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Preface

This reference guide is intended to explain the capabilities of the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data AutoBuild Application. The document is organized as follows:

- Chapters 1 and 2 describe the basic application features.
- Chapter 3 describes the AutoBuild process using a metadata from various sources.

Review the following Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data documentation prior to the use of this manual is recommended:

Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio Reference Guide

To understand all of the features presented, you must use this reference guide in conjunction with the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data documents listed in "Related Documents" on page 2-vi.

Audience

You should have a basic understanding of the DataLens Technology. This includes the Knowledge Studio (recognizing and standardizing data) and use of the Smart Glossaries.

A thorough understanding of the material in this guide is required for the following customer personnel:

- Business Analysts trained in either the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio or Application Studio.
- Subject matter experts (SMEs), including Product Specialists and Category Managers, trained in the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio.
- IT Workflow Analysts trained in the use of the Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Application Studio
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Related Documents

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

- The *Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Getting Started Guide* provides information about how to get started with EDQP and use the Application Launch Pad to start client applications.
- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Application Studio Reference Guide provides information about creating and maintaining Data Service Applications (DSAs).
- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio Reference Guide provides information about creating and maintaining data lenses.
- The Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Services for Excel Reference Guide provides information about creating a DSA based on data contained in a Microsoft Excel worksheet.

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

http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E35636_01/index.htm

Conventions

The following text conventions are used in this document:

Convention	Meaning
boldface	Boldface type indicates graphical user interface elements associated with an action, or terms defined in text or the glossary.
italic	Italic type indicates book titles, emphasis, or placeholder variables for which you supply particular values.
monospace	Monospace type indicates commands within a paragraph, URLs, code in examples, text that appears on the screen, text that you enter, or a file, directory, or path name.
monospace	Boldface, monospace type indicates commands or text that you enter.

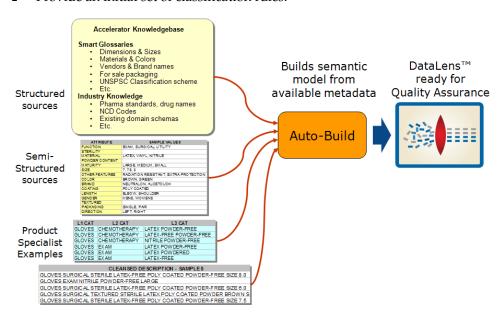
Overview

The AutoBuild application is included in the Services for Excel additionally installed (add-in) product, which provides a custom toolbar that is added to Excel. For more information about this product, see *Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Services for Excel Reference Guide*.

Autobuild can rapidly leverage your existing product information to create initial data lenses specific to your enterprise content. The use of Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data (EDQP) Smart Glossaries allows cross-domain knowledge to automatically be recognized in your data lenses. For example, a company with writing instruments inventory may have structured content containing information about each product category. This data knowledge can be transformed from an Excel worksheet into a data lens by the AutoBuild Application saving a significant amount of effort and cost.

Autobuild constructs the initial data lens using the structured category and attribute information. Given sufficient information, the AutoBuild application can accomplish the following:

- Construct a full Item Definition hierarchy, complete with required, scoring, and optional attributes.
- Construct rich term and phrase recognition rules.
- Provide an initial set of classification rules.



The AutoBuild application significantly reduces the level of effort required to:

- Create an initial data lens.
- Align initial data lenses to any business domain.
- Leverage the data lenses to automatically meet enterprise data requirements across a variety of internal and external data sources.

AutoBuild offers a familiar, easy-to-use graphical wizard interface to step you through the process from start to finish.

Quantity of Structured Information

AutoBuild can use as much or as little structured information as you have available. If you only have a list of categories, AutoBuild creates a base data lens that contains a set of conforming Item Definitions from the provided categories. If you have attribute names associated with the categories, then AutoBuild can add attributes to the data lens Item Definitions and create the associated phrase rules. If you have attribute values associated with the attributes, then AutoBuild creates terminology (term) rules to recognize the attribute information and automatically associate the phrases with the correct attributes in the Item Definitions. AutoBuild makes the best use of any structured product information you provide.

AutoBuild works best when you provide a few examples of structured items for each category. These example items should represent the product categories and attributes you want to capture in your enterprise data.

AutoBuild and Smart Glossaries

Enterprise DQ for Product Smart Glossaries are data lenses designed to be applied to a broad range of data domains. The Smart Glossaries delivered with the product recognize materials, colors, and units of measure for example. Each Smart Glossary is designed to be imported into an existing data lens, or can be used as the basis for creating a new data lens. Individual Smart Glossaries can be combined together to create a template that is used in the Autobuild process. Smart Glossaries can be created and edited using the Knowledge Studio. For more information about Smart Glossaries, see Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio Reference Guide.

When AutoBuild creates a new data lens from your structured item content, a combination of Smart Glossaries is used as the basis for the generated data lens.

Default Smart Glossary

The default Smart Glossary used by AutoBuild is named DLS_Import_Template. This Smart Glossary is installed along with the other pre-packaged Smart Glossaries on the server. This Smart Glossary is a composite of glossaries from units of measure, counts, colors, materials and finishes, and product packaging.

Each time you create a data lens using Autobuild, you can select a different Smart Glossary to be used in the autobuild process. You can also create and configure your own combination of Smart Glossaries that are most applicable to your domain data for use by AutoBuild. Although only one Smart Glossary can be applied when creating a data lens with AutoBuild, additional Smart Glossaries can be imported after the data lens has been autobuilt and opened.

The Smart Glossary used by AutoBuild to generate a data lens is also known as a data lens template.

Note: The default Smart Glossary, DLS_Import_Template, is automatically available. You must check out any other Smart Glossary you want to use as a template to generate your data lens, from your Oracle DataLens Server. For information on Smart Glossaries, see *Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio Reference Guide*.

Smart Glossary Foundation for Generated Data Lens

The Smart Glossary used by AutoBuild provides all of the initial settings for the generated data lens. Standard data lens options found in the Knowledge Studio options are copied from the selected Smart Glossary to the new data lens. Transformation types are copied from the Smart Glossary to the generated data lens. This includes the classification types, standardization types, and match types. Unit Conversion rules are also copied to the generated data lens.

AutoBuild combines your structured metadata and the selected Smart Glossary to create a new data lens that contains the generated item definitions, attributes, and associated attributes and values. If there is overlap between the Smart Glossary phrases and terms and the phrases and terms in the metadata, AutoBuild may use the Smart Glossary rules and structure instead of those found in the metadata. The primary exception to this rule is if the metadata attribute values are members of valuesets. This avoids creating ambiguous terms and phrases in the data lens. Additionally, AutoBuild prunes unnecessary rules so that there are no unintended collisions between rules.

Replacing Item Definition Model Phrase structures with Smart Glossary Phrase Structures

AutoBuild can drill down into the structure of the generated phrases and replace any units of measure and count type phrase productions discovered in the structured item information with the EDQP standard phrase structures from the Smart Glossary. One benefit of using the Smart Glossary version of these phrase structures is that the Smart Glossary phrase structures have already been standardized. Except when valid values and units of conversion have been specified in the metadata, the AutoBuilt data lens will inherit the unit conversion rules from the Smart Glossary.

Prerequisites to Using AutoBuild

To use the AutoBuild application successfully, the following prerequisites must be met:

PIM Metadata Prerequisites

There are specific PIM metadata prerequisites you must observe when using AutoBuild with Oracle PIM systems. Use one of the following guides to identify the PIM metadata prerequisites for the PIM system you are using:

Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Fusion PIM Integration Implementation and User's Guide at

http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E35636_01/doc.11116/e29148/toc.htm

Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data R12 PIM Connector User's Guide at

http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E35636_01/doc.11116/e29140/toc.htm

The remaining sections in this chapter should be used as referential material only.

Non-PIM Metadata Prerequisites

In order to make efficient use of the AutoBuild application, you must work with your metadata in the form of Excel worksheets that contain some or all of the following information about your company's products:

Category or Item Class

The categories that describe the item data you wish to process. The categories may be hierarchically grouped though this is not essential.

Item Form, Fit, and Function Attributes

Examples of these attributes include color, weight, size, material, packaging, and so on.

Valid Attributes

Examples of those attribute values that are valid for your data.

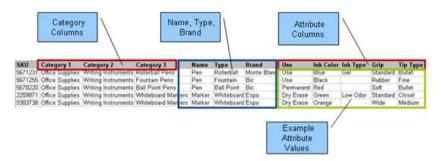
You can expect maximum benefit from the AutoBuild application when your structured item examples contain attribute values that are expressed in full, unabbreviated form. The Enterprise DQ for Product can leverage these full-form examples and automatically recognize a broad range of term abbreviations and variations in phrasing.

