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1

Oracle iStore 11*i* Overview

This chapter provides an overview of the features and architecture of Oracle iStore 11*i*. Topics include:

- Product Overview
- Architectural Overview
- Hardware Requirements
- Software Requirements

1.1 Product Overview

Oracle iStore 11*i* provides businesses from all industries with the ability to establish business-to-business and business-to-consumer electronic commerce. The Oracle iStore 11*i* application provides an easy-to-use mechanism for merchants to set up Internet storefronts that capture and process customer orders and to integrate their storefronts with Oracle Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) applications.

The key features and benefits of Oracle iStore 11*i* include the following:

- **Specialty stores** to create different stores within a single instance for serving different customer segments. Each store can have its own product selection, user interface, and process flows, while all the stores can utilize a unified, central merchant administration and repository of products and content.
- A rich product catalog that can display in multiple languages and currencies and is dynamically generated to reflect customer-specific product selection and pricing. The product catalog also supports a variety of relationships between products and product groups.
- Oracle Configurator for guided selling of complex products and configurable items
- **Sophisticated order capture** for customer-specific pricing, shipping and handling, and tax, and access to inventory availability
- **Channel integration** to leverage assets and processes, and to achieve a consistent customer experience across the contact points
- Seeded roles and permissions to offer personalized features for different customer segments and channel partners
- Self-administration that enables customers to manage store users and processes, thereby lowering operational costs
- **Personalization and recommendations** that cross-sell and up-sell items and improve the visits to purchase ratio for your Web stores
- **B2B functionality** that allows management of complex relationships with corporate customers in a self-service environment

1.2 Architectural Overview

In Oracle iStore 11*i* architecture, data is loaded and retrieved directly from ERP main tables. This functionality provides instant real time data status to Web stores and to other integrating systems and applications.

Figure 1–1 Oracle iStore 11i Architecture



iStore Architecture

1.3 Hardware Requirements

The suggested hardware configuration for Oracle iStore 11*i* is a series of Web servers in the front and a high performance database server machine in the back end. With global systems, the necessity for high performance database servers is even greater.

Oracle recommends the following server requirements:

- ERP database server machine high throughput at fast speed (CPU)
- Web servers running Apache for external customers
- One forms server for administration

You can determine the actual sizing of the machines after completing capacity planning.

Specific hardware requirements depend on the particular installation that you perform. The hardware requirements listed in the following table are guidelines only, and assume a single-node environment.

Hardware	Requirement
СРИ	2 CPUs minimum, 4 or more highly recommended
Memory	256 MB minimum, 1GB or more highly recommended
Disk Space	22GB, including 1GB in /tmp (plus an additional 9GB if installing from a staging area)

Table 1–1 Minimum Hardware Requirements

1.4 Software Requirements

The minimum software requirements are listed in the following table.

Software	Requirement
Database	8.1.7 version of Oracle8 <i>i</i>
Middle-Tier	The middle-tier requirements are an Apache 3.0 version Web server and Oracle Forms 6.0 server (as a part of ERP 11 <i>i</i> implementation). For faster page serving, you can also use a caching server in front of the Web server series. The caching server (for example, Calypso) then serves the static content through the cached TCP/IP packets (or cached pages). An invalidated cache results in service requests being directed to the Web servers.

Table 1–2 Minimum Software Requirements

Oracle iStore 11*i* Dependency Setups

This chapter describes the setup of applications and other program functions on which Oracle iStore 11*i* depends. Topics include:

- Setup Process Flow Diagrams
- Dependency Requirements
- Setting Up the Mandatory Dependencies
- Setting Up the Optional Dependencies

2.1 Setup Process Flow Diagrams

Figure 2–1 Setup Process Flow (Merchant UI)





Setting Up iStore 11i : Customer User Interface

Figure 2–2 Setup Process Flow (Customer UI)

Oracle iStore 11i Dependency Setups 2-3



Figure 2–3 Setup Process Flow (Specialty Store)

* = Optional step. Seeded information supplied.

2.2 Dependency Requirements

Oracle iStore 11*i* integrates with many other Oracle application modules to provide and extend its functionality. You must set up the mandatory modules before Oracle iStore 11*i* can run. Setting up the optional modules is not required; however, if they are not set up, then the additional functionality provided by these modules will not be available.

2.2.1 Mandatory Modules

Modules listed in this section must be set up for Oracle iStore 11*i* to function properly.

Oracle Application Object Library

Oracle Application Object Library (AOL) is a required dependency of all Oracle applications modules. Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the AOL to manage responsibilities of store managers as well as customers. You also define new languages and manage prompts for your store here.

Oracle General Ledger

Oracle General Ledger provides business unit information to Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Oracle Human Resources

Oracle Human Resources stores information related to your organizations, such as permitted bill-to and ship-to countries.

Oracle Inventory

Oracle Inventory is a required dependency for Oracle iStore 11*i*. The following information is set up in Oracle Inventory:

- Category structure to set intelligent defaults for the ways products can be displayed, and default values for different multimedia components used to display products
- Item information
- Oracle Inventory itself requires at least one inventory organization to be set up and at least one business unit (organization) to be set up. In addition, it requires at least one product catalog group to be set up, even though you may not use it.

Oracle Order Capture

Oracle Order Capture provides pricing, shipping, and tax information for Oracle iStore 11*i*, and transforms Oracle iStore 11*i* shopping carts into orders in Oracle Order Management.

Oracle Order Management

Oracle Order Management processes orders from Oracle iStore 11*i* and provides order tracking, returns, and history. Order Management in turn depends upon Oracle Pricing and Oracle General Ledger. Oracle iStore 11*i* uses Order Management (OM) to keep records of orders placed by customers and pricing of those orders. It does so by using APIs provided by Order Capture (OC). Order Management in turn uses:

- Oracle Receivables for keeping records of customers and invoices, and capturing payments upon shipments
- Oracle Order Capture
- Oracle Pricing for determining prices of goods sold
- Oracle Shipping for shipping execution

Note: Order Management in turn requires you to set up the inventory and business units as well as financials-related parameters.

Oracle Pricing

Oracle Pricing provides the prices of goods sold for Oracle iStore 11*i*. It enables complex, customer-specific pricing through price lists and pricing agreements.

Oracle Receivables

Oracle Receivables is a central data repository for customer information that uses the Trading Community Architecture (TCA) model. It also calculates taxes and generates invoices

2.2.2 Optional Modules

The following Oracle applications modules can be set up to provide additional functionality for your electronic store:

- Oracle Advanced Inbound to process call-me-back requests
- Oracle Advanced Supply Chain (Global ATP Server) to provide product availability information
- Oracle Configurator to enable customer configured products and provide guided selling as well as to perform some of the validations of the shopping cart
- **Oracle Contracts** for complete contract management and service agreements
- Oracle CRM Business Intelligence to assess the performance of the store
- Oracle iMarketing to define promotions and discounts
- Oracle Incentive Compensation for managing sales compensation across all channels
- **Oracle iPayment** to process payments with online credit card authorization
- **Oracle iSupport** to provide return authorizations and knowledge base integration
- Oracle Marketing Online to define, execute, and manage marketing campaigns, budgets, and segments across all channels
- **Oracle Material Requirements Planning** to provide product availability information
- **Oracle Shipping** to calculate shipping charges
- Oracle Workflow to send e-mail notifications and confirmations to customers



Figure 2–4 Typical Oracle iStore 11i Integration With Other Oracle Applications

2.3 Setting Up the Mandatory Dependencies

The following steps indicate the suggested task sequence for setting up Oracle iStore 11*i*'s mandatory dependencies.

Steps

- 1. Define and enable languages in AOL.
- 2. Define and set up your Business Units, Set of Books, in Oracle General Ledger.
- 3. Set up Oracle Inventory.
- 4. Set up Oracle Receivables.
- 5. Set up Oracle Order Capture.
- 6. Set up Oracle Order Management.
- 7. Set up Oracle Human Resources.
- 8. Optional: Define more users for store manager.
- 9. Set up JTF, ASO, and iStore profiles.
- **10.** Create the product catalog.

Using the Oracle Application Implementation Wizard

Use the Oracle Application Implementation Wizard (AIW) to coordinate dependency setups and identify the steps required to implement the Oracle iStore 11*i* application.

You can use the AIW to see the graphical overview of the steps involved, read online help on set up and open the appropriate forms. You can also document your actions for further reference and review.

Please refer to Oracle Application Implementation Wizard User's Guide for more details.

2.3.1 Setting Up Languages in AOL

Oracle Applications 11i enables you to have a multi-lingual set up against one instance. However the set of languages available is dependent upon the character set of the database implementation. The languages enabled determine the set of languages in which the store could be presented to the user.

For a given specialty store, you select languages from those languages enabled at the Oracle Application level. These will be the languages that are going to be

available in that specialty store. See Chapter 4 for details of multilingual capabilities at the store level.

2.3.2 Setting Up Sales Assistance Prompts in AOL

Web store customers can request help from a sales representative through the Oracle iStore 11*i* Sales Assistance feature. When they do so, the application asks them to choose from a list of reasons why they need assistance, and to enter any comments that they may have. When the customers indicate why they need assistance, the application submits their shopping carts as orders with an Entered status, and the sales representative specified in the profile option IBE: Default Sales Assistant to Send Workflow Notification receives an e-mail notification. The sales representative can then contact the customer, provide the necessary assistance, and book the order.

You must use AOL to set up the list of reasons for needing assistance that customers choose from when using the Sales Assistance feature. You can do this by setting up lookup codes, with meanings, for the FND lookup type "IBE_SALES_ASSIST_ REASONS_LK," using the AOL Lookups Form. See *Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i* for more information.

After setting up the list of reasons, you must set the profile option IBE: Default Sales Assistant to Send Workflow Notification to activate the Sales Assistance feature. See Chapter 7 for more information.

2.3.3 Setting Up Service Items in AOL

Selling service items in your Oracle iStore 11*i* Web stores requires preliminary setup in AOL. Use the following procedure to create lookups for Oracle iStore 11*i* and set up the Oracle iStore 11*i* shopping cart pull-down menu for technical support.

Prerequisites

Service items have been set up in Oracle Inventory. See Section 2.3.7, "Setting Up Service Items in Oracle Inventory" for more information.

Prices for service items have been set up in Oracle Pricing. See Section 2.3.13, "Setting Up Prices for Serviceable and Service Items in Oracle Pricing" for more information.

Steps

1. In SQL*Plus, query the mtl_system_items_b table to find the inventory_item_id for the service item, as shown below:

```
$ sqlplus app/<apps_pwd>@<connect_string>
SQL> select inventory_item_id from mtl_system_items_b where organization_id
= <enter the organization ID value> and segment1 = 'support_item';
```

SQL*Plus returns the inventory_item_id value.

2. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 3. Log in with the Application Developer responsibility.
- 4. Choose Application > Lookups > Application Object Library.

The Application Object Library Lookups form opens.

5. Query by example with Type = IBE_SUPPORT_FOR_SHOP_CART.

The Application Object Library Lookups form opens with the record for lookup type IBE_SUPPORT_FOR_SHOP_CART.

- **6.** Add a line with the following values:
 - **a.** Code = Enter the inventory_item_id value returned by the SQL*Plus query.
 - **b.** Meaning = Support
 - **c.** Description = Support
 - **d.** From = Enter the current date.
 - **e.** Enabled = Check this checkbox.
- **7.** Add a line with the following values:
 - **a.** Code = NONE
 - **b.** Meaning = None
 - c. Description = No Service is Selected
 - **d.** From = Enter the current date.
 - **e.** Enabled = Check this checkbox.

- 8. Click the Save icon in the toolbar to save your changes.
- **9.** Next, set the IBE: Use Support and IBE: Use Support Cart Level profile options to **Yes.** See Chapter 7 for more information.

2.3.4 Setting Up Oracle General Ledger

Because Oracle Order Management and Oracle Inventory require at least one Multi Org and associated set of books, you need to create at least one business unit in Oracle General Ledger. See *Oracle Applications Release 11i Concepts* for more information on business units and multi-org. See *Oracle General Ledger User's Guide* for steps involved in setting up business units.

2.3.5 Setting Up Product Items in Oracle Inventory

Oracle Inventory serves as the repository of product items that can be sold through Oracle iStore 11*i*. Use the Oracle Inventory forms to create new items and then create additional content for the Web through the Store Manager. Before you can create items in the Oracle Inventory system, you must set up and define the structure around it. Refer to *Oracle Inventory User's Guide* for details of inventory set up.

Guidelines

While making decisions about set up, please keep the following guidelines in mind:

- Products must have their Web Status set to either Published or Unpublished to appear in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI. The Web Status can be changed from Oracle Inventory or Oracle iStore 11*i*.
- Items that will be sold through the Web must be set with the flags Web Status = Published, and Orderable on Web, in the Web Option tab of the Inventory Master Item form. They must also be set with the flag Customer Orders Enabled, in the Order Management tab of the Inventory Master Item form.
- Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the category structure to keep track of default ways of displaying products as well as default values for multimedia components associated with the product. All items belonging to a category in specified category sets are treated similarly from display perspective. In Oracle iStore 11*i* setup, you set the IBE: Category Set profile option to a category set value that helps Oracle iStore 11*i* differentiate between items based on the categories they belong to within this category set. Items in the same category in this category set are treated as homogenous from display and multimedia default perspectives.
If you are planning to sell items of different types (e.g., books vs. computers) and need to display them differently (i.e., use different templates) then you should create two different categories within this category set. If you do not have the flexibility to do so, then you may specify the display properties at the item level. Refer to Chapter 5 for more details.

- Set up flexfields according to your needs. Flexfields are used to capture additional information about items.
- Oracle iStore 11*i* requires one Inventory Organization to be identified against which the product catalog is built. Typically this would be the Master Inventory Organization.
- In a multiple operating unit environment, the main Inventory Organization should consist of all the items from all the operating units. If you need to separate the items to be sold from each operating unit into different Inventory Organizations, create a separate Inventory Organization for each operating unit. These operating unit Inventory Organizations should exist only as subsets of the main Inventory Organization. Separate items from different operating units in the Web stores by setting up each operating unit with its own Web store sub-hierarchy within the main Oracle iStore 11*i* hierarchy. See Section 4.4, "Creating the Hierarchy" for more information about setting up the Oracle iStore 11*i* hierarchy.

Steps

The MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS table in Oracle Inventory is where product information resides. The following minimum setups are required:

- **1.** Set the following parameter values:
 - Set the value for the WEB_STATUS flag parameter.
 - Set the value for the CUSTOMER_ORDER_ENABLE_FLAG parameter.
 - Set the value for the INV_ORDERABLE_ON_WEB parameter.

These settings are required to display products in the Merchant UI.

- **2.** In Inventory, map inventory items to organizational IDs (organizational IDs are set in General Ledger). This mapping determines the inventory items that specific organizational IDs can view.
- **3.** Enter product descriptions.

2.3.6 Setting Up Serviceable Items in Oracle Inventory

Follow this procedure to create serviceable items in Oracle Inventory that you can sell through Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in with the Inventory responsibility.
- 3. Choose Inventory > Items > Master Items.

The Organizations window opens.

4. Search for and highlight the master inventory organization, and click OK.

The Master Item window opens.

- **5.** In the Item field, enter the item number.
- **6.** In the Description field, enter the item description.
- **7.** Click the flexfield icon [] next to the Description field, and fill in the flexfields in the Items pop-up window that appears. When you are finished, return to the Master Item window.
- 8. In the Main tab, set Primary Unit of Measure to Each and Item Status to Active.
- **9.** In the Inventory tab, check the Reservable checkbox.
- **10.** In the Web Option tab, set Web Status to **Published** and check the Orderable On the Web checkbox.
- **11.** In the Order Management tab, check the Customer Ordered, Customer Orders Enabled, and Shippable checkboxes.
- **12.** Repeat the above steps for any subset inventory organizations in a multiple operating unit environment that should contain this serviceable item.
- **13.** Next, create prices for this item in Oracle Pricing. See Section 2.3.13, "Setting Up Prices for Serviceable and Service Items in Oracle Pricing" for more information.

2.3.7 Setting Up Service Items in Oracle Inventory

Follow this procedure to create service items in Oracle Inventory that you can sell through Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- **2.** Verify the UOM Mappings for Period value (MTH) to be used when setting up a service item in Oracle Inventory, as follows:
 - a. Log in with the Corporate Contracts Manager responsibility.
 - **b.** Choose Setup > Contract > Units of Measure > UOM > UOM.

The Organizations window opens.

c. Search for and highlight the master inventory organization, and click OK.

The Units of Measure window opens.

- **d.** Verify and/or create a record with the following values:
 - Name = Month
 - UOM = MTH
 - Description = Month
 - Class = Time
- e. In the Navigator Corporate Contracts Manager window, choose Setup > Contract > Units of Measure > Time Units of Measure.

The Map Time Units window opens.

- f. Verify and/or create a record with the following values:
 - User Unit = Month
 - Base Unit = Month
 - Conversion = 1
- 3. Switch to the Inventory responsibility.

4. Choose Inventory > Items > Master Items.

The Organizations window opens.

- Search for and highlight the master inventory organization, and click OK. The Master Item window opens.
- 6. In the Item field, enter the item number.
- 7. In the Description field, enter the item description.
- **8.** Click the flexfield icon [] next to the Description field, and fill in the flexfields in the Items pop-up window that appears. When you are finished, return to the Master Item window.
- **9.** In the Main tab, set Primary Unit of Measure to **Month** and Item Status to **Active.**
- **10.** In the Inventory tab, check the Reservable checkbox.
- **11.** In the Service tab, check the Support Service checkbox.
- **12.** In the Service Duration region of the Service tab, set Value to 12 and Period to **MTH** (Month).
- **13.** In the Web Option tab, set Web Status to **Published** and check the Orderable On the Web checkbox.
- **14.** In the Order Management tab, check the Customer Ordered, Customer Orders Enabled, and OE Transactable checkboxes.
- **15.** Repeat the above steps for any subset inventory organizations in a multiple operating unit environment that should contain this service item.
- **16.** Next, create prices for this item in Oracle Pricing. See Section 2.3.13, "Setting Up Prices for Serviceable and Service Items in Oracle Pricing" for more information.

2.3.8 Setting Up Oracle Inventory for Regular Available to Promise (ATP)

Oracle iStore 11*i* can provide regular available to promise (ATP) information on inventory items without customization. Oracle iStore 11*i* checks the ON_HAND_QTY field in the Oracle Inventory ATP columns to determine the availability of items requested in the Web stores. You must set up ATP in Oracle Manufacturing, define ATP sourcing rules in Oracle Inventory, and enable product items for ATP by setting their ATP and ATP component flags. See *Oracle Inventory User's Guide* for instructions on setting up ATP rules in Oracle Inventory for regular ATP.

If you want to enable global ATP for Oracle iStore 11*i*, you must install Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning and Oracle Material Requirements Planning. These modules will create global ATP rules that populate the ATP columns in Oracle Inventory. See Section 2.4.2, "Setting Up Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning for Global ATP" and Section 2.4.7, "Setting Up Oracle Material Requirements Planning" for more information on enabling global ATP.

2.3.9 Setting Up Oracle Receivables

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the Oracle Receivables module to record customer information and tell customers about their invoices and payments made. See *Oracle Receivables User's Guide* for information on setting up Oracle Receivables.

Customer registration information is maintained in the TCA/Oracle Receivables schema. At a minimum, you need to set up the following:

- Address Validation
- Tax Codes and the Default Tax Code

2.3.10 Setting Up Oracle Order Capture

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses Order Capture to integrate with Oracle Order Management and Oracle Receivables. Oracle iStore 11*i* takes carts saved and orders placed in the Web stores and sends them to Order Capture. Order Capture saves the carts as quotes and passes the orders to Order Management.

When an order is placed in Oracle iStore 11*i*, Order Capture passes the order to Order Management with a status of either Entered or Booked, depending on the type of order. Oracle iStore 11*i* controls the order status for all orders placed from the Web stores. Orders with the status Entered can be modified in Order Management. Orders with the status Booked cannot be modified in Order Management.

When the profile option IBE: Use CABO UI is set to **Yes**, Oracle iStore 11*i* purchase orders are always passed by Order Capture to Order Management with an Entered status, and Oracle iStore 11*i* credit card and invoice orders are always passed by Order Capture to Order Management with a Booked status. Orders are sent to Order Management with these statuses regardless of the Order Capture profile settings, because Oracle iStore 11*i* sets the book_order_flag based on these rules.

Note: Credit card orders can be passed by Order Capture to Order Management with an Entered status if the users have chosen to fax their credit card information in the Web store billing page. The option to fax credit card information is only available on the billing page when the profile option IBE: Use CABO UI is set to **Yes.**

See Chapter 7 for more information about the profile option IBE: Use CABO UI.

Order Capture saves the Oracle iStore 11*i* carts as quotes. The Order Capture quote name becomes the same as the Oracle iStore 11*i* cart name once the Oracle iStore 11*i* cart is saved. If you place the quote as an order in Order Capture, instead of from Oracle iStore 11*i*, Order Capture passes the order to Order Management with its status set according to the Order Capture profile options.

Note: Quotes and orders created in Order Capture can also be viewed in Oracle iStore 11*i*.

See Oracle Order Capture Implementation Guide for information on how to set up Order Capture. See Oracle Order Capture Concepts and Procedures for information on using Order Capture and viewing Oracle iStore 11*i* carts and orders in Order Capture.

2.3.11 Setting Up Oracle Order Management

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses Oracle Order Management to record customer orders, set up payment options and shipping options, and provide order status and shipping information to customers. Please see *Oracle Order Management User's Guide* for details of setting up Oracle Order Management.

Once you have set up Oracle Receivables and Oracle Order Management you only need to set up certain profile values. Those profile values are described in Chapter 7.

Restricting Items Based on Operating Units

In a multiple operating unit environment, you need to set up the associations between the operating units and the Inventory Organizations in Order Management. Each of these Inventory Organizations will be a subset of the main Inventory Organization.

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses these associations to limit the items that customers can access in the operating units' Web stores. You create a separate IBE customer responsibility for each operating unit in Oracle Forms. See Section 7.10, "Setting Multi Organization (MO) Profile Options" for more information about associating responsibilities with operating units.

Each customer name is assigned one of these responsibilities when the customer name is approved. When a customer enters a Web store, Oracle iStore 11*i* notes the customer's responsibility and the operating unit to which it is assigned, then uses the Inventory Organization associated with each operating unit to restrict customers to the items in the Inventory Organization. See Section 4.3, "Creating Specialty Stores" for instructions on choosing the responsibilities that are supported by a specialty store.

Specify the Inventory Organization (MASTER_ORGANIZATION_ID) associated with each operating unit (ORG_ID) in the OE_SYSTEM_PARAMETERS_ALL table. Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the OE_SYSTEM_PARAMETERS_ALL table to be consistent with Order Management and Order Capture.

2.3.12 Setting Up Oracle Pricing

Setting up Oracle Pricing is one of the required steps for Order Management but is described here separately. For each item that you plan to sell, you must specify the price in at least one price list and make that price list available to customers. For walk-in users, Oracle iStore 11*i* picks a default price list to show the price of items on the product catalog pages in the store, and to price the shopping cart. The default price list to be used for different currencies is specified in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI (see Chapter 4 for more details).

Using Pricing, you can also set up advanced promotions and discounts. Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the Pricing engine to determine the best price that the customer can get based on the items in the shopping cart and the customer. You set up your pricing rules in the Pricing module. Oracle iStore 11*i* supports pricing attributes and customer-requested qualifiers (promocodes) that are set up in Oracle Pricing.

You must also create pricing agreements in Oracle Order Management or Oracle Pricing to enable pricing of quotes created by users in your organization with the quote creator role. Pricing agreements set up the billing specifications that allow a quote to be priced. The attributes of a pricing agreement are price list, purchase order number, bill-to address, bill-to contact, invoicing terms, payment terms, and shipment terms. These attributes set up and apply default pricing rules in Oracle Order Management. Each pricing agreement can have only one price list assigned to it, but one list can be linked to multiple agreements. You can create universal and customer-specific pricing agreements.

At a minimum, you must set up Qualifiers and Modifiers in Oracle Pricing to support Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Steps

- 1. Set Qualifiers in Oracle Pricing. Qualifiers are used to calculate item prices.
- **2.** Set Modifiers in Oracle Pricing. Modifiers determine discounts or can be used to calculate shipping costs.

When setting up Oracle Pricing sourcing rules, the sourcing rules for Oracle Order Capture and Oracle Order Management must be identical. The qualifiers for these sourcing rules must also be identical. See *Oracle Pricing User's Guide* for more information.

Pricing Setup Example

This procedure shows how to set up simple fixed-amount freight charges in Oracle iStore 11*i*:

- 1. Launch Oracle Forms, log in as SYSADMIN, and choose the Oracle Pricing Manager responsibility.
- 2. Choose Modifiers > Define Modifier. (If you don't have the Oracle Pricing Manager responsibility, grant it to the SYSADMIN user first.)
- **3.** Click **LOV** for Type.
- 4. Click Freight and Special Charge List.
- **5.** Enter some identifier for the modifier in the Number field (e.g., IBEFR01).
- 6. Enter some description in the Name field (e.g., IBE Freight Modifier).
- 7. Click in **Modifiers Summary > Modifier No**, and enter a number (e.g., 1).
- 8. Click in Level, select modifier level (e.g., Line).
- 9. Click in Modifier Type, select Freight/Special Charge.
- **10.** Enter a Start Date and an optional End Date.

- **11.** Scroll right. Click in **Pricing Phases**, choose **Line Charges** from the list of values (LOV).
- **12.** Click the Discounts/Charges tab.
- **13.** Click in **Charge Name**, select **Freight Costs** from the LOV.
- **14.** Click **Application Method**, select **Amount**. Enter a per-line freight cost dollar amount (e.g., 3.00).
- **15.** Save the form.

2.3.13 Setting Up Prices for Serviceable and Service Items in Oracle Pricing

Use this procedure to set up prices for serviceable and service items in Oracle Pricing.

Prerequisites

The serviceable and service items have been created in Oracle Inventory.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links** > **VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in with the Oracle Pricing Manager responsibility.
- 3. Choose Price Lists > Price List Setup.

The Price Lists form opens.

4. Query by example for Name = the price list used in the specialty store that offers the item.

The price list appears in the Price Lists form.

- **5.** Place your cursor in the Product Context column of the List Lines tab and click the New icon in the toolbar to create a new line for the item record.
- **6.** For a serviceable item, create the item record with the following values in the specified columns:
 - **a.** Product Context = **Item**

- **b.** Product Attribute = Item Number
- **c.** Product Value = Enter the item number from Oracle Inventory, which appears in the Item field of the Master Items form for the item.
- **d.** UOM = Ea
- e. Line Type = Price List Line
- f. Application Method = Unit Price
- **g.** Value = Enter your desired value.
- **h.** Start Date = Enter the current date.
- **i.** Precedence = Enter the item precedence.
- [] = When you click in this field, the Additional Info for List Lines flexfield window opens. In the Web field, enter Y to show that the item is Web-enabled. Click OK to return to the Price Lists form.
- **7.** For a service item, create the item record with the following values in the specified columns:
 - **a.** Product Context = **Item**
 - **b.** Product Attribute = Item Number
 - **c.** Product Value = Enter the item number from Oracle Inventory, which appears in the Item field of the Master Items form for the item.
 - **d.** UOM = **MTH**
 - e. Line Type = Price List Line
 - f. Application Method = Percent Price or Unit Price
 - **g.** Value = Enter your desired percentage or value.
 - **h.** Start Date = Enter the current date.
 - **i.** Precedence = Enter the item precedence.
 - J = When you click in this field, the Additional Info for List Lines flexfield window opens. In the Web field, enter Y to show that the item is Web-enabled. Click OK to return to the Price Lists form.
- 8. Click the Save icon in the toolbar to save the record.
- **9.** Next, for a service item, follow the instructions in Section 2.3.3, "Setting Up Service Items in AOL" to create lookups for Oracle iStore 11*i* and set up the Oracle iStore 11*i* shopping cart pull-down menu for technical support.

For a serviceable item, add the item to the specialty stores that should carry it, as outlined in Chapter 4 and Chapter 5.

2.3.14 Setting Up Oracle Human Resources

Installation and setup of Oracle Human Resources is a prerequisite to the Oracle iStore 11*i* globalization functionality. Oracle iStore 11*i* supports the implementation of a global store in a single instance. Each specialty store can support multiple languages and currencies. Globalization is also supported in an environment with multiple business units or organizations.

Every registered Web store customer has a preferred language and currency associated in his or her user profile. The Web store customer can change the preferred language or currency by modifying his or her account profile.

Globalization depends on setups for your organizations in Oracle Human Resources. Use Oracle Human Resources to specify the permitted bill-to and ship-to countries for each of your operating units. You can associate each of these operating units to different customer user responsibilities, as Section 7.10, "Setting Multi Organization (MO) Profile Options" explains.

In Oracle iStore 11*i*, you can then set up each of your specialty stores to support specific responsibilities. You can also set up each of your specialty stores to include or exclude B2B users by their own organization affiliations, for a higher degree of control over the extent of globalization available to each customer.

The Oracle Human Resources bill-to and ship-to country setups for each of the operating units associated with these responsibilities will determine the extent of globalization of each specialty store for each user.

Use the following procedure to set up bill-to and ship-to country information for an organization. See *Using Oracle HRMS - The Fundamentals* for more information.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in with the Human Resources responsibility.
- 3. Choose Work Structures > Organization > Description.

The Find Organization window opens.

4. In the Find Organization window, enter the search criteria for your merchant organization and click **Find**.

The Organization form opens with the organization's record.

- **5.** In the Organization Classifications region, select **Operating Unit** in the Name fields.
- 6. Click Others.

The Additional Organization Information window opens.

- 7. In the Additional Organization Information window, enter %Country in the Find field and click **Find**.
- 8. In the search results, choose Bill to Country and click OK.

The Additional Organization Information window for Bill to Country opens.

9. Place your cursor in a Bill to Country field.

The Bill to Country window opens.

- **10.** Add countries to the Additional Organization Information window for Bill to Country as follows:
 - **a.** In the Bill to Country window, click the Bill to Country LOV button.

The Bill to Country search window opens.

b. Search for a country, highlight it, and click **OK**.

The Bill to Country field in the Bill to Country window is populated with the value of this country.

- **c.** Click **OK** to add the country to the Additional Organization Information window for Bill to Country.
- **d.** Repeat for each country that you want to allow as a bill-to country for this merchant organization.
- **11.** When you are finished adding countries, click **OK** in the Additional Organization Information window for Bill to Country.

You return to the Organization form with the organization's record.

- **12.** In the Organization Classifications region, select **Operating Unit** in the Name fields.
- 13. Click Others.

The Additional Organization Information window opens.

- **14.** In the Additional Organization Information window, enter *Country* in the Find field and click **Find**.
- 15. In the search results, choose Ship to Country and click OK.

The Additional Organization Information window for Ship to Country opens.

16. Place your cursor in a Ship to Country field.

The Ship to Country window opens.

- **17.** Add countries to the Additional Organization Information window for Ship to Country as follows:
 - a. In the Ship to Country window, click the Ship to Country LOV button.

The Ship to Country search window opens.

b. Search for a country, highlight it, and click OK.

The Ship to Country field in the Ship to Country window is populated with the value of this country.

- **c.** Click **OK** to add the country to the Additional Organization Information window for Ship to Country.
- **d.** Repeat for each country that you want to allow as a ship-to country for this merchant organization.
- **18.** When you are finished adding countries, click **OK** in the Additional Organization Information window for Ship to Country.

You return to the Organization form with the organization's record.

2.3.15 Setting Up Oracle Store Manager Users

Oracle iStore 11*i* is seeded with the responsibility IBE_ADMINISTRATOR. Assign this responsibility as the default responsibility for Oracle iStore 11*i* store manager users. The user gets all the required menus and privileges to manage the store through this responsibility. The menu assigned to this responsibility is called IBE_ADMIN_MENU. Follow the instructions in Section 7.2, "Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts" to create store manager users.

If you need to modify the functions that the user can perform, create a new responsibility for the user in the Application Object Library (AOL) module. For the new responsibility you can assign the default menu (IBE_ADMIN_MENU) and still remove access to some of the tabs ("functions" in AOL terminology), or you can

create a new menu using the Oracle iStore 11*i* functions. All Oracle iStore 11*i* functions can be found by searching for IBE_% in the Form Functions window.

See Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i for more details on AOL and managing responsibilities.

2.4 Setting Up the Optional Dependencies

In addition to mandatory dependencies, Oracle iStore 11*i* also depends upon the following modules to provide additional functionality:

- Oracle Advanced Inbound
- Oracle Advanced Supply Chain (Global ATP Server)
- Oracle Configurator
- Oracle Contracts
- Oracle CRM Business Intelligence
- Oracle iMarketing
- Oracle Incentive Compensation
- Oracle iPayment
- Oracle iSupport
- Oracle Marketing Online
- Oracle Material Requirements Planning
- Oracle Shipping
- Oracle Workflow

2.4.1 Setting Up Oracle Advanced Inbound

Oracle iStore 11*i* provides call-me-back functionality whereby customers can access a call being placed in the call center. Please see *Oracle iSupport Concepts and Procedures* for details.

2.4.2 Setting Up Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning for Global ATP

Set up Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning for Global ATP if you want to provide global inventory availability information to your customers. As part of the rules for determining availability, you can provide sourcing rules that encompass orders already placed, open purchase orders, and other availability factors.

To set up the dependencies for ATP, set up ATP in Oracle Manufacturing, define ATP sourcing rules in Oracle Inventory, and enable product items for ATP by setting their ATP and ATP component flags. For more details, refer to Oracle Advanced Planning and Scheduling and Oracle Global ATP Server Implementation Manual, Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning and Oracle Global ATP Server User's Guide, Oracle Inventory User's Guide, Oracle Order Management User's Guide, and Oracle Master Scheduling/Planning Guide.

You must also set up Oracle Material Requirements Planning. See Section 2.4.7, "Setting Up Oracle Material Requirements Planning" for more information.

2.4.3 Setting Up Oracle Configurator

Oracle Configurator is used to create product models and to help the buyer assemble related and dependent products in the shopping cart.

The Configurator developer UI helps create the product models for dependent and related products, and build rules around the products.

The product models are imported initially from BOM models. The Configurator developer UI can be used to create a tree structure for the product model. For example, if a customer wants to build their own laptop from a store of electronic items, then the developer UI of the Configurator can be used to help define the structure and the dependent (mandatory and optional) products (e.g., a 15" or 17" screen with 16MB or 32MB RAM and 6GB or 8GB drive).

When the customer is browsing items in the featured section, a **Configure** button appears on the store UI if the item has the MODEL flag set in Oracle ERP applications. For every item, Oracle iStore 11*i* sends a call to Configurator to find whether a Configurator UI is associated with the item. If a Configurator UI is associated with an item, the store UI adds the **Configure** button or a link.

When the user clicks the **Configure** button, the store sends another message to populate the Configurator UI with item ID. The Configurator UI appears in the frame and the related or dependent products can be assembled for placing the order. There is a top menu bar with buttons such as **Save** and **Done**. Once the customer has finished building the list of selected items for the order, clicking the **Save** button places all the items in the shopping cart.

For more information, see *Oracle Configurator and SellingPoint Administration Guide*, *Release 11i and 4.2.2* for detailed setup documentation.

Changing the Configurator UI The Configurator UI appears in the frame provided on the Oracle iStore 11*i* featured section. This Configurator window is created with DHTML or a Java Applet. The look and feel are similar to the Oracle iStore 11*i* UI. If you want to change the Configurator window, you can modify the HTML templates for Configurator. These templates are loaded in Oracle iStore 11*i*'s html directory, on the same server, by default. The Configurator data is stored in the CZ tables in the APPS schema.

Profile Setup for the Configurator UI The only setting required for Oracle iStore 11*i* to get the Configurator UI is a URL that handles all interaction between the client and the server. For example, the URL could be

http://apps-server-host/apps/cz/oracle.apps.cz.servlet.UiServlet.

The server and directory structure are installation information that the calling application must read, but the oracle.apps.cz.servlet.UiServlet portion is always the same. This URL is read from the CZ_UIMGR_URL profile value.

The setup needed to run the Configurator UI from the Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer UI is the setting of the above mentioned profile variable.

Setup Steps

Once the rapid install has been done, the Configurator servlet is set up and tested, and the UI built, complete the following steps:

- 1. Using the Forms application, every item that can be shown for this configured item (from the root model item, every option class, and every leaf node) must be:
 - Web Status = PUBLISHED and Orderable on the Web = Y (checked). Using the Inventory responsibility, set these flags in the Items > Master Items (choose the org) > Web Option tab.
 - Added to the price list that will be used by the store and customer (even if it is there with a zero price)
 - For the IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility, the profile option BOM: Configurator URL of UI Manager must be set to the following:

http://<machine>:<port>/servlets/oracle.apps.cz.servlet.UiServlet

- **2.** Using the Merchant UI, the model item must be added to some part of the catalog to be displayed.
- **3.** The .dbc file to connect to the database must be in place in the secure directory under the directory defined as fndtop.
- **4.** The jserv.properties file must have the template URL defined as follows (these URLs must be able to be resolved when entered into a browser):

```
wrapper.bin.parameters=-Dcz.uiservlet.templateurl=http://<machine>:<port>
/OA_HTML/US/czFraNS.htm
wrapper.bin.parameters=-Dcz.uiservlet.templateurl.ie=http://<machine>:<port>/OA
_HTML/US/czFraIE.htm
```

Testing the Configurator Setup

1. Enter the following URL in the browser:

```
http://<machine>:<port>/servlets/oracle.apps.cz.servlet.UiServlet?test=versi
on
```

The browser should return the following statement:

Using configuration software build: 11.5.1.14.27 Expecting schema: 14c

This informs the merchant whether or not the Configurator middle tier servlet is up and running.

2. Edit the fields in the Configurator Standalone Test page, open it in a browser, and click the **Launch DHTML** button. The UI should appear.

2.4.4 Setting Up Oracle Contracts

You can integrate Oracle iStore 11*i* with Oracle Contracts to provide contract negotiation and agreement functionality in Web stores. This contract functionality enables communication through Oracle iStore 11*i* between the merchant and the customer regarding the terms and conditions of a contract.

When you set up Oracle iStore 11*i* to have contract negotiation functionality through Oracle Contracts, you must first set up a standard contract template with Oracle Contracts for use with all initial quotes.

When customers proceed to checkout with a shopping cart, Oracle iStore 11*i* displays the terms and conditions of the standard contract in the order review page and asks the customers to agree or disagree.

If the customers agree with the terms and conditions, they can place the order. At this point, a standard contract in the signed state is created if the profile option IBE: Create Standard Contract is set to **Yes.** The standard contract is associated with the quote number.

If the customers disagree with the terms and conditions, the following sequence of events takes place:

- 1. Oracle iStore 11*i* forces the customers to save the shopping cart.
- **2.** The customers must enter a reason for their disagreement in a text box. These comments are associated with the contract created by the application.
- **3.** The standard contract is associated with the quote.
- **4.** Oracle iStore 11*i* sends an e-mail to the sales representative, contract specialist, and customer with the quote number and contract ID. The sales representative's e-mail is specified in the Oracle Human Resources Forms for each of your organizations.
- **5.** The contract specialist looks at the quote and the customer's reason for disagreeing with the standard terms and conditions. The customers cannot checkout the cart unless the requested contract changes are approved.
- **6.** If the contract specialist approves the requested change in terms and conditions, the customer is notified and can then retrieve the shopping cart. At this point, the customer can either place the order, which displays the revised contract, or disagree with the terms and conditions again, which repeats the process of notifying the contract specialist and sales representative. The customer cannot otherwise modify the cart.
- **7.** If the contract specialist rejects the requested change in terms and conditions, the customer is notified and will not be able to retrieve the shopping cart.

Prerequisites

You have created a contract template in Oracle Contracts with an Oracle Contracts logical name. See *Oracle Contracts Core Concepts and Procedures* for more information.

Steps

- **1.** Set up the IBE profile options associated with Oracle Contracts integration:
 - Set the profile option ASO: Enable Use Contracts to **Yes.**
 - Set the profile option OKC: Contract Template Name For Terms as the Oracle Contracts logical name of the contract template.

 Set the profile option IBE: Create Standard Contract according to your business needs.

See Chapter 7 for more information about setting profile options.

- **2.** Set up the default sales representative user who will receive the contract-related notifications, for each of your organizations, as follows:
 - a. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- b. Log in with the Human Resources responsibility.
- c. Choose Work Structures > Organization > Description.

The Find Organization window opens.

d. In the Find Organization window, enter the search criteria for your merchant organization and click **Find.**

The Organization form opens with the organization's record.

- **e.** In the Organization Classifications region, select **Operating Unit** in the Name fields.
- f. Click Others.

The Additional Organization Information window opens.

g. In the Additional Organization Information window, choose **Notification User** and click **OK**.

The Additional Organization Information - Notification User window opens.

h. In the Additional Organization Information - Notification User window, place your cursor in the Notification User field.

The Notification User window opens.

- i. In the Notification User window, in the Contracts field, use the LOV to enter the user name of the sales representative who should receive notifications of terms change requests for the organization, and click **OK**.
- j. In the Additional Organization Information Notification User window, click **OK**.

k. Click the Save icon in the toolbar to save the record.

2.4.5 Setting Up Oracle iMarketing

You can use Oracle iMarketing to personalize the store and make recommendations. You create postings in Oracle iMarketing, create rules that determine the content for a given posting, and then modify Oracle iStore 11*i* templates to make reference to posting tags.

See Oracle Marketing Online Implementation Guide, Release 11i for more details.

2.4.6 Setting Up Oracle iPayment

If you are planning to provide credit card payment options, then you must set up Oracle iPayment to perform credit card authorization and fund capture. You can set up authorization to be done when the order is being placed or to be deferred to a later time. Refer to Section 5.11.4, "Setting Up Credit Card Payments in Oracle iStore 11i" for instructions on configuring the behavior.

Also see Oracle iPayment Implementation Guide, Oracle Order Management User's Guide, and Oracle Account Receivables User's Guide for additional setups required for Oracle iPayment. In addition to Oracle iPayment setup, you will need to set up the Oracle iPayment system itself to talk to the provider networks.

2.4.7 Setting Up Oracle Material Requirements Planning

Set up Oracle Material Requirements Planning for global ATP if you want to provide global inventory availability information to your customers. As part of the rules for determining availability, you can provide sourcing rules that encompass orders already placed, open purchase orders, and other availability factors.

To set up the dependencies for ATP, set up ATP in Oracle Manufacturing, define ATP sourcing rules in Oracle Inventory, and enable product items for ATP by setting their ATP and ATP component flags. For more details, refer to Oracle Master Scheduling/MRP and Oracle Supply Chain Planning User's Guide, Oracle Inventory User's Guide, Oracle Order Management User's Guide, and Oracle Master Scheduling/Planning Guide.

You must also set up Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning. See Section 2.4.2, "Setting Up Oracle Advanced Supply Chain Planning for Global ATP" for more information.

2.4.8 Setting Up Oracle Shipping

The Oracle Shipping module must be in place to enable post-order tracking and shipping detail views in Oracle iStore 11*i*. At a minimum, you must specify shipping methods and descriptions in Oracle Shipping. See *Oracle Shipping Execution User's Guide, Release* 11i for more information.

2.4.9 Setting Up Oracle Workflow

Oracle Workflow sends e-mail confirmations to customers upon registration and order submission. Oracle Workflow also sends e-mail alerts to parties that share a shopping cart. The iStore Alerts Workflow in Oracle Workflow calls the PL/SQL package IBEVWFB.pls.

At a minimum, you must set up message text in Oracle Workflow for Oracle iStore 11*i* e-mail notifications. If you want to customize the e-mail confirmations that are sent to customers when they register or place an order, open the Oracle Workflow message template IBENOTIF.wft. If you want to customize the e-mail alerts that are sent to customers when they are named as sharees of a shared shopping cart, open the Oracle Workflow message template IBEMAIL.wft.

See Oracle Workflow Guide for more information.

The following table lists the notifications that are available in Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Notification	Description
Account Registration Notification	Customers receive this notification after registration.
Customer Notification on Request for Sales Assistance	Customers receive this notification as an acknowledgment of their requests for sales assistance.
Notification for Customer Quote	Customers receive this notification upon their requests to change contract terms.
Order Confirmation Notification	Customers receive this notification as a confirmation of their orders.
Order Confirmation for Faxed Orders	Customers receive this notification as a confirmation of their faxed orders.
Orders Not Booked Notification	Customers receive this notification when their orders are not booked.

Table 2–1 Oracle Workflow Notifications Available in Oracle iStore 11i

Notification	Description
Sales rep Notification on Request for Sales Assistance	Sales representatives receive this notification regarding customers' requests for assistance.
Notification to Sales rep for Customer Quote	Sales representatives receive this notification regarding customers' requests for contract term changes.
Cart Sharee Email	Sharees of shared shopping carts receive this notification.

Table 2–1 Oracle Workflow Notifications Available in Oracle iStore 11i

After setting up Oracle Workflow, you must set the profile options IBE: Use Workflow Features in iStore and IBE: Use CABO UI to **Yes.** You must also set the profile options IBE: Default Order Admin to Send Workflow Notification and IBE: Default Sales Assistant to Send Workflow Notification. See Chapter 7 for more information about setting profile options.

Installation and Dependency Verification

Before you start configuring the profile options and creating the product catalog in Oracle iStore 11*i*, check that you have correctly completed the following prerequisites.

3.1 Checkpoints

1. Verify that the installation and middle tier setup have been done correctly.

Once the Rapid Installer Wizard finishes the installation, verify that the proper installation and configuration of the following components:

- **Apache Server**: Go to http://<host>:<apache port>/apachedocs/. You should see the Apache Server documentation page.
- **Apache JServ:** Go to http://<host>:<apache port>/servlets/IsItWorking. You should see a message reassuring you that Apache JServ is working.
- **2.** Verify that the ERP applications are installed and functioning properly. Refer to the *Oracle CRM: ERP Functional Checklist* document available on Oracle MetaLink for a description of the tasks required.
- **3.** Verify that the setup dependency has been done correctly.

Place an order through Sales Order bench. If it goes through correctly, then your core dependency has been done correctly. To find how to place an order, refer to *Oracle Order Management User's Guide*.

Checkpoints

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Oracle iStore 11*i* Setup

This chapter describes the tasks required to set up Oracle iStore 11*i* using application default settings and components, after you have verified your installation and dependency setup. Topics include:

- Overview of Store Creation
- Accessing the Merchant UI
- Creating Specialty Stores
- Creating the Hierarchy
- Setting Up the Product Catalog
- Testing the Store

Note: When using the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI, ensure that cookies are enabled for your browser. See the relevant browser documentation for information on enabling cookies.

4.1 Overview of Store Creation

Oracle iStore 11*i* ships with templates and defaults that allow you to develop a basic store. You can customize and add functionality as required. The Merchant UI enables you to perform the Oracle iStore 11*i* setup tasks outlined in this chapter and Chapter 5 to set up the Customer UI.

The following prerequisites must be met prior to creating your initial store:

Prerequisites

- Define JTF profiles. See Chapter 7 for details.
- Define IBE profiles. See Chapter 7 for details.
- Run concurrent jobs. See Chapter 7 for details.
- Set up shipping options. See Oracle Order Management User's Guide and Oracle Shipping Execution User's Guide for details.
- Set up payment options. See Oracle Order Management User's Guide and Oracle *iPayment Implementation Guide* for details.
- Set up price lists and currencies in Oracle Pricing. See *Oracle Pricing User's Guide* and *Oracle Order Management User's Guide* for details.

You must select a price list for each type of customer on the Oracle iStore 11*i* Currencies and Price Lists page. Only maximum order limit is optional.

• Set up languages in Oracle AOL. See *Oracle Applications Concepts* for details.

Set a default language for the store.

• Set up business units in Oracle General Ledger. See *Oracle Applications Concepts* and *Oracle General Ledger User's Guide* for details.

Note: If the information for these prerequisites is unknown, you can continue with the setup now and revise this information later.

You can create a basic specialty store using Oracle iStore 11*i* as follows:

Steps

- 1. Access the Merchant UI.
- **2.** Set up a specialty store.
- 3. Set up an overall hierarchy for the store sections and products.

- **4.** Build the product catalog.
- **5.** Test the Customer UI.

4.2 Accessing the Merchant UI

After installing Oracle iStore 11*i* and setting up the Merchant UI as detailed in Chapter 2, you can enter the Merchant UI by logging in to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

with a user name that the system administrator has set up as an Oracle iStore 11*i* store manager user account. See Section 7.2, "Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts" for more information on creating a store manager user account.

Figure 4–1 The Oracle iStore 11i Merchant UI

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Spec	ialty Stores	Multimedia Components Displ	ay Styles			
Specialty Stores						
	Remove	Specialty Store Name	Specialty Store Code	Description		
		Sample Specialty Store		Sample Specialty Store		
	Update R	iestore				

4.3 Creating Specialty Stores

A specialty store is any Web store. You can create multiple stores, for example a main store, a store for one large customer, a holiday specials store, and a store that requires registered users. You must create at least one store.

