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## Introduction

This document serves as a specification of the FIX Algorithmic Trading Definition Language (FIXatdl), a markup language that works in conjunction with the FIX Protocol. FIXatdl is used to define the FIX interface of algorithmic order types. An algorithmic order interface description consists of: a description of tags that are to be included in FIX New Order Single, Order Cancel Request and Order Cancel/Replace Request messages that are to be sent to an order recipient; rules for validating the data entered into an order form by a user; suggestions on how to render GUI controls within an order entry form; and rules affecting the visual state of the GUI controls as information is being entered into the order form.

Rather than describing interfaces in a natural language, such as English, which can be subject to differing interpretations, FIXatdl standardizes the way algorithmic interfaces are described thus reducing interpretation errors and allowing for the creation of documents in a machine-readable format. It is envisioned that applications supporting this standard would be able to receive an XML document conforming to FIXatdl and, based on the information within this document, be able to:

- Dynamically display an order ticket containing algorithmic order parameters.
- Change the visual state of GUI controls based on user input.
- Validate the values entered into the ticket before an order is transmitted.
- Create and transmit a FIX order message with the appropriate standard and/or user-defined fields populated.

These capabilities are achievable without the need for custom software development or subsequent product deployment.

## Audience

This specification is intended for those interested in either: (1) developing applications with FIX order entry capabilities supporting order type definition via FIXatdl; or (2) algorithmic order providers who wish to describe the interface to their algorithms in FIXatdl.

## FIXatdl Schema Files

A set of XML Schema files has been created to describe the structure of a FIXatdl document instance. These files can be used with commercial XML parsing software to validate a FIXatdl document instance. They can also be used with XML data binding utilities to generate source code which maps classes to XML representations. The files are grouped into two functional categories:

- **Data Contract** – Defines the wire-value interface of an algorithmic order. For each algorithm/strategy it defines the valid set of parameters and availability of the strategy for specific markets. For each parameter of an algorithm/strategy it defines the type; the legal range of values (including minimum and maximum values); whether it is optional or required; and value constraints based on certain conditions or the value of other parameters (validation rules).
- **GUI** – Defines the recommended GUI controls that should be rendered on the order entry screen and their location on the screen. Defines the rules that affect the state of a GUI control. Provides a mapping of the on screen controls with the parameters of the data contract.

The constructs of the schema files have been categorized this way to ensure that the data contract is de-coupled from the GUI. This provides some flexibility for E/OMS vendors in how FIXatdl is applied. For example, data contract functions, such as parameter validation, may be performed in an application downstream from the E/OMS without the need for the XML that describes the GUI.

The FIXatdl language definition, ver. 1.1, is contained within six XML Schema files:

XML Schema file / namespace	Purpose
fixatdl-core-1-1.xsd <a href="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Core">http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Core</a>	Data: Defines attributes and elements that are used to describe the data content of the algorithm and the parameters.
fixatdl-validation-1-1.xsd <a href="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Validation">http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Validation</a>	Data: Defines attributes and elements used to author rules that are applied to the parameter values as a validation check. These rules can be simple where boundary conditions are checked, or complex where compound boolean expressions involving several parameters are evaluated.
fixatdl-layout-1-1.xsd <a href="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Layout">http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Layout</a>	GUI: XML constructs to describe how a parameter should be rendered within a user interface – this includes recommendations about GUI controls and their relative location within the interface.
fixatdl-flow-1-1.xsd <a href="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Flow">http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Flow</a>	GUI: Provides the ability to dynamically affect the behavior of a GUI control. Rules can be created to enable or disable parameters based on values entered by the user in other parameters.
fixatdl-regions-1-1.xsd <a href="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Regions">http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Regions</a>	Data: Enumeration values for countries within three regions: TheAmericas, EuropeMiddleEastAfrica and AsiaPacificJapan.
fixatdl-timezones-1-1.xsd <a href="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Timezones">http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Timezones</a>	Data: Lists enumeration values for world timezones based on zoneinfo database.

## Key Concepts

### Element Hierarchy

The FIXatdl schema provides a set of XML elements that are used to create a conforming FIXatdl document. These elements are described later in this section. The attributes of each of these elements are described in latter in this document.

In a FIXatdl document an algorithm provider can define any number of algorithmic order interfaces by using multiple Strategy elements. Each strategy is identified by a unique name that must be provided in the XML of each of the Strategy elements. Instances of documents begin with the root element, Strategies, and follow the hierarchy:

```
<Strategies>
  <Strategy>
    ... strategy definition ...
  </Strategy>
  <Strategy>
    ... strategy definition ...
  </Strategy>
  ...
  <Strategy>
    ... strategy definition ...
  </Strategy>
</Strategies>
```

At the root level, the algorithm provider must specify which tag to use to identify the individual strategies. (At one time TargetStrategy (tag 847) was intended to carry this information. However, most providers use a user-defined field for this purpose.) For example to indicate that tag 5009 will be used to identify strategies the Strategies element would be written as

