# XSDL XML Schema Description Language

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Perchè ne abbiamo bisogno? -> le stesse informazioni (nome, cognome e data) possono essere salvate in più modi. Se ogni persona crea la sua versione è un problema. Bisogna creare delle regole.

### XML Schema

An XML Schema describes the structure of an XML document.

dictionary for XML file

2001 standard XML Schema

W3C XML Schema specification

- Part 0 fundamentals
- Part 1 structures elements, attributes, namespaces
- Part 2 data types

# Purpose of XML Schema

#### data validation

- elements and attributes structure
- elements order
- values of elements and attributes

system documentation

modifying data

application-specific information

recipe for language

validator control correcness of the document 

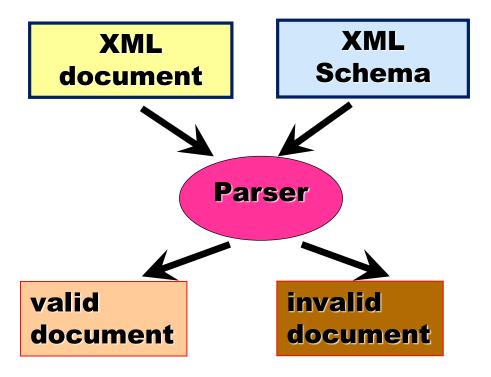
the programmer analyzes only the correct documents, he does not have to examine erroneous cases

la stessa cosa può essere descritta in più modi con XML schema

# Correctness of the document

well-formed document

valid document



### Correctness of the document

#### **WELL-FORMED**

There must be exactly one root element

Every start tag has a matching end tag

Attribute values must be quoted

Elements may nest, but must not overlap

#### **VALID**

is well- formed

the definition of the document exists (DTD, XML Schema, . . . )

the content of the XML document is consistent with the definition of the document

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```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<osoby xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"</pre>
                                                         <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
            xsi:noNamespaceSchemaLocation="Osoby.xsd">
                                                          <osoby xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"</pre>
    <osoba>
                                                                     xsi:noNamespaceSchemaLocation="Osoby.xsd">
        <nazwisko>Kowalski</nazwisko>
                                                             <osoba nazwisko="Kowalski">
        <imie>Jan</imie>
                                                                  <imie>Jan</imie>
        <data ur>1980.11.11</data ur>
                                                                 <data ur>1980.11.11</data ur>
        <wyksztalcenie>wyższe</wyksztalcenie>
                                                                 <miejsce pracy>Intel</miejsce pracy>
        <miejsce pracy>Intel</miejsce pracy>
                                                             </osoba>
    </osoba>
                                                             <osoba nazwisko="Nowacki">
    <osoba>
                                                                                                 XML FILE not valid with
                                                                  <imie>Eustachy</imie>
        <nazwisko>Nowacki</nazwisko>
                                                                                                 XML Schema
                                                                 <data ur>1998.10.10</data ur>
        <imie>Eustachy</imie>
                                                             </osoba>
        <data ur>1998.10.10</data ur>
                                                          </osoby>
        <wyksztalcenie>podstawowe</wyksztalcenie>
        <miejsce nauki>Szkoła Podstawowa</miejsce nauki>
    </osoba>
```

XML FILE valid with XML schema

</osobv>

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<xs:schema xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema" elementFormDefault="qualified</pre>
   <xs:element name="osobv">
       <xs:complexType>
            <xs:sequence maxOccurs="unbounded">
                <xs:element name="osoba">
                    <xs:complexType>
                        <xs:sequence>
                            <xs:element name="nazwisko" type="xs:string"/>
                            <xs:element name="imie" type="xs:string"/>
                            <xs:element name="data ur" type="xs:string"/>
                            <xs:element name="wyksztalcenie" type="xs:string"/>
                            <xs:choice>
                                <xs:element name="miejsce pracy" type="xs:string"/>
                                <xs:element name="miejsce nauki" type="xs:string"/>
                            </xs:choice>
                        </xs:sequence>
                    </xs:complexType>
                </xs:element>
                                                   XML SCHEMA FILE
            </xs:sequence>
        </xs:complexType>
   </xs:element>
</xs:schema>
```