Identifying Structured Item Information

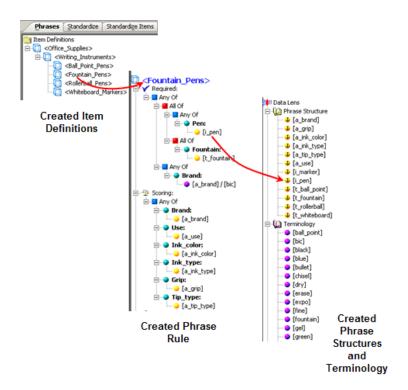
The main sources of structured item information that can be used with AutoBuild are the following:

- Item categories
- Item names and types
- Item brand information
- Item attributes
- Attribute values

The following figure provides an example of each of the above types of structured item information from a sample metadata file:



Given the structure of the information in the preceding example, AutoBuild can generate a data lens similar to the following:



Sources of Structured Item Content

The source of structured item information could be any of the following:

- Existing electronic product catalog information
- Item master information
- Product information management (PIM) structures
- Category management or product marketing worksheets
- Existing eCommerce site information
- Structured examples used to define your current product categories

Supported Structured item Information Formats

Product information exports can vary greatly among systems and database schemas. As a result, AutoBuild is designed to support a wide variety of product information export formats.

Supported Category Formats

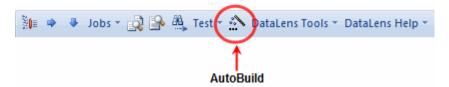
- Multiple column category names (each category column represents one level in a classification hierarchy).
- Multiple column category code/name pairs with the category columns grouped in pairs. The first column in the pair is a category code and the second column in the pair is a category name; each column pair represents one level in a classification hierarchy.
- Single column category names (single level classification hierarchy).
- Single column category names that are character separated (multiple level classification hierarchy with a character string separating each category name).
- Single column UNSPSC Category Codes.

Supported Attribute Formats

- Attribute names listed in the same row with the category information.
- Attribute name/value pairs listed in same row with the category information. A third column can be used to identify a valueset so that only the values present in the metadata worksheet are used to create term rules.
- Attribute name/value/unit of measure (UOM) triplets listed in same row with the category information.
- Attributes in the same file as the category information; attribute names listed as the column headers.
- Attributes in a separate file from the category information; attribute names listed as the column headers.
- Multiple categories in a single worksheet with each category grouped as a distinct set of rows separated by a blank line from another category group. Attributes are in same file as the category information, attribute names listed as column headers.
- Category and attribute information can repeat across multiple rows within the same worksheet. In addition, category and attribute information can be listed across multiple worksheets in a workbook.

AutoBuild User Interface

The AutoBuild function is accessed using the AutoBuild button on the Services for Excel toolbar as shown in the following:



Tip: The tooltips appear when you rest your mouse pointer on a menu item, button, tab, icon, or similar content.

Tip: If you press and hold the **Shift** key and click the AutoBuild button, you are advanced directly to Step 4 of the AutoBuild User Interface Wizard. For more information, see "Step 4: Define Data Lens Output" on page 2-22.

If this toolbar does not appear in Excel, then Services for Excel may not be installed. For installation instructions and more information, see Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Services for Excel Reference Guide.

When you click the **AutoBuild** button, the following message may be displayed:

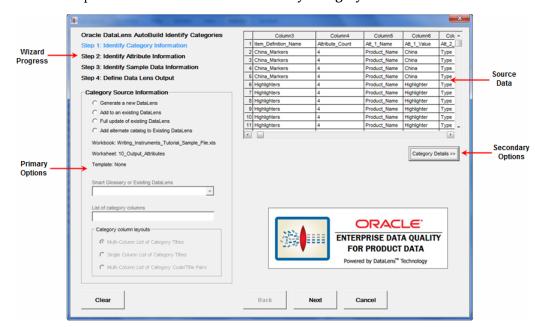
No data lenses were found. Source DataLens DLS_Import_Template not found -- please select another lens or check out this lens before running AutoBuild

This means that the DLS_Import_Template Smart Glossary data lens has not been checked out of Knowledge Studio. Ensure that you open Knowledge Studio and check out the DLS_Import_Template data lens as read-only from your Oracle DataLens Server. For installation instructions, see Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio Reference Guide.

The AutoBuild User Interface

The AutoBuild user interface is a four-step wizard that allows you to select how you want your initial data lens to be created. You start the wizard by clicking on the AutoBuild button on the AutoBuild toolbar.

Tip: It is good practice to save all open Excel workbooks before you start the AutoBuild wizard.



The first step of the AutoBuild wizard is **Identify Category Information**.

Note: The active Excel Workbook cannot be accessed while the AutoBuild wizard is in use.

Each step of the wizard contains the four following four areas:

Wizard Progress

The title of the active step of the wizard is colored blue.

Source Metadata

The metadata from the active Excel worksheet is displayed. The columns can be resized as in Excel and you can use the arrows to scroll up and down to view more metadata. The columns are colorized as you make selections.

Primary Options

The controls in this area allow you to select the necessary (primary) options for the step.

Secondary Options

The button in this area activates the additional (secondary) options that you can select for the step. The default secondary options are selected for you if no changes are made or the area is not activated.

The following buttons appear in each step and are active when appropriate:

Clear

Resets the wizard selections so that you can start a new data lens creation process with the active Excel workbook.

Back

Returns the wizard to the previous step to review or make changes in selections.

Next

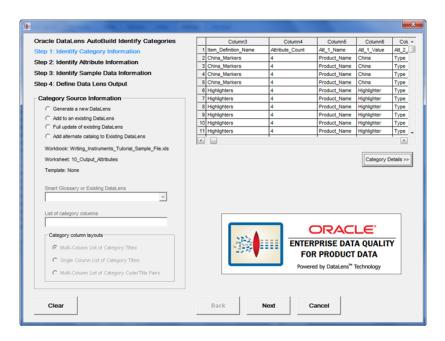
Advances the wizard to the next step in the process.

Cancel

Exits the AutoBuild wizard; does not save any selections.

Step 1: Identify Category Information

The first step of the AutoBuild wizard is to identify category information and its use is described in this section. The first time the AutoBuild wizard is opened from a worksheet, the active Excel worksheet is chosen by default as the data source.



Category Source Information Section

The controls in this section are used as follows:

Data Lens Generation Options

These options operate in conjunction with your selection from the Smart Glossary or **Existing DataLens** list and are active based on this list. Select how you want AutoBuild to generate your data lens from the following options:

Generate a new DataLens

Creates a new data lens and is active when the DLS_Import_Template data lens is selected.

The following three options are visible when a data lens other than DLS_Import_ Template is selected from the **Smart Glossary or Existing DataLens** list:

Add to an existing DataLens

Adds new attributes and item definitions to an existing data lens.

Full update of existing DataLens

Adds new and updates existing attributes and item definitions to an existing data lens. Classification schemas can also be updated using this option.

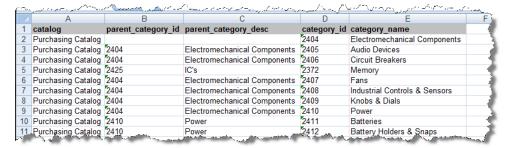
Add alternate catalog to Existing DataLens

Adds a new user-defined classification schema to the selected existing data lens. This new alternate catalog may either be added to a data lens as simply a new

classification schema or it can be added and at the same time classification rules can be automatically created as follows:

Adding an alternate catalog to a data lens (does not create classification rules) -

You can add a classification schema to a data lens, the alternate catalog must have the following format and column names:



After you have added this catalog to your data lens, you can manually create classification rules within the data lens (using Item Definitions and/or rules).

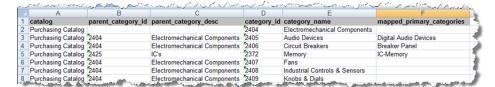
This functionality can also be used more generally for creating classification schemas to add to data lenses. As long as the classification schema has the correct format, Autobuild will create a classification schema for use in a data lens.

Adding an alternate catalog to a data lens and create classification rules -

You can create classification rules at the same time that you add an alternate catalog. When this function is performed, you are creating classification rules that map Item Definitions in your existing data lens to the categories in your new alternate catalog (classification schema). To do this, you must meet the following requirements:

- The alternate catalog spreadsheet must contain the columns described in "Adding an alternate catalog to a data lens (does not create classification rules) -" on page 2-4.
- The Item Definitions in your existing data lens must have the Description fields
- The alternate catalog spreadsheet must contain the column, mapped_primary _ catgories.
- If you have a mapping for a alternate catalog to your Item Definition, the mapped_ primary _catgories column must contain the Description of the Item Definition that should be classified to that category.