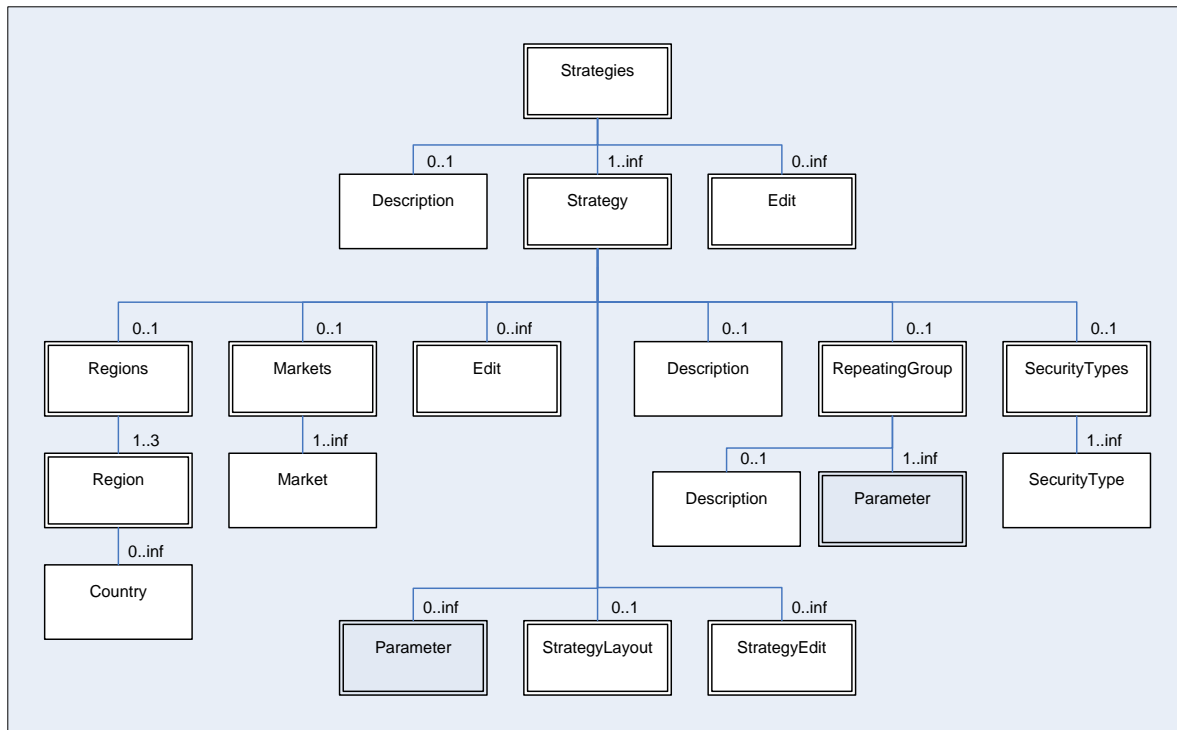
```
<Strategies strategyIdentifierTag="5009"/>
```

Parameters for each strategy are defined via Parameter elements. Validation rules are defined via StrategyEdit elements. Each strategy can have any number of parameters or validation rules. An algorithm can have only one section where the layout of the controls is defined. A layout is defined via the StrategyLayout element. So if we look deeper into the strategy definition we'll see that it follows the hierarchy:

```
<Strategy>
  <Parameter>
  <Parameter>
  ...
  <Parameter>
  <StrategyEdit>
  <StrategyEdit>
  ...
  <StrategyEdit>
  <StrategyLayout>
```

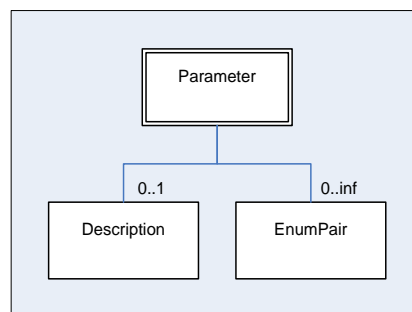
</Strategy>

The following figure shows the hierarchy of elements in tree form starting from the root element, Strategies. The XML Schema values minOccurs and maxOccurs are given for each branch of the tree. Elements with optional or required child elements are indicated by double-line borders. Elements with no children (leaf nodes) have single-line borders. Abstract elements, ones which require the use of a substitution group, are shaded. The elements, Parameter, StrategyLayout and StrategyEdit are somewhat complex; the hierarchy of their children is shown in figures 2 through 4.



**Figure 1: Root Element Hierarchy**

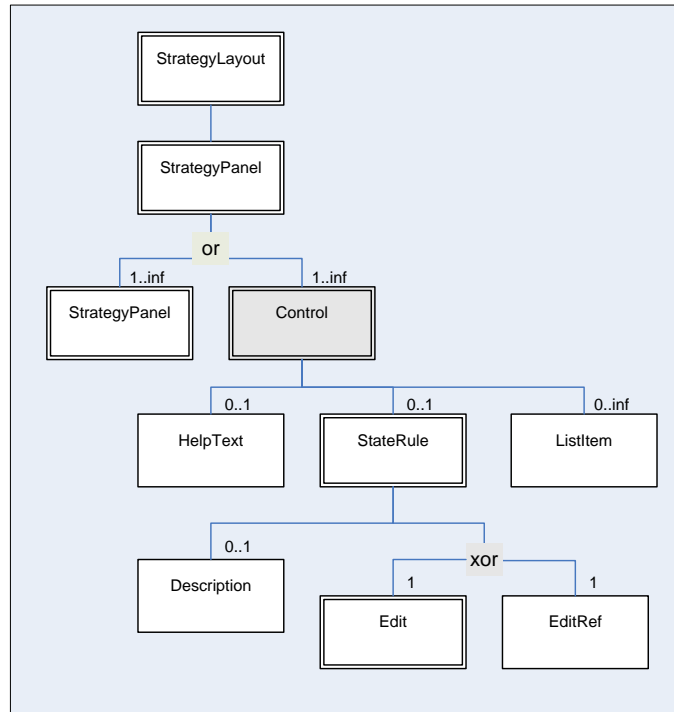
The following figure gives the hierarchy of elements descending from the Parameter element.



**Figure 2: Parameter Hierarchy**

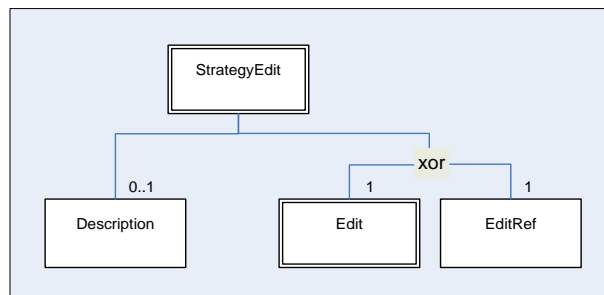
The following figure gives the hierarchy of elements descending from the StrategyLayout element. This element is responsible for binding GUI controls to parameters and describing their arrangement on the order-entry screen.





**Figure 3: StrategyLayout Hierarchy**

The following figure shows the StrategyEdit hierarchy. This element is used to describe validation rules which are applied to the values of a strategy's parameters at order-generation time. Each StrategyEdit must contain a single Edit element (may contain further nested Edit rules) which is used to describe a particular condition that must be met in order to pass validation.