Multiple currencies and languages can be selected for every specialty store. The customer's preference, as defined in his or her user profile, determines which currency and language is to be used for a store. Once a registered customer selects a preferred language, the store defaults to that preferred language each time the customer enters. When the user preference is not set, default language and currency settings will take effect.

Users can also change their display languages and currencies by choosing from a list of the languages and currencies supported by the store. When a customer changes the display language and currency, Oracle iStore 11*i* changes his or her preferred language and currency to match the newly selected display language and currency. This change enables consistency across customer sessions and Oracle applications. For example, this will ensure that the order confirmation alert in a German language store will be in German, even if the customer's previous preferred language was French.

Customers must also choose the responsibility with which they enter a specialty store. The Customer UI shows a list of available combinations of specialty stores and Oracle iStore 11*i* responsibilities. When the customer chooses one of these combinations, he or she enters that specialty store with that responsibility for the current session. The responsibility determines the operating unit against which any orders placed in the current session are booked. The responsibility also determines the values of the profile options set at the responsibility level.

You can set up specialty stores to check the customers' responsibilities when they log in. For every specialty store flagged to check the user's responsibility, the Customer UI excludes those specialty store-responsibility combinations containing responsibilities not associated with the user.

Note: If the customer can only access one specialty store-responsibility combination, he or she is automatically forwarded to that specialty store's home page with that responsibility and does not see a list of specialty store-responsibility combinations.

Use Oracle Forms to create responsibilities and assign them to customer user names. See *Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i* and *Oracle CRM Foundation Concepts and Procedures, Release 11i* for more information.

Use the following procedure to create a basic specialty store.

Note: Specialty stores are also referred to as "minisites."

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- 2. In the Setup tab, choose Specialty Stores.
- 3. Click Create. The Specialty Store Detail screen appears.
- **4.** Enter the basic information for the specialty store in the following fields. The fields marked with an asterisk in the Merchant UI are mandatory.
 - a. Specialty Store Name: Enter the name of the specialty store.
 - b. Specialty Store Code
 - **c.** Description: Enter a description for the specialty store.
 - **d.** Start Date: Enter the date when the specialty store should first be active and available to customers.
 - **e.** End Date: Enter the date when the specialty store should no longer be active and available to customers.
- **5.** In the Languages section, check the Select checkbox next to each language that you want the specialty store to support.
- **6.** In the Default Language pull-down menu, choose the default language for your specialty store.
- 7. Click **Continue**. The Store Flags screen appears.

This screen is used to select the root section for the specialty store from the Oracle iStore 11*i* hierarchy and to determine whether the specialty store will:

- Be ATP Enabled for Oracle Inventory
- Allow walk-in customers (customers who have not logged in or registered)
- Check user responsibility

- **8.** From the ATP Enabled pull-down menu, choose **Yes** if you want this store to provide ATP inventory information to the customer.
- **9.** From the Walkin Customers Enabled pull-down menu, choose **Yes** if you want this store to allow walk-in customers who are not registered or logged in.
- **10.** From the Check User Responsibility pull-down menu, choose **Yes** if you want the store to check user responsibility when customers log in.
- 11. Click Go next to the Root Section field.

A pop-up window displays the Oracle iStore 11*i* hierarchy.

12. Search for and highlight the root section of the store, and click Done.

The pop-up window closes, and the Root Section field is populated with the name of the section you have chosen.

Note: A root section is required for each specialty store.

13. Click Continue.

The Supported Responsibilities screen appears.

14. Click Add Responsibility.

The Select Responsibility pop-up window opens.

15. In the Select Responsibility pop-up window, search for responsibilities that you want this specialty store to support by application and responsibility name, key, or description, using the wildcard character % if necessary. Check the Select checkbox next to the responsibilities, and click **Add**. When you are finished selecting responsibilities, click **Done**.

You return to the Supported Responsibilities page.

- **16.** In the Display Name fields, enter user-friendly names by which each specialty store-responsibility combination will appear in the Customer UI.
- **17.** In the Start Date and End Date fields, enter the dates when the specialty store will support each responsibility you have added.
- **18.** In the Order fields, specify the order in which these responsibilities will appear on the customer login page.
- 19. Click Continue.

The Access Restrictions page appears.

20. Click Add Organization.

The Select Organization pop-up window opens.

21. In the Select Organization pop-up window, search for organizations by name or account number, using the wildcard character % if necessary. Check the Select checkbox next to the organizations you want to add to the list, and click **Add**. When you are finished selecting organizations, click **Done**.

You return to the Access Restrictions page.

- **22.** Highlight one of the three radio buttons:
 - No Restriction, if you want this specialty store to allow users from any organization
 - Include the following organizations, if you want this specialty store to allow only users from the organizations you specify in this page
 - Exclude the following organizations, if you want this specialty store to deny access only to users from the organizations you specify in this page
- **23.** In the Start Date and End Date fields, enter the dates when the inclusion or exclusion of the listed organizations is effective.

24. Click Continue.

The Currencies and Price Lists page displays available currencies.

- **25.** Choose currencies by checking the Select checkbox next to the currencies that you want this specialty store to support.
- **26.** For each selected currency, choose the price lists for Walk-in Customer, Registered Customer, and Business Partner from the pull-down menus.
- 27. Optional: Enter a maximum orderable limit for each selected currency.
- **28.** Choose the default currency for the store from the Default Currency pull-down menu.

29. Click Continue.

The new specialty store is saved.

To modify an existing specialty store, click on its name in the **Setup > Specialty Stores** section of the Merchant UI and change the information as needed. Click on **Update** instead of **Continue** in the specialty store information pages to save your changes.

4.4 Creating the Hierarchy

After saving the specialty store, you must define an overall hierarchy in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI Hierarchy tab. This hierarchy determines the organization of your specialty stores and their sections and products in the Merchant UI. It also determines the organization and presentation of each store's sections and products in the Customer UI.

The overall hierarchy contains products from Oracle Inventory, grouped into sections. Associate a specialty store to a portion of the overall hierarchy or to the whole hierarchy itself by setting up its root node to point to a section. The hierarchy determines the browsing experience of the customer and what products are featured at different levels in the store. When users come to a specialty store, they see the hierarchy starting from the root node of the store. You can choose not to show a particular section in a specialty store even though the given specialty store might point to an ancestor of the section. In the templates shipped with Oracle iStore 11*i*, the top level appears as tabs while the lower level appears as browse bins on the store pages.

Set up the top level sections in the hierarchy first. For each top level section, create as many subsections or children as you wish. The levels of sections are driven by the design.

You can assign products to sections of the hierarchy from the Hierarchy or Product tabs. Similarly, you can create groups of featured products at any level in the hierarchy by creating a subsection of type Featured in that section. The products in a section are shown by using the display style that you specify for that section.

Note: In the Customer UI for Oracle iStore 11*i*, the minisite root sections are treated as virtual roots. The current minisite's root section will not appear in the menu tabs or the navigational hierarchy of the Customer UI. The minisite's home page will display the first navigational subsection under the root section, not the root section page itself. To present featured sections on the minisite's home page, make them subsections of this navigational subsection.

In the templates shipped with Oracle iStore 11*i*, the top level appears as tabs while the lower level appears as browse bins on the store pages. A section containing subsections shows the featured products in the middle and the subsections in the left browse bin. If a section contains only products, it lists the products in the middle. Featured sections cannot have subsections. While working with the hierarchy, you can determine whether or not to publish sections. A published section is available in the Customer UI. An unpublished section is not available in the Customer UI, unless the user has the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility. Thus, you can choose to keep a section unpublished until you have tested its appearance in the Customer UI.

You can also specify whether the descendant sections have the same published/unpublished status as the section on which you are currently working. If a section is unpublished, its descendant sections are effectively unpublished, since a user cannot navigate to the descendant sections in the Customer UI (unless he or she has the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility). However, if a user knows the exact URL to access a descendant section, the user can access the descendant section if it is published.

If any section is not published, a user lacking the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility cannot access the section even if he or she has the exact URL.



Figure 4–2 The Oracle iStore 11i Merchant UI Hierarchy Tab

Prerequisites

Profile set up for IBE:Item Validation Organization (see definition for IBE_ITEM_VALIDATION_ORGANIZATION profile).

Steps

- 1. Launch the Merchant UI and enter the Hierachy tab.
- **2.** In the left frame of the Hierarchy tab window, the overall hierarchy tree appears. In the tree, select the node that will host the node you want to create, and click **Create.** (To modify existing information, select the node itself.)
- **3.** The Basic Information Screen appears in the right frame of the Hierarchy tab window. Enter the following information:
 - **a.** Name: The name of the section.

- **b.** Section Code: Leave this blank. (To refer to the section in customized templates explicitly by name, use its Section Code.)
- **c.** Section Type: Select either **Featured** or **Navigational.** A featured section appears on the home page of its parent section. A navigational section appears as a link in the browsing map of its parent section.
- d. Status: Select either Published or Unpublished.
- **e.** Select to apply status to all descendant sections: Check this checkbox if you want all descendant sections of this section to have the same status.
- **f.** Start Date Active and End Date Active: Specify the time limit (if any) when this section will be active.
- **g.** Short Description and Long Description: Fill these in to describe the section in the store. The descriptions will appear on the section pages.
- h. Keywords: Leave this blank.
- i. Template for displaying this section: Several sections can share a template. Leave this blank to revert to the default store-level template.
- **j.** Display Style for products in this section: Select the display style you want to use to display products in this section. Leave this blank to revert to the default store-level display style for products.

Click Continue. The Multimedia Components screen appears.

- **4.** In the Multimedia Components screen, leave the fields blank to use the default multimedia for the multimedia components. Click **Continue.** The Specialty Stores screen appears.
- **5.** Move the specialty store(s) in which this section should appear into the Included Specialty Stores column.

Decide if the section should appear only in the specialty stores that you have selected here or in other specialty stores if those specialty stores' roots point to an ancestor of the current section. Check the box **Include in all future sites if the site's root section is ancestor of this section** as appropriate. Click **Continue.**

The Relationships screen appears with a list of existing relationships.

6. Review relationship rules for this section. See Section 4.5.1, "Using Seeded Relationship Types" and Section 5.7, "Creating Relationships" for more information. Click **Continue.**

The Advanced Settings screen appears.

7. Leave the fields blank and click Finish.

The Children page appears.

8. Now you have created sections and can add either subsections or products, but not both. Featured sections cannot have subsections as children.

You can add products to a section in the Hierarchy tab after building the product catalog. See Section 4.5, "Setting Up the Product Catalog" for more information. To add products to a section in the Hierarchy tab:

- a. Navigate to the section's Children page.
- **b.** Click Add Product.
- c. Perform a product search in the pop-up window.
- d. Select one or more of the results and click Add.
- **e.** Choose **Done** to close the pop-up window and return to the main store manager window.

You can also add products to a section when working on the product in the Product tab.

To add a subsection to a section:

- **a.** Navigate to the section's Children page.
- **b.** Click **Add Section.** A Basic Information screen for the new subsection appears.

Note: The **Add Section** button appears only if the section has no products.

- **c.** Set up the subsection in the Basic Information, Multimedia Components, Specialty Stores, Relationships, and Children screens in the Hierarchy tab.
- **9.** To adjust the order of the section tabs in the specialty store, click its root section in the navigation tree and edit the values in the Order column. The section whose display name should be the first tab should have the lowest number in the Order column.
- **10.** Continue to create sections and subsections for your hierarchy as needed. You can use the **Cut, Copy**, and **Paste** buttons to move an entire section from one place in the hierarchy to another.
To cut or copy a section, highlight the section and click **Cut** or **Copy** as appropriate.

To paste a section into the hierarchy after cutting or copying it, highlight the root section that should host the pasted section, and click **Paste**.

Note: If you cut and paste a section from one location in the hierarchy to another, all the information about the section will transfer to the new location. If you copy and paste a section, all the information about the original section will copy into the new section, except for the section-level multimedia component settings.

Example

- **1.** In the Hierarchy tab, select the **Home** section in the navigation tree in the left frame.
- 2. In the right frame, click Children.
- 3. Click Add Section in the right frame to create a new section.
- **4.** Enter Featured Products as the name and the code.
- 5. Select Featured as the section type. Everything else is optional. Click Continue.
- 6. On the Multimedia Components screen, everything is optional. Click Continue.
- **7.** Accept the defaults on the Specialty Store and Navigation Relationships screens. Click **Continue.**

The Advanced Settings screen appears. Click Finish.

- **8.** In the left frame, click **Refresh.** Expand the Home node, which should have the newly-created section under it.
- **9.** Highlight **Home**, and click **Create**. Repeat the above steps to create another section named Books, with type Navigational.
- **10.** Repeat again for Music, Electronics, and Computers, making them all navigational sections.

4.5 Setting Up the Product Catalog

Setting up the product catalog involves the following considerations:

- Designing screen flow and navigation.
- Determining product items to be sold, their display features, and configuration options.
- Determining types of data required. For example, books may require a title, author, and publisher. See *Oracle Inventory User's Guide* for details on how to use the flexfield structures in Inventory to store and sort data accordingly.

Use this procedure to add products to the product catalog and make them available for sale in your store.

While working with the product catalog, you can determine whether or not to publish products. A published product is available in the Customer UI, assuming that it is also listed in at least one published section. An unpublished product is not available in the Customer UI, unless the user has the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility. Thus, you can choose to keep a product unpublished until you have tested its appearance in the Customer UI.

Prerequisites

- Products must be loaded into Oracle Inventory before they can be imported into Oracle iStore 11*i*.
- Products in Oracle Inventory must have their Web Status flag set to either Published or Unpublished in the Web Option tab of the Master Item form to appear in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI. Only products with a status of Published can be sold in your store.
- Products in Oracle Inventory must be set with the flag Orderable on Web in the Web Option tab of the Master Item form.
- Products in Oracle Inventory must be set with the flag Customer Orders Enabled in the Order Management tab of the Inventory Master Item form.
- JTF and IBE profile options must be set. See Chapter 7 for details.
- Shipping options must be seeded into Oracle Shipping. See *Oracle Order Management User's Guide* and *Oracle Shipping Execution User's Guide* for details.
- Payment options and setup must be seeded into Oracle iPayment. See *Oracle Order Management User's Guide* and *Oracle iPayment Implementation Guide* for details.

 Store layout must be determined, and the hierarchy of products, sections, and specialty stores must be identified. See Section 4.4, "Creating the Hierarchy" for details.

Steps

1. Launch the Merchant UI and enter the Product tab.

The Products page appears.

2. Search for products you want to include in your catalog.

The search criteria are:

- Name
- Part number
- Belongs to category
- Created after date

Use date format DD-MON-RRRR.

• Created before date

Use date format DD-MON-RRRR.

- Status values should be PUBLISHED or UNPUBLISHED
- New products created in last x days where x is the profile value of IBE: Number of Days for New Items

Note: % can be used for a wild card character search.

The Products page lists products in Oracle Inventory that match your search criteria and displays existing product catalog information for those products.

If no products appear on this screen, it is probably because the WEB_STATUS flag in the MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS table is NULL. For items to appear in the Merchant UI, they should have a Web Status of Published or Unpublished. To make an item show up in the Merchant UI:

- **a.** Log in to Oracle Forms.
- **b.** Choose the Inventory responsibility for the Master Inventory Organization.
- c. Choose Items > Master Items.

- d. Choose the Master Inventory Organization.
- e. Choose F11 to enter a search query, then choose Ctrl-F11 to execute it.
- f. Use the Web Option tab to publish the desired item(s).

If the Web Option tab in the Master Items Form does not work properly, apply the latest Oracle Inventory patchset.

Note: The value for Inventory Organization ID should be the same as IBE_ITEM_VALIDATION_ORGANIZATION profile.

If there are unpublished products in your results, the list shows them with a **Publish** button in the Wizard column. To publish an unpublished product, you can either click on the product name and change the Posting Status to **Published** in the Basic Information window that appears, or click on the **Publish** button next to the item name.

Note: Publishing or unpublishing a product in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI also changes the product's Web Status setting in Oracle Inventory.

If you click the **Publish** button:

a. The Basic Information screen appears.

Optional: Add or modify the basic and long descriptions.

Click **Continue.** The Hierarchy Paths window appears.

b. Optional: Add or remove parent sections for the item.

Click **Continue.** The Category and Display Styles window appears.

c. Optional: Change template assignments for one or more of the display styles.

Click Continue. The Multimedia Components page appears.

- **d.** Optional: Change multimedia assignments for one or more of the multimedia components.
- e. Click Publish.
- 3. Click on a product's name in the search results list to edit its information.

The Basic Information page displays the Posting Status, the inventory name and part number, and any descriptions you have already added to the product catalog.

4. To make the product available to be sold in your store, set the Posting Status to **Published.**

To remove the product from your store, set the Posting Status to Unpublished.

Optional: Enter or modify the short and long descriptions.

Click **Update.** The product is published or unpublished immediately. The descriptions are saved, and are also available for display in your store if the product is published.

Note: Products with Posting Status **Published** are visible on the store. Be careful about changing information, since the changes go to the production system and are published immediately. It is recommended that you unpublish the product before making changes, and then republish the item when finished.

5. In this product detail page in the Products tab, choose Hierarchy Paths.

The Hierarchy Paths page displays the hierarchy of sections that have been set up for the store.

- **6.** Optional: Remove or add parent sections for the product, edit the date range when this product will be available in each section, and number the product's place in the section's product display order.
- 7. In this product detail page in the Products tab, choose **Category and Display Styles.**

The Category and Display Styles page displays the category to which the product belongs and lists all display styles and any template names already assigned to the product.

Leave fields blank to keep default templates for each display style that you want to use for the product. You can also choose item-level templates here. Click **Update.**

8. In this product detail page in the Products tab, choose **Multimedia Components.**

The Multimedia Components page lists all multimedia components that have been set up for Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Leave fields blank to assign default multimedia names to multimedia components. Click **Update.**

9. In this product detail page in the Products tab, choose Relationships.

The Relationships page displays existing relationships between the product and other products or sections and the rules for those relationships, such as the product to show for an upsell or cross sell.

See Section 4.5.1, "Using Seeded Relationship Types" to add related items for a relationship.

10. In this product detail page in the Product tab, choose Specialty Stores.

The Specialty Stores page lists the specialty stores where the product will be displayed. By default the product appears in those specialty stores to which the product's parent section belongs.

Select the specialty stores where the product should appear and click Update.

11. Repeat this procedure for every product you want to include in the product catalog.

4.5.1 Using Seeded Relationship Types

Relationships are used for merchandising, for example, to offer a substitute product for a product that is out of stock. Use relationships to associate products, categories, and sections with other products, categories, and sections. See Section 5.7, "Creating Relationships" for more information.

Oracle iStore 11*i* ships with several seeded relationships.

Seeded Values

- RELATED: Entity B is related to Entity A.
- SUBSTITUTE: Entity B can be substituted for Entity A.
- CROSS_SELL: Entity B can be offered and sold along with Entity A
- UP_SELL: A newer version Entity B can be sold instead of Entity A.
- SERVICE: Entity B is a service item that can be added to the shopping cart for a serviceable Entity A.
- PREREQUISITE: Customer must have Entity B before purchasing Entity A.

- COLLATERAL: Entity B is collateral (e.g. marketing brochures) that exists for Entity A.
- SUPERSEDED: Entity B supersedes Entity A, which is no longer available.
- COMPLIMENTARY: Entity B is available free of charge with Entity A.
- IMPACT: Entity A is usable together with related Entity B, but only under certain conditions.
- CONFLICT: Entity A is not usable together with a related Entity B.
- MANDATORY_CHARGE: Mandatory charge
- OPTIONAL_CHARGE: Optional charge
- PROMOTIONAL_UPGRADE: Entity A ordered by the customer is upgraded to Entity B of equal or higher value, with no change to the price.

These relationship types are also seeded in Oracle Inventory for Item Relationships. If you use Oracle iStore 11*i*'s Java Application Programming Interface (API) to retrieve related items given an item ID and a seeded relationship type, you will get related items defined in Oracle iStore 11*i* plus the ones defined in Oracle Inventory.

Prerequisites

Products must exist in Oracle Inventory.

Steps

- 1. Go to the Relationship tab and review the seeded relationship types.
- **2.** Click the name of a relationship type to create a relationship between items. For example, click SUBSTITUTE to make item B a substitute for item A if item A is out of stock.
- 3. Click Add Rules.
- **4.** In the middle frame, search for the base product, and click the left arrow to add it to the From List.
- **5.** Search for the related product, and click the right arrow to add it to the To List.
- 6. Click **Done** to save the relationship.

4.6 Testing the Store

Test the storefront with the following URL:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/ibeCZzpHome.jsp?minisite=<minisite ID>

where <minisite ID> is the ID of the specialty store created above. You can determine the minisite ID using the following procedure.

Steps

- 1. Launch the Merchant UI and enter the Setup tab.
- **2.** In the Specialty Stores screen, click the name of the specialty store that you want to test.

The Specialty Store Detail Basic Information screen appears.

3. Look at the URL of this screen. It will be in this format:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtfmmbas.jsp?ID=<minisite ID>&ACTION=VIEW

The specialty store ID is the number that appears in the place of <minisite ID> in this URL.

See Section 5.12, "Previewing Products and Sections" for more information on testing the appearance of products and sections in your Web stores.

Oracle iStore 11 i Customization

This chapter describes procedures for customizing Oracle iStore 11*i* specialty stores. Topics include:

- Overview of Store Customization
- Customizing Multimedia
- Cataloging Multimedia Components
- Customizing Templates
- Cataloging Display Styles
- Modifying the Hierarchy
- Creating Relationships
- Customizing Product Presentation at the Category Level
- Customizing Product Presentation at the Item Level
- Setting Up Product Searches
- Customizing the Shopping Cart
- Previewing Products and Sections

Note: When using the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI, ensure that cookies are enabled.

5.1 Overview of Store Customization

Planning the customization of your store involves the following tasks:

- Identify the ways in which the store will display products.
- Plan page designs and divide them into common components that you can make into templates.
- Invent a name for each possible template to facilitate planning and communication of designs.
- Customize templates now as part of the design or later in the setup cycle.

The following procedure exemplifies the sequence of steps you can use to customize your store.

Steps

- 1. Create proprietary media source files for use in the customized store. Some examples of media file types are small .gif, large .gif, descriptive text, audio, and video. The types of media you can use in the store depend on the capabilities of the browsers that will access it.
- **2.** Catalog Oracle iStore 11*i* multimedia in the Multimedia tab to make them available for assignment to multimedia components. Each multimedia name cataloged can have a number of media source files assigned to it.
- **3.** Define and catalog multimedia components under **Multimedia Components** in the Setup tab. Enter a default multimedia name for each multimedia component.
- **4.** Create template source files for pages and for blocks within pages using Oracle JDeveloper or another Web page authoring application.
- **5.** Catalog Oracle iStore 11*i* templates in the Template tab. Each template name cataloged can have a number of template source files assigned to it.
- 6. Define and catalog the display styles determined during planning, under **Display Styles** in the Setup tab. Enter a default template name for each display style.
- **7.** If necessary, modify the overall hierarchy for your products using the Hierarchy tab. For example, you can add items to a section, remove items from a section, and create or delete sections.
- 8. Create new relationship types.
- **9.** Customize product presentation at the category level.

- **10.** Customize product presentation at the item level.
- **11.** Set up a product search for the Customer UI.
- 12. Customize shopping cart presentation and functionality.

5.2 Customizing Multimedia

Multimedia consist of files such as graphics, text, audio, and video, that are used to present content on a Web page to your customer.

The Oracle iStore 11*i* multimedia catalog enables you to make customized multimedia available for use in your stores and organize the multimedia according to specialty stores and languages.

To customize the appearance of your store pages, you must perform these tasks:

- Create proprietary media source files.
- Catalog Oracle iStore 11*i* multimedia and assign multimedia source files to each multimedia object.

5.2.1 Creating Media Source Files

Creating your own media source files for use in your store pages can enhance the appearance of your store to serve better the store's purposes.

Types of media source files can include small graphics (.gif), large .gif, descriptive text, audio, and video. You can create these files through media authoring programs.

All media source files should be placed in the OA_MEDIA directory.

5.2.2 Cataloging Multimedia

Each multimedia object that you list in the Oracle iStore 11*i* multimedia catalog can have a number of media source files assigned to it. Each of these source files can be assigned to combinations of specialty stores and languages. Each multimedia object is in turn available for assignment to multimedia components, which are called by templates to determine which multimedia object appears on a given store page.

Naming Multimedia

The multimedia name is the catalog name that is easy to communicate and use when planning your page designs. An example is *CompanyLogo*. This name can be translated for convenience in store administration.

Every multimedia name is given a programmatic access name that is short, unique, and not as descriptive. The programmatic access name is used to display that multimedia file in your Web page, if you want to refer to it directly in the template. An example is *clogo*. This name is not translated.

The multimedia name and programmatic access name represent several source files. You assign each source file to combinations of specialty stores and languages. The following table lists examples of file names for the multimedia name CompanyLogo.

Table 5-1	Sample Media File Names for the Multimedia Name CompanyLogo

Multimedia Name	Programmatic Access Name	File	Specialty Store	Language
CompanyLogo	clogo	clog1f.gif	specialty store 1	French
CompanyLogo	clogo	clog1e.gif	specialty store 1	English
CompanyLogo	clogo	clog2f.gif	specialty store 2	French
CompanyLogo	clogo	clog2e.gif	specialty store 2	English

In this example, if a French customer enters specialty store 1, the store displays the logo file clog1f.gif. An English customer entering the same specialty store sees clog1e.gif instead.

To see the multimedia which have been seeded into Oracle iStore 11*i* and are available for use in your store, enter the Multimedia tab. This page lists the existing multimedia and their programmatic access names, keywords, descriptions, and default source files for all specialty stores and languages. Click individual multimedia names for more detail. Choosing **View All Mappings** from within an individual detail page displays each source file name and its relationship to specialty stores and languages.

Use this procedure to catalog Oracle iStore 11*i* multimedia and assign multimedia source files to the names.

Prerequisites

- The default language must have been defined.
- At least one speciality store must have been created.

Steps

1. In the Multimedia tab, search for multimedia that are already cataloged and available to use in your store.

The Multimedia page lists the multimedia that match your search criteria along with their programmatic access names, keywords, descriptions, and the default source files to use for all specialty stores and languages.

2. Click Create.

The Multimedia Details page appears.

Figure 5–1 The Multimedia Details Page

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	Update Restore

3. In the Name field, define the multimedia name. Choose a name that is representative of the multimedia object's characteristics and purpose.

- **4.** In the Programmatic Access Name field, define the programmatic access name, which is the name by which the multimedia object will be accessed from the template. Do not duplicate other programmatic access names.
- 5. In the Default Source File For All Sites and Languages field, define the default media source file by entering the location of the file relative to the OA_MEDIA directory, where all media source files should reside. For example, enter the GIF file product.gif from the OA_MEDIA directory as /OA_MEDIA/product.gif. This default source file will be used by Oracle iStore 11*i*, unless a specialty store and language has a specific media source file mapping. If only one language or specialty store is defined or if no specialty store has been created, use the defaults.
- **6.** In the Displays pull-down menu, specify if this multimedia object will be available for product- and category-level (**Category**) or section-level (**Section**) presentation, or for page features not specifically associated with catalog presentation (**Others**).
- **7.** Optional: In the Keywords field, enter keywords for the multimedia. Entering keywords enables a keyword-based search for this multimedia object when assigning a multimedia object name to a multimedia component.
- **8.** Optional: In the Description field, enter a multimedia description. Entering a description enables a description-based search for this multimedia object when assigning a multimedia object name to a multimedia component.
- **9.** Click **Update.** The Multimedia Details Information and Source Files window appears.
- **10.** Optional: Click **Add Source File** to provide files for the same multimedia name in different languages and specialty stores. The Source File Details page appears.
 - **a.** Enter the name of a media source file, such as a graphic file, that you want to display on a Web page for the multimedia name that you are creating, for example, /OA_MEDIA/video.jpg. Click **Update**.
 - **b.** Add each specialty store and language where you want the new source file to appear, then click **Update**.
 - **c.** The relationship between the multimedia name, source files, specialty stores, and languages is saved.
 - **d.** Repeat this procedure for each source file that you want to add.
- **11.** Optional: Choose **View All Mappings** in the Multimedia Details Information and Source Files window.

The View All Mappings page displays each source file name and its relationship to specialty stores and languages. This step is highly recommended.

5.3 Cataloging Multimedia Components

Multimedia components define the types of multimedia objects available for display on a Web page, such as an image of a certain size, short text description, or a ten-second audio file. They enable assignment of default and specific multimedia objects at the product, category, section, and store levels. Multimedia components are called by the store Web page templates to determine which multimedia appear on a given store page.

When you catalog a multimedia component, you choose a default multimedia object that is active at store level. In the Hierarchy tab, there are multimedia component fields where you can choose a multimedia object name to correspond with each component for each section.

In the Product and Category tabs, there are also multimedia component fields where you can choose a multimedia object name to correspond with each component for the product or category. Pages associated with the product or category will use this multimedia object instead of the store-level multimedia.

If no multimedia name is associated with a multimedia component for either product or category, then the multimedia object chosen for the product or category's parent section in the Hierarchy tab appears on pages associated with the product or category that use the multimedia component. If no specific multimedia name has been chosen for the section's multimedia component, then the store-level default multimedia object appears.

Seeded Values

- STORE_PRODUCT_LARGE_IMAGE
- STORE_PRODUCT_SMALL_IMAGE
- STORE_SECTION_SMALL_IMAGE

You can view the seeded values in the Multimedia Components tab. This page lists existing multimedia components and their programmatic access names, descriptions, default multimedia, and default source files.

Use this procedure to catalog multimedia components that you want to assign to sections, categories, or products.

Prerequisites

Define the types of media objects you want to use on your store Web pages.

You can select a default multimedia object name for a multimedia component only after you have cataloged multimedia. If the default information is unavailable, you can continue the setup and select a default multimedia name at a later time. However, if a multimedia association is requested for any product, category, or section with that multimedia component, and there is no product-specific, category-specific, or section-specific association for the multimedia component, Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the default multimedia object name defined at the store level.

To avoid the error, you can also use the multimedia component's seeded values, as listed in the Multimedia Components tab.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- 2. In the Setup tab, choose Multimedia Components.

The Multimedia Components page displays a list of existing multimedia components and each component's default multimedia name. It also lists the default media source file for each multimedia name.

3. Click Create.

The Multimedia Component Details page appears.

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Figure 5–2 The Multimedia Component Details Page

- **4.** In the Name field, define the multimedia component name.
- **5.** In the Programmatic Access Name field, define the programmatic access name. This name is called by the templates for the store Web pages that use this multimedia component.
- **6.** Optional: In the description field, enter a description of the multimedia component. Entering a description enables a description-based search for this multimedia component.
- 7. In the Default Multimedia field, click **Go** to select a default multimedia name for this component. This default multimedia object will appear in pages associated with this multimedia component when the pages' products, categories, or sections have no specific multimedia assignments for this component.
- 8. Click Update.

The multimedia component information is saved.

5.4 Customizing Templates

Oracle iStore 11*i* Web page designs use common components, such as section tabs and browse bins. Each component is based on a template, and the templates are combined to create a store Web page. The templates control the appearance of the store through the use of JavaServer Pages[™] (JSP[™]), which combine Application Programming Interfaces (API) to call dynamic data and HTML to present static data.

Oracle iStore 11*i* comes packaged with a complete set of JSP templates needed to run the store. If you want to expand the functionality of the store Web pages or customize the pre-packaged templates, then you need to identify the flow of the application and the JSP templates needed to implement the flow. See *Oracle iStore Concepts and Procedures* for more information.

To customize templates for your store, perform the following tasks after planning your Web page designs:

- Create template source files for pages and for blocks within pages using a Web authoring application.
- Catalog Oracle iStore 11*i* template names and assign template source files to each template name.

5.4.1 Creating Template Source Files

You can create new JSP templates to replace or add to the Oracle iStore 11*i* seeded templates. Different physical JSP templates can be used at run-time based on the language and specialty store.

Note: It is recommended that you use Oracle JDeveloper to create and modify JSP templates. Although you can create JSPs with any HTML or text editor, Oracle JDeveloper also enables you to debug the code.

The major skills required to create and modify templates are HTML and JSP. JSP embeds Java language methods in the HTML content to generate dynamic content on the Web page. The structure of a JSP page is demonstrated in the following HTML example.

```
<HTML> <% import="oracle.apps.ibe.util.*" %> ....
```

```
....
<P> Name : <% = customer.getName(12334) %>
Where customer is a Java class on the server and getName is a public method
in the class to retrieve the customer Name.
<P> Picture: <IMGSRC = "<%= customer.getPict(12334) %>">
This step can retrieve the image file name from the customer Java class on the
server.
....
</HTML>
```

The default UNIX directory for JSP source code is \$COMMON_TOP/html. All ibem*.jsp templates are for the Merchant UI, and all ibeC*.jsp templates are for the Customer UI. New templates should also be placed in the \$COMMON_TOP/html directory. Changes made to the JSPs may not appear immediately on the Web stores, since you must reboot the Apache server before changes take effect.

Deleting the server cache has the same effect as rebooting the Apache server. The server cache is located in the UNIX directory \$COMMON_TOP/html/_pages/oa_html. This cache directory contains .java and .class files that are generated after the JSP that has been called is translated. These can be safely deleted and will be regenerated when the JSP is invoked through an HTTP request.

After creating or modifying templates, you can pre-compile them to check for compilation errors and to increase the speed of the initial loading.

Note: Sometimes it is not immediately obvious that templates referred to in the JSP code are in fact JSPs themselves. To find the JSP name of a template, search in the Template tab of the Merchant UI for the template name referenced in the code. The JSP name is included in the template listing. This JSP can then be modified to suit the requirements of the project.

JSP Naming Conventions

Modify JSP templates only after renaming them first. All modified JSPs should follow a standard naming convention, e.g., name of project-name of jsp.jsp

This will make future Oracle iStore 11*i* upgrades less problematic.

Note: Never change an original JSP. To modify a JSP, make a copy of the original JSP and modify only the copy. If a bug occurs, compare the JSP copy to the JSP original.

Cascading Style Sheets (CSS)

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the logical template name JTF_STYLE_SHEET in the JSP template files to call the Cascading Style Sheet (CSS) that determines fonts, sizes, colors, and other elements of look and feel. As with JSP templates, you can map different CSS source files to the same logical template name for different specialty stores and languages.

Oracle iStore 11*i* comes with a single CSS called jtfucss.css, and the JTF_STYLE_ SHEET is seeded with this CSS as the default source file for all sites and languages. The CSS resides in the \$COMMON_TOP/html directory and can be modified using an HTML editor. Place any other style sheets that you create in the same directory.

Modifying the Seeded Template Source Files

The Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer UI page is sectioned into various information containers, also referred to as bins or place holders. These bins hold the content-specific information and display it logically on the page. You can modify the bins' text and layout to change the Customer UI.

Changing the Text in Bins The text in the bins (for example, Welcome Message Bin, Shopping Cart Bin, Section Tree Bin) comes from the Messages stored in Oracle Forms. To change the text in the bins:

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms with the Application Developer responsibility.
- 2. Choose the Messages menu option, and search for IBE% messages.
- **3.** Modify these messages to change the text in the bins.

You can find a specific message name by viewing the respective bin JSP file.

Changing the Layout of Bins You can change the bin placement or remove a bin from the Customer UI by modifying the home page ibeCZzpHome.jsp and other corresponding JSP files. To verify that the home page is ibeCZzpHome.jsp, launch the Merchant UI, enter the Templates tab, and search the template catalog for Name = STORE_HOME. The default source file listed should be ibeCZzpHome.jsp.

Note: Be careful when making these changes, which affect the HTML.

The following diagram shows the layout of the bins on the default store page.

Figure 5–3 Bin Layout on the Default Store Page

iStore Default Customer UI Home Page (ibeCZzpHome.jsp)

	Header(ibeCZzpHeader.jsp)				
Top Container (ibeCZzdTop.jsp)					
Shopping Cart, My Acc	Menu Container (ibeCZzdMenu.jsp) count, Order Tracker, and Help links, Section tabs and links Banner	s, Product search bar,			
Section Browse Bin (ibeCCtdSctBrwsBin.jsp)	Section Path Container (ibeCCtdSctPath.jsp) Navigational path to the current section Sections/Featured Items Container (ibeCCtpSctDspRte.jsp) (Routing file) This routing file calls: ibeCCtpFwdSubSct.jsp if the current section is the minisite root. Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> treats the minisite root section as a virtual section, and forwards the template request to the first navigational subsection. <i>or</i> ibeCCtdFSubSct.jsp to display featured items from a featured subsection of the current navigational section <i>or</i> ibeCCtdLeafSctSs.jsp to display leaf items from the current navigational section if it has no subsections <i>or</i> ibeCCtdStBISuSt.jsp to display links to navigational subsections of the current navigational section if it has no featured subsections	Welcome Message Bin (ibeCAcdWelcome.jsp) Registration and sign-in, Shopping Cart link Marketing Messages Bin (ibapstng.jsp) (iMarketing integration builds this HTML content)			
Bottom Container (ibeCZzdBottom.jsp)					

API Documentation

To make advanced changes to the Customer UI page displays, beyond bin layout and text messages, you must have complete knowledge of the APIs being called from the JSP template source file. The APIs are the key for displaying data on the store pages. These are the application objects and beans. Customers and users cannot modify these class files.

For public class API documentation, see Chapter 8, Chapter 9, and Chapter 10.

5.4.2 Cataloging Templates

Cataloging templates involves setting up Oracle iStore 11*i* template objects with names and descriptions and specifying the different physical JSP templates to be used at run-time based on language and specialty store. These template objects can be additions to, or replacements for, the Oracle iStore 11*i* seeded template objects.

Naming Templates

The template name is the catalog name that is easy to communicate and use when planning your page designs. An example is *ProductHome*. Template names may be translated for convenience in store administration.

Every template name also has a programmatic access name that is short, unique, and not as descriptive. The programmatic access name is inserted into your Web page or template. An example is *phome*. Programmatic access names are not translated.

The template name and programmatic access name represent several physical template source files. Each physical file can be assigned to combinations of specialty stores and languages. When Oracle iStore 11*i* retrieves an assigned template name, the template source file is determined by the mapping of the template name to the current specialty store and language.

The Display Manager is the class that implements Oracle iStore 11*i*'s Template Manager. The Template Manager maintains a mapping from a logical name or access name of a media object to a physical name on the file system. For example, STORE_HOME (logical) maps to ibeCZzpHome.jsp (physical). When the Web store is active, the Display Manager determines what physical file to call from the logical template or multimedia component name, based on the specialty store and language.

The following table shows examples of file names for ProductHome.

Template Name	Programmatic Access Name	File	Specialty Store	Language
ProductHome	phome	hom1f.jsp	specialty store 1	French
ProductHome	phome	hom1e.jsp	specialty store 1	English
ProductHome	phome	hom2f.jsp	specialty store 2	French
ProductHome	phome	hom2e.jsp	specialty store 2	English

 Table 5–2
 Sample JSP File Names for the Template Name ProductHome

In this example, if a French customer enters specialty store 1, the store displays the home page file hom1f.jsp. An English customer in the same specialty store 1 sees hom1e.jsp instead.

Assigning Templates to Presentation Levels

Templates can also be assigned to products, categories, and sections. You can specify these assignments through the Display Style options available in the Product, Category, and Hierarchy tabs, after setting up the Display Styles catalog. See Section 5.5, "Cataloging Display Styles" for details.

You can indicate that the template associated with a given display style will be used when displaying a product. You can also indicate at the section level the display style to use for displaying products that belong to that section. Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the following process to determine which template to use when displaying a product according to a given display style.

- **1.** For a given display style, Oracle iStore 11*i* uses the template that you associated with the product.
- **2.** If no template is associated at the product level, Oracle iStore 11*i* retrieves the template associated with the product's primary display category.
- **3.** If no template is associated with the product or category, Oracle iStore 11*i* retrieves the default template for the display style.

Cataloging Templates in the Template Manager

You can catalog templates using the Template Manager functionality, accessible through the Merchant UI Templates tab. Use this procedure to create template object names and programmatic access names, select default store-level template source files for them, and assign other template source files to them according to specialty store and language settings.

Prerequisites

- At least one specialty store must have already been created.
- At least one language must have already been defined.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- **2.** In the Templates tab, search for templates that are already cataloged and available for use in your store.

The Templates page lists the names of the templates that match your search criteria, with their programmatic access names, keywords, descriptions, display level, and the default source files to use for all specialty stores and languages.

3. Click **Create.** To modify a template listing, click the template name in the page instead.

The Template Details Information and Source Files page appears.

- **4.** In the Name field, enter the name by which the template is referred to during the planning stage, i.e., the common name.
- **5.** In the Programmatic Access Name field, enter the name by which the template is referred to in the JSP.
- **6.** In the Default Source File For All Sites and Languages field, enter the JSP to be used as the default if a non-default language or specialty store mapping is not defined.
- 7. In the Displays field, specify from the pull-down menu whether the template will be used to display a section (section), or a product or category (category). If the template will be used on Web pages that do not display the product catalog, choose others from the pull-down menu.
- **8.** Optional: In the Keywords field, enter keywords for the template. Entering keywords enables a keyword-based search for this template when assigning a template to a display style.
- **9.** Optional: In the Description field, enter a description for the template. Entering a description enables a description-based search for this template when assigning a template to a display style.
- **10.** Click **Update.** An updated Template Details Information and Source Files page appears with a Source File for Other Sites and Languages section.

Setup V Category V Hierarchy V Relationship V Product V Templates	Sign Out Help
Template Details	
Information and Source Files View All Mappings Categories	
*Name Sample Template Keywords sample	
*Programmatic Access Name sample_temp Displays category	
Default Source File For All Sites and Languages smtemp.jsp Description a sample template	
Source File for Other Sites and Languages ————————————————————————————————————	_
Remove Source File	
smtemp isp	
Add Source File 1-1 of	1
Update Restore	

Figure 5–4 The Template Details Information and Source Files Page

11. Optional: Click **Add Source File** to choose files for the same template in different languages and specialty stores. See the Guidelines below for details.

The Source File Details page appears.

a. Enter the name of a physical JSP source file that you want to use for the template name you are creating. Click **Update**.

An updated Source File details page appears with a Specialty Store and Language Mappings section.

b. Add each store specialty store and language combination where you want the physical file to be used for this template, using the Specialty Store drop-down list and the **Go** buttons next to the Languages fields. Click **Update**.

The relationship between the template name, source file, specialty stores, and languages is saved.

c. To add another physical file, click on the template name link.

The Template Details Information and Source Files page with the Source File for Other Sites and Languages section appears.

Click **Add Source File** and repeat this step to add another physical file to this template.

12. Optional: In the Template Details Information and Source Files page, choose **View All Mappings.**

The View All Mappings page displays each physical file name and its relationship to specialty stores and languages. This step is highly recommended.

13. Optional: In the Templates tab, choose **Categories** if the template you created is meant to display product categories.

The Templates - Assigned Categories screen lists the categories to which the template has been assigned. Click a category name to view all templates that have been assigned to the category.

- **14.** Optional: If the template you created is meant to display product categories, you can assign it to categories now in the Category tab. In the Category tab, follow this procedure to add a template:
 - **a.** Click the name of the category to which the template is applicable.

The Templates Assigned page lists all template names and default source template files for the chosen category.

b. In the Templates Assigned page, click **Go.**

A list of available template names appears.

- c. Select the template(s) you wish to assign to the category.
- d. Click Add. The pop-up window closes when you select Done.

You can edit template information by clicking the template name in the Templates tab.

5.5 Cataloging Display Styles

Display styles specify how to present products on a Web page. For example, one display style specifies how to display Product A on a special sale page containing multiple products, and a different display style specifies how to display Product A on a page detailing product information. A display style calls an Oracle iStore 11*i* template, which then calls the appropriate template source file for the specialty store and language.

When you catalog display styles in the Setup tab, you choose store-level default template names for them. The display styles appear in the Product and Category tabs with fields where you can choose a template name to correspond with each display style for a product or a category. The display style fields also appear in the Hierarchy tab, where you can choose a template name to correspond with each display style for a section.

When a store Web page displays a product using a particular display style, Oracle iStore 11*i* selects the appropriate template as follows:

- If there is a product-specific template for the given display style, then the product-specific template is used.
- If no mapping is specified at the product level, and there is a category-specific template, then the category-specific template is used.
- If no template name is selected for a product or a category, then the display style's default store-level template is used on the Web page.

Clicking **Display Styles** in the Setup tab lists seeded display styles and their programmatic access names, descriptions, default templates, and default source files.

Seeded Values

- STORE_FEATURED_PRODUCT
- STORE_PRODUCT_DESCR
- STORE_PRODUCT_DETAIL
- STORE_PRODUCT_DETAILS
- STORE_PRODUCT_SMALL_DESCR

Use the following procedure to create more display styles.

Prerequisites

You can select a default template only after you have cataloged templates. If the information is unavailable, you may continue the setup and select a default template later. However, if a template association is requested for any product or section with that display style and is not specified, Oracle iStore 11*i* will use the default store-level template.

To avoid the error, you can also use the seeded values for display styles, listed under **Display Styles** in the Setup tab.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- 2. In the Setup tab, choose **Display Styles**.

The Display Styles page displays a list of existing display styles.

3. Click Create.

The Display Style Details page appears.

- 4. Assign names and descriptions to the display style.
- 5. Optional: Click Go to select a default template for this display style.
- 6. Click Update.

The display style information is saved.

You can edit display style information by clicking the display style name in the Display Styles page in the Setup tab.

5.6 Modifying the Hierarchy

All the specialty stores you create will be based in the overall hierarchy you created when setting up your initial specialty store. They can be associated to a portion of the overall hierarchy or to the whole hierarchy itself, depending on the section to which their root section points.

When reorganizing store sections and products or adding new specialty stores, you need to modify the overall hierarchy.

Your template design determines how to manifest the hierarchy for the user. You can create and revise new templates at any time. In the template for a section with a Featured type subsection, you can highlight the products in that section. A section's products are shown using the display style that you specify for that section.

While modifying the display parameters of a section, you can choose to keep it unpublished until you have tested its appearance in the Customer UI, since an unpublished section is not available in the Customer UI unless the user has the IBE_ ADMINISTRATOR responsibility.

Prerequisites

Profile set up for IBE:Item Validation Organization (see definition for IBE_ITEM_VALIDATION_ORGANIZATION profile).

Steps

- 1. Launch the Merchant UI and enter the Hierarchy tab.
- **2.** In the left frame of the Hierarchy tab window, the overall hierarchy tree appears. In the tree, select the node that will host the node you want to create, and click **Create.** (To modify existing information, select the node itself.)

The Basic Information Screen appears in the right frame of the Hierarchy tab window.

3. Enter the details.

Optional: Specify a Section Code by which you can refer to the section in customized templates explicitly by name. The Section Code is the name used in the template to access the section information directly.

Optional: Under the Display Parameter heading, specify a section-level default template for displaying the section from the pull-down menu labeled, "Template for displaying this section."

Note: Do not choose a template name that ends with the word "included." These templates display only the center of the section page, not the menu.

Optional: Under the Display Parameter heading, specify a display style for products in this section from the pull-down menu labeled, "Display Style for products in this section."

Note: If the section is a leaf section, do not choose the display style Product Detail Style.

Click Continue. The Multimedia Components screen appears.

4. Optional: Provide information about multimedia components specific for this section. Use this if you want to show or associate multimedia content with sections. For a given component, click **Go** to search the multimedia catalog. If the desired object is not found, create one and associate it with the section. Click **Continue.**

The Specialty Stores screen appears.

5. Move the specialty store(s) in which this section should appear into the included Specialty Stores column.

Decide if the section should appear only in the specialty stores that you have selected here or in other specialty stores by default if those specialty stores' roots point to an ancestor of the current section. Check the box **Include in all future sites if the site's root section is ancestor of this section** as appropriate. Click **Continue.**

The Relationships screen appears with a list of existing relationships in the section.

6. Review relationship rules for this section. See Section 5.7, "Creating Relationships" for information on customizing relationship rules. Click Continue.

The Advanced Settings screen appears.

7. Optional: Specify if the section is going to be populated automatically with products from Oracle Inventory based on certain SQL clauses, as well as specify the order.

Note: The auto-placement rule is not currently used.

Optional: Specify Order By clause to specify how the product for a section should be ordered when displayed in the Customer UI. The value for this field can be just one column name from MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS or comma-separated columns of the same table.

Click Finish. The Children page appears.

8. Add products or subsections to this section as desired. Note that a section can have either a subsection or products as children, but not both. Featured sections cannot have subsections as children.

You can add products to a section in the Hierarchy tab after building the product catalog. See Section 4.5, "Setting Up the Product Catalog" for more information. To add products to a section in the Hierarchy tab:

- **a.** Navigate to the section's Children page.
- **b.** Click Add Product.
- **c.** Perform a product search in the pop-up window.
- d. Select one or more of the results and click Add.
- **e.** Click **Done** to close the pop-up window and return to the main store manager window.

You can also add products to a section when working on the product in the Product tab.

