





Data Sources and Drivers dialog for a DDL data source

To access this dialog from the [Database tool window](#):

- When creating a new data source:
 - + on the toolbar, **New** in the context menu, or Alt+Insert, then select **DDL Data Source**.
- For an existing data source:
 - on the toolbar, **Properties** in the context menu, or F4 or Enter.

Use the right-hand part of the dialog to view or edit the settings for the selected [DDL data source](#).

A DDL data source is defined by its name, and can reference one or more DDL files and/or another data source (a parent data source).

Item	Shortcut	Description
Name		Use this field to edit the data source name.
DDL Files		Use the controls in this area to compose the list of files that contain the necessary DDL definitions.
	Alt+Insert	Use this icon or shortcut to add a DDL SQL file or files to the data source definition. In the dialog that opens, select the necessary file or files.
	Alt+Delete	Use this icon or shortcut to remove the selected file or files from the list.
	Alt+Up	Use this icon or shortcut to move the selected file one line up in the list.
	Alt+Down	Use this icon or shortcut to move the selected file one line down in the list.
Parent Data Source		If necessary, select another data source as a parent. As a result, the data source whose properties you are editing will "inherit" all the DDL definitions from its parent. If the parent data source is not needed, select <none> .

See Also

Concepts:

- [Data Sources](#)

Procedures:

- [Configuring a DDL Data Source](#)

Web Resources:

- [Developer Community](#)□