The following is an example of these requirements:



Note: Since the category to Item Definition mapping is performed using the Item Definition description, the Item Definition description field (in the data lens) must be populated, and values in the mapped_ primary _catgories column *must* reference the Item Definition descriptions (not the Item Definition names).

Excel Information

AutoBuild displays the current Excel workbook, worksheet, and template information.

Smart Glossary or Existing Data Lens List

Select a Smart Glossary or data lens to be used for data lens generation. You can create and use your own combination of Smart Glossaries that is most applicable to your domain data.

Note: The "DLS" prefix to a data lens name is reserved to indicate a Smart Glossary thus the selection of any data lens using this naming convention is assumed to be a Smart Glossary. For example, the default Smart Glossary is DLS_Import_Template.

Note: If the data lens names do not display properly (as is sometimes the case with double-byte characters), ensure that your Windows region and language options are set properly. For more information, see Windows Help.

List of category columns Field

Use this field to specify the columns to use for the item definition hierarchy in the data lens. For example, the item definitions in the data lens will correspond to the item catalog categories in your item master. The column order is assumed to be from left to right with the parent categories to the left and the child categories to the right. You can use numbers, dashes, and commas to specify a range of columns, or a combination of range(s) and single column(s).

You must confirm your category column list entry by pressing the **Tab** key or selecting another user interface option. Once the column list is confirmed, the source metadata table is updated colorizing your category column selections in green.

Category column layout Options

The three possible category column layouts to choose from are as follows:

Multi-Column List of Category Titles

This column layout assumes that there are multiple levels in the category hierarchy and that each column represents one level in the hierarchy. AutoBuild assumes that the category hierarchy is expressed left to right with the first column starting from the left as the highest level in the category hierarchy, and the last column on the right is the lowest level in the hierarchy. This option is active and selected by default when the **List of category columns** field contains more than one column.

Single Column List of Category Titles

This layout is active and selected for you automatically when you list only one category column. It is the default when the AutoBuild wizard first opens; it is the only option that is active when one column is selected in the List of category columns field.

Multi-Column List of Category Code/Title Pairs

This layout is similar to the **Multi-Column List of Category Titles** with the addition that each category is expressed as a pair of columns. The first column contains a category code and the second column contains the category name. This option is active when the column list contains more than one column.

Category/Attribute Metadata Table

The Category/Attribute Metadata table section is displayed as follows:

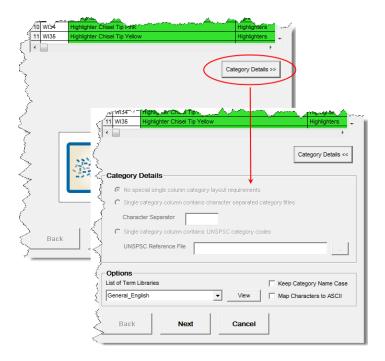


Metadata Table

The metadata table displays the first 30 rows and 80 columns of the structured Excel worksheet metadata source. As the columns are identified in the List of category **columns** field, they are colorized green as in the preceding example.

Category Details

The Category Details section is activated by clicking on the button of the same name and is used as follows:



None of the Category Details options are active unless you select only *one* column in the **List of category columns** field. These options are used as follows:

No special single column category layout requirements option

This option is automatically selected for you when a single category column is identified. It indicates that either the column contents are not delimited or that they contain category codes.

Single category column contains character separated category titles Option

This option indicates that there are multiple character separated category names in the defined category column. Selecting this option activates the following:

Character Separator Field

When the previous option is selected, use this field to inform the system of the character used to separate the category titles.

Single category column contains UNSPSC category codes Option

This option indicates that the single identified category column contains UNSPSC category codes. AutoBuild is UNSPSC aware and can automatically build the complete UNSPSC hierarchy for you from a UNSPSC reference file that you supply with the following:

Note: The Enterprise DQ for Product ships with several versions of the UNSPSC classification system.

UNSPSC Reference File Browser Button

Use to locate and select the UNSPSC reference file that you want to use. The file browser automatically opens a local directory. You can select a file of your own or a UNSPSC file installed with the product and is found in:

C:\Users\user1\AppData\Roaming\DataLens\system\schemas

You must select this option to output the UNSPSC schema as a classification type in Step 4 of the wizard. For more information, see "Output Details" on page 2-24.

List of Term Libraries List

Select the Term Library that you want to apply to the data lens being created. If there is a match between a metadata attribute value and the defined full-form in the term library, the term variants from the term library are added to the generated data lens.

View Button

Starts Internet Explorer and displays the available list of Term Libraries based on your selection in the **List of Term Libraries** list.

Keep Category Name Case

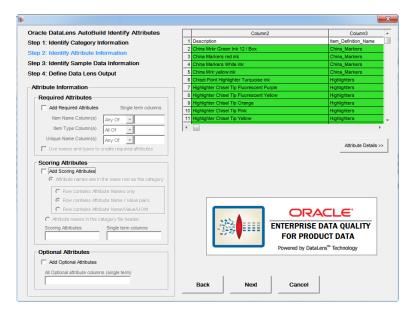
This option ensures that the category name case in your worksheet is used to create the corresponding Item Definition rather than the case rules in the selected Smart Glossary or data lens. Selecting this option ensures that AutoBuild applies proper case to the category name with the use of underscores. For example, 'Ink Pen' is changed to 'Ink_Pen' rather than 'Ink_pen'.

Map Characters to ASCII Check Box

This option will map the metadata source diacritical characters (for example, à and ñ) to their ASCII equivalents. It is useful when the input data is a romance language containing diacritical characters and you want to create a data lens with the ASCII version of categories and rules.

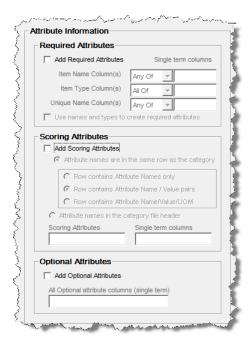
Step 2: Identify Attribute Information

The second step of the AutoBuild wizard is to identify attribute information and its use is described in this section.



Attribute Information Section

The following section describes each option in the **Attribute Information** section.



Required Attributes Box

The purpose of these options is to identify attributes that can be used to identify each item uniquely. The controls in this section are used as follows:

Add Required Attributes

This check box activates the controls in this box so that you can select which columns of the source metadata will be the required attributes in the Item Definition.

Item Name, Item Type, and Unique Name Columns Fields

Use these fields to specify the columns that are to be used to define the required logic name attributes, which are the item name, item type, and a unique name respectively.

To specify the list of attributes, you can use numbers, dashes, and commas to specify a single column, a range of columns, or a combination of ranges and single columns. You confirm your entry by pressing the **Tab** key or selecting another control in the step. Once the column list is confirmed, the metadata table is updated by colorizing your item name columns in violet.

Use names and types to create required attributes Check box

When this option is selected, the required logic attributes are generated by AutoBuild. The attribute names are used for the Required Attribute names, rather than using the default Item_Name and Item_Type as attribute names. Required attribute logic attempts to add attributes to the set of required items automatically by determining the uniqueness of the attributes. Some scoring or form/fit/function attributes are unique to a category or unique to a set of sibling categories (categories that are at the same level and report to the same parent category).

Use of enhanced attribute logic works best when the structured source contains a broad range of categories and most categories contain attribute definitions. This allows the system to analyze the uniqueness of the attribute information across the category hierarchy. If your structured source metadata only contains a couple of categories, or if your attribute information is sparse across your categories, then you should not select this option.

Unique names are considered to be uniquely associated with a single category of product so the first category associated with a specific brand name will be recorded as the category identified by that brand name.

Note: A Unique Name as defined for required logic *must* be a unique identifier. If your brand names are not unique across categories then you should use your unique names just as item names.

