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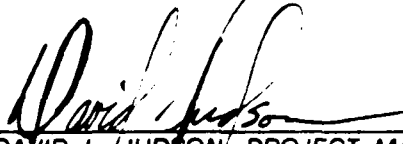
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## SECTION 1

### INTRODUCTION

The Neutral Data Definition Language, hereafter NDDL, is an interpretive language that was developed to populate and maintain the Common Data Model database (CDM Doc. Control No.-CCS 620141000). As the NDDL is intended to be used by data processing professionals who are experts with various data base management systems, a discussion of data base management systems is not included in this document (see CDM Administrators Manual Doc. Control No. UM 620141000). Furthermore, an understanding of the CDM database is necessary.

The CDM Database uses a Three-Schema approach based upon "The ANSI/X3/SPARC DBMS Framework: Report of the Study Group on Data Base Management Systems". In the IISS, the Three-Schema Architecture is implemented through the CDM facilities to store each of the three types of schemas and the interschema mappings. The NDDL supports the population and maintenance of appropriate representations for each of the three types of schemas.

The conceptual schema is represented by an IDEF-1 model. The CDM stores this model in terms of entity classes, attribute classes, and relation classes.

The external schemas are represented by tables. The mappings between these tables and the IDEF-1 model of the conceptual schema are part of the CDM database.

The internal schemas are represented in terms of physical database components, including record types and inter-record relationships.

Section 2 of this manual is a discussion of how to interface with the NDDL processor and the NDDL syntax which is similar to that of the Neutral Data Manipulator Language (see NDML Guide PRM 620141200).

Actual NDDL commands are explained in Section 3 which is followed by NDDL Command Error Messages which are listed in Appendix A.

Appendix B is a Glossary of the more important terms used in this guide and is followed by a list of references.

## SECTION 2

### OVERVIEW

#### 2.1 NDDL ENVIRONMENT

NDDL can be executed from three environments within IISS:

- batch environment
- interactive environment without the IISS User Interface/Virtual Terminal Interface (UI/VTI)
- interactive environment with the IISS User Interface/Virtual Terminal Interface (UI/VTI)

The environment is determined from the users response to the "args" prompt upon NDDL activation as depicted below.

##### 2.1.1 Batch Environment

args: < file specification > file specification

< file specification - redirect the input for NDDL to come from the file specified

> file specification - redirect the output for NDDL to be written to the file specified

file specification - DISK\_NAME /UFD/SFD/FILE.EXTENSION

Example:

args: <NDDL.INP >NDDL.OUT

NDDL.INP is a file containing NDDL commands.

Note:

This file name must follow the Unix standard for naming files, not that of the host operating system.

##### 2.1.2 Interactive Environment (without IISS UI/VTI)

args: (carriage return)

The NDDL "NEXT COMMAND" prompt will be displayed, at which time

the user may enter any valid NDDL command.

Example:

```
args:      (carriage return)
NEXT COMMAND--
CREATE MODEL test_model;
--COMMAND SUCCESSFUL--
NEXT COMMAND--
HALT;
```

### 2.1.3 Interactive Environment (with IISS UI/VTI)

args:-I

The NDDL form will be displayed, at which time the user may enter NDDL commands. A description of the form and how it is used for NDDL is contained in the next section of this document "Using the NDDL Form."

## 2.2 Using the NDDL Form

This section describes the use of the NDDL form. The form manipulations are supported by the IISS User Interface/Virtual Terminal Interface (UI/VTI) software. This section will also describe the detailed forms procedures unique to the NDDL application. For general information regarding forms use, refer to the IISS UI/VTI Terminal Operator's Guide.

### 2.2.1 NDDL Form Description

The NDDL form appears immediately following NDDL activation with the -I parameter as explained in the "NDDL Environment" section. A description of the individual fields follows.

#### Field 1 - Current Model Field

This field displays the current model name. The current model field is modified each time a CREATE MODEL or ALTER MODEL command is successfully executed. If neither

command has been executed in a session, the "NOT YET SPECIFIED" message will appear in this field.

#### Field 2 - Current Database Field

This field displays the current database name. The current database field is modified each time a DEFINE DATABASE, DEFINE SET, or DEFINE RECORD command is successfully executed. If none of the commands have been executed in a session, the "NOT YET SPECIFIED" message will appear in this field.

#### Field 3 - NDDL Command Field

This is the field in which NDDL commands are entered. This field is 78 columns wide and 100 lines long and is viewed 3 lines at a time. This field may be paged and scrolled as described in the IISS UI/VTI Terminal Operator's Guide.

#### Field 4 - Message Area

This field displays NDDL error and informative messages. The message area is 30 lines long and is viewed 3 lines at a time. This field may be paged and scrolled as described in the IISS UI/VTI Terminal Operator's Guide.

#### Field 5 - Message Line Number Field

The message line number field serves two purposes. It is used to display the number of the message displayed in field 6, the message line. The message line number is also used to select a particular message in field 6 for viewing. The user can position the cursor to this field, enter a number from 01 to 99 and read the corresponding message, assuming one exists.

#### Field 6 - Message Line

The message line is 99 lines long, viewed one line at a time. This field may contain informative and error messages which overflow field 4. In addition, this field will contain summary messages indicating whether or not errors have occurred and the number of generated messages.



### 2.2.2 Form Use

#### VT100 Keypad

The VT100 keypad is depicted in Figure 2-1. The keys which apply uniquely to NDDL are:

- pf4 - Press pf4 to terminate NDDL. This key forces an NDDL HALT command, freeing the user from explicitly entering the HALT.
- enter - Press enter to initiate execution of the entered NDDL command(s). After the commands are executed or syntax checked, the form reappears. If an error was encountered, all commands reappear along with their error messages. If, however, no errors are encountered, the commands do not reappear when the form is repainted.
- 0 (pf16) - Press 0 to initiate execution of the entered NDDL command(s). After the commands are executed or syntax checked, the form reappears with the previously entered commands showing whether or not error occurred. This feature is intended to be used when the user has a number of similar commands to execute. The user need only modify that dynamic portion of the command for each subsequent execution.

All other keypad keys operate as described in the UI/VTI Terminal Operator's Guide. In addition, there are a number of non-keypad keys that manipulate the form and are described in the same document.

### 2.2.3 NDDL Command Entry

All NDDL commands must be entered in the NDDL command field with syntax as described in the "NDDL Commands" section of this document. The terminating semicolons are mandatory for all commands. The user may enter as many complete commands as may be contained in 100 lines. After execution has started, the form will not reappear until all commands have executed or had their errors diagnosed.

pf1   GOLD	pf2   help	pf3   debug	pf4   quit   HALT
7 (pf5)   scroll   left	8 (pf6)   scroll   right	9 (pf7)   scroll   up	- (pf8)   scroll   down
4 (pf9)   page   left	5 (pf10)   page   right	6 (pf11)   page   up	. (pf12)   page   down
1(pf13)	2 (pf14)	3 (pf15)	enter   Execute NDDL   commands -
0 (pf16)   Execute NDDL commands   redisplay the commands   unconditionally		. (pf17)	redisplay the   commands only   if errors   encountered

Figure 2-1. VT100 Function Keypad

#### 2.2.4 Error Message Reporting

After a form of commands has executed, error messages may or may not appear. If no errors have occurred, a "no errors encountered" message will appear in the message line of the form. If errors have occurred, a "command(s) completed - n error messages" message will appear with n equal to the number of messages generated. Note that a particular command may generate many error messages. The message area may contain up to 30 messages, displayed 3 messages at a time. Should there be more than 30 messages generated, the final line of the message area will contain the following message: PLEASE REFER TO THE MESSAGE LINE FOR REMAINING MESSAGES. Since the message line indicates that there were n messages generated and since 30 messages are contained in the message area, (n-30) messages remain to be viewed in the message line. Position the cursor to the message line number field (field 4), key in 01 and press enter for the first message. For each subsequent message, increment field 4 by one and press enter.

If many commands have been entered and errors were encountered, all commands preceding the erroneous command will have executed, applying their specified database modifications. The erroneous command and all subsequent commands in the same form will not execute. The commands following the erroneous command on the same form will be syntax checked only.

To assist in matching the error messages with the proper NDDL commands, the following messages are generated:

--COMMAND SUCCESSFUL--

- The command has successfully executed.

--NO CHANGE MADE--

- Errors were encountered. The detailed error messages which apply to this message precede it.

--COMMAND SYNTAX CORRECT--

- An error in a previous NDDL command caused all subsequent commands in the form to be syntax checked only.

--INVALID SYNTAX--

- The command syntax is incorrect.

For example, if five "--COMMAND SUCCESSFUL--" messages are generated before the first error message appears, the offending NDDL command is the sixth one on the form.

### 2.3 NDDL COMMAND SYNTAX

In the syntactic description of the NDDL commands, the following symbols are used:

- [ ] indicates an optional word or phrase
- { } indicates a choice of only one word or phrase
- ... indicates repetition of the last element
- ; indicates the end of a command and must be entered by the user
- | indicates a choice of options

All uppercase words must be specified as indicated; lowercase words indicate a user-defined variable which the user may fill in with uppercase or lowercase letters. Lowercase words are case sensitive, e.g., variable XYZ is not the same as variable xyz. The user may enter any string of up to 30 characters for lowercase words. These characters may be any combination of letter, digit, dash, or underscore

Comments may be embedded by surrounding the comment with /\* and \*/.

Most repetitions are separated by a single blank space; however, a few commands must be separated by commas.

### 2.4 NDDL RESERVED WORDS

Following is a list of NDDL reserved words. These words cannot be used as a user-defined variable in any NDDL command.

ACCESSED	FILES	PCB
ADD	FLOAT	POSITION
ALIAS	FROM	PRIMARY
ALTER	HALT	PSB
AND	HL6	RECORD
AREAS	HOST	RELATING
AS	IBM	RELATION
ATTRIBUTE	IDMS	RENAME
BY	IDS_II	REQUIRED

CHARACTER  
CHECK  
CLASS  
COLUMNS  
COMBINE  
COMMIT  
COMPARE  
COPY  
CREATE  
DATA  
DATABASE  
DATAITEM  
DATAFIELD  
DECIMAL  
DEFINE  
DESCRIBE  
DESCRIPTION  
DOMAIN  
DROP  
ELEMENTS  
ENTITY  
EXCEPT  
EXIT  
FEEDBACK  
FIELD  
FIELDS  
FILE\_NAME

IMS  
IN  
INTEGER  
INTO  
IS  
ITEM  
ITEMS  
KEY  
KEYWORD  
LINKED  
LENGTH  
MANY  
MAP  
MERGE  
MIGRATES  
MODEL  
NAMED  
NUMERIC  
OF  
ON  
OPTIONAL  
ORACLE  
OWNED  
P  
PACKED  
PATH  
PASSWORD

ROLLBACK  
S  
SCHEMA  
SECOND  
SEGMENT  
SELECT  
SET  
SIGNED  
SIZE  
STANDARD  
START  
STRUCTURE  
SUBSCHEMA  
TABLE  
TO  
TOTAL  
U  
UNKNOWN  
UNSIGNED  
TYPE  
VALUE  
VAX\_11  
VAX  
VIEW  
WHERE  
WITH

A cross reference between NDDL object types and NDDL command is contained in Table 2-1.

TABLE 2-1

CROSS REFERENCE OF OBJECT TYPES AND NDDL COMMANDS

OBJECT TYPE -----	NDDL COMMAND -----
ALIAS	ALTER ALIAS COMBINE ENTITY COPY ATTRIBUTE COPY ENTITY COPY MODEL CREATE ALAIS DROP ALIAS MERGE MODEL
AREA	DEFINE DATABASE DEFINE RECORD
ATTRIBUTE CLASS	ALTER ATTRIBUTE ALTER ENTITY ALTER MAP COPY ATTRIBUTE COPY DESCRIPTION CREATE ALIAS CREATE ATTRIBUTE CREATE ENTITY DESCRIBE ATTRIBUTE DROP ALIAS DROP ATTRIBUTE RENAME ATTRIBUTE
CARDINALITY	ALTER RELATION CREATE RELATION
DATA ITEM	CREATE VIEW

TABLE 2-1 (Continued)

**CROSS REFERENCE OF OBJECT TYPES AND NDDL COMMANDS**

<b>OBJECT TYPE</b> -----	<b>NDDL COMMAND</b> -----
<b>DATABASE</b>	ALTER MAP CREATE MAP DEFINE DATABASE DEFINE RECORD DEFINE SET DROP DATABASE DROP FIELD DROP RECORD DROP SET
<b>DATA TYPE</b>	ALTER DOMAIN ALTER MAP CREATE DOMAIN CREATE MAP CREATE VIEW
<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	COMBINE ENTITY COPY ATTRIBUTE COPY DESCRIPTION COPY ENTITY COPY MODEL DESCRIBE ATTRIBUTE DESCRIBE ENTITY DESCRIBE RELATION MERGE MODEL
<b>DOMAIN</b>	ALTER DOMAIN CREATE ATTRIBUTE CREATE DOMAIN DROP DOMAIN RENAME DOMAIN

TABLE 2-1 (Continued)

CROSS REFERENCE OF OBJECT TYPES AND NDDL COMMANDS

<u>OBJECT TYPE</u>	<u>NDDL COMMAND</u>
ENTITY CLASS	ALTER ENTITY ALTER MAP ALTER RELATION COMBINE ENTITY COPY DESCRIPTION COPY ENTITY CREATE ALIAS CREATE ENTITY CREATE MAP CREATE RELATION CREATE VIEW DESCRIBE ENTITY DROP ALIAS DROP ENTITY DROP MAP DROP RELATION RENAME ENTITY ALTER MAP CREATE MAP DEFINE RECORD DEFINE SET DROP FIELD
FILE	COMBINE ENTITY COPY ATTRIBUTE COPY ENTITY COPY MODEL DEFINE DATABASE DESCRIBE ATTRIBUTE DESCRIBE ENTITY DESCRIBE RELATION MERGE MODEL
KEYCLASS	ALTER ENTITY ALTER RELATION CREATE ENTITY CREATE RELATION
KEY FIELD	DEFINE RECORD



TABLE 2-1 (Continued)

CROSS REFERENCE OF OBJECT TYPES AND NDDL COMMANDS

<u>OBJECT TYPE</u> -----	<u>NDDL COMMAND</u> -----
KEYWORD	ALTER ATTRIBUTE ALTER ENTITY ALTER RELATION COMBINE ENTITY COPY ATTRIBUTE COPY ENTITY COPY MODEL CREATE ATTRIBUTE CREATE ENTITY CREATE RELATION DROP KEYWORD MERGE MODEL RENAME KEYWORD
MAP	ALTER MAP DROP MAP
MODEL	ALTER MODEL CHECK MODEL COMBINE ENTITY COMPARE MODEL COPY ATTRIBUTE COPY DESCRIPTION COPY ENTITY COPY MODEL CREATE MODEL DROP MODEL MERGE MODEL RENAME MODEL
PASSWORD	DEFINE DATABASE
PATH	DEFINE SET DROP SET

TABLE 2-1 (Continued)

CROSS REFERENCE OF OBJECT TYPES AND NDDL COMMANDS

<u>OBJECT TYPE</u>	<u>NDDL COMMAND</u>
PCB	DEFINE DATABASE DEFINE RECORD DEFINE SET DROP DATABASE DROP FIELD DROP RECORD DROP SET
PSB	DEFINE DATABASE
RECORD	ALTER MAP CREATE MAP DEFINE RECORD DEFINE FIELD DEFINE SET DROP FIELD DROP RECORD
RELATION CLASS	ALTER MAP ALTER RELATION COPY DESCRIPTION CREATE MAP CREATE RELATION CREATE VIEW DESCRIBE RELATION DROP MAP DROP RELATION RENAME RELATION
SCHEMA	DEFINE DATABASE
SEGMENT	DEFINE RECORD DROP FIELD DROP RECORD

TABLE 2-1 (Continued)

**CROSS REFERENCE OF OBJECT TYPES AND NDDL COMMANDS**

<b>OBJECT TYPE</b> -----	<b>NDDL COMMAND</b> -----
<b>SET</b>	ALTER MAP ALTER RELATION CREATE MAP CREATE RELATION DEFINE SET DROP SET
<b>SUBSCHEMA</b>	DEFINE DATABASE
<b>TABLE</b>	DEFINE RECORD DROP FIELD
<b>TAG NAME</b>	ALTER MAP ALTER RELATION CREATE MAP CREATE RELATION CREATE VIEW DROP MAP
<b>VIEW</b>	CREATE VIEW DROP VIEW RENAME VIEW

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SECTION 3

NDDL COMMANDS

This section describes each NDDL command. The syntax of each command is given followed by command semantics and command examples.

