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### **Preface**

The *Dynamic Data Service (DDS) Guide* describes the integration and configuration information for Oracle Retail Dynamic Data Service.

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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, or text that you enter.



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### Introduction

This chapter gives a brief introduction to the Dynamic Data Service Web Application.

### What is DDS?

Dynamic Data Service (DDS) is a cloud based web application with functionality to remotely interact with databases. It has the ability to interact with many schemas at once in a database. The functionality also has the ability to interact with different databases as well.

Data can be viewed and modified through the application. It also has security built into it to restrict data access and modification.

Dynamic Data Service provides access to data in a database through RESTful services. Users can perform CRUD operations on the data using RESTful services. From a security perspective, access to data can be restricted to users at the table, column and row level.

Dynamic Data Service allows users to access data from any configured databases the time of install. Dynamic Data Service UI provides functionality to setup the security and perform CRUD operations on the data.

### **Need for DDS**

DDS is useful for exposing data in a schema with data that is not directly visible to the user. Good examples for this would be a back-end schema of other Oracle applications. Any data that is not exposed by these applications can be viewed using DDS because users cannot connect to database schemas, from a cloud environment, using standard database tools without proper permissions.

# **Functionality Offered**

DDS offers various functionality regarding databases. It can connect to various database connections. The application then discovers the schema inside the databases and allows the user to work and interact with the tables and data within the tables. The high level list of functionalities offered:

- Schema Discovery
- Viewing Table Definition
- Querying table data
- Creation, modification and deletion of records
- Bulk Updates and Deletion of data in tables
- Security setup for limiting data access and modification

# Accessibility

Oracle JET components have built-in accessibility support that conforms with the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.0 at the AA level (WCAG 2.0 AA), developed by the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C).

Accessibility involves making your application usable for persons with disabilities such as low vision or blindness, deafness, or other physical limitations. This means, for example, creating applications that can be:

- Used without a mouse (keyboard only).
- Used with assistive technologies such as screen readers and screen magnifiers.
- Used without reliance on sound, color, animation, or timing.

DDS provides the ability to support the above accessibility in the applications.

Users should be able to navigate to all parts and functions of the application using the Tab and arrow keys, without using any keyboard shortcuts. In addition to that, keyboard shortcuts merely provide an additional way to access a function quickly.

Keyboard shortcuts provide an alternative to pointing devices for navigating the page. There are five types of keyboard shortcuts that can be provided in OJET applications:

- Tab traversal, using Tab and Shift+Tab keys: Moves the focus through UI elements on a screen.
- Accelerator keys (hot keys): bypasses menu and page navigation, and performs an action directly, for example, Ctrl+C for Copy.
- Access keys: Moves the focus to a specific UI element, for example, Alt+F for the File menu.
- Default cursor/focus placement: Puts the initial focus on a component so that keyboard users can start interacting with the page without excessive navigation.
- Enter key: Triggers an action when the cursor is in certain fields or when the focus is on a link or button.



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# **RESTful Services**

This chapter provides information about the RESTful Services used by DDS.

### Discover

This end point returns a list of Dynamic Data Service end points.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: Iresources/discover

### **Get Data**

This end point returns data from the provided schema and table(s). The query parameters "fromTables" allows single or multiple tables.

The query parameter "rowFilter" can be used to provide a join between tables.

Tables and columns need to be qualified if multiple tables are provided in "fromTables". The data is returned in JSON/XML format and one page of data is returned. The response contains a link to the next page if there are additional pages.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/data?fromTables=<tables>

The following query parameters can be provided to filter the data.

- columnFilter Columns to be included in the response
- rowFilter Predicate can be provided in the rowFilter to filter the data
- sortBy Valid values are ascending(asc) or descending(desc)
- Page Page number
- pageLimit Number of records to be included in the page. The default page size is 25
- format Valid values are short or long. Short format provides data without column names. Long format provides data with column names.

### Get Data from a Table

This end point returns data from a table using a primary key.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/{table}?idFilter=<Primary Key>

### **Insert Data**

This end point inserts data in a table. Input can be a single record or multiple records provided in JSON format. Users that belong to the admin or operator group can only perform this operation. Users also need to have DataCreatePermission to insert data.

HTTP Operation: PUT

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/data/{table}

Sample input for inserting data in the BDI RECEIVER OPTIONS table

#### /dds/bdi\_rms\_schema/data/BDI\_RECEIVER\_OPTIONS

# **Update Data**

This end point updates data in a table using the rowFilter query parameter and input is provided in JSON format. Users that belong to the admin or operator group can only perform this operation. Users also need to have DataUpdatePermission to update data.

**HTTP Operation: POST** 

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/data/{table}?rowFilter=<predicate>

Sample input for updating data in the BDI\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS table

/dds/bdi\_rms\_schema/data/BDI\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS? rowFilter=VARIABLE\_NAME='LOADJOBDEF'

```
{
    "VARIABLE_VALUE":"TRUE"
}
```

### Delete Data

This end point deletes data from a table based on the rowFilter query parameter. Users that belong to the admin or operator group can only perform this operation. Users also need to have DataDeletePermission to delete data.