Logic generated if this option is selected is as follows:

The default "Any Of" and "All Of" nodes described in the following examples are generated by AutoBuild when the Use names and types to create required attributes check box is selected and attribute selections are made using the controls in the **Attribute Information** box:

Example	Required logic generated for each Item Definition
No item name, item type, or brand name columns are defined and Add Required Attributes is selected	Required
	All Of:
	Item_Name:
	Item_Type:
Only item name columns are defined	Required
	All Of:
	Any Of:
	Name_Attr1:
	Name_Attr2:
	Attributes that are unique to my sibling
	categories if any
Only item type columns are defined	Required
	All Of:
	All Of:
	Type_Attr1:
	Type_Attr2:
	Attributes that are unique to this category
	alone if any

Example	Required logic generated for each Item Definition
One or more columns of both item	Required
names and item types are define	All Of:
	Any Of:
	Name_Attr1:
	Name_Attr2:
	Attributes that are unique to my sibling
	categories if any
	All Of:
	Type_Attr1:
	Type_Attr2:
	Attributes that are unique to this category
	alone if any
One or more brand name columns are	Required
defined	Any Of:
	All Of:
	Item_Name:
	Item_Type:
	Any Of:
	Brand:
	[a_brand]\[some_brand_name1]
	[a_brand]\[some_brand_name2]

Example	Required logic generated for each Item Definition
	Required
and item name and item type columns are defined	Any Of:
are defined	All Of:
	Any Of:
	Name_Attr1:
	Name_Attr2:
	Attributes that are unique to my sibling
	categories if any
	All Of:
	Type_Attr1:
	Type_Attr2:
	Attributes that are unique to this category
	alone if any
	Any Of:
	Brand:
	[a_brand]\[some_brand_name1]
	[a_brand]\[some_brand_name2]

Logic generated if this option is *not* selected

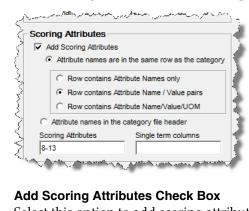
The following examples describe the required logic attributes that are generated by AutoBuild when the Use names and types to create required attributes check box is *not* selected:

Example	Required logic generated for each item definition
If no item name or item type columns	Required
are defined	All Of:
	Item_Name:
	Item_Type:
If only item name columns are defined	Required
	All Of:
	Item_Name:
	[i_column1]
	[i_column2]
	Item_Type:

Example	Required logic generated for each item definition
If only item type columns are defined	Required
	All Of:
	Item_Name:
	Item_Type:
	[t_column1]
	[t_column2]
If one or more columns of both item	Required
names and item types are defined	All Of:
	Item_Name:
	[i_column1]
	[i_column2]
	Item_Type:
	[t_column1]
	[t_column2]
If one or more brand name columns	Required
defined	Any Of:
	All Of:
	(item name and item type logic as previously
	described)
	Brand:
	[a_brand]\[some_brand_name1]
	[a_brand]\[some_brand_name2]

Scoring Attributes Box

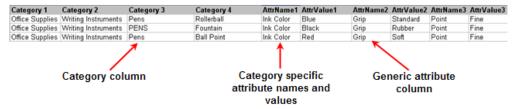
The following section describes each option found in the **Scoring Attributes** box.



Select this option to add scoring attributes to your new data lens Item Definitions.

Attribute names are in the same row as the category Option

Select this option when your attribute information is located in the same row as the associated categories. In this case, one or more columns contain the different category levels and in the same worksheet, there are adjacent columns that contain the attribute names and possibly example attribute values. The headers for the attribute columns are typically generic, like "Attribute Name 1" or "Attribute Value 1", and so on. The attribute value information found in each row is specific to the category defined by that row as in the following example:



The following three options are active only when this option is selected.

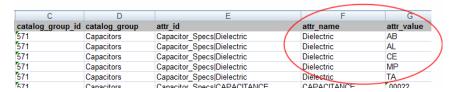
Row contains Attribute names only Option

Select this option to instruct AutoBuild that attribute names, but not attribute values, are available in the structured metadata source as in the following example:



Row contains attribute name / value columns Option

Select this option to instruct AutoBuild that the associated attribute columns contain both attribute names and attribute values as paired columns as in the following example:



If your metadata contains valuesets, the names of terms built using valuesets are appended with '_vs' and Smart Glossary terms that may exist are ignored. If the attributes in the preceding example were valuesets, the [capacitors_dielectric_ vs] term is built and contains the ab, al, ce, mp, and ta valueset as in the following:



If the valueset is 'Yes' and 'No' (or equivalent variations such as Y and N), the rules are created to recognize both the presence and absence of the attribute (for example, [shielded] and [not][shielded]). Additionally the valueset values are used to create the standardization rules for these attributes.

Note: Your product description data may or may not conform to the Y/N rules created by AutoBuild. Thus, when your metadata contains Y/N valueset values, it is recommended that you closely review the grammar and standardization rules to ensure that they will work for your particular product data.

Row contains attribute name / value / UOM columns Option

Select this option to instruct AutoBuild that the associated attribute columns contain attribute names, attribute values, and units of measure grouped together as three columns sets as in the following example:



When your source metadata includes a UOM column named, attr_uom, this option is automatically selected and the selection of the Single term columns **Scoring Attribute** option is forced.

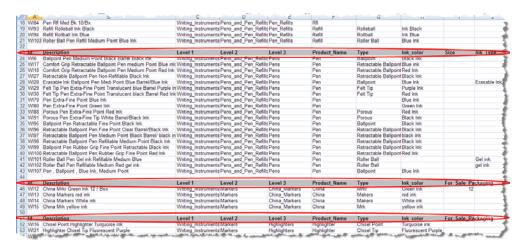
Attribute names in the category file header Option

Select this option when the attribute names reside in the header row (row 1) of the structured metadata source. This worksheet structure is often used when the worksheet contains either a single category or a set of closely related categories that all share the same attribute information. An example would be many different types of pens, specifically different types of pens where each pen type has the same attributes.

The following is an example of a worksheet with one table three related categories:



You can process several tables containing different source metadata when the attribute names in the header row of each table are the same (for at least the first five columns) as in the following example:



Scoring Attributes Field

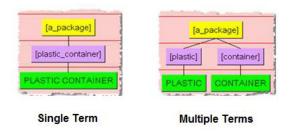
Use this field to specify scoring attribute columns. The order of addition of your attributes is from the lowest column to the highest column number. To specify the list of attributes, you may use numbers, dashes, and commas to specify a single column, a range of columns, or a combination of range(s) and single column(s). You confirm your attribute column list entry by pressing the Tab key or selecting another user interface option. Once the column list is confirmed, the Category/Attribute Data table is updated and colorizes your selected scoring attribute columns blue.

Single term columns Field

Use this option to force the creation of a single term for an attribute value containing more than one word. When AutoBuild creates the data lens phrases and terms for identified attributes values, and the attribute values are identified as single term columns, then AutoBuild creates a single term to recognize the attribute value no matter how many words (tokens) are in the attribute value. For example, when the attribute value is "pens" setting this option has no effect. However, if the attribute value is "rollerball pens" then both words are used to create a single term, "[rollerball_ pens]".

Note: The Predict and AutoSuggest functions operate best when terms are single-termed. Typically, columns with text are single termed while UOM columns are not.

The following example shows how the terms are built when the attribute value is two words 'PLASTIC' and 'CONTAINER' for either single term or multiple terms:



Optional Attributes Box

The following section describes each option found in the **Optional Attributes** box.



Add Optional Attributes Check Box

Select this option to add optional attributes and activate the Add Optional Attributes columns (single term) check box.

Add Optional Attributes columns (single term) Check Box

Select this option to add data lens primary business attributes common to all items like 'Manufacturer', 'Brand_or_Model_Name', 'Model_or_Part_Number', 'Units_per_ Package', 'Additional_Information', and 'URL'. Optional attributes are created as for any attributes that you provide in the field.

Category/Attribute Metadata Table

The Category/Attribute Metadata table section is displayed as follows:



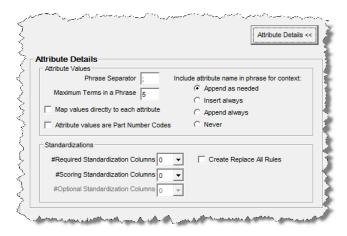
Metadata Table

The metadata table displays the first 30 rows and 80 columns of the structured Excel worksheet metadata source. As you identify category and attribute information, the appropriate columns are colorized as in the preceding example. The category columns are colorized as follows:

Color	Meaning
Green	category
Violet	item name, item type, and brand names
Blue	scoring attributes

Attribute Details

The Attribute Details section is activated by clicking on the button of the same name and is used as follows:



Attribute Values Box

The following section describes each option in the **Attribute Values** box.

Phrase Separator Field

Use this field to list the characters used to delimit multiple attribute values in a single attribute value column. The list must be a space-separated list of punctuation characters. AutoBuild creates a separate attribute value for each value that is separated by one the defined character separators. By default, the phrase separate character list is set to a semi-colon (;).