### 3.1 ALTER ALIAS

**Syntax:**

```
ALTER ALIAS ( ENTITY ec_name1      [IS] ec_name2  
             | ATTRIBUTE ac_name1 [IS] ac_name2 );
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - entity or attribute with both primary and alias names
- The command switches the current primary and the alias names.
- The current primary names are ec\_name1 and ac\_name1; the current aliases are ec\_name2 and ac\_name2.

**Examples:**

```
ALTER ALIAS ENTITY CUSTOMER IS CUST ;  
ALTER ALIAS ATTRIBUTE ORDER_NUMBER ORDNO ;
```

### 3.2 ALTER ATTRIBUTE

**Syntax:**

```
ALTER ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac_name [DOMAIN domain_name]
  [DROP KEYWORD keyword...]
  [ADD KEYWORD keyword...];
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
model
attribute
```

- ALTER ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac\_name

The attribute is altered with one of the options specified.

- [DOMAIN domain\_name]

When a domain\_name is specified the validity of the Domain is checked and processing will halt if it is invalid.

If the domain\_name is valid, ATTRIBUTE\_CLASS ac\_name will be updated to indicate the new domain\_no.

- DROP KEYWORD keyword...

Keyword references are deleted.

- ADD KEYWORD keyword...

The keyword(s) is created if it does not already exist.

The attribute keyword reference(s) is created.

**Examples:**

```
ALTER ATTRIBUTE CLASS AC_ORDER_INFO DOMAIN ADDRESS
ADD KEYWORD ZIP
DROP KEYWORD COUNTY;
```

### 3.3 ALTER DOMAIN

**Syntax:**

```
ALTER DOMAIN domain_name
  [ ADD [ DATA ] TYPE
    data_type_name / INTEGER integer1[:integer2] \ ]
    | CHARACTER |
    < SIGNED >
    | FLOAT |
    | UNSIGNED |
    \ PACKED /
  [ DROP [ DATA ] TYPE data_type_name ... ]
  [ ALTER [ DATA ] TYPE
    data_type_name / INTEGER integer1[:integer2] \ ]
    | CHARACTER |
    < SIGNED >
    | FLOAT |
    | UNSIGNED |
    \ PACKED /
    [ TO STANDARD ]];
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
domain
data type
```

- Integer1 [integer2]... states a range of permissible values where integer1 is the ending value and integer2 is the beginning value (integer2 cannot be greater than integer1). Integer 1 can be used to specify a single value for a data type.
- The NDDL data types correspond to the following COBOL/FORTRAN data types:

NDDL Data Type	COBOL/FORTRAN Data Type
INTEGER	FORTRAN binary integer
CHARACTER	X(n)
SIGNED	S99V99
FLOAT	FORTRAN floating point
UNSIGNED	99V99
PACKED	COMP-3

- **ADD [ DATA ] TYPE**  
    **data\_type\_name / INTEGER integer1[:integer2] \**  
        **| CHARACTER |**  
    **( SIGNED )**  
        **| FLOAT |**  
        **| UNSIGNED |**  
    **\ PACKED /**

The data type will be inserted as user defined.

- **DROP {[DATA] TYPE data\_type\_name}...**

If it is determined that the data type is associated with a data field, data item or attribute class the data type will not be dropped. All attribute classes that use the data type are reported to the user.

A standard data type cannot be dropped.

- **ALTER [ DATA ] TYPE**  
    **data\_type\_name / INTEGER integer1[:integer2] \**  
        **| CHARACTER |**  
    **( SIGNED )**  
        **| FLOAT |**  
        **| UNSIGNED |**  
    **\ PACKED /**  
  
    **[ TO STANDARD ]**

The data type is altered to "standard" (it will become the current standard), and the previous standard will become a user defined data type for the same domain.

The data type may also be altered to another legal type with a new size and decimal specifications.

**Examples:**

```
ALTER DOMAIN ADDRESS
  ADD DATA TYPE ALPHA NUMERC integer 5:2
  DROP DATA TYPE NUMERIC
  ALTER TYPE ALPHA character 30 to standard;
```



### 3.4 ALTER ENTITY

**Syntax:**

```
ALTER ENTITY [CLASS] ec name
  [ADD [KEY [CLASS] kc_name [= ac_name ...]]]...
  [[OWNED] ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac_name ...]
  [KEYWORD keyword ...]
  [DROP [KEY [CLASS] kc_name ] ...]
  [[OWNED] ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac_name ...]
  [KEYWORD keyword ...]];
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

- entity
  - attribute to be dropped or added
  - key class to be dropped

- ADD KEY [CLASS] kc\_name [-ac\_name ...] ...

An occurrence of attribute for ac\_name must exist.

A new occurrence of attribute use class is created for ac\_name if one does not already exist. If the attribute use class does already exist, ac\_name may not be owned by any other entity.

A new occurrence of key class is created for the entity using kc\_name.

A new occurrence of key class member is created for the entity for each ac\_name. If ac\_name is omitted, a key class member occurrence is created using kc\_name as the name of the attribute.

- ADD [OWNED] ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac\_name ...

New attributes for the entity being created are added.

Each attribute is created as an owned attribute class for the entity.

A new occurrence of attribute use class is created.

- **ADD KEYWORD keyword ...**  
The keyword references are created.  
The keyword will be created if it does not already exist.
- **DROP KEY [CLASS] kc\_name ...**  
The key class for the entity is deleted.  
All key class members for the key class are deleted.  
If the key class being dropped is from a complete relation, the complete relation is deleted.  
All attribute use classes which were formed from a migration of that key class member and any migration of those attribute use classes are deleted.  
The inherited attribute use class occurrence of a migrated attribute use class is deleted.
- **DROP [OWNED] ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac\_name ...**  
The owned attribute occurrence and the attribute use class for ac\_name is deleted.
- **DROP KEYWORD keyword ...**  
The keyword reference is deleted.

**Examples:**

```
ALTER ENTITY CLASS EC_CUSTOMER
  ADD KEY CLASS KC_CUST_INFO = AC_CUST_NAME
  KEYWORD CUSTOMER;
```

### 3.5 ALTER MAP

**Syntax:**

**ALTER MAP ec-name.tag-name**

```
[ ADD { TO FIELD database-name.record-name.datafield-name
  [ TYPE datatype-name ] } ...
  | { TO SET database-name.set-name VALUE
    'string'}... ]
[ DROP { TO FIELD database-name.record-name.datafield-
  name)..
  | { TO SET database-name.set-name)... ]
[ ALTER { TO FIELD database-name.record-name.datafield-
  name [(p)] [TYPE datatype-name]}...
  | { TO SET database-name.set-name VALUE
    'string'}...];
```

--or--

**ALTER MAP ec-name rc-name ec-name**

```
[ ADD { TO SET database-name.set-name [.member-record-
  name]}... ]
[ DROP { TO SET database-name.set-name [.member-record-
  name]}...];
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - map to be altered
  - datafield to be mapped to
  - set to be mapped to
- Tag-name is a unique name for an attribute use class within an entity class. The following rules apply when altering Attribute Use Class (AUC) to datafield mappings:
  - a. ALTER ADD rules are the following:
    - The AUC must not have previously been mapped to a set.
    - The AUC must not have been previously mapped to a data field.

- If the data type name is not entered, the standard data type for the AUC's domain is used.
  - Only one primary mapping may exist for an AUC.
  - Multiple secondary mappings may exist if there is a pre-existing primary mapping.
  - If the primary or secondary mapping is not specified, the default is primary.
- b. ALTER DROP will not drop a primary datafield map if secondary maps exist for a particular AUC.
- c. ALTER ALTER will modify the primary-secondary indicator and/or the datatype name. To change a secondary map to primary and to change the previous primary map to secondary, include the (P) option. To change the datatype name, include the datatype name in the ALTER ALTER command.
- The following rules apply when altering AUC to set mappings:
    - a. ALTER ADD rules are the following:
      - A data field mapping must not exist for the AUC.
      - The set to be mapped to must have a single record type for its members.
      - The member record name is not used in AUC to set mappings.
      - The set to be mapped to must not previously have been mapped from a relation class or another AUC.
      - All AUC to set maps must map to the same database for a particular AUC.
      - All AUC to set maps must contain a value that must be unique for a particular AUC.
      - Each set mapped to from the AUC must have the same record type as its owner.
    - b. No special rules apply to ALTER DROP.
    - c. ALTER ALTER will modify the AUC value for a particular AUC to set map. The new AUC value must be entered and must be unique for that particular AUC.
  - The following rules apply when altering Relation Class (RC) to set member mapping:

- a. **ALTER ADD** rules are the following:
- The member record name may be omitted if the set to be mapped to is a single member record type set; otherwise the member record name is required.
  - There must be no previous mappings to the set.
  - The value is not used in Relation Class to set mappings.
- b. **ALTER DROP** requires a member record name entry if, by omitting it, the "to set" specification would be ambiguous.
- c. **ALTER ALTER** is invalid for RC to set maps.

**Examples:**

```
ALTER MAP DEPARTMENT.EMPLOYEE
ADD TO FIELD EMPDB.EREC1.RATE
TO FIELD EMPDB.EREC2.SSMO TYPE SS
DROP TO FIELD EMPDB.AREC.DEPTNO
ALTER TO FIELD EMPDB.EREC1.EMPNO (P)
TO FIELD EMPDB.EREC2.TITLE TYPE JOBTITLE;
```

```
ALTER MAP PART.COMPOSITION
ALTER TO SET MATERIAL.COMPOSITE VALUE 'COMPOSITE';
```

```
ALTER MAP INVENTORY HAS SHEFLIFE
DROP TO SET SLDB.BATTERY.NICAD;
```

### 3.6 ALTER MODEL

**Syntax:**

```
ALTER MODEL model_name;
```

**Comments:**

- Required existence in the Common Data Model:  
    model class
- The model is updated and marked as unchecked.
- The model becomes the "current" model for all other modeling commands and remains current until another CREATE MODEL or ALTER MODEL command is entered.

**Examples:**

```
ALTER MODEL ABC_COMPANY;
```

### 3.7 ALTER RELATION

**Syntax:**

```
ALTER RELATION [CLASS] [{INTEGER1|MANY}] ind_ec_name1
rc_name [{INTEGER2: INTEGER3|MANY}] dep_ec_name2
  [ADD [MIGRATES {kc_name [SET {tag_name1 =
tag_name2}...]]] [KEYWORD keyword...]]
  [DROP [MIGRATES kc_name ]... [KEYWORD keyword...]];
```

**Comments:**

- The above command the following elements must exist in Common Data Model:

```
model
relation class
independent entity (ind_ec_name1)
dependent entity (dep_ec_name2)
```

- ALTER RELATION [CLASS] [INTEGER1|MANY] ind\_ec\_name1  
rc\_name [INTEGER2: {INTEGER3|MANY}] dep\_ec\_name2

The relation is altered if any cardinality is altered.

Integer1 or many indicates the cardinality for the independent entity class. Integer2 and integer3 indicate the cardinality for the dependent entity class.

Cardinality values default to the current cardinality for the Relation.

A warning message may be generated to indicate either left or right dependent cardinality too large. This will not halt processing but defaults the value to the current cardinality of the relation class. The right dependent cardinality (integer2) cannot be less than the left dependent cardinality (integer3).

Individual cardinalities may be changed without changing all the cardinalities.

The right dependent (integer3) cardinality cannot be zero.

- [ADD [MIGRATES {kc\_name [SET {tag\_name1 = tag\_name2}...]]  
[KEYWORD keyword...]]]

The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

key class for independent entity  
key class members for the independent entity  
attribute use class for each key class member  
associated with the independent entity

The key class cannot have been previously migrated to the dependent entity.

An attribute use and an inherited attribute use class for the dependent entity is created for each key class member of the independent entity migrated to the dependent entity.

If the set phrase is specified, tag\_name1 (the independent entity's tag name) is migrated with the new name of tag\_name1.

A complete relation class occurrence is created.

The keyword is created in the Common Data Model if it does not already exist.

A relation class keyword reference is created.

- [DROP [MIGRATES kc\_name]... [KEYWORD keyword...]];

The key class migration will be dropped from each relation and entity in the model.

The relation class keyword reference is deleted.

Examples:

```
ALTER RELATION CLASS IND_EC_STORE RC_INVOICING
  DEP_EC_CUSTOMER
  ADD MIGRATES KC_ORDER SET AC_INVOICE = AC_FORM
  DROP KEYWORD KC_ORDER;
```

```
ALTER RELATION CLASS IND_EC_DEPARTMENT HAS
  DEP_EC_EMPLOYEE;
```



### 3.8 CHECK MODEL

**Syntax:**

```
CHECK MODEL model_name;
```

**Comments:**

- **model\_name** must exist.
- If the model meets all rules, the model will be marked as checked.
- The following rules are checked for the model:
  - a. no non-specific relations are allowed (independent cardinality greater than one)
  - b. no incomplete relations (key has not been migrated)
  - c. each entity has at least one attribute use class
  - d. each owned attribute has a domain and that domain has a standard data type
  - e. a key is defined for each entity
  - f. multiple key classes of an entity are not subsets of one another
  - g. no one to one relations
  - h. no dependency loops, e.g., A→B→C→A.
  - i. at least one entity exists in the model
- The following rules cannot be checked for the model:
  - a. one to none or one relationships implying identical keys
  - b. key uniqueness throughout the model is not checked, i.e., no two entities may have the same key unless they are related to each other with a one to none or one relation

**Examples:**

```
CHECK MODEL A;
```

```
CHECK MODEL INTEGRATED_MODEL;
```

### 3.9 COMBINE ENTITY

**Syntax:**

```
COMBINE ENTITY ec_name_1 [FROM MODEL model_name] INTO  
ec_name_2 ON FILE 'file name'  
[EXCEPT [DESCRIPTION] [ALIAS] [KEYWORD]];
```

**Comments:**

- If `model_name` is not entered, an intra-model combine is assumed and `ec_name_1` must not be the same as `ec_name_2`. The current model will be used.
- The NDDL statements necessary to physically combine the two entities are generated on the file named. If the named file does not exist, it is created and opened. If the named file does exist, the generated NDDL is appended to the file.
- On an intra-model combine, any relations between `ec_name_1` and `ec_name_2` will be dropped and `ec_name_1` will be dropped.
- All owned attributes of `ec_name_1` and their aliases, keywords, and descriptions are generated for `ec_name_2`, or the corresponding keyword appears in the EXCEPT clause.
- All entity name aliases, keywords, and descriptions of `ec_name_1` are generated as aliases, keywords, and descriptions of `ec_name_2` unless they already exist for `ec_name_2`, or the corresponding keyword appears in the EXCEPT clause.
- All relations in which `ec_name_1` is the dependent entity are generated for `ec_name_2`, provided the independent entities in the relations already exist in the current model and the relation names are not already associated with `ec_name_2`. The key classes of the independent entities are migrated to `ec_name_2` and all key classes of `ec_name_1` are generated for `ec_name_2`.
- All relations in which `ec_name_1` is the independent entity are generated for `ec_name_2`, provided the dependent entities already exist in the current model and the relation names are not already associated with `ec_name_2`. The key class of `ec_name_1` is migrated to the dependent

entities.

- If the EXCEPT clause is entered, at least one option must be specified. If used, the options must appear in the order indicated. If DESCRIPTION is entered, no descriptions for entities, attributes, and relations will be generated or copied. If ALIAS is entered, no aliases for entities and attributes will be generated or copied. If KEYWORD is specified, no keywords for entities, attributes, and relations will be generated or copied.

- **Generated Commands:**

The generated NDDL commands should be examined for potential run-time errors.

- a. If the entity being combined has inherited attributes, then the generated NDDL must be changed either to add the inherited attributes to the new entity as owned attributes, or all references to the inherited attributes must be deleted from KEY CLASS and MIGRATES clauses.
- b. A create/alter entity command may attempt to add an owned attribute when the attribute is already owned by another entity in the target model. The modeler must decide which entity should own the attribute and change the NDDL accordingly.

**NOTE:**

When an attribute is added to an entity and the attribute already exists in the target model, a comment is generated in the NDDL command following the attribute. The comment is:

/\* ATTRIBUTE MAY BE OWNED IN TARGET MODEL \*/

**Examples:**