HTTP Operation: DELETE

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/data/{table}?rowFilter=<predicate>



Sample End Point

/dds/bdi\_rms\_schema/data/BDI\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS? rowFilter=VARIABLE\_NAME='LOADJOBDEF'

### **Get Schemas**

This end point returns all configured database schemas.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: /resources/dds/schemas

### **Get Tables**

This end point returns all tables from a database schema.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/tables

### Get Columns for a Table

This end point returns columns for a table.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: /resources/dds/{schemaName}/{table}

# **Get System Options**

This end point returns all system options from the DDS\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS table.

HTTP Operation: GET

Path: Iresources/system-setting/system-options

# **Create System Options**

This end point creates a system option in the DDS\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS table.

HTTP Operation: PUT

Path: Iresources/system-setting/system-options

Sample Input

```
{
    "key":"testKey",
    "value":"testValue"
```

# **Update System Options**

This end point updates a system option in the DDS\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS table.

HTTP Operation: POST

Path: /resources/system-setting/system-options

Sample Input

```
"key":"testKey",
"value": "testValue1"
```

# **Delete System Options**

This end point deletes a system option in the DDS\_SYSTEM\_OPTIONS table.

HTTP Operation: DELETE

Path: /resources/system-setting/system-options/{key}

### **Reset Cache**

This end point resets the system option cache.

HTTP Operation: POST

Path: /resources/system-setting/reset-cache



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# Security

Dynamic Data Service provides table level, row level, and column level security. All the end points are protected with basic authentication and role based authorization.

There are three security groups that provide role based authorization.

There are three Roles and three Groups.

#### Roles:

- AdminRole Users with this role have access to all the functions of the DDS app. They can also setup the security permissions for other users.
- OperatorRole Users with this role have the ability to read, write and modify content in the schemas and tables. However they will not have access to the admin functions and cannot setup security permissions.
- **MonitorRole** Users with this role can only read the data from schemas and tables. They also will not have access to security setup functions.

#### **Groups:**

- RicsAdminGroup Users that belong to this group can perform all operations
- RicsOperatorGroup Users that belong to this group can perform all operations except security setup
- RicsMonitorGroup Users that belong to this group can only perform read only operations

The following table lists all the functions which can be performed by the roles and groups mentioned above.

Table 3-1 Functions Performed by Roles and Groups

Role Name	Admin Role	Operator Role	Monitor Role
<b>Group Name</b>	RicsAdminGroup	RicsOperatorGroup	RicsMonitorGroup
Create Access Level	Yes	No	No
Delete Access Level	Yes	No	No
Create Security Group	Yes	No	No
Delete Security Group	Yes	No	No
Create Table Level Security	Yes	No	No
Delete Table Level Security	Yes	No	No
View Table Definition	Yes	Yes	Yes
Create Queries	Yes	Yes	Yes
Run Queries	Yes	Yes	Yes



Table 3-1 (Cont.) Functions Performed by Roles and Groups

Role Name	Admin Role	Operator Role	Monitor Role
Group Name	RicsAdminGroup	RicsOperatorGroup	RicsMonitorGroup
View Table Data	Yes	Yes	Yes
Modify Table data	Yes	Yes	No
Delete Table Data	Yes	Yes	No
Bulk Update Table Data	Yes	Yes	No

# **Table Level Security**

Table level security defines who can access a table with set of allowed permissions. A table cannot be accessed if table level security is not setup.

Table level security is associated with the following information.

- Schema Name
- Table Name
- Security Group Provides who can access the table
- Access Level Provides permissions

Table level securities are set up for all tables when default security is setup using the end point. Every table is setup to be accessed by users in all security groups with default permissions.

#### Example

Table - DdsAdminGroup, DdsAdminAccessLevel

Table - DdsOperatorGroup, DdsOperatorAccessLevel

Table - DdsMonitorGroup, DdsMonitorAccessLevel

# **IDCS Security Setup**

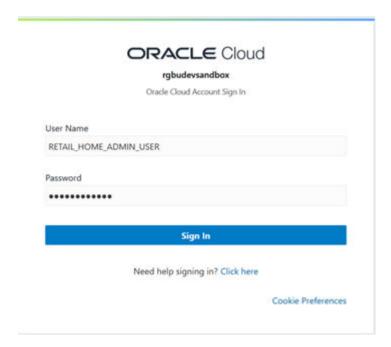
For getting access to RICS DDS REST services you need to create a client app in IDCS. IDCS app generates an access token that will be used for making publishing service calls. Follow steps for creating the client app in IDCS.

# Create OAuth2 Client Application in IDCS

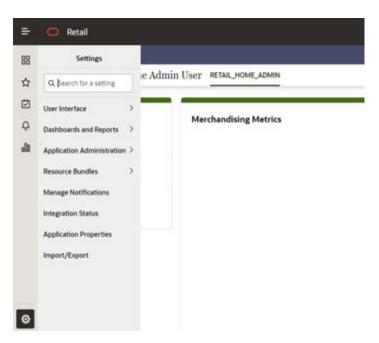
Use Retail Home for creating the client app in IDCS. Once app is created you will get cli-ent id and client secret both of them necessary to get access token. Follow the instructions below for generating the access token and making service call using OAuth2 token.