Maximum #Terms in a Phrase Field

Use this field to control the maximum number of terms in an attribute value that AutoBuild will attempt to add to the associated phrase. If the number of attribute value terms is greater than the number found in this field, AutoBuild ignores the extra attribute values. This option must be set to a number between 1 and 50. The default value is set to five.

Map values directly to each attribute Check Box

Use this check box when your attribute values are well defined and structured (considered to be *gold* data) and you want *only* these values assigned. The generated or updated data lens will contain full phrase and term context associations to the scoring attributes of Item Definitions.

Attribute values are Part Number Codes Check Box

Use this check box to indicate that your attribute values are part numbers.

Include attribute name in phrase for context Options

Select one of the three options to control the context that is added to attribute values by AutoBuild to create unique attribute value recognition. AutoBuild adds the attribute name to the attribute value; this combination of terms becomes a production in the phrase rule. This eliminates the possible ambiguities, allowing attribute values to be uniquely recognized.

Append as needed

Select this option to append the attribute name to the end of the attribute value only when the attribute value is not unique, or when the attribute value is a number or a unit of measure.

Append always

Select this option to append the attribute name to the end of the attribute value for all attribute values.

Insert always

Select this option to insert (prepend) the attribute name at the beginning of the attribute value for all attribute values.

Never

Select this option so that attribute names are never added to the attribute values.

Standardizations Box

The following section describes each option in the **Standardizations** box.

#Required/Scoring/Optional Standardization Columns Lists

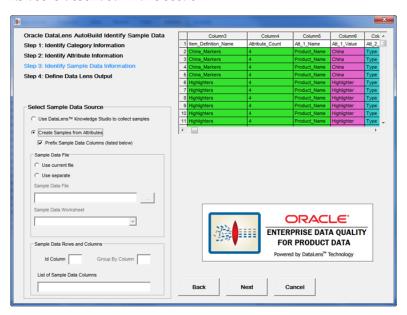
If your metadata worksheet contains target standardization forms for the attribute values, you can use this information to automatically create standardization rules in the datalens being autobuilt. These options allow you to select of the number of standardization columns that appear to the right of each associated attribute column that contains the corresponding standardized attribute values. For each identified standardization column, the column header is used to create a unique standardization type in the new lens.

Create Replace All Rules Check Box

Creates standardization rules for all attributes in the default standardization. These rules are all of the type 'Replace all'.

Step 3: Identify Sample Data Information

The third step of the AutoBuild wizard is to identify the sample data information and its use is described in this section.



Select Sample Data Source Section

The following section describes each option in the **Select Sample Data Source** section.

Use DataLens Knowledge Studio to collect samples Option

Select this option when you want to collect your sample data for data lens maintenance using the Knowledge Studio. Use this selection when your sample text is not immediately available during the AutoBuild process.

Create Samples from Attributes Option

Select this option when you want to create your sample data directly from the attribute values identified through the AutoBuild wizard. Use this selection when sample text is not available and you feel that the existing attribute values are representative of the metadata that you need to process via the Oracle DataLens Server. When this option is selected, the Sample Data Rows and Columns box and the following check box is active:

Prefix Sample Data Columns (listed below) Check Box

Select this option when you want to prefix the sample data created from your attribute values with names, types, brands, or short descriptions found in other columns of your example structured metadata. When this check box is checked, use must use the List of Sample Data Columns field to define the columns to be prefixed with the attribute values.

Sample Data File Box

This box contains the options that you use to identify the file or worksheet containing your sample data. As you make your file selections, the example sample data file display is updated with colorized columns to provide feedback on the options you have selected. The file you select can be the file that you are currently using as the source of example-structured data.

Use current file Option

Use this option to activate the Sample Data Worksheet list to select the worksheet you want to use from the open Excel workbook.

Use separate Option

Use this option to activate the **Sample Data File** field to enter the full file path to your sample data file or click the button adjacent to this field to locate the file.

Sample Data File Field

This field displays the full file path to the currently selected Excel workbook (or Excel compatible file). Use it to locate and select, or enter the attribute directory (folder) path name that you want to use.

Sample Data Worksheet List

Use this list to select the worksheet you want to use in the selected Excel workbook.

Sample Data Rows and Columns Box

This box contains options for you to use in specifying how you wish to create sample data files using the available columns of your sample data file.

Id Column Field

Use this option to identify the unique id column found in your sample data source. A unique id is required when creating sample data from attribute values. This value must be a single column number.

Group By Column Field

Use this option to identify a column to be used to create sample files that are grouped by the unique values found in the specified column. By default, AutoBuild creates the data lens standard 100 record, randomly selected sample files from your identified source file. When this option is specified, the group by files are also created. The benefit of using this option is to allow your category experts to perform lens maintenance on a single related set of items at one time. This option is not available when creating samples from the attribute values;

AutoBuild automatically creates the *group by* samples from the supplied category information when creating samples from the attribute values.

List of Sample Data Columns Field

Use this option to specify the columns that are to be concatenated together to create your data samples. The data in the specified columns are concatenated together with a space between each column value. Your columns will be concatenated in lowest column number to highest column number order. To specify the list of columns, you may use any combination of numbers, dashes, and commas to specify a single column, a range of columns, or a combination of range(s) and single column(s). For example, 5-8 or 5,6,8,9, 5-8,10. You confirm your column list entry by selecting the Tab key or selecting another user interface option.

Category/Attribute Metadata Table

The following describes the Category/Attribute Metadata table on the Identify Attribute Information dialog.



Metadata Table

The metadata table displays the first 30 rows and 80 columns of the structured Excel worksheet metadata source. As you identify category and attribute information, the appropriate columns are colorized as in the preceding example. The category columns are colorized as follows:

Color	Meaning
Green	category
Violet	item name, item type, and brand names
Blue	scoring attributes

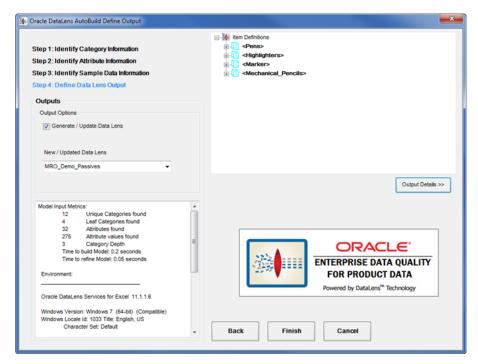
Sample Data Table

The following describes the Sample Data Table that is displayed when you identify the location of your sample data. This table operates like the **Data** table.



Step 4: Define Data Lens Output

The final step of the AutoBuild wizard is defining the data lens output and its use is described in this section.



Outputs Box

The controls in this section are used as follows:

Generate / Update Data Lens

Default selection to create or update a data lens.

New / Updated Data Lens Field

Use this field to name your new data lens or select an existing data lens to add to update. Your name must be unique when creating a new data lens and you can select an existing data lens to use as the basis for a new data lens name.

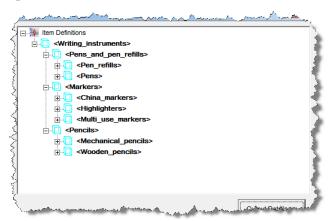
Report Field

This read-only field contains a report that provides metrics on the model generated for your new data lens. AutoBuild reports all warning messages concerning the model generation process in this field. For example, the presence of duplicate category names results in a warning message.

If there are warning or error messages reported you should take time to review the messages to determine whether action is needed to correct the structured metadata input before proceeding. AutoBuild generates a data lens when the Finish button is selected whether or not there are warning messages. Warning messages indicate that AutoBuild may not interpret your structured metadata correctly.

AutoBuild Item Definition Explorer

The Item Definition Explorer provides a way to review the lens model created by AutoBuild. The generated model reflects the structured metadata provided and your option selections.



The **AutoBuild Item Definition Explorer** provides a way to review the result of your selections prior to generating the data lens. If you find inconsistencies in the model, you can return to previous AutoBuild wizard steps and make the necessary adjustments or corrections to ensure that your data lens is created properly.

The AutoBuild Item Definition Explorer displays the hierarchy of item definitions as a set of indented nodes; each node with a blue cube icon indicates an item definition or a level in the item definition hierarchy. For any node in the explorer, you can view more details by clicking on the plus icon, or fewer details by clicking on the minus icon.

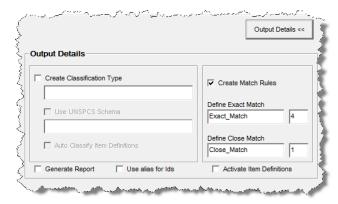


Finally, you can drill down deeper into each phrase and view the phrase productions as a set of one or more grouped term names. For each attribute, you can view the assigned phrase(s) if any. A phrase generally has an associated lens phrase yellow ball icon as in the following example.