```
COMBINE ENTITY ENT8 INTO ENT_B ON FILE 'ENTB.DAT' EXCEPT  
DESCRIPTION;
```

```
COMBINE ENTITY ENT_B FROM MODEL SPARKY INTO ENT_B ON FILE  
'CMBENT.ZZZ';
```

### 3.10 COMPARE MODEL

**Syntax:**

**COMPARE MODEL model\_name\_1 WITH model\_name\_2;**

**Comments:**

- **model\_name\_1 and model\_name\_2 must both exist.**
- **Similarities, or points of correspondence of the two models will be reported:**
  - a. **entity names correspond, (match identically) either through primary name or alias**
  - b. **attribute names correspond, either through primary name or alias**
  - c. **entity keywords correspond**
  - d. **attribute keywords correspond**
  - e. **relation keywords correspond**

**Examples:**

**COMPARE MODEL A WITH MODEL B;**

### 3.11 COPY ATTRIBUTE

**Syntax:**

```
COPY ATTRIBUTE attr_name_1 [FROM MODEL model_name]
  [TO attr_name_2] [ON FILE 'file name']
  [EXCEPT [DESCRIPTION] [ALIAS] [KEYWORD]];
```

**Comments:**

- If from model is used, attr\_name\_1 must exist in that model.
- If attr\_name\_2 is not entered, the copy attribute must be an inter-model copy and attr\_name\_2 will be the same as attr\_name\_1.
- The attribute will always be copied to the current model unless the FILE clause is specified.
- If from model has been omitted, copy attribute will be an intra-model copy and attr\_name\_2 must be entered.
- All of the attr\_name\_1's descriptions, aliases, and keywords will be copied, unless the corresponding appears in the EXCEPT clause.
- If the FILE clause is specified, NDDL commands will be generated/appended on the file specified.
- Refer to COMBINE ENTITY for a complete description of the EXCEPT clause.

**Examples:**

```
COPY ATTRIBUTE A1 FROM M1 TO A4;
COPY ATTRIBUTE A3 FROM M2 ON FILE 'A3.DAT';
COPY ATTRIBUTE A5 TO A6
  EXCEPT DESCRIPTION ALIAS;
```

### 3.12 COPY DESCRIPTION

**Syntax:**

```
COPY desc_type OF object_type object_id_1  
  [FROM MODEL model_name] TO object_id_2;
```

**Comments:**

- Object\_id can be an Attribute Use Class, Entity Use Class, or a Relation Class.
- This is a partial description copy. Only the description lines of the identified description type of the given object will be copied, rather than all description types.
- object\_type and desc\_type are defined in the DESCRIBE command.
- If model\_name is omitted, the current model will be used when looking for object\_id\_1 and object\_id\_2 must not be the same as object\_id\_1.
- A description cannot be copied from an occurrence of one object type to a different object type.
- Object id's can consist of multiple words for relations, (ref DESCRIBE command).
- object\_id\_2 must exist in the current model.

**Examples:**

```
COPY DEFINITION OF ENTITY E1 TO E2;  
COPY USAGE OF ENTITY E2 FROM MODEL M1 TO E2;  
COPY DEFINITION OF RELATION E1 USES E3 TO E6 OWNS E7;
```

### 3.13 COPY ENTITY

**Syntax:**

```
COPY ENTITY [CLASS] ec_name_1 [FROM MODEL model_name]
           [TO ec_name_2] [WITH { STRUCTURE } ON FILE 'file_name']
                           { RELATION  }

           [EXCEPT [DESCRIPTION] [ALIAS] [KEYWORD]]:
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - entity being copied
  - current model
- If the FROM clause is omitted, an intra-model copy is assumed and the following rules apply:
  - a. ec\_name\_2 must be entered and may not be the same as ec\_name\_1.
  - b. The WITH clause must be omitted.
  - c. A new entity is built for the current model.
  - d. All keywords, aliases, and descriptions for the entity being copied are created for the new entity unless excepted.
  - e. All key classes and key class members for the entity being copied are created for the new entity.
  - f. Attributes associated with the entity are not copied.
- If the FROM clause is entered, an inter-model copy is assumed and the following rules apply:
  - a. The entity being copied must not exist in the current model.
  - b. If ec\_name\_2 is omitted the name of the new entity will be the same as ec\_name\_1.
  - c. The WITH clause is required.
  - d. The entity being copied and its relations or structures are not physically added to the current model. Instead, the NDDL commands necessary to add the entity to the current model are generated and written to the file named on the 'FILE' clause. If

the named file does not exist, a new file is created and opened. If the named file does exist, the generated commands are appended to the file.

- e. A new entity is generated for the current model.
  - f. The following items are generated for the new entity unless they already exist in the current model or have been excepted:
    - All keywords, aliases, and descriptions associated with the entity being copied.
    - All the attributes owned by the entity being copied. Note that attributes inherited by the entity being copied are not generated.
    - All key classes and key class members belonging to the entity being copied.
- If the **RELATION** option is chosen on an inter-model copy, the following applies:
    - a. All relations in which the entity being copied is the dependent entity are generated for the current model, provided the independent entities in the relations exist in the current model.
    - b. All relations in which the entity being copied is the independent entity are generated for the current model, provided the dependent entities in the relations exist in the current model.
    - c. All key classes that were migrated in the relations being copied are migrated in the current model. The same names used in the relation being copied are generated for the current model.
  - If the **STRUCTURE** option is chosen on an inter-model copy, the following applies:
    - a. The tree structure dependent on the entity being copied is generated for the current model. This includes the entities, their keywords, aliases, descriptions, owned attributes, key classes and key class members; the relations, their migrated keys and set names. Note that everything associated with the structure is generated for the current model, whether or not it exists in the current model.
  - Refer to **COMBINE ENTITY** for complete description of **EXCEPT** clause.



● **Generated Commands:**

The generated NDDL commands should be examined for potential run-time errors.

- a. If the entity being copied has inherited attributes, then the generated NDDL must be changed either to add the inherited attributes to the new entity as owned attributes, or all references to the inherited attributes must be deleted from KEY CLASS and MIGRATES clauses.
- b. If a tree structure is being copied, then the create commands for any entities, attributes, aliases, and relations that already exist in the current model must be deleted.
- c. A create/alter entity command may attempt to add an owned attribute to an entity when the attribute is already owned by another entity in the target model. The modeler must decide which entity should own the attribute and change the NDDL accordingly.

**NOTE:**

When an attribute is added to an entity and the attribute already exists in the target model, a comment is generated in the NDDL command following the attribute. The comment is:

/\* ATTRIBUTE MAY BE OWNED IN TARGET MODEL \*/

**Examples:**

COPY ENTITY INVOICE TO NEWINVOICE  
EXCEPT DESCRIPTION ALIAS KEYWORD;

COPY ENTITY INVOICE FROM MODEL ABC\_COMPANY WITH STRUCTURE  
ON FILE 'EXAMINE.NDL'  
EXCEPT ALIAS;

### 3.14 COPY MODEL

**Syntax:**

```
COPY MODEL [FROM MODEL model_name] TO new_model ON FILE  
  'file_name' [EXCEPT [DESCRIPTION] [ALIAS] [KEYWORD]];
```

**Comments:**

- If the FROM clause is entered, model\_name must exist. If it is omitted, the current model will be copied.
- new\_model must not exist.
- The model being copied may not contain any dependency loops.
- NDDL commands are generated in the proper sequence to create a new model containing all the entities, owned attributes, inherited attributes, key classes, key class members, relations, aliases, keywords, and descriptions in the model being copied.
- Aliases, keywords, and/or descriptions will be excluded from the generated NDDL if the corresponding option appears in the EXCEPT clause. Refer to COMBINE ENTITY for a complete description of the EXCEPT clause.
- If the named file does not exist, a new file is created and opened. If the file does exist, the generated commands are appended to the file.

**Examples:**

```
COPY MODEL FROM MODEL M1 TO M2 ON FILE 'M2.DAT';
```

### 3.15 CREATE ALIAS

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE ALIAS { ENTITY ec_name1 [IS] ec_name2  
             | ATTRIBUTE ac_name1 [IS] ac_name2 } ;
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
entity  
attribute
```

- ec\_name2 and ac\_name2 are the names to be created as aliases for entity and attribute respectively.

**Examples:**

```
CREATE ALIAS ENTITY CUSTOMER IS CUST;
```

```
CREATE ALIAS ATTRIBUTE ORDER_NUMBER IS ORDNO;
```

### 3.16 CREATE ATTRIBUTE

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac_name [DOMAIN domain_name]
  [KEYWORD keyword ...];
```

**Comments:**

- **CREATE ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac\_name**

Required existence in the Common Data Model:

the current model

A new attribute is created for the current model.

- **[DOMAIN domain\_name]**

The domain\_name must name an existing domain.

If domain\_name is not specified, the domain\_no for the attribute\_class will be undefined.

- **KEYWORD keyword ...**

The keyword will be created in the Common Data Model if it does not already exist.

Keyword references are created for the attribute.

**Examples:**

```
CREATE ATTRIBUTE ORDER_DATE DOMAIN DATE
  KEYWORD KEY_DATE;
```

### 3.17 CREATE DOMAIN

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE DOMAIN domain_name STANDARD
  [DATA] TYPE data_type_name / CHARACTER \
                                | PACKED   |
                                < SIGNED   >
                                | UNSIGNED  |
                                \ INTEGER  /

integer1[: integer2] ...;
```

**Comments:**

- A new domain is created within the system.
- All specified data types are added for the domain.
- A standard data type must be specified. Remaining data types for that domain will be user defined data types.
- Integer1 [integer2]... states a range of permissible values where integer1 is the ending value and integer2 is the beginning value (integer2 cannot be greater than integer1. Integer1 can be used to specify a single value for a data type.
- The NDDL data types correspond to the following COBOL/FORTRAN data types:

NDDL Data Type	COBOL/FORTRAN Data Type
CHARACTER	X(n)
PACKED	COMP-3
SIGNED	S99V99
UNSIGNED	99V99
INTEGER	FORTRAN binary integer
FLOAT	FORTRAN floating point

**Examples:**

```
CREATE DOMAIN ZIP_CODE standard
  TYPE ABC character 30
  TYPE XY2 integer 6:2;
```

### 3.18 CREATE ENTITY

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE ENTITY [CLASS] ec_name
    [KEY [CLASS] kc_name[- ac_name ...]]...
    [[OWNED] ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac_name ...]
    [KEYWORD keyword ...];
```

**Comments:**

- **CREATE ENTITY [CLASS] ec\_name**

A new entity is created for the current model.

- **KEY [CLASS] kc\_name [ - ac\_name ...]**

Required existence in the Common Data Model:

attribute

A new occurrence of attribute use class and owned attribute is created for ac\_name if one does not already exist. If the attribute use class does not already exist, ac\_name may not be owned by any other entity.

A new occurrence of key class is created for the entity using kc\_name.

A new occurrence of key class member is created for the entity for each ac\_name. If ac\_name is omitted, a key class member occurrence is created using kc\_name.

- **[OWNED] ATTRIBUTE [CLASS] ac\_name ...**

Required existence in the Common Data Model:

attribute

New attributes for the entity being created are added.

Each attribute class is created as an owned attribute class for the entity.

- **A new occurrence of an attribute use class is created. KEYWORD keyword...**

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Keyword references are created for the entity.

The keyword will be created if it does not already exist.

Examples:

```
CREATE ENTITY SALES_PERSON
  KEY ORDER = ORDER_NUMBER
  OWNED ATTRIBUTE SALES
  KEYWORD SALES_ID;
```

### 3.19 CREATE MAP

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE MAP { ec_name.tag_name
            | ind_ec_name1 rc_name dep_ec_name2}
  {(TO FIELD database_name.record_name.datafield_name
    [(p) |(s)]) [TYPE datatype_name]} ...
  {(TO SET database_name.set_name [.member_record_name]
    [ VALUE 'string'])...};
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - Integrated Model (model number = 1)
  - Attribute Use Class (AUC) to be mapped
  - Relation Class to be mapped
  - Data field mapped to
  - Database mapped to
  - Record mapped to
  - Set mapped to
- The following rules apply to AUC (ec\_name.tag\_name) to datafield mappings:
  - a. The AUC must not have previously been mapped to a set.
  - b. The AUC must not have been previously mapped to a datafield.
  - c. If the datatype name is not entered, the standard datatype for the AUC's domain is used.
  - d. Only one primary mapping may exist for an AUC.
  - e. Multiple secondary mappings may exist if there is a pre-existing primary mapping.
  - f. If the primary or secondary mapping is not specified, the default is primary.
- The following rules apply to AUC to set mappings:
  - a. A datafield mapping must not exist for the AUC.
  - b. The set to be mapped to must have a single record type for its members.
  - c. The member record name is not used in AUC to set mappings.



- d. The set to be mapped to must not previously have been mapped from a relation class or another AUC.
  - e. All AUC to set maps must map to the same database for a particular AUC.
  - f. All AUC to set maps must contain a value which must be unique for a particular AUC.
  - g. All sets mapped to from the AUC must have the same record type as its owner.
- The following rules apply to Relation Class to set mappings:
    - a. The member record name may be omitted if the set to be mapped to is a single member record type set; otherwise the member record name is required.
    - b. There must be no previous mappings to the set.
    - c. The value is not used in Relation Class to set mappings.
  - A Relation Class to datafield map is illegal.