To add a subsection to a section:

- **a.** Navigate to the section's Children page.
- **b.** Click **Add Section.** A Basic Information screen for the new subsection appears.

Note: The **Add Section** button appears only if the section has no products.

- **c.** Set up the subsection in the Basic Information, Multimedia Components, Specialty Stores, Relationships, and Children screens in the Hierarchy tab.
- **9.** To adjust the ordering of the section tabs in a minisite, click its root section in the navigation tree and edit the values in the Order column. The section whose display name should be the first tab should have the lowest number in the Order column.
- **10.** Continue to create sections and subsections for your hierarchy as needed. You can use the **Cut, Copy,** and **Paste** buttons to move an entire section from one place in the hierarchy to another.

To cut or copy a section, highlight the section and click **Cut** or **Copy** as appropriate.

To paste a section into the hierarchy after cutting or copying it, highlight the root section that should host the pasted section, and click **Paste**.

Note: If you cut and paste a section from one location in the hierarchy to another, all the information about the section will transfer to the new location. If you copy and paste a section, all the information about the original section will copy into the new section, except for the section-level multimedia component settings.

Guidelines

- The display style you choose for products in this section is the style used to display products on a section page for this section.
- Choosing Include in all future specialty stores if the store's root section is ancestor of this section in the Specialty Stores screen ties the section to its ancestors. When a specialty store is added to or deleted from the ancestor, the same change applies to all its descendant sections.

5.7 Creating Relationships

Relationships are used for merchandising, for example, to offer a substitute product for a product that is out of stock. Relationship types are used to create specific relationship rules that associate products, categories, and sections to other products, categories, and sections. One relationship type can contain either rules created using the rule builder or one SQL rule. It cannot contain both.

Note: Using SQL rules to define relationships by querying the database on particular fields is a method primarily used by Oracle Consulting or other highly technical personnel. Most store managers will use the mapping rules.

The mapping rules define relationships in a From-To form. The types of From and To objects can be categories (defined in Oracle Inventory), sections or hierarchies (defined in Oracle Oracle iStore 11*i*), or items (defined in Oracle Inventory). The application evaluates each mapping rule and inserts rows in a table maintaining the preevaluated relationships. For example, if you have a category with two products assigned in your From list and a section with four products assigned in your To list, then Oracle Oracle iStore 11*i* creates a total of eight product relationships.

Your business needs determine the creation of relationships. Oracle iStore 11*i* ships with several seeded relationship types, listed in Section 4.5.1, "Using Seeded Relationship Types" and also in the Merchant UI Relationship tab. These seeded

relationship types are also seeded in Oracle Inventory for Item Relationships. If you use Oracle iStore 11*i*'s Java API to retrieve related items given an item ID and a seeded relationship type, you will get related items defined in Oracle iStore 11*i* plus the ones defined in Inventory.

Use this procedure to define relationship types and add rules to them.

Prerequisites

Products must exist in Oracle Inventory.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- 2. In the Relationship tab, choose Create.

The Create Relationship page appears.

3. In the Name field, enter the relationship type name.

Optional: In the Description field, enter a description. This enables a description-based search for the relationship type.

Optional: In the Start Date and End Date fields, enter a start date and an end date for the relationship type to be valid.

Click Create.

The relationship type has been created. The Relationship Detail page appears, where you can begin adding rules to the relationship type.

4. Choose to specify the pairs of related items by SQL query or by mapping rules and highlight the appropriate radio button. Click **Create Rule.**

The Add Rules page appears if you choose **Create Mapping Rules**.

The Relationship Detail page appears if you choose Create a SQL Rule.

- 5. If you choose Create Mapping Rules, proceed as follows:
 - **a.** Conduct a search to view products, categories, or sections in the center table.

The search results appear in the table.

b. Select the items in your search results that you want to be in the From side of your rule, and click the left arrow.

The selected items appear in the From List.

c. Conduct a search to view products, categories, or sections in the center table.

The search results appear in the table.

d. Select the items in your search results that you want to be in the To side of your rule, and click the right arrow.

The selected items appear in the To List.

- e. Repeat as needed to complete your From and To lists for this rule.
- **f.** Click **Done** to submit the relationship rule creation, or click **Preview Rules** to validate or exclude the relationship rules to be added.

If you click **Done**, the Relationship Detail page appears. The application generates a rule from every object in the From list to every object in the To list.

If you click **Preview Rules**, the Preview Rules Page appears. At this point the rules have not been added to the system. You may exclude any rules not needed. When finished, click **Done** to see the Relationship Detail page.

g. From the Relationship Detail page, you may select a link for each rule to view all product to product relationships generated by that rule, or click **View All Results** to view all product to product relationships generated by all rules in this relationship type.

From either option, the Relationship Result screen displays the product-level relationship results.

If you do not want to include one or more of the generated rules, select **Exclude** and click **Update**.

The excluded product-level relationships can be re-included.

6. If you choose **Create a SQL Rule**, the following incomplete SQL displays on the Relationship Detail page:

```
Select msi.inventory_item_id
From mtl_system_items msi
Where
```

The SQL should return only the column inventory_item_id in the MTL_ SYSTEM_ITEMS table. You can add as many tables as you want in the From list and add any conditions in the Where clause.

5.8 Customizing Product Presentation at the Category Level

Every product is assigned or mapped to a category in Oracle Inventory. With customized multimedia, templates, and display styles, you can set up customized category-level defaults for products belonging to a category.

Use this procedure to modify defaults for categories. You can only specify defaults for categories belonging to the primary display category set (the value of the IBE: Category Set profile). If the product does not belong to any category in the primary display category set, then the store-level defaults are used.

Prerequisites

- Products must be assigned to categories in Oracle Inventory in order to be returned upon a search of those categories.
- Multimedia, templates, and styles must exist before you can assign them to a category.
- The IBE: Category Set profile must be set. See Chapter 7 for details.

Steps

1. In the Category tab, search for categories by Category Name or Description.

The Categories page displays a list of item categories from Oracle Inventory which belong to the category set specified in the IBE: Category Set profile with related templates, display styles, and multimedia components.

2. Click the category name that you want to update.

The Templates Assigned page lists all template names and default source template files available for Web pages that display items in the chosen category.

- **3.** In the Templates Assigned page that appears, perform the following steps to make a template available for association with a display style in this category:
 - a. Click Add.

A list of available template names appears.

- **b.** Select a template.
- c. Click Add. The pop-up box closes when you select Done.
- 4. In the Category tab, choose **Display Styles**.

The Display Styles page lists all display styles you defined in the Setup tab.

5. For each display style you can choose a template from the templates assigned to the category. Select **Update**.

In store Web pages related to this category that use a given display style, this template overrides the display style default template.

6. In the Category tab, choose Multimedia Components.

The Multimedia Components page lists all multimedia components that you defined in the Setup tab.

7. Optional: Assign multimedia names to multimedia components. Click Update.

In store Web pages related to this category, when a template accesses a multimedia component, the multimedia name selected here overrides the multimedia component's default multimedia setting. The multimedia name retrieves the media source file mapped to the specialty store and language used by the customer.

5.9 Customizing Product Presentation at the Item Level

Item-level customizations override category-level, section-level, and store-level settings. You can also customize product presentation at the item level in the following ways:

- Modify the product catalog.
- Create and associate specific images with certain products.

Defining proprietary multimedia and multimedia components enables association of specific images with certain products.

Add item descriptive flexfields.

5.9.1 Modifying the Product Catalog

Customizing the product catalog involves the following considerations beyond those listed in Section 4.5, "Setting Up the Product Catalog" of this manual.

• Designing the display appearance for different product types. This process determines the number and type of product templates required. For example, perhaps all music products list the artist first and then provide a link to an audio clip, but all clothing products list the clothing type (e.g., jacket) first, followed by a graphic of the item. Oracle iStore 11*i* ships with the assumption that all product types appear the same on the Customer UI.
• Creating template text for product types. Text embedded in a template makes that template specific to the given product type. For example, the word "Artist" in front of the flexfield where a performer's name is to appear can only be used for the compact disc product category. Embedded text must be manually translated and saved in the required multiple languages as additional template types. Oracle iStore 11*i* does not translate template text. Alternatively, templates using generic terminology can be more easily applied across product types. For example, using the term "Lead Performer(s)" as a flexfield label could apply to both compact disc and videotape product categories. Providing no flexfield labels in a template allows templates to be most broadly applied across product types.

Use this procedure to add products to the product catalog, make them available for sale in your store, and customize their presentation at the item level. For example, defining proprietary multimedia and multimedia components enables association of specific images with certain products. Item-level customizations override category-level, section-level, and store-level settings.

While modifying the display parameters of a product, you can choose to keep it unpublished until you have tested its appearance in the Customer UI, since an unpublished product is not available in the Customer UI unless the user has the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility.

Prerequisites

- Products must be loaded into Oracle Inventory before they can be imported into Oracle iStore 11*i*.
- Products in Oracle Inventory must have their Web Status flag set to either Published or Unpublished in the Web Option tab of the Master Item form to appear in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI. Only products with a status of Published can be sold in your store.
- Products in Oracle Inventory must be set with the flag Orderable on Web in the Web Option tab of the Master Item form.
- Products in Oracle Inventory must be set with the flag Customer Orders Enabled in the Order Management tab of the Inventory Master Item form.
- JTF and IBE profile options must be set.
- Shipping options must be seeded into Oracle Shipping.
- Payment options and setup must be seeded into Oracle iPayment.
- Store layout must have been determined with the following considerations:

- Site appearance must have been decided.
- Hierarchy of products, sections, and specialty stores must have been identified.
- Templates associated with each product, section, and specialty store must have been identified.
- Templates for full Web pages and areas within Web pages must have been identified.
- At the implementation level, the mapping between templates and source files must have been decided.
- Source files (physical templates) must have been created by the UI implementation team with stubs for the dynamic elements, along with the multimedia components to be displayed on the site.
- Templates must have been populated with the dynamic JSP elements calling Oracle iStore 11*i*, using the templates shipped with Oracle iStore 11*i* as a model.
- Display styles must exist before you can assign them to a product. See Section 5.5, "Cataloging Display Styles" for more information.

Steps

1. Launch the Merchant UI and enter the Product tab.

The Products page appears.

2. Search for products you want to include in your catalog. A search results list appears.

If there are unpublished products in your results, the list shows them with a **Publish** button in the Wizard column. To publish an unpublished product, you can either click on the product name and change the Posting Status to **Published** in the Basic Information window that appears, or click the **Publish** button next to the item name.

Note: Publishing or unpublishing a product in the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI also changes the product's Web Status setting in Oracle Inventory.

If you click the **Publish** button:

a. The Basic Information screen appears.

Optional: Add or modify the basic and long descriptions.

Click Continue. The Hierarchy Paths window appears.

b. Optional: Add or remove parent sections for the item.

Click Continue. The Category and Display Styles window appears.

c. Optional: Change template assignments for one or more of the display styles.

Click Continue. The Multimedia Components page appears.

- **d.** Optional: Change multimedia assignments for one or more of the multimedia components.
- e. Click Publish.
- 3. Click on a product's name in the search results list to edit its information.

The Basic Information page displays the Posting Status, the inventory name and part number, and any descriptions you have already added to the product catalog.

4. To make the product available to be sold in your store, set the Posting Status to **Published.**

To remove the product from your store, set the Posting Status to Unpublished.

Optional: Enter or modify the short and long descriptions.

Click **Update**. The product is published or unpublished immediately. The descriptions are saved, and are also available for display in your store if the product is published.

Note: Products with Posting Status **Published** are visible on the store. Be careful about changing information, since the changes go to the production system and are published immediately. It is recommended that you unpublish the product before making changes, and then republish the item when finished.

5. Optional: Enter or modify the short and long descriptions and click **Update**.

The descriptions are saved and are available to display in your store.

6. In the Products tab, choose Hierarchy Paths.

The Hierarchy Paths page displays the hierarchy of sections that have been set up for the store.

- **7.** Optional: Remove or add parent sections for the product, edit the date range when this product will be available in each section, and number the product's place in the section's product display order.
- 8. In the Products tab, choose Category and Display Styles.

The Category and Display Styles page displays the category to which the product belongs and lists all display styles and any template names already assigned to the product.

9. Choose a template name for each display style that you want to use for the product.

To use the category-level default template for a display style, highlight the radio button next to the default setting on the display style line.

To set an item-level template, highlight the radio button next to the field on the display style line and click **Go**. Select a template from the pop-up window that appears. Click **Update** when finished.

10. In the Products tab, choose Multimedia Components.

The Multimedia Components page lists all multimedia components you defined in the Setup tab.

11. Optional: Assign multimedia names to multimedia components and click **Update.**

See Section 5.9.2, "Creating Images for Products" for more information on associating specific images with a product.

12. In the Products tab, choose Relationships.

The Relationships page displays existing relationships between the product and other products or sections and the rules for those relationships, such as the product to show for an upsell or cross sell.

- **13.** To add relationships, go to the Relationship tab. See Section 5.7, "Creating Relationships" for more information on customizing relationships.
- 14. In the Product tab, choose Specialty Store.

The Specialty Store page lists the specialty stores where the product will be displayed. By default the product appears in those specialty stores to which the product parent section belongs.

15. Select the specialty stores that should display the product and click Update.

5.9.2 Creating Images for Products

To associate specific images with certain products, use the following procedure.

Steps

- 1. Create images for products. Either create a new image for the product (usually done by a graphic artist) or use an existing image.
- **2.** Locate the image and verify that it exists in the directory /OA_MEDIA/, where all images for the store should reside.
- **3.** Set up the multimedia in the Merchant UI.
 - **a.** Log in to the Merchant UI and enter the Multimedia tab.
 - b. Click Create.
 - **c.** Enter the details: Name, Programmatic Access Name, Keyword, Description, and Default Source File. For the Default Source File, enter the complete path for the image file, starting with /OA_MEDIA/.
 - d. Click Update.

This creates and saves your multimedia.

- **4.** Set up the Multimedia Component in the Merchant UI to associate the image with the product.
 - **a.** Enter the Product tab.
 - **b.** Search for the product that you want to associate with the image.
 - **c.** Click the product name.
 - d. Click Multimedia Components.
 - e. Highlight the radio button for Item Small Image and/or Item Large Image.
 - f. Click Go. A popup window with all the multimedia names will open.
 - **g.** Select the multimedia set up for the image.
- 5. Reboot the Apache server.
- 6. Verify that the image is associated with the product in the store's Customer UI.

5.9.3 Adding Item Descriptive Flexfields

Oracle iStore 11*i* allows addition of descriptive flexfields to item detail pages. With this option, the item detail page will display the prompt and value of descriptive flexfield global segments if a value is defined for the item. Only global segments of the descriptive flexfield are supported.

Note: The descriptive flexfields appear only if the IBE: Use CABO UI profile is set to Yes. See Chapter 7 for more information.

To set up descriptive flexfields on an item detail page, follow this procedure.

Steps

- **1.** Log in to Oracle Forms.
- 2. Select the Application Developer responsibility.
- **3.** Choose **Flexfield** > **Description** > **Segments** to open the Descriptive Flexfields window.
- 4. Choose View > Find, and query for the flexfield with Application = Oracle Inventory and Title = Items.
- **5.** Set up flexfield segments for Global Data Elements. See *Oracle Applications Flexfields Guide* for additional details.
- 6. Switch to the Inventory responsibility.
- 7. To set up flexfield segments and values for items and their detail pages:
 - **a.** Navigate to the Inventory Item window and find the item for which flexfield values will be entered. Use the inventory organization that is set in the profile option IBE: Item Validation Organization.
 - **b.** Click on the rectangle enclosed within [] next to the Description field in the Inventory Item window.
 - **c.** A window appears with the flexfield segments set up in the previous steps.
 - **d.** Enter values for the flexfield segments you want to display on the item detail page.
- **8.** Test that the descriptive flexfield segments appear in the item detail pages as desired, using the following procedure:
 - a. Reboot the Apache server to clear the cache after entering the data.

- **b.** In the Customer UI, navigate to the item detail page for an item with flexfield values entered.
- **c.** The flexfield segment prompts and values should appear on the item detail page.

5.10 Setting Up Product Searches

Oracle iStore 11*i*'s product search feature allows you to enable your customers to search a store for products they want to buy.

The product search feature in Oracle iStore 11*i* is implemented using the interMedia text search utility of the Oracle8*i* database. The product information (description and long description) is first loaded in an Oracle iStore 11*i* table (IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH) via the concurrent program iStore Search Insert. This step is generally performed after the merchant has loaded his inventory with products. Once the data is loaded, any change to product information is updated in the Oracle iStore 11*i* table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH through a database trigger call on the inventory table. This keeps product information current in the search table. Once the data is moved into the search table, the interMedia index is created to facilitate search capability of the keywords.

Note: You must ensure that both Oracle Inventory and Oracle interMedia are installed and configured properly before setting up store search. Refer to the Oracle interMedia documentation for details on how to set up and configure interMedia.

Storing Information in the Search Table

The search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH is a denormalized table of MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_TL and MTL_ITEM_CATEGORIES.

The core text on which you search is stored in a Clob called INDEXED_SEARCH. Currently it stores a concatenation of name and description of products. The table also stores inventory_item_id, organizationId, category_id, category_set_id, and the Web status field from MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_B table.

Searchable Product Attributes

Searches are performed on the name and description of a product. They are stored as description and long description columns in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_TL table.

Search Dependencies

The product search requires version 8.1.7 of the Oracle database with the interMedia option installed. It also requires the 11*i* version of the Oracle Inventory schema.

Note: For enhanced query performance, enable caching of large object data for the interMedia DR\$R table.

5.10.1 Setting Up Oracle Inventory for Product Search

First, set up your inventory, under a common master org ID. Points to remember while setting up your inventory include:

- Give products unique names.
- Do not leave category names (concatenated segments) blank or non-unique. They can be null or non-unique in the database, but show as blanks or multiple times in the Categories LOV in your customer home page.
- Make sure the products have the WEB_STATUS flag in the MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS table set to PUBLISHED. See Section 2.3.5, "Setting Up Product Items in Oracle Inventory" for instructions. You can also query this field by examining the web_status column of the item.

Next, set the iStore profile options for search.

5.10.2 Setting Search Profile Options

Oracle iStore 11*i* search needs four iStore (IBE) profile options to be set. The following table lists these profile options with their descriptions.

Profile Option	Description
Enable Fuzzy Search	If set to Yes , allows users to perform fuzzy product searches, so that they do not have to type in the exact spelling of their search criteria to retrieve results that match these criteria. If this profile option is not set, it defaults to No .
No of Results in Search	This option sets the maximum cap on the search results. For example, if the user searches for a very common keyword (not in the stop words list), then the search process will stop after the max cap set as per this profile option. If this profile option is not set, then the code default of 200 results is used.

Table 5–3 Search Profile Options

Profile Option	Description
Search Lines Per Page	This option sets the number of lines to be displayed per page. If this profile option is not set, the code default of 20 lines is used.
Use Category Search	This option determines whether the home page pull-down search menu will allow category or section level searching. Yes will cause the pull-down menu to list categories with publishable items, while No will cause it to list the minisite's top level sections. A null value will enable a basic search against all products in the current minisite.
	You must set this profile option to Yes if the IBE: Use CABO UI profile option is set to No.

 Table 5–3
 Search Profile Options (Cont.)

Decide to enable either category or section level searches from the Customer UI home page pull-down menu, then carry out the appropriate procedure to populate the search table with data and create the interMedia text index.

Note: Section-level and basic searches are not supported if the IBE: Use CABO UI profile is set to **No.** If you choose to set this profile to **No,** you must set the IBE: Use Category Search profile to **Yes** to enable category-level search. See Chapter 7 for more details.

5.10.3 Populating the Oracle iStore 11*i* Search Table for Category Level Search

To enable category-level search on the Customer UI, the iStore Search Insert program only needs to be run once to populate the search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_ SEARCH. After this one-time product data load, the table will get updated product information through a database trigger call on the inventory table.

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN.
- **2.** Choose the **iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility.** (If you do not have this responsibility, use the System Administrator responsibility to grant it to yourself.)
- 3. In the pop-up window, choose Single Request, and click OK.
- 4. Click the LOV button in the Name field, and choose iStore Search Insert.
- 5. Click Submit to start the concurrent request. Note the request ID.

You can monitor the progress of your request by looking at the request log and output files in \$COMMON_TOP/admin/log/l<request ID>.log and \$COMMON_TOP/admin/out/o<request ID>.out, respectively.

You can also view the request status by selecting View Requests and searching by the request ID.

Note: You will only be able to search for products whose WEB_STATUS is PUBLISHED.

This process can take a substantial amount of time, depending on the number of items you have. As an estimate, for about 300,000 items in inventory this program can take about 45 minutes to run.

The concurrent manager calls the iStore Search Insert program, which moves the product data from the inventory table to the Oracle iStore 11*i* search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH. When this job is running, the search tables are purged and the product search does not work correctly on the store.

Caution: Since this batch job deletes data from the search table, the rollback segment should be large enough for the process to complete.

Once the request is complete, you can search for products based on name and description. The pull-down search menu on the store's home page lists categories with publishable items. If additional product attributes are to be added in the search, this SQL script needs to be modified to add the extra search column.

5.10.4 Populating the Oracle iStore 11*i* Search Table for Section Level Search

To enable section level search on the Customer UI for the first time, run the iStore Search Insert program first, then run the iStore Section Search Refresh program to populate the search table IBE_SECTION_SEARCH.

Whenever you update the Oracle iStore 11*i* hierarchy, rerun only the iStore Section Search Refresh program to update the search table IBE_SECTION_SEARCH.

Steps

- 1. Carry out the procedure outlined in Section 5.10.3, "Populating the Oracle iStore 11i Search Table for Category Level Search" to load data into the main search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH.
- 2. In the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility, choose Single Request and click OK.
- **3.** Click the LOV button in the Name field, and choose **iStore Section Search Refresh**.
- 4. Click **Submit** to start the concurrent request. Note the request ID.

The concurrent manager calls the iStore Section Search Refresh program, which populates the search table IBE_SECTION_SEARCH with product data. The product search is still available to customers while the iStore Section Search Refresh program is running.

Once the request is complete, the pull-down search menu on the store's home page lists the top level sections, not the product categories.

5.10.5 Changing Between Category Level Search and Section Level Search

To change the listings in the pull-down search menu from categories to sections or vice versa, rerun the iStore Search Insert concurrent program to ensure that product listings will not be duplicated.

Prerequisites

Change the IBE: Use Category Search profile option to **Yes** if you are changing to the category-level search. Change the profile option to **No** if you are changing to the section-level search.

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN.
- **2.** Choose the **iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility.** (If you do not have this responsibility, use the System Administrator responsibility to grant it to yourself.)
- 3. In the pop-up window, choose **Single Request**, and click **OK**.
- 4. Click the LOV button in the Name field, and choose iStore Search Insert.
- 5. Click Submit to start the concurrent request. Note the request ID.

You can monitor the progress of your request by looking at the request log and output files in \$COMMON_TOP/admin/log/l<request ID>.log and \$COMMON_TOP/admin/out/o<request ID>.out, respectively.

You can also view the request status by selecting View Requests and searching by the request ID.

If you are changing the search from section level to category level, the pull-down search menu lists categories once the request is completed.

If you are changing the search from category level to section level, perform the following steps after the request is completed:

- 6. In the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility, choose Single Request and click OK.
- **7.** Click the LOV button in the Name field, and choose **iStore Section Search Refresh.**
- 8. Click Submit to start the concurrent request. Note the request ID.

The pull-down search menu lists the top-level sections once the request is complete.

5.10.6 Enabling a Fuzzy Search

The fuzzy search functionality returns search results with product names that do not match the spelling of the users' search criteria exactly. For example, if a user enters "laptops" or "laptp," the search retrieves product names with the word "laptop."

The fuzzy search works only for the base language of your installation of Oracle applications. It does not produce results for other languages in a multilingual instance, due to the current version of Oracle interMedia.

You can enable the fuzzy search functionality by setting the profile option IBE: Enable Fuzzy Search to **Yes** and running the iStore Search Insert concurrent program, as well as the iStore Section Search Refresh concurrent program if you have enabled section-level searches. Every time you change the value of the IBE: Enable Fuzzy Search profile option, you must rerun the iStore search concurrent programs.

5.10.7 Creating Search Index Tables

To be able to run external procedures to create a search index table, please ensure that ENVS is included in your SID_DESC part of listener.ora as follows.

Steps

1. Go to 8.1.7 ORACLE_HOME:

```
cd /u02/visappl
ksh
. ./APPSORA.env
cd $ORACLE_HOME/../8.1.7/network/admin
```

This directory should contain listener.ora.

2. Verify that listener.ora contains the following:

```
(SID_DESC =
    (SID_NAME = PLSExtProc)
    (ORACLE_HOME = /u04/visora/8.1.7)
    (ENVS = LD_LIBRARY_PATH=/u04/visora/8.1.7/ctx/lib)
    (PROGRAM = extproc)
)
```

3. Before creating the search index table, make sure that the Oracle interMedia server is up. Use the following command to check:

```
$ ps -ef | grep ctxsrv
```

If it is not running, start the Oracle interMedia server as follows:

4. Go to 8.1.7 ORACLE_HOME:

```
cd /u02/visappl
ksh
. ./APPSORA.env
cd $ORACLE_HOME/../8.1.7
. ./VIS.env
```

This will set up 8.1.7 ORACLE_HOME env.

5. Run the following command:

ctxsrv -user ctxsys/ctxsys&

5.10.8 PL/SQL, Java, and JSP's Involved in Search

The following program units are used in the product search process:

- java/catalog/Search.java (main Java program that executes the query)
- ibecskr3.jsp (search result JSP)
- ibeCZzdMenu.jsp (main home page)
- ibecskrf.jsp (search result JSP)
- IBEVCSMV.sql (one time load of product descriptions through concurrent manager)
- IBEVCSKS.pls (package specification)
- IBEVCSKB.pls (package body)
- IBEVIDTS.pls (package specification for the main database trigger)
- IBEVIDTB.pls (package body for the main database trigger)
- java/catalog/PrdRec.java (definition of search result object)
- IBEVCSIS.pls (package specification for section search package)
- IBEVCSIB.pls (package body for section search package)
- ibecsmcr.sql (maintains availability of product search functionality during iStore Section Search Refresh)



Figure 5–5 Oracle iStore 11i Search Tables

5.10.9 Customizing Search

If you need to add more attributes of the item to search for, you must modify IBEVCSMV.sql for the initial load and the PL/SQL triggers mentioned above to make sure that updates to these attributes get propagated to the search table.

1. Modify the search package (IBEVCSKS.pls and IBEVCSKB.pls) for adding the additional product search attributes. By default, only the product name (description column) and product description (long description column) are included in the search.

If additional attributes are to be added in the product search, the parameters for the package specification and body will have to be changed accordingly, with the new attributes. This package moves the subsequent changes in the product information, to Oracle iStore 11*i*'s search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH. Any insert, delete, or update on MTL_ITEM_CATEGORIES, any delete or update on MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_B and any insert, delete, or update on MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_TL table will move the change to the search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH through this procedure. This procedure is called from the main database trigger procedures, as explained in the next step.

- 2. If new parameters are added to the search package, the call to the search package must be modified in the main database trigger package IBEVIDTB.plb to include the new parameters added to the search move procedures. This package body calls all of Oracle iStore 11*i*'s ERP-related database trigger procedures, including the search package procedures.
- **3.** The database trigger on the product tables calls the main database trigger package to move the product data change to the Oracle iStore 11*i* search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH.

However, modifying the search package call will not recreate the interMedia index to include the changed information in the search table IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH. Administrators must rebuild the interMedia search index every time a new product is added or an existing product is changed/deleted. This can be achieved by recreating the interMedia index IBE_CT_IMEDIA_SEARCH_IM through the Oracle Enterprise Manager utility or through executing the command "CTX_DDL.SYNC_INDEX" in SQL*Plus. Note that you should have privileges to alter the interMedia index. After this step, the modified product information is visible in the Oracle iStore 11*i* product search process.

5.10.10 Adding Stopwords to Searches

There are many search words such as "and," "oracle," "if," and "then" which are very common and will return numerous search results. Search results may not be relevant to the user's query if such common search keywords are used. In addition, searches on common keywords use processing resources and slow down performance. These common keywords can be excluded from the search by using the "Stop Words" utility in interMedia.

Log in to Oracle Enterprise Manager as CTXSYS to see the stop words in the Stop List. Additional stop keywords can be added to the stop list.

iStore Search Query

```
createQueryString(String keywords,
String operator,
String notKeywords,
String categoryId,
String maxRowNum,
String selectList,
String orderByList,
String whereList)
select i.inventory_item_id, i.description, i.category_id,
   score(100) nearness
from ibe_ct_imedia_search i, mtl_system_items_b b
where contains (i.indexed_search, 'laptop' , 100) > 0
and i.language = userenv('LANG')
and i.category_id = i.category_id
and i.organization_id = 204
and exists (
  select 1
   from jtf_dsp_section_items s, jtf_dsp_msite_sct_items b
  where s.section_item_id = b.section_item_id
   and b.mini site id = 10120
   and s.inventory_item_id = i.inventory_item_id
   and (s.end_date_active > sysdate or s.end_date_active is null)
   and s.start_date_active < sysdate
   )
and rownum < 200
and i.inventory_item_id = b.inventory_item_id
and i.organization_id = b.organization_id
order by SCORE(100)
/
```

5.11 Customizing the Shopping Cart

You can customize shopping cart pages in the following ways:

- Enabling Unit of Measure (UOM) Conversions
- Allowing Decimal Quantities for Items
- Specifying Flexfields At the Checkout Page
- Setting Up Credit Card Payments in Oracle iStore 11i

5.11.1 Enabling Unit of Measure (UOM) Conversions

Oracle Pricing handles UOM conversions. The Pricing engine will only do UOM conversions if the Primary UOM Code checkbox is checked for the item in the Price List Setup window.

UOM Conversion Example

The primary UOM of Item X is Each and a conversion of 12 Each = 1 Dozen has been set up in Inventory. When pricing Item X, Oracle iStore 11*i* calls the Pricing engine passing in (Item X, Each) and (Item X, Dozen). The price list has a price for (Item X, Each).

- If the price list also contains (Item X, Dozen), the price for (Item X, Dozen) is returned.
- If the price list does not contain (Item X, Dozen) and the Primary UOM Code checkbox is checked for (Item X, Each), the price returned is 12 times the price of (Item X, Each).
- If the price list does not contain (Item X, Dozen) and the Primary UOM Code checkbox is not checked for (Item X, Dozen), an error is returned.

5.11.2 Allowing Decimal Quantities for Items

When adding an item or updating its quantity in the Oracle iStore 11*i* shopping cart, the customer can enter a decimal quantity if it is supported by the item. Oracle iStore 11*i* calls the same API used by Oracle Order Management for validating quantity. If an item is marked OM Indivisible, decimal quantities are not allowed for its primary UOM.

To prevent the customer from selecting a decimal quantity of an item, follow this procedure:

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN.
- 2. Choose the Inventory responsibility for the Master Inventory Organization.
- **3.** Choose Master Items.
- **4.** Choose the appropriate inventory organization (the same as the Oracle iStore 11*i* Item Validation Organization).
- **5.** Query for the item.

- 6. Click on the Physical Attributes tab.
- 7. Check OM Indivisible.
- 8. Repeat for all inventory organizations that contain the item.

To allow the customer to select a decimal quantity of an item, follow the previous steps, but uncheck **OM Indivisible.**

5.11.3 Specifying Flexfields At the Checkout Page

Oracle iStore 11*i* allows addition of flexfields to the checkout page and saves the information they contain to the quote. It passes the content of a flexfield on to Oracle Order Management as a comment in a non-validated field. For example, you can set up a flexfield for the sales representative that will go to Order Management as a comment that Order Administration will use to assign the correct sales representative ID.

Specify flexfields at the checkout page using the following procedure.

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms.
- 2. Choose the Application Developer responsibility.
- **3.** Choose **Flexfield** > **Description** > **Segments** to open the Descriptive Flexfields window.
- 4. Choose View > Find, and query for the flexfield with Application = Oracle Order Capture and Title = Header: Additional Information.

Set up flexfield segments. For example, map "Sales Rep Email" to "ATTRIBUTE1."

5. Query for the flexfield with Application = Oracle Order Management and Title = Additional Header Information.

Set up flexfield segments. For example, map "Sales Rep Email" to "ATTRIBUTE1."

Confirm the following:

 The same database columns are in use for both the Order Capture and Order Management flexfield segments (ATTRIBUTE1 in the previous example).

- The usage in Order Capture does not conflict with other flexfield definitions in Order Management.
- Only global segments of a flexfield are supported.
- 6. Test your checkout page using the following steps:
 - **a.** Checkout a shopping cart and proceed to the "Payment And Billing Information" page.
 - **b.** You should see "Sales Rep Email" field under "Additional Information." You may enter information in this field, then continue.
 - **c.** After your order is created, go to Forms and check if the Sales Rep Email flexfield information is present in both Order Capture and Order Management Forms.
- 7. Customize the prompts for the flexfields.

The default prompt title is, "Additional Information." To change it, log in to Forms and use fnd_message: IBE_PRMT_ORD_FLEX_TITLE.

The default additional instruction is, "Please fill in the following fields." To change it, log in to Forms and use fnd_message: IBE_PRMT_ORD_FLEX_DESCR.

5.11.4 Setting Up Credit Card Payments in Oracle iStore 11*i*

Use the following procedure to set up credit card payment functionality in Oracle iStore 11*i*.

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN.
- 2. Under System Administrator Responsibility, choose (Navigation) Profile/System.
- **3.** Query Application = iStore, User = ibe_customer, and set the following profile values at the iStore application level:
 - a. iStore Setup Profiles

Set the IBE: Authorize Payment Offline During Normal Checkout profile option to **No** to allow only online authorization.

Set the IBE: Finalize Order On Error in Authorize Payment profile option to **Yes** to submit orders even if the authorize payment error is a system error.

b. Order Capture Setup Profiles

Set the ASO: Credit Card Authorization profile option to **No** at the iStore application level only. (Do not set this profile at responsibility and user level).

4. Set up Oracle Receivables as follows:

Make sure Merchant ID is assigned to receipt method.

- a. Log in to Receivables Manager Responsibility > Setup > Receipt > Receipt classes.
- **b.** Query the receipt method with Name = Credit Card.

Make sure the Merchant ID field has the same value as the Payee ID of Oracle iPayment. (The Merchant ID is the ID that identifies your business through the Oracle iPayment server by Payment System, Credit Card Vendors and Banks. The Merchant ID that you provide in your receipt class is the same as the Payee ID that you have defined in the Oracle iPayment Administration).

- 5. Set up Oracle iPayment as follows:
 - **a.** Perform the manual post-installation configurations steps described in Chapter 2 of *Oracle iPayment Implementation Guide*. You should also be familiar with typical Oracle iPayment Administration operations, which are documented in *Oracle iPayment Concepts and Procedures*.
 - **b.** To integrate Oracle iPayment with Oracle iStore 11*i*, perform the following steps when you create a payee:
 - Go to the Oracle iPayment UI Administration screen.
 - Click the Payee Tab.
 - Click the **Create** button.
 - Fill in the form.

Payee Identifier should have the same value as the Merchant ID in Accounts Receivable, or else integration will fail.

- Click the **Credit Card** check box.
- Click the **Create** button at the end of the page to save the record.

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses customers' account ID numbers to store and track their credit card numbers in the AP_bank_Account_uses_All table, as per the TCA model and inline with the Oracle Receivables Forms UI.

5.12 Previewing Products and Sections

You can use the Preview feature of Oracle iStore 11*i* to preview the appearance of products and sections in the Customer UI before publishing them for your customers. Assign multimedia components, display styles, and categories to your products and sections, and set their statuses to Unpublished. Unpublished products and sections appear in the Customer UI only if the user has the IBE_ ADMINISTRATOR responsibility. Next, launch the Customer UI, log in to the appropriate specialty store using a store manager user account, and navigate to the items or sections. After viewing the items or sections, return to the Merchant UI. Here, you can make additional changes or publish the items or sections.

See Section 4.6, "Testing the Store" for more information about the Customer UI and testing your stores.

Oracle iStore 11 i Administration

This chapter describes the administration of Oracle iStore 11*i*. Topics include:

- Overview of Store Administration
- Roles and Permissions for Oracle iStore 11i Users
- Setting Up Oracle iStore 11i Customer Types
- Setting Up B2B Users
- Managing the Cache

Note: When using the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI, ensure that cookies are enabled.

6.1 Overview of Store Administration

The administration of your store involves the following tasks:

- Managing roles and permissions
- Setting up customer types
- Setting up B2B users
- Managing the cache

6.2 Roles and Permissions for Oracle iStore 11*i* Users

Oracle iStore 11*i* is seeded with various roles that you can assign to different types of users. Each of these roles has a different combination of permissions.

You cannot use roles and permissions for B2C customers.

You can view these permissions and roles using the following procedure.

Steps

1. Log in to the Oracle CRM Applications login page at the following URL as SYSADMIN:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

- 2. Enter the Security tab.
- 3. Choose the Permissions sub-tab.

The Permissions screen appears with a list of all Oracle CRM permissions. The Oracle iStore 11*i* permissions begin with "IBE."

4. Choose the Roles sub-tab.

The Roles screen appears with a list of all Oracle CRM roles. The Oracle iStore 11*i* roles begin with "IBE."

The following table summarizes the Oracle iStore 11*i* permissions.

Name	Description
IBE_ALLOW_PRICE_OVERRIDE	Allows the user to override prices manually
IBE_ASSIGN_SALES_CREDITS	Allows a user to assign sales credits

Table 6–1 Oracle iStore 11i Permissions

Name	Description
IBE_BILLTO_ANY_ACCOUNT	Allows a user to search on and retrieve all existing customers rather than only those with an existing billing relationship with the sold-to customer
IBE_CHANGE_BILLTO_CONTACT	Allows a user to change the bill-to contact from the default (if any) bill-to contact
IBE_CHANGE_BILLTO_CUSTOMER	Allows a user to change the bill-to customer from the default bill-to customer
IBE_CHANGE_SHIPTO_CONTACT	Allows a user to change the ship-to contact from the default (if any) ship-to contact
IBE_CHANGE_SHIPTO_CUSTOMER	Allows a user to change the ship-to customer from the default ship-to customer
IBE_CREATE_ADDRESS	Not used in Release 11 <i>i</i>
IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CONTACT	Allows the user to create a new contact for the bill-to customer who will have a bill-to relationship with the bill-to customer
IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS	Allows the user to create a new address associated with the bill-to contact which will have a bill-to relationship with the bill-to contact
IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CUSTOMER	Allows a user to create a new customer with a billing relationship to the sold-to customer
IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CUSTOMER_ ADDRESS	Allows the user to create a new address associated with the bill-to customer which will have a bill-to relationship with the bill-to customer
IBE_CREATE_ORDER	Allows a user to submit a quote or cart as an order
IBE_CREATE_PAYMENT_INSTRUMENT	Not used in Release 11 <i>i</i>
IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CONTACT	Allows the user to create a new contact for the ship-to customer who will have a ship-to relationship with the ship-to customer
IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS	Allows the user to create a new address associated with the ship-to contact which will have a ship-to relationship with the ship-to contact

 Table 6–1
 Oracle iStore 11i Permissions (Cont.)

Name	Description
IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CUSTOMER	Allows a user to create a new customer with a shipping relationship to the sold-to customer
IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CUSTOMER_ ADDRESS	Allows the user to create a new address associated with the ship-to customer which will have a ship-to relationship with the ship-to customer
IBE_CREATE_SOLDTO_CUSTOMER	Allows a user to create a new customer in the context of assigning a sold-to customer during quote creation
IBE_MODIFY_CART	Not used in Release 11 <i>i</i>
IBE_MODIFY_ORDER	Not used in Release 11 <i>i</i>
IBE_SHIPTO_ANY_ACCOUNT	Allows a user to search on and retrieve all existing customers rather than only those with an existing shipping relationship with the sold-to customer
IBE_USER_ADMIN	Allows a user to create additional users for his or her organization
IBE_USE_ATTACHMENT	Allows the user to use attachments
IBE_USE_PRICING_AGREEMENT	Allows the user to use pricing agreements
IBE_VIEW_ADDRESS	Not used in Release 11 <i>i</i>
IBE_VIEW_CUST_WITHOUT_ ACCOUNT	Allows a user to search on and retrieve existing customers without an account
IBE_VIEW_INVOICE	Allows a user to view invoices, related to the entire organization, through Order Tracker
IBE_VIEW_ORDER	Allows a user to view orders, placed on behalf of the entire organization, through Order Tracker
IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT	Allows a user to view payments, related to the entire organization, through Order Tracker
IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT_INSTRUMENT	Not used in Release 11 <i>i</i>

Table 6–1 Oracle iStore 11i Permissions (Cont.)

The following table lists the seeded Oracle iStore 11*i* user roles and shows the permissions that are assigned by default to each role.

Name	Description	Default Permissions
IBE_BUSINESS_USER_ROLE	Business User Role	IBE_CREATE_ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_ORDER
		IBE_CREATE_PAYMENT_ INSTRUMENT
		IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS
		IBE_MODIFY_CART
		IBE_MODIFY_ORDER
		IBE_VIEW_ADDRESS
		IBE_VIEW_INVOICE
		IBE_VIEW_ORDER
		IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT
		IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT_INSTRUMENT
IBE_PRIMARY_USER_ROLE	Primary User Role	IBE_CREATE_ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_ORDER
		IBE_CREATE_PAYMENT_ INSTRUMENT
		IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS
		IBE_MODIFY_CART
		IBE_MODIFY_ORDER
		IBE_USER_ADMIN
		IBE_VIEW_ADDRESS
		IBE_VIEW_INVOICE
		IBE_VIEW_ORDER
		IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT
		IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT_INSTRUMENT

Table 6–2 Oracle iStore 11i User Roles

Name	Description	Default Permissions
IBE_RESELLER_ROLE	Reseller Role	IBE_CHANGE_SHIPTO_CONTACT
		IBE_CHANGE_SHIPTO_CUSTOMER
		IBE_CREATE_ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_ORDER
		IBE_CREATE_PAYMENT_ INSTRUMENT
		IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CONTACT
		IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CONTACT_ ADDRESS
		IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CUSTOMER
		IBE_CREATE_SHIPTO_CUSTOMER_ ADDRESS
		IBE_MODIFY_CART
		IBE_MODIFY_ORDER
		IBE_SHIPTO_ANY_ACCOUNT
		IBE_USE_ATTACHMENT
		IBE_USE_PRICING_AGREEMENT
		IBE_VIEW_ADDRESS
		IBE_VIEW_INVOICE
		IBE_VIEW_ORDER
		IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT
		IBE_VIEW_PAYMENT_INSTRUMENT

Table 6–2 Oracle iStore 11i User Roles (Cont.)

IBE_BUSINESS_USER_ROLE and IBE_PRIMARY_USER_ROLE are appropriate for assignment to B2B customer users.

Note: The B2B role for previous releases, IBE_DEFAULT_ROLE, is also seeded in Oracle iStore 11*i* with identical permissions to IBE_BUSINESS_USER_ROLE, for backward compatibility.

IBE_RESELLER_ROLE has quote creation permissions, but does not allow the quote creator to view all customer accounts in your records, bill to anyone other than the sold-to customer, or sell to customers who are not in your records. It is appropriate for assignment to resellers and others who sell your products but are not internal to your organization.

See Oracle HTML Quoting Implementation Guide for more information about the Oracle HTML Quoting role IBE_SALESREP_ROLE, which also uses Oracle iStore 11*i* permissions.

6.3 Setting Up Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer Types

There are three basic Oracle iStore 11*i* customer types:

- Guest users
- Registered B2C users
- Registered B2B users

Guest users (also called walk-in or unregistered users) can browse Web store catalogs and create shopping carts. However, they cannot set up a user profile, save a shopping cart, create a shopping list, submit an order, or access other Web store functionality until they register. See Chapter 7 for details about how Oracle iStore 11*i* treats a guest user, and instructions for defining the guest user account.

Registered B2C users are individual customers. When they register in a Web store, they are immediately approved and can place orders in the Web store on their own behalf.

Registered B2B users represent customer organizations. When they register in a Web store, they must be approved by you or another merchant representative before they can act as registered users in the Web store. You can give them different levels of permission, including a permission to create B2B users for their organizations who do not need merchant approval. See Section 6.4, "Setting Up B2B Users" for more information.

6.3.1 Setting Default Customer Roles

You can specify the role assigned by default to new B2B customers.

You cannot assign default roles to new B2C customers.

B2B customers who are created in a Web store by B2B administrative users for their organizations are automatically assigned the B2B default customer role set here.

Steps

1. Log in as SYSADMIN to the Oracle CRM Applications login page at:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

2. In the Registration tab, click the Default Roles link.

The Groups screen appears.

- **3.** To specify the default role assigned to new B2B customers, follow these steps:
 - **a.** Select **Business User** from the User Type pull-down menu.
 - **b.** In the Available Roles list, highlight the role that you want to assign by default to new B2B customers and click the ">" button.

In the Assigned Roles list, remove the role that you do not want to assign by default to new B2B customers by highlighting the role and clicking the "<" button.

Click Update to save your changes.

6.3.2 Setting Default Customer Responsibilities

You must specify the responsibility assigned by default to a new customer upon registration in a Web store. You can assign a default responsibility for both new B2B and B2C customers.

Steps

1. Log in as SYSADMIN to the Oracle CRM Applications login page at:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

2. In the Registration tab, click the Default Responsibility link.

The Register Default Responsibility screen appears.

3. Select **Business User** or **End User** from the Account Type pull-down menu to specify whether you are setting a default responsibility for B2B or B2C customers, respectively.

The Register Default Responsibility screen refreshes with values for the specific Account Type in the pull-down menus.

4. Choose the customer's default responsibility in the Default Responsibility Id pull-down menu. This can be **IBE_CUSTOMER** or another customer responsibility that you create.

See Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i for information on creating additional responsibilities.

5. Click **Submit** to save the settings.

6.4 Setting Up B2B Users

B2B users are representatives of a customer organization. All purchases by B2B users will be assigned to their organizations' accounts.

When customers register as B2B users through the Web stores, you can assign them specific B2B roles that determine the permissions they have in the Web stores. You can use the seeded Oracle iStore 11*i* roles or create new B2B roles with various combinations of the Oracle iStore 11*i* B2B permissions.

Seeded B2B Role Values

- IBE_BUSINESS_USER_ROLE
- IBE_PRIMARY_USER_ROLE

The IBE_PRIMARY_USER_ROLE has permissions identical to those of IBE_ BUSINESS_USER_ROLE, with the addition of the IBE_USER_ADMIN permission. See Section 6.2, "Roles and Permissions for Oracle iStore 11i Users" for a list of these permissions.

If you give a B2B user a role with the IBE_USER_ADMIN permission, the B2B user can create more users for his or her organization in the Web store without the Oracle iStore 11*i* system administrator's approval. A B2B user with the IBE_USER_ADMIN permission can also assign B2B roles to the users he or she creates, and define new B2B user roles with unique sets of permissions.

When a B2B user logs in, links to the User Management and Role Management pages in the My Account screen are available.

ORACLE iStore		Shopping Carl My Account Order Tracker Help
User Information 🗍 E	Express Checkout Preferences 🥤 User Management 🥤 Role Management	
	Quick Search All Products	Go Advanced Search
User Information Personal Information	Personal Information	
<u>Change Password</u> <u>Address Book</u> Payment Book	* First Name B2B Middle Name	
Preferences	*Last Name User *Email b2buser@samplecorp.c	
	In addition to Order Status Alerts, I would like promotions and events.	to receive important information on exclusive Store specials,
	Daytime Phone Number () Ext.	
	Evening Phone Number () Ext	
	Fax Number () Ext.	
	opano	

Figure 6–1 The B2B User's My Account Page

The User Management page allows B2B administrative users to create B2B users for their organizations who do not need approval from the Oracle iStore 11*i* system administrator, and to specify roles for these users.

Note: A B2B administrative user can view all B2B users for his or her organization, even if he or she did not create them. However, the B2B administrative user sees role assignments only for the roles that he or she has. If a B2B administrative user views B2B users in the User Management screen who have roles that he or she does not have, these role assignments will not appear in the B2B users' role details. Instead, IBE_DEFAULT_ROLE is checked as the role assignment.

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User Inform	nation	Checkout Prefe ck Search All F	rences User Ma	anagement 🗍 Role M	Management	Go Advanc	ed Search		
Users —							-		
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Email	Username	Password			
I	<u>328</u>		User	b2buser@samplecorp	o.com A_B2B_USER				
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			L		First Previous 1 - 1	of 1 <u>Next Last</u>			
	Jpdate								

Figure 6–2 The B2B Administrative User's User Management Page

The Role Management page allows B2B administrative users to view available roles, define new roles, and set permissions for existing roles.

Note: In the Role Management page, the B2B administrative users can see the Oracle iStore 11*i* seeded B2B roles that are assigned to them. Although there are Remove checkboxes for these seeded roles, the B2B administrative users should not delete these roles. Deleting the roles in the Role Management page will also delete them from all other Oracle iStore 11*i* B2B users' accounts.