**Figure 4: StrategyEdit Hierarchy**

## Parameter Description

The interface of an algorithmic order type is described by a set of FIX messages, the required, optional and user-defined fields of those messages, and user-defined restrictions on the range of values for particular fields. In general, when we speak of the parameters of an algorithmic order we are, in fact, referring to the user-defined fields of a New Order Single, Order Cancel Request or Order Cancel/Replace Request. (In some cases a parameter may also refer to a standard FIX field, one with a tag number in the range 1-5000, that broker-dealers commonly included in their algorithmic interface specifications, such as EffectiveTime (tag 168) and ExpireTime (tag 128).)

Parameters are strictly described in FIXatdl by the target firm who will receive them (*order recipients*), and are communicated via an XML file to various senders (*order initiators*). To describe these parameters, FIXatdl provides the Parameter element. Parameter elements are identified by their “name” attribute. There is no limit to the number of parameters a strategy may have as long as each is uniquely identified at the strategy level. Besides a parameter’s name, other parameter attributes include: its type; its maximum and minimum values (if applicable); its corresponding FIX tag number; and its usage (optional vs. required). For example, the following code snippet describes an integer type parameter:

```
<Parameter name="SampleRate" xsi:type="Int_t" fixTag="8000" use="optional" minValue="1" maxValue="9"/>
```

This listing describes a parameter named “SampleRate” which can optionally be populated in tag 8000 of an Order message. The attributes “minValue” and “maxValue” describes the minimum and maximum values that the recipient of an Order messages is expecting. Orders with SampleRate values outside that range may be rejected. The attribute “xsi:type” describes the parameter’s type which must be one of the datatypes specified by the FIX Protocol. FIXatdl provides enumeration values for xsi:type that map directly to the FIX datatypes. (An explanation of xsi:type can be found in this document in the section entitled “Abstract Element Extensions”).

For certain parameters it may be appropriate to limit the legal values to a set of enumerated values. This is done by adding child EnumPair elements to the Parameter element. Each EnumPair represents one of the enumerated values expected to be transmitted over the wire. For example:

```
<Parameter name="Aggression" xsi:type="Char_t" fixTag="8001" use="required">
  <EnumPair enumID="low" wireValue="L"/>
  <EnumPair enumID="medium" wireValue="M"/>
  <EnumPair enumID="high" wireValue="H"/>
</Parameter>
```

This describes the “Aggression” parameter. An order recipient would expect to receive one of the values, “L”, “M” or “H” in tag 8001 of an Order message. The attribute EnumPair/@enumID is a unique identifier of EnumPair elements.

If a user of an order-entry system were to submit an order with “SampleRate” set to 5 and “Aggression” set to “high”, the order recipient would expect to receive a FIX message containing a substring similar to:

```
...35=D|11=0001|55=AXP|44=77.25| ... 8000=5|8001=H ...
```

## Validation Rules

Validation rules are defined by use of the StrategyEdit element. This XML element enables the creation of complex and conditional rules which can be applied to the orders generated by an E/OMS. The goal of a validation rule is to process the

values of the strategy parameters after they have been entered by the user. Each validation rule consists of a condition and an error message. If the condition is true then the values of the parameters are valid. If the condition is false then the values of the parameters are invalid and the provided error message should be displayed. That is to say, validation conditions are much like assertions. When an assertion has failed an error has occurred.

The conditions described within a validation rule are defined by use of the Edit element. An Edit element defines a Boolean expression where values of parameters can be compared to one another or to constant values.

To illustrate, consider the most common parameters of all algorithms, StartTime and EndTime. Their description and a rule guaranteeing that StartTime precedes EndTime can be described by the following statements:

```
<Parameter name="StartTime" xsi:type="UTCTimestamp_t" fixTag="8005" use="required"/>
<Parameter name="EndTime" xsi:type="UTCTimestamp_t" fixTag="8006" use="required"/>
<StrategyEdit errorMessage="Start Time must precede End Time.">
  <Edit field="StartTime" operator="LT" field2="EndTime"/>
</StrategyEdit>
```

Here we have defined both StartTime and EndTime as UTCTimestamp parameters. At validation time, the rule described in StrategyEdit instructs the E/OMS to perform an evaluation of the Boolean expression provided by the Edit element. In this case a comparison of StartTime and EndTime will be made using the “LT” (less than) operator. If StartTime is less than EndTime then the parameter values are deemed to be valid. However, if StartTime is greater than or equal to EndTime then the parameter values are invalid and the E/OMS can inform the user by displaying the error message in a dialog box.

For more complex rules, Boolean expression may be formed by multiple Edit elements organized in an expression tree using logical operators AND, OR, XOR and NOT. For example consider these declarations:

```
<Parameter name="ParticipationRate" xsi:type="Float_t" fixTag="8008" use="optional"/>
<StrategyEdit errorMessage="If Participation Rate is entered it must be between 1 and 50">
  <Edit logicOperator="OR">
    <Edit field="ParticipationRate" operator="NX"/>
    <Edit logicOperator="AND">
      <Edit field="ParticipationRate" operator="GE" value="1"/>
      <Edit field="ParticipationRate" operator="LE" value="50"/>
    </Edit>
  </Edit>
</StrategyEdit>
```

Here we see a tree of Edit elements. The root Edit element is describing a logical “OR” condition asserting that either ParticipationRate was not provided or its value is in the range from 1 to 50. Note how in the “AND” expression a parameter value is compared not to another parameter but to a constant value.

Also note that the logical operators, AND and OR, can have more than two operands. Furthermore, they both perform short-circuit evaluation of their operands. That being the case, it is important that XML parsing or binding libraries maintain the order of the elements as they appear; otherwise unexpected results may occur.

