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# Business Modeling – The Domain Model

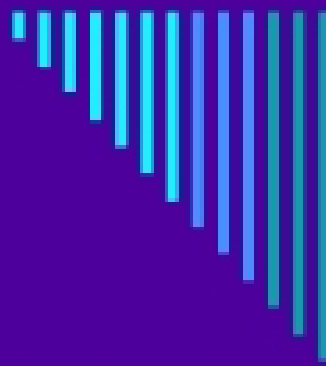
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# Background

- A key component of Business Modeling (Domain Analysis) - is creating the **Domain Model**
  - The Domain Model contains Key Abstractions (business / technology)
  - Is a Visual Model of entities, relationships, multiplicities, and more.
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# Domain Modeling - an Introduction

- Domain Modeling is the task of discovering “business objects” that represent those business entities and concepts.
- → Recognize that the domain model will be a superset of your entity classes needed for your application development.
  - **Your class diagrams – later on - will likely contain some of the entities found in your domain model.**
  - Similar to ERDs, but not the same.
    - Fully-attributed list (not a schema or physical database design...)