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Applied SQL

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Take advantage of SQL Server capabilities and use them in your DataFlex project.

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SQL Server Options



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SQL Server Versions

- 2000
- 2005
- 2008
- 2008 R2
- 2012
- 2014

SQL Server Editions (2014)

- Express
- Web
- Standard
- Business Intelligence
- Enterprise
- LocalDB

SQL Server Scale

Feature Name	Enterprise	Business Intelligence	Standard	Web	Express
Maximum Compute Capacity Used by a Single Instance (SQL Server Database Engine) ¹	Operating System maximum	Limited to lesser of 4 Sockets or 16 cores	Limited to lesser of 4 Sockets or 16 cores	Limited to lesser of 4 Sockets or 16 cores	Limited to lesser of 1 Socket or 4 cores
Maximum Compute Capacity Used by a Single Instance (Analysis Services, Reporting Services) ¹	Operating system maximum	Operating system maximum	Limited to lesser of 4 Sockets or 16 cores	Limited to lesser of 4 Sockets or 16 cores	Limited to lesser of 1 Socket or 4 cores
Maximum memory utilized (SQL Server Database Engine)	Operating system maximum	64 GB	64 GB	64 GB	1 GB
Maximum memory utilized (Analysis Services)	Operating system maximum	Operating system maximum	64 GB	N/A	N/A
Maximum memory utilized (Reporting Services)	Operating system maximum	Operating system maximum	64 GB	64 GB	N/A
Maximum relational Database size	524 PB	524 PB	524 PB	524 PB	10 GB

Source: <http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/cc645993.aspx>

SQL Server Nice to Know...

- Multiple Databases on an Instance
- SQL Server Versions side by side
- Restore only on Same or Newer

Benefits from SQL

- Standardized Data Format
- Server Side Filtering
- Complex Reports made easier and faster
- Share Data
- Online Backup

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Connectivity Kit What's New

CK What's New

- Updated Supported data types
 - Microsoft SQL Server 2012
 - IBM DB2 10.1
- Auto Reconnect
- Improved Restructure Logic

Data Types

- Support for new Data Types like
 - Date, DateTime2, Time
 - Supported on MS SQL, DB2 and ODBC

DEFAULT_MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_SCHEMA

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- Mapping Schema's

- MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_CK5
- MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_SQL2000
- MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_SQL2005
- MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_SQL2008
- MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_SQL2012
- MAP_DF_TO_SQL_TYPE_CK6

	CK5	SQL2000	SQL2005	SQL2008	SQL2012	CK6
DF_ASCII	Char	Char	Char	Char	Char	Char
DF_DATE	Datetime	Datetime	Datetime	Date	Date	Date
DF_DATETIME	Datetime	Datetime	Datetime	Datetime2	Datetime2	Datetime2
DF_TEXT	Text	Text	Varchar(max)	Varchar(max)	Varchar(max)	Varchar(max)
DF_BINARY	Binary/Image	Binary/image	Varbinary(max)	Varbinary(max)	Varbinary(max)	Varbinary(max)

CK Data Types: nchar & nvarchar

- Unicode Data Type
- Maps to Clients Code Page
- Data might get lost when writing back



Auto Reconnect

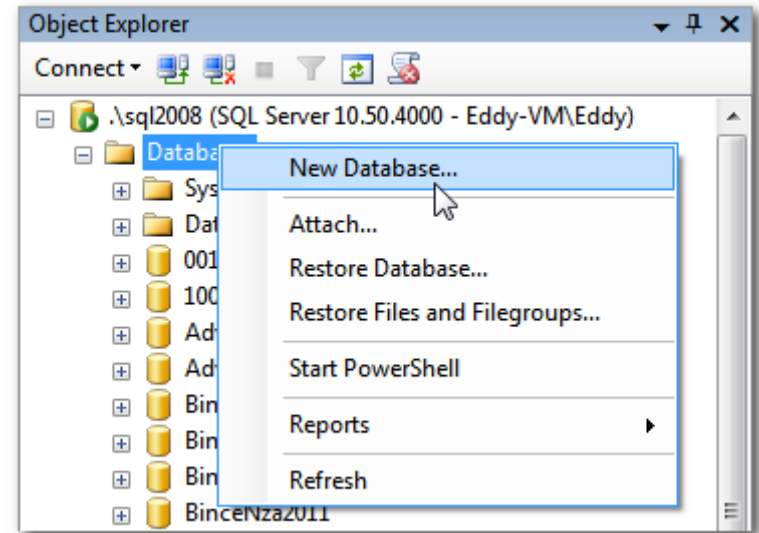
- Reconnect when connection is lost
- Open and Find will reconnect
- Supported on MS SQL, DB2 and ODBC
- `AUTO_RECONNECT 1`

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How to...

