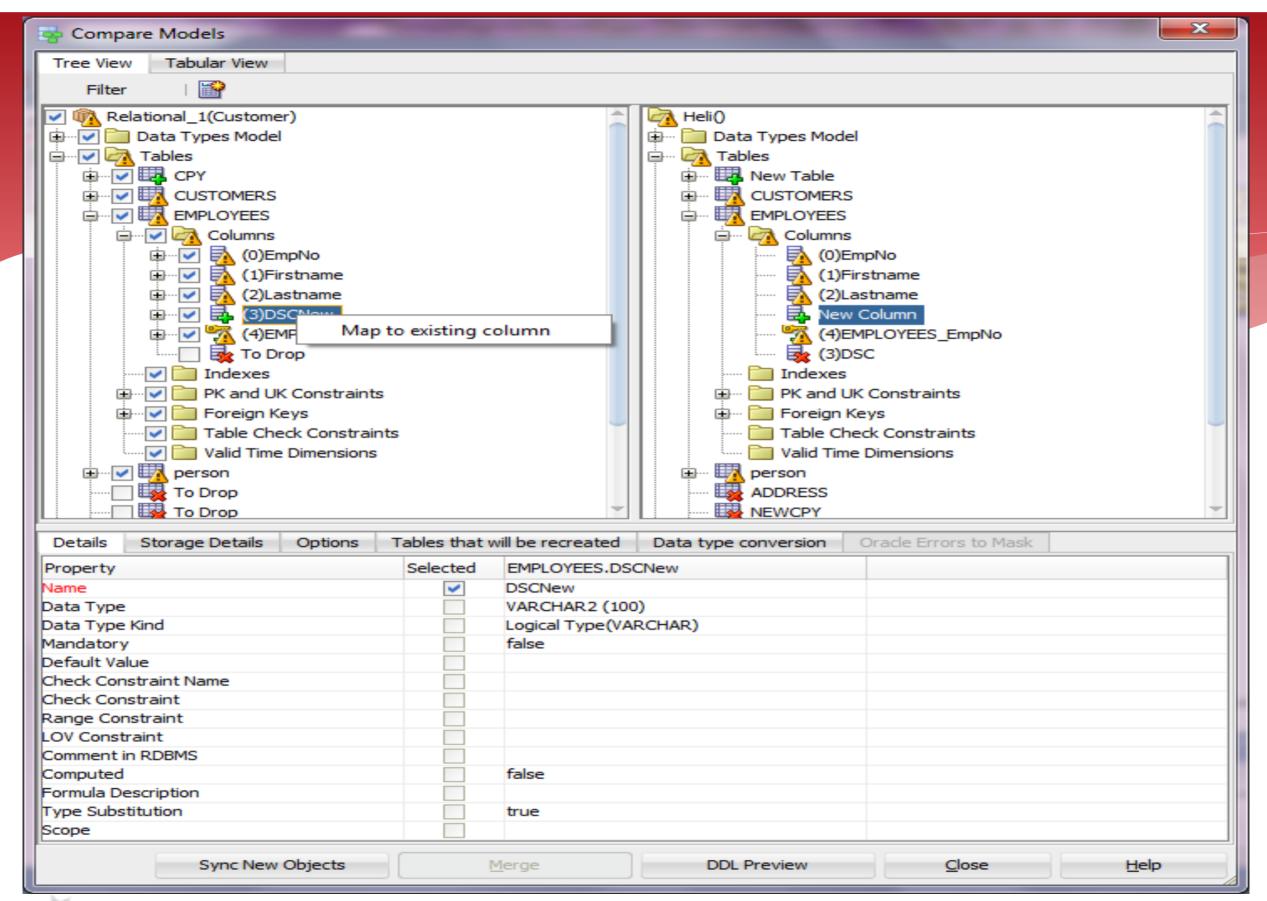




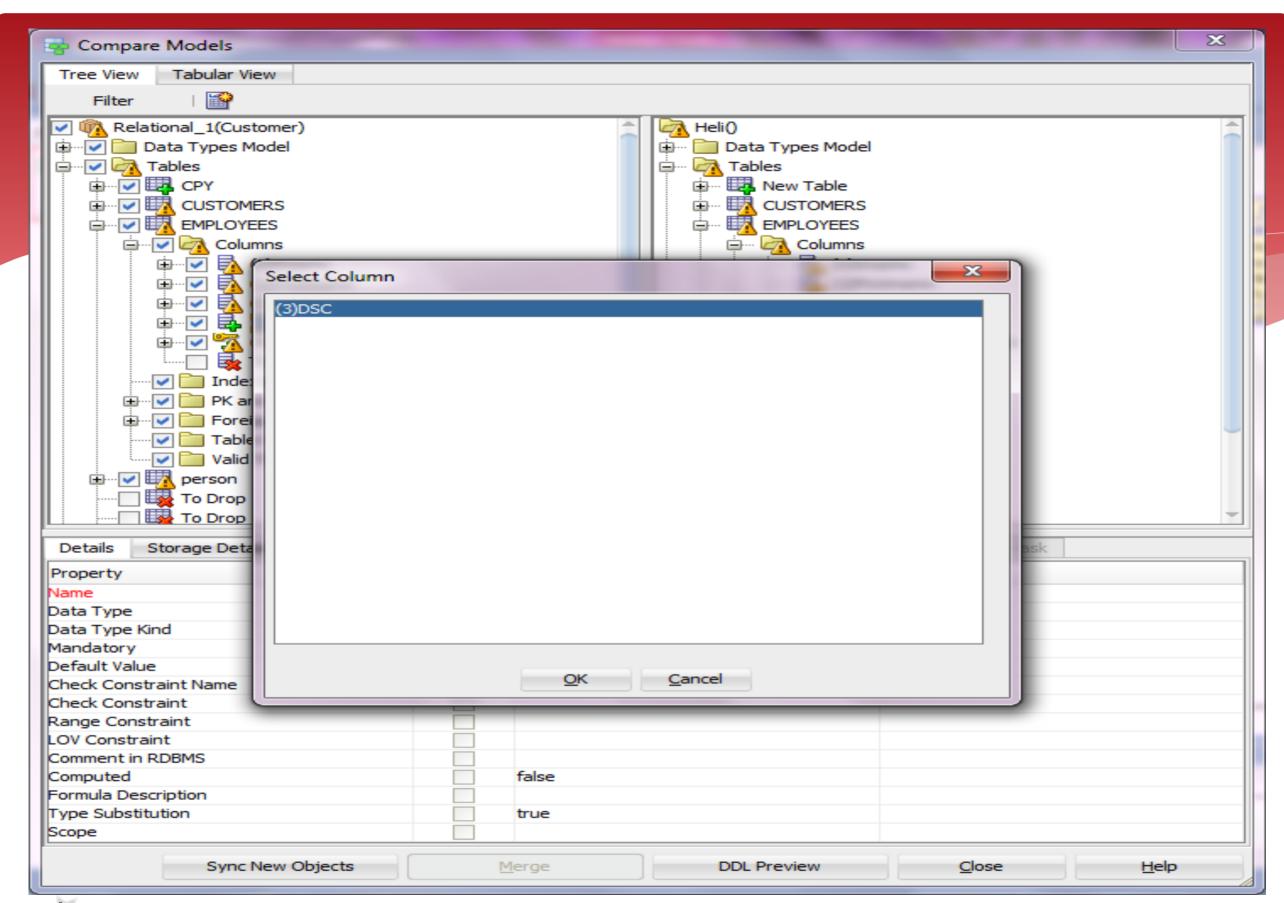