Output Details

The Output Details section is used activated by clicking on the button of the same name and is used as follows:



Create Classification Type Check Box

Select this check box to add a classification to your new lens. When this check box is selected, the field below it and the Auto Classify Item Definitions check box are activated.

Name Field

Use this field to name your new classification type.

Use UNSPSC Schema Check Box

This check box is active when the **Single category column contains UNSPSC** category codes option is set in "Step 1: Identify Category Information" on page 2-3.

When your categories are defined by UNSPSC category codes, you can use this selection to add the associated UNSPSC reference schema as the schema file for the defined classification type. If this check box is selected, the read-only field below it displays the name of the selected UNSPSC reference schema file. For more information about configuring a UNSPSC schema, see "Category Details" on page 2-6.

Auto Classify Item Definitions Check Box

Use this field to ensure that AutoBuild creates a classification type (the same as your Item Definition structure) and creates the appropriate classification rules.

Generate Report Check Box

Use this check box to generate AutoBuild metrics reports that contain all of the information found in the model metrics report described in "Step 3: Identify Sample Data Information" on page 2-19, as well as details on the generated data lens, and a

complete list of the option selections used during the AutoBuild session. For more information, see "AutoBuild Report" on page 2-25.

Use alias for Ids

Select this check box if you want your item definition and attribute alias fields to be populated with their respective identifiers. Your metadata may have specific identifiers for categories and attributes. If your metadata does not have specific identifiers, checking this box results in populating the item definition alias with the category name, exactly as it appears in the metadata worksheet.

If your metadata does contain category and attribute identifiers, these values are also stored in the system_id and group_id internal fields and can be viewed in the Item Definition Alias field.

Activate Item Definitions

Select this check box to activate the Item Definitions created in your data lens from your source metadata. If an Item Definition is activated, it can be used for attribute extraction and standardization on the Production or QA Transform Servers. If an Item Definition is inactive, than an item recognized by that Item Definition may be processed only by the Development Transform Server.

The Item Definitions created by AutoBuild may be incomplete, so the Item Definitions must be closely reviewed in Knowledge Studio before the data lens is checked in for production use. If a data lens is checked in for production use without being reviewed, one possible result may be an unexpectedly high number of returned records upon running a match application. This is applicable to Production and QA Oracle DataLens Servers only; Development servers ignore the inactive flag.

By default, Item Definitions created by AutoBuild are set to inactive so this check box is not selected.

Create Match Rules Check Box

Select this check box to create default matching rules. A default attribute order for each item definition, containing only scoring attributes in the order specified in the worksheet columns, is automatically created. The match types 'Exact Match' and 'Close_Match' are created based on the standardization type 'Match_Attributes'.

When this check box is selected, the Define Exact Match and Define Close Match controls are activated and used as follows:

Define Exact Match Controls

Defines the number of required attributes for the Exact_Match rule per item definition.

Define Close Match Controls

Defines the number of required attributes for the Close_Match rule per item definition.

AutoBuild Report

The AutoBuild application can automatically generate a Semantic Knowledge Structure report about your data lens. This report is created after your data lens is constructed if you have selected the Generate Report option. For more information about setting this option, see "Output Details" on page 2-24.

The report is added to your Excel workbook as a new worksheet so that you can easily review and save the information. It is updated in your Excel workbook each time you

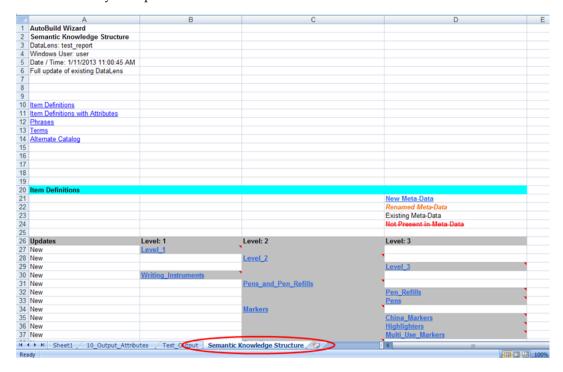
run AutoBuild to generate a data lens. This is applicable whether there are one or multiple worksheets in your workbook.

> Tip: You can keep prevent the report from being overwritten and keep it for future use by renaming the worksheet.

The Semantic Knowledge Structure report details all action taken related to item definitions, phrases, terminology, and alternate catalogs in the creation or update of your data lens.

In an incremental update of a data lens, additions are made to an existing data lens, but deletions must be made manually.

This report describes what items should be manually deleted from your data lens, based on the differences between the original data lens and the metadata structure used in the incremental AutoBuild update. Use this report as a guide for making deletions from your updated data lens.



You can use the links at the beginning of the report to navigate to the specific data indicated.

You can delete this report by selecting the **DataLens Tools** menu and selecting Remove AutoBuild Reports....

A deletion confirmation prompt is displayed and selecting Yes deletes the AutoBuild report from the active workbook.

The AutoBuild Process

This chapter provides an end-to-end example of how to use AutoBuild to read structured metadata containing item information and generate a working data lens for use in the Knowledge Studio. It uses a sample structured data set that contains several records of standard writing instruments like pens and pencils.

Using AutoBuild with PIM Metadata

The following sections describe where to find the information to use AutoBuild with Oracle PIM metadata as your source.

AutoBuild with Fusion PIM Metadata

The EDQP solution with the Fusion PIM Data Hub is fully integrated and the process of using them together with AutoBuild is detailed in Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Fusion PIM Integration Implementation and User's Guide at

http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E35636 01/doc.11116/e29148/toc.htm

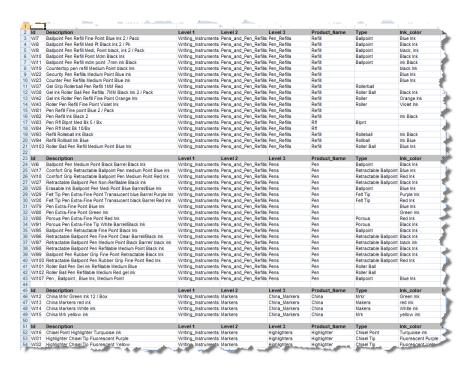
AutoBuild with R12 PIM Metadata

The EDQP R12 PIM Connector is integrated with most Oracle R12 PIM systems and the process of using them together with AutoBuild is detailed in Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data R12 PIM Connector User's Guide at

http://docs.oracle.com/cd/E35636_01/doc.11116/e29140/toc.htm

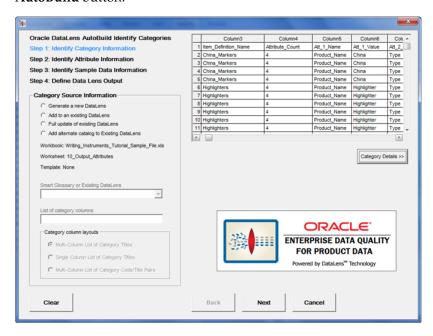
Using AutoBuild with Non-PIM Metadata

You start the AutoBuild process by opening the Excel workbook file that contains your structured metadata. Once the workbook is open, locate the Services for Excel Add-In toolbar. For more information about installation or the AutoBuild Wizard, see "The AutoBuild User Interface" on page 2-1.



When creating your structured data file using Excel, it is important to note Excel interprets certain data as Excel specific formats for formulas, dates, and so on. It is best to ensure that Excel interprets the data as strictly text by using a leading single quote character (') in every data cell. The leading single quote indicates to Excel that the information in the cell is to be treated as text. For example, if the cell contains a part number with slashes, dashes, leading spaces, or periods.

Click the AutoBuild button or select the DataLens Tools menu, and then click the AutoBuild button.



The first time the AutoBuild application is started and the wizard is displayed, the active Excel worksheet is chosen by default as the data source. The AutoBuild wizard remembers the settings chosen in all of the four wizard steps as long as Excel remains open. The settings are saved permanently as long as the workbook is saved. At any time, to clear the current option selections, just return to the first step and click Clear.

Selecting the Data Lens Type

Select the whether you want to generate a new data lens, add to an existing one, update (synchronize) an existing data lens, or add an alternate catalog to an existing data lens. In the example in the following sections, Generate a new DataLens is selected to show how to create a new data lens.

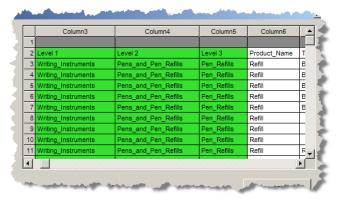
Identifying the Category Information

You must identify which of the columns of your structured metadata contain the category information. These category columns are used by AutoBuild to create data lens Item Definitions, which automatically synchronizes the data lens knowledge to your category hierarchy. The Item Definition hierarchy is defined by either the layout of the category columns in the worksheet or by the hierarchy defined in a separate taxonomy reference file, such as the UNSPSC industry standard.