Examples:

```
CREATE MAP PART.SIZE      TO FIELD PARTDB.PREC.PSIZE
                           TO FIELD PARTDB.PREC2.PSIZE2 (S)
                           TYPE METRIC ;
```

```
CREATE MAP ORDER.STATUS  TO SET CUSTDB.INPROCESS VALUE '1'
                           TO SET CUSTDB.BAKORDER VALUE '2'
                           TO SET CUSTDB.SHIPPED VALUE '3';
```

```
CREATE MAP EMPLOYEE POSSESSES SKILLS
        TO SET SKILLDB.SETA.RECA
        TO SET SKILLDB.SETB ;
```

### 3.20 CREATE MODEL

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE MODEL model_name;
```

**Comments:**

- A new model is created as unchecked in the system.
- The model is the "current" model for following modeling commands until another CREATE MODEL or ALTER MODEL command is entered.

**Examples:**

```
CREATE MODEL DEF_COMPANY;
```

### 3.21 CREATE RELATION

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE RELATION [CLASS] [{INTEGER1|MANY}] ind_ec_name1  
rc_name [{INTEGER2: INTEGER3|MANY} dep_ec_name2  
[MIGRATES {kc_name [SET {tag_name1 = tag_name2}...}]]  
[KEYWORD keyword ...];
```

**Comments:**

- CREATE RELATION [CLASS] [{INTEGER1|MANY}] ind\_ec\_name1  
rc\_name [{INTEGER2: INTEGER3|MANY} dep\_ec\_name2

The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
model  
independent entity (ind_ec_name1)  
dependent entity (dep_ec_name2)
```

A new relation is inserted.

Cardinalities for the entities of the relation are inserted. Integer1 or many indicates the cardinality for the independent entity class. Integer2 and integer3 indicate the cardinality for the dependent entity class. If integer1 or many is omitted, the independent cardinality defaults to one. If integer2 is omitted, the left dependent cardinality defaults to zero. If integer3 or many is omitted, the right dependent cardinality defaults to many. For example, if DEPARTMENT (ex\_name1) can have 0 or many Employees (ec\_name2):

```
CREATE RELATION 1 DEPARTMENT HAS 0:MANY EMPLOYEES
```

- or -

```
CREATE RELATION DEPARTMENT HAS EMPLOYEE
```

Integer3 may not be less than integer2.

Integer3 may not be zero.

- MIGRATES kc\_name [SET {tag\_name1 = tag\_name2} ...]

The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

key class for independent entity  
key class members for independent entity  
attribute use class for each key class member  
associated with the independent entity

The key class cannot have been previously migrated.

The dependent entity cannot end up with attribute use classes with the same tag name (a unique name for an attribute use class within an entity class).

An attribute use class and an inherited attribute use class for the dependent entity are created for each key class member of the independent entity migrated to the dependent ENTITY.

If the set phrase is specified, tag\_name2 (the independent entity's tag name) is migrated with the new name of tag\_name1.

A complete relation class occurrence is created.

- KEYWORD keyword ...

The keyword is created if it does not exist.

A relation keyword reference is created.

Examples:

```
CREATE RELATION INVOICE SUPPLIES ORDER_INFO  
MIGRATES ORDER SET ORDER_NUMBER = ORDNO  
KEYWORD ORDER_DATA;
```

### 3.22 CREATE VIEW

**Syntax:**

```
CREATE VIEW view_name [DATA ITEM data_item_name  
  [[DATA] TYPE data_type_name]]..  
AS SELECT{*  
  tag_name ...|  
  [abbrev.]tag_name...}  
FROM{ec_name  
  |ec_name.abbrev...}  
[WHERE ind_ec_name rc_name dep_ec_name [and...]]
```

**Comments:**

- To create a VIEW (SURROGATE ENTITY CLASS) using the above command, the following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

- independent entity
- dependent entity
- relation class
- entity
- data items and attribute use classes from the same domain existence of standard data type

- CREATE VIEW view\_name

A new view (SURROGATE ENTITY CLASS) is created if it does not exist.

The relationship between view and relation is created.

- DATA\_ITEM data\_item\_name [[DATA] TYPE data\_type\_name]...

Must be specified when views are built from more than one entity.

The data items must correspond in order and number to the attribute use class tags specified in the select clause.

If data type name is not specified, the data type will become the standard data type for the corresponding attribute use class.

- AS SELECT{\*|  
 tag\_name...|

[abbrev.]tag\_name

If an \* is specified:

- a. The FROM clause may not be omitted.
- b. A data item and project data item occurrence are created for each attribute use class associated with the entity named on the FROM clause.

If the tags (unique attribute use classes within an entity class) are selected from a single entity, the ABBREV may be omitted provided a FROM clause is specified without an abbreviation.

If tags are selected from more than one entity, both abbreviations and tag names must be specified and a FROM clause with entity names and abbreviations must be specified.

Data item and project data item occurrences are created for each attribute use class named in the select.

If abbreviations are used, they must be used for all attribute use classes.

- FROM {ec\_name  
|ec\_name.abbrev}...

The abbreviation for the entity must be included if the ABBREV is used in the select clause.

- WHERE {ind\_ec\_name rc\_name dep\_ec\_name [and]}...

The WHERE clause must be specified when tags are selected from more than one entity.

Each entity specified in the FROM clause must appear as either the independent entity or dependent entity in a WHERE clause relation.

The relation class name must be valid.

Abbreviations are not allowed in the WHERE clause.

The WHERE clause selects those relation classes that join the entities into a "surrogate entity class" structure. The structure is checked using the rules found in the

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Examples:

```
CREATE VIEW SUPPLIES DATA ITEM  PONUM PODATE SUPPLIER
      LOCATION DATADEL REQUESTOR

AS SELECT PO.PORDER_NUMBER PO.PORDER_DATE PO.ITEM_SUPPLIER
      DL.DELIVERY_LOCATION DL.DELIVERY_LOCATION
      DL.DATE_OF_DELIVERY MR.REQUESTING_SEC

FROM  PURCHASE_ORDER.PO DELIVERY.DL MATERIAL_REQUEST.MR

WHERE  PURCHASE_ORDER SPECIFIES DELIVERY AND
      MATERIAL_REQUEST REQUESTS PURCHASE_ORDER;
```

### 3.23 DEFINE DATABASE

#### Syntax:

```
DEFINE / ORACLE \ { DATABASE } NAMED db_name ON HOST{ IBM }
        | TOTAL | { PCB } { VAX }
        < IDMS > { HL6 }
        | IDS-II |
        | VAX-11 |
        \ IMS /
WITH( [PASSWORD pw_id ]
      [SCHEMA s_name AND SUBSCHEMA ss_name AREAS
       area_name...]
      [FILES file_name...]
      [POSITION integer1 IN PSB psb_name FEEDBACK
       LENGTH integer2]);
```

#### Comments:

- The database name must be unique.
- A database is defined for one of the following types: ORACLE, TOTAL, IDMS, IDS-II, VAX-11 or IMS.
- The database created is established as the current database until such time the user defines another database.
- The three choices of host are not meant to be exclusive. The user may enter any valid three character NTM host designator, uppercase. The values are stored and not checked.

- Oracle Database:

```
DEFINE ORACLE DATABASE NAMED db_name ON HOST { IBM }
                                                { VAX }
                                                { HL6 }
```

```
WITH PASSWORD pw_id;
```

A password is required.

- Total Database:



```
DEFINE TOTAL DATABASE NAMED db_name ON HOST { IBM }  
                                              { VAX }  
                                              { HL6 }
```

```
WITH FILES file_name... ;
```

At least one file is required.

● VAX-11/IDMS/IDS-II database:

```
DEFINE { VAX-11 } DATABASE NAMED db_name ON HOST { IBM }  
        { IDMS   }                               { VAX }  
        { IDS-II }                               { HL6 }  
WITH SCHEMA s_name AND SUBSCHEMA ss_name AREAS  
area_name...;
```

The schema, subschema, and at least one area are required.

● IMS database:

```
DEFINE IMS PCB NAMED db_name ON HOST IBM WITH POSITION  
integer1 IN PSB psb_name FEEDBACK LENGTH integer2
```

An IMS database requires the term 'pcb'.

The start position and feedback length (the length of the fully concatenated key of the longest path in the PCB) are required.

Examples:

```
DEFINE ORACLE DATABASE NAMED ORC_DB ON HOST VAX WITH  
PASSWORD SOS;
```

```
DEFINE TOTAL DATABASE NAMED TOT_DB ON HOST IBM WITH FILES  
ITEM LOCC STOK ;
```

```
DEFINE VAX-11 DATABASE NAMED COD_DB ON HOST VAX WITH  
SCHEMA S1 AND SUBSCHEMA SS1 AREAS A1 A2 ;
```

```
DEFINE IMS PCB NAMED IMS_DB ON HOST IBM WITH POSITION 1 IN  
PSB SS_PSB FEEDBACK LENGTH 20 ;
```

### 3.24 DEFINE RECORD

**Syntax:**

```
DEFINE  { TABLE }   rec_name [ OF { DATABASE }db_name]
        { RECORD }   { PCB   }
        { SEGMENT }

        { [IN AREAS area_name ... ]
          [SEGMENT SIZE integer1 ]
          WITH   /   FIELDS   |   field_name ...
                 \   COLUMNS |
                 /   ELEMENTS |
                 \   ITEMS   |
          [(START integer2 [UNKNOWN] ) ... ]
          [ ACCESSED { BY KEY key_name [(u)] key_field_name
            ... } ... ]];
```

**Comments:**

- This command defines a table/record/segment for a previously defined database.
- The "OF DATABASE/PCB db\_name" option may be omitted if a current database is established in the session.
- A key\_field\_name must have been previously entered as a field\_name.
- (U) on the key\_field\_name enforces a unique key. Default is a non-unique key.
- This syntax does not support repeating groups, component data fields, or redefined data fields.
- Oracle Records:

```
DEFINE TABLE rec_name [ OF DATABASE db_name]
        WITH / COLUMNS | field_name... ;
             \ FIELDS   |
             / ELEMENTS |
             \ ITEMS   |
             /          |
field_name is the only required option.
```

- **Total Records:**

```
DEFINE RECORD  rec_name [ OF DATABASE db_name]
      /
      WITH  | FIELDS  | field_name ... [ ACCESSED {BY
            | COLUMNS |
            | ELEMENTS |
            | ITEMS   |
            \
            KEY key_name [(u)] key_field_name ...} ...] ;
```

FIELD\_NAME is required.

ACCESSED BY clause is required for "MASTER" records.

- **VAX-11/IDMS/IDS-II Records:**

```
DEFINE RECORD  rec_name [ OF DATABASE db_name]
      /
      IN AREAS area_name... WITH  | FIELDS  |
            | COLUMNS |
            | ELEMENTS |
            | ITEMS   |
            \
            field_name... [ACCESSED { BY KEY key_name [(u)]
            key_field_name...}...];
```

At least one area and one field are required.

- **IMS Records:**

```
DEFINE SEGMENT rec_name [ OF PCB db_name]
      SEGMENT SIZE integer1 WITH ELEMENTS
      field_name
      START integer2 [UNKNOWN] ... ;
```

Segment size and start byte information are required.

**Examples:**

```
DEFINE TABLE TAB_OR OF DATABASE ORC_DB WITH COLUMNS C1 C2
```

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C3 C4 ;

DEFINE RECORD REC\_TOT WITH FIELDS ITEMCTRL ITEM111  
ITEM122 ACCESSED BY KEY ITEMKEY1 (U) ITEMCTRL BY KEY  
ITEMKEY2 ITEM111 ITEM122 ;  
/\* assumes a current TOTAL database has been established  
in the session \*/

DEFINE SEGMENT SEG1 OF PCB IMS\_DB SEGMENT SIZE 20 WITH  
ELEMENTS SI\_ID START 1 SI\_QTY START 11 ;  
DEFINE RECORD REC1 OF DATABASE COD\_DB IN AREAS A1 A2  
WITH FIELDS ITEM\_ID ITEM\_QTY ACCESSED BY KEY REC1KEY1  
ITEM\_ID ;

### 3.25 DEFINE SET

**Syntax:**

```
DEFINE { SET } [setname] OF { DATABASE } data_base_name
      { PATH }           { PCB       }

      { RELATING } record_id1 TO {record_id2
      { FROM      }

      [REQUIRED|OPTIONAL]}...
      [LINKED BY data_field_name] ;
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - database
  - record type
  - data field
- The above command is illegal for an Oracle database.
- The following rules govern the creation of a set/path for a DBMS type:
  - a. Sets may be created for TOTAL, IMS (called paths), and the Codasyl DBMSs: VAX-11, IDMS, and IDS.
  - b. Codasyl DBMSs require an entry for required/optional members.
  - c. TOTAL DBMSs require a linked by Data Field Name clause.
  - d. Single members are allowed in all DBMSs. Multiple members (Record\_List\_ID) may be used for the CODASYL DBMSs.
- ```
DEFINE { SET } [setname] OF { DATABASE } data_base_name
      { PATH }           { PCB       }
```

The set or path is a required entry for TOTAL and CODASYL DBMSs. Path is used as a more natural entry for an IMS database. For an IMS database, if "path" is used, the set name is derived from combining the owner (Record\_ID1) and

member (Record\_ID2) names.

The Data\_Base\_Name or pcb is an optional entry if a Data\_Base\_Name or pcb has previously been established during the session using a define database, define record, or define set command. The use of pcb is more natural for an IMS database.

- { RELATING } record\_id1 TO {record\_id2  
{ FROM }  
[REQUIRED|OPTIONAL]}...

The RELATING/FROM clause is a required entry. From is more natural with an IMS database. Record\_ID1 denotes the owner of the set and Record\_ID2 denotes the member(s) of the set. Record\_ID2 is used for Codasyl DBMSs to show multiple members and includes the member Record\_IDs separated by a space. The required or optional clause may only be used for the Codasyl DBMSs. All other DBMSs default to required.

- [LINKED BY data\_field\_name]

The LINKED BY clause may only be used for a TOTAL DBMS and must include a Data\_Field\_Name from the variable record (Record\_ID2).

Examples:

```
DEFINE SET MAY_HAVE OF DATABASE DB1 RELATING CUSTOMER_REC  
TO CUSTOMER_ACTIVITY ;
```

```
DEFINE PATH OF PCB DBIMS2 FROM SUPPLIER_ACCT TO  
SUPPLIER_INVOICE ;
```

```
DEFINE SET CONTROLLED_BY OF DATABASE DBTOTAL14 RELATING  
SHOP_SUPPLY TO SHOP_REQUESTS LINKED BY SHOP_NO ;
```

### 3.26 DESCRIBE

**Syntax:**

```
DESCRIBE / DEFINITION \ [OF] / ENTITY ec_name \
         < DESCRIPTIVE_NAME > < ATTRIBUTE ac_name >
         | EXAMPLE | | RELATION ind_ec_name1 |
         | SOURCE | | rc_name dep_ec_name2 |
         \ \ \ \
         [ "DESCRIPTION TEXT"
         | FROM 'file name' ];
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

|             |          |               |
|-------------|----------|---------------|
| attribute   | database | data field    |
| data item   | entity   | record set    |
| record type | relation | user datatype |
| view        |          |               |

- There are three sources of descriptive text: the command itself, a named file, or the forms text editor. The third option is not implemented and will generate a user warning message if attempted.
- All new descriptive text will replace any preexisting descriptive text for a particular description type and object.
- To delete descriptive text from the model, use the describe command with an empty description text string, e.g.,

```
DESCRIBE SOURCE OF ENTITY E3 ";
```

- No embedded quotation marks may be entered in the description text string.
- When using a file as the source of the descriptive text, each record may be no longer than 80 characters. There is no practical limit on the number of records. Each quotation mark in the descriptive text from a file will be replaced by an apostrophe.

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- The description types can be anything preloaded in the CDM.

Examples:

DESCRIBE DEFINITION OF ATTRIBUTE customer\_address "This is the customer bill-to-address.";

DESCRIBE DESCRIPTIVE\_NAME ENTITY emp\_info FROM 'empinfo.txt';



### 3.27 DROP ALIAS

**Syntax:**

```
DROP ALIAS { ENTITY ec_name  
            | ATTRIBUTE ac_name } ;
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - alias for the entity
  - or -
  - alias for the attribute
- The ec\_name or ac\_name specified must be an alias for the entity or attribute.
- The specified alias is deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP ALIAS ENTITY CUST;
```

```
DROP ALIAS ATTRIBUTE ORDNO;
```

### 3.28 DROP ATTRIBUTE

**Syntax:**

```
DROP ATTRIBUTE attribute_name ...;
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
model  
attribute
```

- The attribute is deleted; if owned, all occurrences of the attribute are removed from owned attribute, attribute use class, key class member, and inherited attribute use class.
- The attribute occurrence is deleted from the model.
- Those key class occurrences with no remaining key class members are deleted.
- If a key class is deleted, the occurrence of a complete relation is also deleted.
- All keywords associated with the attribute will be dropped.
- The primary name and all aliases for the attribute will be deleted.
- All description texts for the attribute will be deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP ATTRIBUTE PHONE_NO;
```

### 3.29 DROP DATABASE

**Syntax:**

```
DROP      /      \  
          | VAX-11 | { DATABASE } NAMED db_name;  
          | IDMS   | { PCB       }  
          | IDS-II |  
          < ORACLE >  
          | TOTAL  |  
          | IMS    |  
          \      /
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:  
  
    database/pcb
- An IMS database requires the term 'PCB.'
- This command drops the database, all associated record types, record sets, data fields, and mappings.
- If any of the data fields for this database were mapped to the INTEGRATED\_MODEL, their mapping will be dropped. If it was a primary mapping, any secondary mappings, even to other databases, will also be dropped. If it was a secondary mapping, the primary mapping would not be dropped.
- All description texts for the database, all associated sets, fields, or records will be deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP ORACLE DATABASE NAMED ORC_DB;  
  
DROP TOTAL DATABASE NAMED TOT_DB;  
  
DROP VAX-11 DATABASE NAMED COD_DB;  
  
DROP IMS PCB NAMED IMS_DB;
```

### 3.30 DROP DOMAIN

**Syntax:**

**DROP DOMAIN domain\_name ...;**

**Comments:**

- **The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:**
  - domain**
- **If data types of the domain to be dropped are associated with any project data fields, data items, or attribute classes, the usage will be reported and the domain will not be dropped.**
- **If the above condition (2) is not met, the data types associated with the domain are deleted, and the domain itself is deleted.**
- **All description texts will be deleted for the Domain.**

**Examples:**

**DROP DOMAIN ADDRESS;**

### 3.31 DROP ENTITY

**Syntax:**

```
DROP ENTITY ec_name ....;
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:
  - entity
  - model
- Any owned attribute class occurrences are deleted. Also removed are attribute use, inherited attribute, key class member, and key classes.
- All relation classes involving the entity are deleted, as are any keywords associated with the entity.
- The entity is deleted.
- The primary name and all aliases for the entity are deleted.
- All description texts for the entity are deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP ENTITY ORDER_INFO;
```

### 3.32 DROP FIELD

**Syntax:**

```
      / \
DROP | COLUMNS | field_name ... OF { TABLE }rec_name
      | FIELDS  |
      | ELEMENTS | { RECORD  }
      | ITEMS   | { SEGMENT }
      \ /
      OF { DATABASE } db_name;
         { PCB      }
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:  
  
columns/fields/elements/items  
table/record/segment  
database/pcb
- This command deletes the field(s) specified, all associations, and all associated mappings.
- If the data field(s) being dropped was mapped to the INTEGRATED\_MODEL, its mapping would be dropped. If it was a primary mapping, any secondary mapping, even to other databases, would also be dropped. If it is a secondary mapping, the primary mapping would not be dropped.
- All description texts of the data field will be deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP COLUMNS C1 C2 OF TABLE TAB_OR OF DATABASE ORC_DB;  
DROP ELEMENTS SI_ID SI_QTY OF PCB IMS_DB;
```

### 3.33 DROP KEYWORD

**Syntax:**

**DROP KEYWORD key\_word ...;**

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

**keyword**

- The keyword reference is deleted from any entity, attribute, and relation.
- The keyword is deleted.
- **NOTE:**  
This command will drop a keyword irrespective of the model.