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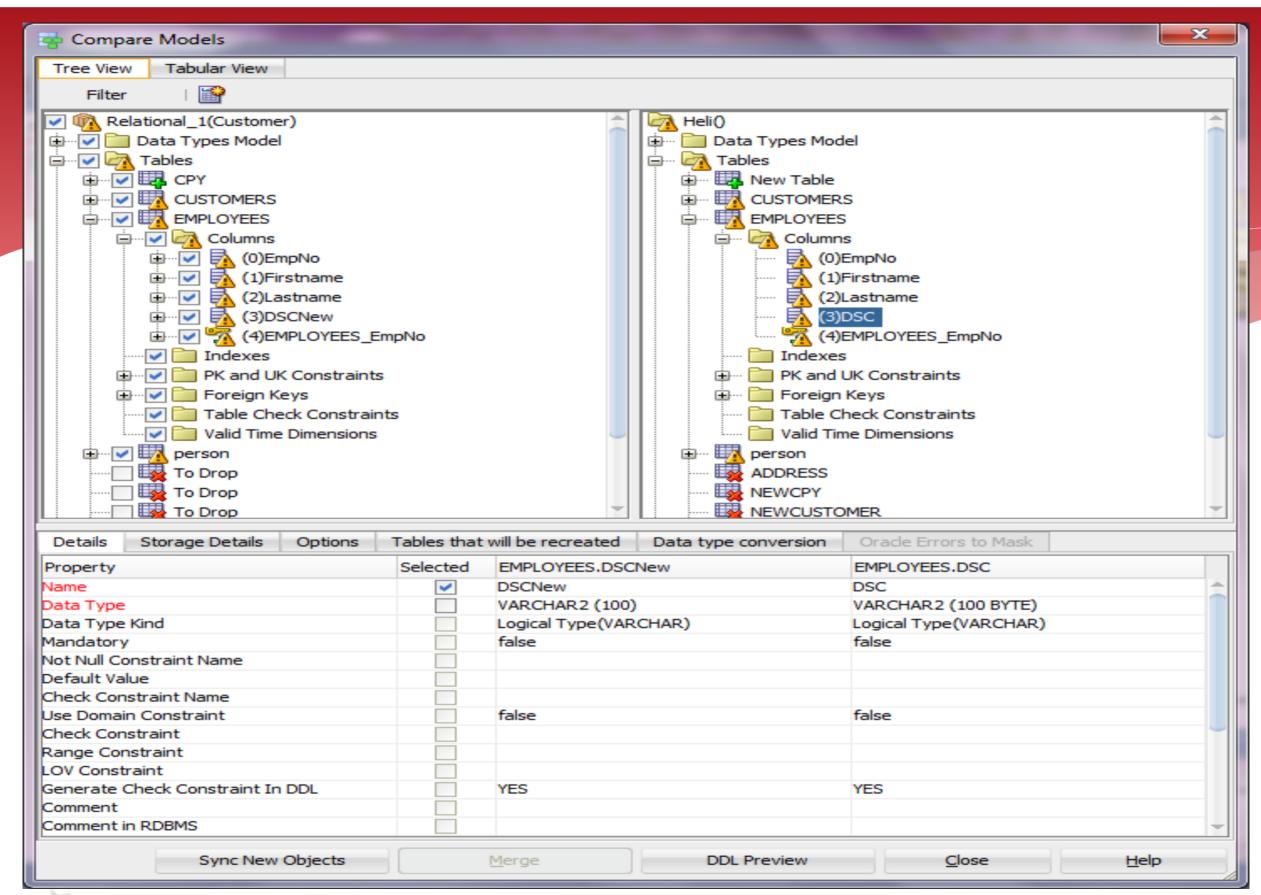