XML Schema is an external file

XML Schema defines classes of XML documents

- XML Schema
- XML Data,
- Document Content Description (DCD),
- Schema for Object-oriented XML (SOX)
- Schematron
- TREX
- RELAX, XDR, HOOK, DSD, Assertion Grammars

Problema: se vogliamo unire due file ma che hanno gli stessi attributi non sappiamo come fare a distinguarli. In questo caso abbiamo il problema con titile, number and photo. Putroppo la slide successiva non la fa vedere, ma per capire basta aggiungere prima del elemento in nome de file seguito dai due punti e poi il tag. Esempio: <books:title> ... </books:title>

#### <number> 1</ number > <author> Kowalski</author> <title> Profesor </ title > < photo > z1.jpg <name> Nowak</ name> < title > Profesor </ title > < number > 1</ number > <photo> z2.jpg</photo> books persons < number > <author> <title> <name> <number> <title> < photo> <photo>

# XML namespaces

necessary when we have a name conflict becouse we use different markup languages

Marker language treated as a set of names - namespace

#### Namespace

- namespace is defined by xmlns:prefix
- prefix is used for every tag or attribute from the namespace
- identified by URI
- each tag from the namespace has a prefix

Un namespace si devinisce con **xmlns:"nome\_del\_namespace"**. Qui ci sono tutti i casi, penso li capirai con il tempo.

# XML namespaces </book>

# <?xml version="1.0"?> <book> <title> Digital documents </title> </book>

#### namespace in document

- no namespace
- one
- many
- local
- default

<?xml version="1.0"?>

<br/>

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<book xmlns='http://www.books.org/books'>
    <title> Digital documents </title>
    <isbn:number xmlns:isbn='urn:ISBN:0-395-36341-6'>
        1568491379
     </isbn:number>
</book>
```

```
<br/>
```

# XML standard namespaces

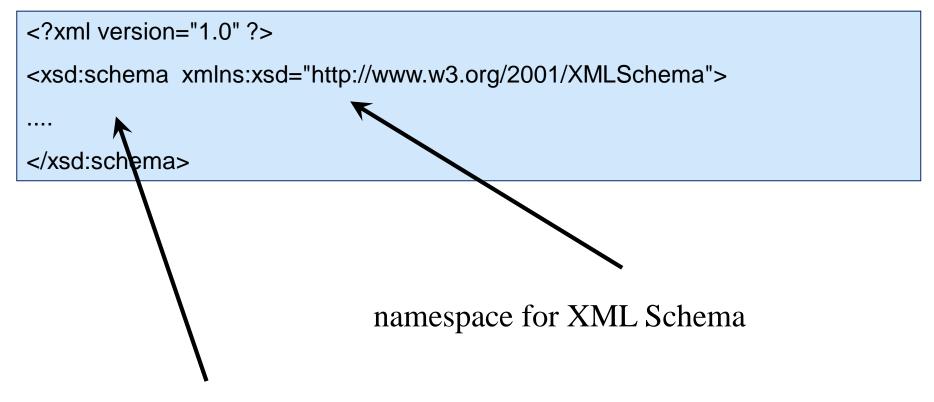
language	prefiks	URI
HTML	html:	http://www.w3.org/TR/REC-html40
XML Schema	xsd:	http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance
XSLT	xsl:	http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform
XSL	fo:	http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Format
Xlink	xlink:	http://www.w3.org/1999/xlink

#### XML Schema namespace

- http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema
- there are all Schema components
  - element, attribute, schema, complexType, string, sequence ...

```
<schema xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
  <element name="Person">
    <complexType>
    </complexType>
  </element>
</schema>
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
 <xsd:element name="Person">
   <xsd:complexType>
   </xsd:complexType>
 </xsd:element>
</xsd:schema>
```

Structure of the XML Schema document



the main content of the scheme

#### element declaration

type, numer of elements, hierarchy

File XML, nel file XML Schema dovremo essere in grado di definire elementi e attributi

attribute declaration

new types definition

### Element declaration

Element

```
<xsd:element name="Name_of_the_element" type="Data_Type" ...
attributes/>
```

