DT228/4 Enterprise Systems & Architecture

Lab Test 6/3/2018 – XML / XSD / XSL

This test is worth 15% of your overall grade for this module

There are two companies, company A and company B. These two companies wish to do business using electronic data transfer. Company B provides goods to Company A. Company A will send its orders to company B electronically using XML. As part of the business process, Company B will convert the orders xml file received from Company A into an invoices xml file. The following schemas describe these xml documents respectively:

- Company A orders.xsd
- ➤ Company B *invoices.xsd*

Given the xml and xsd files provided as part of this webcourses assignment, write an xsl stylesheet that could be used by an XSLT processor to transform the orders.xml into a new xml file that conforms to (i.e. is valid using) the invoices.xsd schema. Save and name your xsl output document as invoices.xml.

Please submit the following using the webcourses assignment link:

- 1. order to invoice.xsl
- 2. invoices.xml

Notes:

- Right-click on the webcourses xml/xsd files in order to download them to disk.
- You may use notepad/notepad++ or similar editor. No specialist XML tools are allowed. You may use notes and example exercises from class/labs for reference. You may also look up examples and syntax online.
- You may use the following web application to ensure your XSL is well-formed and to transform
 orders.xml into the target XML using your XSL. Remember, because you are generating XML, trying to
 transform it using a browser is inappropriate you should either use the notepad++ XML Tools to
 perform the transformation or use the online utility below.

www.utilities-online.info/xsltransformation

Marks will be awarded for well-formed xml/xsl, xsl clarity and structure (e.g. relevant comments, formatting) and knowledge and use of xsd / xsl transformations and XPath expressions.