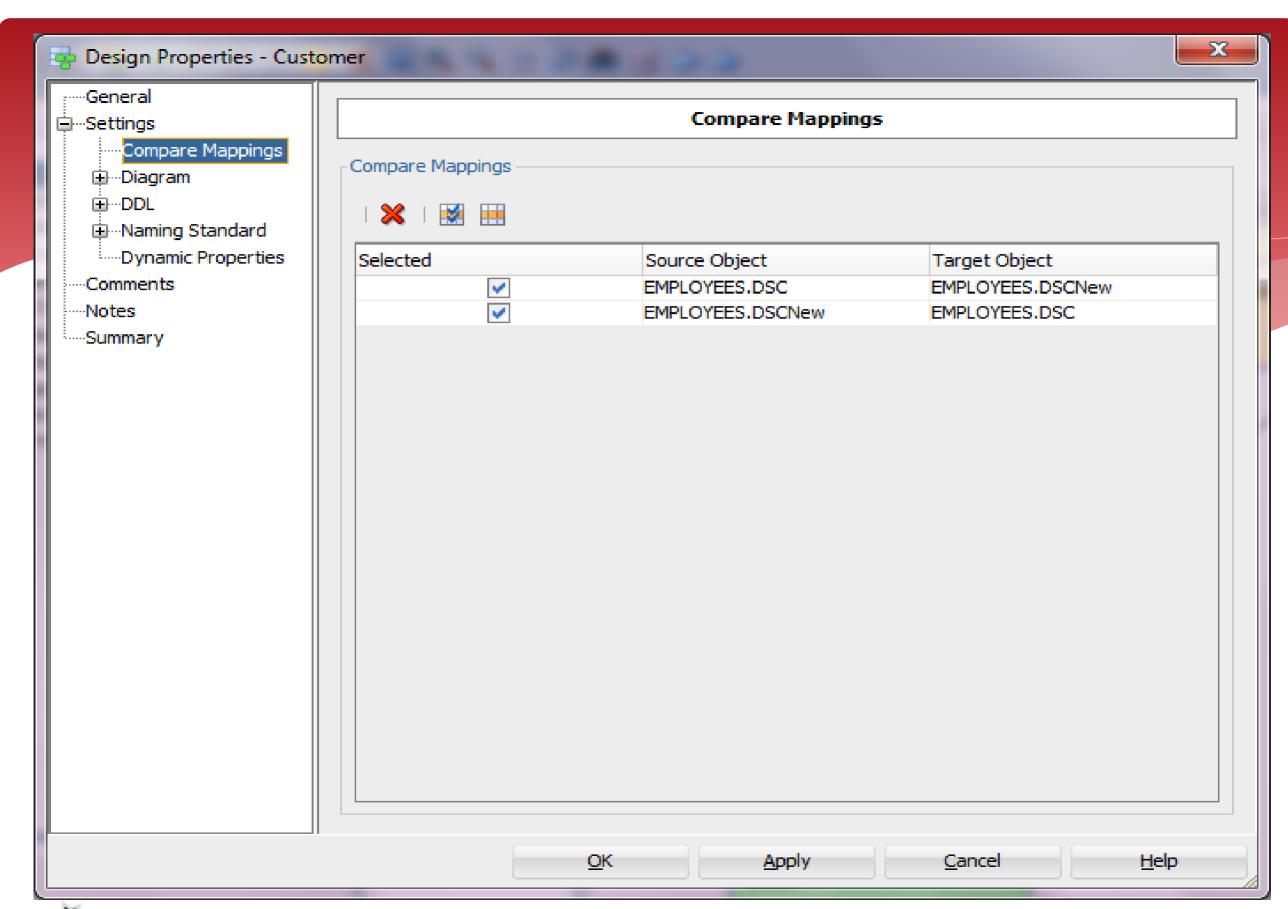


# It's called a Compare Mapping



\* And Data Modeler will remember it for this design...