ORACLE iStore User Information	Express Checkout Preferences	User Management	Role M	anagement	Shopping Catt Wy Account Order Tracker Help
	Quick Search All Products		•		Go Advanced Search
Roles					
Remove	Name				Description
IBE DEF	AULT ROLE			Default Role	
	V USER ROLE			New User Role	
	MARY USER ROLE			Primary User Role	
Update Resto	re				First Previous 1 - 3 of 3 Next Last

Figure 6–3 The B2B Administrative User's Role Management Page

Although the User Management and Role Management links appear in the My Account screen for B2B non-administrative users, they receive a message saying they are not authorized to access these pages if they click on the links.

6.4.1 Creating B2B User Roles

Use the following procedure to create new B2B roles with any set of permissions that you wish to specify.

Steps

1. Log in to the JTF login page at the following URL as SYSADMIN:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

- **2.** Enter the Security tab.
- **3.** Click on the Roles link.

The Roles screen appears with a list of existing JTF roles, and rows of text fields where you can enter B2B user role names and descriptions.

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Roles			
Remove	Name	Description	Data
	CSS DEF DEFECT CUSTOMER READ ONLY	DMS Defect Customer read only	
	CSS DEF DEFECT INTERNAL READ ONLY	DMS Defect Internal read only	
	CSS DEF DEFECT KB SUBMIT	DMS Defect KB Submit	
	CSS DEF DEFECT MASS UPDATE ADMIN	DMS Defect Mass Update Admin	
	CSS DEF DEFECT MASS UPDATE REG	DMS Defect Mass Update Regular	
	CSS DEF DEFECT RESOLUTION	DMS Defect Resolution Update	
	CSS DEF DEFECT USER	DMS Typical Defect User	
	CSS DEF ENH CUSTOMER READ ONLY	DMS Enhancement Customer read only	
	· 		
Update	Restore	<u>Sector Structure Struc</u>	<u>Last></u>

Figure 6–4 The Merchant's Roles Screen

4. In the first text field in the Name column, enter a name for the B2B user role you are creating.

In the adjacent text field in the Description column, enter a description of the user role.

Do not select the checkbox in the Data column.

In the remaining text fields, enter names and descriptions for any other B2B user roles that you want to create.

Click Update.

The Roles screen appears again, with the role(s) that you have created.

- 5. Click the name of a role to specify its permissions.
- **6.** The Role Mapping screen appears.

ORACLE Oracle Applications	Users Registration Security Payment Processing Advanced
Permissions Roles Data	
Quick Find jtffmse	ver 🔽 Go
Role Mapping	
Role Name: A_SAMPLE_R	OLE
Available Permission IBE_BILLTO_ANY_ACCOU IBE_CHANGE_BILLTO_CC IBE_CHANGE_BILLTO_CC IBE_CHANGE_SHIPTO_CC IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CO IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CO IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CCU IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CCU IBE_CREATE_BILLTO_CCU	Assigned Permissions VT A VTA STO STO STO STO STO STO STO STO
	Update Restore

Figure 6–5 The Role Mapping Screen

7. To add permissions to the role, highlight the desired permissions in the Available Permissions list and click the ">" button to add them to the Assigned Permissions list.

To add all permissions to the role, click the ">>" button to add them to the Assigned Permissions list.

To remove permissions from the role, highlight the unwanted permissions in the Assigned Permissions list and click the "<" button to add them to the Available Permissions list.

To remove all permissions from the role, click the "<<" button to add them to the Available Permissions list.

Click **Update** to save the permission assignments.
You can now assign this role to any B2B users who register in your Web stores. If necessary, you can also assign this role or other customer roles to B2C users who register in your Web stores.

6.4.2 Approving B2B Users

When customers register with your Web stores as B2B users, you need to approve them before they can access B2B features and make purchases.

When you approve a B2B user for an organization that does not yet have an account, Oracle iStore 11*i* creates an account for the organization in the background.

If a customer directly requests a Web store user name for an organization account that already exists, instead of going through the organization's B2B administrative user(s), the Oracle iStore 11*i* system administrator needs to approve the user.

Use the following procedure to approve B2B users. You should check for new B2B user requests regularly.

Steps

1. Log in to the JTF login page at the following URL as SYSADMIN:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

2. Enter the Registration tab.

The Pending Requests list shows the B2B users created in your Web stores, with the most recently created users at the end.

3. In the Pending Requests list, click the Username of the Business User that you want to approve.

The Request Details screen appears.

Approval Default Roles Default Responsit	Users Registration Security Payment Processing Advanced
Quic	ck Find jtffmserver
Request Deta	ails
User Details	
First Name	B2B Area Code
Last Name	
Username Registration Date	A_BZB_USEK E-mail pzpuser@samplecorp.c
Keyistatun bate	Update Restore Assign Accounts
Company Details	
Name:	Sample Corporation Address: 12345 Main St.
City:	Anytown Country: US
State: Registration Date:	CA Phone: March 20, 2001 Fax:
Primary Contacts	
	Name Username Phone E-mail
	B2B User A_B2B_USER - b2buser@samplecorp.com
Accept User	Reject User Return to Summary

Figure 6–6 The Request Details Screen

4. Optional: In the Request Details screen, modify the information in the text fields as necessary.

Click **Update** to save these changes or **Restore** to revert to the last saved version of the data.

5. In the Request Details screen, click **Assign Accounts** to associate an account with the B2B customer.

The Associated Accounts screen appears with a list of the accounts available for this organization.

Select the checkbox in the Attach column next to any accounts that you want to associate with the B2B customer, and click **Update**.

The Request Details screen appears.

- **6.** In the Request Details screen, do one of the following:
 - Click Accept User to approve the B2B customer application.
 - Click **Reject User** to reject the B2B customer application.
 - Click Return to Summary to view the Pending Requests list again.

Continue with this procedure only if you click **Accept User**.

7. Optional: Enter comments in the text field screen that appears when you click **Accept User** in the Request Details screen.

Click Submit.

The B2B customer is approved.

You should now set up the B2B customer's data using the procedure outlined in Section 6.4.3, "Modifying B2B User Data".

6.4.3 Modifying B2B User Data

Use this procedure to modify data for a B2B customer. If necessary, you can also use it to modify data for a B2C customer.

Steps

1. Log in to the JTF login page at the following URL as SYSADMIN:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

- **2.** In the Users tab, search for the customer that you want to modify as follows:
 - **a.** From the pull-down menu next to Find Users, select **User Name, Last Name**, or **First Name** as your search criterion.
 - **b.** Enter your search criterion in the adjacent text field. Use % as a wild-card character if necessary.

c. Click Go.

The Users screen reappears with the search results.

- **3.** Optional: In the Users screen, you can perform the following tasks in addition to the user data modifications outlined in the rest of this procedure:
 - To sort by Last Name, First Name, or User Name, click the corresponding heading link at the top of the list of users.
 - To delete a user, select the checkbox in the Select column and click **Delete Users**.
- **4.** In the Users screen, click the User Name for a customer to modify his or her user data.

The User Details screen appears.

Figure 6–7	The User	Details	Screen

ORACLE Oracle Applications Assign Roles Quick Fin	Better Diagnostics Tuning Profile Sign Users Registration Security Payment Processing Advanced d jtffmserver
User Details	
Party ID: 6464	User ID: A_B2B_USER
*Last Name User	*Email Address b2buser@samplecorp.com
*First Name B2B	
Business Details	
Company Name: SAMPLE CORPORA	ATION *Address 12345 main st.
*City ANYTOWN	Address Line 2
*State CA	Address Line 3
*Postal Code 99999	Country: AMERICA
*Phone	*Fax
*Indicates required field.	
Update Restore Roles	
Reset Password	
New Password	Repet Password
Password should be at	least 6 characters long.

- **5.** In the User Details screen, follow these steps to modify the customer name or address:
 - **a.** Enter the necessary changes in the Last Name, First Name, and Email Address text fields.
 - **b.** Click **Update** to save the changes.

If you make changes that you do not want to save, click **Restore** instead to revert to the last saved version of the user data.

When you click **Update**, the Acknowledgment screen appears with the newly saved data.

- **c.** In the Acknowledgment screen, either click **Edit** to continue editing user data in the User Details screen, or click **User Roles** to modify user role assignments for the customer in the User Role Mapping screen.
- **6.** In the User Details screen, follow these steps to modify user role assignments for the customer:
 - a. Click Roles.

The User Role Mapping screen appears. (This screen also appears if you click **User Roles** in the Acknowledgment screen.)

b. To assign roles to the user, highlight the desired roles in the Available Roles list and click the ">" button to add them to the Assigned Roles list.

To assign all roles to the user, click the ">>" button to add them to the Assigned Roles list.

To remove roles from the user, highlight the unwanted roles in the Assigned Roles list and click the "<" button to add them to the Available Roles list.

To remove all roles from the user, click the "<<" button to add them to the Available Roles list.

Note: If you assign a role with the IBE_USER_ADMIN permission to this user, then the set of roles that you assign to the user in the User Role Mapping screen is the same set of roles that he or she can assign to other B2B users for the customer organization.

c. Click Update to save the role assignments for the user.

ORACLE Oracle Applications Assign Roles	Users Registration Security Payment Processing Advanced
Quick Find jtffmserver	Go
User Role Mapping	
Available Roles CSS_DEF_DEFECT_CUSTOME(CSS_DEF_DEFECT_INTERNAL CSS_DEF_DEFECT_MASS_UPL CSS_DEF_DEFECT_MASS_UPL CSS_DEF_DEFECT_MASS_UPL CSS_DEF_DEFECT_MASS_UPL CSS_DEF_DEFECT_USER CSS_DEF_ENH_CUSTOMER_RI CSS_DEF_ENH_USTOMER_RI CSS_DEF_ENH_INTERNAL_RE/ CSS_DEF_ENH_MASS_UPDATI_	Assigned Roles IBE_BUSINESS_USER_ROLE IBE_DEFAULT_ROLE IBE_NEW_USER_ROLE IBE_PRIMARY_USER_ROLE

Figure 6–8 The User Role Mapping Screen

- 7. In the User Details screen, follow these steps to reset the customer's password:
 - a. Enter a new password in the New Password field.
 - **b.** Click **Reset Password**.

The Acknowledgment screen appears with a confirmation of the password change.

c. In the Acknowledgment screen, either click **Edit** to continue editing user data in the User Details screen, or click **User Roles** to modify user role assignments for the customer in the User Role Mapping screen.

6.5 Managing the Cache

Oracle iStore 11*i* caches your Web storefront product items and sections to improve performance of your Web site. However, if you make changes to a cached product item or section, the changes are not visible in the Customer UI unless the product item or section is purged from the cache.

Restarting the Apache server purges the entire cache, but you may not always want to do this, since it removes product items or sections you do not want to remove from the cache, and since the Web stores are unavailable while the server is restarting.

Oracle iStore 11*i* offers a cache management feature in the Merchant UI that enables you to purge only the product items or sections that you want to remove from the cache, while keeping the server—and thus the Web stores—up and running. You can purge the cache of the following sets of product items and sections:

- Specific product item(s)
- Specific section(s)
- All product items
- All sections
- The entire cache

Oracle iStore 11*i* uses multicast messages when it purges the cache to ensure that the cache on each Java Virtual Machine (JVM) is purged. The Oracle iStore 11*i* initialization code starts a thread within each JVM that listens for messages on a specific address and port. When you choose to purge the cache from the Merchant UI, Oracle iStore 11*i* sends a multicast message to that address and port. When a thread receives the message, it interprets the message and purges the appropriate cache. Since there is a thread on each JVM listening for messages, the cache will be purged in each JVM. The port number is set in the profile IBE: Port Number to use for multicast messages. See Chapter 7 for more information about this profile.

6.5.1 Purging the Entire Cache

Use this procedure to purge either the entire section cache or the entire product cache, or both.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- **2.** Enter the Cache tab.

If necessary, click on the Purge Entire Cache link.

The Purge Entire Cache screen appears.

- **3.** Highlight the radio button next to the cache purging option you want to exercise:
 - Purge the entire Section Cache and entire Item Cache
 - Purge the entire Section Cache only
 - Purge the entire Item Cache only
- 4. Click Update.

The cache is purged.

6.5.2 Purging the Section Cache

Use this procedure to purge individual sections from your section cache.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- **2.** Enter the Cache tab.

If necessary, click on the Purge Section Cache link.

The Purge Section Cache screen appears.

- **3.** Search for the section(s) you want to purge:
 - **a.** From the View pull-down menu, specify whether you will search by **Name**, **Section Code**, **Section Type**, or **Status**.
 - **b.** In the adjacent text field, enter your search criterion. Use % as a wild-card character if necessary.
 - c. Click Go.

The search results appear in the Purge Section Cache screen.

- **4.** Select the checkbox in the Select column next to the section(s) you want to purge.
- 5. Click Update.

The cache is purged.

6.5.3 Purging the Product Cache

Use this procedure to purge individual product items from your product cache.

Steps

- **1.** Launch the Merchant UI.
- **2.** Enter the Cache tab.

If necessary, click on the Purge Product Cache link.

The Purge Product Cache screen appears.

- **3.** Search for the section(s) you want to purge:
 - a. From the View pull-down menu, specify whether you will search by Name, Part Number, Category, or Status.
 - **b.** In the adjacent text field, enter your search criterion. Use % as a wild-card character if necessary.
 - c. Click Go.

The search results appear in the Purge Product Cache screen.

- **4.** Select the checkbox in the Select column next to the product(s) you want to purge.
- 5. Click Update.

The cache is purged.

7

Profile Options, Accounts, and Forms Settings

This chapter describes profile option settings, account setups, and Oracle Forms settings that are required for successful implementation. Topics include:

- Before You Begin
- Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts
- Setting Up the Guest User Account
- Setting Up JTF Properties
- Setting Foundation (JTF) Profile Options
- Setting Oracle iStore (IBE) Profile Options
- Setting Profile Options for Language and Currency
- Setting Order Capture (ASO) Profile Options
- Setting Order Management (OM) Profile Options
- Setting Multi Organization (MO) Profile Options
- Setting Oracle Contracts Core (OKC) Profile Options
- Setting Up an Oracle iMarketing User
- Setting Up Concurrent Program Manager
- Setting Up Order Management in Forms
- Setting Up Site-Level Profile Options
- Setting Up Order Capture in Forms
- Understanding Cookies

7.1 Before You Begin

Before making Oracle Forms settings, ensure that all Oracle Applications server processes are up and running. In particular, if you stopped concurrent managers before applying Oracle Applications patchsets, restart them now by changing to \$COMMON_TOP/admin/scripts, and executing adcmctl.sh <APPS username/APPS password> start.

7.2 Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts

An Oracle iStore 11*i* store manager performs tasks in the Merchant UI. To do this, the store manager must have a user name with the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility.

When the store manager logs in to the Oracle CRM Applications login page at:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

with this user name, the Oracle iStore 11i Merchant UI opens.

Use the following procedure to set up a user account for an Oracle iStore 11*i* store manager.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in with the System Administrator responsibility.
- 3. Choose Security > User > Define.

The Users window opens.

- **4.** In the User Name field, enter the user name that the store manager will use to log in to the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI.
- 5. In the Password field, enter the store manager's password.
- **6.** In the Responsibilities block, use the LOV button in a Responsibility field to assign the IBE_ADMINISTRATOR responsibility to the user name.
- 7. Click the Save icon in the toolbar to save this user record.

- **8.** From the Navigator System Administrator window, choose **Profile > System**. The Find System Profile Values window opens.
- **9.** Check the checkbox next to the User field, and use the User LOV to search for and enter the store manager's user name.
- **10.** In the Profile field, enter JTF_PROFILE%.
- 11. Click Find.

The System Profile Values form opens with the results of your search.

12. Verify and/or set the JTF profile options listed in the following table at the user level for this store manager:

Table 7–1 User-Level JTF Profile Options for Store Managers

Profile Option Name	Value	Description
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_APPLICATION	671	Default application ID (671=iStore).
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_RESPONSIBILITY	21819	Default responsibility ID (21819=IBE_ADMINISTRATOR).

See Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i for more information on creating additional users and assigning responsibilities.

7.3 Setting Up the Guest User Account

If you want guest users to be able to browse your Web stores, you must define a guest user name, assign a responsibility to it, and set up JTF profile options and properties. Anonymous users who visit your Web stores are then automatically logged in with the guest user name.

If a guest user makes any changes, such as modifying the preferred language or currency, or adding items to the shopping cart, the changes are saved in the cookie so that two anonymous users cannot see each other's changes.

You must set up the guest user account before customers can view your Web stores' home page. If you do not set up the guest user account, customers will be unable to view or register in your Web stores, and the Oracle iStore 11*i* system administrator will have to create a user name for each customer before the customer can access the stores.

Use the following procedure to create the Oracle iStore 11*i* guest user account.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in with the System Administrator responsibility.
- 3. Choose Security > User > Define.

The Users window opens.

- **4.** In the User Name field, enter a user name, such as IBEGUEST, by which a guest user will be automatically logged in to Oracle iStore 11*i*.
- 5. In the Password field, enter a password for this user name.
- **6.** In the Responsibilities block, use the LOV button in a Responsibility field to assign an Oracle iStore 11*i* customer responsibility, such as **IBE_CUSTOMER**, to the user name.
- 7. Click the Save icon in the toolbar to save this user record.
- From the Navigator System Administrator window, choose Profile > System. The Find System Profile Values window opens.
- 9. Check **Application**, and choose **iStore** from the Application LOV.
- 10. Check User, and choose the guest user name from the User LOV.
- **11.** In the Profile field, enter JTF_PROFILE%.
- 12. Click Find.

The System Profile Values form opens with the results of your search.

13. Set the JTF profile options listed in the following table at the user level for the guest user name:

Table 7–2 User-Level JTF Profile Options for the Guest User

Profile Option Name	Value	Description
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_APPLICATION	APPLICATION_ID value of the guest user's responsibility	Default application ID

Profile Option Name	Value	Description
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_CURRENCY	Currency code for the guest user's default currency, e.g., USD for U.S. dollars	Default currency
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_ RESPONSIBILITY	RESPONSIBILITY_ID value of the guest user's responsibility	Default responsibility ID

 Table 7–2
 User-Level JTF Profile Options for the Guest User (Cont.)

14. Next, set up JTF properties to make this user name the Oracle CRM guest user. See Section 7.4, "Setting Up JTF Properties" for more information.

Guidelines

For the seeded IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility, the APPLICATION_ID value is 671 (for iStore), and the RESPONSIBILITY_ID value is 22372.

Use the following procedure to find out the APPLICATION_ID value and RESPONSIBILITY_ID value of the guest user's responsibility if it is not IBE_ CUSTOMER.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in with the System Administrator responsibility.
- 3. Choose Security > Responsibility > Define.

The Responsibilities form opens.

4. Choose **View > Find.** Search for the responsibility that you assigned to the guest user, highlight it, and click **OK** in the search window.

The Responsibilities form is populated with the record for the responsibility that you chose.

With your cursor in any field of the record, choose Help > Diagnostics > Examine.

The Examine Field and Variable Values window opens.

6. In the Examine Field and Variable Values window, choose **APPLICATION_ID** in the Field LOV.

The Value field in the Examine Field and Variable Values window is populated with the value of APPLICATION_ID.

 In the Examine Field and Variable Values window, choose RESPONSIBILITY_ ID in the Field LOV.

The Value field in the Examine Field and Variable Values window is populated with the value of RESPONSIBILITY_ID.

Verifying the Guest User

After setting up the guest user account, responsibilities, JTF profile options, and the JTF properties, you should verify that the guest user works properly.

Use the following procedure to verify that you have set up the guest user correctly.

Steps

- 1. Log out of any Oracle applications with which you have been working.
- 2. Restart the Apache server.
- **3.** Navigate to the URL:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/ibeCZzdMinisites.jsp

The page that opens should have a list of the specialty stores that are accessible to guest users.

See Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i for more information on creating additional users and assigning responsibilities.

7.4 Setting Up JTF Properties

Use the following procedure to set up JTF properties.

Steps

1. Log in as SYSADMIN to the Oracle CRM Applications login page at:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

- **2.** Choose **Advanced** > **Properties**, and select **JTF** from the View pull-down menu to view JTF properties.
- **3.** Click **Next** to go to the next page. Set **guest_password** and **guest_username** to the password and user name, respectively, that you specified when creating the guest user according to the instructions in Section 7.3, "Setting Up the Guest User Account".
- 4. Optional: To change the password, click on guest_password.

Note: If you change the password here, the change is not reflected in Oracle Forms. To maintain consistency you must also change the password in Oracle Forms, using the System Administrator responsibility.

5. In the Properties screen, find and click on **framework.Logging.system.level**, set sequence 1 value to **debug**, and click **Update**.

The Properties screen opens.

6. Click Update.

The Properties screen refreshes.

7. In the Properties screen, find and click on **service.Logging.common.level**, change it to **debug**, and click **Update**.

The Properties screen opens.

8. Click Update.

The Properties screen refreshes.

See Oracle CRM Foundation Implementation Guide for more information about JTF properties.

7.5 Setting Foundation (JTF) Profile Options

Set JTF profile options for the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI and Customer UI.

JTF Profile Options for Merchant UI

These profiles must be set before the Merchant UI can be launched. The values of these profiles determine the Oracle CRM Foundation (JTF) default elements and values. These profiles are seeded in the Profiles form in ERP and the values are defined by the user (System Administrator).

Note: Make sure you set the JTF profile options for each store manager user as well. See Section 7.2, "Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts" for more information.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links** > **VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in as SYSADMIN.
- 3. Choose the System Administrator responsibility.
- 4. Go to **Profile > System**.

The Find System Profile Values window opens.

- 5. Check both Site and Application. Enter iStore for the application name.
- 6. In the Profile field, enter JTF_PROFILE%.
- 7. Click Find.

The System Profile Values form opens with the results of your search.

8. Verify and/or set the JTF profile options listed in the following table at both the site level and the application level for iStore:

Profile Option Name	Value	Description
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_APPLICATION	671	Default application ID (671=iStore).
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_BLANK_ROWS	3	Number of blank rows on Merchant UI forms (can be set to any integer > 0).
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_CSS	jtfucss.css	
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_CURRENCY	USD	Default currency
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_NUM_ROWS	10	
JTF_PROFILE_DEFAULT_RESPONSIBILITY (application level only)	21819	Default responsibility ID (21819=IBE_ADMINISTRATOR).

Table 7–3 JTF Profile Options

JTF Profile Options for Customer UI

Set the JTF profile options for the guest user as indicated in Section 7.3, "Setting Up the Guest User Account". These profiles must be set before the Customer UI can be brought up.

7.6 Setting Oracle iStore (IBE) Profile Options

The IBE profile options and values define the way the Customer and Merchant UIs will work. The profiles set is seeded in the product and displayed when the administrator sets the values for these options.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- **2.** Log in as SYSADMIN.
- 3. Choose the System Administrator responsibility.
- 4. Go to **Profile > System**.

- 5. Check Application, and choose iStore.
- 6. In the Profile field, enter IBE%, and click Find.
- **7.** Verify and/or set the iStore (IBE) profile options listed below at the application level only, unless another level is specified.

IBE Profile Options for the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI

The following table lists the IBE profile options that configure the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI.

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Category Set	Yes	This profile is used when searching for products in the Merchant UI based on category. (The value "Inv. Items" is for the Vision database.)
		See Table 7–6 for profile description relevant to Customer UI.
IBE: Item Validation Organization	Yes	This profile specifies the inventory organization when adding products to the catalog. It allows only the items belonging to this inventory organization to be added to the catalog hierarchy.
		For vision demo, master organization is Vision Operations (204).
		Recommended Value: Master Inventory Organization
IBE: Number of Days for New Item Definition	No	An item created within the number of days specified in this profile is considered a new item in the Merchant UI. If this profile is not set, only items created on the current day are considered new items.

Table 7–4 IBE Profile Options for Oracle iStore 11i Merchant UI Setup

See Section 7.5, "Setting Foundation (JTF) Profile Options" for JTF profile options needed to set up the Merchant UI.

IBE Profile Options for the Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer UI

The remaining tables in this section list the IBE profile options that configure the Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer UI. They are categorized according to the aspect of the Customer UI that they impact: Catalog, Template Manager, Shopping Cart, Express Checkout, Postsales, Notifications, Caching, and Functionality.

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
Sections		
IBE: Items Per Section for Display	No	This profile specifies the maximum number of items to display per section. If the profile is not set, all items in a section will be displayed.
IBE: Lines Per Section for Multiple Section Display	No	This profile specifies the number of lines per section when the application displays multiple sections on a catalog page. If no value is specified, the value in the profile IBE: Items Per Page for Display is used.
IBE: Number of Menu Subtabs	No	This profile specifies the number of menu subtabs. It defaults to value 5 if not set.
IBE: Number of Menu Tabs	No	This profile specifies the number of menu tabs. It defaults to value 5 if not set.
IBE: Sections Per Page for display	No	This profile specifies the total number of sections to be displayed per catalog page. If no value is specified, the number of sections per page is not limited.
IBE: Use Catalog exclusions	No	This profile specifies whether to use catalog exclusions in the specialty store. If exclusions are never specified in any specialty store, then set to No to improve performance.
IBE: Use Global Bin	No	This profile enables/disables the global bin. If no value is specified, the global bin is enabled. The global bin allows users to move from one specialty store to another without logging in again.
IBE: Use Section Bin	No	This profile enables/disables the section bin. It defaults to value Yes and displays the section bin if not set.

 Table 7–5
 IBE Profile Options for Catalog

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Use Section Path	No	This profile enables/disables the section path. It defaults to value Yes and displays the section path if not set.
IBE: Use Welcome Bin	No	This profile enables/disables the welcome bin. If no value is specified, the welcome bin is enabled.
Items		
IBE: Items Per Page for Display	No	This profile specifies the number of items to display on a leaf section page. If the number of items in the section exceeds this value, the page displays a Next link. This profile defaults to value 20 if not set.
IBE: Pricing Event — Before Shopping Cart	Yes	This profile specifies the user-defined pricing event (defined in Pricing) for the catalog stage.
		Recommended value: Enter Order Line
IBE: Retrieve All Units of Measure for an Item	No	If this profile is set to Yes , the application retrieves all units of measure with prices for an item and displays them in a UOM pull-down menu in the Web store catalog. If this profile is set to No , the application retrieves only the primary unit of measure and its prices. The application retrieves all units of measure if this profile is not set.
IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items	No	If the profile is set to Yes , the application retrieves prices for an item's primary UOM based on the specialty store's price list when loading the item. Otherwise, prices will be retrieved when the price APIs are called.
		Recommended values: Yes if retrieving prices only for the primary UOM. Otherwise, No.
Coordh		

 Table 7–5
 IBE Profile Options for Catalog (Cont.)

Search

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Enable Fuzzy Search	No	If the profile is set to Yes , the application allows users to perform fuzzy product searches, so that they do not have to type in the exact spelling of their search criteria to retrieve results that match these criteria. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value No.
IBE: Search Lines Per Page	No	This profile specifies the number of search results displayed on a single search result page. It defaults to value 20 if not set.
IBE: Use Category Search	No	If this profile is set to Yes , it activates Category search so that the home page pull-down menu shows categories with publishable items. If this profile is set to No , it activates Section search so that the home page pull-down menu shows top level sections for the minisite where the customer is browsing. Null value removes the home page pull-down menu so that search is only enabled in all products.
		You must set this profile option to Yes if the IBE: Use CABO UI profile option is set to No.

 Table 7–5
 IBE Profile Options for Catalog (Cont.)

Table 7–6	IBE Profile Options f	or Template	Manager

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Category Set	Yes	This profile specifies the category set for determining the display category for an item. If an item belongs to a category in this category set, the Customer UI will use the display style mapping for the category if an association is not found at the item level. (The value "Inv. Items" is for the Vision database.)

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Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Authorize Payment Offline during normal Checkout	No	This profile specifies if payment authorization offline before checkout is allowed. Yes enables offline authorization. No allows only online authorization. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .
IBE: Create Order in Entered State, if it has errors while booking	No	This profile specifies if the order should be created in the Entered state even if there are errors while booking it. If this profile is not set, it defaults to value No .
IBE: Create Standard Contract	No	This profile specifies whether a contract is created when a customer agrees to standard terms and conditions. If the profile is set to Yes , a contract is created in the signed state when the customer places the order. If the profile is set to No , no contract is created. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .
		You need to set this profile option only if the profile option ASO: Enable Use Contracts is set to Yes.
IBE: Default Payment Term	No	This profile specifies the default payment term. If the profile is not set, the option is ignored.
IBE: Merge Shopping Cart Lines	No	This profile specifies whether to merge item lines in the shopping cart if the same item is added to the cart more than once. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value No.
IBE: Preferred Shipping Method (User level)	No	This profile specifies preferred shipping method.
IBE: Pricing Event for Shopping Cart	Yes	The merchant can choose any user-defined pricing event for processing the price for the shopping cart. These user-defined pricing events should first be created in Pricing.
		Recommended value: Enter Order Line

 Table 7–7
 IBE Profile Options for Shopping Cart

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Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Recalculate Price in Order Management	No	If the profile is set to No , the quote-related prices are passed on to Order Management unchanged. If the profile is set to Yes , the quote-related prices can be changed in the order because Order Management is allowed to recalculate the prices for the quote. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value No .
IBE: Request Type to get a Price	Yes	Select the transaction application (e.g., Order Management) that calls the Pricing engine.
IBE: Shopping Cart Expiration Duration	No	This profile specifies the number of days that shopping carts are maintained and available to the merchant and customer. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value 0.
IBE: Shopping Cart Price based on Owner	No	If the profile is set to Yes , the shopping cart price will be based on the shopping cart owner if retrieved by someone sharing the cart. Otherwise, the cart price will be recalculated based on modifications to the cart made by the person sharing the cart. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value No .
IBE: Use Price list associated with Specialty Store	No	If the profile is set to Yes , the price list at the specialty store is used for registered and B2B users. If the profile is set to No , Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> passes a null price list with the party ID and account ID to the Pricing engine, which then determines a price list for which the user qualifies. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .

Table 7–7 IBE Profile Options for Shopping Cart (Cont.)

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Use Sensitive Pages	No	A sensitive page is a page that displays personal user-specific information. In Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> , the checkout and account pages are sensitive.
		The checkout pages are the pages that appear from the point when users click Checkout , until they place an order. Some of the pages in the checkout flow include billing information, shipping information, and order review.
		The account pages are the pages where users view and update their passwords, names, phones, emails, addresses, credit cards, and Express Checkout settings. For B2B users, the User Management and Role Management pages are also sensitive.
		Catalog (sections and products), shopping cart, and Order Tracker pages are not sensitive.
		If the profile is set to Yes , the application reauthenticates a logged-in user before displaying a sensitive page. If the profile is set to No , reauthentication does not take place. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .

Table 7–7 IBE Profile Options for Shopping Cart (Cont.)

 Table 7–8
 IBE Profile Options for Express Checkout

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Express Checkout Consolidation Time Interval	No	This profile specifies the time interval, in minutes, in which the Express Checkout shopping cart will be converted in an order by the concurrent batch job. The profile defaults to value 60 if not set.

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Number of Invoice/Order Lines displayed	No	This profile specifies the number of invoice/order lines displayed in Order Tracker. The profile defaults to value 10 if not set.
IBE: Use Auth Permissions in Order Tracker	No	This profile specifies if permission checking is enforced for users to view only the orders placed by themselves or all of their organization's orders. The profile defaults to value No if not set.

 Table 7–9
 IBE Profile Options for Postsales

 Table 7–10
 IBE Profile Options for Notifications

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Default Order Admin to Send Workflow Notification	No	This profile specifies the default order admin's Oracle Workflow user name. An e-mail is sent to this order admin upon errors in submitting order.
		If the profile is set to Yes , the profile option IBE: Use Workflow Features in iStore must also be set to Yes .
IBE: Default Sales Assistant to Send Workflow Notification	No	This profile specifies the default sales assistant's Oracle Workflow user name. An e-mail notification is sent to the sales assistant when a customer requests assistance.
		If the profile is set to Yes , the profile option IBE: Use Workflow Features in iStore must also be set to Yes .
IBE: Email Promotions (User level)	No	The merchant can use this profile to send e-mail promotions if the user chooses this option during registration. The e-mail notificaton for promotions is for customization only.
IBE: Notification User Role	No	This profile specifies the user responsibility for setting notifications.
		Recommended value: System Administrator

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Cache	No	This profile specifies whether to enable the store cache for sections and items. If the profile is not set, section and item cache are disabled.
		Recommended value: Yes
IBE: Enable Preloading of Cache for Catalog	No	If this profile is set to Yes , the application preloads the catalog when the first user logs in, depending on the size specified in the cache limits profile. At the expense of the first hit, the subsequent catalog search and navigation become faster. If the profile is not set, the application does not preload the section and item cache.
IBE: Item Cache Size	No	This profile specifies the maximum number of items to cache on the middle tier. The profile defaults to value 200 if not set, and if the cache is on.
IBE: No of Results in Search	No	This profile specifies the number of hits returned by a store search. The profile defaults to value 200 if not set.
IBE: Order Tracker Object Cache	No	This profile specifies whether Order Tracker Java objects are cached in the middle tier.
		Recommended value: Yes
IBE: Port Number to use for multicast messages	No	This profile specifies the port number to use for multicast messages. If the profile is not set, it defaults to port 50000.
IBE: Preload MiniSite Cache	No	This profile specifies whether the specialty store cache is preloaded to the middle tier. Yes preloads the cache. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value No .
IBE: Section Cache Size	No	This profile specifies the maximum number of sections to cache on the middle tier. The profile defaults to value 100 if not set, and if the cache is on.

 Table 7–11
 IBE Profile Options for Caching

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Use AOL Menu	No	This profile specifies whether to use AOL's menu framework.
IBE: Use B2B Features	No	This profile specifies whether B2B features such as business user registration, My Account user administration, and My Account role management are available to the customer. If the profile is not set, it defaults to Yes .
		See <i>Oracle iStore Concepts and Procedures</i> for a detailed review of Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> B2B features.
IBE: Use CABO UI	No	This profile specifies whether to use CABO or Mona Lisa style for the Customer UI. Yes enables CABO style. No enables Mona Lisa style. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .
		Recommended value: Yes. Functionality is fully enabled only with the CABO style.
IBE: Use Direct Item Entry	No	This profile specifies whether customer-to-merchant part number mapping is available. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes.
IBE: Use Express Checkout	No	This profile specifies whether Express Checkout is enabled. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes.
IBE: Use iMarketing Postings	No	This profile specifies whether Oracle iMarketing postings can display on Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> Web store pages. Yes enables Oracle iMarketing postings. No disables Oracle iMarketing postings. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .
IBE: Use Shop List	No	This profile specifies whether shopping list functionality is available to customers. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes.

 Table 7–12
 IBE Profile Options for Functionality

Profile Option Name	Mandatory	Description
IBE: Use Support	No	If the profile is set to Yes , it enables the purchase of service items for serviceable items that are in the shopping cart, through the Select Technical Support pull-down menu in the shopping cart. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .
		If the profile is set to Yes , the profile IBE: Use Support Cart Level must also be set to Yes .
IBE: Use Support Cart Level	No	If the profile is set to Yes , it enables the purchase of service items for serviceable items that are in the shopping cart, through the Select Technical Support pull-down menu in the shopping cart. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes .
		If the profile is set to Yes , the profile IBE: Use Support must also be set to Yes .
IBE: Use Workflow Features in iStore	No	This profile specifies whether Oracle Workflow features, such as e-mail notifications to customers regarding registration, orders, and order status requests, are available in your instance. If the profile is not set, it defaults to value Yes.
		If the profile is set to Yes, the profile IBE: Use CABO UI must also be set to Yes.

 Table 7–12
 IBE Profile Options for Functionality (Cont.)

7.7 Setting Profile Options for Language and Currency

Set the FND_LANGUAGES and FND_CURRENCY profile options in AOL with the appropriate languages and currencies. Defaults for Oracle iStore 11*i* come from the list of values populated by the values that you entered in AOL for these profile options.

7.8 Setting Order Capture (ASO) Profile Options

ASO profile options must be set up to enable Order Capture to work with Oracle iStore 11*i*. Use the following procedure to set the required profile options.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
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and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- **2.** Log in as SYSADMIN.
- 3. Choose the System Administrator responsibility.
- 4. Choose **Profile > System**.

- 5. Check Application, Site, and Responsibility. Enter Oracle Order Capture as the application and IBE_CUSTOMER as the responsibility.
- 6. In the Profile field, enter ASO%, and click Find.
- **7.** Verify and/or set the Order Capture (ASO) profile options listed in the following table at both the site level and the responsibility level for IBE_CUSTOMER:

Profile Option Name	Value	Description
ASO: Credit Card Authorization	No	If set to Yes, payment is authorized at the time the shopping cart is created.
		Recommended value: No
ASO: Default Order Type	Standard	Determines how the order is to be processed in Oracle Order Management. The order types are set up in Oracle Order Management. This profile determines what price list and currency code appears by default in the main Order Capture form.

Table 7–13 ASO Profile Options

Profile Option Name	Value	Description
ASO: Default Salesrep	No Sales Credit	The default sales representative who is allocated the sales credits for booked orders when the user is not entered as a sales representative.
ASO: Enable Use Contracts	Yes/No	Yes activates integration with Oracle Contracts, to enable Oracle Contracts-related features such as requirement of agreement with terms and conditions before checkout, and negotiation of terms and conditions. Before setting this profile option to Yes, you must install Oracle Contracts and set the profile option OKC: Contract Template Name for Terms. If ASO: Enable Use Contracts is not set, it defaults to value No.
ASO: Product Organization	Master Inventory Organization	The organization that Order Capture uses to validate inventory items.
ASO: Quote Order Type	Standard	
ASO: Reservation Level (site level only)	Null	

Table 7–13 ASO Profile Options (Cont.)

8. In the Navigator - System Administrator window, choose Profile > System.

- **9.** Check **Application** and **Responsibility**. Enter iStore as the application and IBE_CUSTOMER as the responsibility.
- **10.** In the Profile field, enter ASO%, and click **Find**.
- **11.** Verify and/or set the ASO: Quote Conversion Type profile option at both the application level and the responsibility level for IBE_CUSTOMER to the same value as the Oracle Order Capture application level setting.

7.9 Setting Order Management (OM) Profile Options

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links > VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in as SYSADMIN.
- 3. Choose the System Administrator responsibility.
- 4. Choose **Profile > System**.

The Find System Profile Values window opens.

- 5. Check Application. Enter iStore as the application.
- 6. In the Profile field, enter OM%, and click Find.
- **7.** Verify and/or set the OM: Set of Books profile option at the iStore application level to the same value as the Oracle Order Management application level setting.

7.10 Setting Multi Organization (MO) Profile Options

Use the following procedure to set up multi organization profile options.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links** > **VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- 2. Log in as SYSADMIN.
- **3.** Choose the System Administrator responsibility.
- 4. Go to **Profile > System**.

- 5. Check Site and Responsibility. Enter IBE_CUSTOMER as the responsibility.
- 6. In the Profile field, enter MO%, and click **Find**.

7. Verify and/or set the MO: Operating Unit profile option to the operating unit at the responsibility level for IBE_CUSTOMER.

Setting Up MO Profile Options for Multiple Operating Units

For a multiple operating unit environment, you must create a separate IBE customer responsibility for each operating unit in Oracle Forms. You can use the seeded responsibility IBE_CUSTOMER as one of these responsibilities.

For each of the customer responsibilities, set the profile option MO: Operating Unit to its respective operating unit.

Each customer name is assigned one of these responsibilities when the customer name is approved. When doing this, the seeded responsibility IBE_CUSTOMER, if different from the responsibility the customer receives, should be obsoleted for the customer name so that only one IBE responsibility is effective at a time.

When a customer enters a Web store, Oracle iStore 11*i* notes the customer's responsibility and the operating unit to which it is assigned, then restricts customers to the items in the Inventory Organization associated with the operating unit. Oracle iStore 11*i* accomplishes this by retrieving the Inventory Organization ID from OE_SYSTEM_PARAMETERS_ALL, which depends on the current user responsibility's operating unit.

7.11 Setting Oracle Contracts Core (OKC) Profile Options

Use the following procedure to set up Oracle Contracts Core (OKC) profile options at the responsibility level, if you are integrating Oracle iStore 11*i* with Oracle Contracts Core.

Steps

1. Launch Oracle Forms by navigating to:

```
http://<host>:<apache port>/
```

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links** > **VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX).

- **2.** Log in as SYSADMIN.
- 3. Choose the System Administrator responsibility.
- 4. Go to **Profile > System**.

- **5.** Check **Responsibility**. Enter IBE_CUSTOMER or another customer user responsibility name as the responsibility.
- 6. In the Profile field, enter OKC%, and click Find.
- **7.** Verify and/or set the OKC: Contract Template Name For Terms profile option to the default Oracle Contracts template name for Oracle iStore 11*i*, for the selected responsibility.

This procedure allows you to set up different Oracle Contracts templates for each customer user responsibility that you create for Oracle iStore 11*i*.

7.12 Setting Up an Oracle iMarketing User

Refer to *Oracle Marketing Online Implementation Guide, Release 11i* for instructions on setting up an Oracle iMarketing user.

7.13 Setting Up Concurrent Program Manager

In Oracle iStore 11*i*, there are three concurrent jobs seeded in the Oracle Forms concurrent program manager request setup: iStore Search Insert, iStore Section Search Refresh, and iStore - One Click Consolidation.

7.13.1 iStore Search Insert

This is a single request concurrent program that you execute once in the initial setup of Oracle iStore 11*i* as a post-install step. Run this batch job after you have loaded Oracle Inventory items and set the Inventory Organizations. This program populates Oracle iStore 11*i*'s category search table with product information from the Oracle Inventory tables.

You may need to rerun this program under one of the following three conditions:

- If you add multiple items that do not appear in the search table
- If you want to purge all items from the search table
- If you change the setting of the fuzzy search functionality, by either enabling or disabling it

7.13.2 iStore Section Search Refresh

This concurrent program populates Oracle iStore 11*i*'s section search table with product information. Run this program after running iStore Search Insert to switch from category-level to section-level search on the Customer UI. Rerun iStore Section Search Refresh to update the section search table whenever you modify the Oracle iStore 11*i* hierarchy.

If you have enabled a section-level search, rerun this concurrent program whenever you change the setting of the fuzzy search functionality.

7.13.3 iStore - One Click Consolidation

This is not a single request job and should be running as a batch process at pre-determined intervals. Schedule this program as a periodically running batch job. This program converts the one-click shopping carts in orders. The programs pick up all the one-click shopping carts, which are not "touched" for the time that is specified in the profile option "Express Checkout Consolidation Time Interval."

Access this setup through Oracle Forms.

Note: Do not run search insert concurrent program more than once, otherwise it will APPEND records in the search table.

With the concurrent programs, the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility is also seeded. In the initial setup, log in to Oracle Forms with System Administrator responsibility, and associate the seeded iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility to users who should have it. Another iStore related responsibility is IBE_ADMINISTRATOR, which is also seeded with Oracle iStore 11*i*. You should assign this responsibility to store manager users who need to work with the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI.

Before running the concurrent program, you need to set profile values. The concurrent program runs as a different responsibility than the end user responsibility. Establish the profile option values listed in the following table for the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility, which may or may not match the values of the IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility.

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Profile Option Na	ime	Value			
ASO: Default Orde	er Type	Standard			

 Table 7–14
 Profile Option Values for the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility
Profile Option Name	Value
ASO: Default Salesrep	No Sales Credit
ASO: Validate Salesrep	No
IBE: Default Payment Term	IMMEDIATE

Table 7–14 Profile Option Values for the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility

Generally, set the same values for the iStore Concurrent Programs responsibility profile options as for the IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility to submit an order.

Running the Concurrent Program to Submit Express Checkout Orders

- **1.** Log in to Oracle Forms.
- **2.** Select **iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility** from the list of responsibilities.
- **3.** The Submit a New Request window appears (with "Single Request" already selected on the radio button). Click **OK**.

The Submit Request window appears. The first field is labeled "Name," and there is a lookup button to the right of that field (three dots). Click it to get a selection of predefined programs.

- **4.** The "Reports" window appears. Select **iStore One Click Consolidation** and then click **OK.**
- **5.** Set how often and when you want to run this by clicking **Schedule** in the "Submit Request" window.
 - To run right away, select **As Soon as Possible** and click **OK**.
 - To run once at a scheduled time, click **Once**, enter information in the appropriate fields, and click **OK**.
 - To run regularly, click **Periodically** or **On Specific Days**, enter information in the appropriate fields, and click **OK**.
- **6.** Submit the Request by clicking **Submit**. You are prompted for confirmation and offered to submit another request. Click **NO**.

Checking the Status of the Concurrent Program

- 1. Switch responsibility to System Administrator.
- 2. In the Navigator window, double-click **Concurrent**, and then **Requests**.

- The Find Requests window (defaulted to "All My Requests") appears. If the server is not busy, then clicking **Find** may be the fastest way to find your request.
- If your server is busy, it may be better to enter search criteria and look for "Specific Requests."
- **3.** After clicking **Find**, the "Requests" window displays a list of submitted requests. There should be one (or more) entitled "iStore One Click Consolidation." Initially, you may find this in the "green" state with Phase = "pending" or "running." Click **Refresh Data** occasionally to check the completion status.
- **4.** Once in the "red" state or phase = "Completed," the "View Output" and "View Log" buttons should become active (if the log and output files have been setup correctly). Use these buttons to find out how many orders the concurrent program was able to successfully submit and how many failed.

7.14 Setting Up Order Management in Forms

Use the following procedure to set up Oracle Order Management in Forms.

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms.
- **2.** Choose the Order Management Super User responsibility. (If you don't have this responsibility, use the System Administrator responsibility to grant it to yourself.)
- 3. Choose Setup > Transaction Types > Define.
- **4.** Search for the Standard transaction type: press **F11**, click in the Transaction Type field, enter S%, press **Ctrl-F11**.
- **5.** In the Order Workflow field, select **Order Flow Generic** from the pull-down menu.
- 6. Click Assign Line Flows.
- 7. Click an empty row in the Assign Workflow Processes region.
- **8.** Enter the following information:
 - In the Line Type field, enter UPG_LINE_TYPE_ORDER_1000.
 - In the Item Type field, enter Standard Item.

- In the Process Name field, enter Line Flow Generic.
- In the Start Date field, enter any valid date (e.g., today's date).
- 9. Click OK.
- **10.** Save the form.

7.14.1 Setting Up Web-Enabled Shipping Methods

To set up Web-enabled shipping methods within the Order Management Super User responsibility, use the following procedure. This procedure is necessary to make shipping methods available to your customers in your Web stores.

Steps

- 1. Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN.
- 2. Choose the Order Management Super User responsibility.
- 3. Choose Shipping > Setup > Freight > Define Carrier Ship Methods.
- 4. Select Find All from the View menu.
- **5.** Check the Web Enabled box next to the shipping methods that you want to be available through the Web stores.
- 6. Save by clicking the Save icon in the toolbar or choosing File > Save.

7.15 Setting Up Site-Level Profile Options

You must set profile options at the site level.

Steps

- 1. Switch to the System Administrator responsibility.
- **2.** Go to **Profile > System**.

The Find System Profile Values window opens.

- **3.** Check **Site** only.
- **4.** Search for the Sequential Numbering profile option.
- 5. Set the site-level value to **Partially Used** from the LOV.
- **6.** Save the form.

- Go to View > Find, and search for ASO% profiles. Find ASO: Default Salesrep, and select No Sales Credit at the site level from the LOV.
- 8. Save the form.
- 9. Switch to the Application Developer responsibility.
- **10.** Go to Profile.
- 11. Search for IBE%PAY% profiles; find IBE_DEFAULT_PAYMENT_TERM_ID.
- **12.** Make sure that the System Administrator Access is both Visible and Updateable at both the Application and Site levels (i.e., all four checkboxes are checked).
- **13.** Save the form.
- 14. Switch back to the System Administrator responsibility.
- 15. Go to Profile > System > Find System Profile Values.
- **16.** Search for IBE% profiles. Find **IBE: Default Payment Term**, and set it to **IMMEDIATE** at the Site level.
- **17.** Save the form.

7.16 Setting Up Order Capture in Forms

Use the following procedure to set up Oracle Order Capture.

Steps

- 1. Switch to the Order Capture Sales Manager responsibility.
- 2. Choose Quote Status Setup.

Refer to Order Capture documentation for information on how to set up the Allowed Transition Status region. Create records for each value in the Code LOV (i.e., INACTIVE, LOST, ORDERED, PROBLEM, etc.).

3. Save the form.

7.17 Understanding Cookies

The user session in Oracle iStore 11*i* is controlled and identified by the help of cookies. The cookies are set on the user's browser and are used to identify return customers and other related data. The Oracle iStore 11*i* process is transparent to cookie administration, setup and control. Cookies are managed by Oracle CRM Foundation (JTF) methods. If the user turns off browser cookies, JTF makes sure that the information is available through the URL.