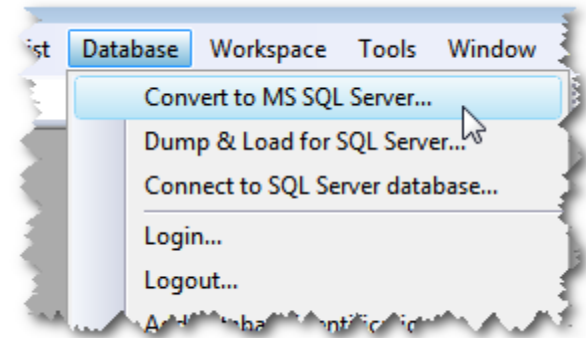
Create Database

- SQL Server Management Studio
- Use SQL defaults
- Mind collating



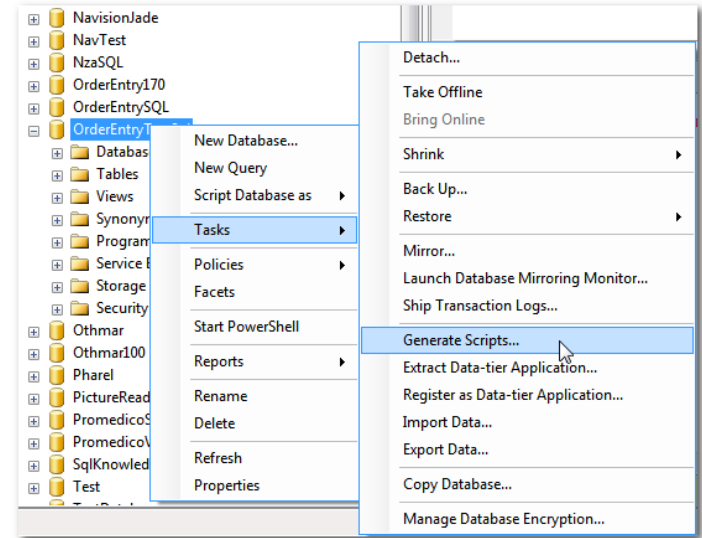
Convert Existing to SQL

- Database Builder converts data
- Standard vs Recnum Tables
 - 18.1 can create clustered indexes
- Structure: DataFlex Studio Leading



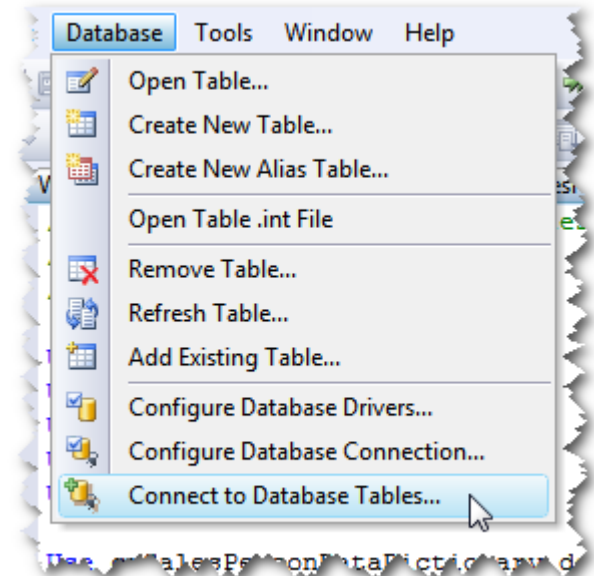
SQL Tasks > Generate Scripts

- Easy way to copy between versions
- Structure only, Data only, or Both
- See Advanced Options button



Attach to Existing SQL

- Setup Database Connection
- Connect to Tables from Studio
- Structure: SQL is leading



Are you enjoying the view?

- Join data from different tables databases
- Include complex filters
- Limit the number of columns
- Database structure independency

```
CREATE VIEW [dbo].[vwDebtors] AS

SELECT
    [cicmpy].[debnr]
    , [cicmpy].[cmp_name] AS [debnaam]
    , [cicmpy].[textfield1] AS [SalespersonName]
FROM
    [100].[dbo].[cicmpy]
WHERE
    [cicmpy].[debnr] IS NOT NULL
```

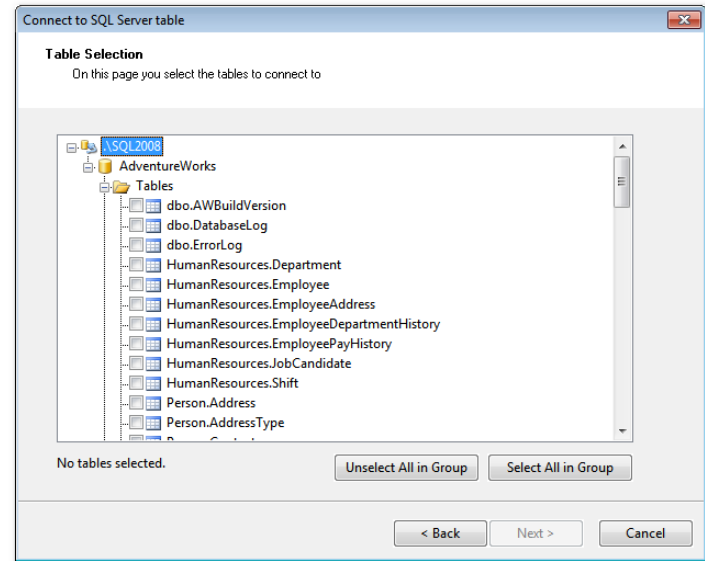
Create a View

```
CREATE VIEW [vwCustomerLast120Days] AS
SELECT    Customer_Number
FROM      Customer
WHERE     EXISTS ( SELECT Order_Number
                   FROM OrderHea
                   WHERE OrderHea.Customer_Number = Customer.Customer_Number
                       AND DATEDIFF(dd, Order_Date, GETDATE()) < 120)
```