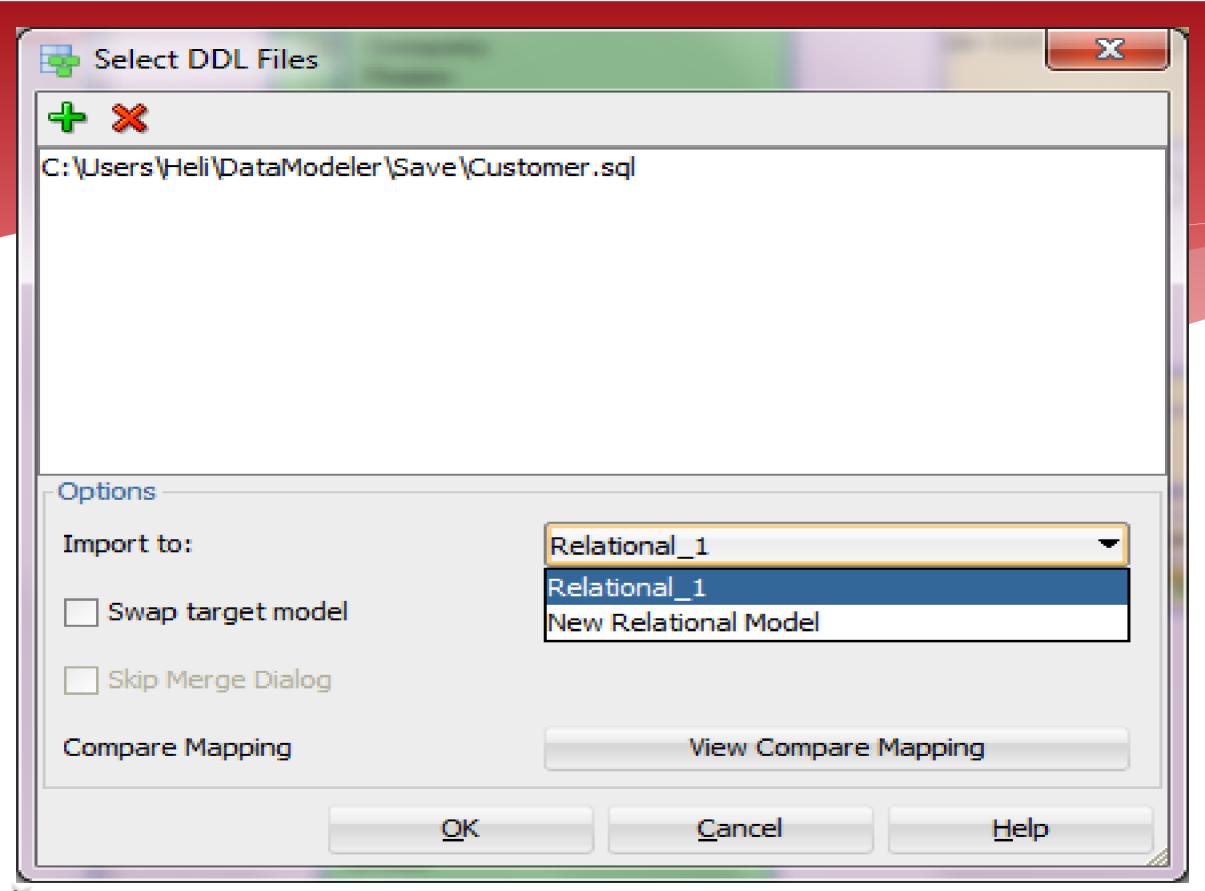




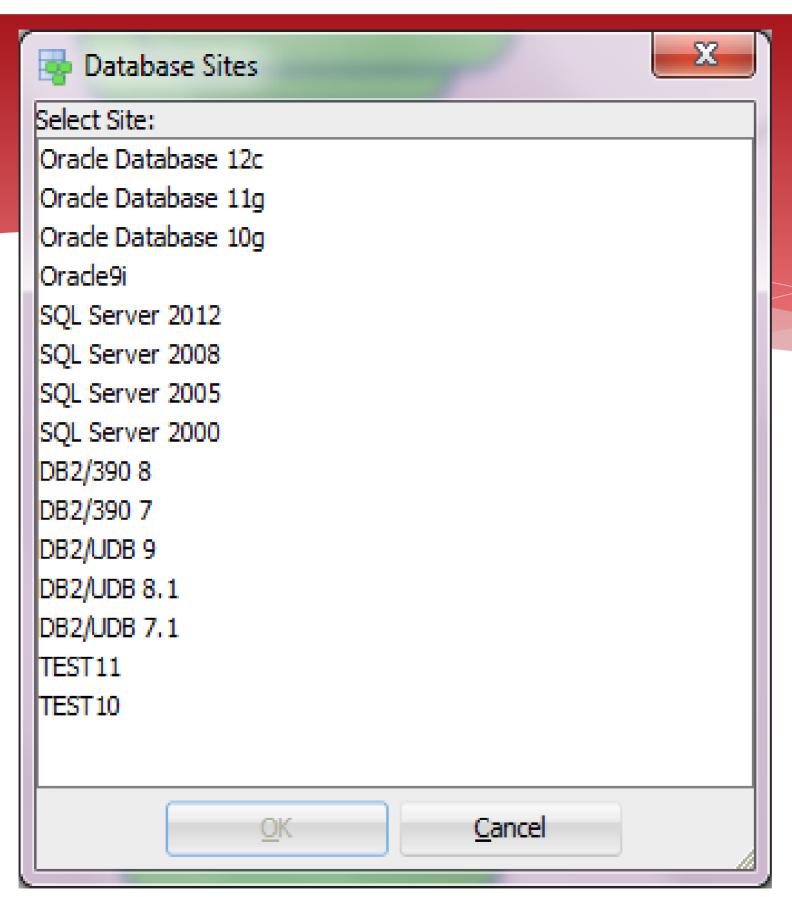
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\* File | Import | DDL File