**Examples:**

**DROP KEYWORD KEY\_ADDRESS;**

### 3.34 DROP MAP

**Syntax:**

```
DROP MAP {ec_name.tag_name  
         |ind_ec_name rc_name dep_ec_name};
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the common data model:

```
independent entity  
dependent entity  
attribute use class  
relation class
```

- The map is deleted.
- Tag\_name is a unique name for an attribute use class within an entity class.

**Examples:**

```
DROP MAP PART.SIZE;
```

```
DROP MAP EMPLOYEE POSSESSES SKILL;
```



### 3.35 DROP MODEL

**Syntax:**

```
DROP MODEL model_name;
```

**Comments:**

- Model\_name must exist.
- Everything associated with a model will be dropped. This is: all entities, owned attributes, attribute use classes, key classes, key class members, inherited attribute use classes, relation classes and complete relation classes, and all attributes. The descriptions, aliases, and keywords for the entities, attributes, and relations of the model will be dropped.
- The model\_name and its descriptions will be deleted.
- The integrated\_model cannot be dropped.

**Examples:**

```
DROP MODEL X;
```

### 3.36 DROP RECORD

**Syntax:**

```
DROP  { TABLE  }   rec_name  OF { DATABASE }   db_name ;
      { RECORD  }
      { SEGMENT }
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
table/record/segment
database/pcb
```

- This command deletes the record specified and all associated fields, areas, and sets.
- If any of the datafields for this record were mapped to the `integrated_model`, their mapping will be dropped. If it was a primary mapping, any secondary mapping, even to other databases, will also be dropped. If it was a secondary mapping, the primary mapping would not be dropped.
- All description texts will be deleted for the record/table/segment and any fields.

**Examples:**

```
DROP TABLE TAB_OR OF DATABASE ORC_DB;
DROP SEGMENT SEG1 OF PCB IMS_DB;
```

### 3.37 DROP RELATION

**Syntax:**

```
DROP RELATION { ind_ec_name_1 rc_name dep_ec_name_2 } ...;
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:  

```
relation class  
model
```
- If a key class had been migrated, it is "unmigrated"; i.e., the attribute use and inherited attributes are removed from the dependent entity and from any other entities to which they have migrated.
- The relation class and complete relation are deleted from the model.
- The keywords associated with the relation are dropped.
- All description texts for the relation are deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP RELATION SALES_PERSON MANAGES ACCOUNT;
```

### 3.38 DROP SET

**Syntax:**

```
DROP    { SET  }  set_name  OF { DATABASE }  db_name;  
        { PATH }                { PCB      }  
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

```
set/path  
database/pcb
```

- This command deletes the set specified, and all associated mappings.
- All description texts for the set will be deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP SET TEST1 OF DATABASE TOT_DB;
```

```
DROP PATH TEST2 OF PCB IMS_DB;
```

### 3.39 DROP VIEW

**Syntax:**

```
DROP VIEW view_name ...;
```

**Comments:**

- A valid VIEW must exist in the Common Data Model.
- All project data items associated with the view being deleted are deleted.
- The surrogate entity (user view) to relation mappings associated with the view are deleted.
- All data items associated with the view are deleted.
- The view is deleted from the system.
- All description texts for the view and data items belonging to the view are deleted.

**Examples:**

```
DROP VIEW SUPPLIES MATERIAL_LIST ;
```

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3.40 HALT

Syntax:

HALT;

Comments:

- The current NDDL session will be terminated.

Examples:

HALT;

### 3.41 MERGE MODEL

**Syntax:**

```
MERGE MODEL model_name_1 WITH model_name_2  
  [INTO model_name_3] ON FILE 'file_name'  
  [EXCEPT [DESCRIPTION] [ALIAS] [KEYWORD]];
```

**Comments:**

- model\_name\_1 and model\_name\_2 must exist.
- The DDL commands necessary to merge model\_name\_1 and model\_name\_2 are generated on the file named. If the named file does not exist, a new file is created and opened. If the named file does exist, the generated commands are appended to the file.
- If model\_name\_3 is entered, model\_name\_3 must not exist. The result of the merge will create model\_name\_3. All attributes, entities, relations, key classes, aliases, keywords, and descriptions of model\_name\_1 will be generated for model\_name\_3, unless excepted. The output is the same as output from a COPY MODEL of model\_name\_1 to model\_name\_3.
- If model\_name\_3 is omitted, the result of the merge will alter model\_name\_1.
- For each entity in model\_name\_2, if the entity does not exist in model\_name\_1, the generated commands are the same as the output of a COPY ENTITY from model\_name\_2 with relation.
- For each entity in model\_name\_2, if the entity does exist in model\_name\_1, the generated commands are the same as the output of a COMBINE ENTITY from model\_name\_2.
- Refer to COMBINE ENTITY for a complete description of the EXCEPT clause.
- **Generated Commands:**

The generated DDL commands should be examined for potential run-time errors.  
A create/alter entity command might attempt to add an owned attribute to an entity when the attribute is already

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owned by another entity in the target model. The modeler must decide which entity should own the attribute and change the NDDL accordingly.

**NOTE:**

When an attribute is added to an entity and the attribute already exists in the target model, a comment is generated in the NDDL command following the attribute. The comment is:

**/\* ATTRIBUTE MAY BE OWNED IN TARGET MODEL \*/**

**Examples:**

**MERGE MODEL INTEGRATED\_MODEL WITH MODEL\_A ON FILE  
'INTEGMOD.FIL';**

**MERGE MODEL MODEL\_A WITH MODEL\_B INTO NEW\_MODEL  
ON FILE 'NEWMODEL.FIL' EXCEPT ALIAS KEYWORD;**



### 3.42 RENAME

**Syntax:**