```
< Name_of_the_element >
element content according to Data_Type
</ Name_of_the_element >
```

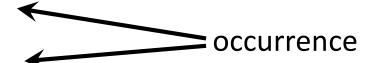
```
<xsd:element name="surname" type="xsd:string" />
```

<surname> Kowalski </ surname>

### Elements attributes

- name
- type
- id
- minOccurs
- maxOccurs





<xsd:element name="surname" type="xsd:string" />

### Element attributes

#### minOccurs, maxOccurs

- default value
  - minOccurs = "1"
  - maxOccurs = "1"
- optional
  - minOccurs = "0"
- Unspecified number of occurrences
  - maxOccurs = "unbounded" (non ci sono vincoli)

# Element declaration

#### Elements

- Global
- Local
- References

### Global elements

Placed directly in the main element

Messi direttamente nella root del file

Visible in the whole scheme

Sono visibili in tutto lo schema

They have a name

They have a type

They can have optional attributes

```
<FirstGlobalElement>
          content
</ FirstGlobalElement >
```

```
<schema xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema>
...
<element na ne="FirstGlobalElement" type="string" />
...
</schema>
```

### Local elements

They are defined in the context of other elements

They have a name, type, they can have optional attributes

XML SCHEMA

```
Se un elemento è locale, è invisibile nel resto dello schema
```

```
XML FILE (rispetta le condizioni dell'XML SCHEMA
```

- </ FirstGlobalElement >
- < SecondGlobalElement >
  - < LocalElement > plain text </ LocalElement >
- </ SecondGlobalElement >

# References to the elements

They have the ref attribute instead of the name attribute

They do not have any type attribute

</schema>

They allow multiple use of element declaration

They can only refer to global elements(?)

### Declaration v.s. Definition

*Declarations* – enable element and attributes with specific names and types to appear in document instance

- element declaration
- attribute declaration

thanks to declaration elements and attributes with specific name and type can appear in a document istance (in a XML file)

Definitions - create a new type

- simple type definitions
- complex type definitions
- attribute group, model group definitions

# Elements - fixed and default value

fixed = come default ma non puoi rimodificarlo

<xsd:element name= " number" fixed= "1.0" />

< number >1.0</ number >

< number />

< number >2.0</ number >

default = valore di default che ha l'attributo se è vuoto

<xsd:element name= " number" type= "decimal" default= "1.0" />

< number >1.0</ number >

< number />

< number >2.0</ number >

E' un errore avere sia default che fixed

# Data types

built-in = are part of the standard

user-defined = are types that the user have defined

simple type: when you want to create a new type that is a refinement of a built-it type

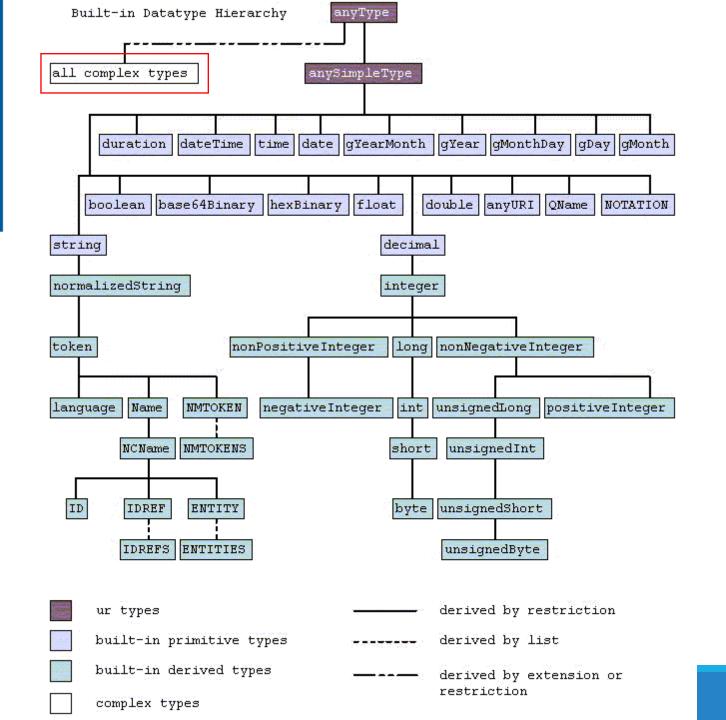
complex type = can contain sub element. Use when you want to define child elements and/or attributes of an element

#### primitive

- they do not require defining derived
- derived from other types

#### derived

derived form other types



# Complex types

Only the type defined globally and named can be used many times