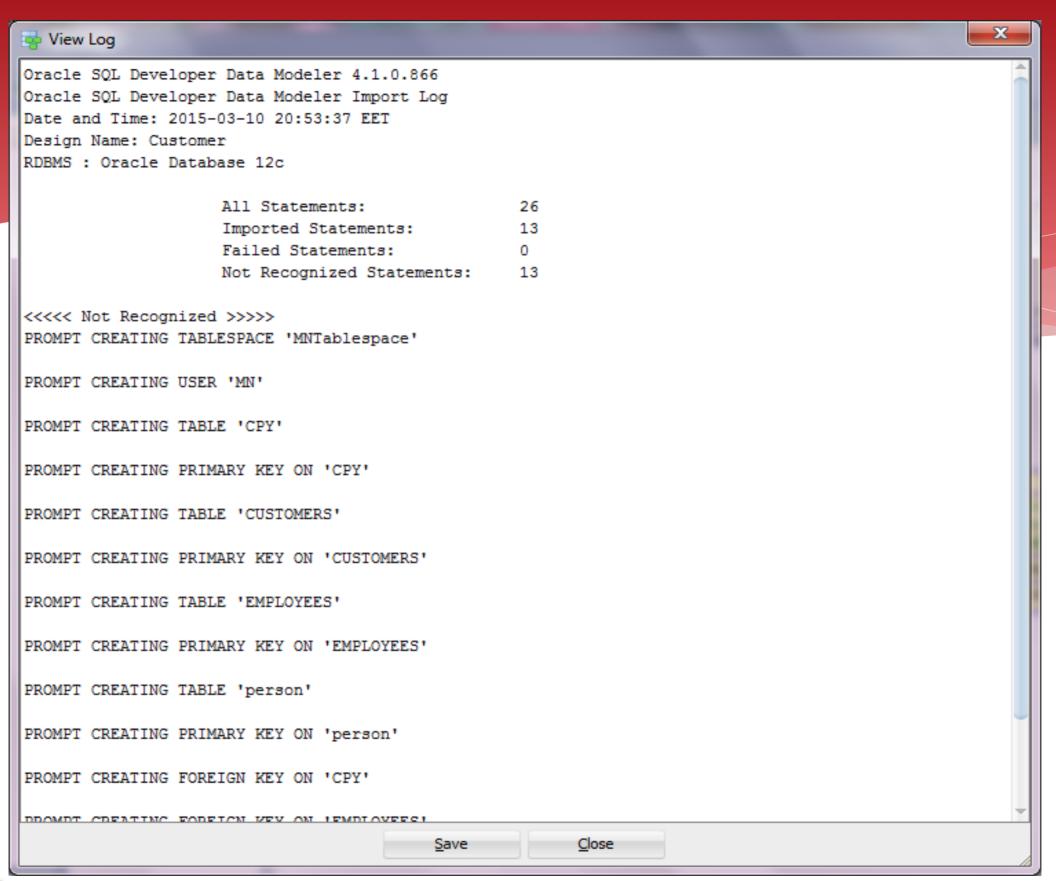




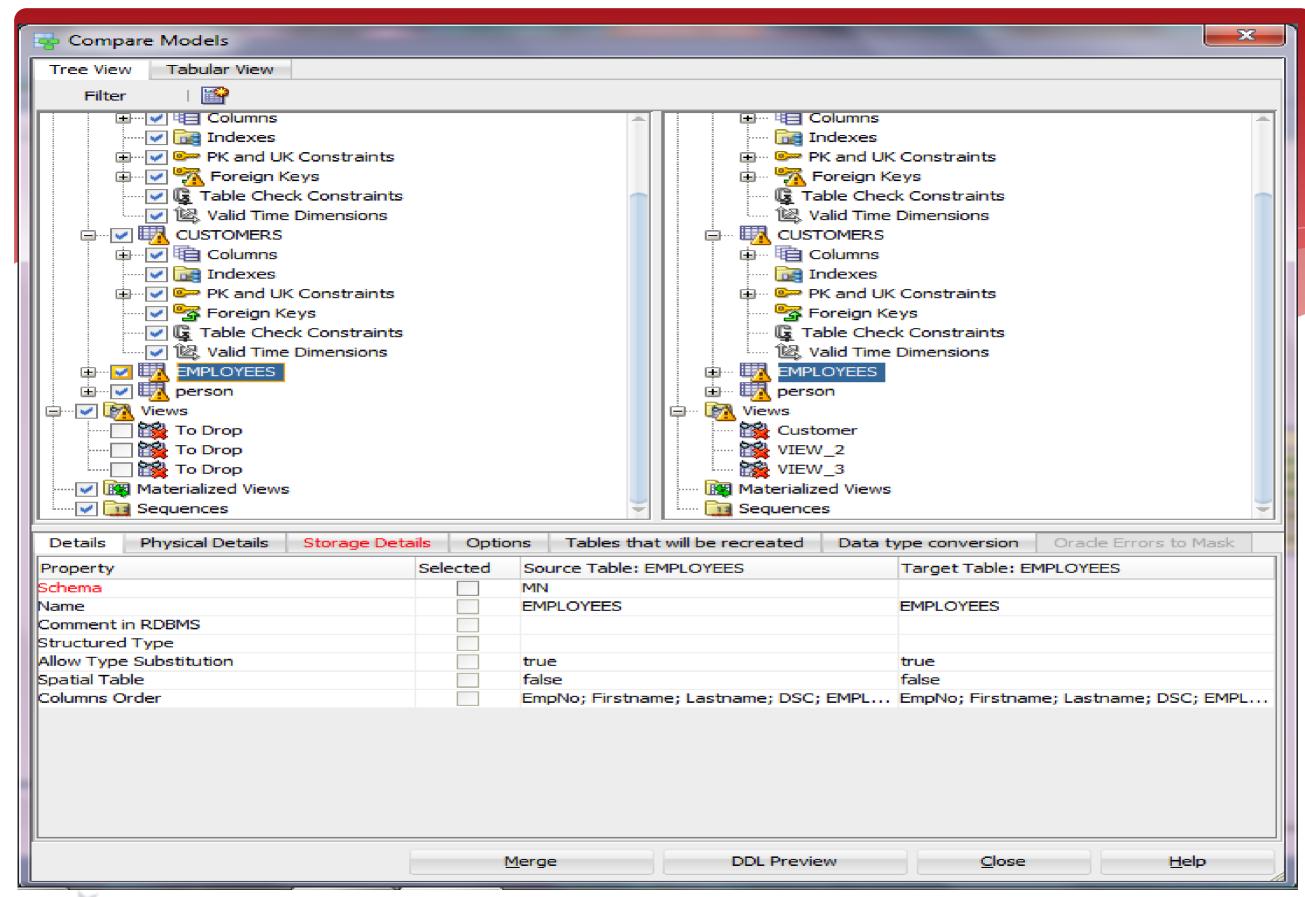














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