```
RENAME /
| ENTITY      ec_name1   TO      ec_name2   |
| ATTRIBUTE   ac_name1   TO      ac_name2;  |
| KEYWORD     keyword1   TO      keyword2   |
| MODEL       model_name1 TO      model_name2  |
| DOMAIN      dom_name1   TO      dom_name2   |
| VIEW        view_name1  TO      view_name2   |
| RELATION    ind_ec_name1 rc_name1 dep_ec_name2 |
|             TO ind_ec_name1 rc_name2         |
|             dep_ec_name2                     |
\
```

**Comments:**

- The following elements must exist in the Common Data Model:

entity or attribute or keyword or model or  
domain or view or relation

- After determining that the above elements exist, and the element to be renamed does not previously exist, the object is updated.
- Rename relation command requires the entity class names for the relation class to be updated.

**Examples:**

NAME ENTITY INVOICE to ORDER;

RENAME RELATION INVOICE SUPPLIES ORDER\_INFO to  
INVOICE DESCRIBES ORDER\_INFO;

APPENDIX A

**NDDL COMMAND ERROR MESSAGES**

This section describes NDDL Command Error messages that may be encountered during NDDL execution. These error messages inform the user about error conditions for the object type (Entity, Attribute, Database) being processed. For example, the command "DROP MODEL" may encounter error messages concerning all objects associated with the model (Entities, Attributes, Relations, etc).

The error message report contained in this section is formatted to indicate the type of error (warning, error, fatal), the object type that is associated with the error, and the actual error message (with the object identification) that will be issued during NDDL execution.

The error types are categorized as:

- FATAL** - A system or CDM DBMS error that caused the process to fail or be interrupted and stopped.
- ERROR** - A condition that will not allow the NDDL command to process as expected.
- WARNING** - An informational message issued to the user based on a nonfatal or nonprocess interrupting condition.

ALTER ALIAS

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE     | ERROR MESSAGE                                         |
|------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <AC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                    |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ALIAS <ALIAS-ID> DOES NOT EXIST FOR ENTITY            |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ALIAS <ALIAS-ID> DOES NOT EXIST FOR ATTRIBUTE         |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ENTITY <EC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                       |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ENTITY <EC-NAME> SYSTEM ERROR : UNABLE TO ALTER ALIAS |

ALTER ATTRIBUTE

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE     | ERROR MESSAGE                                      |
|------------|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE CLASS NAME DOES NOT EXIST                |
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | UNABLE TO UPDATE ATT CL ATTRIBUTE CLASS NUMBER     |
| ERROR      | DOMAIN          | DOMAIN NOT CHANGED FOR ATT-CL ATTRIBUTE CLASS NAME |
| ERROR      | DOMAIN          | UNABLE TO ASSIGN DOMAIN_NO TO DOMAIN NAME          |
| ERROR      | DOMAIN          | UNABLE TO INSERT DOMAIN DOMAIN NAME                |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | KEYWORD NOT ADDED FOR ATTRIBUTE CLASS NAME         |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | KEYWORD NOT ADDED FOR ATTRIBUTE CLASS NAME         |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD KEYWORD                   |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | ALL KEYWORD NUMBERS ASSIGNED                       |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD KEYWORD                   |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | AC KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                          |
| ERROR      | KEYWORD         | UNABLE TO INSERT AC KEYWORD                        |
| FATAL      | DATABASE        | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                        |
| FATAL      | DATABASE        | UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED            |
| FATAL      | DATABASE        | KEYWORD NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE              |
| WARNING    | KEYWORD         | KEYWORD KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                     |
| WARNING    | KEYWORD         | KEYWORD KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                     |

ALTER DOMAIN

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                                       |
|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE NAME IS NOT IN DOMAIN                                     |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE NAME HAS USAGE <data-type-name>                           |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE DELETED <data-type-name>                     |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE ADDED FOR <DATA-TYPE-NAME> TYPE : <STD-USER> |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | A STANDARD DATA TYPE IS ALREADY DEFINED : <DATA-TYPE-NAME>          |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE NAME ALREADY EXISTS : <DATA-TYPE-NAME>                    |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | TYPE IS NOT LEGAL : <TYPE-ID>                                       |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE INSERTED : <DATA-TYPE-NAME>                  |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DECIMAL SPECIFICATION INCORRECT                                     |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE NAME ALREADY EXISTS <data-type-name>                      |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | TYPE IS NOT LEGAL <type-id>                                         |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE INSERTED <data-type-name>                    |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DECIMAL SPECIFICATION INCORRECT FOR <data-type-name>                |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | TYPE ID NOT VALID : <TYPE-ID>                                       |
| ERROR      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE UPDATED FOR : <TYPE-ID>                      |
| ERROR      | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN DOES NOT EXIST FOR <dom-name>                                |
| WARNING    | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <df-id> IS ASSOCIATED WITH DATA TYPE                     |

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ALTER ENTITY

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE         | ERROR MESSAGE                                                     |
|------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS     | INVALID ATTRIBUTE <AC-NAME> FOR THIS MODEL                        |
|            | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS WAS NOT DELETED                               |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | ENTITY NAME <EC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                              |
|            | INHERITED AUC       | INHERITED-ATT-USE NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO <tag number>             |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS <KC-NAME> NOT FOUND IN THIS ENTITY                      |
|            | KEY CLASS           | COMPLETE RELATION NOT FOUND FOR KEY CLASS <KC-NAME>               |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS <KC-NAME> CANNOT BE DELETED                             |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS <KC-NAME> COPY XREF CANNOT BE DELETED                   |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS <KEY-CLASS> MEMBER CANNOT BE DELETED                    |
|            | KEY CLASS           | UNABLE TO DELETE COMPLETE RELATION FOR KEY CLASS <KC-NAME>        |
|            | KEY CLASS MEMBER    | ALL KEY CLASS NUMBERS ASSIGNED                                    |
|            | KEY CLASS MEMBER    | UNABLE TO DELETE MIGRATING KEY CLASS MEMBER                       |
|            | KEY CLASS MEMBER    | KEY_CLASS_MEMBER NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO <tag number>              |
|            | KEYWORD             | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <key-word>                               |
|            | KEYWORD             | ALL KEYWORD NUMBERS ASSIGNED                                      |
|            | KEYWORD             | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <KEY-WORD>                               |
|            | KEYWORD             | AC KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                                         |
|            | KEYWORD             | UNABLE TO INSERT AC KEYWORD                                       |
|            | TAG                 | ATTRIBUTE_USE_CL NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO-<tag number>              |
|            | TAG                 | AUC_COPY_XREF NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO <tag number>                 |
| FATAL      | DATABASE            | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE                            |
|            | DATABASE            | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                                       |
|            | DATABASE            | UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                           |
| WARNING    | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | <AUC-NAME> IS AN INVALID KEY CLASS MEMBER                         |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS <KC-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS                                |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS NAME OMITTED - ONLY FIRST ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS PROCESSED |
|            | KEYWORD             | KEYWORD <key-word> ALREADY EXISTS                                 |
|            | KEYWORD             | KEYWORD <KEY-WORD> ALREADY EXISTS                                 |

ALTER MAP

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE         | ERROR MESSAGE                                                             |
|------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | TAG NAME <tag name> DOES NOT EXIST                                        |
|            | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | A VALUE STRING MUST BE ENTERED WHEN MAPPING AN AUC TO A SET               |
|            | DATA FIELD          | A DATA FIELD <data field name> DOES NOT EXIST                             |
|            | DATA FIELD          | A DATA FIELD MAPPING EXISTS FOR <data field name>                         |
|            | DATA FIELD          | PRIMARY MAPPING ALREADY EXISTS FOR <data field name>                      |
|            | DATA FIELD          | A PRIMARY MAPPING MUST EXIST FOR <data field name>                        |
|            | DATA FIELD          | A DATAFIELD MAPPING EXISTS FOR THIS AUC                                   |
|            | DATA FIELD          | <database name><record name><datafield name> DOES NOT EXIST               |
|            | DATA FIELD          | DATABASE ERROR, <database name><record name><datafield name> NOT 0 ELETED |
|            | DATABASE            | THE DATABASE NAME <database name> DOES NOT EXIST                          |
|            | DOMAIN              | NO DOMAIN FOR ATTRIBUTE NUMBER <attribute class number>                   |
|            | DOMAIN              | DOMAIN <domain number> HAS NO STANDARD DATA TYPE                          |
|            | DOMAIN              | <data type name> IS NOT IN THE DOMAIN                                     |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | INDEPENDENT ENTITY NAME <IND-EC-NAME> IS INVALID                          |
|            | MAPPING             | A DATABASE ERROR HAS OCCURRED - MAPPING NOT PERFORMED                     |
|            | MAPPING             | MAPPING NOT PERFORMED DUE TO A DATABASE ERROR                             |
|            | MAPPING             | PRIMARY MAP ORJP IS INVALID WHEN SECONDARY MAPPING EXIST - MAP NAM        |
|            |                     | E IS : <database name><record name><datafield name>                       |
|            | RELATION CLASS      | RELATION CLASS <relation class name> DOES NOT EXIST                       |
|            | RELATION CLASS      | ALTER FUNCTION INVALID FOR RC MAPPING                                     |
|            | RELATION CLASS      | A RELATION CLASS - DATA FIELD MAPPING IS INVALID                          |
|            | SET                 | TAG NUMBER <tag number> HAS BEEN MAPPED TO A SET                          |
|            | SET                 | <set name> DOES NOT EXIST                                                 |
|            | SET                 | <set name> ALREADY MAPS TO A RELATION CLASS                               |
|            | SET                 | <set name> HAS ALREADY BEEN AUC MAPPED                                    |
|            | SET                 | DATABASE ERROR, <database name><set name> NOT DELETED                     |

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ALTER MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                    |
|------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | MODEL       | MODEL <model-name> TO BE ALTERED DOES NOT EXIST. |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL <model-name> CAN NOT BE ALTERED.           |
| WARNING    | MODEL       | MODEL <model-name> HAS BEEN ALTERED.             |



ALTER RELATION

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE       | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                 |
|------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | COMPLETE RELATION | UNABLE TO INSERT COMPLETE RELATION                                            |
|            | ENTITY CLASS      | INDEPENDENT ENTITY NAME <IMG-EC-NAME> IS INVALID                              |
|            | IMHEPITED AUC     | IMHEPITED-ATT-USE NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO <tag number>                         |
|            | KEY CLASS         | KEY-CLASS <RC-NAME> NOT FOUND ON INDEPENDENT ENTITY                           |
|            | KEY CLASS         | KEY CLASS <RC-NAME> NOT MIGRATED BY THIS RELATION CLASS                       |
|            | KEY CLASS         | KEY CLASS <rc-name> IS INVALID                                                |
|            | KEY CLASS MEMBER  | UNABLE TO DELETE MIGRATING KEY CLASS MEMBER                                   |
|            | KEY CLASS MEMBER  | KEY_CLASS_MEMBER NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO <tag number>                          |
|            | KEYWORD           | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <key-word>                                           |
|            | KEYWORD           | ALL KEYWORD NUMBERS ASSIGNED                                                  |
|            | KEYWORD           | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <KEY-WORD>                                           |
|            | KEYWORD           | AC KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                                                     |
|            | KEYWORD           | UNABLE TO INSERT AC KEYWORD                                                   |
|            | RELATION CLASS    | RELATION CLASS <RC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                                       |
|            | RELATION CLASS    | ILLEGAL DEPENDENT CARDINALITY                                                 |
|            | RELATION CLASS    | RELATION HAS MIGRATION                                                        |
|            | TAG               | ATTRIBUTE_USE_CL NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO-<tag number>                          |
|            | TAG               | AUC_COPY_XRSP NOT DELETED FOR TAG-NO <tag number>                             |
|            | TAG               | TAG-NAME <MEM-TAG-NAME> IS A DUPLICATE NAME                                   |
|            | TAG               | NO MORE TAG NUMBERS AVAILABLE                                                 |
|            | TAG               | UNABLE TO INSERT TAG NAME <MEM-TAG-NAME> AS ATTRIBUTE-USE-CLASS               |
|            | TAG               | UNABLE TO INSERT TAG NAME <MEM-TAG-NAME> AS IMMERTED-ATTRIBUTE-US<br>E-CLASS. |

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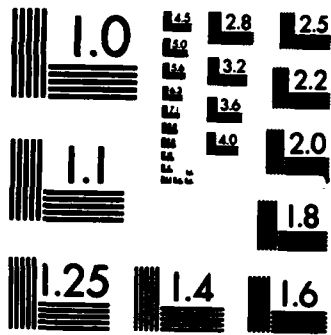
|         |                |                                                                    |
|---------|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| FATAL   | DATABASE       | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE                             |
|         | DATABASE       | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                                        |
|         | DATABASE       | UNIQUE SUBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                           |
| WARNING | KEYWORD        | KEYWORD <key-word> ALREADY EXISTS                                  |
|         | KEYWORD        | KEYWORD <KEY-WORD> ALREADY EXISTS                                  |
|         | RELATION CLASS | INDEPENDENT CARDINALITY <value-n> TOO LARGE - TRUNCATED TO 99      |
|         | RELATION CLASS | LEFT DEPENDENT CARDINALITY <value-n> TOO LARGE - TRUNCATED TO ZERO |
|         | RELATION CLASS | RIGHT DEPENDENT CARDINALITY <value-n> TOO LARGE - TRUNCATED TO 99  |

CHECK MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE  | ERROR MESSAGE                                                            |
|------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | MODEL        | MODEL <MODEL-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                                        |
| ERROR      | MODEL        | MODEL <MODEL-NAME> COULD NOT BE MARKED AS CHECKED                        |
| FATAL      | MODEL        | ERROR IN OPEN                                                            |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN OSOL3                                                           |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM1                                                         |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM2                                                         |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM3                                                         |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM4                                                         |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM5                                                         |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM6                                                         |
|            | MODEL        | ERROR IN ODFINM7                                                         |
| WARNING    | ENTITY CLASS | ENTITY <C-NAME> HAS NO KEY CLASS                                         |
|            | KEY CLASS    | <C-NAME> OF <C-NAME> IS A DUPLICATE KEY OR SUBSET                        |
|            | MODEL        | 1:1 RELATIONSHIP EXISTS BETWEEN <C-NAME> <RC-NAME> <C-NAME2>             |
|            | MODEL        | A NON SPECIFIC RELATIONSHIP EXISTS BETWEEN <C-NAME1> <RC-NAME> <C-NAME2> |
|            | MODEL        | AN INCOMPLETE RELATIONSHIP EXISTS BETWEEN <C-NAME1> <RC-NAME> <C-NAME2>  |





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COMBINE ENTITY

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE    | ERROR MESSAGE                                                      |
|------------|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ENTITY CLASS   | ENTITY NAMES MUST DIFFER ON INTRA-MODEL COMBINE                    |
|            | ENTITY CLASS   | FROM-MODEL <MOJ-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                               |
|            | ENTITY CLASS   | FROM-ENTITY <ENT-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                              |
|            | ENTITY CLASS   | TO-ENTITY <ENT-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                                |
|            | ENTITY CLASS   | FROM MODEL <MOD-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                               |
|            | MODEL          | MODEL <model-name> HAS MORE THAN 400 RELATIONS                     |
|            | MODEL          | TABLE OVERFLOW ON RC-DEPKC-LIST: INCREASE SIZE                     |
|            | MODEL          | AN ENTITY IN MODEL <model-name> HAS MORE THAN 5 KEY CLASSES        |
|            | MODEL          | TABLE OVERFLOW ON EC-LIST                                          |
| WARNING    | RELATION CLASS | MORE RELATIONS EXIST WITH INDEPENDENT ENTITY: <IND-EC> AND DEPENDA |
|            |                | NT ENTITY <DEP_EC>                                                 |
|            | RELATION CLASS | RCND-LIST OVERFLOWED, MORE RELATIONS EXIST                         |
|            | RELATION CLASS | MORE RELATIONS EXIST WITH INDEPENDANT ENTITY: <IND-EC> AND DEPENDA |
|            |                | NT ENTITY <DEP-EC>                                                 |

COMPARE MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE     | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                                                              |
|------------|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | MODEL           | MODEL <model-name1> DOES NOT EXIST                                                                                         |
| ERROR      | MODEL           | MODEL <model-name2> DOES NOT EXIST                                                                                         |
| WARNING    | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE OR ALIAS <AC-NAME> EXISTS IN BOTH MODELS                                                                         |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ENTITY OR ALIAS <EC-NAME> EXISTS IN BOTH MODELS                                                                            |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ENTITY <EC-NAME1> AND ENTITY <EC-NAME2> HAVE MATCHING KEYWORD <KW-NAME>                                                    |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ATTRIBUTE <CAC-NAME1> AND ATTRIBUTE <CAC-NAME2> AND RELATION <IND-EC-NAME2> <DEP-EC-NAME2> HAVE MATCHING KEYWORD <KW-NAME> |

COPY ATTRIBUTE

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE    | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                             |
|------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <ac-name> TO BE COPIED DOES NOT EXIST IN MODEL <model-name>                     |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <ac-name> CAN NOT BE COPIED.                                                    |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE NAME TO BE COPIED AS MUST BE ENTERED                                            |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | MODEL <model-name> WHERE ATTRIBUTE IS TO BE COPIED DOES NOT EXIST                         |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <ac-name> TO BE COPIED DOES NOT EXIST                                           |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <ac-name> NOT INSERTED INTO ATTRIBUTE_NAME                                      |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE DESCRIPTION NOT INSERTED                                                        |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <ac-name> ALREADY EXISTS IN THE MODEL                                           |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <ac-name> CAN NOT BE CREATED                                                    |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | MODEL <model-name> FROM WHICH ATTRIBUTE <attribute-name> IS TO BE COPIED, DOES NOT EXIST. |

