

As the term implies, **hybrid objects** are combinations of objects of two types. In particular, a hybrid object is a semantic object with at least one multi-value group attribute that includes a semantic object attribute.

An **association object** is an object that relates two or more objects and stores data that are peculiar to that relationship. Often association objects do not have identifiers of their own, in which case the identifier is the combination of the identifiers in the objects that are associated.

The final type of object is the **archetype/version object**. An archetype object is a semantic object that produces other semantic objects that represent versions, releases, or editions of the archetype.