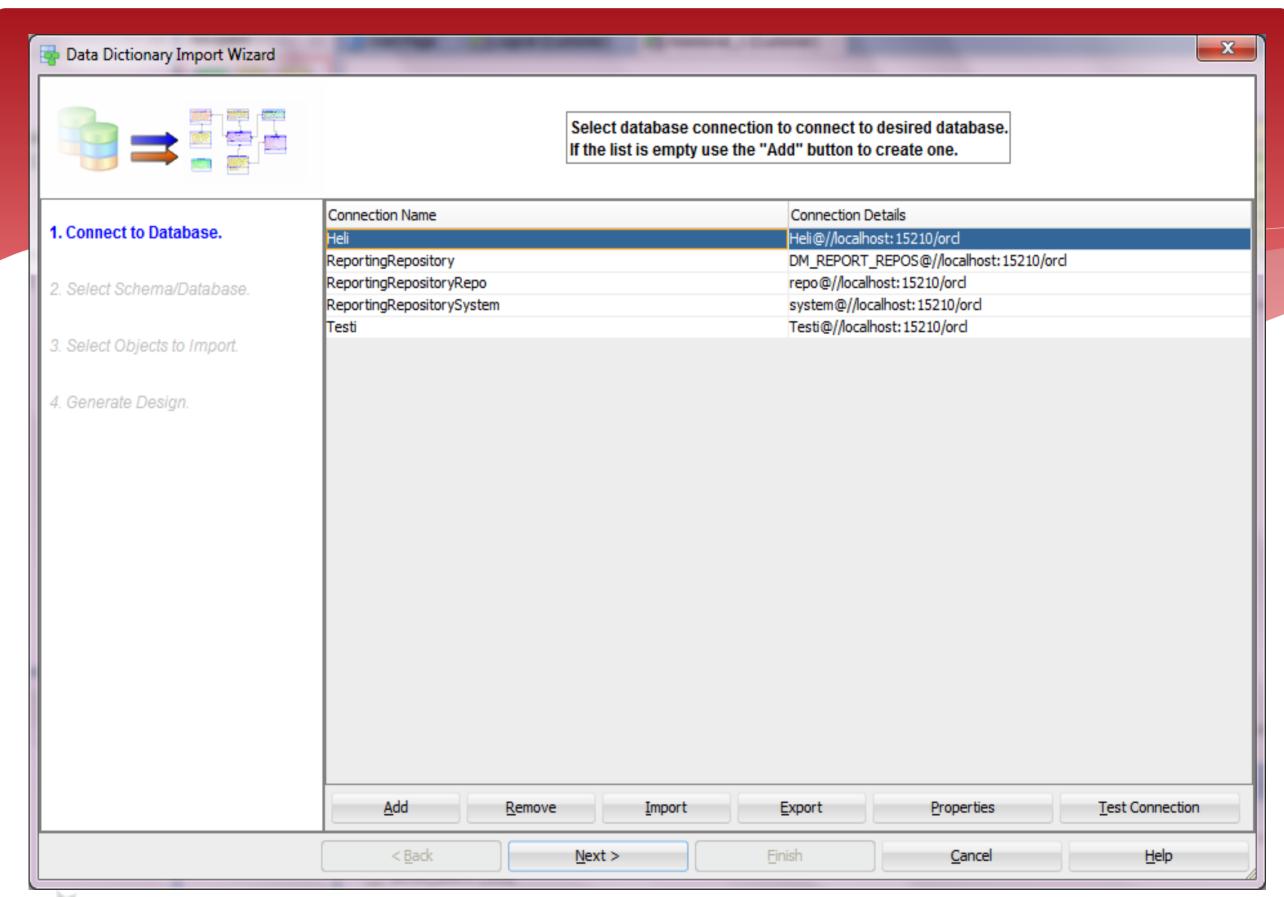


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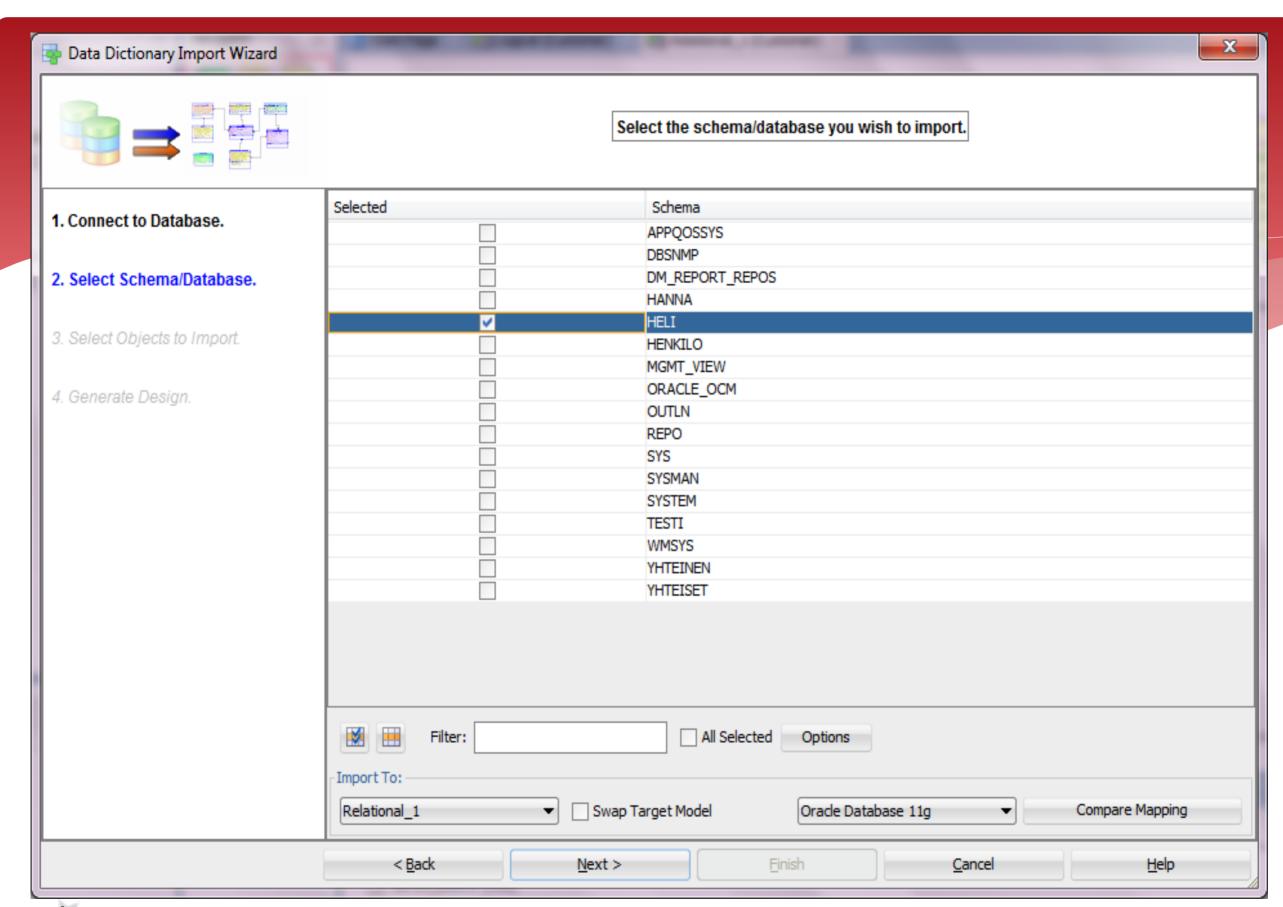