Login into retail home as retail home administrator.



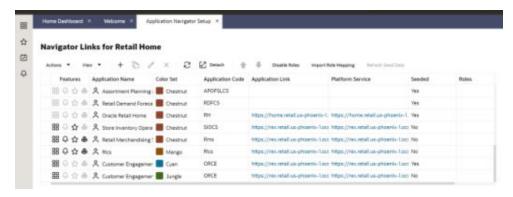


2. In retail home screen click on Settings menu icon on the left and then click on Application Administration.



3. On the Application Administration menu click on Application Navigator Setup. Notice all the hosted applications are listed here with their application and platform service url.

Settings -> Application Administration->Application Navigator Settings



- 4. Look for application with name RICS. If you are not seeing RICS, application try refreshing seed. Steps
  - a. Select the row with the application code as Rms.
  - **b.** Click the Refresh Seed Data button on top right corner of the menu.
  - c. Wait for some time and refresh the screen.
  - d. RICS should reflect now.

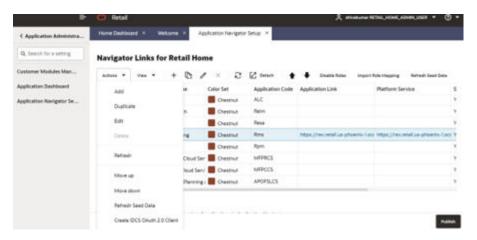


5. If RICS application is not reflecting even after following step 4. Select the row with the application code as RMS and click on the Actions menu on top left. Select Create IDCS OAuth 2.0 Client. A dialog will open for entering oauth2 client details.



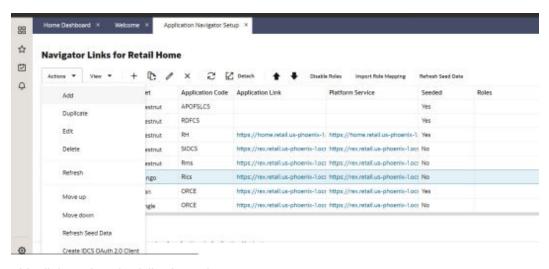
Create IDCS OAuth 2.0 Client option is available only for applications those have platform service URL mentioned. RICS is making use of Merch platform service as both the apps are sharing same IDCS tenancy.





6. Skip this step if RICS application is not showing up. One of either Step 5 or Step 6 needs to be followed.

Select a row with application code as RICS. Click on the Actions menu on top left and select Create IDCS OAuth 2.0 Client. A dialog will open for entering oauth2 client details.



- 7. This dialog takes the following values:
  - App Name is 2-100 characters and will be used as the name in IDCS. Provide unique application name.
  - Description is a detailed description of the application.
  - Scope: <Custom environment-specific scope>

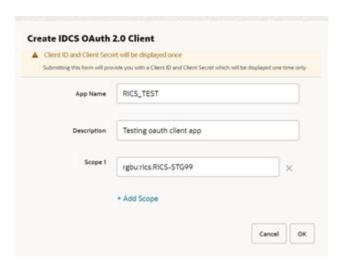
The scope pattern that is used in the RICS IDCS app creation template is rgbu:rics:<SERVICETYPE>-<ENVIRONMENT> where SERVICETYPE is RICS and EN-VIRONMENT is the environment type (STG, PRD, UAT, DEV1, DEV2, and so on).

For example:

8. When the application is created, another dialog will open to show the client ID and client secret of the new application. These values should be copied down to a safe location, as they will only be shown once. Retail Home cannot retrieve the credentials again after the dialog is closed.



<sup>&</sup>quot;scope": "rgbu:rics:RICS-PRD""scope": "rgbu:rics:RICS-STG"



The Client ID and Client Secret from previous step will be used for generating access token.

#### Sample code for generating Access Token:

```
clientId=RICS_TEST_APPID
clientSecret=998e1e1d-f146-45a5-a9a1-99785e3ebf43
idcsUrl=https://
idcs-234e8f7334564936aa0ed93f2c39e9ca.identity.pint.oc9qadev.com
scope=rgbu:rics:RICS-STG99
ec=$(echo -n "$clientId:$clientSecret" | base64 -w 0)

AccessToken=$(curl -iv \
    -H "Authorization: Basic $ec" \
    -H "Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded; charset=UTF-8" \
    --request POST $idcsUrl/oauth2/v1/token \
    -d "grant_type=client_credentials&scope=$scope" | grep -o -P '(? \
    <=access_token":").*(?=","token_type)')
echo $AccessToken</pre>
```

Display Name	RICS_TEST
Client ID	RICS_TEST_APPID
Client Secret	998e1e1d-f146-45a5-a9a1-99785e3ebf43

**10.** Now a service call can be made by passing along the access token generated in previous step.

Here is sample curl command with Bearer token and the DDS get schemas endpoint:

```
ddsGetSchema-sUrl=https://rex.retail.us-phoenix-1.ocs.oc-test.com:443/rgbu-rex-eit-
stg99-rics/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/schemas
curl -ivkL --noproxy '*' -H "Authorization: Bearer $AccessToken" -H "Con-tent-
Type: application/xml" -X GET $ddsGetSchemasUrl
```

#### Sample Response:

```
{
    "schemas": [
        "DDS_RIBEH",
        "RFI_TEST"
],
    "userInRoles": [
        "AdminRole"
]
}
```



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### **User Interface**

The DDS UI is divided into two sections; Admin tab, and Designer tab. The Admin tab lets admin users control access and perform security operations. The Designer tab lets admin, operators and monitor users perform authorized functions.