The “field” attribute of an Edit element is not restricted to strategy parameters. Standard order tags (those not described in a FIXatdl instance but nevertheless are required tags of order, cancel and cancel/replace messages) may also be used to create Boolean expressions. For example:

```
<StrategyEdit errorMessage="For IOC orders Participation Rate must be between 1 and 25">
```

```

    <Edit logicOperator="OR">
      <Edit field="FIX_TimeInForce" operator="NX"/>
      <Edit field="FIX_TimeInForce" operator="NE" value="3"/>
      <Edit logicOperator="AND">
        <Edit field="ParticipationRate" operator="GE" value="1"/>
        <Edit field="ParticipationRate" operator="LE" value="25"/>
      </Edit>
    </Edit>
  </StrategyEdit>

```

This rule incorporates the value of TimeInForce which is a standard tag found in most order messages. The values associated with standard tags are those that are sent over the wire. For example, TimeInForce is an enumeration of char values ranging from “1” to “7”. So care must be taken to assure the corresponding operand, “value”, is of a similar type. Support for these types of expressions is highly dependent on a vendor’s implementation of FIXatdl. Not all standard tags may be available.

In cases where the field attribute is not recognized or not supported, the rule containing the offending Edit element should be skipped-over by a vendor’s application and should not cause a validation error. The end-result will be the same as if the condition of the rule were true.

## GUI Layout Description

In order to render a parameter within an order entry screen, an OMS must be able to pick an appropriate GUI control to display. For instance, a parameter representing a price would best be rendered as a number spinner control while a parameter representing a choice between limited numbers of values, such as “High”, “Medium” and “Low”, would best be rendered as a combo box.

Once the GUI controls have been selected, the OMS must appropriately arrange them on the screen. By using the elements and attributes of the Layout Schema, an algorithm provider can describe the GUI controls to use and describe how they should be arranged on the screen.

FIXatdl does not attempt to dictate user-interface style or look-and-feel. It is designed to be platform neutral. The components that are provided are those typically found in .Net, Java and Web environments.

The layout schema allows GUI controls to be arranged by adding them to a container define by the StrategyPanel element. Controls within a panel may be arranged either vertically or horizontally. Panel themselves may be nested and arranged either vertically or horizontally as well. The attributes of the StrategyPanel element include

- **Title** – a string representing the panel title which may or may not be displayed
- **Collapsible** – a Boolean value indicating whether the panel can be collapsed.
- **Collapsed** – a Boolean value indicating the panel’s initial state.
- **Orientation** – defines whether the panel’s components should be vertically or horizontally aligned.

An important aspect of the GUI description is that it is platform neutral. The algorithm provider describes GUI controls without knowing how an E/OMS has been implemented or knowledge of the widget toolkit that it uses. The controls provided by FIXatdl are those typically found in .Net, Java or Web environments. (The initial intention was to adopt a standard such as XAML or XUL. However, it was believed that this would put an excessive constraint on the E/OMS vendors. So a conscious decision was made not to adopt any one of these languages. Instead FIXatdl presents its own with

the understanding that a vendor may extend or transform it to be aligned with their architecture and internal data structures.)

Most Controls are associated with a particular Parameter. This is done via the Control attribute, parameterRef. However some controls may not have an associated Parameter. These controls are typically defined in order to affect the state of other controls via the use of a StateRule.

The following listing describes four parameters and the layout of their four associated controls. (Key identifiers have been highlighted.) If we examine the code we'll notice that the controls are enclosed in two StrategyPanels, one entitled "Time Parameters" and the other entitled "Advanced". These two panels are nested horizontally into the top-level StrategyPanel of the StrategyLayout element.

```
<Parameter name="StartTime" xsi:type="UTCTimestamp_t" fixTag="8005" use="required"/>
<Parameter name="EndTime" xsi:type="UTCTimestamp_t" fixTag="8006" use="required"/>
<Parameter name="ParticipationRate" xsi:type="Float_t" fixTag="8007" use="optional"/>
<Parameter name="Aggression" xsi:type="Char_t" fixTag="8001" use="required">
    <EnumPair enumID="e_low" wireValue="L"/>
    <EnumPair enumID="e_med" wireValue="M"/>
    <EnumPair enumID="e_high" wireValue="H"/>
</Parameter>
<StrategyLayout>
    <StrategyPanel orientation="HORIZONTAL">
        <StrategyPanel title="Time Parameters" orientation="VERTICAL">
            <Control ID="c_ST" xsi:type="Clock_t" label="Start Time" parameterRef="StartTime"/>
            <Control ID="c_ET" xsi:type="Clock_t" label="End Time" parameterRef="EndTime"/>
        </StrategyPanel>
        <StrategyPanel title="Advanced" orientation="VERTICAL">
            <Control ID="c_PR" xsi:type="SingleSpinner" label="Partic. Rate" parameterRef="ParticipationRate"/>
            <Control ID="c_A" xsi:type="DropDownList_t" label="Aggression" parameterRef="Aggression">
                <ListItem enumID="e_low" uiRep="Low"/>
                <ListItem enumID="e_med" uiRep="Medium"/>
                <ListItem enumID="e_high" uiRep="High"/>
            </Control>
        </StrategyPanel>
    </StrategyPanel>
</StrategyLayout>
```

Notice how the Parameter/@name attributes match with the Control/@parameterRef attributes. This creates the binding between parameters and controls. Also note how the EnumPair/@EnumID attributes match with the ListItem/@EnumID attributes. This creates the binding between the enumeration values of the parameter and the items of a drop-down list.

If an application were to render this information on an order ticket it would have to decide which GUI controls to instantiate and find a way to insert them into panels and lay the panels out according to the instructions of the XML. Different platforms will have different controls and panels available for this purpose and the application built on these platforms will have different appearances. So, a rendering of the controls described in the previous listing may look similar to the following image:

## Flow Control Rules

Interdependencies among standard FIX tags affecting their applicability are quite common. For example, Price (44) is not applicable when OrdType (40) is set to Market. The same can be said for algorithmic order types and their parameters. Many algorithmic order types will have parameters whose applicability is dependent on the value of one or more other parameters. These rules are often listed in algorithmic order specifications in the comments column of tables that describe the parameters of the algorithm.

In order to standardize the way these rules are described we have provided a sub-schema which contains elements and attributes used to define rules that can be applied to the visual state of GUI Controls. This capability is a means to direct the user's workflow and this is why it has been called "flow control". When creating flow-control rules the expectations are that they are evaluated every time a Control's value has changed. Based on the outcome of the evaluations, certain GUI controls may become grayed-out or hidden as the user enters values into text fields or selects items from drop-down lists.