The cookie domain is set as the Web server domain, for example, "oracle.com" for Oracle's internal store. Once the user registers, the user account is created in the database and is used in the cookies to identify the customer. The Guest user account (Walkin user) is seeded with the product. Personal and Business account types are the basic account types in the store. The business account has the functionality of assigning roles to the business users.

Oracle iStore 11*i* Catalog APIs

This chapter contains the following information about the Oracle iStore 11*i* Catalog public class APIs:

- Catalog API Class Summary
- Class Item
- Class ItemFlexfield
- Class PriceObject
- Class Section
- Exception Classes for Package oracle.apps.ibe.catalog

8.1 Catalog API Class Summary

APIs for the Oracle iStore 11*i* Catalog are in the package oracle.apps.ibe.catalog. The table below describes the classes briefly.

Class	Description
Class Item	The Item object catches the selling side information for an item in Oracle Inventory. It is the entity that customers can add into the shopping cart from the Web store. The Item object is used to retrieve basic item attributes stored in MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_VL (such as part number, description, long description, etc.). It is also used to retrieve the template and multimedia associated with the item for a specific display context, the list of units of measure for the item, the prices defined for the item, whether the item is configurable, the list of related items, the list of related sections, and the item flexfields.
Class ItemFlexfield	The ItemFlexfield object contains the segment information for an item flexfield segment. It is used to retrieve the name, prompt, value, and database column name for an item flexfield segment. This object is returned by the getFlexfields() APIs in the Item class.
Class PriceObject	The PriceObject contains pricing information retrieved for an item. It is used to retrieve list price and selling price. It also provides the functionality to format a price based on currency. This object is returned by the getListAndBestPrices() APIs in the Item class.

 Table 8–1
 Class Summary for the Package oracle.apps.ibe.catalog

Class	Description
Class Section	The Section object is the building block of the display hierarchy. The display hierarchy is a tree structure which defines the possible navigational paths for the store. There are two types of sections: FEATURED and NAVIGATIONAL. Featured sections cannot contain subsections and are not displayed in the browse hierarchy of the store. Navigational sections can contain subsections and are displayed in the browse hierarchy of the store. Each section (except the hierarchy root) has one parent section and one or more subsections. A section without subsections is a leaf section. Leaf sections are the only sections that can contain items. The Section object is used to retrieve basic section attributes stored in jtf_dsp_sections_vl (such as display name, description, long description, etc.). It is also used to retrieve the template associated with the section, the multimedia associated with the section for a specific display context, the list of supersections, the list of subsections of a certain type (FEATURED or NAVIGATIONAL), the list of items, the list of sibling sections, and the list of related sections.

 Table 8–1
 Class Summary for the Package oracle.apps.ibe.catalog (Cont.)

8.2 Class Item

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.Item

public class Item

extends Object

The Item object stores the selling side attributes for an Oracle Inventory item in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL. It is also used to retrieve the template and multimedia associated to the item for a specific display context, the list of units of measure for the item, the prices defined for the item, whether the item is configurable, the list of related items, the list of related sections, and the item flexfields.

An Item object is built by using the load() APIs, passing in item ID or part number. The item ID typically comes from the leaf section when browsing through the hierarchy. When retrieving item prices, it is recommended that you use the getListAndBestPrices() APIs, which return both list price and best price for all UOMs available to an item. If only the price for a particular UOM is needed, you may prefer to use the getBestPrices() and getListPrices() APIs. For all price APIs, if price list is null (either a null parameter is passed, or the minisite set up for the price list is null), the current user information (party ID and account ID) are used to determine the price list ID.

8.2.1 Variables for Class Item

PUBLISHED

public static final String PUBLISHED

SHALLOW

public static final int SHALLOW

SHALLOW is a constant passed into Item load APIs to request an Item shallow load, which will load the following item information from Oracle Inventory:

- BOM_ENABLED_FLAG
- ORDERABLE_ON_WEB_FLAG
- BACK_ORDERABLE_FLAG
- PRIMARY_UNIT_OF_MEASURE
- UNIT_OF_MEASURE_TL
- PRIMARY_UOM_CODE
- ITEM_TYPE
- DESCRIPTION
- LONG_DESCRIPTION
- BOM_ITEM_TYPE
- CONCATENATED_SEGMENTS (part number)
- INVENTORY_ITEM_ID

If other information other than the above is requested from a shallow loaded item, the item will automatically be DEEP loaded, after which all the information will be available.

DEEP

public static final int DEEP

DEEP is a constant passed into Item load APIs to request an Item deep load, which will load all item attributes.

MODEL

public static final int MODEL

Constant to identify a BOM_ITEM_TYPE of Model

OPTION_CLASS

public static final int OPTION_CLASS

Constant to identify a BOM_ITEM_TYPE of Option Class

8.2.2 Methods for Class Item

The following table is an index of Class Item methods:

Method	Description
checkIfValid	Retrieves whether the item with the ID(s) passed in as parameter is a valid item that should be displayed in the Web store
getATPFlag	Retrieves whether ATP check must be performed on the item
getAttributeCategory	Retrieves attribute_category column of the item
getAttributeColumn	Retrieves a column from attribute1-15 in MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_B table
getBestPrice	Retrieves the best price for the item, based on UOM codes
getBOMComponentIDs	Retrieves a BOM item's component items from the BOM structure
getBOMComponents	Retrieves a BOM item's component items from the BOM structure based on the user's organization
getBomItemType	Retrieves item's BOM item type
getColumnValue	Retrieves the value of a column from MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL for this item
getDescription	Retrieves the item's description column based on the user's language
getFixedOrderQty	Retrieves the item's fixed order quantity
getFlexfields	Retrieves the flexfield segments in the flexfield MTL_ SYSTEM_ITEMS

Table 8–2 Method Index for Class Item

Method	Description
getGlobalAttributeCategory	Retrieves global_attribute_category column of the item
getGlobalAttributeColumn	Retrieves a column from Global_Attribute1-10 in MTL_ SYSTEM_ITEMS
getItemID	Retrieves item ID
getItemType	Retrieves item's user defined item type
getListAndBestPrices	Retrieves the list and best prices for each UOM of each item in the array passed in as parameter based on the minisite's price list ID
getListPrice	Retrieves the list price of the item for the primary UOM code
getLongDescription	Retrieves the item's long description column
getMaxOrderQty	Retrieves the item's maximum order quantity
getMediaFileName	Retrieves the file name of the physical media associated with this item for a particular display context
getMinOrderQty	Retrieves the item's minimum order quantity
getPartNumber	Retrieves part number
getPrimaryUOM	Retrieves the item's primary UOM, based on the user's language
getPrimaryUOMCode	Retrieves the item's primary UOM code
getRelatedItemIDs	Retrieves the IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter
getRelatedItems	Retrieves the items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter
getRelatedPrice	Retrieves the price of an item whose price is based on this item's price
getRelatedPrices	Retrieves the prices of items whose price is based on this item's price
getRelatedSectionIDs	Retrieves IDs of sections related to this item by the relationship code passed in as pararmeter
getSegmentColumn	Retrieves the value of column from Segment1-20 in MTL_ SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL
getSrvcDuration	Retrieves the default service duration
getSrvcPeriod	Retrieves the item's period for default service duration

Table 8–2 Method Index for Class Item (Cont.)

Method	Description
getSrvcStartDelay	Retrieves the number of days after shipment that service begins
getTemplateFileName	Retrieves the file name of the physical template associated with this item for a particular display context
getUOM	Retrieves the translated UOM based on the user's language for the UOM code passed in as parameter
getUOMCodes	If profile IBE: Retrieve All Units of Measure for an Item is set to 'Yes' or does not have a value, retrieves all the UOM codes defined for the item. If profile IBE: Retrieve All Units of Measure for an Item is set to 'No', retrieves the primary UOM code.
getUOMs	Retrieves the UOMs, based on the user's language
isBackOrderable	Retrieves whether the item can be back ordered
isBomEnabled	Retrieves whether the item is BOM enabled
isConfigurable	Retrieves whether the item can be configured
isCouponExempt	Retrieves whether the item is coupon exempt
isDownloadable	Retrieves whether the item is downloadable
isElectronic	Retrieves whether the item is electronic
isOrderable	Retrieves whether the item is orderable via Web
isReturnable	Retrieves whether the item is returnable
isService	Retrieves whether the item is a service item
isServiceable	Retrieves whether the item is serviceable
isShippable	Retrieves whether the item is shippable
isTaxable	Retrieves whether the item is taxable
isVolDiscountExempt	Retrieves whether the item is volume discount exempt
load	Loads the item with the parameters passed in
validateQuantity	Determines whether the input quantity is valid for the item

 Table 8–2
 Method Index for Class Item (Cont.)

checklfValid

public static boolean checkIfValid(BigDecimal itmid)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException

Check if the item with the ID passed in as parameter is a valid item that should be displayed in the Web store. A valid item must be effective, published, and exist in the current inventory validation organization. This API always queries the database.

Parameters: itmid (ID of the item to be validated)

Returns: boolean - true if the item is valid and should be displayed, false otherwise

checklfValid

```
public static boolean[] checkIfValid(BigDecimal itmids[])
throws SQLException, FrameworkException
```

Check if the items with the IDs passed in as parameter are valid items that should be displayed in the Web store. This API always queries the database.

Parameters: itmids (IDs of the items to be validated)

Returns: boolean[] - array containing whether an item is valid and should be displayed. If itmids[i] is a valid item, boolean[i] is true. Otherwise, boolean[i] is false. Returns boolean[] of size 0 if itmids is null or itmids.length is 0.

getATPFlag

public boolean getATPFlag()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves whether ATP check must be performed on the item

Returns: true if ATP check must be performed, false otherwise

getAttributeCategory

```
public String getAttributeCategory()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the attribute_category column of the item

Returns: attribute category of the item

getAttributeColumn

```
public String getAttributeColumn(int k)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, InvalidColumnNumberException,
ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves a column from attribute1-15 in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_B table

Parameters: k (int representing which attribute column to return)

Returns: attribute value in column MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL.ATTRIBUTEk

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price for the item, based on primary UOM code. Uses minisite to determine price list ID. If price list ID is null, uses party ID and account ID to determine which price list to use.

Returns: item's best price for the primary UOM code and minisite price list ID.

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice(String uomCode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price for the item, based on UOM code passed in as parameter. Uses minisite to determine price list ID. If price list ID is null, uses party ID and account ID to determine which price list to use.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to retrieve the price)

Returns: item's best price for uomCode passed in as parameter

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice(BigDecimal priceListId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price of the item, based on primary UOM code and price list ID passed in as parameter.

Parameters: priceListId (price list ID used to retrieve the price)

Returns: item's best price for primary UOM code and price list ID passed in as parameter.

getBestPrice

```
public BigDecimal getBestPrice(String uomCode, BigDecimal priceListId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the best price for the item, based on UOM code and price list ID passed in as parameter.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to retrieve the price)

priceListId (price list ID used to retrieve the price)

Returns: item's best price for uomCode and price list passed in as parameter

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice(BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId) throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price of the item based on the customer for the primary UOM code. Minisite's price list ID will be used. If minisite's price list ID is null, uses customer information to determine price list.

Parameters: partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's best price based on customer for the primary UOM code

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice(BigDecimal priceListId, BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId) throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price of the item based on price list and customer for the primary UOM code. If price list ID is null, uses customer information to determine which price list to use. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter.

Parameters: priceListId (price list ID to use for pricing)

partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's best price based on price list and customer for the primary UOM code

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice(String uomCode, BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId)

throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price of the item based on the customer for the UOM code passed in as parameter. Minisite's price list ID will be used. If price list ID is null, Customer information will be used to determine the price list to use.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to retrieve the price)

partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's best price based on customer

getBestPrice

```
public BigDecimal getBestPrice(String uomCode, BigDecimal priceListId,
BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the best price of the item based on the price list and customer for the UOM code passed in as parameter. If price list ID is null, customer information will be used to determine which price list to use. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to retrieve the price)

priceListId (price list to use for pricing)

partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's best price based on customer

getBOMComponentIDs

```
public int[] getBOMComponentIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

If the item is a BOM item, this method retrieves its component items from the BOM structure.

Returns: array of item IDs which are the first level components of the current item. Array of size 0 if the current item is not a BOM item or has no active BOM components

getBOMComponents

```
public Item[] getBOMComponents()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException
```

If the item is a BOM item, this method retrieves its component items from the BOM structure based on the user's organization.

Returns: array of items which are the first level components of the current item, array of size 0 if the current item is not a BOM item or has no active BOM components

getBomItemType

public int getBomItemType()

Retrieves the item's BOM item type

Returns: item's BOM item type

getColumnValue

public String getColumnValue(String colName)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException

Retrieves the value of a column from MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL for this item

Parameters: colName (name of the column in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL whose value will be retrieved)

Returns: value of a column from MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL for this item

getDescription

```
public String getDescription()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the item's description column based on the user's language

Returns: display name of the item based on the user's language

getFixedOrderQty

public int getFixedOrderQty()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves the item's fixed order quantity

Returns: item's fixed order quantity; -1 if NULL in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS

getFlexfields

```
public ItemFlexfield[] getFlexfields()
throws FrameworkException,SQLException
```

Retrieves the flexfield segments in the flexfield "MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS." Flexfield segment information (name, prompt, value, database column name) can be retrieved from the ItemFlexfield object using the methods getName(), getPrompt(), getValue(), and getDbColumnName().

Returns: array of ItemFlexfield containing flexfield segment information.

getFlexfields

```
public ItemFlexfield[] getFlexfields(String application, String flexfieldName)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Retrieves the flexfield segments in the flexfield with the application short name and flexfield name passed in as parameter. Flexfield segment information (name, prompt, value, database column name) can be retrieved from the ItemFlexfield object using the methods getName(), getPrompt(), getValue(), and getDbColumnName().

Parameters: application (short name of the application module to which the flexfield belongs; for example, "INV")

flexfieldName (name of the flexfield; for example, "MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS")

Returns: array of ItemFlexfield containing flexfield segment information.

getGlobalAttributeCategory

```
public String getGlobalAttributeCategory()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves global_attribute_category column of the the item

Returns: global attribute category of the item

getGlobalAttributeColumn

```
public String getGlobalAttributeColumn(int k)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, InvalidColumnNumberException,
ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves a column from Global_Attribute1-10 in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS

Parameters: k (int representing which attribute to return)

Returns: attribute value in column MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS.GLOBAL_ATTRIBUTEk

getItemID
public int getItemID()

Retrieves item ID

Returns: the ID of the item

getItemType

public String getItemType()

Retrieves the item's user defined item type

Returns: item's item type

getListAndBestPrices

public static Vector[] getListAndBestPrices(Item itms[])
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException

Retrieves the list and best prices for each UOM of each item in the array passed in as parameter based on the minisite's price list ID. If there is no price list ID for the minisite, passes party ID and account ID to the pricing engine to determine the price list. Prices will be returned in a Vector[]. The size of the Vector[] will be the same as the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. Vector[i] will contain a vector of PriceObject for Item[i]. Each PriceObject corresponds to the price based on a UOM code. The PriceObjects in Vector[i] will be ordered in the same order as the UOM codes of Item[i]. To ensure this ordering, iterate through each Vector using elementAt(n) since Enumeration does not guarantee the order in which the elements are returned. The Vector will be trimmed to size to ensure that that there will be a PriceObject for each n from 0 to size()-1. To obtain the list and best price call, getListPrice, getBestPrice() on each PriceObject.

Parameters: itms (items whose list and best prices will be retrieved)

Returns: Vector[] containing list and best prices for the UOMs of the corresponding item. If Item[] is null or the size of Item[] is 0, returns Vector[] of size 0. If Item[I] has no UOM codes, Vector[I] will be an empty Vector.

getListAndBestPrices

public static Vector[] getListAndBestPrices(Item itms[], BigDecimal priceListId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException

Retrieves the list and best prices for each UOM of each item in the array passed in as parameter, based on the price list ID. If price list ID is not null, retrieves price based only on price list ID and caches the prices. Otherwise, uses party ID and account ID to determine price list. Prices will be returned in a Vector[]. The size of the Vector[] will be the same as the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. Vector[i] will contain a vector of PriceObject for Item[i]. Each PriceObject corresponds to the price based on a UOM code. The PriceObjects in Vector[i] will be ordered in the same order as the UOM codes of Item[i]. To ensure this ordering, iterate through each Vector using elementAt(n) since Enumeration does not guarantee the order in which the elements are returned. The Vector will be trimmed to size to ensure that that there will be PriceObjects for each n from 0 to size()-1. To obtain the list and best price call getBestPrice(), getListPrice() on each PriceObject.

Parameters: itms (items whose list and best prices will be retrieved)

priceListId (price list ID used to retrieve price)

Returns: Vector[] containing list and best prices for the UOMs of the corresponding item. If Item[] is null or the size of Item[] is 0, returns Vector[] of size 0. If Item[i] has no UOM codes, Vector[i] will be an empty Vector.

getListAndBestPrices

```
public static Vector[] getListAndBestPrices(Item itms[], BigDecimal partyId,
BigDecimal accountId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException
```

Retrieves the best and list prices for each UOM of each item in the array passed in as parameter, based on the minisite's price list ID and customer. List and best prices will be returned in a Vector[]. The size of the Vector[] will be the same as the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. Vector[i] will contain a vector of PriceObject for Item[i]. Each PriceObject corresponds to the price based on a UOM code. The PriceObjects in Vector[i] will be ordered in the same order as the UOM codes of Item[i]. To ensure this ordering, iterate through each Vector using elementAt(n) since Enumeration does not guarantee the order in which the elements are returned. The Vector will be trimmed to size to ensure that that there will be PriceObjects for each n from 0 to size()-1. To obtain the list price and best price call getListPrice(), getBestPrice() on each PriceObject.

Parameters: itms (items whose list and best prices will be retrieved)

priceListId (price list ID used to retrieve price)

Returns: Vector[] containing list and best prices for the UOMs of the corresponding item. If Item[] is null or the size of Item[] is 0, returns Vector[] of size 0. If Item[I] has no UOM codes, Vector[I] will be an empty Vector.

getListAndBestPrices

public static Vector[] getListAndBestPrices(Item itms[], BigDecimal priceListId, BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId) throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException

Retrieves the best and list prices for each UOM of each item in the array passed in as parameter, based on the price list and customer. If price list ID is null, uses the customer information to determine which price list to use. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter. List and best prices will be returned in a Vector[]. The size of the Vector[] will be the same as the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. Vector[i] will contain a vector of PriceObject for Item[i]. Each PriceObject corresponds to the price based on a UOM code. The PriceObjects in Vector[i] will be ordered in the same order as the UOM codes of Item[i]. To ensure this ordering, iterate through each Vector using elementAt(n) since Enumeration does not guarantee the order in which the elements are returned. The Vector will be trimmed to size to ensure that that there will be PriceObjects for each n from 0 to size()-1. To obtain the list price and best price call getListPrice(), getBestPrice() on each PriceObject.

Parameters: itms (items whose best prices will be retrieved)

priceListId (price list used for pricing)

partyId (customer's party ID)

accountId (customer's account ID)

Returns: Vector[] containing list and best prices for the UOMs of the corresponding item. If Item[]is null or the size of Item[] is 0, returns Vector[]of size 0. If Item[i] has no UOM codes, Vector[i] will be an empty Vector.

getListPrice

public BigDecimal getListPrice()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the list price of the item for the primary UOM code

Returns: item's list price for the primary UOM code

getListPrice

```
public BigDecimal getListPrice(String uomCode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the list price of the item for the UOM code passed in as parameter. Uses minisite to determine price list ID.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to retrieve price)

Returns: item's list price for the UOM code passed in as parameter

getListPrice

```
public BigDecimal getListPrice(BigDecimal priceListId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the list price of the item for the primary UOM code based on price list ID passed in as parameter

Parameters: priceListId (price list ID used to retrieve price)

Returns: item's list price for the primary UOM code

getListPrice

public BigDecimal getListPrice(String uomCode, BigDecimal priceListId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the list price of the item for the UOM code passed in as parameter. Uses price list ID passed in as parameter.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to retrieve price)

priceListId (price list ID used to retrieve price)

Returns: item's list price for the UOM code passed in as parameter

getListPrice

public BigDecimal getListPrice(BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the list price of the item based on the customer for the item's primary uomCode

Parameters: partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's list price based on customer

getListPrice

```
public BigDecimal getListPrice(String uomCode, BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal
accountId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the list price of the item based on minisite's price list ID and the customer for the uomCode passed in as parameter

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to get the price)

partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's list price based on customer

getListPrice

```
public BigDecimal getListPrice(BigDecimal priceListId, BigDecimal partyId,
BigDecimal accountId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the list price of the item based on price list and customer for the item's primary uomCode. If price list ID is null, uses the customer information to determine which price list to use. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter.

Parameters: priceListId (price list ID used for pricing)

partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's list price based on customer

getListPrice

```
public BigDecimal getListPrice(String uomCode, BigDecimal priceListId,
BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, PriceNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the list price of the item based on price list and customer for the uomCode passed in as parameter. If price list ID is null, uses the customer information to determine which price list to use. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM code used to get the price)

priceListId (price list used for pricing)

partyId (customer's partyId)

accountId (customer's accountId)

Returns: item's list price based on customer

getLongDescription

```
public String getLongDescription()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the item's long description column

Returns: longDescription of the item based on the user's language

getMaxOrderQty

```
public int getMaxOrderQty()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves item's maximum order quantity

Returns: item's maximum order quantity; -1 if NULL in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS

getMediaFileName

```
public String getMediaFileName(String dispCtx)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Retrieves the file name of the physical media associated with this item for a particular display context

Parameters: dispCtx (display context for the media; for example, STORE_ PRODUCT_SMALL_IMAGE or STORE_PRODUCT_LARGE_IMAGE)

Returns: file name of the physical media. If the required media is not found, returns null.

getMinOrderQty

```
public int getMinOrderQty()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves item's minimum order quantity

Returns: item's minimum order quantity; -1 if NULL in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS

getPartNumber

public String getPartNumber()

Retrieves part number

Returns: the part number of the item

getPrimaryUOM

public String getPrimaryUOM()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves the item's primary UOM, based on the user's language

Returns: item's UOM based on the user's language

getPrimaryUOMCode

public String getPrimaryUOMCode()

Retrieves primary UOM code for the item

Returns: item's primary UOM code

getRelatedItemIDs

public int[] getRelatedItemIDs(String relationshipCode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException, CatalogException

Retrieves IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. This method should only be used for relationships that are not defined by a SQL rule and that do not require bind arguments.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

Returns: IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItemIDs

public int[] getRelatedItemIDs(String relationshipCode, boolean isSQLRule)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. This method should only be used for relationships that do not require bind arguments.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

isSQLRule (whether the relationship is defined by a SQL rule)

Returns: IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItemIDs

```
public int[] getRelatedItemIDs(String relationshipCode, boolean isSQLRule,
String bindArgs[])
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

isSQLRule (whether the relationship is defined by a SQL rule)

bindArgs (array of Strings containing bind arguments, used in relationships defined using SQL rules with bind arguments)

Returns: IDs of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItems

```
public Item[] getRelatedItems(String relationshipCode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. This method should only be used for relationships that are not defined by a SQL rule and that do not require bind arguments.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

Returns: array of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItems

public Item[] getRelatedItems(String relationshipCode, int front, int end)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves subarray of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. This method should only be used for relationships that are not defined by a SQL rule and that do not require bind arguments. The subarray will contain items whose position in the related item ID array is between the front and end indexes passed in as parameter. If the end index is larger than the number of related items, returns the items from the front index to the end of the list of items.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

front (beginning index of items to load. Indexing starts at 0)

end (ending index of items to load)

Returns: subarray of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItems

public Item[] getRelatedItems(String relationshipCode, boolean isSQLRule)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. This method should only be used for relationships that do not require bind arguments.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

isSQLRule (whether the relationship is defined by a SQL rule)

Returns: items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItems

```
public Item[] getRelatedItems(String relationshipCode, boolean isSQLRule, int
front, int end)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves subarray of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. This method should only be used for relationships that do not require bind arguments. The subarray will contain items whose position in the related item

ID array is between the front and end indexes passed in as parameter. If the end index is larger than the number of related items, returns the items from the front index to the end of the list of items.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

isSQLRule (whether the relationship is defined by a SQL rule)

front (beginning index of items to load. Indexing starts at 0)

end (ending index of items to load)

Returns: subarray of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItems

public Item[] getRelatedItems(String relationshipCode, boolean isSQLRule, String bindArgs[]) throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

isSQLRule (whether the relationship is defined by a SQL rule)

bindArgs (array of Strings containing bind arguments, used in relationships defined using SQL rules with bind arguments)

Returns: items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedItems

public Item[] getRelatedItems(String relationshipCode, boolean isSQLRule, String bindArgs[], int front, int end) throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves subarray of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter. The subarray will contain items whose position in the related item ID array is between the front and end indexes passed in as parameter. If the end index is larger than the number of related items, returns the items from the front index to the end of the list of items.

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

isSQLRule (whether the relationship is defined by a SQL rule)

bindArgs (array of Strings containing bind arguments, used in relationships defined using SQL rules with bind arguments)

front (beginning index of items to load. Indexing starts at 0)

end (ending index of items to load)

Returns: subarray of items related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getRelatedPrice

```
public PriceObject getRelatedPrice(Item itm)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException
```

Retrieves price of an item whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the minisite's price list ID and the primary UOM codes of the items. If minisite price list ID is null, passes party ID and account ID to pricing engine to determine the price list. Returns PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter. Call getListPrice(), getBestPrice() on the PriceObject returned to get the price of the item whose price depends on this item.

Parameters: itm (item whose price depends on the price of this base item)

Returns: PriceObject (PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter)

getRelatedPrice

public PriceObject getRelatedPrice(Item itm, BigDecimal priceListId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException

Retrieves price of an item whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the price list ID passed in and the primary UOM codes of the items. If price list ID is null, passes party ID and account ID to pricing engine to determine the price list. Returns PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter. Call getListPrice(), getBestPrice() on the PriceObject returned to get the price of the item whose price depends on this item.

Parameters: itm (item whose price depends on the price of this base item)

priceListId (price list ID)

Returns: PriceObject (PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter)

getRelatedPrice

```
public PriceObject getRelatedPrice(Item itm, BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal
accountId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException
```

Retrieves price of an item whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the minisite price list, partyId, accountId, and the primary UOM codes. Returns PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter. Call getListPrice(), getBestPrice() on the PriceObject returned to get the price of the item whose price depends on this item.

Parameters: itm (item whose price depends on the price of this base item)

partyId (customer's party ID)

accountId (customer's account ID)

Returns: PriceObject (PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter)

getRelatedPrice

```
public PriceObject getRelatedPrice(Item itm, BigDecimal priceListId, BigDecimal
partyId, BigDecimal accountId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException
```

Retrieves price of an item whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the priceListId, partyId, accountId, and the primary UOM codes. If priceListId is null, partyId and accountId will be used to determine which price list to use for pricing. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter. Returns PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter. Call getListPrice(), getBestPrice() on the PriceObject returned to get the price of the item whose price depends on this item.

Parameters: itm (item whose price depends on the price of this base item)

priceListId (price list to use for pricing)

partyId (customer's party ID)

accountId (customer's account ID)

Returns: PriceObject (PriceObject containing the price of the item passed in as parameter)

getRelatedPrices

public PriceObject[] getRelatedPrices(Item itms[])
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException

Retrieves prices of items whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the minisite's price list ID and the primary UOM codes of the items. If minisite's price list is null, uses party ID and account ID to determine which price list to use. Returns PriceObject[] the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. The price contained in PriceObject[i] corresponds to the price of Item[i]. To retrieve the price of Item[i], call PriceObject[i].getListPrice() or PriceObject[i].getBestPrice().

Parameters: itms (array of items whose prices depend on the price of this base item)

Returns: PriceObject[] (array of PriceObject containing the price of each item in the item array)

getRelatedPrices

public PriceObject[] getRelatedPrices(Item itms[], BigDecimal priceListId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException

Retrieves prices of items whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the price list ID passed in and the primary UOM codes of the items. If price list ID is null, uses party ID and account ID to determine which price list to use. Returns PriceObject[] the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. The price contained in PriceObject[i] corresponds to the price of Item[i]. To retrieve the price of Item[i], call PriceObject[i].getListPrice() or PriceObject[i].getBestPrice().

Parameters: itms (array of items whose prices depend on the price of this base item)

priceListId (price list ID)

Returns: PriceObject[] (array of PriceObject containing the price of each item in the item array)

getRelatedPrices

```
public PriceObject[] getRelatedPrices(Item itms[], BigDecimal partyId,
BigDecimal accountId)
```

```
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException
```

Retrieves prices of items whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the partyId, accountId, and the primary UOM codes of the items. Returns PriceObject[] the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. The price contained in PriceObject[i] corresponds to the price of Item[i]. To retrieve the price of Item[i], call PriceObject[i].getListPrice() or PriceObject[i].getBestPrice().

Parameters: itms (array of items whose prices depend on the price of this base item)

partyId (customer's party ID)

accountId (customer's account ID)

Returns: PriceObject[] (array of PriceObject containing the price of each item in the item array)

getRelatedPrices

```
public PriceObject[] getRelatedPrices(Item itms[], BigDecimal priceListId,
BigDecimal partyId, BigDecimal accountId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, CatalogException
```

Retrieves prices of items whose price is based on this item's price. This API can be used to retrieve the price of items whose price depends on the price of another item. Prices retrieved are based on the priceListId, partyId, accountId, and the primary UOM codes of the items. If priceListId is null, uses the partyId and accountId to determine which price list to use for pricing. Otherwise, uses the price list passed in as parameter. Returns PriceObject[] the size of the Item[] passed in as parameter. The price contained in PriceObject[i] corresponds to the price of Item[i]. To retrieve the price of Item[i], call PriceObject[i].getListPrice() or PriceObject[i].getBestPrice().

Parameters: itms (array of items whose prices depend on the price of this base item)

priceListId (price list used for pricing)

partyId (customer's party ID)

accountId (customer's account ID)

Returns: PriceObject[] (array of PriceObject containing the price of each item in the item array)

getRelatedSectionIDs

public int[] getRelatedSectionIDs(String relationshipCode)

throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException

Retrieves IDs of sections related to this item by the relationship code passed in as pararmeter

Parameters: relationshipCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example "SUBSTITUTE")

Returns: IDs of sections related to this item by the relationship code passed in as parameter

getSegmentColumn

```
public String getSegmentColumn(int k)
throws InvalidColumnNumberException, FrameworkException, SQLException,
ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the value of column from Segment1-20 in MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL

Parameters: k (int representing which segment to return)

Returns: segment value in column MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS.SEGMENTk

getSrvcDuration

public int getSrvcDuration()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves default service duration

Returns: default service duration

getSrvcPeriod

public String getSrvcPeriod()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves item's period for default service duration

Returns: period for default service duration

getSrvcStartDelay

```
public int getSrvcStartDelay()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves number of days after shipment that service begins

Returns: days after shipment that service begins

getTemplateFileName

```
public String getTemplateFileName(int dispCtxID)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Retrieves the file name of the physical template associated with this item for a particular display context.

Parameters: dispCtx (display context ID for the template)

Returns: file name of physical template. If the required template is not found, returns null.

getTemplateFileName

```
public String getTemplateFileName(String displayContext)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Retrieves the file name of the physical template associated with this item for a particular display context.

Parameters: displayContext (display context for the template; for example, STORE_ PRODUCT_DETAILS, STORE_PRODUCT_DESCR)

Returns: file name of the physical template. If the required template is not found, returns null.

getUOM

public String getUOM(String uomCode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves translated UOM based on the user's language for the UOM code passed in as parameter. Returns null if the UOM code is not in the item's list of UOM codes.

Parameters: uomCode (UOM codes used to get the translated UOM)

Returns: translated UOM based on the user's language

getUOMCodes

public String[] getUOMCodes()

If profile IBE: Retrieve All Units of Measure for an Item is set to 'Yes' or does not have a value, retrieves all the UOM codes defined for the item. If profile IBE:

Retrieve All Units of Measure for an Item is set to 'No', retrieves the primary UOM code.

Returns: item's UOM codes

getUOMs

public String[] getUOMs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves units of measure, based on the user's language

Returns: String[] containing item's UOMs based on the user's language. String[] of size 0 if no units of measures were found. For UOMs where a translated version cannot be found for the user's language, an empty string will be returned.

isBackOrderable

public boolean isBackOrderable()

Retrieves whether item can be back ordered

Returns: true if item can be back ordered, false otherwise

isBomEnabled

public boolean isBomEnabled()

Retrieves whether item is BOM enabled

Returns: true if item is BOM enabled, false otherwise

isConfigurable

public boolean isConfigurable()

Retrieves whether item can be configured

Returns: true if item can be configured, false otherwise

isCouponExempt

public boolean isCouponExempt()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves whether item is coupon exempt

Returns: true if item is coupon exempt, false otherwise
isDownloadable

public boolean isDownloadable()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves whether item is downloadable

Returns: true if item is downloadable, false otherwise

isElectronic

```
public boolean isElectronic()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves whether item is electronic

Returns: true if item is electronic, false otherwise

isOrderable

public boolean isOrderable()

Retrieves whether item is orderable via Web

Returns: true if item is orderable on the Web, false otherwise

isReturnable

```
public boolean isReturnable()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves whether item is returnable

Returns: true if item is returnable, false otherwise

isService

```
public boolean isService()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves whether item is a service item

Returns: true if item is a service item, false otherwise

isServiceable

```
public boolean isServiceable()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves whether item is serviceable

Returns: true if item is serviceable, false otherwise

isShippable

```
public boolean isShippable()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves whether item is shippable

Returns: true if item is shippable, false otherwise

isTaxable

```
public boolean isTaxable()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves whether item is taxable

Returns: true if item is taxable, false otherwise

isVolDiscountExempt

public boolean isVolDiscountExempt()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves whether item is volume discount exempt

Returns: true if item is volume discount exempt, false otherwise

load

```
public static Item load(int itemID)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads the item with the inventory_item_id passed in as parameter. Load level of the item will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for the item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price.

Parameters: itemID (item ID corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

Returns: item with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item load(int itemID, int mode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads the item with the inventory_item_id passed in as parameter. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for the item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price.

Parameters: itemID (item ID corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

Returns: item with values loaded for the proper members

load

public static Item load(int itemID, int mode, boolean retrievePrice)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException

Loads the item with the inventory_item_id and mode passed in as parameter. Uses the retrievePrice parameter to determine whether to retrieve the price for the primary UOM of the item.

Parameters: itemID (item ID corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

retrievePrice (whether to retrieve the price for the item's primary UOM)

Returns: item with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item load(String partNum)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException,
CatalogException
```

Loads the item with the part number passed in as parameter. Load level of the item will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for the item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price.

Parameters: partNum (item part number corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.CONCATENATED_SEGMENTS) Returns: item with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item load(String partNum, int mode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException, CatalogException
```

Loads the item with the part number and mode passed in as parameter. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for the item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price.

Parameters: partNum (item part number corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.CONCATENATED_SEGMENTS)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

Returns: item with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item load(String partNum, int mode, boolean retrievePrice)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads the item with the part number and mode passed in as parameter. Uses the retrievePrice parameter to determine whether to retrieve the price for the primary UOM of the item.

Parameters: partNum (item part number corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.CONCATENATED_SEGMENTS)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

retrievePrice (whether to retrieve the price for the item's primary UOM)

Returns: item with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item[] load(int itemIDs[])
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads the items with the item IDs passed in as parameter. The load level of the items will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for each item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price. The order of the items will be in the order of the IDs passed in. Duplicates and items not found in the database will be removed from the Item array.

Parameters: itemIDs (item IDs corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item[] load(int itemIDs[], int mode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads items with the array of item IDs and mode passed in as parameter. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for each item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price. The order of the items will be in the order of the IDs passed in. Duplicates and items not found in the database will be removed from the Item array.

Parameters: itemIDs (array of item IDs corresponding to mtl_sysetm_items_ vl.inventory_item_id)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item[] load(int itemIDs[], int mode, boolean retrievePrice)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Load the items with the item IDs and mode passed in as parameter. Uses the retrievePrice parameter to determine whether to retrieve the price for each item's primary UOM. The order of the items will be in the order of the IDs passed in. Duplicates and items not found in the database will be removed from the Item array.

Parameters: itemIDs (array of item IDs corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

retrievePrice (whether to retrieve the prices for the item's primary UOM)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item[] load(int itemIDs[], int mode, boolean retrievePrice,
boolean compact)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads the items with the item IDs and mode passed in as parameter. Uses the retrievePrice parameter to determine whether to retrieve the price for each item's primary UOM. The order of the items will be in the order of the IDs passed in. If compact is true, removes items that were not found in the database. If compact is false, returns a null for items not found in the database.

Parameters: itemIDs (array of item IDs corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL,INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

mode (load level for the item; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

retrievePrice (whether to retrieve the price for the item's primary UOM)

compact (whether to remove items not found in the database)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item[] load(String partNums[])
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, ItemNotFoundException, CatalogException
```

Loads the items with the part numbers passed in as parameter. The load level of the items will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for each item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price. The order of the items will be in the order of the part numbers passed in. Duplicates and items not found in the database will be removed from the Item array.

Parameters: partNums (array of item part numbers corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL.CONCATENATED_SEGMENTS)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Item[] load(String partNums[], int mode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Loads the items with the part numbers and mode passed in as parameter. If the profile IBE: Retrieve Price When Displaying Items is set to 'Yes', loads the price for each item's primary UOM. Otherwise, does not load the price. The order of the items will be in the order of the part numbers passed in. Duplicates and items not found in the database will be removed from the Item array.

Parameters: partNums (array of item part numbers corresponding to mtl_system_ item_vl.concatenated_segments)

mode (load level for the items; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

load

public static Item[] load(String partNums[], int mode, boolean retrievePrice)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, CatalogException, ItemNotFoundException

Loads the items with the part numbers and mode passed in as parameter. Uses the parameter retrievePrice to determine whether to retrieve the price for each item's primary UOM. The order of the items will be in the order of the part numbers passed in. Duplicates and items not found in the database will be removed from the Item array.

Parameters: partNums (array of item part numbers corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL.CONCATENATED_SEGMENTS)

mode (load level for the items; Item.SHALLOW or Item.DEEP)

retrievePrice (whether to retrieve the price for each item's primary UOM)

Returns: array of items with values loaded for the proper members

validateQuantity

```
public static boolean validateQuantity(int itemId, BigDecimal organizationId,
String inputQty, String uomCode)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Determines whether the input quantity is valid for the item. If the item is OM: Indivisble or serial code controlled, the quantity must be an integer when converted to the primary UOM. Otherwise, the quantity can be a decimal value.

Parameters: itemId (item ID corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

organizationId (inventory organization ID corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_VL.ORGANIZATION_ID)

inputQty (input quantity to validate)

uomCode (UOM code)

Returns: true if the input quantity is valid for the item and UOM, false otherwise

validateQuantity

```
public static boolean[] validateQuantity(int itemIds[], BigDecimal
organizationId[], String inputQty[], String uomCodes[])
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

For each item, determines whether the input quantity is valid. If an item is OM: Indivisble or serial code controlled, the quantity must be an integer when converted to the primary UOM. Otherwise, the quantity can be a decimal value.

Parameters: itemIds (item IDs corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_ VL.INVENTORY_ITEM_ID)

organizationId (inventory organization IDs corresponding to MTL_SYSTEM_ITEMS_VL.ORGANIZATION_ID)

inputQty (input quantity to validate)

uomCodes (UOM code)

Returns: boolean array indicating whether each input quantity is valid for the given item and UOM. If inputQty[i] is valid for itemIds[i], organizationId[i], and uomCodes[i], the value of boolean[i] is true. Otherwise, the valie of boolean[i] is false.

8.3 Class ItemFlexfield

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.ItemFlexfield
public class ItemFlexfield

extends Object

The ItemFlexfield object contains the segment information for an item flexfield segment. It is used to retrieve the name, prompt, value, and database column name for an item flexfield segment. This object is returned by the getFlexfields() methods in the Item class.

8.3.1 Methods for Class ItemFlexfield

The following table is an index of Class ItemFlexfield methods:

 Table 8–3
 Method Index for Class ItemFlexfield

Method	Description
getDbColumnName	Retrieves the database column name of the flexfield segment

Method	Description	
getName	Retrieves the name of the flexfield segment	
getPrompt	Retrieves the prompt of the flexfield segment	
getValue	Retrieves the value of the flexfield segment	

Table 8–3 Method Index for Class ItemFlexfield (Cont.)

getDbColumnName

public String getDbColumnName()

Retrieves the database column name of the flexfield segment

Returns: database column name of the flexfield segment

getName

public String getName()

Retrieves the name of the flexfield segment

Returns: name of the flexfield segment

getPrompt

public String getPrompt()

Retrieves the prompt of the flexfield segment

Returns: prompt of the flexfield segment

getValue

public String getValue()

Retrieves the value of the flexfield segment

Returns: value of the flexfield segment

8.4 Class PriceObject

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.PriceObject
public class PriceObject

extends Object

The PriceObject contains pricing information retrieved for an item. It is used to retrieve list price and selling price. It also provides the functionality to format a price based on currency. This object is returned by the getListAndBestPrices() APIs in the Item class.

8.4.1 Methods for Class PriceObject

The following table is an index of Class PriceObject methods:

Method	Description
formatNumber	Formats the price based on currency code
getBestPrice	Retrieves the best price stored in the PriceObject
getListPrice	Retrieves the list price stored in the PriceObject

Table 8–4 Method Index for Class PriceObject

formatNumber

public static String formatNumber(String currencyCode, BigDecimal number)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Formats the price based on currency code. Prepends currency symbol to the front of the number, adds the appropriate decimal and grouping separators. If currencyCode is null, uses Java's default formatting. If number is null, returns an empty string.

Parameters: currencyCode (currency code used to format the price)

number (price to be formatted)

Returns: string containing price formatted based on currency code

formatNumber

public static String formatNumber(String currencyCode, double number)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Format the price based on currency code. Prepends currency symbol to the front of the number, adds the appropriate decimal and grouping separators. If currencyCode is null, uses Java's default formatting.

Parameters: currencyCode (currency code used to format the price)

number (price to be formatted)

Returns: string containing price formatted based on currency code

getBestPrice

public BigDecimal getBestPrice()
throws PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the best price stored in the PriceObject

Returns: best price store in the PriceObject

getListPrice

public BigDecimal getListPrice()
throws PriceNotFoundException

Retrieves the list price stored in the PriceObject

Returns: list price stored in the PriceObject

8.5 Class Section

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.Section
public class Section

extends Object

The Section object is the building block of the display hierarchy. There are two types of sections: FEATURED and NAVIGATIONAL. Featured sections cannot contain subsections and are not displayed in the browse hierarchy of the store. Navigational sections can contain subsections and are displayed in the browse hierarchy of the store. Each section (except the hierarchy root) has one parent section and one or more subsections. A section with subsections is a non-leaf section. A section without subsections is a leaf section. Leaf sections are the only sections that can contain items.

The Section object is used to retrieve basic section attributes stored in jtf_dsp_ sections_vl (such as display name, description, long description, etc.). It is also used to retrieve the template associated to the section, the media associated to the section for a specific display context, the list of supersections, the list of subsections of a certain type (FEATURED or NAVIGATIONAL), the list of items, the list of sibling sections, and the list of related sections.

8.5.1 Variables for Class Section

SHALLOW

public static final int SHALLOW

SHALLOW is a constant passed into Section load APIs to request a Section shallow load, which will load the following Section attributes SECTION_ID, ACCESS_NAME, DISPLAY_NAME, DESCRIPTION, OBJECT_VERSION_NUMBER, SECTION_TYPE_CODE. If information other than the above is requested from a shallow loaded section, the section will automatically be DEEP loaded, after which all the information will be available.

DEEP

public static final int DEEP

DEEP is a constant passed into Section load APIs to request a Section deep load, which will load all section attributes, subsections IDs, item IDs, supersection IDs.

NAVIGATIONAL

public static final String NAVIGATIONAL

Constant for Navigational section type: those sections that can be browsed through navigation. Out of the box, iStore has NAVIGATIONAL and FEATURED section types. The merchant can define new section types.

FEATURED

public static final String FEATURED

Constant for Featured section type: those sections that are not browsed through navigation.

8.5.2 Methods for Class Section

The following table is an index of Class Section methods:

Table 8–5 Method Index for Class Section

Method	Description
getAccessName	Retrieves section access name
getAttributeCategory	Retrieves section's attribute_category column

Method	Description
getAttributeColumn	Retrieves an attribute column value of the section
getDescription	Retrieves description of the section in the current language
getDisplayContextID	Retrieves the display context for items in the section. This method is only applicable to leaf sections.
getDisplayName	Retrieves display name of the section in the current language
getFeaturedItemIDs	Retrieves an array containing the IDs of the items in the section's featured subsections
getFeaturedItems	Retrieves an array containing the items in the section's featured subsections
getFeaturedSubSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of featured subsection IDs. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.
getFeaturedSubSections	Retrieves an array of featured subsections
getItemIDs	Retrieves array of item IDs in current section for the user's validation organization ID. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.
getItems	Retrieves an array of items in current section. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.
getLeafSubSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of leaf level descendent subsection IDs. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.
getLeafSubSections	Retrieves an array of leaf level descendent subsections
getLongDescription	Retrieves long description of the section in the current language
getMediaFileName	Retrieves the file name of the physical media associated with the section for a particular display context
getNonNavSubSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of all non-navigational subsection IDs
getNonNavSubSections	Retrieves an array of non-navigational subsections
getNumberOfItems	Retrieves the number of item IDs within the section available in the user's validation organization. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

 Table 8–5
 Method Index for Class Section (Cont.)

Method	Description
getRelatedSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of section IDs for all sections related to this section by the relationship code passed in as parameter
getRelatedSections	Retrieves an array of sections related to this section by the relationship code passed in as parameter
getSectionID	Retrieves section ID
getSectionType	Retrieves section type
getSiblingSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of section IDs containing the IDs of the same level siblings
getSiblingSections	Retrieves an array of sections containing the same level siblings
getSubSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of navigational subsection IDs
getSubSectionItemIDs	Retrieves an array containing the IDs of items in subsections with the specified section type
getSubSectionItems	Retrieves an array containing items in a subsection with the specified section type
getSubSections	Retrieves an array of navigational subsections
getSuperSection	Retrieves the immediate super section
getSuperSectionID	Retrieves ID of the immediate super section
getSuperSectionIDs	Retrieves an array of supersection IDs, starting with the minisite root section
getSuperSections	Retrieves an array of supersections, starting with the minisite root section
getTemplateFileName	Retrieves the file name of the physical template associated with the section
isFeatured	Determines whether the section is a featured section
isLeafSection	Determines whether this section is a leaf section
load	Loads a section with the parameters passed in

Table 8–5 Method Index for Class Section (Cont.)

getAccessName

public String getAccessName()

Retrieves section access name

Returns: access name of the section

getAttributeCategory

```
public String getAttributeCategory()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves section's attribute_category column

Returns: section's attribute category

getAttributeColumn

```
public String getAttributeColumn(int k)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException,
InvalidColumnNumberException
```

Retrieves an attribute column value of the section

Parameters: k (the attribute column number, 1 to 15)

Returns: attribute value in column JTF_DSP_SECTIONS_VL.ATTRIBUTEk

getDescription

```
public String getDescription()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves description of the section in the current language

Returns: section description

getDisplayContextID

```
public int getDisplayContextID()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the display context for items in the section. This method is only applicable to leaf sections.

Returns: display context ID defined for this section. If jtf_dsp_sections_vl.display_ context_id is null, returns -1.

getDisplayName

```
public String getDisplayName()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves display name of the section in the current language

Returns: section display name

getFeaturedItemIDs

```
public int[] getFeaturedItemIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException,
ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array containing the IDs of the items in the section's featured subsections.

Returns: array of item IDs

getFeaturedItems

```
public Item[] getFeaturedItems()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array containing the items in the section's featured subsections.

Returns: array of items

getFeaturedSubSectionIDs

```
public int[] getFeaturedSubSectionIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of featured subsection IDs. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of featured subsection IDs

getFeaturedSubSections

```
public Section[] getFeaturedSubSections()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of featured subsections. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of featured subsections

getItemIDs

public int[] getItemIDs()

throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException

Retrieves array of item IDs in current section for the user's validation organization ID. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of item IDs

getItemIDs

```
public int[] getItemIDs(String ordByClause)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of item IDs ordered using the ordByClause parameter.

Parameters: orderByClause (comma-separated list of columns in MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_VL that will be used to order the items; for example "description asc, inventory_item_id, concatenated_segments desc")

Returns: array of item IDs ordered by the ordByClause passed in as parameter

getItems

```
public Item[] getItems()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of items in current section. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of items

getItems

```
public Item[] getItems(int front)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves a subarray of items in current section. The subarray will start with the item whose position in the item ID array is the front index passed in as parameter. It will end after retrieving number of items shown on a page (profile IBE: Items Per Page for Display).