This chapter explains the main UI functionality available to the user.

### **Admin Tab Guide**

This tab has all the functions for configuring security related permissions and user access. Only the admin user has access to this tab. The admin can enable read, write and modify access permissions and also limit functionality of a user.

The Admin Tab has three main sections:

- Manage Access Levels
- Manage Security Groups
- Manage Security permissions

### **Initial Permissions Setup**

In order to access the data on tables being viewed in the Designer Tab, first the Table level securities have to be setup in the Admin tab of the DDS Application. The Admin can select the desired database schema from the associated database schema dropdown.

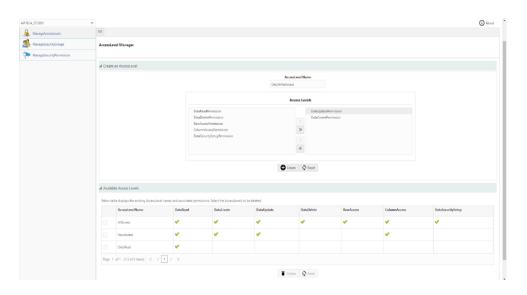
Access to this tab is only allowed to the Admin User.

### Manage Access Levels

This tab allows the creation and deletion of Access Levels for data and functionality. These can be assigned to groups for particular tables in a schema.

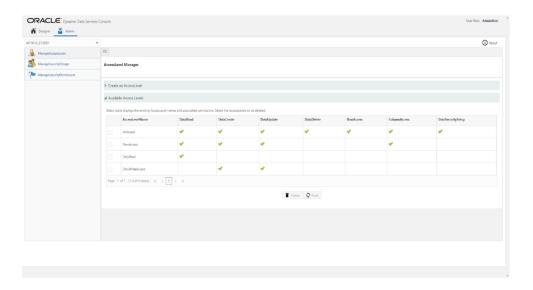
#### To create an access level

- 1. Input a name in the Name text box.
- 2. Select the necessary access permissions.
- 3. Click Create.



#### To delete an access level

- Select the Access Level to be deleted from the table which displays the available access levels.
- Click Delete.



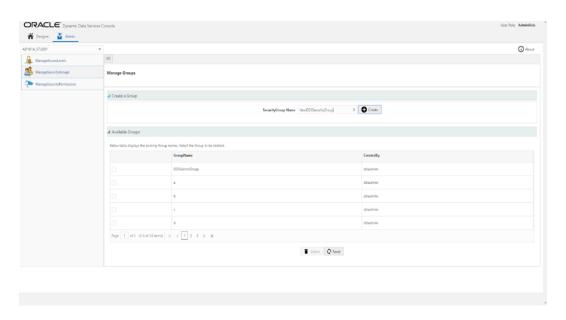
# Manage Security Groups

This tab includes functionality for the creation and deletion of Security Groups. Security Groups are groups of users that have a certain level of data access. These, along with one or more access levels, can be assigned to a table to limit access to data and functionality in the Designer tab.

#### To create a Security Group

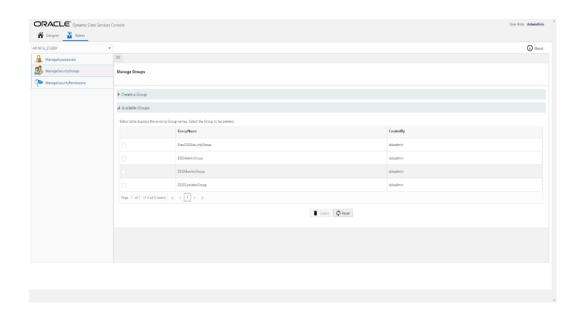
- 1. Input a name in the Name text box.
- 2. Click Create.





#### To delete a Security Group

- Select the Security Group to be deleted from the table that displays the available Security Groups.
- Click Delete.



## Manage Security Permissions

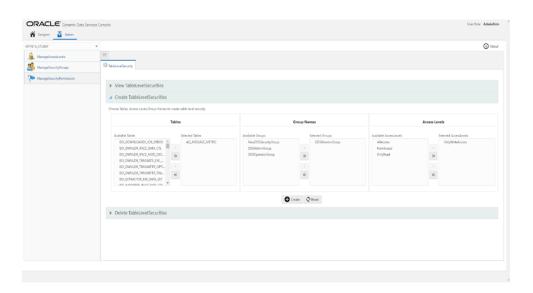
This tab allows the user to create and delete Security Permissions. Security Permissions are a combination of one or more Access levels in a Security Group mapped to a table to restrict data access and also limit functionality, like removing the ability to create, modify or delete data.