Flow-control rules can be described via the StateRule element. A StateRule will consist of a Boolean expression and an action to take when the Boolean expression is true. There are three actions that are supported: (1) change the "enabled" state of a control to either True or False; (2) change the "visible" state of a control to either True or False; and (3) change the current value of the control to a supplied value. (Supplied values may be a constant string value, an enumID, or the special token {NULL}.)

As with validation rules, flow-control rules employ the Edit element to describe the condition (or Boolean expression). However, when an Edit is used in a Flow-control rule, it will not make comparisons of parameter values; rather it will compare the values returned by the controls. For example, the attributes Edit/@field and Edit/@field2 will refer to either control values or constant values.

Another difference between validation rules and flow-control rules is that the action of a flow-control rule is performed when the condition it describes is true. This differs from validation rules, where the action of "raising an error" occurs when the condition is false.

To illustrate the description of a Flow-control rule consider the following code snippet. (Note how the highlighted Control/@ID attribute matches the highlighted Edit/@field attribute and how the highlighted enumID attribute matches the highlighted value attribute):

```
<Parameter name="AlphaMode" xsi:type="Int_t" fixTag="8300" use="required">
  <EnumPair enumID="e_Annual" wireValue="1"/>
  <EnumPair enumID="e_Daily" wireValue="2"/>
  <EnumPair enumID="e_Custom" wireValue="3"/>
</Parameter>
<Parameter name="CustomValue" xsi:type="Float_t" fixTag="8301" use="optional"/>
```

```

<StrategyLayout>
  <StrategyPanel orientation="HORIZONTAL">
    <Control ID="c_AlphaMode" xsi:type="DropDownList" label="Alpha Benchmark" parameterRef="AlphaMode">
      <ListItem enumID="e_Annual" uiRep="Annual"/>
      <ListItem enumID="e_Daily" uiRep="Daily"/>
      <ListItem enumID="c_Custom" uiRep="Custom"/>
    </Control>
    <Control ID="c_CustomValue" xsi:type="SingleSpinner_t" label="Custom Alpha" parameterRef="CustomValue">
      <StateRule enabled="true">
        <Edit field="c_AlphaMode" operator="EQ" value="c_Custom"/>
      </StateRule>
      <StateRule value="{NULL}">
        <Edit field="c_AlphaMode" operator="NE" value="c_Custom"/>
      </StateRule>
    </Control>
  </StrategyPanel>
</StrategyLayout>

```

In this listing we have defined two parameters, “AlphaMode” and “CustomValue”. We have also defined two controls corresponding to the parameters. A rule has been supplied to the control identified by “c\_CustomValue” governing its visual behavior. The rule should be interpreted as: “The control c\_CustomValue is enabled only when the value of control c\_AlphaMode has been set to “Custom”. So a user who selects “Annual” or “Daily” would not be able to enter a custom Alpha value. Only when “Custom” is selected from the dropdown list would the custom Alpha control be able to accept values entered by the user.

While StateRules are explicit in defining the changes to a control when the condition, described by its Edit element, makes the transition from being false to being true, it is not clear what changes to make when the condition becomes false again (or is initially false). So, to clarify the behavior of the controls, the following conventions are applied:

- i. A StateRule that changes the “enabled” property of a control to X when its condition becomes true, will implicitly cause the “enabled” property of the control to change to NOT(X) when its condition becomes false, where X is Boolean. (The “enabled” property simply controls whether or not the value within the control can be changed (is read-only) and is not a determining factor in whether or not the control’s value is to be included in the message transmitted over the wire.)
- ii. A StateRule that changes the “visible” property of a control to X when its condition becomes true, will implicitly cause the “visible” property of the control to change to NOT(X) when its condition becomes false, where X is Boolean.
- iii. A StateRule that changes the value of a control when its condition becomes true will cause no action to take place when its condition becomes false. Provided the value expressed in the StateRule element is not the special token “{NULL}”.
- iv. A StateRule that changes the value of a control to “{NULL}” when its condition becomes true will cause the control’s value to revert back to its previous non-{NULL} value or its initial value.

Note that due to (iv), when a StateRule condition becomes false it may cause the control to become un-initialized. When this occurs the control will have no value. Should a New Order Single, Order Cancel Request or Order Cancel/Replace Request message be generated while the control is in this condition, the associated parameter will not be included in that message.

Also note that the state of a control's enabled property or visible property does not influence whether the control's associated parameter is sent on the wire or not. This behavior is governed entirely by the control's value. To clarify this, we must adhere to another convention:

- v. To the extent that a control's value determines the "wire-value" of a particular parameter, if the control is uninitialized or has been set to the value of "{NULL}" then the associated parameter will not have a "wire-value" and will not have its tag-value pair included in a New Order Single, Order Cancel Request or Order Cancel/Replace Request message.

In other words, if a user enters a value into a control and subsequently the control becomes disabled then the value that was entered would cause a tag to be populated in the generated FIX message and the value would go out over the wire. This is why, in the previous listing, a second StateRule was required:

```
<StateRule value="{NULL}">  
  <Edit field="c_AlphaMode" operator="NE" value="e_Custom"/>  
</StateRule>
```

If this rule had not been provided, a "CustomValue" parameter (tag 8301) would be transmitted on the wire if the user had entered a value into the spinner and then selected "Daily" or "Annual" from the drop-down list.

## Parameter-to-Control Bindings

In order for an E/OMS to generate an order message it must iterate through all the parameters, find the associated controls, retrieve the control values and determine appropriate values with which to populate the custom FIX tags of the order message. In order for this to be accomplished FIXatdl provides a means for relating controls to parameters, mainly, the parameterRef attribute of the Control element. This attribute is set to the value of a Parameter's name attribute, thus providing a binding between the two.

Bindings of controls to parameters may be either one-to-one, where one control is bound to one parameter, or many-to-one, where multiple controls are bound to one parameter. (The only cases of many-to-one bindings involve groups of radio buttons. All other bindings are one-to-one.)

When a binding of a control to a parameter is declared it must be possible for the control's value to be converted to a legal wire-value of the control. For example, it makes little sense for a checkbox control to be bound to a floating point parameter. Rather, a checkbox is more logically fit to be bound to a Boolean parameter.