- Benefits: Treat like a table, Reusable
- Downside: Distributed code

How to connect

- Connect to views
 - Views are not tables
 - Views can be updatable



SQL Side Filter

- Works in driver version 4 or higher
- DF_FILE_SQL_FILTER
- DF_FILE_SQL_FILTER_ACTIVE

```
EXISTS (  
    SELECT Order_Number FROM OrderHea  
    WHERE OrderHea.Customer_Number = Customer.Customer_Number  
           AND DATEDIFF(dd, Order_Date, GETDATE()) < 120  
)`
```

SQL Side Filter

- Use Data Dictionaries
 - psSQLFilter
 - pbUseDDSQLFilters
 - pbApplyGlobalSQLFilters (defaults to FALSE!)

```
Object oCustomer_DD is a Customer_DataDictionary

    Set pbUseDDSQLFilters to True
    Set pbApplyGlobalSQLFilters to True
    Procedure OnConstrain
        Set psSQLFilter to "(LEFT([State], 1) = 'C')"
```



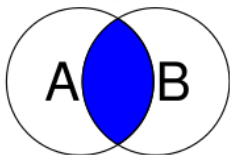
```
End_Procedure

End_Object
```

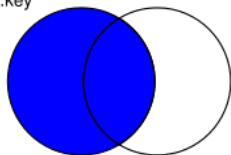
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Some SQL Tricks...

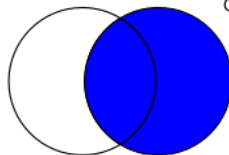

```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
INNER JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
```



```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
LEFT JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
```

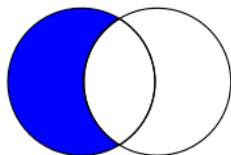


```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
RIGHT JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
```

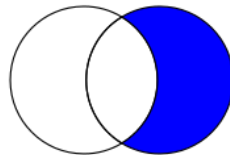


SQL JOINS

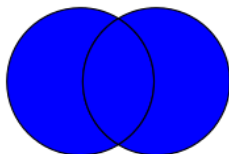
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SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
LEFT JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
WHERE B.key IS NULL
```



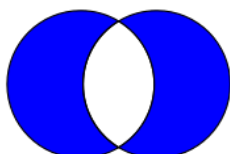
```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
RIGHT JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
WHERE a.key IS NULL
```



```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
FULL OUTER JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
```



```
SELECT <fields>
FROM TableA A
FULL OUTER JOIN TableB B
ON A.key = B.key
WHERE A.key IS NULL
OR B.key IS NULL
```



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SQL Tricks: Back-up a table

```
-- Create backup
SELECT *
INTO CustomerBackup
FROM Customer

-- Empty table
TRUNCATE TABLE Customer
-- Alternative: DELETE FROM Customer

-- Copy backup data back into table
INSERT INTO Customer
SELECT * FROM CustomerBackup

-- Drop the backup table
DROP TABLE CustomerBackup
```

SQL Tricks: UNION

- Concatenate result sets
- First result set defines names and data types

```
SELECT 'Customer' AS [Source], CAST([Customer_Number] AS varchar) AS [ID], [Name] AS [Description] FROM [Customer]
UNION ALL
SELECT 'Invt', [Item_ID], [Description] FROM [Invt]
UNION ALL
SELECT 'SalesP', [ID], [Name] FROM [SalesP]
UNION ALL
SELECT 'Users', [LoginName], [Full_Name] FROM [Users]
UNION ALL
SELECT 'Vendor', CAST([ID] AS varchar), [Name] FROM [Vendor]
```

SQL Tricks: DISTINCT

- SELECT unique rows
- Cannot have aggregates; use GROUP BY for that

```
SELECT DISTINCT
    [Item_ID]
    , [Qty_Ordered]
    , [Price]
FROM
    [OrderDt1]
```

SQL Trick: CASE

- Great to put in conditionals
- Use it anywhere; even in joins

```
SELECT
    [Customer].[Customer_Number]
    , [Customer].[Name]
    , [CustomerOrderTotal].[Order_Total]
    , CASE
        WHEN [CustomerOrderTotal].[Order_Total] IS NULL THEN 'Call!!'
        ELSE 'Ok'
        END AS [Status]
FROM
    [Customer]
    LEFT OUTER JOIN (
        SELECT
```

SQL Trick: Four-Way Path

- Join Data from different servers
- Register the external server

```
SELECT
    *
FROM
    [Server].[Database].[Schema].[Table]
```

```
SELECT
    *
FROM
    [eddy-vm\sql2008].[OrderEntryTestSql].[dbo].[Customer]
```

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Create some samples