#### To create a Security Permission for a table

1. In the Create TableLevelSecurities collapsible pane, select the desired table.



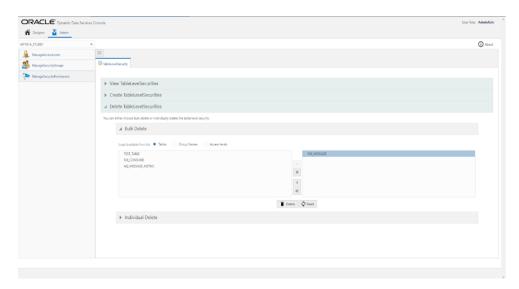
- 2. Then select the required security group.
- 3. Finally select the required access level(s).
- 4. Click Create.



#### To delete Security Permission(s)

Functionality is provided to either perform bulk delete or individual deletion of security.

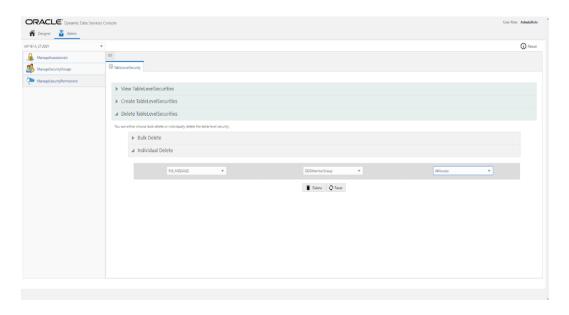
- 1. To bulk delete security permissions:
  - a. Select the required table name(s) or security group(s) or access level(s).
  - b. Click Delete.



- 2. To individually delete security permissions:
  - a. Select the required table name.
  - **b.** Select the particular security group associated.



- c. Select the associated access level.
- d. Click Delete.



# Designer Tab Guide

This tab contains all the CRUD operations to be performed by user on tables in the database schema. The user can select the desired database schema available in the database schema dropdown. It has two sections:

- Table Definition
- Query Builder

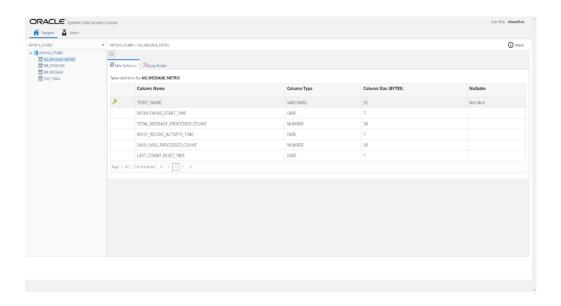
Make sure the user has sufficient permissions before performing any action in the designer tab.

### **Table Definition**

This tab allows the user to see the basic definition of the Database table in a simplified format presented in a tabular form.

To view a table's definition, select the required table from the list of tables from the left pane of the screen. Clicking on the table name will load the definition on the display screen under the Table Definition tab.





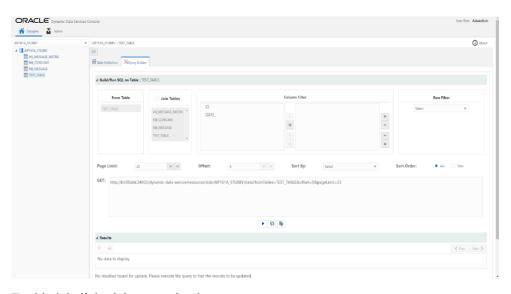
# **Query Builder**

This tab holds the functionality for data manipulation. Functions include Querying records to creation, modification and deletion of records.

#### **Data Selection**

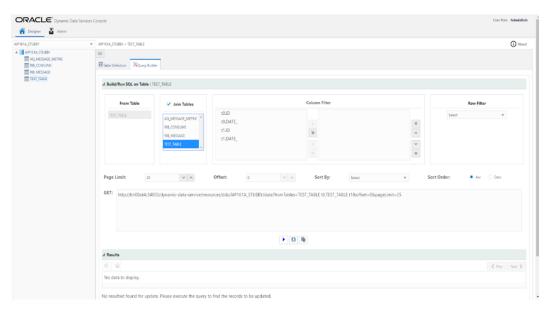
To Query records from a table:

1. Select the table from the list of tables on the left pane of the screen.

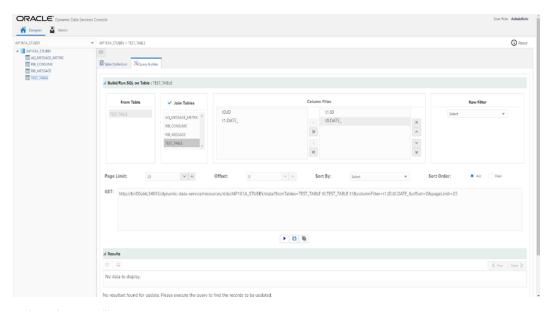


- 2. Enable join if the join operation is necessary.
- 3. Select the table to which the join is to be done, select the same table as selected in (1) to do a self-join.





4. Select the columns which are to be displayed in the column filter. Only the column names on the right side of the box will be displayed. If all columns are to be displayed, do not move any columns to the right box.

