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Web Service Access to Oracle DataLens Servers Interface Guide

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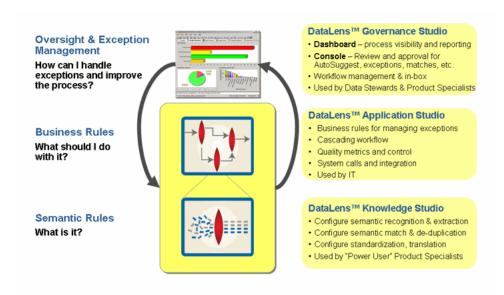
This document describes the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Web Access to Oracle DataLens Servers and contains the following:

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Overview

Oracle DataLens Server is built on industry-leading DataLens™ Technology to standardize, match, enrich, and correct product data from different sources and systems. The core DataLens Technology uses patented semantic technology designed from the ground up to tackle the extreme variability typical of product data.

Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data, formerly Oracle Product Data Quality, uses three core DataLens Technology modules: Governance Studio, Knowledge Studio, and Application Studio. The following figure illustrates the process flow of these modules.



Web service access is provided to the Oracle DataLens Server as a Document-Literal Web Service. The following sections describe how to set up this access and the Web Service Operations that you can use to interface with Enterprise DQ for Product (EDQP) Data Service Applications (DSAs) including examples.



Obtaining the EDQP WSDL Document

To integrate with an Enterprise DQ for Product DSA as a Web Service, you need software that will interface with the Oracle DataLens Web Services. There are a number of tools available to generate this software from a Web Services Description Language (WSDL) document, which is an XML format for describing network services. You can view the WSDL for the Oracle DataLens Web Services by using an Internet browser.

Browse to the following Web site:

http://localhost:2229/datalens/ws/Processor?wsdl

Note: The host name and port number may differ.

This displays the WSDL document, which can be saved by right-clicking in the document in the browser, selecting **View Source**, and then saving the file from within your browser. For instance, the file can be saved as Processor.wsdl.

Client Web Service Software

For your Web Service clients, client-side software can be generated from this WSDL document to access the Oracle DataLens Server.

Communicating with a DSA

There is a single Service called "ProcessorService", which uses a PortType (Interface) called "Processor".

The following three Oracle DataLens Web Services Operations can be used to process data and communicate with a DSA by creating a job:

ProcessorList

This requires an input array of strings, or multiple lines of data, and returns an output array of strings. One DSA job is created.

ProcessorOneLine

This requires a single string of input, or one line of data, and returns a single string of output. If you have several lines of data, use ProcessorList to process them because a single DSA job is created rather than the multiple DSA jobs that would be created using the ProcessorOneLine operation for each line of data. For example, if you have four lines of data to process, the ProcessorList creates one DSA job while the ProcessorOneLine creates four separate DSA jobs.

ProcessorDB

This requires a database query (defined in the Transform Map) and returns a job Id of the DSA Job that handled the request. The output is assumed to be a database update, e-mail, or FTP. One DSA job is created.

Points to Consider

- Reviewing the EDQP WSDL will help you to understand what operations and parameters can be used to communicate with DSAs.
- Simple Object Access Protocol (SOAP) is used to communicate with DSAs. For more information about SOAP, see the W3C SOAP 1.1 Web site:

http://www.w3.org/TR/2000/NOTE-SOAP-20000508/

- You must provide the exact input fields that are defined in the DSA to ensure proper operation and avoid errors. For example, if the input nodes in the DSA are Id, Category, and Description, you must provide all three fields in your SOAP processing operation.
- You must separate input fields using a defined separator; the tab character "^" is recommended. For example, using the tab character to separate the Id, Category, and Description input fields:

```
<lineOfData>3^2334^res, 37ohm, 39watt, 30%</lineOfData>
```

The best practice is to define all of the operation parameters (even those that may be labeled as optional) to avoid errors. The EDQP WSDL and the DSA define the necessary parameters not the SOAP UI you are using; some SOAP UIs erroneously mark parameters as optional as in the examples in the following sections.

The SOAP request structure is the same for each type of request though some of the parameters may not apply. For example, processListRequest and processOneLineRequest do not use the dbparameters parameter; processDBRequest does not use line or linesofdata parameters. The parameters used are dependent on the operation request.

Additionally, defining all parameters allows the most information possible to be related to the DSA job, and then reviewed and verified in the Oracle DataLens Server Administration Web Page.

processListRequest and processOneLineRequest Operations

The difference between these two operations is that processListRequest takes an array of lines and processLineRequest takes a single line of data as a string. The transformed data is returned. This call is synchronous. The parameters are as follows:

dsaName

The name of the DSA to run on the Oracle DataLens Server.

line Or linesOfData

One line or multiple lines of input or output data respectively.

dbParameters

Not used.

priority

The priority the DSA job will be given on the Oracle DataLens Server for processing; the default is Medium. The priority is set numerically as follows:

3 for High

2 for Medium (the default)

1 for Low

runtimeLocale

A run time locale must be entered; the default locale of en_US should be entered if not known.

fieldSeparatorChar

A character that will be used to separate fields; the tab character "^" is recommended.