```
<xsd:element name="Student">
  <xsd:complexType name="personType">
    ...
  </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
```

```
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema>
  <xsd:element name="Student">
    <xsd:complexType>
                                                                Anonymous type
                                                                (può essere anonimo solo un
    </xsd:complexType>
                                                               elemento)
  </xsd:element>
  <xsd:element name="Teacher" type="personType" />
                                                              Devi prima definirlo nella root come è stato fatto
  <xsd:complexType name="personType">
                                                             qui con name. Qui abbiamo definito il type come "
                                                              personType" lo possiamo utilizzare più volte.
  </xsd:complexType>
                                                              Named type
</xsd:schema>
```

# Complex types

```
<xsd:element name="Student" type="personType" />
<xsd:element name="Teacher" type="personType" />
<xsd:complexType name="personType">
    <xsd:element name="Surname" type="xsd:string" />
    <xsd:element ref="Name" />
    <xsd:element name="Phone" type="xsd:long" />
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:element name="Name" type="xsd:string" />
```

# Complex types

#### Order indicators

- way of occurrence of subelements in the complex type
- sequence
- choice
- all

#### sequence

strict order of sub-elements

```
<xsd:complexType name="personType">
  <xsd:sequence>
    <xsd:element name="Surname" type="xsd:string" />
     <xsd:element name="Name" type="xsd:string" />
     <xsd:element name="Phone" type="xsd:long" />
     </xsd:sequence>
  </xsd:complexType>
```

Equivalent in DTD: (non ci interessa ora)

<!ELEMENT xyz (Surname, Name, Phone)>

#### choice (LO USI PER LE ALTERNATIVE)

only one of the declared child elements

```
<xsd:complexType name="Dane">
  <xsd:choice>
    <xsd:element name="Student" type="xsd:string" />
    <xsd:element name="Assistant" type="xsd:string" />
    <xsd:element name="Professor" type="xsd:string" />
    </xsd:choice>
  </xsd:complexType>
```

Equivalent in DTD:

```
<!ELEMENT xyz (Student | Assistant | Professor)>
```

#### Nesting choice and sequence

```
<xsd:sequence>
                                                                     abcd
                                                              wrong
  <xsd:choice>
    <xsd:element name="a" type="xsd:long" />
                                                                     acd
                                                              correct
    <xsd:element name="b" type="xsd:string" />
  </xsd:choice>
                                                                     bcd
  <xsd:sequence>
                                                             correct
    <xsd:element name="c" type="xsd:int" />
    <xsd:element name="d" type="xsd:float" />
                                                                     bc
                                                            •wrong
  </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:sequence>
```

<!ELEMENT xyz ((a | b), (c, d))>

#### Repeating the sequence/choice

```
<xsd:sequence maxOccurs="unbounded">
  <xsd:choice minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
    <xsd:element name="a" type="xsd:long" />
    <xsd:element name="b" type="xsd:string" />
 </xsd:choice>
  <xsd:sequence minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded">
    <xsd:element name="c" type="xsd:int" />
    <xsd:element name="d" type="xsd:float" />
 </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:sequence>
```

```
< !ELEMENT xyz ((a | b)?, (c, d)*)+>
```

# Order indicators all

all elements in any order (devono apparire)

```
<xsd:all>
  <xsd:element name="Surname" type="xsd:string" />
  <xsd:element ref="Name" />
  <xsd:element name="Phone" type="xsd:long" />
  </xsd:all>
```

- limitations all
  - maxOccurs = "1", minOccurs = "0" or "1"
  - all cannot be nested within sequence, choice, all
  - in all only elements
- increasing the computational complexity of validating parsers
- Equivalent in DTD:

# Mixed content type

It supports all properties of the complex type:

minOccurs, maxOccurs, sequence ...