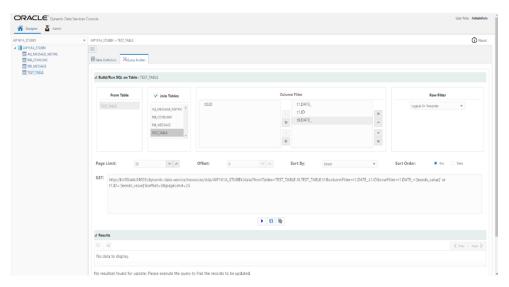


Select the row filter.

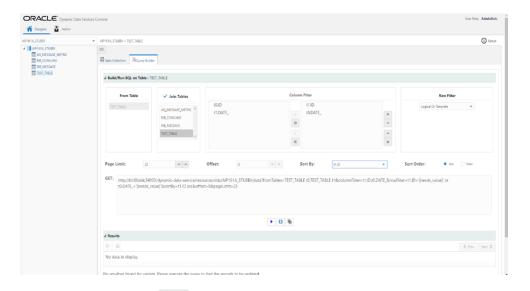


The row filter is applied only to the first two columns in the table, so reorder the columns such that the ones that have to be used as row filter are in the two positions.





- **6.** Set the page limit, this is the number of records that are to be displayed on one page, the remaining records will be paginated and displayed upon request.
- The Sort by drop down list works if there are columns selected for a column filter. Select the desired column, and then select the sort order, ascending or descending.



- 8. Click on the run button to get the Query results using the settings configured earlier.
- 9. The reset button sets the settings back to default.
- 10. The copy query button is used to copy the GET query generated in the "GET" box. Click on the button and the link is copied. Paste the link in a browser and press enter/return to execute the query.

#### **Data Insertion**

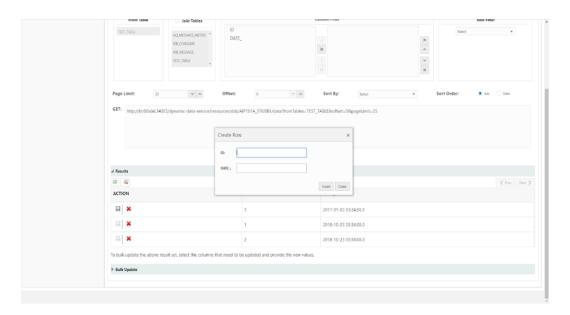
To insert the data in the table:



- 1. The query results from the GET call are displayed here in an editable tabulated format.
  - To insert a record click on the insert record button
- 3. In the pop-up, enter the data. Make sure to enter all values for not null columns.
- 4. Click Insert.

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**5.** The record will be successfully inserted after validation.

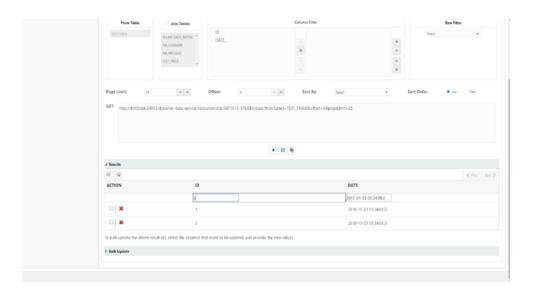


#### **Data Modification**

To modify existing data, select the data from desired table.

- 1. Double click on the record to be modified
- 2. Edit the contents
- 3. Press escape on the keyboard to exit edit mode and click on the save button to save the changes.
- 4. Message Record updated successfully will be displayed after validation

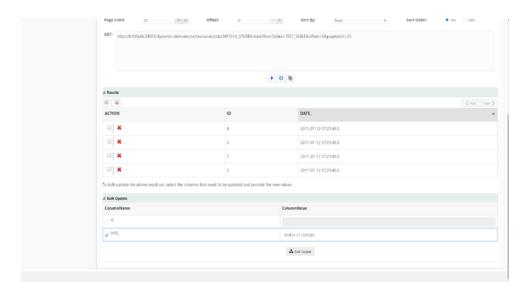




#### **Bulk Updations of Data**

The option is available to update bulk records on selected data. To bulk update column(s):

- 1. In the bulk update collapsible pane one or more columns for all records in the queried table can be updated with a single value, if the column is not unique.
- 2. Select the checkbox of the required column to enable edit mode.
- 3. Enter the data as necessary.



- 4. Click the Bulk Update option all the records in the table.
- 5. Records will be updated after successful validation of data.

#### **Data Deletion**

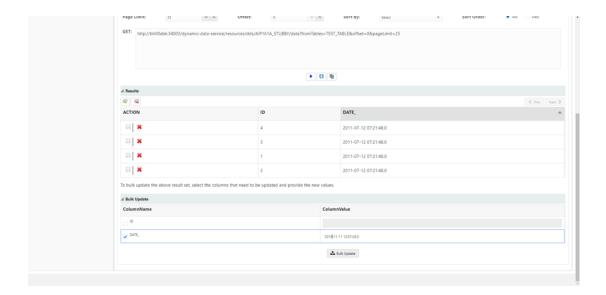
This option is available to perform individual and bulk deletions of records.



Individual Delete - To delete a single record, click the delete button on the corresponding record.

