

XML Fundamentals Ed 1.1

Oracle Database

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Course Overview

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- Order Entry (oe) Schema
- purchaseorder.xsd Purchase Order XML Schema Used in the XML DB Course
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- Course Environment
- Entering SQL Statements by Using Oracle SQL*Plus in a Terminal Window
- Using Oracle JDeveloper
- Entering SQL Statements and Coding PL/SQL by Using Oracle SQL Developer
- Related Oracle University Courses: education.oracle.com
- Additional Information
- Oracle Database 12c Release 1 (12.1) Documentation
- Additional Resources: Using “Oracle by Example” (OBE) in the Online Learning Library
- Additional Resources: Oracle Learning Library (OLL)
- Oracle XML DB Home Page: <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/>

- [database-features/xmlldb/overview/index.html](#)
- Oracle JDeveloper Home Page: <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/developer-tools/jdev/overview/index.html>
- Additional Web Resources for XML
- Course Files in the /home/oracle/labs Folder
- JDeveloper Application and Projects in the labs Folder
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