```
<person>
    Definicja dla osoby
    <FirstName>Anna</FirstName> bez innych imion
    <FirstName>Empty</FirstName>
    <LastName>Kowalska</LastName> z mieszaną zawartością
</person>
```

# anyType

The elements by default are "any type" any Type

The following declarations are equivalent

<xsd:element name="Data" type="xsd:anyType" />

<xsd:element name="Data" />

```
<xs:schema attributeFormDefault="unqualified" el <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
                                                    <books>
                                                        <author>
  <xs:element name="books" />
                                                            <name>student's name</name>
  <xs:complexType name="bookType">
                                                            <surname>student's surname
    <xs:sequence>
                                                        </author>
      <xs:element name="title" type="xs:string"/</pre>
                                                        <study kind="lecture" >
      <xs:element name="author" type="xs:string"</pre>
                                                            <activities id="1">
      <xs:element name="year" type="xs:short"/>
                                                                 <topic>Hypertext and hypermedia</topic>
      <xs:element name="price" type="xs:float"/>
                                                                 <range>
    </xs:sequence>
                                                                     <component>Hypertext & hypermedia/component>
    <xs:attribute name="category" type="xs:string"</pre>
                                                                     <component>HTML CSS</component>
  </xs:complexType>
                                                                     <component>XML</component>
  <xs:complexType name="booksType">
                                                                     <component>XML Schema</component>
    <xs:sequence>
                                                                     <component>DTD</component>
      <xs:element name="book" type="bookType" ma:</pre>
                                                                     <component>XSLT</component>
    </xs:sequence>
                                                                     <component>FO</component>
  </xs:complexType>
                                                                 </range>
</xs:schema>
                                                                 <score>30</score>
                                                            </activities>
                                                        </study>
      Manca tyoe="BookType" nella pirmo elemento!
                                                        <study kind="laboratory" obligatory="yes">
      quindi diventa "anytype" e lo schema sotto è
      come viene letto.
                                                            <activities id="1">
      Nota che il file XML è valido con la
                                                                 <topic>HTML + CSS</topic>
      dichiarazione sotto, perchè abbiamo usato
                                                                 <range>
      appunto "anytype". L'unico vincolo è che il
                                                                     <component>structure of the page</component>
      nome del root sia "Books"
                                                                     /commonent\links//commonent\
      --> NON USARE MAI ANYTYPE
                                                                                   <price>29.99</price>
<xs:schema attributeFormDefault="unqualified" elementFormDefault="qualifie"</pre>
                                                                                 </book>
xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
                                                                                 <book category="web">
                                                                                   <title>Learning XML</title>
  <xs:element name="books" />
                                                                                   <author>Erik T. Ray</author>
                                                                                   <year>2003</year>
</xs:schema>
                                                                                   <price>39.95</price>
                                                                                 </book>
                                                                               </books>
```

## Element any

The <any> element enables us to extend the XML document with elements not specified by the schema. Puoi scrivere altro dopo il cognome.

## Empty content

element may be empty

Dichiaro un elemento complesso ma dentro non ci metto nulla

```
<xsd:element name="emptyElement">
  <xsd:complexType />
  </xsd:element>
```

<emptyElement />

## Element group

the group element is used to define a group of elements to be used in complex type definitions.

named groups of model, fragments of content models that you can reuse

#### benefits

- indicates that some complex types have similar subelements
- allows you to create more compact schema

#### The group can not contain both elements and attributes

Groups must be declared globally

#### Esempio of group element:

```
<complexType name="StudentType" mixed="true">
  <sequence>
    <group ref="MyGroup" />
  </sequence>
</complexType>
<complexType name="TeacherType" mixed="true">
  <sequence>
    <element name="Title" maxOccurs="3" type="string" />
    <group ref="MyGroup" />
 </sequence>
</complexType>
<group name="MyGroup" >
  <sequence>
    <element name="FirstName" type="string" />
    <element name="LastName" type="string" />
  </sequence>
</group>
```

## Simple types

Creating your **own** simple datatypes

Simple types inherit (ereditare) from:

- built-in types
- other simple types

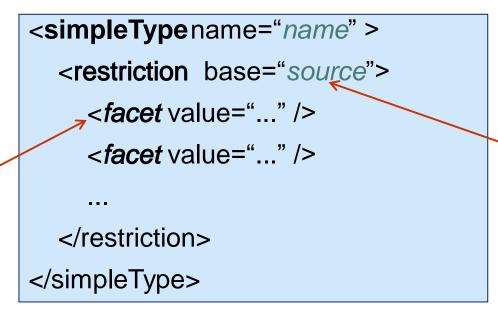
Only simple content (not sub element or attributes are allowed in simple types)

## General form of creating a new datatype (SIMPLETYPE) by specifying facet values

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#### Facets:

- length
- minlength
- maxlength
- pattern
- enumeration
- minInclusive
- maxInclusive
- minExclusive
- maxExclusive



#### Sources:

- string
- boolean
- number
- float
- double
- duration
- dateTime
- time

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# Example of creating a new datatype by specifying facet values

## Facets of the string

The string primitive datatype has six optional facets:

- length
- minLength
- maxLength
- pattern
- enumeration
- whitespace (legal values: preserve, replace, collapse)

### enumeration

List of predefined values (per forzare il valore fra alcuni scelti)

<day> Tuesday </day>

```
<simpleType name="dayType" >
    <restriction base="string">
        <enumeration value="Monday" />
        <enumeration value="Tuesday" />
        <enumeration value="Wednesday" />
        <enumeration value="Thursday" />
        <enumeration value="Friday" />
        </restriction>
    </simpleType>
```

## pattern

```
The value of pattern must be a regular expression
Si definisce un set di valori validi
[0-9] --> range di valori
{3} --> quanti valori devi mettere
esempio: [0-9]{2} --> 2 valori fra 0 e 9
```

111-22-33-444-555-666-77-88

## Regular expressions

```
\p{L}
                 A letter, from any language
        \p{Lu} An uppercase letter, from any language
        \p{Ll} A lowercase letter, from any language
        \p{N} A number - Roman, fractions, etc
        \p{Nd} A digit from any language
                                                              ? --> means 0 or 1 times
        \p{P}
                 A punctuation symbol
                                                              * --> means 0 or many times
                                                              + --> means 1 or many times
<xsd:simpleType name="money">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
    <xsd:pattern value="\p{Sc}\p{Nd}+(\.\p{Nd}\p{Nd})?"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
                    Currency sign
                                Digit from any language
<xsd:element name="cost" type="money"/>
```

<cost>\$45.99</cost> <cost>¥300</cost>

Ci sono molti altri esempio durante la lezione

## Facets of the integer datatype

The integer datatype has 8 optional facets:

totalDigits

pattern

whitespace

enumeration

maxInclusive

maxExclusive

minInclusive

minExclusive

```
<simpleType name="gradeType" >
    <restriction base="Integer">
        <minInclusive value="1" />
        <maxInclusive value="5" />
        </restriction>
    </simpleType>
```

I valori possono andare da 1 a 5

## Facets of the decimal datatype

#### The decimal datatype has 9 optional facets:

- totalDigits
- fractionDigits
- pattern
- whitespace
- enumeration
- maxInclusive
- maxExclusive
- minInclusive
- minExclusive

## Multiple Facets - "and" them together, or "or" them together?

```
<xsd:simpleType name="TelephoneNumberType">
    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
        <xsd:length value="8"/>
        <xsd:pattern value="\d{3}-\d{4}"/>
        </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
```

An element declared to be of type TelephoneNumber must be a string of length=8 *and* the string must follow the pattern: 3 digits, dash, 4 digits.

```
<xsd:simpleType name="shapeType">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
    <xsd:enumeration value="circle"/>
    <xsd:enumeration value="triangle"/>
    <xsd:enumeration value="square"/>
    </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
```

An element declared to be of type shape must be a string with a value of *either* circle, *or* triangle, *or* square.

Patterns, enumerations => "or" them together All other facets => "and" them together

## Fixing a facet value

```
<xsd:simpleType name= "daysType">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:int">
        <xsd:minInclusive value="1" fixed="true"/>
        <xsd:maxInclusive value="30"/>
        </xsd:restriction>
  </xsd:simpleType>
```

Provi a cambiare valore in un elemento derivato, ma non puoi cambiare il valore nell' elemento padre è fixed="true"