Bulk Delete -To delete all records, click the delete all button and confirm once the confirmation dialog pops up.

The number of records deleted message will be displayed upon successful deletion of records.





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# **Advanced Backend Features**

The DDS backend service supports many SQL query commands. Some of these commands can be added to a query using the components available in the DDS UI, while others must be added by manually typing them into the query itself. Once that is done, the query can then be run through the DDS UI, or a browser, or a cURL commands to get the results.

Follow the instructions in the "Query Builder" section within the "Designer Tab Guide" section of the "User Interface" chapter for instructions on setting up a basic query in the DDS UI. Once those steps have been followed, a query is generated in the **GET** box. The query can be edited to add the following statements individually or in a combination as required.



Please maintain the formatting of the GET request, making sure all the special characters (like the separating ampersand &) are in place, a lack of which may cause unexpected errors.

#### Note:

However, before any of the following commands can be run we need an access\_token, which is mandatory when using applications using OAuth2.0 authentication. The process to create an OAuth2.0 application and getting the access token is discussed in the chapter Security Setup.

### LIKE Statement

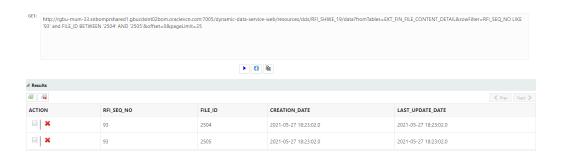
The LIKE statement can be added separately to the query request to view only the results that are similar to the LIKE value. A simple GET request and result with LIKE statement can be like the following:

http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=<COULMN\_NAME> LIKE '<data\_to search>'&offset=0&pageLimit=25

#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=<COULMN\_NAME>%20LIKE%20'<data\_to\_search>'&offset=0&pageLimit=25"





### **IN Statement**

The IN statement can be added separately to the query request to only view results containing one of a set of possible values. A simple GET request and result with IN statement can be like the following:

http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/ <selected\_schema>/data?fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=<COULMN\_NAME> LIKE '<data\_to\_search>'&offset=0&pageLimit=25

#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=<COULMN\_NAME>%20IN%20('<value1>','<value2>','<value3>', ...) &offset=0&pageLimit=25" -o filename.txt



The IN Statement supports searching using comma-separated values in parentheses. Sub-queries are **NOT** supported by the DDS design.



# **Comparative Operators**

Comparative operators (like < and >) can be used to filter data for a particular range. A GET request and result with these operators can be like the following:

http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected schema>/data?



fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=COULMN\_NAME<'data\_to\_search'&offset=0&pageLimit=2</pre>

#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

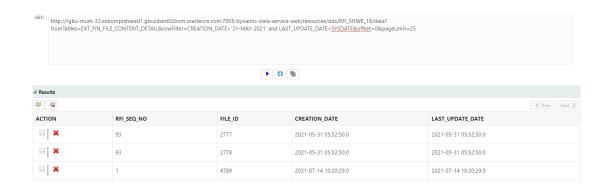
Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=COULMN\_NAME<'data\_to\_search'&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -o filename.txt

GET: http://rgbu-mum-33.snbomprshared1.gbucdsint02bom.oraclevcn.com:7005/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/RFLSHWE\_19/data7fromTables=EXT\_FIN\_FILE\_CONTENT\_DETAIL&rowFilter=FILE\_ID>4788 and RFLSEQ\_NO<2&offset=0&pageLimit=25



# Filtering DATE Column

Date columns can be filtered using the 'DD-MMM-YYYY' date format. Additionally, SYSDATE± $\mathbf{n}$  can also be used to query date columns.



#### Example with the **SYSDATE** keyword:

http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data?fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=CREATION\_DATE<SYSDATE-1&offset=0&pageLimit=25

#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=CREATION\_DATE<SYSDATE-1&offset=0&pageLimit=25" - o file-name.txt

#### Example with 'DD-MMM-YYYY' date format:



http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/ <selected\_schema>/data?fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=CREATION\_DATE>'01-JAN-1976'&offset=0&pageLimit=25

#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=CREATION\_DATE>'01-JAN-1976'&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -o file-name.txt

### Combinations of OR, AND & BETWEEN Statements

The conditional statements OR, AND & BETWEEN can be used in combination with each other using parentheses to further filter results based on required conditions. The **Filter DDS** row in the UI can be used to add a single conditional statement, upon which more conditions can be added manually by typing them in the GET box. A simple GET request with result can look like this:

http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/
<selected\_schema>/data?fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=(DATA\_TYPE\_LIKE
'INVOICE\_HEADER' or DATA\_TYPE\_LIKE 'INVOICE\_DETAIL') and FILE\_ID='184' and
CREATION\_DATE\_BETWEEN '03-MAY-2021' AND '04-MAY-2021'&offset=0&pageLimit=25

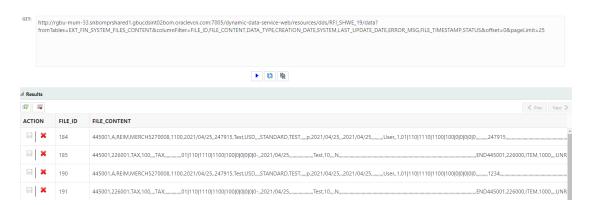


#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data?
fromTables=<selected\_table>&rowFilter=(DATA\_TYPE%20LIKE%20'INVOICE\_HEADER'%20or%2'ODATA\_TYPE%20LIKE%20'INVOICE\_DETAIL')
%20and%20FILE\_ID='184'%20and%20CREATION\_DATE%20BETWEEN%20'03-MAY-2021'%20AND%20'04-MAY-2021'&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -o filename.txt



# Viewing Clob Data



Sometimes the data in a table field can of the type CLOB and have large data in it. DDS supports these fields and can display the data in the UI. However, these fields can also be viewed through a cURL command, and saving the output to a file.