| FATAL | DATABASE | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER              |
|-------|----------|------------------------------------------|
|       | DATABASE | UNIQUE SUBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED |

COPY DESCRIPTION

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                          |
|------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DESCRIPTION | DESCRIPTION TYPE <DESC-TYPE> IS INVALID                |
|            | DESCRIPTION | ERROR IN COPYING DESCRIPTION TEXT                      |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL <MODEL-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                      |
|            | OBJECT      | DESCRIPTION OF <OBJ-ID> DOES NOT EXIST                 |
|            | OBJECT      | DESCRIPTION OF <OBJ-ID> ALREADY EXISTS IN THE TO MODEL |



COPY ENTITY

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE      | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                   |
|------------|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS  | EXPECTING STRUCTURE OR RELATIONS                                                |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS  | ATTRIBUTE COULD NOT BE COPIED                                                   |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS  | NEW ATTRIBUTE <tag-name> COULD NOT BE ADDED AS OWNED                            |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS  | ATTRIBUTE CROSS-REFERENCE COULD NOT BE INSERTED                                 |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS  | ATTRIBUTE <ec-name> ALREADY EXISTS IN THE MODEL                                 |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS  | ATTRIBUTE <ec-name> CAN NOT BE CREATED                                          |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ENTITY <ec-name> TO BE COPIED DOES NOT EXIST IN MODEL <model-name>              |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | TO ENTITY NAME MUST BE ENTERED                                                  |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | FROM / TO ENTITY NAMES ARE THE SAME                                             |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | FROM ENTITY <FROM-EC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                                       |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | TO ENTITY <TO-EC-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS                                           |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ON FILE MUST BE SPECIFIED FOR STRUCTURE/RELATION                                |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | FROM MODEL <FROM-MOD-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                                       |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ENTITY <EC-NAME> NOT INSERTED INTO ENTITY-CLASS                                 |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ENTITY <EC-NAME> NOT INSERTED INTO ENTITY-NAME                                  |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ENTITY <EC-NAME> CROSS REFERENCE NOT INSERTED                                   |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ALIASES/INHERITED OR OWNED ATTRIBUTES CAN'T BE COPIED                           |
|            | ENTITY CLASS     | ERROR GENERATING CREATE ENTITY COMMAND                                          |
|            | KEY CLASS        | UNABLE TO ASSIGN UNIQUE KC NUMBER                                               |
|            | KEY CLASS        | KEY CLASS CAN NOT BE CREATED FOR COPIED ENTITY                                  |
|            | KEY CLASS        | KEY CLASS CROSS REF COULD NOT BE CREATED                                        |
|            | KEY CLASS MEMBER | KEY CLASS MEMBER CAN NOT BE CREATED FOR COPIED ENTITY                           |
|            | MODEL            | MODEL <model name> FROM WHICH ENTITY <ec-name> IS TO BE COPIED, DOES NOT EXIST. |
|            | MODEL            | MODEL <model-name> HAS MORE THAN 409 RELATIONS                                  |
|            | MODEL            | TABLE OVERFLOW ON RC-DEPK-LIST: INCREASE SIZE                                   |
|            | MODEL            | AN ENTITY IN MODEL <model-name> HAS MORE THAN 5 KEY CLASSES                     |
|            | MODEL            | TABLE OVERFLOW ON EC-LIST                                                       |
|            | TAG              | TAG CROSS REFERENCE COULD NOT BE CREATED                                        |
| FATAL      | DATABASE         | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                                                     |
|            | DATABASE         | UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                                         |

COPY MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                               |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | MODEL       | MODEL <MOD-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                             |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL <MOD-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS                             |
|            | MODEL       | UNABLE TO OPEN <USER-FILNAM> FILE AS OUTPUT                 |
|            | MODEL       | <MOD-NAME> MODEL STRUCTURE IS INVALID                       |
|            | MODEL       | <MOD-NAME> MODEL CANNOT BE COPIED                           |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL <modol-nrmo> HAS MORE THAN 400 RELATIONS              |
|            | MODEL       | TABLE OVERFLOW ON RC-DEPKC-LIST: INCREASE SIZE              |
|            | MODEL       | AN ENTITY IN MODEL <modol-nrmo> HAS MORE THAN 5 KEY CLASSES |
|            | MODEL       | TABLE OVERFLOW ON EC-LIST                                   |

CREATE ALIAS

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE    | ERROR MESSAGE                                  |
|------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <obj-id> DOES NOT EXIST              |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ALIAS <alias-id> ALREADY EXISTS FOR ATTRIBUTE  |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ALIAS CANNOT BE CREATED FOR ATTRIBUTE <obj-id> |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ENTITY <obj-id> DOES NOT EXIST                 |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ALIAS <alias-id> ALREADY EXISTS FOR ENTITY     |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ALIAS CANNOT BE CREATED FOR ENTITY <obj-id>    |

CREATE ATTRIBUTE

ERRR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERRR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE     | ERRR MESSAGE                                   |
|-----------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------|
| ERRR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <rc-nme> ALREADY EXISTS IN THE MODEL |
| ERRR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <rc-nme> CAN NOT BE CREATED          |
|           | DOMAIN          | DOMAIN <dompn-nme> ALREADY EXISTS              |
|           | DOMAIN          | DOMAIN TABLE FULL                              |
|           | DOMAIN          | DOMAIN <domain-name> ALREADY EXISTS            |
|           | KEYWORD         | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <key-word>            |
|           | KEYWORD         | ALL KEYWORD NUMBERS ASSIGNED                   |
|           | KEYWORD         | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <KEY-WORD>            |
|           | KEYWORD         | AC KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                      |
|           | KEYWORD         | UNABLE TO INSERT AC KEYWORD                    |
| FATAL     | DATABASE        | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                    |
| FATAL     | DATABASE        | UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED        |
| WARNING   | KEYWORD         | KEYWORD <key-word> ALREADY EXISTS              |
| WARNING   | KEYWORD         | KEYWORD <KEY-WORD> ALREADY EXISTS              |

CREATE DOMAIN

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                                        |
|------------|-------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERR3R      | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE ADDED FOR <DATA-TYPE-NAME> TYPE : <SYO-USER > |
|            | DATA TYPE   | A STANDARD DATA TYPE IS ALREADY DEFINED : <DATA-TYPE-NAME>           |
|            | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE NAME ALREADY EXISTS : <DATA-TYPE-NAME>                     |
|            | DATA TYPE   | TYPE IS NOT LEGAL : <TYPE-ID>                                        |
|            | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE INSERTED : <DATA-TYPE-NAME>                   |
|            | DATA TYPE   | DECIMAL SPECIFICATION INCORRECT                                      |
|            | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE NAME ALREADY EXISTS <data-type-name>                       |
|            | DATA TYPE   | TYPE IS NOT LEGAL <type-id>                                          |
|            | DATA TYPE   | DATA TYPE COULD NOT BE INSERTED <data-type-name>                     |
|            | DATA TYPE   | DECIMAL SPECIFICATION INCORRECT FOR <data-type-name>                 |
|            | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN ALREADY EXISTS - <dom-name>                                   |
|            | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN NUMBER OVERFLOW                                               |
|            | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN COULD NOT BE INSERTED - <dom-name>                            |
| FATA-      | DATABASE    | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                                          |
|            | DATABASE    | UNIQUE SUBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                             |

CREATE ENTITY

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE         | ERROR MESSAGE                                                     |
|------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ENTITY CLASS        | ENTITY NAME <EC-NAME> EXISTS                                      |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | ALL ENTITY NUMBERS ASSIGNED - <EC-NAME> NOT PROCESSED             |
|            | KEY CLASS           | ALL KEY CLASS NUMBERS ASSIGNED                                    |
|            | KEYWORD             | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <key-word>                               |
|            | KEYWORD             | ALL KEYWORD NUMBERS ASSIGNED                                      |
|            | KEYWORD             | UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <KEY-WORD>                               |
|            | KEYWORD             | AC KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS                                         |
|            | KEYWORD             | UNABLE TO INSERT AC KEYWORD                                       |
| FATAL      | DATABASE            | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER                                       |
|            | DATABASE            | UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                           |
| WARNING    | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | <AUC-NAME> IS AN INVALID KEY CLASS MEMBER                         |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS <KC-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS                                |
|            | KEY CLASS           | KEY CLASS NAME OMITTED - ONLY FIRST ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS PROCESSED |
|            | KEYWORD             | KEYWORD <key-word> ALREADY EXISTS                                 |
|            | KEYWORD             | KEYWORD <KEY-WORD> ALREADY EXISTS                                 |

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CREATE MAP

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERRR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE        | ERRR MESSAGE                                                |
|-----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR     | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | A VALUE STRING MUST BE ENTERED WHEN MAPPING AN AUC TO A SET |
|           | DATA FIELD          | DATA FIELD <data field name> DOES NOT EXIST                 |
|           | DATA FIELD          | A DATA FIELD MAPPING EXISTS FOR <data field name>           |
|           | DATA FIELD          | PRIMARY MAPPING ALREADY EXISTS FOR <data field name>        |
|           | DATA FIELD          | A PRIMARY MAPPING MUST EXIST FOR <data field name>          |
|           | DATA FIELD          | A DATAFIELD MAPPING EXISTS FOR THIS AUC                     |
|           | DATABASE            | THE DATABASE NAME <database name> DOES NOT EXIST            |
|           | DOMAIN              | NO DOMAIN FOR ATTRIBUTE NUMBER <attribute class number>     |
|           | DOMAIN              | DOMAIN <domain number> HAS NO STANDARD DATA TYPE            |
|           | DOMAIN              | <data type name> IS NOT IN THE DOMAIN                       |
|           | ENTITY CLASS        | ENTITY CLASS <entity class name> DOES NOT EXIST             |
|           | ENTITY CLASS        | INDEPENDENT ENTITY NAME <IND-EC-NAME> IS INVALID            |
|           | MAPPING             | A DATABASE ERROR HAS OCCURRED - MAPPING NOT PERFORMED       |
|           | MAPPING             | MAPPING NOT PERFORMED DUE TO A DATABASE ERROR               |
|           | RELATION CLASS      | RELATION CLASS <relation class name> DOES NOT EXIST         |
|           | SET                 | TAG NUMBER <tag number> HAS BEEN MAPPED TO A SET            |
|           | SET                 | <set name> DOES NOT EXIST                                   |
|           | SET                 | <set name> ALREADY MAPS TO A RELATION CLASS                 |
|           | SET                 | <set name> HAS ALREADY BEEN AUC MAPPED                      |
|           | TAG                 | TAG NAME <tag name> DOES NOT EXIST                          |

CREATE MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE                   | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                                                      |
|------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERRR       | MODEL<br>MODEL                | MODEL <model-name> ALREADY EXISTS.<br>A UNIQUE NUMBER CAN NOT BE ASSIGNED TO MODEL <model-name> BEING CR<br>EATED. |
| FATAL      | MODEL<br>DATABASE<br>DATABASE | MODEL <model-name> CAN NOT BE CREATED.<br>UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER<br>UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED   |
| WARNING    | MODEL                         | MODEL <model-name> HAS BEEN CREATED.                                                                               |



CREATE RELATION

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE                                                                                                                                                             | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | COMPLETE RELATION<br>KEY CLASS<br>KEYWORD<br>KEYWORD<br>KEYWORD<br>KEYWORD<br>KEYWORD<br>RELATION CLASS<br>RELATION CLASS<br>RELATION CLASS<br>TAG<br>TAG<br>TAG<br>TAG | UNABLE TO INSERT COMPLETE RELATION<br>KEY CLASS <key-name> IS INVALID<br>UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <key-word><br>ALL KEYWORD NUMBERS ASSIGNED<br>UNABLE TO INSERT KEYWORD <key-word><br>AC KEYWORD ALREADY EXISTS<br>UNABLE TO INSERT AC KEYWORD<br>ALL RELATION CLASS NUMBERS ASSIGNED<br>ILLEGAL DEPENDENT CARDINALITY<br>RELATION HAS MIGRATION<br>TAG-NAME <new-tag-name> IS A DUPLICATE NAME<br>NO MORE TAG NUMBERS AVAILABLE<br>UNABLE TO INSERT TAG NAME <new-tag-name> AS ATTRIBUTE-USE-CLASS<br>UNABLE TO INSERT TAG NAME <new-tag-name> AS INHERITED-ATTRIBUTE-USE-CLASS. |
| FATAL      | DATABASE<br>DATABASE                                                                                                                                                    | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER<br>UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| WARNING    | KEYWORD<br>KEYWORD<br>RELATION CLASS<br>RELATION CLASS<br>RELATION CLASS                                                                                                | KEYWORD <key-word> ALREADY EXISTS<br>KEYWORD <key-word> ALREADY EXISTS<br>INDEPENDENT CARDINALITY <value-n> TOO LARGE - TRUNCATED TO 99<br>LEFT DEPENDENT CARDINALITY <value-n> TOO LARGE - TRUNCATED TO ZERO<br>RIGHT DEPENDENT CARDINALITY <value-n> TOO LARGE - TRUNCATED TO 99                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

CREATE VIEW

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE                      | ERRR MESSAGE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| ERROR      |                                  | VIEW ALREADY EXIST : <VIEW-NAME><br>VIEW COULD NOT BE CREATED : <VIEW-NAME><br>INTERNAL TABLES FOR VIEW COMMAND CANNOT BE CREATED<br>VIEW <VIEW-NAME> COULD NOT BE CREATED<br>TAG NAME DOES NOT EXIST : <TAG-NAME><br>VALUES NOT INSERTED INTO PROJECT DATA ITEM, DATA ITEM NAME : <DI-NAME>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|            | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS<br>DATA ITEM | VALUES NOT INSERTED INTO DATA ITEM, DI-NAME : <NEW-DI-NAME><br>VALUES NOT INSERTED INTO PROJECT DATA ITEM, DI-NAME : <DI-NAME><br>UNABLE TO INSERT DATA_ITEM: <TAG-NAME><br>UNABLE TO INSERT PROJECT_DATA_ITEM_ <TAG-NAME><br>UNABLE TO INSERT PROJECT_DATA_ITEM <TAG-NAME><br>DOMAINS ARE NOT THE SAME FOR AUC- <TAG-NAME> AND DATA ITEM - <DI-NAME>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|            | DOMAIN                           | STANDARD DATA TYPE NAME NOT FOUND FOR DOMAIN: <DOM-NO><br>ENTITY NAME: <EC-NAME> NOT FOUND<br>ERROR DURING VERIFYING RELATION, RC-NAME : <RC-NAME><br>SEC/RC ENTITY COULD NOT BE CREATED FOR RELATION <VRCL-RC-NAME><br>ENTITY NAME REQUIRED IN FROM CLAUSE WHEN * USED IN SELECT<br>NO. OF DATA ITEMS MUST EQUAL NO. OF TAGS SELECTED<br>DATAITEM: <VDIL-DATA-ITEM-NAME> HAS NO MATCH IN SELECT LIST<br>ENTITY NAME: <VRL-ENTITY-NAME> HAS NO MATCH IN WHERE CLAUSE<br>NO. OF DATA ITEMS MUST MATCH NO. OF TAG NAMES<br>TAG NUMBER NOT FOUND FOR TAG: <TAG-NAME><br>DOMAIN-NUMBER NOT FOUND FOR TAG: <TAG-NAME><br>INVALID SEC STRUCTURE |
| FATAL      | DATABASE<br>DATABASE             | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER<br>UNIQUE SUBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

DEFINE DATABASE

ERROR MESSAGE: REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                             |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <DB-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS        |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <DB-NAME> COULD NOT BE INSERTED |
|            | DATABASE    | ERROR IN DEFINING DATA BASE               |
|            | DATABASE    | PASSWORD CLAUSE REQUIRED FOR ORACLE DBMS  |
|            | DATABASE    | ORACLE DATA BASE COULD NOT BE INSERTED    |
|            | DATABASE    | FILE CLAUSE REQUIRED FOR TOTAL DBMS       |
|            | DATABASE    | FILE <FILE-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS           |
|            | DATABASE    | TOTAL DATA BASE COULD NOT BE INSERTED     |
|            | DATABASE    | PSP SEQUENTIAL NUMBER REQUIRED FOR IMS    |
|            | DATABASE    | KEY FEEDBACK LENGTH REQUIRED FOR IMS      |
|            | DATABASE    | PSS NAME REQUIRED FOR IMS                 |
|            | DATABASE    | PSE NAME <PSB-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS        |
|            | DATABASE    | IMS DATA BASE COULD NOT BE INSERTED       |
|            | DATABASE    | CCDASYL REQUIRES SCHEMA NAME              |
|            | DATABASE    | CCDASYL REQUIRES SUB-SCHEMA NAME          |
|            | DATABASE    | SCHEMA NAMES COULD NOT BE INSERTED        |
|            | DATABASE    | CCDASYL DATA BASE COULD NOT BE INSERTED   |
|            | WARNING     |                                           |
| FATAL      | DATABASE    | UNABLE TO ASSIGN NEW NUMBER               |
|            | DATABASE    | UNIQUE OBJECT NUMBER CANNOT BE ASSIGNED   |
| WARNING    | DATABASE    | AREA <AREA-NAME> ALREADY EXISTS           |

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DEFINE RECORD

ERRJR MESSAGE REOPT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                  |
|------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| ERRJR      | RECORD       | UNABLE TO GET THE DATA BASE IC |
| ERRJR      | RECORD       | RECORD <PT-ID> ALREADY EXISTS  |

DEFINE SET

ERRR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                    |
|------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DATA FIELD   | MEMBER RECORD: <MEMBER-ID> DOES NOT EXIST        |
|            | DATA FIELD   | UNABLE TO INSERT SET TYPE MEMBER: <MEMBER-ID>    |
|            | DATA FIELD   | LINKAGE WAS NOT FOUND FOR <DF-ID>                |
|            | DATA FIELD   | LINKAGE DATA FIELD <DF-ID> IS NOT DEFINED        |
|            | DATA FIELD   | LINKAGE DATA FIELD: <DF-ID> WAS INSERTED.        |
|            | DATABASE     | UNABLE TO RETRIEVE DF SET FOR <DF>               |
|            | DATABASE     | DEFINE SET IS ILLEGAL FOR <DBMS-NAME>            |
|            | DBMS         | <DBMS-NAME> IS NOT A LEGAL DBMS                  |
|            | DBMS         | MULTIPLE MEMBERS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN: <DBMS-NAME> |
|            | RECORD       | OWNER RECORD: <OWNER-ID> DOES NOT EXIST          |
|            | RECORD       | UNABLE TO INSERT RECORD SET: <SET-ID>            |
|            | SET          | <SET-ID> ALREADY EXISTS                          |

DESCRIBE

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE                                   | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DESCRIPTION<br>DESCRIPTION<br>MODEL<br>OBJECT | DESCRIPTION TYPE <DESCRIPTION TYPE> DOES NOT EXIST.<br>DESCRIPTION TYPE <DESCRIPTION TYPE> DOES NOT EXIST<br>A CURRENT MODEL HAS NOT BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THE SESSION.<br>THE OBJECT TYPE <OBJECT TYPE> DOES NOT EXIST |

DROP ALIAS

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE    | ERROR MESSAGE                             |
|------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ALIAS <AC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST <OL1P9-1d> |
|            | ATTRIBUTE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE <AC-NAME> COULD NOT BE DELETED  |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ALIAS <ac-name> DOES NOT EXIST            |
|            | ENTITY CLASS    | ENTITY <EC-NAME> COULD NOT BE DELETED     |

DROP ATTRIBUTE

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

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ERROR TYPE  OBJECT TYPE  ERROR MESSAGE
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ERROR      ATTRIBUTE CLASS  <attribute class name> DESCRIPTION TEXT NOT DELETED
           ATTRIBUTE CLASS  <attribute class name> NAME NOT DELETED
           ATTRIBUTE CLASS  <attribute class name> CROSS REFERENCE NOT DELETED
           ATTRIBUTE CLASS  <attribute class name> ATTRIBUTE CLASS NOT DELETED
           ATTRIBUTE CLASS  <attribute class name> OWNED ATTRIBUTE NOT DELETED
           ATTRIBUTE CLASS  <attribute class name> DOES NOT EXIST
           ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS  ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS WAS NOT DELETED
           KEY CLASS          KEY CLASS NOT DELETED FOR KEY CLASS <key class number>
           KEY CLASS          KEY CLASS CROSS REFERENCE NOT DELETED FOR KEY CLASS <key class num
                               ber>
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FATAL            DATABASE            REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE



DROP DATABASE