```
<xsd:simpleType name= "myDaysType">
  <xsd:restriction base=" daysType ">
     <xsd:minInclusive value="7"/>
     <xsd:maxInclusive value="30"/>
     </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
```

## Summary (riassunto) of declaring elements

<xsd:element name="name" type="type" minOccurs="int,, maxOccurs="int"/>

### Lists

#### <numbers>2 10 6 1 15 150</numbers>

The list element defines a simple type element as a list of values of a specified data type.

The list can only contain simple types

You cannot create a list of lists

All list items of the same type

List elements in XML documents must be separated by whitespace

#### facets allowed on list

- length, minLength, maxLength
  - they determine the length of the list
- enumeration, pattern
  - they specify the values of t

```
<xsd:simpleType name="numbersType">
  <xsd:list itemType=" xsd:positiveInteger "/>
  </xsd:simpleType>
```

<xsd:element name="numbers" type="numbersType "/>

PUoi unire ogni tipo di file, ma solo simple type. Qui possiamo vedere due versioni della stessa cosa Ma nel secondo modo i simpletype non sono riutilizzabili perchè sono all'interno.

### Union

Connecting any simple types into one

You can combine different types

```
<class>1</class>
<class>One</class>
```

```
<simpleType name="Type1" >
  <restriction base="string">
    <enumeration value="One" />
    <enumeration value="Two" />
  </restriction>
</simpleType>
<simpleType name="Type2" >
  <restriction base="positiveInteger">
   <maxInclusive value="2"/>
 </restriction>
</simpleType>
<simpleType name="unionType" >
  <union memberTypes="Type1 Type2">
</simpleType>
<element name=<u>"class"</u> type="unionType" />
```

```
<simpleType name="unionType" >
  <union>
    <simpleType>
      <restriction base="string">
        <enumeration value="One" /> ...
      </restriction>
    </simpleType>
    <simpleType>
    <restriction base="positiveInteger">
        <maxInclusive value="2"/>
       </restriction>
    </simpleType>
  </union>
</simpleType>
                                    55
```

## Derived complex types

#### restriction

- the set of values of the new type is a subset
- similar to simple types

#### extension

adding additional elements to the base type

## Derive by extension

```
<complexType name="personType" >
    <sequence>
        <element name="name" type="string" />
            <element name="surname" type="string" />
            </sequence>
        </complexType>
```

## Derive by extension

dARA' ERRORE!!!

## Derive by restriction

```
<xsd:complexType name="Publication">
    <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="Title" type="xsd:string" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
        <xsd:element name="Author" type="xsd:string" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
        <xsd:element name="Date" type="xsd:gYear"/>
    </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:complexType>
<xsd:complexType name= "SingleAuthorPublication">
  <xsd:complexContent>
    <xsd:restriction base="Publication">
      <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="Title" type="xsd:string" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
        <xsd:element name="Author" type="xsd:string"/>
        <xsd:element name="Date" type="xsd:gYear"/>
      </xsd:sequence>
    </xsd:restriction>
  </xsd:complexContent>
</xsd:complexType>
```

## Attributes

The attribute declarations always come last, after the element declarations. (le dichiarazione di attributi viene sempre dopo quella degli elementi)

Declared localy or globaly

#### Always simple type

```
<attribute name="attr1" type="string" />
<element name="testelement">
<complexType>
<sequence>
...
</sequence>
<attribute ref="attr1" />
<attribute name="attr2" type="string" />
</complexType>
</lement>

Global attribute

Feference

Local attribute
```

## Attributes

default = automaticamente aggiunto all'attributo

fixed = automenticamente aggiunto all'attributo, ma non si può cambiare

Questi attributi hanno senso solo all'interno di elementi non negli attributi globali

use= "optional"

use= "required"

use= "prohibited"

Si capisce l'attributo di questo dal video (si usa per gli elementi derivate (quelli ristretti))

<xs:attribute name="lang" type="xs:string" use="required" fixed="EN"/>

## anyAttribute

Permette di aggiungere attributi che non sono specificati dallo schema