Ensure that the required DDS application username/password is supplied.

```
Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer $AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<server_host>:<server_port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<selected_schema>/data? fromTables=<selected_table>&columnFilter=MESSAGE_DATA&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -o file_name.txt
```

The above queries can also be combined with the functions listed above in this chapter to get more filtered results.

# Viewing Query Response as JSON Data

The DDS backend supports sending data as either JSON or XML.

To view the data as XML, run the query in a curl command by adding the -H switch set like the following:

```
curl "http://<dds_host>:<dds_port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/
<selected_schema>/data?fromTables=<selected_table>&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -H
"Accept:application/xml" -u <dds_user>:<dds_pass> -o file_name.txt
```

JSON is the default response format. To return a JSON object, do not include the -H switch in the cURL command.

Or, you can set the cURL command with the -H switch setting Accept to application/json in the header. The cURL with output is as follows:

```
Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer $AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json;charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds host>:<dds port>/dynamic-data-service-
```



web/resources/dds/<selected\_schema>/data?
fromTables=<selected\_table>&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -H "Accept:application/json" o file name.txt





Ensure that the required DDS application username/password is supplied.

# **JOINing Two or More Tables**

DDS has the ability to join two or more tables. This is done using the JOIN element in the Query Builder Tab under the Designer section.

Use the check box to enable table joins. Once enabled, click inside the visible text field to view a list of tables. Select one or more tables as required.



The row filter must be added to this, which can either be done by using the Row Filter in the UI or adding your own <code>rowFilter</code> by typing the required conditions in the GET query box. You must also ensure that all required columns are selected in the column filter, otherwise an error will display when you try to run the query.



#### A sample GET query with result is as follows:

http://<dds\_host>:<dds\_port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/
<SELECTED\_TABLE>/data?fromTables=TABLE1 t0, TABLE2 t1, TABLE3
t2&columnFilter=t0.COLUMN1, t1.COLUMN1, t2.COLUMN1, t0.COLUMN2, t1.COLUMN2, t2.COLUMN2, t0.COLUMN3, t1.COLUMN3, t2.COLUMN3&rowFilter=t0.COLUMN1=t1.COLUMN1 and



t1.COLUMN1=t2.COLUMN1 and t1.COLUMN2=t2.COLUMN3 and t1.COLUMN3 LIKE
'1' & offset=0 & pageLimit=25

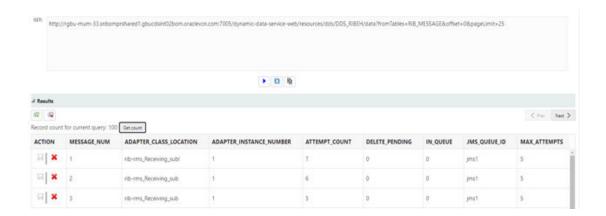
#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/
json;charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<dds\_port>/dynamic-data-serviceweb/resources/dds/<SELECTED TABLE>/data?

fromTables=TABLE1%20t0,TABLE2%20t1,TABLE3%20t2&columnFilter=t0.COLUMN1,t1.COLUMN1,t2.CO
LUMN1,t0.COLUMN2,t1.COLUMN2,t2.COLUMN2,t0.COLUMN3,t1.COLUMN3,t2.COLUMN3&rowFilter=t0.CO
LUMN1=t1.COLUMN1%20and%20t1.COLUMN1=t2.COLUMN1%20and%20t1.COLUMN2=t2.COLUMN3%20and%20t1
.COLUMN3%20LIKE%20'1'&offset=0&pageLimit=25" -o filename.txt

### Count of Records

DDS has the ability to fetch the count of records for a particular query. This can be used to fetch count of all records or a limited set of records based on conditions and parameters as required.



#### A sample GET query with result is as follows:

http://<dds\_host>:<dds\_port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<SELECTED\_SCHEMA>/data?fromTables=TABLE1&offset=0&pageLimit=25



The count query that is actually being run is slightly different to the one displayed in GET box. The correct one is given below in the curl command equivalent.

#### A curl equivalent of the above example:

Curl -i -H "Authorization: Bearer \$AccessToken" -H "Content-Type: application/json; charset=UTF-8" --request GET "http://<dds\_host>:<dds\_port>/dynamic-data-service-web/resources/dds/<SELECTED\_SCHEMA>/data/count? fromTables=TABLE1&rowFilter=<CONDITIONS AS REQUIRED>" -o filename.txt

