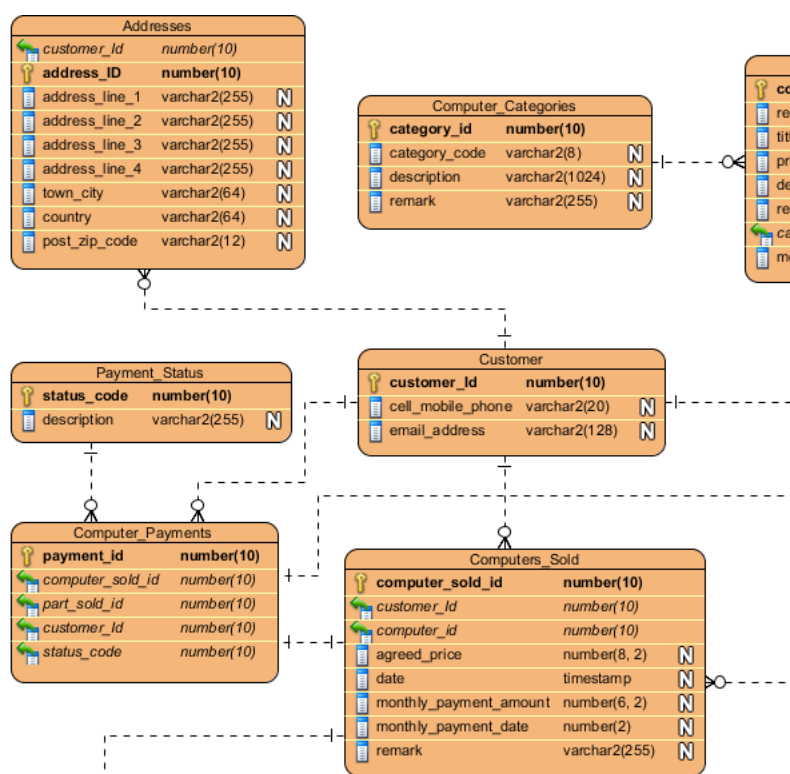




Exporting Database Design to Excel for Mass Editing

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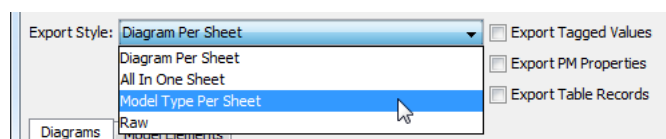
The database design for the *Computer Sales* project:



1. To export the diagram as an Excel file, right-click on the diagram and select **Export > Export to Excel...** from the pop-up menu.
2. Specify the path for the Excel file.

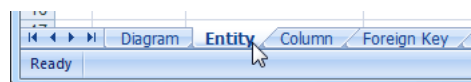
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Export Style:	Diagram Per Sheet	<input type="checkbox"/> Export Tagged Values

3. Select **Model Type Per Sheet** as the **Export Style**.



4. Open the exported file.

5. Open the *Entity* sheet.



6. Remove all underscores () in the *Name* column and press **Save**.

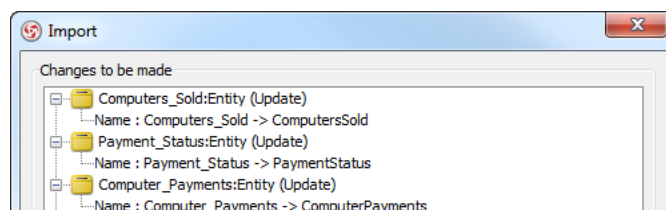
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2	2	3	Customer	
3	7	8	Addresses	
4	21	22	Computer	
5	31	32	ComputerCategories	
6	39	40	ComputerPayments	
7	48	49	PaymentStatus	
8	52	53	ComputersSold	
9	68	69	Parts_Sold	

7. Return to Visual Paradigm.

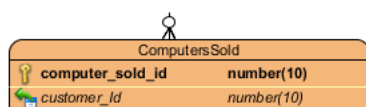
8. Select **File > Import > Excel...** from the main menu.

9. Select the modified Excel file.

10. The changes will be listed in the **Import** dialog box. Review them and click **OK** to apply.



11. The changes are applied to the diagram.



Resources

1. [ComputerSales.vpp](#)

Related Links

- [What is Entity Relationship Diagram \(ERD\)?](#)
- [Evaluate Visual Paradigm for FREE](#)

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