```
<xs:element name="person">
<xs:complexType>
  <xs:sequence>
  <xs:element name="firstname" type="xs:string"/>
  <xs:element name="lastname" type="xs:string"/>
  <xs:any minOccurs="0"/>
 </xs:sequence>
  <xs:anyAttribute/>
</xs:complexType>
</xs:element>
```

## attributeGroup

```
<element name="testelement2">
  <attributeGroup ref="MyAttrGroup1"/>
</element>
<attributeGroup name="MyAttrGroup1">
  <attribute name="attr1" type="long" />
  <attribute name="attr2" >
    <simpleType> ... </simpleType>
  </attribute>
</attributeGroup>
```

## Summary of Declaring Attributes

```
<xsd:attribute name="name" type="simple-type" use="how-its-used" default/fixed="value"/>
                                                      required
                                                                     The "use" attribute
                                     xsd:string
                                                      optional
                                                                     must be
                                     xsd:integer
                                                      prohibited
                                                                     optional if you use
                                     xsd:boolean
                                                                     default or fixed.
  <xsd:attribute name="name" use="how-its-used" default/fixed="value">
     <xsd:simpleType>
         <xsd:restriction base="simple-type">
            <xsd:facet value="value"/>
         </xsd:restriction>
                                                         C' E' UNA SLIDE MOLTO IMPORTANTE SUL
                                                         VIDEO, COPIALA!!!
     </xsd:simpleType>
  </xsd:attribute>
```

```
<element name="size">
                                          NON HAI CAPITO MOLTO BENE...
<complexType >
  <simpleContent>
    <extension base="integer">
      <attribute name="system" type="token" />
    </extension>
  </simpleContent>
</complexType>
</element>
                          <size system="US-DRESS">10</size>
<element name="size">
<complexType>
    <attribute name="system" type="token" />
</complexType>
</element>
                           <size system="US-DRESS"/>
```

## Include and import

#### include

#### import

```
<schema xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema
  targetNamespace="http://www.example.org/NS2"
  xmlns:imp1="http://www.importme.org/Import1">
  <import namespace="http//www.importme.org/Import1" /schemas/Import1.xsd" />
  <element name="test1" type="imp1:testType" />
  </schema>
```

## Annotations

for people <documentation>

for applications <appinfo>

Nulla a effetto sull Schema validation. Ma non puoi metterle ovunque: solo prima e dopo ogni elemento globale (ma alla fine si può lo stesso..) --> la sclide che lo spiega qui non c'è)

## nil (annullabile) content

attribute nillable

indicates that the element may not have content

```
in XML xsd:nill="true"
```

```
<Price>
  <amount>100</amount>
  <currency xsd:nil="true" />
  </Price>
```

## XML Schema design methods

We can use 3 strategies:

Define the type of each element using a local type

Define a series of named complex and simple types at the top level of the XML Schema document and use those names to indicate the types to be used for the elements

Define a series of elements and groups of code at the top level of the Schema definition and then refer to those element definitions using the attribute ref

```
<xs:schema attributeFormDefault="unqualified" elementFormDefault="qualified"</pre>
xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
  <xs:element name="books">
    <xs:complexType>
      <xs:sequence>
        <xs:element name="book" max0ccurs="unbounded" min0ccurs="0">
          <xs:complexType>
            <xs:sequence>
              <xs:element name="title" type="xs:string"/>
                                                                             <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
              <xs:element name="author" type="xs:string"/>
                                                                              <books>
              <xs:element name="year" type="xs:short"/>
                                                                                <book category="fantasy">
              <xs:element name="price" type="xs:float"/>
                                                                                  <title>The colour of magic</title>
            </xs:sequence>
                                                                                  <author>Terry Pratchett</author>
            <xs:attribute name="category" type="xs:string" use="optional"/</pre>
                                                                                  <year>2012</year>
          </xs:complexType>
                                                                                  <price>30.00</price>
        </xs:element>
                                                                                </book>
      </xs:sequence>
                                                                                <book category="fantasy">
    </xs:complexType>
                                                                                  <title>Guards! Guards!</title>
  </xs:element>
                                                                                  <author>Terry Pratchett</author>
</xs:schema>
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                                                                                <book category="children">
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```

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     <xs:complexType name="bookType">
          <xs:sequence>
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