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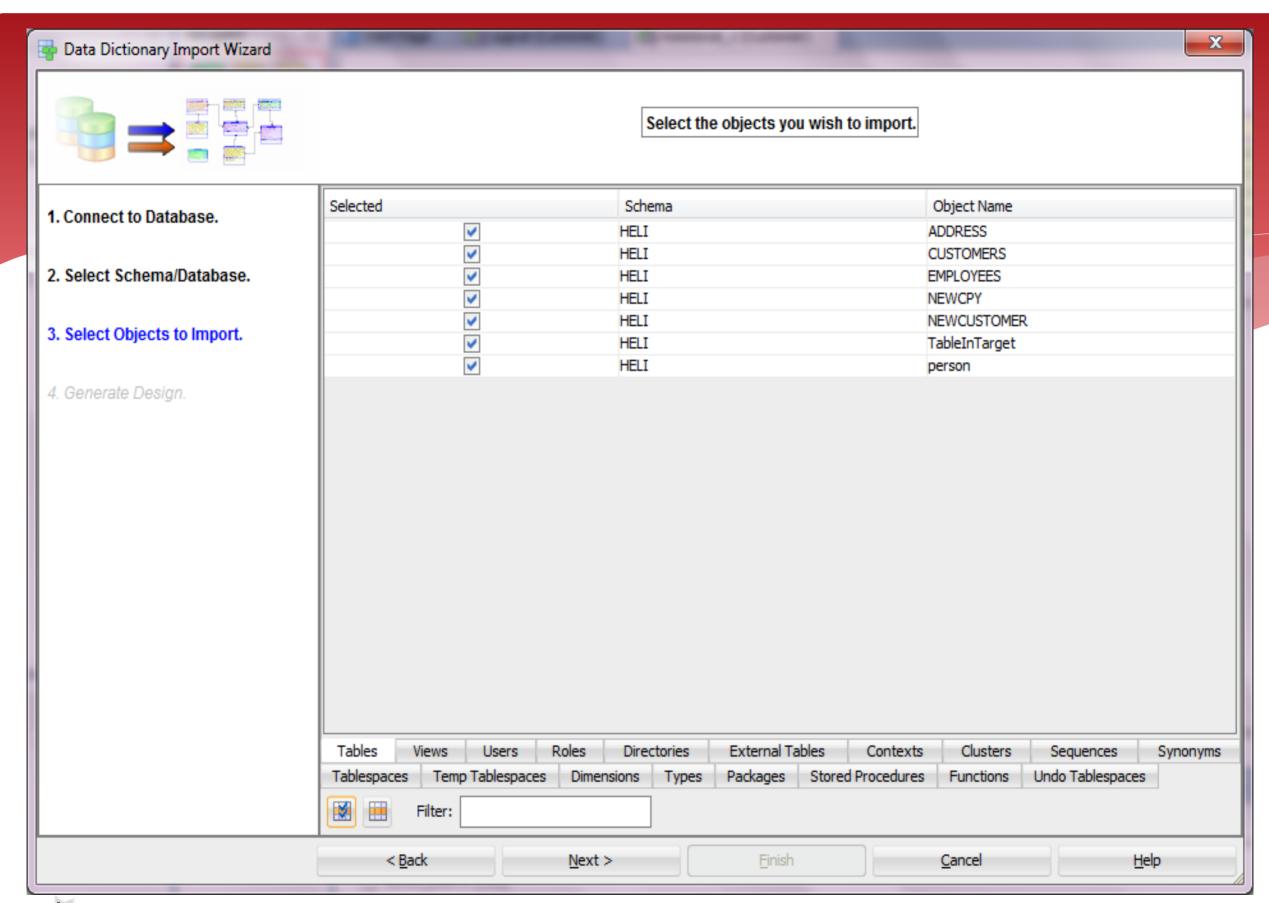