Parameters: front (index indicating the position in the item ID array at which to start retrieving items; indexing starts at 0)

Returns: subarray of items

getItems

```
public Item[] getItems(int front, int end)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves a subarray of items in current section. The subarray will contain items whose position in the item ID array is between the front and end indexes passed in as parameter.

Parameters: front (index indicating the position in the item ID array at which to start retrieving items; indexing starts at 0)

end (index indicating the position in the item ID array at which to stop retrieving items)

Returns: subarray of items

getItems

```
public Item[] getItems(String orderByClause)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of items in current section, ordered by the orderByClause parameter. This method will always go to the database to retrieve the item IDs.

Parameters: orderByClause (comma-separated list of columns in MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_VL used to order the items; for example, "description asc, inventory_item_ id, concatenated_segments desc")

Returns: array of items, ordered by the orderByClause parameter

getItems

```
public Item[] getItems(String orderByClause, int front)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves a subarray of items, ordered by the orderByClause parameter. The subarray will start with the item whose position in the item ID array is the front index passed in as parameter. It will end after retrieving number of items shown on a page (profile IBE: Items Per Page for Display). This method will always go to the database to retrieve the item IDs.

Parameters: orderByClause (comma-separated list of columns in MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_VL used to order the items; for example, "description asc, inventory_item_ id, concatenated_segments desc") front (index indicating the position at which to start retrieving items; indexing starts at 0)

Returns: subarray of items, ordered by the orderByClause parameter

getItems

```
public Item[] getItems(String orderByClause, int front, int end)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException
```

Retrieves a subarray of items, ordered by the orderByClause parameter. The subarray will contain items whose position in the array is between the front and end indexes passed in as parameter. This method will always go to the database to retrieve the item IDs.

Parameters: orderByClause (comma-separated list of columns in MTL_SYSTEM_ ITEMS_VL used to order the items; for example, "description asc, inventory_item_ id, concatenated_segments desc")

front (index indicating the position at which to start retrieving items; indexing starts at 0)

end (index indicating the position in the item ID array at which to stop retrieving items)

Returns: subarray of items, ordered by the orderByClause parameter

getLeafSubSectionIDs

```
public int[] getLeafSubSectionIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of leaf level descendent subsection IDs. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of leaf level descendent subsection IDs

getLeafSubSections

```
public Section[] getLeafSubSections()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException,
CatalogException
```

Retrieves an array of leaf level descendent subsections. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of leaf level descendent subsections

getLongDescription

```
public String getLongDescription()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves long description of the section in the current language

Returns: section long description

getMediaFileName

```
public String getMediaFileName(String mediaCtx)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Retrieves the file name of the physical media associated with the section for a particular display context

Parameters: mediaCtx (display context for the media file; for example, STORE_ SECTION_SMALL_IMAGE)

Returns: File name of the media. If the required media is not found, returns null.

getNonNavSubSectionIDs

```
public int[] getNonNavSubSectionIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of all non-navigational subsection IDs. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of non-navigational subsection IDs

getNonNavSubSections

```
public Section[] getNonNavSubSections()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of non-navigational subsections. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of non-navigational subsections

getNumberOfItems

```
public int getNumberOfItems()
```

```
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the number of item IDs within the section available in the user's validation organization. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: number of item IDs in the section available in the user's organization ID.

getRelatedSectionIDs

```
public int[] getRelatedSectionIDs(String relationCode)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of section IDs for all sections related to this section by the relationship code passed in as parameter. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: String - relationCode (specifies the type of relationship; for example, "SUBSTITUTE")

Returns: array of related section IDs

getRelatedSections

```
public Section[] getRelatedSections(String relationCode)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of sections related to this section by the relationship code passed in as parameter. The load level of the related sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of related sections

getSectionID

```
public int getSectionID()
```

Retrieves section ID

Returns: the ID of the section

getSectionType

public String getSectionType()

Retrieves section type

Returns: section type of the section

getSiblingSectionIDs

```
public int[] getSiblingSectionIDs(boolean includeSelf)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of section IDs containing the IDs of the same level siblings. Uses the includeSelf parameter to determine whether to return this section's ID in the array. This section's ID should be returned when it is necessary to preserve the ordering of this section within its list of siblings. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: includeSelf (whether to return this section's ID in the array)

Returns: array of section IDs

getSiblingSections

```
public Section[] getSiblingSections(boolean includeSelf)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of sections containing the same level siblings. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. Uses the includeSelf parameter to determine whether to return this section in the array. This section should be returned when it is necessary to preserve the ordering of this section within its list of siblings. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: includeSelf (whether to return this section in the array)

Returns: array of sections

getSubSectionIDs

```
public int[] getSubSectionIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of navigational subsection IDs. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of navigational subsection IDs

getSubSectionIDs

```
public int[] getSubSectionIDs(String sectType)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of subsection IDs with the section type passed in as parameter. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: sectType (section type; Section.NAVIGATIONAL, Section.FEATURED)

Returns: array of subsection IDs for those subsections with the specified section type

getSubSectionItemIDs

```
public int[] getSubSectionItemIDs(String sectionType)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException,
SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array containing the IDs of items in subsections with the specified section type. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: sectionType (section type; Section.NAVIGATIONAL or Section.FEATURED)

Returns: array of item IDs

getSubSectionItems

```
public Item[] getSubSectionItems(String sectionType)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ItemNotFoundException,
SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array containing items in a subsection with the specified section type. The load level of the items will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: sectionType (section type; Section.NAVIGATIONAL or Section.FEATURED)

Returns: array of items

getSubSections

```
public Section[] getSubSections()
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of navigational subsections. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of navigational subsections

getSubSections

```
public Section[] getSubSections(int num)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of navigational subsections up to the maximum number passed in as parameter. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to Yes, minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: num (maximum number of navigational subsections to return)

Returns: array of navigational subsections

getSubSections

public Section[] getSubSections(String sectType)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException

Retrieves an array of subsections with the section type passed in as parameter. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to Yes, minisite exclusions will be removed.

Parameters: sectType (section type; Section.NAVIGATIONAL or Section.FEATURED)

Returns: array of subsections for those subsections with the specified section type.

getSuperSection

```
public Section getSuperSection()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves the immediate super section. The load level of the supersection will be SHALLOW. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: parent section

getSuperSectionID

public int getSuperSectionID()

throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException

Retrieves ID of the immediate super section. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to Yes, minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: parent section ID

getSuperSectionIDs

```
public int[] getSuperSectionIDs()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of supersection IDs, starting with the minisite root section. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of supersection IDs, starting with the minisite root section

getSuperSections

```
public Section[] getSuperSections()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Retrieves an array of supersections, starting with the minisite root section. If the profile IBE: Use Catalog exclusions is set to 'Yes', minisite exclusions will be removed.

Returns: array of supersections, starting with the minisite root section

getTemplateFileName

```
public String getTemplateFileName()
throws TemplateNotFoundException, FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Retrieves the file name of the physical template associated with the section

Returns: file name of the template associated with this section

isFeatured

```
public boolean isFeatured()
```

Determines whether the section is a featured section

Returns: true if the section is featured, false otherwise

isLeafSection

```
public boolean isLeafSection()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Determines whether this section is a leaf section. A leaf section is a section with no subsections.

Returns: true if the section is a leaf section, otherwise false

load

```
public static Section load(int sectID)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Loads a section with the section ID passed in as parameter. The load level of the section will be SHALLOW.

Parameters: sectID (Section ID corresponding to jtf_dsp_sections_vl.section_id)

Returns: section with values loaded for the proper members.

load

```
public static Section load(int sectID, int mode)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Loads a section with the section ID and mode passed in as parameter.

Parameters: sectID (Section ID corresponding to jtf_dsp_sections_vl.section_id)

mode (load level for the section; Section.SHALLOW or Section.DEEP)

Returns: section with values loaded for the proper members.

load

```
public static Section load(String accessName)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Loads a section with the access name passed in as parameter. The load level of the section will be SHALLOW.

Parameters: accessName (Section access name corresponding to jtf_dsp_sections_vl.access_name)

Returns: section with values loaded for the proper members.

load

```
public static Section load(String accessName, int mode)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Loads a section with the access name and mode passed in as parameter.

Parameters: accessName (Section access name corresponding to jtf_dsp_sections_vl.access_name)

mode (load level for the section; Section.SHALLOW or Section.DEEP)

Returns: section with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Section[] load(int sectIDs[])
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException
```

Load the sections with the section IDs passed in as parameter.

Parameters: sectIDs (array of section IDs corresponding to jtf_dsp_sections_ vl.section_id)

Returns: array of sections with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Section[] load(int sectIDs[], int mode)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, SectionNotFoundException,
CatalogException
```

Loads the sections with the sectionIDs and mode passed in as parameter.

Parameters: sectIDs (array of section IDs corresponding to jtf_dsp_sections_ vl.section_id)

mode (load level for the sections; Section.SHALLOW or Section.DEEP)

Returns: array of sections with values loaded for the proper members

load

```
public static Section[] load(String accessNames[])
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException,
CatalogException
```

Loads the sections with the access names passed in as parameter. The load level of the sections will be SHALLOW.

Parameters: accessNames (array of section access names corresponding to jtf_dsp_ sections_vl.access_name)

Returns: array of sections with values loaded for the proper members

load

public static Section[] load(String accessNames[], int mode)
throws SQLException, FrameworkException, SectionNotFoundException

Loads the sections with the access names and mode passed in as parameter.

Parameters: accessNames (array of section access names corresponding to jtf_dsp_ sections_vl.access_name)

mode (load level for the section; Section.SHALLOW or Section.DEEP)

Returns: array of sections with values loaded for the proper members

8.6 Exception Classes for Package oracle.apps.ibe.catalog

SQLException

Exception class to throw if database error occurs.

FrameworkException

Exception class to throw if error occurs while trying to get connection.

ItemNotFoundException

java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.ItemNotFoundException
public class ItemNotFoundException

extends oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException

Exception class to throw for Item class methods when item is not found in the database.

Exception class to throw for Section class methods when a section/subsection does not contain any items.

Used by getItems(), getItemIDs(), getSubSectionItemIDs(), getSubSectionItems() in the Section class.

InvalidColumnNumberException

```
java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.InvalidColumnNumberException
public class InvalidColumnNumberException
```

extends oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException

Exception class to throw when a table attribute column number passed in is not between 1 and 15, or a table segment column number passed in is not between 1 and 20.

Used by getAttributeColumn(int columnNumber) and getSegmentColumn(int columnNumber) in Item and Section classes.

PriceNotFoundException

```
java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.PriceNotFoundException
public class PriceNotFoundException
```

extends oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException

Exception class to throw when a price for an item is not found by the Pricing engine.

Used by getListPrice() and getBestPrice() in the Item and PriceObject class.

CatalogException

```
java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.CatalogException
public class CatalogException
```

extends oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException

General Exception for the Catalog. Exception class to throw if error occurs while retrieving requested data.

SectionNotFoundException

```
java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.SectionNotFoundException
public class SectionNotFoundException
```

extends oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException

Exception class to throw when a section is not found in the database or a section does not contain a subsection of a particular type.

Used by getLeafSubSectionIDs(), getLeafSubSections(), getRelatedSections(), getRelatedSectionIDs(), getSiblingSectionIDs(), getSiblingSections(), getSubSectionIDs(), getSubSectionIDs(), getSubSectionIDs(), getSuperSectionIDs(), getSuperSectionIDs(), getSuperSectionIDs(), getFeaturedSubSectionID() in the Section class.

Oracle iStore 11 i Shopping Cart Quote APIs

This chapter contains the following information about the Oracle iStore 11*i* Shopping Cart Quote public class APIs:

- Shopping Cart Quote API Class Summary
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- Class ControlRecord
- Class FreightChargeRecord
- Class HeaderRecord
- Class LineAttributeExtRecord
- Class LineDetailRecord
- Class LineRecord
- Class LineRelationshipRecord
- Class OrderHeaderRecord
- Class PaymentRecord
- Class PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord
- Class PriceAdjustmentRecord
- Class PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord
- Class PriceAttributeRecord
- Class Quote
- Class QuoteAccessRecord

- Class ShipmentRecord
- Class SubmitControlRecord
- Class TaxDetailRecord
- Exceptions for Package oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote

9.1 Shopping Cart Quote API Class Summary

APIs for the Oracle iStore 11*i* Shopping Cart Quote are in the package oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote. The table below describes the classes briefly.

Class	Description
Class CCTrxnOutRecord	
Class Contract	A class for Contracts.
Class ContractException	Exception class to throw if error occurs during Contract class method.
Class ControlRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Control_Rec_ Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class FreightChargeRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Freight_ Charge_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class HeaderRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Qte_Header_ Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class LineAttributeExtRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Line_ Attribs_Ext_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_ QUOTE_PUB.
Class LineDetailRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type <code>Qte_Line_Dtl_Rec_Type</code> in the PL/SQL package <code>ASO_QUOTE_PUB</code> .
Class LineRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type <code>Qte_Line_</code> Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class LineRelationshipRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Line_ Rltship_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_ PUB.
Class OrderHeaderRecord	
Class PaymentRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Payment_Rec_ Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class PriceAdjustmentAttribute Record	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Adj_ Attr_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class PriceAdjustmentRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Adj_ Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

 Table 9–1
 Shopping Cart Quote Class Summary

Class	Description
Class PriceAdjustmentRelations hipRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Adj_ Rltship_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_ PUB.
Class PriceAttributeRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_ Attributes_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_ QUOTE_PUB.
Class Quote	A class that represents quotes which are used as shopping carts, Express Checkout carts, and checked out carts.
Class QuoteAccessRecord	The sharees' access control information for quotes. The fields are based on the table IBE_SH_QUOTE_ACCESS.
Class QuoteException	Exception class to throw if Quote class method action has already been performed by others or if there is an application error.
Class ShipmentRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Shipment_ Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.
Class SubmitControlRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Submit_ Control_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_ PUB. It is used to control the submit process.
Class TaxDetailRecord	Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Tax_Detail_ Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

 Table 9–1
 Shopping Cart Quote Class Summary (Cont.)

9.2 Class CCTrxnOutRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.CCTrxnOutRecord
public class CCTrxnOutRecord

extends Object

9.2.1 Variables for Class CCTrxnOutRecord

auth_code

public String auth_code

bep_err_code

public String bep_err_code

bep_err_message
public String bep_err_message

err_code public String err_code

err_location
public BigDecimal err_location

err_message
public String err_message

nls_lang public String nls_lang

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

status public BigDecimal status

trxn_date
public Timestamp trxn_date

trxn_id
public BigDecimal trxn_id

9.2.2 Constructors for Class CCTrxnOutRecord

CCTrxnOutRecord

public CCTrxnOutRecord()

CCTrxnOutRecord

public CCTrxnOutRecord(boolean ___RosettaUseGMISSValues)

9.3 Class Contract

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.Contract
public class Contract

extends Object

A class for contracts

9.3.1 Variables for Class Contract

ACTIVE

public static final int ACTIVE

APPROVED

public static final int APPROVED

CANCELLED

public static final int CANCELLED

ENTERED public static final int ENTERED

The possible values for the state of a contract

EXPIRED

public static final int EXPIRED

HOLD public static final int HOLD

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

Standard public final static String which is intialized with the usual RCS header used by ARCS

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED
Standard public final static boolean which is initialized by a call to oracle.apps.fnd.common.VersionInfo.recordClassVersion

SIGNED

public static final int SIGNED

TERMINATED

public static final int TERMINATED

9.3.2 Constructors for Class Contract

Contract

public Contract()

9.3.3 Methods for Class Contract

The following table is an index of Class Contract methods:

Method	Description
createContract	Creates a contract using the specified quote and template
getContract	Returns the contracts associated with this quote
getContractID	Retrieves the contractID
getContractNumber	Retrieves the contractNumber
getContractText	Returns the text of the articles contained in this contract
getQuoteID	Retrieves the quoteID
getState	Retrieves the state of the contract possible values
notifyContractChange	Sends a notification to the specified sales rep with the comments
setEntered	Sets the state of the contract to entered
setSigned	Sets the state of the contract to signed

Table 9–2 Method Index for Class Contract

createContract

public static Contract createContract(BigDecimal quoteID, BigDecimal templateID)

throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ContractException

Creates a contract using the specified quote and template

getContract

public static Contract[] getContract(BigDecimal quoteID)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Returns the contracts associated with this quote. If no contracts are associated, then it returns null.

getContractID

public BigDecimal getContractID()

Retrieves the contractID

Returns: the contract ID

getContractNumber

public String getContractNumber()

Retrieves the contractNumber

Returns: the contract number

getContractText

public Reader[] getContractText()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Returns the text of the articles contained in this contract. For performance reasons, a reader stream (one for each article) is returned. After use, each reader stream should be closed by the calling application.

getContractText

```
public static Reader[] getContractText(BigDecimal contractID)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Returns the text of the articles contained in the specified contract. For performance reasons, a reader stream (one for each article) is returned. After use, each reader stream should be closed by the calling application.

getQuoteID

public BigDecimal getQuoteID()

Retrieves the quoteID

Returns: the ID of the quote associated to this contract

getState

public int getState()

Retrieves the state of the contract possible values: Contract.ENTERED, Contract.APPROVED, Contract.SIGNED, Contract.ACTIVE, Contract.CANCELLED, Contract.TERMINATED.

Returns: the state of the contract

notifyContractChange

public void notifyContractChange(String salesRepEmail, String comments)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ContractException

Sends a notification to the specified sales rep with the comments

setEntered

public void setEntered()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ContractException

Sets the state of the contract to entered

setSigned

public void setSigned()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException, ContractException

Sets the state of the contract to signed

9.4 Class ControlRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.ControlRecord
public class ControlRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Control_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields calculate_tax_flag and calculate_freight_charge_flag can have the value "Y" for yes and "N" for no.

This class is used in methods of the class Quote like appendToAndShare, merge, replaceAndShare, and save for pricing.

You should not set the field line_pricing_event if you want to get prices for the whole quote.

9.4.1 Variables for Class ControlRecord

auto_version_flag

public String auto_version_flag

calculate_freight_charge_flag

public String calculate_freight_charge_flag

calculate_tax_flag

public String calculate_tax_flag

header_pricing_event

public String header_pricing_event

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

line_pricing_event
public String line_pricing_event

pricing_request_type public String pricing_request_type

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

9.4.2 Constructors for Class ControlRecord

ControlRecord

public ControlRecord()

9.5 Class FreightChargeRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.FreightChargeRecord
public class FreightChargeRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Freight_Charge_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_FREIGHT_CHARGES.

9.5.1 Variables for Class FreightChargeRecord

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1

public String attribute1

attribute2

public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4

public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6

public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13

attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

charge_amount public BigDecimal charge_amount

created_by
public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date
public Timestamp creation_date

freight_charge_id
public BigDecimal freight_charge_id

freight_charge_type_id
public BigDecimal freight_charge_type_id

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

quote_shipment_id
public BigDecimal quote_shipment_id

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

request_id

public BigDecimal request_id

shipment_index

public BigDecimal shipment_index

9.5.2 Constructors for Class FreightChargeRecord

FreightChargeRecord

public FreightChargeRecord()

9.6 Class HeaderRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.HeaderRecord
public class HeaderRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Qte_Header_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the view ASO_QUOTE_HEADERS_V.

9.6.1 Variables for Class HeaderRecord

The following table is an index of Class HeaderRecord variables:

accounting_rule_id

public BigDecimal accounting_rule_id

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1

public String attribute1

attribute2

public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13 attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

contract_id
public BigDecimal contract_id

created_by public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date
public Timestamp creation_date

currency_code public String currency_code

cust_account_id
public BigDecimal cust_account_id

employee_person_id
public BigDecimal employee_person_id

exchange_rate
public BigDecimal exchange_rate

exchange_rate_date
public Timestamp exchange_rate_date

exchange_type_code public String exchange_type_code

ffm_request_id
public BigDecimal ffm_request_id

invoice_to_address1
public String invoice_to_address1

invoice_to_address2
public String invoice_to_address2

invoice_to_address3
public String invoice_to_address3

invoice_to_address4
public String invoice_to_address4

invoice_to_city
public String invoice_to_city

invoice_to_contact_first_name
public String invoice_to_contact_first_name

invoice_to_contact_last_name
public String invoice_to_contact_last_name

invoice_to_contact_middle_name
public String invoice_to_contact_middle_name

invoice_to_country
public String invoice_to_country

invoice_to_country_code
public String invoice_to_country_code

invoice_to_county
public String invoice_to_county

invoice_to_party_id
public BigDecimal invoice_to_party_id

invoice_to_party_name
public String invoice_to_party_name

invoice_to_party_site_id
public BigDecimal invoice_to_party_site_id

invoice_to_postal_code
public String invoice_to_postal_code

invoice_to_province
public String invoice_to_province

invoice_to_state
public String invoice_to_state

invoicing_rule_id
public BigDecimal invoicing_rule_id

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

marketing_source_code
public String marketing_source_code

marketing_source_code_id
public BigDecimal marketing_source_code_id

marketing_source_name public String marketing_source_name **order_id** public BigDecimal order_id

order_number
public BigDecimal order_number

order_type_id
public BigDecimal order_type_id

order_type_name
public String order_type_name

ordered_date
public Timestamp ordered_date

org_contact_id
public BigDecimal org_contact_id

org_id
public BigDecimal org_id

orig_mktg_source_code_id
public BigDecimal orig_mktg_source_code_id

original_system_reference
public String original_system_reference

party_id
public BigDecimal party_id

party_name
public String party_name

party_type
public String party_type

payment_amount

public BigDecimal payment_amount

person_first_name
public String person_first_name

person_last_name
public String person_last_name

person_middle_name
public String person_middle_name

phone_id
public BigDecimal phone_id

price_frozen_date
public Timestamp price_frozen_date

price_list_id
public BigDecimal price_list_id

price_list_name
public String price_list_name

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_contract_id
public BigDecimal qte_contract_id

quote_category_code

public String quote_category_code

quote_expiration_date
public Timestamp quote_expiration_date

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_name public String quote_name

quote_number
public BigDecimal quote_number

quote_password public String quote_password

quote_source_code
public String quote_source_code

quote_status
public String quote_status

quote_status_code
public String quote_status_code

quote_status_id public BigDecimal quote_status_id

quote_version public BigDecimal quote_version

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

sales_channel_code
public String sales_channel_code

salesrep_first_name
public String salesrep_first_name

salesrep_last_name
public String salesrep_last_name

surcharge
public BigDecimal surcharge

total_adjusted_amount public BigDecimal total_adjusted_amount

total_adjusted_percent public BigDecimal total_adjusted_percent

total_list_price public BigDecimal total_list_price

total_quote_price public BigDecimal total_quote_price

total_shipping_charge public BigDecimal total_shipping_charge

total_tax
public BigDecimal total_tax

9.6.2 Constructors for Class HeaderRecord

HeaderRecord

public HeaderRecord()

9.7 Class LineAttributeExtRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.LineAttributeExtRecord
public class LineAttributeExtRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Line_Attribs_Ext_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_QUOTE_LINE_ATTRIBS_EXT.

This class stores attribute and value for quote line attributes not captured in LineRecord and LineDetailRecord.

9.7.1 Variables for Class LineAttributeExtRecord

application_id

public BigDecimal application_id

attribute_type_code

public String attribute_type_code

created_by

public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date

public Timestamp creation_date

end_date_active public Timestamp end_date_active

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by

public BigDecimal last_updated_by

line_attribute_id

public BigDecimal line_attribute_id

name public String name

operation_code

public String operation_code

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

start_date_active
public Timestamp start_date_active

status public String status

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value

public String value

value_type

public String value_type

9.7.2 Constructors for Class LineAttributeExtRecord

LineAttributeExtRecord

public LineAttributeExtRecord()

9.8 Class LineDetailRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.LineDetailRecord
public class LineDetailRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Qte_Line_Dtl_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_QUOTE_LINE_DETAILS.

Stores service related attributes, model/option related attributes, and return related attributes of quote lines.

9.8.1 Variables for Class LineDetailRecord

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1

public String attribute1

attribute2

public String attribute2

attribute3

public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13

attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

change_reason_code

public String change_reason_code

complete_configuration_flag
public String complete_configuration_flag

component_code
public String component_code

config_header_id
public BigDecimal config_header_id

config_item_id
public BigDecimal config_item_id

config_revision_num
public BigDecimal config_revision_num

creation_date public Timestamp creation_date

created_by
public BigDecimal created_by

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

program_application_id

public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_line_detail_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_detail_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

return_attribute_category
public String return_attribute_category

return_attribute1
public String return_attribute1

return_attribute2

public String return_attribute2

return_attribute3
public String return_attribute3

return_attribute4
public String return_attribute4

return_attribute5 public String return_attribute5

return_attribute6
public String return_attribute6

return_attribute7
public String return_attribute7

return_attribute8
public String return_attribute8

return_attribute9
public String return_attribute9

return_attribute10
public String return_attribute10

return_attribute11
public String return_attribute11

return_attribute12
public String return_attribute12

return_attribute13
public String return_attribute13

return_attribute14
public String return_attribute14

return_attribute15
public String return_attribute15

return_reason_code

public String return_reason_code

return_ref_header_id
public BigDecimal return_ref_header_id

return_ref_line_id
public BigDecimal return_ref_line_id

return_ref_type
public String return_ref_type

service_coterminate_flag
public String service_coterminate_flag

service_duration public BigDecimal service_duration

service_number
public BigDecimal service_number

service_period
public String service_period

service_ref_line_id
public BigDecimal service_ref_line_id

service_ref_line_number
public BigDecimal service_ref_line_number

service_ref_option_numb
public BigDecimal service_ref_option_numb

service_ref_order_number
public BigDecimal service_ref_order_number

service_ref_qte_line_index
public BigDecimal service_ref_qte_line_index

service_ref_shipment_numb
public BigDecimal service_ref_shipment_numb

service_ref_system_id
public BigDecimal service_ref_system_id

service_ref_type_code
public String service_ref_type_code

service_unit_list_percent
public BigDecimal service_unit_list_percent

service_unit_selling_percent
public BigDecimal service_unit_selling_percent

unit_percent_base_price
public BigDecimal unit_percent_base_price

valid_configuration_flag
public String valid_configuration_flag

9.8.2 Constructors for Class LineDetailRecord

LineDetailRecord

public LineDetailRecord()

9.9 Class LineRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.LineRecord
public class LineRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Qte_Line_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the view ASO_QUOTE_LINES.

9.9.1 Variables for Class LineRecord

accounting_rule_id

public BigDecimal accounting_rule_id

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1 public String attribute1

attribute2 public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8

public String attribute8

attribute9

public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11

public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13

attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

backorder_flag
public String backorder_flag

created_by
public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date public Timestamp creation_date

currency_code
public String currency_code

end_date_active public Timestamp end_date_active

ffm_content_name
public String ffm_content_name

ffm_content_type

public String ffm_content_type

ffm_document_type
public String ffm_document_type

ffm_media_id
public String ffm_media_id

ffm_media_type
public String ffm_media_type

ffm_user_note
public String ffm_user_note

inventory_item_id
public BigDecimal inventory_item_id

invoice_to_party_id
public BigDecimal invoice_to_party_id

invoice_to_party_site_id
public BigDecimal invoice_to_party_site_id

invoicing_rule_id
public BigDecimal invoicing_rule_id

item_relationship_type
public String item_relationship_type

item_type_code
public String item_type_code

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

line_adjusted_amount
public BigDecimal line_adjusted amount

line_adjusted_percent
public BigDecimal line_adjusted_percent

line_category_code
public String line_category_code

line_list_price
public BigDecimal line_list_price

line_number
public BigDecimal line_number

line_quote_price
public BigDecimal line_quote_price

marketing_source_code_id
public BigDecimal marketing_source_code_id

operation_code
public String operation_code

order_line_type_id
public BigDecimal order_line_type_id

org_id
public BigDecimal org_id

organization_id

public BigDecimal organization_id

price_list_id
public BigDecimal price_list_id

price_list_line_id
public BigDecimal price_list_line_id

pricing_quantity_uom
public String pricing_quantity_uom

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

quantity public BigDecimal quantity

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

related_item_id
public BigDecimal related item_id

split_shipment_flag

public String split_shipment_flag

start_date_active

public Timestamp start_date_active

uom_code

public String uom_code

9.9.2 Constructors for Class LineRecord

LineRecord

public LineRecord()

9.10 Class LineRelationshipRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.LineRelationshipRecord
public class LineRelationshipRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Line_Rltship_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_LINE_RELATIONSHIP.

This class stores the relationship between quote lines.

9.10.1 Variables for Class LineRelationshipRecord

created_by

public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date

public Timestamp creation_date

last_update_date

public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

line_relationship_id
public BigDecimal line_relationship_id

operation_code
public String operation_code

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

reciprocal_flag
public String reciprocal_flag

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

related_qte_line_index
public BigDecimal related_qte_line_index

related_quote_line_id

public BigDecimal related_quote_line_id

relationship_type_code

public String relationship_type_code

9.10.2 Constructors for Class LineRelationshipRecord

LineRelationshipRecord

public LineRelationshipRecord()

9.11 Class OrderHeaderRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.OrderHeaderRecord
public class OrderHeaderRecord

extends Object

9.11.1 Variables for Class OrderHeaderRecord

contract_id

public BigDecimal contract_id

order_header_id

public BigDecimal order_header_id

order_number

public BigDecimal order_number

order_request_id

public BigDecimal order_request_id

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

status

public String status

9.11.2 Constructors for Class OrderHeaderRecord

OrderHeaderRecord

public OrderHeaderRecord()

9.12 Class PaymentRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.PaymentRecord
public class PaymentRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Payment_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_PAYMENTS.

Store payment related information for the quote.

9.12.1 Variables for Class PaymentRecord

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1

public String attribute1

attribute2

public String attribute2

attribute3

public String attribute3

attribute4

public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13

attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15 created_by public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date public Timestamp creation_date

credit_card_approval_code
public String credit_card_approval_code

credit_card_approval_date
public Timestamp credit_card_approval_date

credit_card_code
public String credit_card_code

credit_card_expiration_date
public Timestamp credit_card_expiration_date

credit_card_holder_name
public String credit_card_holder_name

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

payment_amount
public BigDecimal payment_amount
payment_id
public BigDecimal payment_id

payment_option
public String payment_option

payment_ref_number
public String payment_ref_number

payment_term_id
public BigDecimal payment_term_id

payment_type_code
public String payment_type_code

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

quote_shipment_id
public BigDecimal quote_shipment_id

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

request_id

public BigDecimal request_id

shipment_index

public BigDecimal shipment_index

9.12.2 Constructors for Class PaymentRecord

PaymentRecord

public PaymentRecord()

9.13 Class PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord

java.lang.Object >
oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord
public class PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Adj_Attr_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the view ASO_PRICE_ADJ_ATTRIBS_V.

9.13.1 Variables for Class PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord

comparison_operator

public String comparison_operator

created_by

public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date

public Timestamp creation_date

flex_title
public String flex_title

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

price_adj_attrib_id
public BigDecimal price_adj_attrib_id

price_adj_index
public BigDecimal price_adj_index

price_adjustment_id
public BigDecimal price_adjustment_id

pricing_attr_value_from
public String pricing_attr_value_from

pricing_attr_value_to
public String pricing_attr_value_to

pricing_attribute
public String pricing_attribute

pricing_context
public String pricing_context

program_application_id

public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

shipment_index

public BigDecimal shipment_index

9.13.2 Constructors for Class PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord

PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord

public PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord()

9.14 Class PriceAdjustmentRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.PriceAdjustmentRecord
public class PriceAdjustmentRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Adj_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the view ASO_PRICE_ADJUSTMENTS_V.

9.14.1 Variables for Class PriceAdjustmentRecord

accrual_conversion_rate public BigDecimal accrual_conversion_rate

accrual_flag public String accrual_flag

adjusted_amount public BigDecimal adjusted_amount

applied_flag
public String applied_flag

arithmetic_operator
public String arithmetic_operator

attribute_category
public String attribute_category

attribute1
public String attribute1

attribute2 public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6

public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13

attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

automatic_flag
public String automatic_flag

benefit_qty
public BigDecimal benefit_qty

benefit_uom_code
public String benefit_uom_code

change_reason_code
public String change_reason_code

change_reason_text
public String change_reason_text

change_sequence
public String change_sequence

charge_subtype_code
public String charge_subtype_code

charge_type_code
public String charge_type_code

cost_id public BigDecimal cost_id

created_by public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date
public Timestamp creation_date

credit_or_charge_flag
public String credit_or_charge_flag

estimated_flag public String estimated_flag

expiration_date
public Timestamp expiration_date

inc_in_sales_performance
public String inc_in_sales_performance

include_on_returns_flag

public String include_on_returns_flag

invoiced_flag
public String invoiced_flag

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

list_line_no
public String list_line_no

modified_from
public BigDecimal modified_from

modified_to
public BigDecimal modified_to

modifier_header_id
public BigDecimal modifier_header_id

modifier_level_code
public String modifier_level_code

modifier_line_id
public BigDecimal modifier_line_id

modifier_line_type_code
public String modifier_line_type_code

modifier_mechanism_type_code

public String modifier_mechanism_type_code

on_invoice_flag
public String on_invoice_flag

operand public BigDecimal operand

operation_code
public String operation_code

orig_sys_discount_ref
public String orig_sys_discount_ref

parent_adjustment_id
public BigDecimal parent_adjustment_id

price_adjustment_id
public BigDecimal price_adjustment_id

price_break_type_code
public String price_break_type_code

pricing_group_sequence
public BigDecimal pricing_group_sequence

pricing_phase_id
public BigDecimal pricing_phase_id

print_on_invoice_flag
public String print_on_invoice_flag

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

proration_type_code
public String proration_type_code

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

quote_shipment_id
public BigDecimal quote_shipment_id

range_break_quantity
public BigDecimal range_break_quantity

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

rebate_payment_system_code
public String rebate_payment_system_code

rebate_transaction_reference
public String rebate_transaction_reference

rebate_transaction_type_code
public String rebate_transaction_type_code

redeemed_date

public Timestamp redeemed_date

redeemed_flag
public String redeemed_flag

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

shipment_index
public BigDecimal shipment_index

source_system_code
public String source_system_code

split_action_code
public String split_action_code

substitution_attribute
public String substitution_attribute

tax_code
public String tax_code

tax_exempt_flag
public String tax_exempt_flag

tax_exempt_number
public String tax_exempt_number

tax_exempt_reason_code
public String tax_exempt_reason_code

update_allowable_flag
public String update_allowable_flag

update_allowed

public String update_allowed

updated_flag

public String updated_flag

9.14.2 Constructors for Class PriceAdjustmentRecord

PriceAdjustmentRecord

public PriceAdjustmentRecord()

9.15 Class PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord

java.lang.Object >

 $\verb|oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord public class PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord||$

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Adj_Rltship_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the view ASO_PRICE_ADJ_RELATIONSHIPS_V.

Stores the relationship between quote lines and price adjustments and also between price adjustments.

9.15.1 Variables for Class PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord

adj_relationship_id

public BigDecimal adj_relationship_id

created_by

public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date

public Timestamp creation_date

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

price_adj_index
public BigDecimal price_adj_index

price_adjustment_id
public BigDecimal price_adjustment_id

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

quote_shipment_id
public BigDecimal quote_shipment_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

rltd_price_adj_id

public BigDecimal rltd_price_adj_id

rltd_price_adj_index

public BigDecimal rltd_price_adj_index

shipment_index

public BigDecimal shipment_index

9.15.2 Constructors for Class PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord

PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord

public PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord()

9.16 Class PriceAttributeRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.PriceAttributeRecord
public class PriceAttributeRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Price_Attributes_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_PRICE_ATTRIBUTES.

Stores information on qualifiers and pricing attributes for which the corresponding price adjustment line qualifies.

9.16.1 Variables for Class PriceAttributeRecord

attribute1

public String attribute1

attribute2

public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13 attribute14

public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

context public String context

created_by public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date public Timestamp creation_date

flex_title
public String flex_title

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

price_attribute_id
public BigDecimal price_attribute_id

pricing_attribute1
public String pricing_attribute1

pricing_attribute2
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pricing_attribute3
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pricing_attribute99
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pricing_attribute100
public String pricing_attribute100

pricing_context
public String pricing_context

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

9.16.2 Constructors for Class PriceAttributeRecord

PriceAttributeRecord

public PriceAttributeRecord()

9.17 Class Quote

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.Quote
public class Quote

extends Object

A class that represents quotes which are used as shopping carts, Express Checkout carts, and checked out carts.

You use this class to perform operations like creation, loading, update, deletion, and sharing of a quote with all of its related information including quote header, quote lines, payment, shipment, tax, price adjustment, etc. All these information are stores in ASO (Oracle Order Capture) tables.

All the methods that perform read operations like load, loadAll, loadSharees, and loadVersions executes SQL through JDBC.

All the other methods that perform write operations are Java wrappers that call corresponding PL/SQL procedures through JDBC.

All the fields of the record classes like HeaderRecord, LineRecord, etc. are initialized with constant values that correspond to the PL/SQL constants G_MISS_CHAR, G_MISS_NUM, and G_MISS_DATE> in the PL/SQL package FND_API.

The following general rules apply for all the methods:

- All the optional parameters accept null value.
- The following optional parameters are included in the methods that create a quote and can be used for sharing information (if the quote is not to be shared, they should be null):
 - password: the password to access the shared quote
 - url: a character string that specifies the url to access the shared quote.

An example:

```
String url = "http://" + request.getRemoteHost() + ":"
request.getServerPort() + "/" +
DisplayManager.getTemplate("STORE_SCART_VIEW_LIST_P").getFileName() +
```

```
"?minisite=" + RequestCtx.getMinisiteId() +
"&Retrieve.x=Retrieve" +
"&dispFlag=sharee" +
"&sharedFlag=true" +
"&prevref=" + DisplayManager.getTemplate("STORE_SCART_VIEW_
LIST").getFileName() +
"&retSharTPassword" + java.net.URLEncoder.encode(password);
```

- e-mail addresses: e-mail addresses of the sharees
- privilege types: the privilege type granted to the sharees; the valid values are:
 - * 'A': all privileges
 - * 'F': feedback-only privilege
 - * 'R': read-only privilege
- comment: text that is e-mailed to the sharees as a comment
- The parameter combineSameItem is used in methods like appendToAndShare, and merge that might have multiple lines for the same standard item. If it is 'Y', it will combine the lines into one and update the quantity with the sum of the quantities. The lines can be merges only if the inventory item ID and UOM code are same and the item type ID standard. If it is 'N', it will keep separate lines. If it is null, it will use the value of user profile 'IBE_SC_MERGE_SHOPCART_LINES'.
- Methods that create or update a quote have the optional parameters, price list ID and currency code that can be used to avoid the overhead of determining which price list to use to calculate the price. If you do not specify, Oracle Pricing will determine the best price list the user is qualified for.
- Methods that create or update a quote have the optional parameter, control record to indicate pricing related flags.

9.17.1 Variables for Class Quote

COMBINED_LINES

public static final int COMBINED_LINES

Constant to have the quote to combine the lines of the same item.

controlRec

public ControlRecord controlRec

Control record used for pricing.

This class is used in methods like appendToAndShare , merge, replaceAndShare, and save for pricing.

You should not set the field line_pricing_event if you want to get prices for the whole quote.

headerFreightChargeRec

public FreightChargeRecord headerFreightChargeRec[]

Header level freight charge information.

headerPaymentRec

public PaymentRecord headerPaymentRec[]

Header level payment information.

headerPriceAttrRec

public PriceAttributeRecord headerPriceAttrRec[]

Header level price attributes.

headerRec

public HeaderRecord headerRec

Quote header information.

headerShipmentRec

public ShipmentRecord headerShipmentRec[]

Header level shipment information.

A header level shipment means the shipping information is the same for all the quote lines.

headerTaxDetailRec

public TaxDetailRecord headerTaxDetailRec[]

Header level tax information.

lineAttrExtRec

public LineAttributeExtRecord lineAttrExtRec[]

Stores attribute and value for quote line attributes not captured in lineRec and lineDetRec.

lineDetRec

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public LineDetailRecord lineDetRec[]
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Service related attributes, model/option related attributes, and return related attributes of quote lines.

lineFreightChargeRec

public FreightChargeRecord lineFreightChargeRec[]

Line level freight charge information.

linePaymentRec

public PaymentRecord linePaymentRec[]

Line level payment information.

linePriceAttrRec

public PriceAttributeRecord linePriceAttrRec[]

Line level price attributes.

lineRec

public LineRecord lineRec[]

Quote line information.

lineRelRec

public LineRelationshipRecord lineRelRec[]

Relationship between quote lines.

lineShipmentRec

public ShipmentRecord lineShipmentRec[]

Line level shipment information.

A line level shipment means each line has its own shipping information.

lineTaxDetailRec

public TaxDetailRecord lineTaxDetailRec[]

Line level tax information.

priceAdjAttrRec

public PriceAdjustmentAttributeRecord priceAdjAttrRec[]

Price adjustment attributes.

priceAdjRec public PriceAdjustmentRecord priceAdjRec[]

Price adjustments.

priceAdjRelRec

public PriceAdjustmentRelationshipRecord priceAdjRelRec[]

Relationship between quote lines and price adjustments and also between price adjustments.

quoteAccessRec

public QuoteAccessRecord quoteAccessRec[]

The sharees' access control information for quotes.

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

Standard public final static String which is intialized with the usual RCS header used by ARCS.

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

Standard public final static boolean which is initialized by a call to oracle.apps.fnd.common.VersionInfo.recordClassVersion.

SEPARATE_LINES

public static final int SEPARATE_LINES

Constant to have the quote to have separate lines for the same item.

submitControlRec

public SubmitControlRecord submitControlRec

Control record used while submitting a quote to order.

USE_PROFILE

public static final int USE_PROFILE

Constant to let the user profile decide whether to combine the lines of the same item or to have separate lines for the same item.

9.17.2 Constructors for Class Quote

Quote

public Quote()

9.17.3 Methods for Class Quote

The following table is an index of Class Quote methods:

Method	Description
activate	Activates a quote, that is, makes a quote as the active quote of the user account
appendToAndShare	Appends a quote to another quote and saves sharees' information
authorizePayment	Authorizes credit card payment

Table 9–3 Method Index for Class Quote

Method	Description
delete	Deletes the quote
deleteAllLines	Delete all the lines of the quote given the quote ID
getQuoteID	Gets the quote ID given the quote number and quote version
getQuoteName	Gets the quote name given the quote number and quote version
getShareePrivilege	Gets sharee's privilege for the quote
isOrdered	Checks if the quote is ordered
isShippable	Checks if the quote is shippable
load	Loads quote information
loadAll	Loads all quotes owned by the given account excluding the active quote
loadSharees	Retrieves the quote access control information
loadVersions	Loads quote versions of the same quote number
merge	Merges the active quote of the guest user account to the active quote of the registered user account
replaceAndShare	Replaces a quote to another quote and saves sharee information
retrieveSharedQuote	Retrieves a shared quote
save	Creates or updates a quote
saveAsAndShare	Saves a quote and saves sharee information
share	Shares a quote with sharees
submit	Submits a quote to turn it into an order

Table 9–3 Method Index for Class Quote (Cont.)

activate

```
public static BigDecimal activate(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp
quoteLastUpdateDate, boolean keepOrigQuote)
throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException
```

Activates a quote, that is, makes a quote as the active quote of the user account.

Active quotes have the name IBEACTIVECART.

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

quoteLastUpdateDate (The last update date of the quote header. Optional. If it is not null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

keepOrigQuote (Indicates if the quote of quoteID is to be kept and a new quote with the same contents as the quote of quoteID with the name IBEACTIVECART is to be created. Use true to keep the quote quoteID and create a new quote; false just to rename the quote of quoteID to IBEACTIVECART.)

Returns: quote ID of the new active quote for the user account

appendToAndShare

public static BigDecimal appendToAndShare(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp quoteLastUpdateDate, BigDecimal toQuoteID, boolean createNewVersion, int combineSameItem, String toQuotePassword, String url, String emailAddresses[], String privilegeTypes[], String comment, BigDecimal priceListID, String currencyCode, ControlRecord controlRec) throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Appends a quote to another quote and saves sharees' information.

The optional parameters, toQuotePassword, url, emailAddresses, and privilegeTypes, are to share the quote.

The optional parameters, priceListID and currencyCode are to specify which price list to use to calculate the price.

The optional parameter controlRec is used for pricing.

Parameters: quoteID (ID of the appending quote)

quoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If it is not null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

toQuoteID (ID of the quote to which the quote quoteID is appended to)

createNewVersion (If true, it creates a new version of the quote toQuoteID and appends the quote quoteID to the quote toQuoteID. Otherwise, it appends the quote quoteID to the quote toQuoteID.)

combineSameItem (If COMBINED_LINES, it combines lines of the same item. If SEPARATE_LINES, it creates seperate lines for the same item. If USE_PROFILE or any other values, it uses the user profile IBE_SC_MERGE_SHOPCART_LINES determine whether to combines lines or create seperate lines.)

toQuotePassword (Optional. Password the sharees should use to access the quote toQuoteID)

url (Optional. URL to access the shared quote)

emailAddresses (Optional. E-mail addresses of the sharees)

privilegeTypes (Optional. Privilege types of the sharees)

priceListID (Optional. Price list ID)

currencyCode (Optional. Currency code)

controlRec (control information for pricing)

Returns: quote ID of the appended quote

authorizePayment

```
public static CCTrxnOutRecord authorizePayment(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp
inQuoteLastUpdateDate, BigDecimal appID, String authType, Timestamp
outQuoteLastUpdateDate)
throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException
```

Authorizes credit card payment.

The payment record of the quote should be updated with the credit card information before calling this method.

The return status is set in the QuotePmtOutRecord which contains the return values from the Payment Server. If app_id is null, we will default app ID of Oracle Order Capture. If authType is null, we will default to 'AUTHONLY'.

```
Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)
```

inQuoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If it is not null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

appID (Application ID registered in Oracle iPayment. If null, it defaults to the applcation ID of Oracle Order Capture.)

authType (Authoriaztion type. 'AUTHONLY' to just authorize; 'AUTHCAPTURE' to authorize and capture)

outQuoteLastUpdateDate (the last update date of the quote after authorization)

Returns: record containing the result of the authorize operation

delete

public static void delete(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp quoteLastUpdateDate)
throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Deletes the quote.

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

quoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If you do not pass null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

deleteAllLines

```
public static Timestamp deleteAllLines(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp
quoteLastUpdateDate, BigDecimal shareeNum)
throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException
```

Delete all the lines of the quote given the quote ID

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

quoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If you do not pass null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

shareeNum (sharee number. If a user is deleting all the lines as a sharee, he/she should put his/her sharee number to see if he/she has the privilege to do so.)

Returns: last update date of the quote header record

getQuoteID

```
public static BigDecimal getQuoteID(BigDecimal quoteNumber, BigDecimal
quoteVersion)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Gets the quote ID given the quote number and quote version

Parameters: quoteNumber (quote number)

quoteVersion (quote version)

Returns: quote ID; null if the quote ID is not found

getQuoteName

public static String getQuoteName(BigDecimal quoteNumber, BigDecimal

quoteVersion)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Gets the quote name given the quote number and quote version

Parameters: quoteNumber (quote number)

quoteVersion (quote version)

Returns: quote name; null if not found

getShareePrivilege

```
public static String getShareePrivilege(BigDecimal quoteNumber, BigDecimal
quoteVersion, BigDecimal shareeNumber, String password)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Gets sharee's privilege for the quote. If the parameter password is not null, this method will only get the sharee's privilege if the password is validated.

Parameters: quoteNumber (quote number)

quoteVersion (quote version)

shareeNumber (sharee number)

password (quote password, optional)

Returns: sharee's privilege

isOrdered

public boolean isOrdered()

Checks if the quote is ordered

Returns: true if the quote does not exist or it has been ordered; false otherwise

isShippable

public static boolean isShippable(BigDecimal quoteID)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Checks if the quote is shippable

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

Returns: true if at least one of the line items of the qoute is shippable; false otherwise.
load

```
public static Quote load(BigDecimal quoteID, BigDecimal partyID, BigDecimal
custAcctID, boolean loadLine, boolean loadLineDetail, boolean
loadHeaderPriceAttr, boolean loadLinePriceAttr, boolean loadHeaderPayment,
boolean loadLinePayment, boolean loadHeaderShipment, boolean loadLineShipment,
boolean loadHeaderTaxDetail, boolean loadLineTaxDetail, boolean loadLineRel,
boolean loadLineAttrExt, boolean includeOrdered)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Loads quote information

headerRec field is always loaded and all the other fields are loaded depending on the boolean flags like loadLine, loadLineDetail, etc. The quote to be loaded can be an active quote, a saved quote, or a contract quote.

If quoteID is not null, it loads a quote using quoteID.

If quoteID is null, it loads the active quote using partyID and custAcctID. The following fields are not loaded.

