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Holocentric Modeler 6

Holocentric is pleased to announce the release of Modeler 6, which includes a number of new concepts and other improvements to enhance your modelling capabilities. Most notably, this is the first version of Modeler designed to work with the award winning Holocentric Modelpedia*. With this new release Holocentric is taking Enterprise modelling to the next level.

Repository Workspace, the interface to Modelpedia

A new Repository Workspace offers the ability to connect users across an enterprise through a comprehensive Repository Services component which provides the structure for the online integration and sharing of models. The Repository Workspace also allows you to better manage libraries located on your local and network drives with shortcuts and is the primary interface for Modelpedia configuration.

Role Catalogs, your personal gateway into the model

A model serves as a reliable knowledgebase of corporate memory which is easily and widely understood. Often there is so much information in a model that it becomes difficult to determine how the information relates to you, where the entry point is and how to navigate through that information to find what you need.

With Modeler 6 you can personalise the information so that what people see has relevance and is pertinent to the individual's role. A Catalog structure can be defined appropriate to each role and a home diagram can be assigned to each role as the gateway into the model.

Change History, manage and roll back property changes

Item-level change history options are available when the change tracking option is enabled. The item history tab shows a summary of property changes over time, as well as the ability to rollback a change.

Holocentric Modeler 6:

- ✓ Is **role-based** - captures who is responsible for processes
- ✓ Records interactions between **people, processes & technology**
- ✓ Separates content from presentation - customize views, personalize content and display information using a variety of diagram notations
- ✓ Has **meta-modeling** capabilities - build custom solutions
- ✓ Has accelerators & solution frameworks - use industry standard solutions
- ✓ Connect to **Modelpedia** for central control and administration, server-side model publishing, web 2.0 style collaboration and much more...

* Modelpedia won a 2009 Consensus Award and was nominated for two CeBIT.au innovation awards in 2009

What else?

Improved File Format (.OLIX)

- Converted library files are 20-50% of the original OLI file size
- Libraries load up to 10% faster
- Libraries save up to 80% faster
- Extensible file format improves data compatibility between Modeler and 3rd party applications.

Universally Unique Identifier (UUID) and Packages

Items with the same name can now exist within the same library using namespaces. This has been made possible by the addition of Packages that own items and provide a namespace for those items.

To manage different items that share the same name, each item now has a Universally Unique Identifier (UUID) that is automatically assigned by Modeler. The presence of UUIDs also facilitates the ability to rename items within the working libraries of a Team environment.

Editors and Item Pick Lists

Item editors have been updated for greater consistency and a reduction in the number of tabs, making item properties and associations more intuitive to locate and update.

The item pick lists have been enhanced to allow text-based searching and the ability to narrow the item selection to a chosen Catalog, Classification or Package.

Script editors now open in the Main work area and scripting editors have been revised to make editing multiple scripts simpler than before. All scripts can now be run with a right-click "Run" command without a need to open the item editor.

Other Enhancements and Improvements

- A "Close All Other Tabs" option to conveniently close all diagrams other than the one in focus
- Improved library recovery features
- Added a standard query to provide a tabular list of all links — internal and external — and whether the links are currently valid

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