Not all parameters need an associated control. Some parameters are intended to act as constants and have no GUI control representation. The FIX tags of the parameters are expected to be populated with the same value in every order message regardless of the values of other parameters. When this is the case, an attribute of the Parameter element, constValue, is used to indicate that the parameter is a constant and provides the value, as in the following listing.

```
<Parameter name="ExecService" xsi:type="Char_t" fixTag="9050" constValue="A"/>
```

Based on this description of "ExecService" the order recipient would expect to receive a FIX message containing the substring "9050=A".

Conversely, it is also the case that not all control need to be bound to a parameter. Controls with no declared parameterRef attribute are considered helper controls. They are used to manage the state of other controls via the use of flow-control rules. For example, the following listing describes two controls – a helper control and a control bound to some integer parameter named "CrossQty".



```

<Control ID="EnableCross" xsi:type="CheckBox_t" label="Enable Cross" initValue=false/>
<Control ID="CrossQty" xsi:type="SingleSpinner_t" label="Cross Qty" parameterRef="CrossQty">
    <StateRule enable="true">
        <Edit field="EnableCross" operator="EQ" value="true"/>
    </StateRule>
</Control>

```

For a strategy rendered from this description, the user would not be able to enter a value into the CrossQty spinner control unless the EnableCross checkbox is checked.

## Transport of Strategy Parameters

The FIX Protocol allows algorithmic order parameters to be transported between parties either by use of the StrategyParametersGrp repeating group or by use of user-defined tags mutually agreed upon by the order originator and order recipient. FIXatdl provides a means for the order recipient to inform the order originator which of these methods to use.

An algorithmic order provider indicates that it can receive parameters through the StrategyParametersGrp component block (tags 957-960) by setting the attribute of the Strategies element, tag957Support, to true. The recipient can also indicate that it is able to receive parameters via user-defined tags by providing values for the fixTag attributes of each Parameter element. An algorithmic order provider may support both transport methods.

To illustrate, consider the following listing:

```

<Strategies strategyIdentifierTag="7000" versionIdentifierTag="7001" tag957Support="true">
    <Strategy name="POV" uiRep="POV" wireValue="v" version="1" fixMsgType="D">
        <Parameter name="PctVol" xsi:type="Percentage_t" fixTag="7002" use="required"/>
        <Parameter name="FC" xsi:type="Boolean_t" fixTag="7003" use="required"/>
        <StrategyLayout>
            <StrategyPanel>
                <Control ID="c_PctVol" xsi:type="SingleSpinner_t" label="Pct of Volume" parameterRef="PctVol"/>
                <Control ID="c_FC" xsi:type="CheckBox_t" label="Force Completion" parameterRef="FC"/>
            </StrategyPanel>
        </StrategyLayout>
    </Strategy>
</Strategies>

```

This document instance describes an algorithm with two parameters, PctVol and ForceCompletion. The algorithm provider has also indicated that it supports receipt of these parameters via StrategyParametersGrp and via the custom tags, 7002 and 7003. So an E/OMS would be free to choose between the two methods when it transmits the parameters. If this were to be rendered by an E/OMS and a user was to enter a PctVol value of 0.15 and check the Force Completion checkbox, then the order generated may contain a substring similar to:

```
.. 35=D|11=1234|55=AXP|. . |7000=v|7001=1|957=2|958=PctVol|959=11|960=0.15|958=FC|959=13|960=Y
```

In this case the E/OMS has decided to use the StrategyParametersGrp repeating group. If tag957Support were set to false then the E/OMS would be forced to use the UDFs, 7002 and 7003, as in:

```
.. 35=D|11=1234|55=AXP|. . |7000=v|7001=1|7002=0.15|7003=Y
```

The general rule for determining which method to use is as follows.

<b>tag957Support</b>	<b>fixTag attributes provided</b>	<b>Method for transmitting parameters</b>
true	no	StrategyParametersGrp
true	yes	StrategyParametersGrp or UDFs (but never both)
false	yes	UDFs
false	no	(Not allowed – at least one method must be specified)

## Element Definitions

A high-level description of the elements is provided in the following table.

Element Name	Parent Element(s)	Description
Country	Region	An element used to build a list of countries that may be included or excluded from a region. Its attribute, CountryCode, contains an ISO 3166-1 alpha-2 code.
Description	Parameter, RepeatingGroup, Strategies, Strategy	Text providing a description of its parent element.
Edit	StrategyEdit, StateRule, Strategies, Strategy	<p>Boolean expression evaluated in validation and flow control rules. An Edit element will describe a condition that is either true or false.</p> <p>An Edit element is most commonly used within StrategyEdit and StateRule elements where its scope is limited to its parent element. However, when an Edit is child of a Strategy element, its scope extends the entire Strategy and can be reference by the child StateRule and StrategyEdit elements of the Strategy element. When an Edit is a child of the Strategies element, its scope extends the entire XML instance and may be referenced by any StateRule or StrategyEdit.</p>
EditRef	StrategyEdit, StateRule	Child of a StrategyEdit element used to refer to an Edit element which was declared as a child of a Strategy or as a child of Strategies.
EnumPair	Parameter	Defines a legal value of a parameter in the form of a wire value. A Parameter element will have an EnumPair element for each enumerated value which the parameter can take.
HelpText	Control	Text describing the use of a particular GUI control. This element is used when information about a control is lengthy and would only be appropriate to display in a dialog box – not as a tooltip.
ListItem	Control	Used for controls that let the user choose from a list of items. When a Control element is mapped top a Parameter element, via means of the Control element's "parameterRef" attribute, each ListItem will contain a reference to an EnumPair defined within the Parameter element.
Market	Markets	Used as a child element of the Markets element. Defines a particular market using a market identifier code (MIC). An attribute, inclusion, determines whether the market should be included or excluded from the list of markets created by the patterned element, Markets.
Markets	Strategy	This element defines the markets/exchanges (by ISO 10383 MIC Code) of which the strategy is applicable. If no Markets element is defined then the strategy is applicable for *ALL* markets. If a market is defined and has its 'inclusion' attribute set to "Include", then it is implied