- headerRec
 - ffm_request_id
 - qte_contract_id
 - party_name
- lineRec
 - operation_code
 - pricing_quantity_uom
 - ffm_content_name
 - ffm_document_type
 - ffm_media_type
 - ffm_media_id
 - ffm_content_type
 - ffm_user_note
- lineDetRec
 - operation_code
 - qte_line_index

- service_ref_qte_line_index
- return_attribute_category
- return_reason_code
- change_reason_code
- lineRelRec
 - operation_code
 - qte_line_index
 - related_qte_line_index
- lineAttrExtRec
 - qte_line_index
 - shipment_index
 - quote_header_id
 - quote_shipment_id
 - operation_code
- headerPaymentRec and linePaymentRec
 - operation_code
 - qte_line_index
 - shipment_index
- headerShipmentRec and lineShipmentRec
 - operation_code
 - qte_line_index
 - ship_quote_price
 - pricing_quantity
- headerTaxDetailRec and lineTaxDetailRec
 - operation_code
 - qte_line_index
 - shipment_index

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID which corresponds to the column quote_header_id in the table ASO_QUOTE_HEADERS_ALL)

partyID (party ID)

custAcctID (customer account ID)

loadLine (use true to load lineRec field, false otherwise)

loadLineDetail (use true to load lineDetRec field, false otherwise)

loadHeaderPriceAttr (use true to load headerPriceAttrRec field, false otherwise)

loadLinePriceAttr (use true to load linePriceAttrRec field, false otherwise)

loadHeaderPayment (use true to load headerPaymentRec field, false otherwise)

loadLinePayment (use true to load linePaymentRec field, false otherwise)

loadHeaderShipment (use true to load headerShipmentRec field, false otherwise)

loadLineShipment (use true to load lineShipmentRec field, false otherwise)

loadHeaderTaxDetail (use true to load headerTaxDetailRec field, false otherwise)

loadLineTaxDetail (use true to load lineTaxDetailRec field, false otherwise)

loadLineRel (use true to load lineRelRec field, false otherwise)

loadLineAttrExt (use true to load lineAttrExtRec field, false otherwise)

includeOrdered (use true to indicate that ordered quote can be loaded, false otherwise)

Returns: quote object

loadAll

public static Quote[] loadAll(BigDecimal partyID, BigDecimal custAcctID, boolean includeAllVersions, boolean includeOrdered) throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Loads all quotes owned by the given account excluding the active quote. Ordered by quote number in ascending order and by quote version in descending order.

Parameters: partyID (party ID)

custAcctID (customer account ID)

includeAllVersions (true if all the versions of quote number should be included, false if only the latest version of quote number should be included)

includeOrdered (true if the ordered quotes should be included, false otherwise)

Returns: Quote objects with headerRec fields loaded.

loadSharees

public static QuoteAccessRecord[] loadSharees(BigDecimal quoteID)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException

Retrieves the quote access control information

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

Returns: an array of QuoteAccessRecord; one record for each sharee.

loadVersions

```
public static Quote[] loadVersions(BigDecimal quoteNumber, boolean
includeOrdered)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Loads quote versions of the same quote number.

Only the field headerRec is loaded.

Parameters: quoteNumber (quote number)

includeOrdered (boolean flag to indicate if the ordered quotes should be included)

Returns: quote versions with the given quote number

merge

public static BigDecimal merge(BigDecimal guestQuoteID, Timestamp guestQuoteLastUpdateDate, String mode, int combineSameItem, BigDecimal regUserPartyID, BigDecimal regUserCustAcctID, BigDecimal priceListID, String currencyCode, ControlRecord controlRec) throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Merges the active quote of the guest user account to the active quote of the registered user account.

The optional parameters, priceListID and currencyCode are to specify which price list to use to calculate the price.

The optional parameter controlRec is used for pricing.

Parameters: guestQuoteID (ID of the appending quote)

questQuoteLastUpdateDate (The last update date of the quote header. Optional parameter for concurrency control)

mode (The mode can have the value of "MERGE", "KEEP", or "REMOVE." "MERGE" is the default value and it merges the guest quote to the registered quote. "KEEP" makes the guest quote as the active quote in registered account. "REMOVE" removes the guest quote.)

combineSameItem (If COMBINED_LINES, it combines lines of the same item. If SEPARATE_LINES, it creates seperate lines for the same item. If USE_PROFILE or any other values, it uses the user profile IBE_SC_MERGE_SHOPCART_LINES determine whether to combines lines or create seperate lines.)

priceListID (the price list ID)

currencyCode (the currency code)

controlRec (the control information for pricing)

Returns: ID of the merged active quote of this registered account

replaceAndShare

public static BigDecimal replaceAndShare(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp quoteLastUpdateDate, BigDecimal replacedQuoteID, boolean createNewVersion, String replacedQuotePassword, String url, String emailAddresses[], String privilegeTypes[], String comment, BigDecimal priceListID, String currencyCode, ControlRecord controlRec) throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Replaces a quote to another quote and saves sharee information.

The optional parameters, replacedQuotePassword, url, emailAddresses, and privilegeTypes, are to share the quote.

The optional parameters, priceListID and currencyCode are to specify which price list to use to calculate the price.

The optional parameter controlRec is used for pricing.

Parameters: quoteID (ID of the replacing quote)

quoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If you do not pass null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

replacedQuoteID (the ID of the quote by which quoteID is replaced)

createNewVersion (true to create a new version of toQuoteID, false otherwise)

replacedQuotePassword (the password the sharees should use to access the quote replacedQuoteID)

url (URL to access the shared quote)

emailAddresses (e-mail addresses of the sharees)

privilegeTypes (privilege types of the sharees)

priceListID (price list ID)

currencyCode (currency code)

controlRec (the control information for pricing)

Returns: ID of the replaced quote

retrieveSharedQuote

public static BigDecimal retrieveSharedQuote(BigDecimal quoteNumber, BigDecimal quoteVersion, String quotePassword, BigDecimal shareePartyID, BigDecimal shareeCustAcctID, BigDecimal shareeNumber, BigDecimal priceListID, String currencyCode, ControlRecord controlRec) throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Retrieves a shared quote.

Recalculates the quote price if the user profile 'IBE_SC_PRICE_BASED_ON_OWNER' is "N".

The optional parameters, priceListID and currencyCode are to specify which price list to use to calculate the price.

The optional parameter controlRec is used for pricing.

Parameters: quoteNumber (quote number)

quoteVersion (quote version)

quotePassword (password to access the shared quote)

shareePartyID (party ID of the sharee)

shareeCustAcctID (customer account ID of the sharee)

shareeNumber (sharee number used to find the privilege of the sharee)

priceListID (Price list ID. If not null, the price engine uses this price list instead of searching for one)

currencyCode (currency code)

controlRec (control information for pricing)

Returns: shared quote ID

save

public void save(BigDecimal shareePartyID, BigDecimal shareeCustAcctID, BigDecimal shareeNumber, int combineSameItem, boolean autoUpdateActiveQuote, boolean saveLine, boolean saveLineDetail, boolean saveHeaderPriceAttr, boolean saveLinePriceAttr, boolean savePriceAdj, boolean savePriceAdjAttr, boolean savePriceAdjRel, boolean saveHeaderPayment, boolean saveLinePayment, boolean saveHeaderShipment, boolean saveLineShipment, boolean saveHeaderFreight, boolean saveLineFreight, boolean saveHeaderTaxDetail, boolean saveLineTaxDetail, boolean saveLineRel, boolean saveLineAttrExt)

Creates or updates a quote.

If headerRec.quote_header_id is not null, it is used to update the quote.

If headerRec.quote_header_id is null and headerRec.quote_name is TBEACTIVECART', it finds the active quote based on party ID and account ID, and updates it. If there is no current active quote, it creates a quote.

If headerRec.quote_header_id is null and headerRec.quote_name is not IBEACTIVECART', it creates a quote using the name headerRec.quote_name.

If the quote is a shared one, the parameters shareePartyId, shareeCustAcctId, and shareeNumber are used to check the privilege and to recalculate price based on sharee.

Parameters: combineSameItem (If COMBINED_LINES, it combines lines of the same item. If SEPARATE_LINES, it creates seperate lines for the same item. If USE_PROFILE or any other values, it uses the user profile IBE_SC_MERGE_SHOPCART_LINES determine whether to combines lines or create seperate lines. This parameter does not affect configurable and service items)

autoUpdateActiveQuote (Used only when headerRec.quote_header_id is null and there is already an active quote in the database. If true, the update to this quote is applied in the active quote. If false, QuoteException is thrown.)

saveLine (use true to save lineRec, false otherwise)

saveHeaderPriceAttr (use true to save headerPriceAttrRec, false otherwise)

saveLinePriceAttr (use true to save linePriceAttrRec, false otherwise)

savePriceAdj (use true to save priceAdjRec, false otherwise)

savePriceAdjAttr (use true to save priceAdjAttrRec, false otherwise) savePriceAdjRel (use true to save priceAdjRelRec, false otherwise) saveHeaderPayment (use true to save headerPaymentRec, false otherwise) saveLinePayment (use true to save linePaymentRec, false otherwise) saveHeaderShipment (use true to save headerShipmentRec, false otherwise) saveLineShipment (use true to save lineShipmentRec, false otherwise) saveHeaderFreight (use true to save headerFreightChargeRec, false otherwise) saveLineFreight (use true to save lineFreightChargeRec, false otherwise) saveHeaderTaxDetail (use true to save headerTaxDetailRec, false otherwise) saveLineTaxDetail (use true to save lineTaxDetailRec, false otherwise) saveLineDetail (use true to save lineDetRec, false otherwise) saveLineRet (use true to save lineAttrExtRec, false otherwise)

saveAsAndShare

public static BigDecimal saveAsAndShare(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp quoteLastUpdateDate, String newQuoteName, String newQuoteSourceCode, BigDecimal partyID, BigDecimal custAcctID, String newQuotePassword, String url, String emailAddresses[], String privilegeTypes[], String comment, BigDecimal priceListID, String currencyCode, ControlRecord controlRec) throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Saves a quote and saves sharee information.

The optional parameters, newQuotePassword, url, emailAddresses, and privilegeTypes, are to share the quote.

The optional parameters, priceListID and currencyCode are to specify which price list to use to calculate the price.

The optional parameter controlRec is used for pricing.

Parameters: quoteID (the quote ID)

quoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If you do not pass null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date)

newQuoteName (the new quote name) newQuoteSourceCode (the new quote source code) partyID (party ID) custAcctID (customer account ID) newQuotePassword (password to access new quote as a sharee) url (URL to access the shared quote) emailAddresses (e-mail addresses of the sharees) privilegeTypes (privilege types of the sharees) priceListID (price list ID) currencyCode (currency code) controlRec (control information for pricing)

Returns: quote ID of the saved quote

share

```
public void share(BigDecimal quoteID, String url, String emailAddresses[],
String privilegeTypes[], String comment)
throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException
```

Shares a quote with sharees

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

url (URL)

emailAddresses (e-mail addresses, one for each sharee)

privilegeTypes (privilege types, one for each sharee)

submit

public static OrderHeaderRecord submit(BigDecimal quoteID, Timestamp quoteLastUpdateDate, String salesRepAssistCode, String salesRepEmailAddr, String commentForSalesRep, BigDecimal shareePartyID, BigDecimal shareeCustAcctID, BigDecimal shareeNumber, SubmitControlRecord submitControlRec) throws FrameworkException, QuoteException, SQLException

Submits a quote to turn it into an order.

The parameters salesRepAssistCode, salesRepEmailAddr, and commentForSalesRep are used when the customer wants to send an e-mail to the sales representative with a comment.

The parameters shareePartyID, shareeCustAccntID, and shareeNumber need to be passed when a sharee wants to submit a quote.

Parameters: quoteID (quote ID)

quoteLastUpdateDate (Optional. The last update date of the quote header. If you do not pass null, a check is done to verify that there was no update to the quote header after the given last update date.)

salesRepAssistCode (Optional. The string that contains the reason code for the assistance of sales representative)

salesRepEmailAddr (Optional. The e-mail address of the sales representative)

commentForSalesRep (Optional. The comment for the sales representative)

shareePartyID (Optional. The party ID of the sharee who submits the quote)

shareeCustAcctID (Optional. The customer account ID of the sharee who submits the quote)

shareeNumber (Optional. The sharee number of the sharee who submits the quote)

submitControlRec (Optional. Submit control information that includes book flag, reserve flag, calculate price flag, and server ID. If null, the default values of 'F', 'F', 'F', and '-1' are used.)

Returns: order header information that includes order number, order header ID, order request ID, contract ID, and status

9.18 Class QuoteAccessRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.QuoteAccessRecord
public class QuoteAccessRecord

extends Object

The sharees' access control information for quotes. The fields are based on the table IBE_SH_QUOTE_ACCESS.

9.18.1 Variables for Class QuoteAccessRecord

created_by

public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date public Timestamp creation_date

email_contact_address public String email_contact_address

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

object_version_number
public BigDecimal object_version_number

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_sharee_id
public BigDecimal quote_sharee_id

quote_sharee_number
public BigDecimal quote_sharee_number

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id

public BigDecimal request_id

update_privilege_type_code

public String update_privilege_type_code

9.18.2 Constructors for Class QuoteAccessRecord

QuoteAccessRecord

public QuoteAccessRecord()

9.19 Class ShipmentRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.ShipmentRecord
public class ShipmentRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Shipment_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the view ASO_SHIPMENTS_V.

Stores shipping information for a quote at header or line level.

9.19.1 Variables for Class ShipmentRecord

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1

public String attribute1

attribute2

public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10 public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12

attribute13 public String attribute13 attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

created_by
public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date public Timestamp creation_date

fob_code
public String fob_code

freight_terms_code
public String freight_terms_code

freight_carrier_code
public String freight_carrier_code

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

order_line_id
public BigDecimal order_line_id

packing_instructions

public String packing_instructions

pricing_quantity
public BigDecimal pricing_quantity

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date
public Timestamp program_update_date

promise_date
public Timestamp promise_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quantity public BigDecimal quantity

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_date
public Timestamp request_date

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

reservation_id
public BigDecimal reservation_id

reserved_quantity public BigDecimal reserved_quantity

schedule_ship_date
public Timestamp schedule_ship_date

ship_method_code
public String ship_method_code

ship_quote_price
public BigDecimal ship_quote_price

ship_partial_flag
public String ship_partial_flag

ship_set_id
public BigDecimal ship_set_id

ship_to_address1
public String ship_to_address1

ship_to_address2
public String ship_to_address2

ship_to_address3
public String ship_to_address3

ship_to_address4
public String ship_to_address4

ship_to_city
public String ship_to_city

ship_to_contact_first_name
public String ship_to_contact_first_name

ship_to_contact_last_name
public String ship_to_contact_last_name

ship_to_contact_middle_name
public String ship_to_contact_middle_name

ship_to_country
public String ship_to_country

ship_to_country_code
public String ship_to_country_code

ship_to_county
public String ship_to_county

ship_to_party_id
public BigDecimal ship_to_party_id

ship_to_party_name
public String ship_to_party_name

ship_to_party_site_id
public BigDecimal ship_to_party_site_id

ship_to_postal_code
public String ship_to_postal_code

ship_to_province
public String ship_to_province

ship_to_state

public String ship_to_state

shipment_id

public BigDecimal shipment_id

shipment_priority_code

public String shipment_priority_code

shipping_instructions

public String shipping_instructions

9.19.2 Constructors for Class ShipmentRecord

ShipmentRecord

public ShipmentRecord()

9.20 Class SubmitControlRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.SubmitControlRecord
public class SubmitControlRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Submit_Control_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB. It is used to control the submit process.

It has the following 4 fields:

- book_flag: "F" is the default value
- reserve_flag: "F" is the default value
- calculate_price: "F" is the default value
- server_id: -1 is the default value

The book_flag, reserve_flag, and calculate_price fields can have the values "T" for true and "F" for false.

9.20.1 Variables for Class SubmitControlRecord

book_flag

public String book_flag

calculate_price

public String calculate_price

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

reserve_flag

public String reserve_flag

server_id

public BigDecimal server_id

9.20.2 Constructors for Class SubmitControlRecord

SubmitControlRecord

public SubmitControlRecord()

9.21 Class TaxDetailRecord

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.TaxDetailRecord
public class TaxDetailRecord

extends Object

Java wrapper class of the PL/SQL record type Tax_Detail_Rec_Type in the PL/SQL package ASO_QUOTE_PUB.

The fields are based on the table ASO_TAX_DETAILS.

9.21.1 Variables for Class TaxDetailRecord

attribute_category

public String attribute_category

attribute1 public String attribute1

attribute2 public String attribute2

attribute3 public String attribute3

attribute4 public String attribute4

attribute5 public String attribute5

attribute6 public String attribute6

attribute7 public String attribute7

attribute8 public String attribute8

attribute9 public String attribute9

attribute10
public String attribute10

attribute11 public String attribute11

attribute12 public String attribute12 attribute13

public String attribute13

attribute14 public String attribute14

attribute15 public String attribute15

created_by
public BigDecimal created_by

creation_date
public Timestamp creation_date

last_update_date
public Timestamp last_update_date

last_update_login
public BigDecimal last_update_login

last_updated_by
public BigDecimal last_updated_by

operation_code
public String operation_code

orig_tax_code
public String orig_tax_code

program_application_id
public BigDecimal program_application_id

program_id
public BigDecimal program_id

program_update_date

public Timestamp program_update_date

qte_line_index
public BigDecimal qte_line_index

quote_header_id
public BigDecimal quote_header_id

quote_line_id
public BigDecimal quote_line_id

quote_shipment_id
public BigDecimal quote_shipment_id

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

request_id
public BigDecimal request_id

shipment_index
public BigDecimal shipment_index

tax_amount
public BigDecimal tax_amount

tax_code
public String tax_code

tax_date
public Timestamp tax_date

tax_detail_id
public BigDecimal tax_detail_id

tax_exempt_flag
public String tax_exempt_flag

tax_exempt_number
public String tax_exempt_number

tax_exempt_reason_code

public String tax_exempt_reason_code

tax_rate

public BigDecimal tax_rate

9.21.2 Constructors for Class TaxDetailRecord

TaxDetailRecord

public TaxDetailRecord()

9.22 Exceptions for Package oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote

SQLException

Exception class to throw if database error occurs.

FrameworkException

Exception class to throw if error occurs while trying to get connection.

Class ContractException

java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.ContractException
public class ContractException

extends FrameworkException

Exception class to throw if error occurs during Contract class method.

Variables for ContractException Class

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

Constructors for ContractException Class

ContractException public ContractException(String errorKey)

Construct an exception with the errorKey.

ContractException

public ContractException(String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an exception with the errorKey.

Parameters: params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

ContractException

public ContractException(Exception e, String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an Exception with the given exception and errorKey.

Parameters: e (the parent exception)

params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

ContractException

public ContractException(Exception e, String errorKey, String param)

ContractException

public ContractException(Exception e, String errorKey)

ContractException

public ContractException(String err_msg, String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an Exception with the errorKey and error message.

Parameters: params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

ContractException

public ContractException(String err_msg, String errorKey, String param)

ContractException

public ContractException(String err_msg, String errorKey)

ContractException

public ContractException(int err_msg_count, String errorKey, Object params[])
throws FrameworkException

Construct an Exception with the errorKey and errors occurred at PL/SQL level.

Parameters: err_msg_count (the number of messages to be returned from the PL/SQL error stack)

params (an array of tokens for the errorKey)

ContractException

public ContractException(int err_msg_count, String errorKey, String param)
throws FrameworkException

ContractException

public ContractException(int err_msg_count, String errorKey)
throws FrameworkException

Class QuoteException

java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.shoppingcart.quote.QuoteException
public class QuoteException

extends FrameworkException

Exception class to throw if Quote class method action has already been performed by others or if there is an application error.

Variables for QuoteException Class

RCS_ID public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

Constructors for QuoteException Class

QuoteException public QuoteException(String errorKey)

Construct an exception with the errorKey.

QuoteException

public QuoteException(String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an exception with the errorKey.

Parameters: params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(Exception e, String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an Exception with the given exception and errorKey.

Parameters: e (the parent exception)

params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(Exception e, String errorKey, String param)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(Exception e, String errorKey)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(String err_msg, String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an Exception with the errorKey and error message.

Parameters: params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(String err_msg, String errorKey, String param)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(String err_msg, String errorKey)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(int err_msg_count, String errorKey, Object params[])
throws FrameworkException

Construct an Exception with the errorKey and errors occurred at PL/SQL level.

Parameters: err_msg_count (the number of messages to be returned from the PL/SQL error stack)

params (an array of tokens for the errorKey)

QuoteException

public QuoteException(int err_msg_count, String errorKey, String param)
throws FrameworkException

QuoteException

public QuoteException(int err_msg_count, String errorKey)
throws FrameworkException

10

Oracle iStore 11*i* Postsales APIs

This chapter contains the following information on the Oracle iStore 11*i* Postsales public class APIs:

- Postsales API Class Summary
- Class AkCurrencyFormatter
- Class AkDateFormatter
- Class AkQuery
- Class AkQueryCondition
- Class AkRegion
- Class IbeAtpPvt
- Class Query
- Class QueryCondition
- Class QueryUtil
- Class QueryValidatorException
- Examples of Customizations with the Postsales APIs

10.1 Postsales API Class Summary

APIs for the Oracle iStore 11*i* Postsales procedures are located in the package oracle.apps.ibe.postsales. The table below describes the classes briefly.

Class Name	Description
Class AkCurrencyFormatter	AkCurrencyFormatter implements the QueryFormatter interface for AkQuery objects.
Class AkDateFormatter	AkDateFormatter implements the QueryFormatter interface for AkQuery objects.
Class AkQuery	The AkQuery class extends the Query abstract class based on AK regions.
Class AkQueryCondition	AkQueryCondition encapsulates a single condition in the WHERE clause of an @see AkQuery.
Class AkRegion	The AkRegion class encapsulates AK regions for postsales (e.g. Order Tracker) queries.
Class IbeAtpPvt	IbeAtpPvt is a Rosetta-generated Java wrapper for the IBE_ ATP_PVT PL/SQL package.
Class Query	The Query abstract class specifies the minimum functionality required for database queries on which the iStore postsales pages (e.g. Order Tracker) depend.
Class QueryCondition	QueryCondition encapsulates a single condition in the WHERE clause of a @see Query.
Class QueryUtil	The QueryUtil class contains basic utility methods for postsales, such as null handling methods, date validation methods, and methods to check if a given value is a valid number.
Class QueryValidatorException	Exception class that extends the FrameworkException class and is thrown by all postsales interaction query methods.

Table 10–1 Postsales Class Summary

10.2 Class AkCurrencyFormatter

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.AkCurrencyFormatter
public final class AkCurrencyFormatter

extends Object

Implements QueryFormatter

AkCurrencyFormatter implements the QueryFormatter interface for AkQuery objects.

See Also: QueryFormatter, AkQuery

10.2.1 Variables for Class AkCurrencyFormatter

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

thisClass

public static final String thisClass

10.2.2 Methods for Class AkCurrencyFormatter

The following table is an index of Class AkCurrencyFormatter methods:

Method	Description
format	Implements the format method of the QueryFormatter interface
getAkCurrencyFormatter	Factory method for AkCurrencyFormatter objects
getItemName	Returns the name of the region item which holds the amount to be formatted

Table 10–2 Method Index for Class AkCurrencyFormatter

format

public final String format(ResultSet rs) throws SQLException, FrameworkException

Implements the format method of the QueryFormatter interface. Given a JDBC result set, formats the amount in the amount column according to the currency code in the currency column (if specified), or the global currency code. Returns a string containing the formatted amount. Uses the formatNumber method of the oracle.apps.ibe.catalog.PriceObject class to do the work.

Parameters: rs (result set containing the row with the amount to be formatted)

Returns: a string containing the formatted amount (or null if amount is null)

Throws: SQLException if a database exception occurs while fetching from the result set

Throws: FrameworkException if the amount cannot be formatted

getAkCurrencyFormatter

```
public static final AkCurrencyFormatter getAkCurrencyFormatter(Query q, String
currencyItemName, String amountItemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Factory method for AkCurrencyFormatter objects. Returns a formatter object that formats the amount in the specified region item using the currency code in the specified region item. If such a formatter already exists and the object cache is enabled, returns the cached object; otherwise creates a new object.

Parameters: q (query whose results are to be formatted)

currencyItemName (name of region item specifying the currency code)

amountItemName (name of region item containing the amount)

Returns: an AkCurrencyFormatter object (possibly a cached copy)

Throws: FrameworkException if either region item name is invalid

getAkCurrencyFormatter

```
public static final AkCurrencyFormatter getAkCurrencyFormatter(Query q, String
amountItemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Factory method for AkCurrencyFormatter objects. Returns a formatter object that formats the amount in the specified region item using the currency code from the cookie. If such a formatter already exists and the object cache is enabled, returns the cached object; otherwise creates a new object. Note that this method will only provide useful formatter objects in a single- currency store where the currency code stored in the cookie is valid for all amounts displayed.

Parameters: q (query whose results are to be formatted)

amountItemName (name of region item containing the amount)

Returns: an AkCurrencyFormatter object (possibly a cached copy)

Throws: FrameworkException if the amount item name is invalid

getItemName

public final String getItemName()
Returns the name of the region item which holds the amount to be formatted.

Returns: name of AK region item containing the amount to be formatted

10.3 Class AkDateFormatter

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.AkDateFormatter
public class AkDateFormatter

extends Object

implements QueryFormatter

AkDateFormatter implements the QueryFormatter interface for AkQuery objects.

See Also: QueryFormatter, AkQuery

10.3.1 Variables for Class AkDateFormatter

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

thisClass

public static final String thisClass

10.3.2 Methods for Class AkDateFormatter

The following table is an index of Class AkDateFormatter methods:

 Table 10–3
 Method Index for Class AkDateFormatter

Method	Description
format	Implements the format method of the QueryFormatter interface
getAkDateFormatter	Factory method for AkDateFormatter objects

Method	Description
getItemName	Returns the name of the region item which holds the date to be formatted

Table 10–3 Method Index for Class AkDateFormatter (Cont.)

format

public final String format(ResultSet rs) throws SQLException, FrameworkException

Implements the format method of the QueryFormatter interface. Given a JDBC result set, formats the date in the date column according to the stored date format mask. Returns a string containing the formatted date.

Parameters: rs (result set containing the row with the date to be formatted)

Returns: a string containing the formatted date (or null if date is null)

Throws: SQLException if a database exception occurs while fetching from the result set

Throws: FrameworkException if the date cannot be formatted

getAkDateFormatter

```
public static final AkDateFormatter getAkDateFormatter(Query q, String
dateItemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Factory method for AkDateFormatter objects. Returns a formatter object that formats the date in the specified region item using the default date format from the cookie. If such a formatter already exists and the object cache is enabled, returns the cached object; otherwise creates a new object.

Parameters: q (query whose results are to be formatted)

dateItemName (name of region item containing the date)

Returns: an AkDateFormatter object (possibly a cached copy)

Throws: FrameworkException if either region item name is invalid

getItemName

public final String getItemName()

Returns the name of the region item which holds the date to be formatted.

Returns: name of AK region item containing the date to be formatted

10.4 Class AkQuery

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.Query >
oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.AkQuery
public final class AkQuery

extends Query

The AkQuery class extends the Query abstract class based on AK regions.

See Also: QueryFormatter, QueryValidator, QueryUtil

10.4.1 Variables for Class AkQuery

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

thisClass

public static final String thisClass

10.4.2 Constructors for Class AkQuery

AkQuery

public AkQuery()

Constructor.

10.4.3 Methods for Class AkQuery

The following table is an index of Class AkQuery methods:

Table 10–4 Method Index for Class AkQuery

Method	Description
addCondition	Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query

Method	Description
addFormatter	Registers a QueryFormatter object for the specified query item
connect	Connects to the database and initializes the named query
disconnect	Disconnects from the database and cleans up the query
execute	Executes the query
fromURL	Reconstructs the state of a query from URL parameters generated by an HTML form or a call to toURL()
getBatchSize	Returns the maximum number of records to be displayed on a single page
getColumnIndex	Returns the index of the database view column on which the named query item is based
getConditions	Returns a vector of all QueryCondition objects added to the query via the addCondition() methods
getDateFormat	Returns the Oracle date format mask (e.g. DD-MON-YYYY) used by the query
getInvoiceId	
getItemIndex	Returns the index of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified name
getItemLabel	Returns the display label of the query item with the specified parameter, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page
getItemName	Returns the name of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified index
getName	Returns a string that uniquely identifies the region (along with the responsibility ID, application ID, and language code used when connecting to the region)
getNumItems	Returns the number of items (i.e. fields) in a record returned by the query
getNumRowsFetched	Returns the total number of rows fetched by the last call to execute()
getNumRowsShown	Returns the actual number of records to be displayed on the current page
getStartRow	Returns the index of the first row to be displayed on the current page

Table 10–4 Method Index for Class AkQuery (Cont.)
Method	Description
getValue	Returns the string representation of the value in the specified cell of the query result table
isDisplayable	Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed
isQueryable	Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on
isSelectable	Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause
resetConditions	Removes all conditions from the WHERE clause of the query
setBatchSize	Sets the batch size (i.e. the maximum number of records shown per page) to the specified value
setOrderByColumn	Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction
setStartRow	Sets the start row to the specified row for execution
showQueryConditions	Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search conditions
showQueryOperators	Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search operators
toURL	Externalizes the current state of the query as a URL parameter string of the form "param1=val1¶m2=val2&¶mX=valX"

Table 10–4 Method Index for Class AkQuery (Cont.)

addCondition

public final void addCondition(int itemIndex, String operatorCode, String value)
throws FrameworkException

Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query. Successive calls to addCondtition() add new conditions to the WHERE clause in order. The condition is of the form , e.g. CUST_ACCOUNT_ID = 1001. The specified item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. The specified operator must be one of the valid operators returned by showQueryOperators(). For queries based on AK regions, valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. The value may be any free-form String, but it must be convertible to the specified item's datatype. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

operatorCode (valid binary operator code) value (value against which item is to be compared) **Throws:** FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid **Overrides:** addCondition in class Query **See Also:** addCondition, isSelectable, showQueryOperators, connect

addCondition

public final void addCondition(String itemName, String operatorCode, String value) throws FrameworkException

Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query. Successive calls to addCondtition() add new conditions to the WHERE clause in order. The condition is of the form , e.g. CUST_ACCOUNT_ID = 1001. The specified item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. The specified operator must be one of the valid operators returned by showQueryOperators(). For queries based on AK regions, valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. The value may be any free-form String, but it must be convertible to the specified item's datatype. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

operatorCode (valid binary operator code)

value (value against which item is to be compared)

Throws: FrameworkException

if itemName is not found

Overrides: addCondition in class Query

See Also: addCondition, isSelectable, showQueryOperators, connect

addCondition

public final void addCondition(String condition)

Appends the specified string to the WHERE clause of the query as-is, without performing any syntactic or semantic verification. The programmer must ensure that the argument is a valid condition given the specifics of the query. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: condition (any valid condition to be appended to the WHERE clause)

Overrides: addCondition in class Query

See Also: addCondition, addCondition, connect

addFormatter

```
public final void addFormatter(QueryFormatter formatter)
throws FrameworkException
```

Registers a QueryFormatter object for the specified query item. As it fetches data from the database, the execute() method invokes the appropriate QueryFormatter objects to format specific query items in the desired way.

Parameters: formatter (the QueryFormatter object to be registered)

itemIndex (index of the query item to be formatted)

Overrides: addFormatter in class Query

connect

```
public final void connect(String name)
throws FrameworkException
```

Connects to the database and initializes the named query. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should interpret the name parameter as the name of an AK region; classes based directly on database views should interpret name as the name of a database view. Names are case-sensitive. The programmer must ensure that queries initialized by calling connect() are properly cleaned up by calling disconnect() when finished.

Parameters: name (name of the query, e.g. AK region name or view name)

Throws: FrameworkException if an error occurs while connecting to the database and/or initializing the query

Overrides: connect in class Query

See Also: disconnect

disconnect

public final void disconnect()

Disconnects from the database and cleans up the query. The programmer must ensure that queries initialized by calling connect() are properly cleaned up by calling disconnect() when finished.

Overrides: disconnect in class Query

See Also: connect

execute

```
public final void execute()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Executes the query.

Throws: FrameworkException if an error occurred while fetching and/or formatting the query results

Overrides: execute in class Query

fromURL

```
public final void fromURL(ServletRequest request)
throws FrameworkException, QueryValidatorException
```

Reconstructs the state of a query from URL parameters generated by an HTML form or a call to toURL(). This method must be called after calling connect().

Parameters: request (the HTTP request containing the URL parameters)

Throws: FrameworkException if the data in the URL parameters is corrupt and/or some error occurred while attempting to initialize the query object

Overrides: fromURL in class Query

getBatchSize

```
public final int getBatchSize()
```

Returns the maximum number of records to be displayed on a single page. If this method is invoked before connect(), it returns 0.

Returns: maximum number of rows per page

Overrides: getBatchSize in class Query

See Also: connect

getColumnIndex

```
public final int getColumnIndex(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the index of the database view column on which the named query item is based. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case- sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: database view column index of query item

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

Overrides: getColumnIndex in class Query

See Also: connect

getConditions

public final Vector getConditions()

Returns a vector of all QueryCondition objects added to the query via the addCondition() methods. Used by classes implementing the QueryValidator interface.

Returns: vector containing all QueryConditions for this query

Overrides: getConditions in class Query

See Also: addCondition, addCondition, QueryValidator

getDateFormat

```
public final String getDateFormat()
```

Returns the Oracle date format mask (e.g. DD-MON-YYYY) used by the query. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Returns: date format mask used by the query

Overrides: getDateFormat in class Query

See Also: connect

getInvoiceId

```
public String getInvoiceId(String lineId)
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

getitemIndex

public final int getItemIndex(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

Returns the index of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified name. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case-sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: index of query item

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

Overrides: getItemIndex in class Query

See Also: getItemName, connect

getItemLabel

```
public final String getItemLabel(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the display label of the query item with the specified index, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: item label (i.e. column heading)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: getItemLabel in class Query

See Also: getItemLabel, connect

getItemLabel

```
public final String getItemLabel(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the display label of the query item with the specified name, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined. Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: item label (i.e. column heading)

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

Overrides: getItemLabel in class Query

See Also: getItemLabel, connect

getItemName

```
public final String getItemName(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the name of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified index. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case-sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: name of query item

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: getItemName in class Query

See Also: getItemIndex, connect

getName

public final String getName()

Returns a string that uniquely identifies the region (along with the responsibility ID, application ID, and language code used when connecting to the region). Used for caching purposes.

Returns: string uniquely identifying the region

Overrides: getName in class Query

See Also: connect

getNumItems

public final int getNumItems()

Returns the number of items (i.e. fields) in a record returned by the query. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should return the number

of region items; classes based directly on database views should return the number of view columns. If this method is invoked before connect(), it returns 0.

Returns: number of query items

Overrides: getNumItems in class Query

getNumRowsFetched

public final int getNumRowsFetched()

Returns the total number of rows fetched by the last call to execute(). Depending on the way the query statement is constructed, this value may be greater than or equal to the value returned by getNumRowsShown(). If this method is invoked before execute(), it returns 0.

Returns: total number of rows fetched

Overrides: getNumRowsFetched in class Query

See Also: getNumRowsShown, execute

getNumRowsShown

public final int getNumRowsShown()

Returns the actual number of records to be displayed on the current page. This number is always guaranteed to be less than or equal to the value returned by getBatchSize(). If this method is invoked before execute(), it returns 0.

Returns: number of rows shown on current page

Overrides: getNumRowsShown in class Query

See Also: getBatchSize, execute

getStartRow

public final int getStartRow()

Returns the index of the first row to be displayed on the current page. Row indexes are zero-based, so the index of the first row on the page displaying records 11-20 is actually 10. If this method is invoked before connect(), it returns 0.

Overrides: getStartRow in class Query

See Also: connect

getValue

```
public final String getValue(int rowIndex, int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the string representation of the value in the specified cell of the query result table. rowIndex is zero-based and must be strictly less than the value returned by getNumRowsShown(). itemIndex is zero-based and must be strictly less than the value returned by getNumItems(). Any formatting performed by QueryFormatters registered with the query will have already taken place and will be reflected in the value returned by getValue(). If this method is invoked before execute(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: rowIndex (row index of the cell to be displayed)

itemIndex (column index of the cell to be displayed)

Returns: value of the specified table cell

Throws: FrameworkException if either index is invalid

Overrides: getValue in class Query

See Also: getValue, getNumRowsShown, getNumItems, execute

getValue

```
public final String getValue(int rowIndex, String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the string representation of the value in the specified cell of the query result table. rowIndex is zero-based and must be strictly less than the value returned by getNumRowsShown(). itemName is case-sensitive and must be one of the item names returned by getItemName(). Any formatting performed by QueryFormatters registered with the query will have already taken place and will be reflected in the value returned by getValue(). If this method is invoked before execute(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: rowIndex (row index of the cell to be displayed)

itemName (item name of the cell to be displayed)

Returns: value of the specified table cell

Throws: FrameworkException if rowIndex is invalid and/or itemName is not found

Overrides: getValue in class Query

See Also: getValue, getNumRowsShown, getItemName, execute

isDisplayable

```
public final boolean isDisplayable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed. This is purely a convenience feature; the displaying JSP may decide whether or not to check if a particular item is displayable before calling getValue(). Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item should be displayed

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: is Displayable in class Query

See Also: isDisplayable, connect

isDisplayable

```
public final boolean isDisplayable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed. This is purely a convenience feature; the displaying JSP may decide whether or not to check if a particular item is displayable before calling getValue(). Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item should be displayed

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

Overrides: is Displayable in class Query

See Also: isDisplayable, connect

isQueryable

public final boolean isQueryable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item can be searched on

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: isQueryable in class Query

See Also: isQueryable, connect

isQueryable

```
public final boolean isQueryable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item can be searched on

Throws: FrameworkException

if itemName is not found

Overrides: isQueryable in class Query

See Also: isQueryable, connect

isSelectable

```
public final boolean isSelectable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should return true if the specified AK region item is based on an object attribute; classes based directly on database views should return true if the specified query item is based on a view column. In any case, all queryable items must also be selectable, though the reverse is not necessarily true. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item is based on a database object

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: isSelectable in class Query

See Also: isSelectable, isQueryable, connect

isSelectable

public final boolean isSelectable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause. Classes extending the query abstract class based on AK regions should return true if the specified AK region item is based on an object attribute; classes based directly on database views should return true if the specified query item is based on a view column. In any case, all queryable items must also be selectable, though the reverse is not necessarily true. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item is based on a database object

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

Overrides: isSelectable in class Query

See Also: isSelectable, isQueryable, connect

resetConditions

public final void resetConditions() Removes all conditions from the WHERE clause of the query. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Overrides: resetConditions in class Query

See Also: addCondition, addCondition, connect

setBatchSize

```
public final void setBatchSize(int batchSize)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the batch size (i.e. the maximum number of records shown per page) to the specified value. batchSize must be a non-negative integer.

Parameters: batchSize (new number of rows per page)

Throws: FrameworkException if batchSize is not a non-negative integer

Overrides: setBatchSize in class Query

setOrderByColumn

public final void setOrderByColumn(int itemIndex, boolean isAscending)
throws FrameworkException

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

isAscending (true if the sort direction should be ascending)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: setOrderByColumn in class Query

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setOrderByColumn

public final void setOrderByColumn(String itemName, boolean isAscending)
throws FrameworkException

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (name of query item)

isAscending (true if the sort direction should be ascending)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

Overrides: setOrderByColumn in class Query

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setOrderByColumn

public final void setOrderByColumn(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item. If the ORDER BY clause is already using this item, reverses the sort direction. If the ORDER BY clause is empty or is using a different item, sets the ORDER BY clause to use this item and sets the sort direction to ascending by default. The item must be one for which

isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

Overrides: setOrderByColumn in class Query

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setOrderByColumn

```
public final void setOrderByColumn(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item. If the ORDER BY clause is already using this item, reverses the sort direction. If the ORDER BY clause is empty or is using a different item, sets the ORDER BY clause to use this item and sets the sort direction to ascending by default. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

Overrides: setOrderByColumn in class Query

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setStartRow

```
public final void setStartRow(int rowIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the start row to the specified row for execution. rowIndex must be a non-negative integer.

Parameters: rowIndex (index of the start row)

Throws: FrameworkException if rowIndex is not a non-negative integer

Overrides: setStartRow in class Query

showQueryConditions

public final String showQueryConditions()

Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search conditions. Each query item for which isQueryable() returns true represents a valid search condition. The return value is a string consisting of OPTION tags, suitable to be included between a SELECT tag and its closing tag. If preset is non-NULL and specifies one of the values in the list, the corresponding option will be automatically selected. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: preset (preset value for the option list)

Returns: a list of OPTION tags specifying valid query criteria

Overrides: showQueryConditions in class Query

See Also: isQueryable, connect

showQueryOperators

```
public final String showQueryOperators()
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search operators. The return value is a string consisting of OPTION tags, suitable to be included between a SELECT tag and its closing tag. If preset is non-NULL and specifies one of the values in the list, the corresponding option will be automatically selected. For queries based on AK regions, the valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: preset (preset value for the option list)

Returns: a list of OPTION tags specifying valid query operators

Overrides: showQueryOperators in class Query

See Also: connect

toURL

public final String toURL()

Externalizes the current state of the query as a URL parameter string of the form "param1=val1¶m2=val2&...¶mX=valX". When creating hyperlinks from one query display page to another, programmers must ensure that the string returned by toURL() is appended to the URL parameters of the link.

Overrides: toURL in class Query

10.5 Class AkQueryCondition

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.QueryCondition >
oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.AkQueryCondition
public final class AkQueryCondition

extends QueryCondition

AkQueryCondition encapsulates a single condition in the WHERE clause of an @see AkQuery. The WHERE clause of an AkQuery is a conjunction of zero or more AkQueryConditions. Note that AkQueryCondition does not support disjunctions of conditions or joins between database objects.

See Also: AkQuery, Region, AkRegionItem

10.5.1 Variables for Class AkQueryCondition

_itemIndex

protected int _itemIndex

_operatorCode

protected String _operatorCode

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

thisClass

public static final String thisClass

_value

protected String _value

10.5.2 Constructors for Class AkQueryCondition

AkQueryCondition

public AkQueryCondition(int itemIndex, String operatorCode, String value)

Constructs a AkQueryCondition instance and initializes it with the values provided.

Parameters: itemIndex (zero-based index of the query item)

operatorCode (SQL binary operator)

value (value to compare against)

10.5.3 Methods for Class AkQueryCondition

The following table is an index of Class AkQueryCondition methods:

Method	Description
getItemIndex	Returns the item index
getOperatorCode	Returns the operator code
getValue	Returns the value

Table 10–5 Method Index for Class AkQueryCondition

getItemIndex

public final int getItemIndex()

Returns the item index

Overrides: getItemIndex in class QueryCondition

getOperatorCode

public final String getOperatorCode()

Returns the operator code

Overrides: getOperatorCode in class QueryCondition

getValue

public final String getValue()

Returns the value

Overrides: getValue in class QueryCondition

10.6 Class AkRegion

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.AkRegion
public final class AkRegion

extends Object

The AkRegion class encapsulates AK regions for post-sales (e.g. Order Tracker) queries.

10.6.1 Variables for Class AkRegion

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

thisClass

public static final String thisClass

10.6.2 Methods for Class AkRegion

The following table is an index of Class AkRegion methods:

Method	Description
getAkRegion	Returns an AkRegion object instance based on the region name, the responsibility ID, the application ID, and the language code
getColumnIndex	
getColumnName	
getColumnType	
getItemIndex	Returns the index of the AK region item with the specified name
getItemLabel	Returns the display label of the region item with the specified index, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page

Table 10–6 Method Index for Class AkRegion

Method	Description
getItemName	Returns the name of the AK region item with the specified index
getNumItems	Returns the total number of region items in the AK region
getRegionName	Returns the name of the AK region
getViewName	Returns the name of the view on which the AK region is based
isDisplayable	Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed
isQueryable	Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on
isSelectable	Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause
showQueryConditions	Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search conditions based on queryable AK region items
showQueryOperators	Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search operators

Table 10–6 Method Index for Class AkRegion (Cont.)

getAkRegion

public static final AkRegion getAkRegion(OracleConnection conn, String regionName, int respId, int appId, String langCode) throws SQLException, FrameworkException

Returns an AkRegion object instance based on the region name, the responsibility ID, the application ID, and the language code

getColumnIndex

public final int getColumnIndex(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

getColumnIndex

public final int getColumnIndex(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

getColumnName

public final String getColumnName(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

getColumnName

public final String getColumnName(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

getColumnType

public final String getColumnType(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

getColumnType

public final String getColumnType(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

getItemIndex

public final int getItemIndex(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

Returns the index of the AK region item with the specified name. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case-sensitive.

Parameters: itemName (name of AK region item)

Returns: index of AK region item

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

See Also: getItemName

getItemLabel

```
public final String getItemLabel(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the display label of the region item with the specified index, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page. Item indexes are zero-based.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of region item)

Returns: item label (i.e. column heading)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: getItemLabel, connect

getItemLabel

```
public final String getItemLabel(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the display label of the region item with the specified name, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page. Item names are case-sensitive.

Parameters: itemName (name of region item)

Returns: item label (i.e. column heading)

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

See Also: getItemLabel, connect

getItemName

```
public final String getItemName(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the name of the AK region item with the specified index. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case-sensitive.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of AK region item)

Returns: name of AK region item

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: getItemIndex

getNumItems

public final int getNumItems()

Returns the total number of region items in the AK region

Returns: number of AK region items

getRegionName

public final String getRegionName()

Returns the name of the AK region

Returns: name of AK region

getViewName

public final String getViewName()

Returns the name of the view on which the AK region is based

Returns: name of database view

isDisplayable

```
public final boolean isDisplayable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed. This is purely a convenience feature; the displaying JSP may decide whether or not to check if a particular item is displayable before calling getValue(). Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item should be displayed

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: isDisplayable, connect

isDisplayable

```
public final boolean isDisplayable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed. This is purely a convenience feature; the displaying JSP may decide whether or not to check if a particular item is displayable before calling getValue(). Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item should be displayed

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: isDisplayable, connect

isQueryable

```
public final boolean isQueryable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item can be searched on

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: isQueryable, connect

isQueryable

```
public final boolean isQueryable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item can be searched on

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: isQueryable, connect

isSelectable

```
public final boolean isSelectable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should return true if the specified AK region item is based on an object attribute; classes based directly on database views should return true if the specified query item is based on a view column. In any case, all queryable items must also be selectable, though the reverse is not necessarily true. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item is based on a database object

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: isSelectable, isQueryable, connect

isSelectable

public final boolean isSelectable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause. Classes extending the query abstract class based on AK regions should return true if the specified AK region item is based on an object attribute; classes based directly on database views should return true if the specified query item is based on a view column. In any case, all queryable items must also be selectable, though the reverse is not necessarily true. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item is based on a database object

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: isSelectable, isQueryable, connect

showQueryConditions

public final String showQueryConditions()

Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search conditions based on queryable AK region items. Each queryable region item is assumed to represent a valid search condition. The return value is a string consisting of OPTION tags, suitable to be included between a SELECT tag and its closing tag. If preset is non-NULL and specifies one of the values in the list, the corresponding option will be automatically selected.

Parameters: preset (preset value for the option list)

Returns: a list of OPTION tags specifying valid query criteria

See Also: connect

showQueryOperators

public final String showQueryOperators()

Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search operators. The return value is a string consisting of OPTION tags, suitable to be included between a SELECT tag and its closing tag. If preset is non-NULL and specifies one of the values in the list, the corresponding option will be automatically selected. For queries based on AK regions, the valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN,

DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Returns: a list of OPTION tags specifying valid query operators

10.7 Class IbeAtpPvt

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.IbeAtpPvt
public class IbeAtpPvt

extends Object

IbeAtpPvt is a Rosetta-generated Java wrapper for the IBE_ATP_PVT PL/SQL package. It contains a single static class (AtpLineTyp), which is a wrapper for the PL/SQL type IBE_ATP_PVT.Atp_Line_Typ, as well as a static method (CheckAvailability), which is a wrapper to call the PL/SQL procedure IBE_ATP_PVT.Check_Availability.

10.7.1 Variables for Class IbeAtpPvt

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

10.7.2 Constructors for Class IbeAtpPvt

IbeAtpPvt

public IbeAtpPvt()

10.7.3 Methods for Class IbeAtpPvt

The following table is an index of Class IbeAtpPvt methods:

Method	Description
checkAvailability	This is a Rosetta-generated method to call the PL/SQL procedure IBE_ATP_PVT.Check_Availability
writeOrSkip	

Table 10–7 Method Index for Class IbeAtpPvt

checkAvailability

public static void checkAvailability(OracleConnection _connection, BigDecimal p_ quote_header_id, String p_date_format, String p_lang_code, String x_error_ flag[], String x_error_message[], IbeAtpPvt. AtpLineTyp x_atp_line_tbl[][]) throws SQLException

This is a Rosetta-generated method to call the PL/SQL procedure IBE_ATP_ PVT.Check_Availability. The parameter x_atp_line_tbl is a nested array of IbeAtpPvt.AtpLineTyp objects. It must be declared by the caller as IbeAtpPvt.AtpLineTyp[][] x_atp_line_tbl = new IbeAtpPvt.AtpLineTyp[1][]. For each line, the following fields must be populated: quote_line_id, organization_id, inventory_item_id, quantity, and uom_code. The request_date parameter is optional; if null or the empty string, the API assumes SYSDATE. The checkAvailability() method populates the following fields for each quote line: request_date_quantity and available_date.