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                         |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <09-10> IS INVALID                          |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <09-10> NOT DELETED FROM DATA-BASE          |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <09-10> NOT DELETED FROM SCHEMA-NAMES       |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <09-10> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-TYPES       |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <08-10> NOT DELETED FROM 26-AREA-ASSIGNMENT |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <08-10> NOT DELETED FROM DATA-FIELD         |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <09-10> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-SET         |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <08-10> NOT DELETED FROM SET-TYPE-MEMBER    |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <08-10> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-KEY         |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <09-10> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-KEY-MEMBER  |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <03-10> NOT DELETED FROM AUC-ST-MAPPING     |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <03-10> NOT DELETED FROM RC-BASED-REC-SET   |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <08-10> NOT DELETED FROM IMS-SEGMENT-SIZE   |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <03-10> NOT DELETED FROM DATA-BASE-AREA     |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <03-10> NOT DELETED FROM DF-SET-LINKAGE     |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <03-10> NOT DELETED FROM SEGMENT-DATA-FIELD |
|            | DATABASE    | DATA BASE <03-10> NOT DELETED FROM PROJECT-DATA-FIELD |

DROP DOMAIN

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                           |
|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN DOES NOT EXIST FOR : <DOM-NAME>                  |
|            | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN IN USE CAN'T BE DROPPED FOR : <DOM-NAME>         |
|            | DOMAIN      | DATA TYPES COULD NOT BE DELETED FOR DOMAIN : <DOM-NAME> |
|            | DOMAIN      | DOMAIN COULD NOT BE DELETED FOR : <DOM-NAME>            |
| WARNING    | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <df-ld> IS ASSOCIATED WITH DATA TYPE         |

DROP ENTITY

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE        | ERROR MESSAGE                                                  |
|------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS     | DUPLICATED ATTRIBUTE CAN NOT BE CREATED                        |
|            | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS WAS NOT DELETED                            |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | ENTITY <entity name> DOES NOT EXIST AND CAN NOT BE DROPPED.    |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | RELATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH ENTITY <ec-name> CAN NOT BE DROPPED. |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | NAMES CAN NOT BE DROPPED FOR ENTITY <ec-name>                  |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | KEYWORDS CAN NOT BE DROPPED FOR ENTITY <ec-name>               |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | DESCRIPTIONS CAN NOT BE DROPPED FOR ENTITY <ec-name>           |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | ENTITY <ec-name> COULD NOT BE DROPPED                          |
|            | ENTITY CLASS        | CROSS REFERENCE RECORD CAN NOT BE DROPPED FOR ENTITY <ec-name> |
| FATAL      | CATALOGS            | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE                         |

DROP FIELD

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                         |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | DATA FIELD  | DATA BASE INFORMATION UNAVAILABLE                     |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> DOES NOT EXIST                     |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> NOT DELETED FROM DF-SET-LINKAGE    |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> NOT DELETED FROM SET-TYPE-MEMBER   |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-SET        |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> NOT DELETED FROM AUC-ST-MAPPING    |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> NOT DELETED FROM DATA-FIELD        |
|            | DATA FIELD  | DATA FIELD <DF-10> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-KEY-MEMBER |

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DROP KEYWORD

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | SUBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                            |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | KEYWORD      | KEYWORD DOES NOT EXIST <key-word>                        |
|            | KEYWORD      | KEYWORD ATTRIBUTE ASSOCIATION NOT DELETED FOR <key-word> |
|            | KEYWORD      | KEYWORD-ENTITY ASSOCIATION NOT DELETED FOR <key-word>    |
|            | KEYWORD      | KEYWORD-RELATION ASSOCIATION NOT DELETED FOR <key-word>  |
|            | KEYWORD      | KEYWORD COULD NOT BE DELETED <key-word>                  |
| FATAL      | DATABASES    | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE                   |

DROP MAP

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE    | ERROR MESSAGE                                       |
|------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ENTITY CLASS   | ENTITY CLASS <entity class name> DOES NOT EXIST     |
|            | ENTITY CLASS   | INDEPENDENT ENTITY NAME <IND-EC-NAME> IS INVALID    |
|            | MAPPING        | DATABASE ERROR - MAP NOT DROPPED                    |
|            | RELATION CLASS | RELATION CLASS <relation class name> DOES NOT EXIST |
|            | TAG            | TAG NAME <tag name> DOES NOT EXIST                  |

DROP MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE         | ERROR MESSAGE                                       |
|------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE CLASS     | ERROR WHILE DELETING ATTRIBUTE <AC-NAME> FROM MODEL |
| ERROR      | ATTRIBUTE USE CLASS | ERROR WHILE DELETING TAG FOR ENTITY <EC-NAME>       |
| ERROR      | ENTITY CLASS        | ERROR WHILE DELETING ENTITY <EC-NAME> FROM MODEL    |
| ERROR      | MODEL               | NO PRIVILEGE TO DROP INTEGRATED MODEL               |
| ERROR      | MODEL               | MODEL <MODEL-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                   |
| ERROR      | MODEL               | MODEL <MODEL-NAME> NOT DELETED FROM MODEL-CLASS     |
| ERROR      | MODEL               | MODEL <MODEL-NAME> NOT DELETED FROM DESC-TEXT       |
| ERROR      | RELATION CLASS      | ERROR WHILE DELETING RELATION FOR ENTITY <EC-NAME>  |
| FATAL      | DATABASE            | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE              |

DROP RECORD

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                               |
|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | RECORD      | RECORD TYPE: <RT-ID> DOES NOT EXIST         |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-TYPE        |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM OS_ARCA_ASSIGNMENT |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM DATA_FIELD         |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM PROJECT_DATA_FIELD |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD_KEY         |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD_KEY_MEMBER  |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM IMS_SEGMENT_SIZE   |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM SEG_DATA_FIELD     |
|            | RECORD      | <RT-ID> NOT DELETED FROM LINKAGE_DATA_FIELD |
|            | RECORD      | OWNER AND SET MEMBERS NOT DELETED.          |



DROP RELATION

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE     | OBJECT TYPE                                               | ERROR MESSAGE                                                                                                                     |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| -----<br>ERROR | -----<br>ENTITY CLASS<br>RELATION CLASS<br>RELATION CLASS | -----<br>INDEPENDENT ENTITY NAME <IND-EC-NAME> IS INVALID<br>RELATION CLASS <RC-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST<br>RELATION HAS NO MIGRATION |
| FATAL          | DATABASE                                                  | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE                                                                                            |

DROP SET

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                  |
|------------|-------------|------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | SET         | DATA BASE INFORMATION UNAVAILABLE              |
|            | SET         | SET <SET-ID> DOES NOT EXIST                    |
|            | SET         | SET <SET-ID> NOT DELETED FROM RECORD-SET       |
|            | SET         | SET <SET-ID> NOT DELETED FROM SET-TYPE-MEMBER  |
|            | SET         | SET <SET-ID> NOT DELETED FROM AUC-ST-MAPPING   |
|            | SET         | SET <SET-ID> NOT DELETED FROM RC-BASED-REC-SET |
|            | SET         | SET <SET-ID> NOT DELETED FROM DP-SET-LINKAGE   |

DROP VIEW

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                            |
|------------|-------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| ERRCR      | VIEW        | VIEW DOES NOT EXIST FOR : <VIEW-NAME>                    |
|            | VIEW        | PROJECT DATA ITEM COULD NOT BE DELETED FOR : <VIEW-NAME> |
|            | VIEW        | SEC-RC-COMPONENT COULD NOT BE DELETED FOR : <VIEW-NAME>  |
|            | VIEW        | SEC COULD NOT BE DELETED FOR : <VIEW-NAME>               |
| FATAL      | DATABASE    | REUSABLE NUMBER NOT ADDED TO DATA BASE                   |

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MERGE MODEL

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE | ERROR MESSAGE                                               |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | MODEL       | MODEL 1 <MOD-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                           |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL 2 <MOD-NAME> DOES NOT EXIST                           |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL 1 NOT COPIED INTO MODEL 3                             |
|            | MODEL       | ERRR WHILE MERGING ENTITIES OF MODEL 2                      |
|            | MODEL       | NO ERROR MESSAGES                                           |
|            | MODEL       | MODEL <model-name> HAS MORE THAN 400 RELATIONS              |
|            | MODEL       | TABLE OVERFLOW ON RC-DEPKC-LIST: INCREASE SIZE              |
|            | MODEL       | AN ENTITY IN MODEL <model-name> HAS MORE THAN 9 KEY CLASSES |
|            | MODEL       | TABLE OVERFLOW ON EC-LIST                                   |

RENAME

ERROR MESSAGE REPORT FOR A SPECIFIED COMMAND

| ERROR TYPE | OBJECT TYPE  | ERROR MESSAGE                                          |
|------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| ERROR      | ENTITY CLASS | INDEPENDENT ENTITY NAME <IND-EC-NAME> IS INVALID       |
|            | OBJECT       | OBJECT INVALID FOR RENAMING                            |
|            | OBJECT       | OBJECT TO BE RENAMED DOES NOT EXIST, ID IS : <OLD-ID>  |
|            | OBJECT       | NEW OBJECT NAME ALREADY EXISTS, ID IS : <NEW-ID>       |
|            | OBJECT       | OBJECT TYPE NOT UPDATED, OBJECT NUMBER : <OLD-OBJ-NUM> |

## APPENDIX B

### GLOSSARY

#### Alpha-Numeric Data Format

A data format for values that can contain characters other than numerals (0-9). Numerals may be permitted also.

#### Attribute Class

A collection of all the same kind of attributes, i.e., those that have the same meaning. An attribute is a characteristic or fact about an entity. An attribute consists of a name (e.g., employee hire date) and a value (e.g., 15 August 1980). An attribute value may be:

- A. Nondivisible (e.g., state name)
- B. Divisible, i.e., a concatenation of two or more other attribute values (e.g., part number formed by concatenating drawing number and material code).
- C. Computed from one or more other attribute values (e.g., age computed as current date minus birth date).

#### Attribute Class Data Description

A generic data description that applies to a particular attribute class.

#### Attribute Use Class

A model attribute class that appears in a model entity class. Each attribute use class represents either an owned attribute class or an inherited attribute class.

#### Attribute Use Class/Data Field Mapping

Indicates that an attribute use class corresponds to a data item; i.e. that they have the same meaning and that the data item can be used to access the values for the attribute use class.

### Attribute Use Class/Record Set Mapping

Certain attribute use classes can be represented in a database by a group of record sets rather than be a data field. For example, Project:Task record sets called Pending, In-Process, On-Hold, and Completed. An attribute use class/record set mapping indicates that a particular record set corresponds to a particular attribute use class value.

### Component Data Field

A data field that is part of another data field; e.g., if data field A is made up of data fields B, C, and D, each of these latter data fields is a component of A. A data field cannot be a component of more than one other data field.

### Component Domain

An elementary domain that is part of another domain; e.g., a Date domain might be made up of a Month domain, a Day of Month domain, and a Year domain. Each of these latter domains would be a component of the Date domain. An elementary domain can be a component of several other domains.

### DBD

An IMS database is defined by a Database Description (DBD). The DBD consists of statement which map an IMS structure into physical storage.

### Database Area

A subdivision of a CODASYL database. This subdivision is a technique for improving the efficiency accessing database record type instances. When a database is subdivided into database areas, some or all of its records types are assigned to particular areas. Instances of these record types are stored only within the assigned areas. Then, these record type instances can be accessed by searching only the appropriate areas rather than the entire database. This access method is only used when the record type instances cannot be located by other means (e.g., by calc keys or record sets).

### Database Area Assignment

Indicates that a record type is assigned to a database area.



Database Directory

A software library that must be used when accessing a database.

Database Password

A code that must be supplied when logging on to a DBMS to use a database. The DBMS verifies the password before accepting any other messages.

Data Field

A portion of a record type in which data values can be stored

Data Field/Record Set Linkage

A data field in a variable data set in a TOTAL database that is used as the variable control key for a linkpath from a master data set.

Data Field Redefinition

A data field that occupies the same space in a record type as another data field. A record instance cannot contain values in both data fields. One instance can contain a value in one field while another contains a value in the other.

Data Item

An attribute class as seen by a user in a user view, i.e., a kind of data (e.g., employee hire date), not a particular data value (e.g., 15 August 1980).

Data Type

The combination of a type of values (e.g., alphanumeric, signed numeric, etc.) and a type of storage (e.g., binary, packed, etc.)

Data Type Name

Names of NDDL data types. The NDDL data types correspond to the following COBOL/FORTRAN data types:

**NDDL Data Type**

**INTEGER  
CHARACTER  
SIGNED  
FLOAT  
UNSIGNED  
PACKED**

**COBOL/FORTRAN Data Type**

**FORTRAN binary integer  
x(n)  
S99V99  
FORTRAN floating point  
99V99  
COMP-3**

**Description Type**

A generic object may have several different kinds or styles of description (short, long, technical, nontechnical, etc.). Each is a description type.

**Domain**

A set of rules about the values that are allowed for a data item, attribute class, or data field. A domain is either an elementary domain or a group of two or more elementary domains, called component domains.

**Domain Range**

A series of consecutive values that represent all or part of an elementary domain.

**Domain Value**

A single value within an elementary domain.

**Elementary Data Field**

A data field that does not have any component data fields.

**Entity Class**

A collection of similar entities, i.e., those that have the same kinds of attributes. An entity is a person, place, event, thing, concept, etc.

**Entity Class/Record Type Mapping**

Indicates that an entity class corresponds to a record type, i.e., that they both have the same meaning and that the record type can be used to store instances of the entity class.

If a record type has more than one EC-RT mapping, some of its instances correspond to instances of one entity class while others correspond to instances of another, i.e., the record type is the relational union of the entity classes. An example is a Replenishment Order record type that maps to both the Purchase Order and Manufacturing Order entity classes. Each record instance represents either a purchase order or a manufacturing order.

### Feedback

The length of the key feedback area for an IMS PCB. When IMS retrieved a segment from the database, the requested segment is fetched and a fully concatenated key is placed in the key feedback area. The fully concatenated key consists of the concatenation of the sequence field of values of all segments in the hierarchical path from the root down to the retrieved segment. The key feedback area must be large enough to accommodate the maximum length for a fully concatenated key and stated in the KEYLEN entry of the PCB macro.

### File

A set of stored data that is managed by a file management system (e.g., VSAM).

### File/Database

A set of stored data, i.e., either a computer file (e.g., a VSAM or flat file) or a database (e.g., an ORACLE or IMS database).

### Generic Data Description

A detailed description of the values for one or more data items, attribute classes, data fields, and/or module parameter. It includes format, measurement, and domain characteristics of the values.

### Generic Data Description Domain

A domain that is specified as part of a generic data description.

### Generic Data Description Unit of Measure

A unit of measure that is specified as part of a generic

data description.

Host

A computer in the IISS.

IMS Segment

A record type in a database that is controlled by IBM's IMS DBMS.

Inherited Attribute Class

A key class in the independent entity class of a relation class that has migrated to appear in the dependent entity class of that relation class.

Key Class

A group of one or more of an entity's attributes that can be used to uniquely identify the entity within its entity class. An entity can have more than one key. A key class is a collection of the attribute classes whose member attributes comprise the keys for the entities in an entity class. An entity class has the same number of key classes as each of its member entities has keys. For example, if each entity has three keys, the entity class has three key classes.

Key Class Member

An attribute use class that is part of a key class.

Keyword

A word that has been designated as a means of locating a generic object or a number of similar generic objects.

Model

A representation of the information requirements of all or part of an enterprise in terms of entity classes, relation classes, and attribute classes.

Object Type

Sets of attributes are, in relational terms, called objects. Objects participate in relationships with other

objects. Entities within the Common Data Model (see Generic Object in the CDM1 Doc. Control No. CCS620141000) are called OBJECT TYPES for the Integrated Information Support System.

Owned Attribute Class

A model attribute class that appears as an attribute use class in a model entity class and is not an inherited attribute class.

Program Control Block

A portion of a PSB that describes and controls how an IMS database can be accessed.

Program Specification Block

A group of logical views of IMS databases that is used for interacting with the IMS DBMS.

Record Set

An association between one record type, called the owner, and one or more other record types, called the members.

Record Set Member

A record type that is a member of a record set.

Record Type

A group of data values that are stored together as a unit in a computer file or database. A record type is the collection of all the records of the same kind, i.e., all the records that contain the same kind of data values.

Relation Class

An association between an entity in one entity class and one in another. A relationship has a label that describes the association. For example, a customer named ABC Corp. is associated with an order numbered 123 in a manner labeled "placed". A relation class is a collection of the identically labeled relationships between the members of the same two entity classes. Each relation class is either specific or non-specific.

In a specific relation class, one entity class is "independent" while the other is "dependent"; i.e., entities in the first can exist without being associated with any in the second, but those in the second cannot exist without being associated with one in the first. One key class from the independent entity class "migrates" through each specific relation class to appear in the dependent entity class as inherited attribute classes.

In an nonspecific relation class, neither entity class is dependent on the other; i.e., entities in either entity class can exist without being associated with any in the other. For convenience, one entity class is arbitrarily called "independent" and the other is called "dependent".

#### Segment Data Field

A data field is an IMS segment.

#### Subschema

The description, in the DDL of a CODASYL DBMS, of all or part of a database. For IISS, only one subschema is needed for a CODASYL database, and it must describe all the common data within the database that is to be accessible with NDML.

#### Tag Name

A unique name for an attribute use class within an entity class.

#### Unit of Measure

A standard scale for determining the magnitude of something. Examples include inch, foot, foot-inch, meter, ounce, pound, hour, minute, second, etc.

#### User View

A group of data items that a user wants to deal with as a group. It is similar to an entity class but does not necessarily meet all the conditions for being one, it can be thought of as an unnormalized entity class. A user view is often the result of combining several entity classes via relational join operations and selecting particular attribute use classes as data items via relational project operations.

APPENDIX C

REFERENCES

Related ICAM Documents included:

|              |                                                                                                 |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| UM62014100   | <u>CDM Administrator's Manual</u>                                                               |
| TEM620141000 | <u>CDM1, An IDEF1 Model of the Common Data Model</u>                                            |
| PRM620141200 | <u>Embedded NDML Programmer's Reference Manual</u>                                              |
| UM620141002  | <u>ICAM Definition Method for Data Modeling (IDEF1 - Extended)</u>                              |
| DS620141200  | <u>Development Specification for the IISS NDML Precompiler Configuration Item</u>               |
| DS620141320  | <u>Development Specification for the IISS Aggregator Configuration Item</u>                     |
| DS620141310  | <u>Development Specification for the IISS Distributed Request Supervisor Configuration Item</u> |

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