Selecting the List of Category Columns

To identify the category columns in the selected worksheet, enter the list of columns in the **List of category columns** field. The category column(s) may contain a single column number, column ranges like "1-10", or a combination of column numbers and ranges that are comma separated like "1,5-10,16".

Once the list of category columns is entered, pressing the **Tab** key or clicking on another control causes the Category/Attribute Data table to redisplay the information. The selected columns are colorized green.



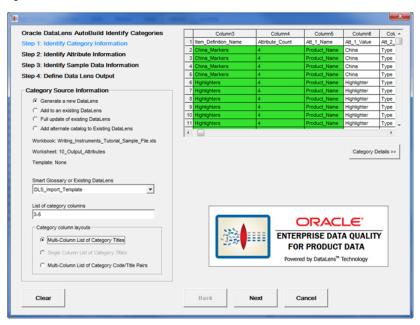
Selecting the Category Column Layout

There are three possible category column layouts to choose. First and most commonly used, is the Multi-Column List of Category Titles option. This column layout assumes that there are multiple levels in the category hierarchy and that each column represents one level in the hierarchy. AutoBuild assumes that the category hierarchy is expressed left to right with the first column starting from the left as the highest level in the category hierarchy, and the last column on the right is the lowest level in the hierarchy. This layout is selected by default whenever the column list contains more than one column.

The second category layout is the Single Column List of Category Titles option. This layout is selected automatically when you list only one category column.

The third category layout is Multi-Column List of Category Code/Title Pairs. This layout is similar to the multi-column list previously described with the addition that each category is expressed as pair of columns. The first column contains a category code and the second column contains the category name.

This example uses the automatically selected Multi-Column List of Category Titles option.



Click **Next** to advance to the next step.

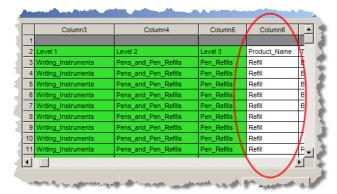
Identifying the Attribute Information

You must identify the location and layout of the attribute and attribute value information found in the structured data. This attribute information is used by AutoBuild to create the data lens Item Definitions attributes and automatically synchronize the data lens knowledge to your business domain schema. The attribute value information is used by AutoBuild to create data lens phrases and terminology for automatic text recognition. Additionally, AutoBuild automatically associates the proper data lens phrases to the correct Item Definition attributes thus providing automatic attribute extraction.

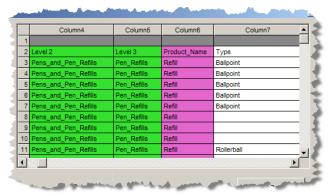
Selecting the Required Attributes Information

First, you identify the attribute columns that are used for the Item Definition required attributes. These required attribute columns typically consist of item names, types, and brands.

In this example, column 6 contains the product name as in the following:



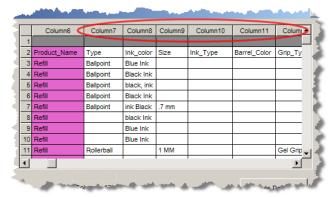
As each required logic column specification is entered, the Category/Attribute Data table is updated, colorizing the selected columns in purple as in the following:



Sometimes structured metadata columns can be used for more than one purpose. For example, name and type information often overlaps with category information.

Selecting the Scoring Attributes Information

The attribute information is laid out as a set of columns just to the right of the category information as in the following example.

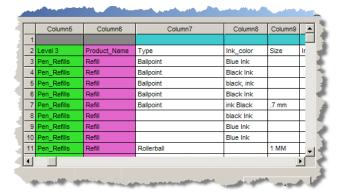


In this example, columns 7 through 13 are used as the attribute scoring information.

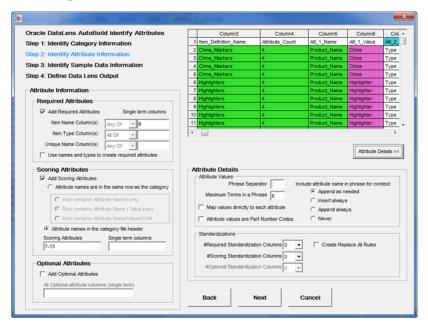
To add attribute scoring, select the Add Scoring Attributes check box. In this example, the Attribute names in the category file header option must be selected because the names are in a header row.

Next, you must enter the attribute column list in the **Scoring Attribute** field. You can supply a comma-separated list of column numbers, as well as column ranges.

Once the list of attribute columns is accepted, the selected scoring attributes are colorized blue as previously described.



The example selections are as follows:



Click **Next** to advance to the next step.

Identifying the Sample Data Information

You must identify the location and layout of any available sample data that can be used by AutoBuild when creating a data lens. This sample data information is used by AutoBuild to add both category-based sample data files and 100 record random sample data files to the resulting data lens. The random sample files allow a data analyst to determine the convergence of the data lens knowledge. The category-based files allow a content expert to perform maintenance easily by focusing on specific item commodities. When no sample data is available, you can use the option to create a sample from the available attribute information.

Selecting the Sample Data Source

First, select the data source for the sample data information. You have the options of using the Knowledge Studio to collect the sample data, create sample data from the attribute information identified in the previous wizard step, or by selecting sample data from a separate file.

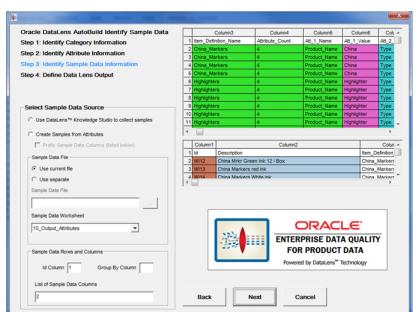
This example creates the samples from attributes so the appropriate option is selected, as well as the **Prefix Sample Data Columns (listed below)** check box.

With these selections, the system automatically creates the sample data descriptions for use in the Knowledge Studio from the available attribute information. This can be very useful when example descriptions are not available. In addition, the generated descriptions are prefixed with other columns from our structured metadata source. In this example, the name, type, and brand name columns are included in the generated descriptions.

In order to generate sample descriptions effectively from the supplied attribute information, the attribute information must be linked together through a unique key. These columns are columns 5 through 7 and this information is entered in the **List of** Sample Data Columns field.

The source metadata in the 10_Output_Attributes worksheet of the open workbook is used in this example.

In this example, the Id number is used as the unique key and the column number is entered in the Id Column field.



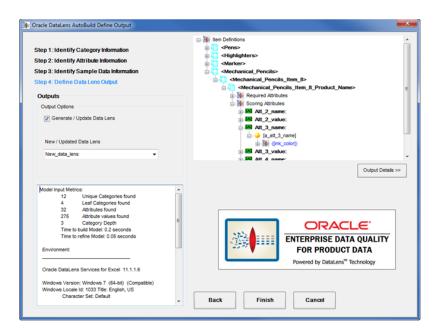
The example selections are as follows:

Click **Next** to advance to the final step.

Before advancing, AutoBuild reads the category and attribute information that you have identified using the wizard and a model is generated containing the resulting Item Definitions, Item Definition attributes, attribute to phrase associations, and related phrases and terms.

Defining the Data Lens Output

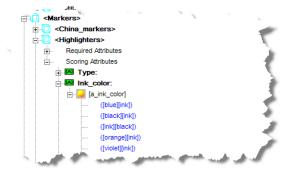
The final step of the wizard enables you to review the structure of the data lens that will be created, name it, and select any specific options before generating the data lens.



Review the Item Definitions and their associated attributes to ensure that the expected results will be built into the data lens. In this example, the 'Writing_Instruments' Item Definition displays the entire set of *child* Item Definitions. Expanding 'Mechanical_ Pencils', and then the Scoring Attributes allows you to view these attributes as in the following:

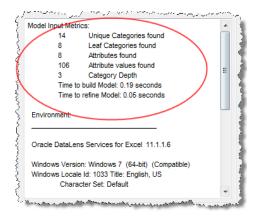


You can drill even further. Expanding the 'Ink_color' attribute, and then the '[a_ink_ **color**]' phrase allows you to view the entire phrase production as in the following:



If your item definition hierarchy did not turn out as expected, then select the Back button and return to the prior AutoBuild dialogs to refine your selections.

