

# Adding terms in the Glossary Table

You can add terms in the Glossary Table in the following ways:

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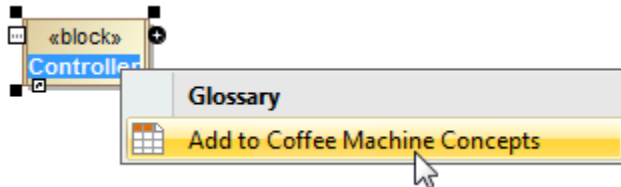
## Directly from the diagram pane

To add a word or phrase to a glossary directly from the diagram pane

1. Select a word or phrase you want to be a term.

 Even if you mark only a part of a word, the entire word will be added to the glossary as a term.

2. Right-click it and select **Add To <Glossary Table name>**.  
The word or phrase is converted to a term and added to the Glossary Table.



## Using the Generic Table toolbar

To add a term in the Glossary Table using a toolbar

- Click the **Add New** button to create a new row for a term in the table.
- Click the **Add Existing** button and from the **Select Element** dialog. Choose the element you wish to be a term.

## By dragging any element


To drag an element to the Glossary Table

1. In the Containment tree, select an element you wish to be a term.
2. Drag it to the Glossary Table.


## By pasting from another resource

To create terms in the table by pasting data from another resource


1. Copy a table from another resource.

-  • The number of columns in that table should be the same as the number of columns in the Glossary Table.  
• The data types of columns in the Glossary table must be compatible with copied information.

2. Open the Glossary Table where you want to paste the copied data.

-  • The cells must be editable in the Glossary Table.

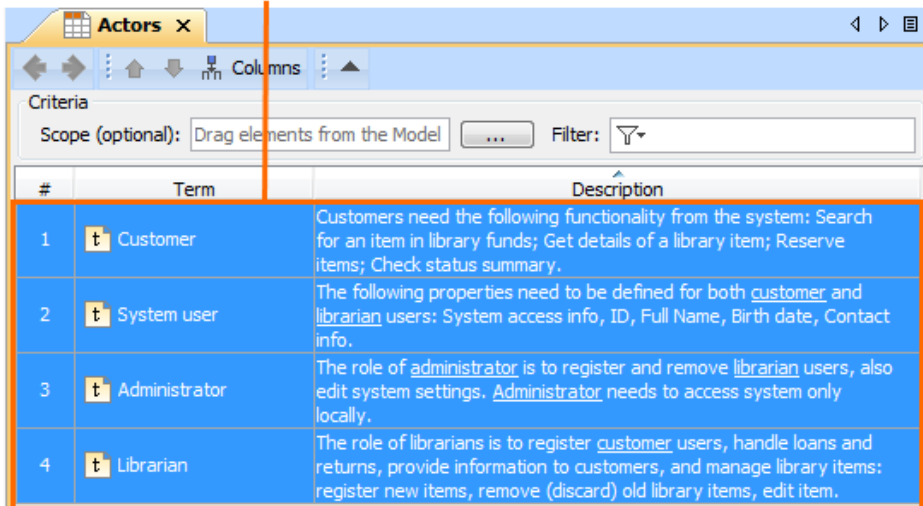
3. Press Ctrl+V (Cmd+V on OS X).  
Each row displays one term with its description.

-  • If the term already exists in the model, the information updates.  
• If terms have ID prefixes in another resource, they are automatically set after the copy-and-paste command only for pasted terms in the Glossary Table. Manage ID prefixes in the [Element Numbering dialog](#).

Copy the table

Term	Description
<a href="#">Administrator</a>	The role of administrator is to register and remove librarian users, also edit system settings. Administrator needs to access system only locally.
<a href="#">Customer</a>	Customers need the following functionality from the system: Search for an item in library funds; Get details of a library item; Reserve items; Check status summary.
<a href="#">Librarian</a>	The role of librarians is to register customer users, handle loans and returns, provide information to customers, and manage library items: register new items, remove (discard) old library items, edit item.
<a href="#">System user</a>	The following properties need to be defined for both customer and librarian users: System access info, ID, Full Name, Birth date, Contact info.

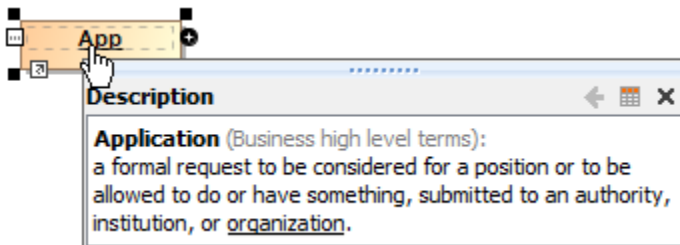
Paste the table



#	Term	Description
1	Customer	Customers need the following functionality from the system: Search for an item in library funds; Get details of a library item; Reserve items; Check status summary.
2	System user	The following properties need to be defined for both <a href="#">customer</a> and <a href="#">librarian</a> users: System access info, ID, Full Name, Birth date, Contact info.
3	Administrator	The role of <a href="#">administrator</a> is to register and remove <a href="#">librarian</a> users, also edit system settings. <a href="#">Administrator</a> needs to access system only locally.
4	Librarian	The role of librarians is to register <a href="#">customer</a> users, handle loans and returns, provide information to customers, and manage library items: register new items, remove (discard) old library items, edit item.

## Adding synonyms of the terms

You can add one or more synonyms for every term. After that, the synonyms are available in the suggestion list. When you use a synonym, the original term is displayed in the description.



To add a synonym

- In the term's [Specification window](#), Synonym property specification cell, type the synonyms for the term.

**Specification of Term Application**

**Specification of Term properties**

Specify properties of the selected Term in the properties specification table. Choose the Expert or All options from the Properties drop-down list to see more properties.

**Application**

Application

- Usage in Diagrams
- Documentation/Hyperlinks
- Tags
- Inner Elements
- Attributes
- Ports
- Operations
- Signal Receptions
- Behaviors
- Template Parameters

Properties: Expert

Term	
Name	Application
Synonyms	App
Visibility	public
Applied Stereotype	Term [Class] [UML Stan

Type here to filter properties

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