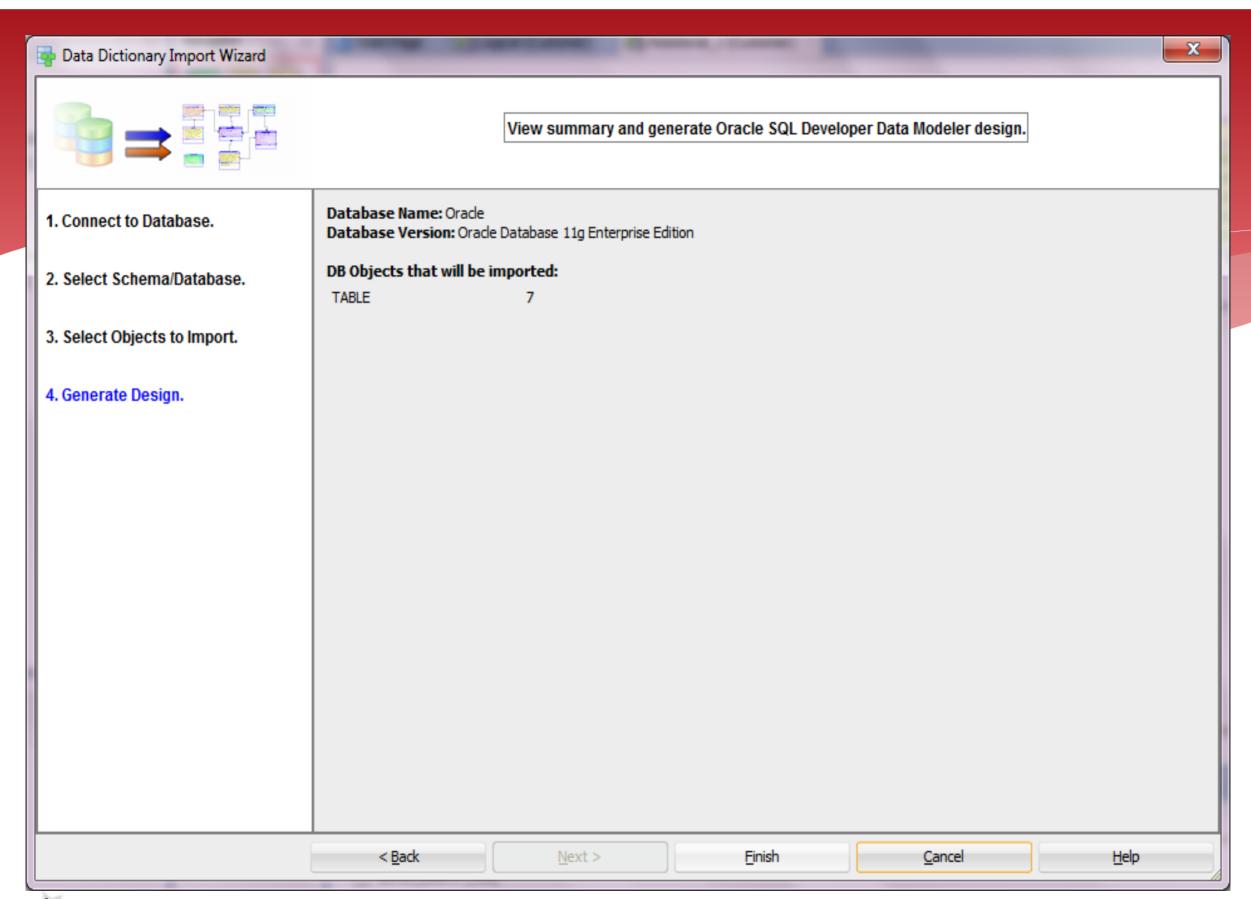




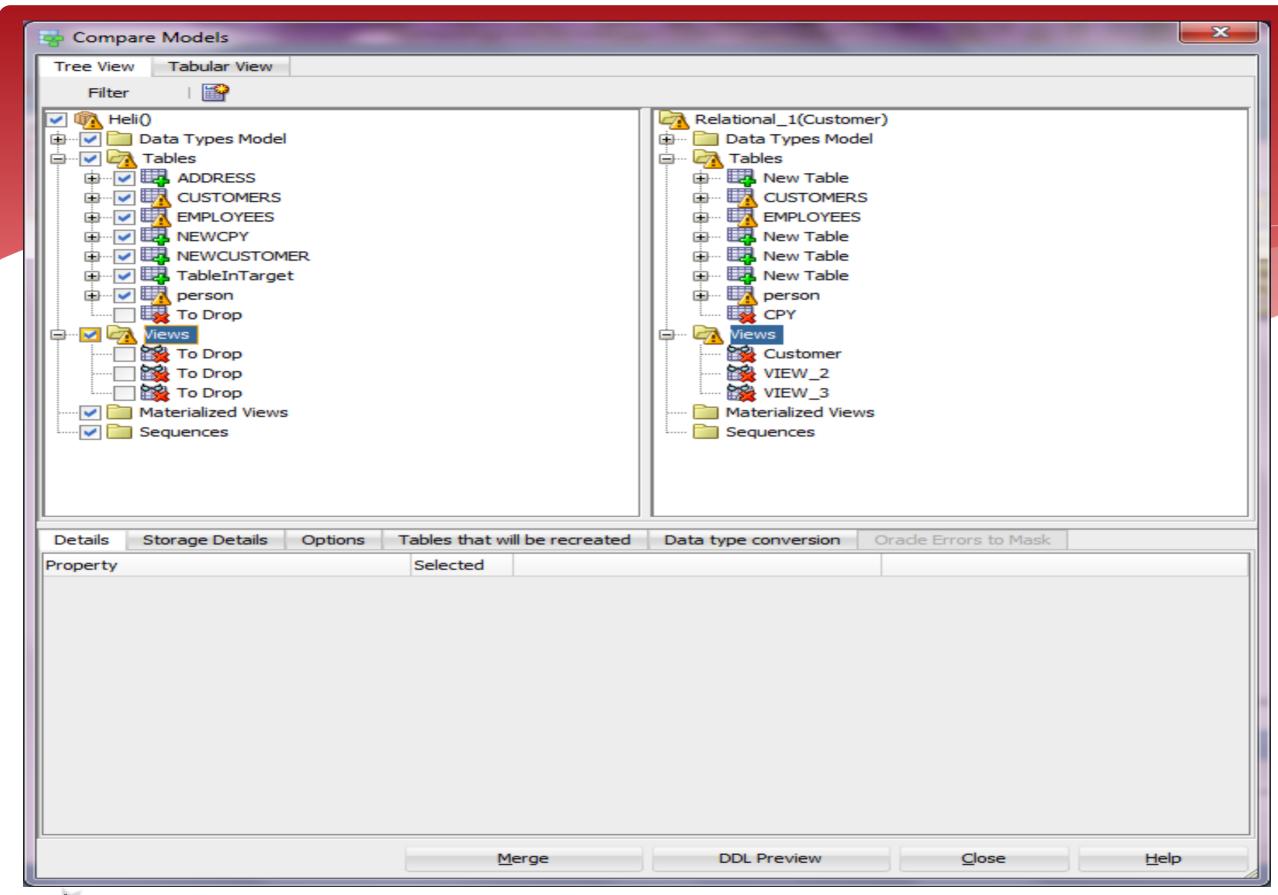
















## Reverse Engineering

\* Use the "compare" we just learned BUT always import to an existing model





#### Summary

- \* Table DDL Transformation Scripts can be used for Journaling Tables and many other purposed
- \* User Defined Properties (UDPs) are easy to define and can be used for instance on Search and reporting
- \* Search can be used for reporting, setting common properties and for updating your models based on an Excel sheet





### Summary cont.

- \* There are different compares
  - Design vs Design
  - Design vs Database
  - Database vs Design





#### Summary cont.

- \* File | Import | Data Modeler Design
- \* Tools | Compare/Merge Models
- \* Synchronize Model With Data Dictionary
- \* Synchronize Data Dictionary With Model
- \* File | Import | DDL File
- \* File | Import | Data Dictionary





#### Summary cont.

- \* When you import to an exiting model -> compare
- \* When you import to a new model -> Reverse Engineer
- \* Remember the preferences make a difference





#### THANK YOU!

**QUESTIONS?** 

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