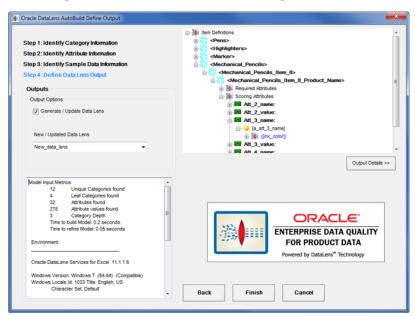
You should review the messages in the status pane to ensure that the metrics reported make sense and that there are no warning or error messages.



Typically, when warnings or errors are displayed AutoBuild allows you to continue to create a new data lens. Most often AutoBuild reports duplicate or conflicting category information that was found in your structured metadata examples. You should review the warnings to determine whether the structured input should be corrected.

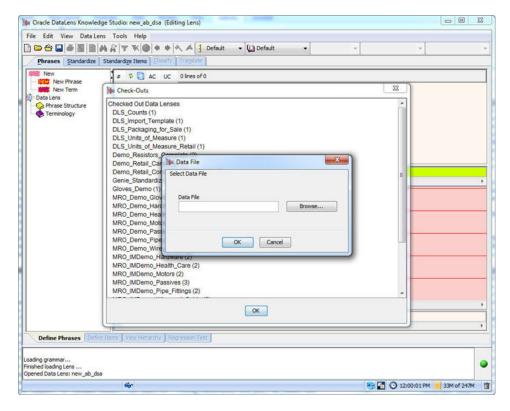
Note: Do not use the "DLS_" prefix to any data lens name as this is reserved to indicate that a data lens is a Smart Glossary.

The example selections for the final wizard step are as follows:



To complete the AutoBuild process and create your new data lens, click Finish.

The new data lens is created from the category and attribute information provided in your structured data. When the AutoBuild process completes, you are returned to your worksheet. You can now start Knowledge Studio and open the data lens you just created as in the following:



You are now ready to modify and extend your data lens to meet your application requirements.

Finishing Your New Data Lens

The data lens generated by AutoBuild contains the structure you need in order to complete your data lens development effort. The Item Definitions, attributes, phrases and terms generated by AutoBuild function as a guide for the finishing steps of the development process. You should become familiar with the generated data lens structure before proceeding.

During the completion of your data lens, you should reuse as much of the generated components as possible to remain consistent with the original intent of the structured item information.

The following is an overview of the steps you should take in completing your new data lens using the Knowledge Studio:

- Complete the Item Definition recognition logic.
 - This is particularly important when no identifying item name or item type information is available. Once you have completed the Item Definition recognition logic many of the initial recognition ambiguities are resolved by the Knowledge Studio. This ensures that the remaining steps are successful.
- Examine all of the phrase level ambiguities in your data lens.
 - You should review each of the standard random sample files and remove or resolve these multiple references.
- **3.** Use standard sample convergence to complete the item recognition. Apply the standard data lens development methodology for completing the data lens recognition using random sample files.

Add standardization rules.

Create the standardization rules that are required by your data quality standards and/or the data application that you are developing. This effort can be minimized using a standard Smart Glossary in the AutoBuild process. The Smart Glossary can provide immediate standardization for all of your global terms and phrases. The Smart Glossary can also be used to provide all of your unit conversions up front. For the terms that are unique to this data lens, you can use the **Copy Full Form** function found on the **Standardize** tab to jump-start your standardization efforts.

Once you have completed your term and phrase standardization, you can finish your standardization efforts by selecting the desired attributes for output and setting up any required matching rules.

Note: If you selected **Create Replace all Rules** option, the preceding standardization occurs automatically.

Create and validate data lens regression test sets.

Use the Knowledge Studio to create regression test set(s) in the data lens so that future maintenance efforts can be proper tested. You should also check the regression set carefully the first time through to make sure that the results are all as expected and make adjustments as needed.

Check in, deploy to development, and test your new data lens against the application test cases.

Each data application created with the Application Studio has associated test cases that need to be executed whenever a data lens is added or updated.

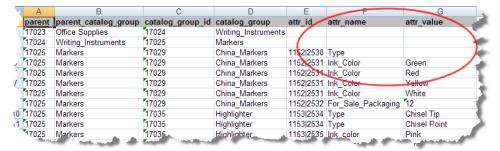
7. Improve the AutoBuild configuration.

Use the results from the preceding steps to update and improve the AutoBuild Smart Glossary that you use to create new data lenses. When possible, you should use the process results to improve the content of the structured item information. Refining the information used by AutoBuild provides clear improvements in the AutoBuild generated data lenses.

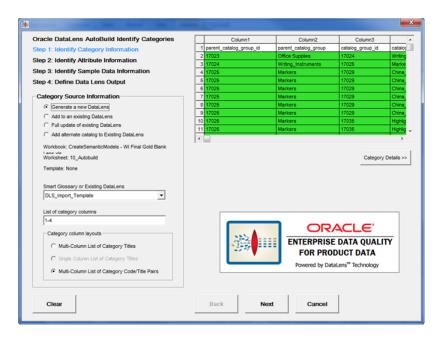
Data Pairs Data Lens Example

This section provides an example of using data that contains both the attribute name and value in each record. This paired metadata is used in the AutoBuild process in the same manner as previously described though the Attribute Information options are different.

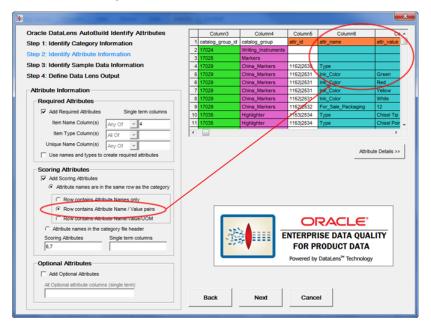
An example of a paired metadata Excel worksheet is as follows:



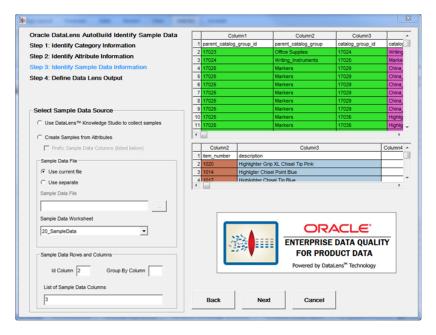
Selecting the category information could look like the following:



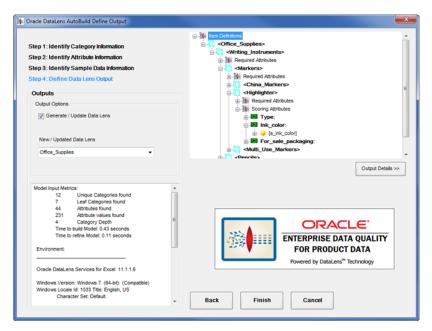
To indicate that the source metadata is paired occurs in Step 2 of the AutoBuild wizard as in the following:



In this example, the scoring attributes are columns 6 and 7, which is the attribute name and value pair.



In the final step of the wizard, the Item Definitions appear similar in structure to the example that did not have paired metadata in the Step 4: Define Data Lens Output section.



Your metadata can be organized into columns in a myriad of ways in an Excel worksheet. How you select the AutoBuild options defines the knowledge structure that is built in the resulting data lens.

Further Considerations

You are encouraged to review the following to make the most of the use of the AutoBuild application.

Categories

Categories can be used for sample descriptions, item names, and item types while item names and types can be used for categories.

Extending an Existing Data Lens

Create a new data lens from your structured item information then refine your data lens as appropriate. Rerun AutoBuild using one of the add or update an existing data lens options in "Step 1: Identify Category Information" to modify your existing data lens.

Create Examples

When there is no well-structured, *gold* data, creating just a few example records per category can greatly decrease data lens development time. Additionally, you should use the data lens terminology importing function to close the gaps in data recognition. For more information about importing phrases and terms, see Oracle Enterprise Data Quality for Product Data Knowledge Studio Reference Guide.

Overloaded Category Names

In general, category names should only use item names and types; those that contain additional information are considered overloaded. For example, the overloaded category name "Surgical Gloves Latex-Free Powder-Free Nitrile Size 7" should be "Surgical Gloves" to avoid overloading.

You should standardize your category names or use the correct category level because this reduces effort and optimizes the data lens attribute centric matching.

Overloaded Attribute Names

Similar to category names, attribute names should not be overloaded. For example, 'Heart Rate Monitor Operating Voltage' should be 'Voltage'

You should standardize attribute names before using AutoBuild to create a data lens because this reduces effort and optimizes the data lens attribute centric matching.