		<p>that the strategy is applicable for <b>*ONLY*</b> that market. If a region is defined and is set to "Exclude", then it is implied that the strategy is applicable for all markets <b>*EXCEPT*</b> that market.</p> <p>Include takes precedence over Exclude - for example, if XNAS is defined and set to "Include" and XLON is defined and set to "Exclude" then all other markets will also be excluded since the "Include" on XNAS takes precedence over the "Exclude" on XLON. In this example, the definition of XLON as "Exclude" is unnecessary.</p> <p>Markets are used in conjunction with regions and countries to define the scope of the strategy. Markets take precedence over regions and countries. For example, if AsiaPacificJapan is defined as "Exclude" but the Fukuoka Stock Exchange (XFKA) is defined as an included market, the strategy will be applicable for all markets in The Americas and EMEA, as well as only the Fukuoka Stock Exchange in the APAC region.</p>
Parameter	Strategy, RepeatingGroup	Element to define the characteristics of an algo parameter with respect to the data interface with the algo provider.
Region	Regions	An individual region used as a child element of the Regions element.
Regions	Strategy	<p>This element defines the globally based regions to which the strategy is applicable. It serves as a container of Region elements. To define a set of regions for a strategy use one or more Region elements. Region elements contain the attribute "inclusion" that determines whether the region is included from the set or excluded.</p> <p>If no Regions element is defined then the strategy is applicable for <b>*ALL*</b> regions. If a region is defined and has its 'inclusion' attribute set to 'Include', then it is implied that the strategy is applicable for <b>*ONLY*</b> that region. If a region is defined and is set to 'Exclude', then it is implied that the strategy is applicable for all regions <b>*EXCEPT*</b> that region.</p> <p>'Include' takes precedence over 'Exclude' - for example, if TheAmericas is defined and set to 'Include' and EuropeMiddleEastAfrica is defined and set to 'Exclude' then AsiaPacificJapan will also be excluded since the 'Include' on TheAmericas takes precedence over the 'Exclude' on EuropeMiddleEastAfrica. In this example, the definition of "EuropeMiddleEastAfrica" as 'Exclude' is unnecessary.</p> <p>Regions also contain a child element called "Country" that allows the algo author to further specify the geographic scope of the strategy. Countries can be included and excluded in the same manner as regions and the same rules of precedence apply. Please see fixatdl-regions-1-1.xsd for the list of ISO 3166 Country Code to region mappings.</p>
RepeatingGroup	Strategy	Container of a group of Parameter elements that are intended for use with multi-leg or basket strategies.

		<p>Parameters contained within a RepeatingGroup element are intended to have their tag=value pairs populated in either the ListOrdGrp repeating group of a New Order List message or the LegOrdGrp repeating group of a New Order Multileg message.</p> <p>Parameters not contained within a RepeatingGroup element have their values populated in the main body of a message.</p>
SecurityType	SecurityTypes	An element used to describe a security type that may be included or excluded from the list built by the parent element, SecurityTypes. Its attribute, "name", contains a FIX SecurityType (tag 167) value.
SecurityTypes	Strategy	The list of security types (by SecurityType (tag 167)) for which the given strategy is valid. The absence of any security types implies that the strategy is valid for all security types.
StateRule	Control	<p>Defines workflow rule for a Control. Defines a workflow rule for a GUI control. Using StateRule as a child element of a Control element, rules can be defined which affect the "enabled" and "hidden" properties of the underlying Java/.Net/Web/etc. rendered on the screen.</p> <p>A StateRule element must contain a child Edit element. The action defined by the StateRule is in-effect when the condition described by its child Edit element is true. The action is not in-effect when the condition described by its child Edit element is false.</p>
Strategies	[n/a]	Container for all strategy elements. It is the root element of all FIXatdl conforming documents.
Strategy	Strategies	Root level of a strategy definition.
StrategyEdit	Strategy	Definition of a validation rule. A StrategyEdit element must contain an Edit element as a child. The boolean expression described by the Edit element is an assertion, i.e., validation succeeds if the condition described by the Edit is true and fails when the condition described by the Edit element is false. In the case where validation fails, the error message, supplied by the errorMsg attribute of StrategyEdit, may be displayed to an OMS user or logged.
StrategyLayout	Strategy	Container for strategyPanels. If declared, a strategyLayout must contain at least one strategyPanel as a child element.
StrategyPanel	StrategyLayout	Container for either groups of parameters or strategyPanels, but not both. I.e., a StrategyPanel will contain either all Control elements or all StrategyPanel elements.

## Attribute Definitions

The following table describes the attributes of all the FIXatdl XML elements. The format of the attribute name is

<element name>/@<attribute> where the element is one of the XML elements defined by FIXatdl.

Since some of the attributes are overloaded due to the way the Parameter and Control elements can be extended, types of certain attributes will depend on the type of the element. For these attributes, the conditions determining their type will be listed in their description.

Attribute	Type	Req'd	Description
Control/@checkedEnumRef	StringID	N	Output enumID if checked/selected.  Applicable when xsi:type is CheckBox_t or RadioButton_t.
Control/@disableForTemplate	boolean	N	For implementing systems that support saving order templates or pre-populated orders for basket trading/list trading this attribute specifies that the control should be disabled when the order screen is going to be saved as a template and not actually used to place an order.
Control/@ID	StringID	Y	Unique identifier of this control. No two controls of the same strategy can have the same ID.
Control/@increment	decimal	N	Limits the granularity of a spinner control. Useful in spinner objects to enforce odd-lot and sub-penny restrictions.  Applicable when xsi:type is SingleSpinner_t or Slider_t.
Control/@incrementPolicy	string	N	For single spinner control, defines how to determine the increment.  Valid values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Static” – use value from increment attribute</li> <li>• “LotSize” – use the round lot size of symbol</li> <li>• “Tick” - use symbol minimum tick size</li> </ul> Applicable when xsi:type is SingleSpinner_t.
Control/@initFixField	pos int	N	Indicates the initialization value is to be taken from this standard FIX field. Format: "FIX_" + FIXFieldName. E.g. "FIX_OrderQty".  Required when initPolicy="UseFixField".
Control/@initPolicy	string	N	Describes how to initialize the control.  If the value of this attribute is undefined or equal to "UseValue" and initValue is defined then initialize with initValue.  If the value is equal to "UseFixField" then attempt to initialize with the value of the tag specified in initFixField. If the value is equal to "UseFixField" and it is not possible to access the