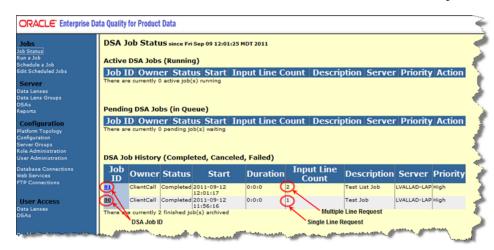
application

This application name initiated the client request to the server. This name is used to accumulate server statistics on the Oracle DataLens Server Administration Web Pages.

description

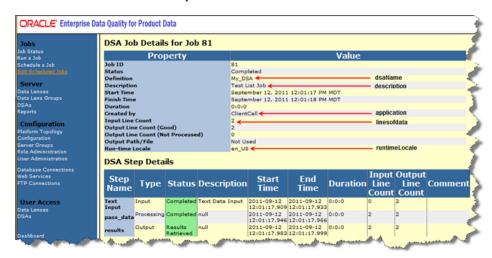
A description of a particular job and relates to a DSA Job ID.

The Oracle DataLens Server Administration DSA Job Status Web page illustrates the DSA Job ID for both the processListRequest and processLineRequest operations:



Additionally, the priority parameter that was set is displayed in the Priority column.

The following DSA Job Details Web page illustrates the operation parameters supplied in the processListRequest operation:



The following sections provide examples of request and response operations for both the processListRequest and processLineRequest operations:

SOAP Doc-Lit Multi-Line ProcessList Request Example

```
<ws:processList>
         <dsaName>sampleDSA</dsaName>
         <!--Zero or more repetitions:-->
         <linesOfData>1^res, 17ohm, 19watt, 10%</linesOfData>
         <linesOfData>2^res, 27ohm, 29watt, 20%</linesOfData>
         <linesOfData>3^res, 37ohm, 39watt, 30%</linesOfData>
         <!--Zero or more repetitions:-->
         <dbParameters>?</dbParameters>
         <!--Optional:-->
         <priority>1</priority>
         <!--Optional:-->
         <runtimeLocale>en_US</runtimeLocale>
         <!--Optional:-->
         <fieldSeparator>^</fieldSeparator>
         <!--Optional:-->
         <application>ClientCall</application>
         <!--Optional:-->
         <description>Example list Doc-Lit client call</description>
      </ws:processList>
   </soapenv:Body>
</soapenv:Envelope>
```

SOAP Doc-Lit Multi-Line ProcessList Response Example

```
<S:Envelope xmlns:S="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/soap/envelope/">
<S:Body>
      <ns2:processListResponse xmlns:ns2="http://www.oracle.com/ws">
         <return>1^Resistor, 17 Ohm, 10%, 19 Watt^32121609^Fixed
resistors^Resistor^Item_Name^RESISTOR^Item_Type^^Resistance^17
OHM^Power^19^Tolerance^10%^Package_Size^^Construction^^Mounting^^Pin_Count
^^For_sale_packaging^</return>
         <return>2^Resistor, 27 Ohm, 20%, 29 Watt^32121609^Fixed
resistors^Resistor^Item_Name^RESISTOR^Item_Type^^Resistance^27
OHM^Power^29^Tolerance^20%^Package_Size^^Construction^^Mounting^^Pin_Count
^^For_sale_packaging^</return>
         <return>3^Resistor, 37 Ohm, 30%, 39 Watt^32121609^Fixed
resistors^Resistor^Item_Name^RESISTOR^Item_Type^^Resistance^37
OHM^Power^39^Tolerance^30%^Package_Size^^Construction^^Mounting^^Pin_Count
^^For_sale_packaging^</return>
      </ns2:processListResponse>
   </S:Body>
</S:Envelope>
```

SOAP Document-Literal One Line Request Example

SOAP Document-Literal One Line Response Example

processDBRequest

This call takes the database parameters as input and returns the DSA Job ID. This call is asynchronous. The parameters are as follows and are the same as described in "processListRequest and processOneLineRequest Operations" on page 1-3:

```
dsaName
dbParameters
priority
runtimeLocale
fieldSeparatorChar
application
description
```

However, the dbParameters parameter is the value that is input to the DSA database query and is related to the DSA job run.

The following sections provide example request and response operations for the processDb operation:

SOAP Document-Literal processDb Request Example

The field separator will be used when the output from the database job is a text file.

SOAP Document-Literal processDb Response Example

The return value of the preceding processDb call is the DSA Job ID, in this case 784. This job reads data from the database and updates other fields in the database as in the following example:



Related Documents

For more information, see the following documents in the documentation set:

- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data R12 PIM Connector Installation Guide provides installation and configuration of Enterprise DQ for Product R12 PIM Connector.
- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data R12 PIM Connector User's Guide provides highlights of the core process steps and features of Enterprise DQ for Product R12 PIM Connector.
- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Oracle DataLens Server Installation Guide provides detailed Oracle DataLens Server installation instructions.

- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Oracle DataLens Server Administration Guide provides information about installing and managing an Oracle DataLens Server.
- The *Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data COM Interface Guide* provides information about installing and using the Oracle DataLens Server COM APIs.
- The *Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Java Interface Guide* provides information about installing and using the Oracle DataLens Server Java APIs.
- The *Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Glossary* provides definitions to commonly used Enterprise DQ for Product technology terms.

See the latest version of this and all documents listed at the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Documentation Web site at:

http://download.oracle.com/docs/cd/E20593_01/index.htm

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