Parameters: _connection (database connection--IN)

p_quote_header_id (shopping cart ID--IN)

p_date_format (SQL date format string--IN)

p_lang_code (user's language--IN)

x_error_flag (Y if an error occurred, N otherwise--OUT)

x_error_message (description of the error--OUT)

x_atp_line_tbl (array of quote lines--IN/OUT)

Throws: SQLException if a database or SQL error occurs

writeOrSkip

protected static boolean writeOrSkip(StringBuffer sb, boolean isGMiss, boolean anyWritten, int numSkipped, String argName)

10.8 Class Query

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.Query
public abstract class Query

extends Object

The Query abstract class specifies the minimum functionality required for database queries on which the iStore post-sales pages (e.g. Order Tracker) depend.

See Also: QueryFormatter, QueryValidator, QueryUtil

10.8.1 Variables for Class Query

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

10.8.2 Constructors for Class Query

Query

public Query()

10.8.3 Methods for Class Query

The following table is an index of Class Query methods:

Method	Description
addCondition	Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query
addFormatter	Registers a QueryFormatter object for the specified query item
connect	Connects to the database and initializes the named query
disconnect	Disconnects from the database and cleans up the query
execute	Executes the query
fromURL	Reconstructs the state of a query from URL parameters generated by an HTML form or a call to toURL()
getBatchSize	Returns the maximum number of records to be displayed on a single page
getColumnIndex	Returns the index of the database view column on which the named query item is based
getConditions	Returns a vector of all QueryCondition objects added to the query via the addCondition() methods

 Table 10–8
 Method Index for Class Query

Method	Description
getDateFormat	Returns the Oracle date format mask (e.g. DD-MON-YYYY) used by the query
getItemIndex	Returns the index of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified name
getItemLabel	Returns the display label of the query item with the specified index, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page
getItemName	Returns the name of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified index
getName	Returns the name of the query
getNumItems	Returns the number of items (i.e. fields) in a record returned by the query
getNumRowsFetched	Returns the total number of rows fetched by the last call to execute()
getNumRowsShown	Returns the actual number of records to be displayed on the current page
getStartRow	Returns the index of the first row to be displayed on the current page
getValue	Returns the string representation of the value in the specified cell of the query result table
isDisplayable	Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed
isQueryable	Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on
isSelectable	Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause
resetConditions	Removes all conditions from the WHERE clause of the query
setBatchSize	Sets the batch size (i.e. the maximum number of records shown per page) to the specified value
setOrderByColumn	Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction
setStartRow	Sets the start row to the specified row for execution
showQueryConditions	Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search conditions

Table 10–8 Method Index for Class Query (Cont.)

Method	Description
showQueryOperators	Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search operators
toURL	Externalizes the current state of the query as a URL parameter string of the form "param1=val1¶m2=val2&¶mX=valX"

 Table 10–8
 Method Index for Class Query (Cont.)

addCondition

public abstract void addCondition(int itemIndex, String operatorCode, String value) throws FrameworkException

Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query. Successive calls to addCondtition() add new conditions to the WHERE clause in order. The condition is of the form , e.g. CUST_ACCOUNT_ID = 1001. The specified item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. The specified operator must be one of the valid operators returned by showQueryOperators(). For queries based on AK regions, valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. The value may be any free-form String, but it must be convertible to the specified item's datatype. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

operatorCode (valid binary operator code)

value (value against which item is to be compared)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: addCondition, isSelectable, showQueryOperators, connect

addCondition

```
public abstract void addCondition(String itemName, String operatorCode, String
value)
throws FrameworkException
```

throws FrameworkException

Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query. Successive calls to addCondtition() add new conditions to the WHERE clause in order. The condition is of the form , e.g. CUST_ACCOUNT_ID = 1001. The specified item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. The specified operator must be one of the valid operators returned by showQueryOperators(). For queries based on AK regions,

valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. The value may be any free-form String, but it must be convertible to the specified item's datatype. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

operatorCode (valid binary operator code)

value (value against which item is to be compared)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: addCondition, isSelectable, showQueryOperators, connect

addCondition

public abstract void addCondition(String condition)

Appends the specified string to the WHERE clause of the query as-is, without performing any syntactic or semantic verification. The programmer must ensure that the argument is a valid condition given the specifics of the query. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: condition (any valid condition to be appended to the WHERE clause)

See Also: addCondition, addCondition, connect

addFormatter

```
public abstract void addFormatter(QueryFormatter formatter)
throws FrameworkException
```

Registers a QueryFormatter object for the specified query item. As it fetches data from the database, the execute() method invokes the appropriate QueryFormatter objects to format specific query items in the desired way.

Parameters: formatter (the QueryFormatter object to be registered)

itemIndex (index of the query item to be formatted)

connect

```
public abstract void connect(String name)
throws FrameworkException
```

Connects to the database and initializes the named query. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should interpret the name parameter as

the name of an AK region; classes based directly on database views should interpret name as the name of a database view. Names are case-sensitive. The programmer must ensure that queries initialized by calling connect() are properly cleaned up by calling disconnect() when finished.

Parameters: name (name of the query, e.g. AK region name or view name)

Throws: FrameworkException if an error occurs while connecting to the database and/or initializing the query

See Also: disconnect

disconnect

```
public abstract void disconnect()
```

Disconnects from the database and cleans up the query. The programmer must ensure that queries initialized by calling connect() are properly cleaned up by calling disconnect() when finished.

See Also: connect

execute

```
public abstract void execute()
throws FrameworkException, SQLException
```

Executes the query

Throws: FrameworkException if an error occurred while fetching and/or formatting the query results

fromURL

```
public abstract void fromURL(ServletRequest request)
throws FrameworkException
```

Reconstructs the state of a query from URL parameters generated by an HTML form or a call to toURL(). This method must be called after calling connect().

Parameters: request (the HTTP request containing the URL parameters)

Throws: FrameworkException if the data in the URL parameters is corrupt and/or some error occurred while attempting to initialize the query object

getBatchSize

```
public abstract int getBatchSize()
```

Returns the maximum number of records to be displayed on a single page. If this method is invoked before connect(), it returns 0.

Returns: maximum number of rows per page

See Also: connect

getColumnIndex

```
public abstract int getColumnIndex(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the index of the database view column on which the named query item is based. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case- sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: database view column index of query item

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

See Also: connect

getConditions

public abstract Vector getConditions()

Returns a vector of all QueryCondition objects added to the query via the addCondition() methods. Used by classes implementing the QueryValidator interface.

Returns: vector containing all QueryConditions for this query

See Also: addCondition, addCondition, QueryValidator

getDateFormat

public abstract String getDateFormat()

Returns the Oracle date format mask (e.g. DD-MON-YYYY) used by the query. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Returns: date format mask used by the query

See Also: connect

getItemIndex

```
public abstract int getItemIndex(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the index of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified name. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case-sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: index of query item

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

See Also: getItemName, connect

getItemLabel

```
public abstract String getItemLabel(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the display label of the query item with the specified index, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: item label (i.e. column heading)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: getItemLabel, connect

getItemLabel

```
public abstract String getItemLabel(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the display label of the query item with the specified name, suitable for use as a column heading when rendering the query result table on the page. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: item label (i.e. column heading)

Throws: FrameworkException if no item with the specified name is found

See Also: getItemLabel, connect

getItemName

public abstract String getItemName(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

Returns the name of the query item (i.e. AK region item or view column) with the specified index. Item indexes are zero-based; item names are case-sensitive. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: name of query item

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: getItemIndex, connect

getName

public abstract String getName()

Returns the name of the query. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should return a string that uniquely identifies the region; classes based directly on database views should return a string that uniquely identifies the view. If this method is invoked before connect(), the result is undefined.

Returns: name of the query

See Also: connect

getNumItems

public abstract int getNumItems()

Returns the number of items (i.e. fields) in a record returned by the query. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should return the number of region items; classes based directly on database views should return the number of view columns. If this method is invoked before connect(), it returns 0.

Returns: number of query items

getNumRowsFetched

public abstract int getNumRowsFetched()

Returns the total number of rows fetched by the last call to execute(). Depending on the way the query statement is constructed, this value may be greater than or equal to the value returned by getNumRowsShown(). If this method is invoked before execute(), it returns 0.

Returns: total number of rows fetched

See Also: getNumRowsShown, execute

getNumRowsShown

public abstract int getNumRowsShown()

Returns the actual number of records to be displayed on the current page. This number is always guaranteed to be less than or equal to the value returned by getBatchSize(). If this method is invoked before execute(), it returns 0.

Returns: number of rows shown on current page

See Also: getBatchSize, execute

getStartRow

public abstract int getStartRow()

Returns the index of the first row to be displayed on the current page. Row indexes are zero-based, so the index of the first row on the page displaying records 11-20 is actually 10. If this method is invoked before connect(), it returns 0.

See Also: connect

getValue

```
public abstract String getValue(int rowIndex, int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the string representation of the value in the specified cell of the query result table. rowIndex is zero-based and must be strictly less than the value returned by getNumRowsShown(). itemIndex is zero-based and must be strictly less than the value returned by getNumItems(). Any formatting performed by QueryFormatters registered with the query will have already taken place and will be reflected in the value returned by getValue(). If this method is invoked before execute(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: rowIndex (row index of the cell to be displayed)

itemIndex (column index of the cell to be displayed)
Returns: value of the specified table cell
Throws: FrameworkException if either index is invalid
See Also: getValue, getNumRowsShown, getNumItems, execute

getValue

```
public abstract String getValue(int rowIndex, String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns the string representation of the value in the specified cell of the query result table. rowIndex is zero-based and must be strictly less than the value returned by getNumRowsShown(). itemName is case-sensitive and must be one of the item names returned by getItemName(). Any formatting performed by QueryFormatters registered with the query will have already taken place and will be reflected in the value returned by getValue(). If this method is invoked before execute(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: rowIndex (row index of the cell to be displayed)

itemName (item name of the cell to be displayed)

Returns: value of the specified table cell

Throws: FrameworkException if rowIndex is invalid and/or itemName is not found

See Also: getValue, getNumRowsShown, getItemName, execute

isDisplayable

```
public abstract boolean isDisplayable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed. This is purely a convenience feature; the displaying JSP may decide whether or not to check if a particular item is displayable before calling getValue(). Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item should be displayed

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: isDisplayable, connect
isDisplayable

```
public abstract boolean isDisplayable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be displayed. This is purely a convenience feature; the displaying JSP may decide whether or not to check if a particular item is displayable before calling getValue(). Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item should be displayed

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: isDisplayable, connect

isQueryable

```
public abstract boolean isQueryable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item can be searched on

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: isQueryable, connect

isQueryable

```
public abstract boolean isQueryable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns true if the specified query item may be searched on. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item can be searched on

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: isQueryable, connect

isSelectable

public abstract boolean isSelectable(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException

Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause. Classes extending the Query abstract class based on AK regions should return true if the specified AK region item is based on an object attribute; classes based directly on database views should return true if the specified query item is based on a view column. In any case, all queryable items must also be selectable, though the reverse is not necessarily true. Item indexes are zero-based. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Returns: true if the item is based on a database object

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: isSelectable, isQueryable, connect

isSelectable

public abstract boolean isSelectable(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

Returns true if the specified query item is based on a database object and thus may be included in a SELECT or ORDER BY clause. Classes extending the query abstract class based on AK regions should return true if the specified AK region item is based on an object attribute; classes based directly on database views should return true if the specified query item is based on a view column. In any case, all queryable items must also be selectable, though the reverse is not necessarily true. Item names are case-sensitive. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Returns: true if the item is based on a database object

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: isSelectable, isQueryable, connect

resetConditions

public abstract void resetConditions()

Removes all conditions from the WHERE clause of the query. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

See Also: addCondition, addCondition, connect

setBatchSize

```
public abstract void setBatchSize(int batchSize)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the batch size (i.e. the maximum number of records shown per page) to the specified value. batchSize must be a non-negative integer.

Parameters: batchSize (new number of rows per page)

Throws: FrameworkException if batchSize is not a non-negative integer

setOrderByColumn

```
public abstract void setOrderByColumn(int itemIndex, boolean isAscending)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

isAscending (true if the sort direction should be ascending)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setOrderByColumn

```
public abstract void setOrderByColumn(String itemName, boolean isAscending)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (name of query item)

isAscending (true if the sort direction should be ascending)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setOrderByColumn

```
public abstract void setOrderByColumn(int itemIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item. If the ORDER BY clause is already using this item, reverses the sort direction. If the ORDER BY clause is empty or is using a different item, sets the ORDER BY clause to use this item and sets the sort direction to ascending by default. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemIndex (index of query item)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemIndex is invalid

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setOrderByColumn

public abstract void setOrderByColumn(String itemName)
throws FrameworkException

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item. If the ORDER BY clause is already using this item, reverses the sort direction. If the ORDER BY clause is empty or is using a different item, sets the ORDER BY clause to use this item and sets the sort direction to ascending by default. The item must be one for which isSelectable() returns true. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Parameters: itemName (name of query item)

Throws: FrameworkException if itemName is not found

See Also: setOrderByColumn, isSelectable, connect

setStartRow

```
public abstract void setStartRow(int rowIndex)
throws FrameworkException
```

Sets the start row to the specified row for execution. rowIndex must be a non-negative integer.

Parameters: rowIndex (index of the start row)

Throws: FrameworkException if rowIndex is not a non-negative integer

showQueryConditions

public abstract String showQueryConditions()

Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search conditions. Each query item for which isQueryable() returns true represents a valid search condition. The return value is a string consisting of OPTION tags, suitable to be included between a SELECT tag and its closing tag. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Returns: a list of OPTION tags specifying valid query criteria

See Also: isQueryable, connect

showQueryOperators

```
public abstract String showQueryOperators()
throws FrameworkException
```

Returns a properly formatted HTML option list of search operators. The return value is a string consisting of OPTION tags, suitable to be included between a SELECT tag and its closing tag. For queries based on AK regions, the valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER, and GLESS. If this method is called before connect(), the result is undefined.

Returns: a list of OPTION tags specifying valid query operators

Throws: FrameworkException if there is an error while retrieving valid operators (e.g. from the database)

See Also: connect

toURL

public abstract String toURL()

Externalizes the current state of the query as a URL parameter string of the form "param1=val1¶m2=val2&...¶mX=valX". When creating hyperlinks from one query display page to another, programmers must ensure that the string returned by toURL() is appended to the URL parameters of the link.

10.9 Class QueryCondition

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.QueryCondition

public abstract class QueryCondition

extends Object

QueryCondition encapsulates a single condition in the WHERE clause of a @see Query. The WHERE clause of a Query is a conjunction of zero or more QueryConditions. Note that QueryCondition does not support disjunctions of conditions or joins between database objects at all.

See Also: Query, Region, AkRegionItem

10.9.1 Variables for Class QueryCondition

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

10.9.2 Constructors for Class QueryCondition

QueryCondition

public QueryCondition()

10.9.3 Methods for Class QueryCondition

The following table is an index of Class QueryCondition methods:

Table 10–9	Method Index for Class	QueryCondition
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Method	Description
getItemIndex	
getOperatorCode	
getValue	

getItemIndex

public abstract int getItemIndex()

getOperatorCode

public abstract String getOperatorCode()

getValue

public abstract String getValue()

10.10 Class QueryUtil

java.lang.Object > oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.QueryUtil
public final class QueryUtil

extends Object

10.10.1 Variables for Class QueryUtil

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

10.10.2 Constructors for Class QueryUtil

QueryUtil

public QueryUtil()

10.10.3 Methods for Class QueryUtil

The following table is an index of Class QueryUtil methods:

Table 10–10 Method Index for Class QueryUtil

Method	Description	
boolVal		
doubleVal		
intVal		
isNonNullString		

Method	Description	
isNullString		
nonNullString		
stringVal		
validDate		
validNumber		

Table 10–10 Method Index for Class QueryUtil (Cont.)

boolVal

public static final boolean boolVal(String paramVal, boolean defaultVal)

doubleVal

public static final double doubleVal(String paramVal, double defaultVal)
throws FrameworkException

intVal

public static final int intVal(String paramVal, int defaultVal)
throws FrameworkException

isNonNullString

public static final boolean isNonNullString(String s)

isNullString

public static final boolean isNullString(String s)

nonNullString

public static final String nonNullString(String s)

stringVal

public static final String stringVal(String paramVal, String defaultVal)
throws FrameworkException

validDate

public static final boolean validDate(String dateVal, String dateFormat)

validNumber

public static final boolean validNumber(String numVal)

10.11 Class QueryValidatorException

java.lang.Object > java.lang.Throwable > java.lang.Exception >
oracle.apps.jtf.base.resources.FrameworkException >
oracle.apps.ibe.postsales.QueryValidatorException
public class QueryValidatorException

extends FrameworkException

10.11.1 Variables for Class QueryValidatorException

RCS_ID

public static final String RCS_ID

RCS_ID_RECORDED

public static final boolean RCS_ID_RECORDED

thisClass

public static final String thisClass

10.11.2 Constructors for Class QueryValidatorException

QueryValidatorException

public QueryValidatorException()

QueryValidatorException

public QueryValidatorException(String s)

QueryValidatorException

public QueryValidatorException(String errorKey, Object params[])

Construct an exception with the errorKey.

Parameters: params (an array of tokens for errorKey)

10.12 Examples of Customizations with the Postsales APIs

Oracle iStore 11*i*'s Order Tracker uses the AK regions for storing the meta-data related to the display of the Orders, Invoices, Shipments and Payments information. There are corresponding Java objects that retrieve the information from these AK regions and display them in Oracle iStore 11*i* JSPs. All of the Java objects are in the *\$IBE_TOP/java/postsales* directory.

10.12.1 AkQuery.java

AkQuery.java is the main Java object used by all JSPs. Following are examples of how you can customize Oracle iStore 11*i* using methods of the Order Tracker Java object AkQuery.java.

All of the examples assume q as an instantiated object of AkQuery.

10.12.1.1 The connect Method

Following is an example of how to use the connect method of the object AkQuery.java.

connect

This method connects to the database and initializes the named query. The parameter to this method is the name of the AK region.

Example IBE_ORD_SUM_R is the AK region for displaying the Order Summary data.

To initialize this region and retrieve all of the data related to this region, you can invoke the connect method as follows:

```
q.connect("IBE_ORD_SUM_R");
```

10.12.1.2 The addCondition Method

Following are examples of how to use the addCondition method of the object AkQuery.java.

addCondition(itemName,operatorCode,value)

Adds a condition to the WHERE clause of the query. Successive calls to addCondtition() add new conditions to the WHERE clause in order. The condition is of the form:

```
<itemName> <operator> <value>
```

ItemName: The specified item must be an AK region item that is an Object Attribute.

Operator Code: For queries based on AK regions, valid operators are AIS, BNOT, CCONTAIN, DSTART, EEND, FGREATER and GLESS.

Value: The value may be any free-form String, but it must be convertible to the specified item's data type.

Example To add a where clause with Cust_account_id = Customer ID from the cookie, for the Order Summary page, you can invoke the addCondition method as follows:

```
q.addCondition("IBE_OS_CUST_ACCOUNT_ID", "AIS",
RequestCtx.getAccountId().toString());
```

where IBE_OS_CUST_ACCOUNT_ID is the region item name which represents Cust_account_id.

addCondition((String condition)

Appends the specified string to the WHERE clause of the query as is, without performing any syntactic or semantic verification. The programmer must ensure that the argument is a valid condition given the specifics of the query.

Example An additional column has been added to the view and there is no AK region item specified for that column. If you want to use the column in the where clause, you can use the above method. There is a column called "Order_category_ code" in the view IBE_ORDER_SUM_V for which an AK region item has not been defined. If you want to use the Order_category_code in the where clause, then you can invoke the addCondition method as follows:

```
q.addCondition("Order_category_code = `RETURN' ");
```

10.12.1.3 The addFormatter Method

Following are examples of how to use the addFormatter method of the object AkQuery.java.

addFormatter

Registers a QueryFormatter object for the specified query item. A QueryFormatter object could be a DateFormatter or CurrencyFormatter. For more details, refer to the the API documentation for the QueryFormatter, AkDateFormatter and AkCurrencyFormatter classes.

Example Currency Formatting: IBE_OH_ORDER_TOTAL is an AK region item that corresponds to the amount column, which requires currency formatting. You can invoke the addFormatter method as follows:

```
q.addFormatter(AkCurrencyFormatter.getAkCurrencyFormatter(q, "IBE_OH_ORDER_
TOTAL"));
```

Example Date Formatting: IBE_OS_ORDER_DATE is an AK region item that corresponds to the Date column, which requires date formatting. You can invoke the addFormatter method as follows:

q.addFormatter(AkDateFormatter.getAkDateFormatter(q, "IBE_OS_ORDER_DATE"));

10.12.1.4 The setOrderByColumn Method

Following is an example of how to use the setOrderByColumn method of the object AkQuery.java.

setOrderByColumn

Sets the ORDER BY clause of the query to use the specified item and sort direction. The item should be an AK region item. The sort direction should be true for Ascending order and false for Descending order.

Example In the Order Summary page, if the query should have an Order By with Order Number in Descending direction, you can invoke the setOrderByColumn method as follows:

q.setOrderByColumn("IBE_OS_ORDER_NUMBER", false);

where IBE_OS_ORDER_NUMBER is an AK region item for the Order_number column.

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Diagnostics and Troubleshooting

This section contains instructions on error corrections and workarounds for problems that you may encounter in configuration or administration of Oracle iStore 11*i*. Topics include:

- Java Applet Warning Workaround
- Error ORA-29868 While Executing amviccn.sql
- Display Manager Errors
- Catalog and Pricing Errors
- Shopping List Errors
- Search Errors
- Postsales Errors
- Potential Issues Installing Oracle8i interMedia Text Version 8.1.7
- Reporting Issues

11.1 Java Applet Warning Workaround

Use the following procedure to remove the yellow bar displaying a java applet warning.

- Uninstall JInitiator from your client machine: in Windows 95/98/NT, go to Start > Settings > Control Panel > Add/Remove Programs. Find Oracle JInitiator 1.1.7.27 Export, and click Add/Remove. Make sure JInitiator is removed successfully.
- Delete the identitydb.obj file from your client machine (it is usually in the parent directory of your JInitiator installation, i.e., C:\Program Files\Oracle\).
- 3. From your client machine, FTP to the server.

cd <COMMON_TOP>/html

where <COMMON_TOP> is the actual value (i.e. /u04/viscomn). You cannot use environment variables in FTP. Make sure you are using binary transfer mode: bin.

4. Download oajinit.exe to your client machine:

get oajinit.exe

- **5.** Change to <APPL_TOP>/admin, where <APPL_TOP> is the actual value (i.e. /u02/visappl).
- 6. Download the certificate file appltop.cer:

get appltop.cer

- **7.** Close the FTP session.
- **8.** On your client machine, launch a command prompt session, and execute oajinit.exe from the command line. Wait until JInitiator is successfully installed.
- **9.** Change to the directory in which JInitiator is installed (typically C:\Program Files\Oracle\Oracle JInitiator 1.1.7.27 Export).
- **10.** Change to the bin subdirectory.
- **11.** Copy the appltop.cer file into the bin directory.
- **12.** Execute the following command exactly as shown:

./javakey.exe ic appltop appltop.cer

- **13.** If your browser was open, close and restart it.
- 14. Log in to Oracle Forms. The yellow bar should not appear.

11.2 Error ORA-29868 While Executing amviccn.sql

When running the database driver and executing amviccn.sql, you may receive the following error message:

ORA-29868: cannot issue DDL on a domain index marked as LOADING.

This error causes adpatch to halt.

To correct this error, use the following procedure.

Note: For instructions on how to use the AutoPatch utility, see *Maintaining Oracle Applications, Release 11i.*

Steps

- 1. Open another window or telnet session.
- 2. Set up the environment as usual.
- 3. Change to the \$AMV_TOP/patch/1306413/amv/patch/115/sql directory.
- 4. Edit the file amviccn.sql to change the line

dbms_sql.parse(curs, 'DROP INDEX '||dropIndex.index_name, dbms_sql.native);

to

```
dbms_sql.parse(curs, 'DROP INDEX '||dropIndex.index_name||'FORCE',
dbms_sql.native);
```

That is, add the FORCE clause to the DROP INDEX command.

- **5.** Save the file amviccn.sql.
- **6.** Use the adctrl utility to restart the failed worker by performing the following procedure:
 - a. Execute adctrl.
 - **b.** Accept defaults for all prompts until you get to the Main Menu.
 - c. Choose 1. Show Worker Status to identify the failed worker.

- **d.** Press **Return** to continue.
- e. Choose 2. Tell Worker To Restart A Failed Job and enter the ID number of the failed worker.
- f. Choose 1. Show Worker Status again to monitor the status of the job.
- 7. If all else fails, stop and restart adpatch.

11.3 Display Manager Errors

If a stack trace or error message indicates that a Display Manager API caused an error, check the top line of the exception Java stack trace for the last class and method that was called and caused the error.

Display Manager uses two sets of log files:

- FWSYS, system log files that are used by JTF and are not used by Applications.
- ibe.log.run, the Application log files that contain the sequence of actions recorded by Oracle iStore 11*i*.

11.3.1 Display Manager Error Messages

Use the following fixes and workarounds for the Display Manager error messages listed below.

TemplateNotFoundException or MediaNotFoundException

This error occurs when either DisplayManager.getURL() or DisplayManager.getTemplate(accessName), DisplayManager.getMedia(accessName)methods or used.

- Verify that the template or media was created in the Admin Console by searching for it by access name in the Admin Console.
- Reboot the server.
- Check the log file for diagnostic messages.

NullPointerException (Template or Multimedia Object is Null)

This error occurs when methods Item.getTemplateFileName() or Section.getTemplateFileName() methods or Display Manager.getSectionMedia(...) are made. This error indicates that a product or section mapping to a template or multimedia was not defined and that a store level default was also not defined.

- Verify that the mapping for the product or section was specified in the admin console.
- If the category default is in use, check whether a mapping has been defined at the category level for the requested display style.
- Verify that the specified display styles/multimedia components are actually available.
- Verify that the server was bounced after the mapping was created.
- Check the log file for diagnostic messages.

New Template (or Multimedia) Has Been Associated with a Product/Category/Section, But Won't Show Up at Runtime.

- Verify that the association was created successfully in the admin console.
- Verify that the specified display styles or multimedia components are available.
- Verify that the server was bounced after the association was created.
- Check the log file for diagnostic messages.

11.4 Catalog and Pricing Errors

To troubleshoot Catalog and Pricing errors, use the checkpoints or the following fixes for specific error messages.

11.4.1 Checkpoints

- View the JSP source in the Web browser and look for a stack trace.
- Check the log file for a stack trace.
- If you know the JSP or Java method in which the error occurred, search the log file for debug statements from the JSP or method.
- If a Web store page does not appear, verify whether the problem is with the database, Apache server, connection, or JTF/AOL as follows:
 - **1.** Go to the following URL:

http://<host>:<apache port>/html/jtfmain.htm

This page has links to test the basic functionalities that Oracle iStore 11*i* depends on.

If the page itself does not appear, the problem is with the database connection.

- **2.** Follow the instructions on the page and use the links to check for environment problems.
- If an Oracle iMarketing posting does not show up in the Oracle iStore 11*i* catalog, check the following points:
 - Oracle iMarketing is installed.
 - The profile option IBE: Use iMarketing Postings is set to Yes.
 - The centralized posting JSP (ibecpstg.jsp or ibeCCtpPostingI.jsp) is modified to set the correct posting ID value.
 - After modifying the centralized posting JSP, the following pages were removed from the _pages directory and recompiled: ibec*.java, ibescdch.java, ibeCCt*.java, ibeCScdViewA.java, ibec*.class, ibescdch.class, ibeCCt*.class, and ibeCScdViewA.class.
 - If Oracle iStore 11*i* has successfully displayed other types of Oracle iMarketing postings, the problem may be due to an Oracle iMarketing setup issue or other Oracle iMarketing problem.

11.4.2 Specific Error Messages

Use the following fixes and workarounds for the error messages listed below.

No Items in the Catalog

- Check the following profiles:
 - ASO: Product Organization
 - IBE: Item Validation Organization
 - MO: Operating Unit
- Check the Item setup for items that should appear in the catalog. They must have the following setup:
 - web_status='PUBLISHED'
 - start_date_active is NULL or <=SYSDATE

- end_date_active is NULL or >=SYSDATE
- The item's primary unit of measure is in MTL_UNITS_OF_MEASURE_VL.
- The item is available in the user's organization. A user only sees items in his or her inventory organization. You can check the Oracle iStore 11*i* log file for "Organization Id" to see the value of the user's Inventory Organization ID.
- If there are configurable items in the catalog, confirm that their components' item setups are also correct. Otherwise, their descriptions will not appear in the Oracle iStore 11*i* shopping cart.

Items Do Not Have Prices

- Check the following profiles:
 - IBE: Pricing Event -- Before Shopping Cart
 - IBE: Request Type to get a Price
 - IBE: Use Price list associated with Specialty Store
- Confirm Items are in the minisite price list.
- Confirm that the minisite has the correct price lists for walk-in and registered B2B and B2C users.
- Confirm that the price list has item prices for the correct UOMs.
- Confirm that the price is set up correctly in Oracle Pricing.
- Check the log file for the pricing API that is being called (Item.getListAndBestPrices). Confirm the values that Oracle iStore 11*i* passes to the Pricing engine: price list ID, currency code, inventory item IDs, UOM codes, price request type, and pricing event. Oracle iStore 11*i* only passes party ID and account ID for user-specific pricing. Check the values that Oracle Pricing returns: status code and status text.
- Status Code from Pricing Engine
 - UPDATED
 - DUPLICATE_PRICE_LIST
 - INVALID_UOM
 - IPL: Invalid price list ID, that is, a non-existent price list.

- If the profile option IBE: Use Price list associated with Specialty Store is set to No, check the following setups:
 - Set the profile option ASO: OM Defaulting to Yes at the desired level: site, application, responsibility, or user.
 - Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN. Choose the Oracle Pricing Manager responsibility. Select Setup > Event Phases. Query for all event phases. Set Search Flag to Yes for the pricing event "LINE" in all phases.
 - Log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN. Choose the Oracle Pricing Manager responsibility. Select Price Lists > Price List Setup. Search for the price list in question. Make sure the precedence at the product level is set correctly so that Oracle Pricing can resolve to a single price list.

For example, if there are only two price lists defined, Price List A and Price List B, and all users qualify for both price lists, and if both price lists contain Product X with precedence 220, then Oracle Pricing returns an error because it cannot choose a single price list. If the Product X precedence is 100 in Price List A and 220 in Price List B, Oracle Pricing can resolve to Price List A.

- To confirm that the defaulting row is set up correctly in Oracle Order Management, log in to Oracle Forms as SYSADMIN and choose the Order Management Super User responsibility. Select Setup > Rules > Defaulting. Search using the criteria of Application = Oracle Order Management and Entity = Order Header. Select Order Type from the Attributes section and click on Defaulting Rules. Add an entry in the Default Sourcing Rules with the following information:
 - Sequence = 1
 - Source Type = Constant Value
 - Order Type = Standard

"Add to Cart" Buttons Do Not Appear

"Add to Cart" buttons are not displayed for items that are not orderable on the Web and for items that do not have defined prices.

- Check that the item setup has orderable_on_web_flag = 'Y' in Oracle Inventory.
- Check the price setup.
- Confirm that the item's BOM item type is not OPTION CLASS.

• If the item's BOM item type is MODEL, the item must have the Oracle Configurator UI set up.

11.5 Shopping List Errors

To troubleshoot Shopping List, perform the following checks:

- Run ctx_output.start_log("log")
- Check the log file for errors in the program flow.
- Check whether data is stored or modified in the database table.
- Run SQL from the log files.
- Run PL/SQL scripts if a problem has occurred in the PL/SQL layer.

11.6 Search Errors

To troubleshoot Search errors, use the following checkpoints:

- Check the Search log file by executing ctx_output.start_log('log').
- Check that Concurrent Manager is up and running.
- If searches are inaccurate, verify that interMedia was set up correctly. Refer to Section 11.8, "Potential Issues Installing Oracle8i interMedia Text Version 8.1.7".
- Look for data stored in the indexed search column.
- If you add multiple items that do not appear in the search table, re-run the Concurrent Manager program Store Search Insert. This program populates the search table in Oracle iStore 11*i* with product information from the inventory tables.

Note: The search function goes offline while Store Search Insert is running, which takes about forty-five minutes.

 Verify that the listener.ora and tnsnames entries are correct so that the callout to the .dll can be made. For UNIX, refer to Section 11.8, "Potential Issues Installing Oracle8i interMedia Text Version 8.1.7".

For Windows NT, refer to the following example.

listener.ora

```
******
LISTENER =
  (DESCRIPTION_LIST =
   (DESCRIPTION =
     (ADDRESS_LIST =
       (ADDRESS = (PROTOCOL = IPC) (KEY = EXTPROC0))
     )
     (ADDRESS LIST =
       (ADDRESS = (PROTOCOL = TCP) (HOST = sthattil-pc) (PORT = 1521))
     )
   )
   (DESCRIPTION =
     (PROTOCOL_STACK =
       (PRESENTATION = GIOP)
       (SESSION = RAW)
     )
     (ADDRESS = (PROTOCOL = TCP) (HOST = sthattil-pc) (PORT = 2481))
   )
 )
SID_LIST_LISTENER =
  (SID_LIST =
   (SID_DESC =
     (SID_NAME = PLSExtProc)
     (ORACLE_HOME = E:\Oracle\Ora81)
     (PROGRAM = extproc)
   )
   (SID_DESC =
     (GLOBAL_DBNAME = ORCL)
     (ORACLE_HOME = E:\oracle\ora81)
     (SID_NAME = ORCL)
   )
 )
tnsnames.ora
EXTPROC_CONNECTION_DATA.US.ORACLE.COM =
  (DESCRIPTION =
   (ADDRESS_LIST =
     (ADDRESS = (PROTOCOL = IPC) (KEY = EXTPROC0))
   )
   (CONNECT_DATA =
     (SID = PLSExtProc)
     (PRESENTATION = RO)
```

)

If the code is correct, refresh the dr\$libx so it can find the .dll to create the index (my oractxx8.dll is in my \$ORACLE_HOME\bin directory). The command to recreate the library is:

create or replace library dr\$libx as 'e:\oracle\ora81\bin\oractxx8.dll';

Start the ctxsrv and re-index.

11.7 Postsales Errors

To fix issues with Postsales, first verify that the following prerequisites were done.

- All the views in Postsales are "VALID" in the database.
- Regions exist in Apps. Use the developer responsibility AK Developer or Apps for the Web Manager.
- Shipments, invoices and payments were created by the merchant through ERP applications before trying to view them in Oracle iStore 11*i*.

11.7.1 Order Summary Page Records Out of Sequence

The workaround is to use Search to locate an order.

11.8 Potential Issues Installing Oracle8*i* interMedia Text Version 8.1.7

Use the following procedures to troubleshoot problems installing Oracle8*i* interMedia Text Version 8.1.7.

11.8.1 Manually Installing ctxsys Data Dictionary

Data Dictionary Installation interMedia Text is integrated with the Oracle Database Creation Assistant (DBCA) so the ctxsys data dictionary should be installed when using this tool. If the ctxsys data dictionary does not install, use the following procedure to install it manually.

Prerequisites

- The interMedia Text files are installed.
- The database does not have a ctxsys user.
- The current directory is ?/ctx/admin.
- You can sqlplus internal.

Steps

1. Create the ctxsys user and pass it the ctxsys password, default tablespace, and temporary tablespace as arguments.

sqlplus internal @dr0csys <password> <def_tblspc> <tmp_tblspc>

2. Install the data dictionary:

sqlplus ctxsys/<password> @dr0inst <ctxx_library>

The argument is the full path to the ctxx library, for instance:

sqlplus ctxsys/<password> @dr0inst \$ORACLE_HOME/ctx/lib/libctxx8.so

3. Install appropriate language-specific default preferences. There are more than forty scripts in ?/ctx/admin/defaults that create language-specific default preferences. They are named in the form drdefXX.sql, where XX is the language code (from the Server Reference Manual).

For instance, to install the US defaults:

sqlplus ctxsys/<password> @defaults/drdefus.sql

interMedia Text should now be installed and working.

11.8.2 Post-Installation Setup

If this database was an existing ConText site, make sure to remove text_enable from the init.ora. It is no longer used in Oracle8*i*, and will actually prevent Oracle8*i* from operating properly. You will get errors such as "Cannot find package DR_ REWRITE."

Ensure that the Net8 listener is running and is configured to invoke external procedures. A brief description of the process is below, and complete details are in *Oracle8i Server Administrator's Guide*.

Steps

1. Add an entry to the tnsnames.ora:

DBSID is the database SID. ep_agt1 can be named anything.

extproc_connection_data should not be changed.

2. Add the following to the listener SID_LIST:

```
SID_DESC = (SID_NAME = ep_agt1)
          (ORACLE_HOME = /oracle)
          (ENVS = LD_LIBRARY_PATH=/oracle/ctx/lib)
          (PROGRAM = extproc))
```

ep_agt1 matches the CONNECT_DATA SID for extproc_connection_data in the tnsnames.ora. The PROGRAM section tells the Net8 listener to start the external procedure process. The ENVS section, which is shown here for UNIX, will ensure that the environment includes ?/ctx/lib in LD_LIBRARY_PATH. This is needed so that indexing can use the INSO filters.

3. Since the extproc_connection_data ADDRESS section specifies ipc, make sure that the ADDRESS_LIST of listener.ora accepts ipc connections.

A quick way to test the Net8 configuration is to do:

exec ctx_output.start_log('log')

from SQL*Plus. If the setup was not performed correctly, you get the error,

DRG-50704: Net8 listener is not running or cannot start external procedures.

To troubleshoot this error, check the following possible causes:

- listener is not running.
- listener.ora is not configured for extproc.
- tnsnames.ora is not configured for extproc.
- listener does not accept ipc connections.

11.9 Reporting Issues

Use the following guidelines to report problems and file bugs.

Check store functionality in the following order:

- 1. Check whether all server processes (Oracle, TNS listener, WebDB listener, Forms server, Reports server, Apache, etc.) are up and running.
- 2. Check JTF login by going to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/html/jtflogin.jsp

and try to log in as SYSADMIN. If login fails, the problem is with JTF. File a bug on JTF (product code 481).

3. Check the Oracle iStore 11*i* Merchant UI by logging in to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

with a store manager user name. (See Section 7.2, "Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts" for more information on creating the user name.) If login fails, the problem is with the Merchant UI. File a bug on Oracle iStore 11*i* (product code 384, component SPCLTYSTR).

4. Check the Customer UI by going to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/ibeCZzpHome.jsp?minisite=<minisite ID>

and seeing if the store comes up. If not, file a bug on Oracle iStore 11*i* (product code 384). Use the error message as guidance for which component to specify in the bug.

Note: Make sure you have set up the guest user account before checking the Customer UI. See Section 7.3, "Setting Up the Guest User Account" for more information.

5. If the store comes up but there are problems adding items to the shopping cart and/or placing orders, use the Oracle Forms UI to check if Order Capture is working. Log in as SYSADMIN, select Order Capture Sales Manager responsibility, select Order Capture, and enter a quote. (Refer to *Oracle Order Capture Concepts and Procedures, Release 11i* for further details.) If Order Capture is not working, file a bug on Oracle Order Capture (product code 769). If Order Capture is working, file a bug on Oracle iStore 11*i* (product code 384, component SHPCRT).

Α

Oracle iStore 11*i* Roles and Responsibilities

This appendix lists the Oracle Forms, Oracle CRM Applications, and Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer UI roles and responsibilities necessary to implement and administer Oracle iStore 11*i*.

You can create new users and responsibilities, and assign responsibilities as needed. See Oracle Applications System Administrator's Guide, Release 11i, Oracle CRM Foundation Implementation Guide, Release 11i, and Oracle CRM Foundation Concepts and Procedures, Release 11i for more information.

Topics include:

- Oracle Forms Roles and Responsibilities
- Oracle CRM Applications Roles and Responsibilities
- Oracle iStore 11i Customer UI Roles and Responsibilities

A.1 Oracle Forms Roles and Responsibilities

Access Oracle Forms by navigating to:

http://<host>:<apache port>/

and clicking on **Apps Logon Links** > **VIS Logon** through the Forms cartridge (UNIX). Log in with the appropriate user name to perform the specified tasks.

The following table summarizes the roles and responsibilities necessary to perform setup and administrative tasks for Oracle iStore 11*i* in Oracle Forms.

Role	Responsibility	Tasks
SYSADMIN	AK Developer	Define regions in Apps to troubleshoot Postsales errors. See Section 11.7, "Postsales Errors" for details.
SYSADMIN	Application Developer	Modify messages to change the text in the bins in the Customer UI. See Section 5.4.1, "Creating Template Source Files" for details.
		Set up descriptive flexfields to appear on item detail pages. See Section 5.9.3, "Adding Item Descriptive Flexfields" for details.
		Set up comment flexfields to appear on the checkout page. See Section 5.11.3, "Specifying Flexfields At the Checkout Page" for details.
		Set up System Administrator Access in the IBE_ DEFAULT_PAYMENT_TERM_ID profile option, during the process of setting site-level profile options as SYSADMIN with the System Administrator responsibility. See Section 7.15, "Setting Up Site-Level Profile Options" for details.
SYSADMIN	Apps for the Web Manager	Define regions in Apps to troubleshoot Postsales errors. See Section 11.7, "Postsales Errors" for details.

Table A–1 Oracle Forms Roles and Responsibilities

Role	Responsibility	Tasks
SYSADMIN	Inventory responsibility for the Master Inventory Organization	Publish items in Inventory to make them available for sale in the specialty stores. See Section 2.3.5, "Setting Up Product Items in Oracle Inventory", Section 4.5, "Setting Up the Product Catalog" and Section 5.9.1, "Modifying the Product Catalog" for details.
		Specify in Inventory if customers can order decimal quantities of an item in the specialty stores. See Section 5.11.2, "Allowing Decimal Quantities for Items" for details.
SYSADMIN	iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility,	Run the concurrent programs iStore Search Insert and iStore Section Search Refresh when setting up product searches. See Section 5.10, "Setting Up Product Searches" for details.
		Run the concurrent program iStore - One Click Consolidation to submit Express Checkout orders. See Section 7.13, "Setting Up Concurrent Program Manager" for details.
SYSADMIN	Oracle Pricing Manager	Set up Oracle Pricing. See Section 2.3.12, "Setting Up Oracle Pricing" for details.
SYSADMIN	Order Capture Sales Manager	Set up Order Capture. See Section 7.16, "Setting Up Order Capture in Forms" for details.
		Check to make sure Order Capture is working when troubleshooting problems with adding items to shopping carts or placing orders. See Section 11.9, "Reporting Issues" for details.
SYSADMIN	Order Management Super User	Set up Order Management. See Section 7.14, "Setting Up Order Management in Forms" for details.
		Set up Web-enabled shipping methods. See Section 7.14.1, "Setting Up Web-Enabled Shipping Methods" for details.
SYSADMIN	Receivables Manager	Set up Accounts Receivable for credit card payments in Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> . See Section 5.11.4, "Setting Up Credit Card Payments in Oracle iStore 11i" for details.

Table A–1 Oracle Forms Roles and Responsibilities (Cont.)

Role	Responsibility	Tasks
SYSADMIN System Ad	System Administrator	Set profile option BOM: Configurator URL of UI Manager for the IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility. See Section 2.4.3, "Setting Up Oracle Configurator" for details.
		Enter values for the descriptive flexfields that appear on item detail pages when set up by SYSADMIN using the Application Developer responsibility. See Section 5.9.3, "Adding Item Descriptive Flexfields" for details.
		Set up credit card payments in Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> . See Section 5.11.4, "Setting Up Credit Card Payments in Oracle iStore 11i" for details.
		Set up Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> store manager user accounts. See Section 7.2, "Setting Up Store Manager User Accounts" for details.
		Set up the Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> guest user account. See Section 7.3, "Setting Up the Guest User Account" for details.
		Set Foundation (JTF) profile options. See Section 7.5, "Setting Foundation (JTF) Profile Options" for details.
		Set Oracle iStore (IBE) profile options. See Section 7.6, "Setting Oracle iStore (IBE) Profile Options" for details.
		Set Order Capture (ASO) profile options. See Section 7.8, "Setting Order Capture (ASO) Profile Options" for details.
		Set Multi Organization (MO) profile options. See Section 7.10, "Setting Multi Organization (MO) Profile Options" for details.
		Assign the iStore Concurrent Programs Responsibility to a user. See Section 7.13, "Setting Up Concurrent Program Manager" for details.
		Check the status of concurrent program requests. See Section 7.13, "Setting Up Concurrent Program Manager" for details.
		Set up site-level profile options. See Section 7.15, "Setting Up Site-Level Profile Options" for details.

 Table A-1
 Oracle Forms Roles and Responsibilities (Cont.)

A.2 Oracle CRM Applications Roles and Responsibilities

Access the Oracle CRM Applications login page at:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/jtflogin.jsp

Log in with the appropriate user name to perform the specified tasks.

The following table summarizes the roles and responsibilities necessary to perform setup and administrative tasks for Oracle iStore 11*i* in Oracle CRM Applications.

Role	Responsibility	Tasks
<pre><store account="" manager="" user=""> IBE_ADMINISTRATO Logging in with this responsibility launche the Oracle iStore 11i Merchant UI.</store></pre>	IBE_ADMINISTRATOR Logging in with this responsibility launches the Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> Merchant UI.	Set up and modify specialty stores. See Section 4.3, "Creating Specialty Stores" for details.
		Set up and modify the hierarchy. See Section 4.4, "Creating the Hierarchy" and Section 5.6, "Modifying the Hierarchy" for details.
		Set up and modify the product catalog. See Section 4.5, "Setting Up the Product Catalog" and Section 5.9.1, "Modifying the Product Catalog" for details.
		Set up store appearance by managing multimedia, multimedia components, templates, and display styles at item, category, section, and store level. See Chapter 5 for more information.
		Set up product relationships. See Section 4.5.1, "Using Seeded Relationship Types" and Section 5.7, "Creating Relationships" for details.
		Manage the product and section caches. See Section 6.5, "Managing the Cache" for details.

Table A–2 Oracle CRM Applications Roles and Responsibilities

Role	Responsibility	Tasks
SYSADMIN	Logging in with this role launches the Oracle CRM System Administrator Console.	Set up default roles and responsibilities for Oracle iStore 11 <i>i</i> customers. See Section 6.3, "Setting Up Oracle iStore 11i Customer Types" for details.
		Create B2B user roles, approve customer users for the specialty stores, and modify customer user data. See Section 6.4, "Setting Up B2B Users" for details.
		Set up JTF properties. See Section 7.4, "Setting Up JTF Properties" for details.

Table A-2 Oracle CRM Applications Roles and Responsibilities (Cont.)

A.3 Oracle iStore 11*i* Customer UI Roles and Responsibilities

Customers are also assigned roles and responsibilities, which customize their Web store experience. At least one customer responsibility is assigned to each customer name when the name is approved during user registration. You can use the seeded IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility and create other customer responsibilities too.

In a multiple operating unit environment, you need to create a customer responsibility for each operating unit if you want a customer to access only items from the Inventory Organization specific to each operating unit.

In the Merchant UI, you can specify a list of the customer responsibilities that are supported by a given specialty store. You can select these from all existing responsibilities. You can also specify for a given specialty store whether Oracle iStore 11*i* checks the customer's responsibilities and grants access only if the customer has an assigned responsibility that is supported by the specialty store.

If multiple responsibilities are supported by a specialty store, a customer who logs in to the store must choose one responsibility for that session. The responsibility uniquely identifies the operating unit against which any orders placed during the session will be booked. The responsibility is assigned only for the current session.

If you set up a specialty store to check the customer's responsibility, the customer can choose only from the responsibilities that have been assigned to him or her during registration. If the specialty store is not set up to check the customer's responsibility, then the customer can choose any supported responsibility in any specialty store that does not check the customer's assigned responsibilities.

The following table summarizes the responsibilities seeded by Oracle iStore 11*i* for Web store customers to use in the Customer UI, located at:

http://<host>:<apache port>/OA_HTML/ibeCZzpHome.jsp?minisite=<minisite ID>

Role	Responsibility	Tasks
<guest user<br="">Account></guest>	IBE_CUSTOMER	The guest user name is assigned to every customer who browses the store without registering. You must assign the IBE_ CUSTOMER responsibility or another customer responsibility as a default for guest users. See Section 7.3, "Setting Up the Guest User Account" for details.
<customer user<br="">Account></customer>	IBE_CUSTOMER	The IBE_CUSTOMER responsibility is assigned by default to every registered customer.

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