			<p>value of the specified fix tag then revert to using initValue. If the value is equal to "UseFixField", the field is not accessible, and initValue is not defined, then do not initialize.</p> <p>Valid values are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• UseValue</li><li>• UseFixField</li></ul>																																																						
Control/@initValue	(Depends on value of xsi:type)	N	<p>The value used to pre-populate the GUI component when the order entry screen is initially rendered. The type of initValue is dependent on the value of Control/@xsi:type.</p> <p>The following list give the type of this attribute based on the value of xsi:type.</p> <table><tr><td><u>xsi:type</u></td><td><u>initValue type</u></td></tr><tr><td>Clock_t</td><td>time</td></tr><tr><td>TextField_t</td><td>string</td></tr><tr><td>SingleSelectList_t</td><td>string</td></tr><tr><td>MultiSelectList_t</td><td>MultipleStringValue</td></tr><tr><td>Slider_t</td><td>double</td></tr><tr><td>CheckBox_t</td><td>boolean</td></tr><tr><td>CheckBoxList_t</td><td>MultipleStringValue</td></tr><tr><td>SingleSpinner_t</td><td>double</td></tr><tr><td>DoubleSpinner</td><td>double</td></tr><tr><td>DropDownList</td><td>string</td></tr><tr><td>EditableDropDownList_t</td><td>string</td></tr><tr><td>RadioButton_t</td><td>boolean</td></tr><tr><td>RadioButtonList_t</td><td>string</td></tr></table> <p>The use of initValue also depends on the value of xsi:type.</p> <table><tr><td><u>xsi:type</u></td><td><u>initValue use</u></td></tr><tr><td>Clock_t</td><td>A time (expressed in Control/@localMktTz)</td></tr><tr><td>TextField_t</td><td>string</td></tr><tr><td>SingleSelectList_t</td><td>enumID of a child ListItem</td></tr><tr><td>MultiSelectList_t</td><td>enumIDs of child ListItems</td></tr><tr><td>Slider_t</td><td>A valid value returned by the slider</td></tr><tr><td>CheckBox_t</td><td>True (checked) or false (unchecked)</td></tr><tr><td>CheckBoxList_t</td><td>enumIDs of ListItems to be checked</td></tr><tr><td>SingleSpinner_t</td><td>double</td></tr><tr><td>DoubleSpinner_t</td><td>double</td></tr><tr><td>DropDownList_t</td><td>enumID of a child ListItem</td></tr><tr><td>EditableDropDownList_t</td><td>enumID of a child ListItem</td></tr><tr><td>RadioButton_t</td><td>boolean</td></tr></table>	<u>xsi:type</u>	<u>initValue type</u>	Clock_t	time	TextField_t	string	SingleSelectList_t	string	MultiSelectList_t	MultipleStringValue	Slider_t	double	CheckBox_t	boolean	CheckBoxList_t	MultipleStringValue	SingleSpinner_t	double	DoubleSpinner	double	DropDownList	string	EditableDropDownList_t	string	RadioButton_t	boolean	RadioButtonList_t	string	<u>xsi:type</u>	<u>initValue use</u>	Clock_t	A time (expressed in Control/@localMktTz)	TextField_t	string	SingleSelectList_t	enumID of a child ListItem	MultiSelectList_t	enumIDs of child ListItems	Slider_t	A valid value returned by the slider	CheckBox_t	True (checked) or false (unchecked)	CheckBoxList_t	enumIDs of ListItems to be checked	SingleSpinner_t	double	DoubleSpinner_t	double	DropDownList_t	enumID of a child ListItem	EditableDropDownList_t	enumID of a child ListItem	RadioButton_t	boolean
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Control/@initValueMode	int	N	<p>Defines the treatment of initValue time. 0: use initValue; 1: use current time if initValue time has passed.</p> <p>The default value is 0.</p> <p>Applicable only when Control/@xsi:type is Clock_t.</p>
Control/@innerIncrement	decimal	N	<p>Limits the granularity of the inner spinner of a double spinner control. Useful in spinner objects to enforce odd-lot and sub-penny restrictions.</p> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is DoubleSpinner_t.</p>
Control/@innerIncrementPolicy	string	N	<p>For double spinner control, defines how to determine the increment for the inner set of spinners.</p> <p>Valid values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Static" – use value from innerIncrement attribute</li> <li>• "LotSize" – use the round lot size of symbol</li> <li>• "Tick: - use symbol minimum tick size</li> </ul> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is DoubleSpinner_t.</p>
Control/@label	string	N	<p>A title for this control which may be displayed.</p>
Control/@localMktTz	LocalMktTz	N	<p>The timezone in which initValue is represented in. Required when initValue is supplied.</p> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is Clock_t.</p>
Control/@orientation	Orientation	N	<p>Must be "HORIZONTAL" or "VERTICAL". Declares the orientation of the radio buttons within a RadioButtonList or the checkboxes within a CheckBoxList.</p> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is RadioButtonList_t or CheckBoxList_t.</p>
Control/@outerIncrement	decimal	N	<p>Limits the granularity an outer spinner of a double spinner control. Useful in spinner objects to enforce odd-lot and sub-penny restrictions.</p> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is DoubleSpinner_t.</p>
Control/@outerIncrementPolicy	string	N	<p>For double spinner control, defines how to determine the increment for the outer set of spinners.</p> <p>Valid values:</p>



			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Static” – use value from outerIncrement attribute</li> <li>• “LotSize” – use the round lot size of symbol</li> <li>• “Tick: - use symbol minimum tick size</li> </ul> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is DoubleSpinner_t.</p>
Control/@parameterRef	StringID	N	The name of the parameter for which this control gives the visual representation. A parameter with this name must be defined within the same strategy as this control.
Control/@radioGroup	String	N	<p>Identifies a common group name used by a set of RadioButton_t among which only one radio button may be selected at a time.</p> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is RadioButton_t.</p>
Control/@tooltip	string	N	Tool tip text for rendered GUI objects rendered for the parameter.
Control/@uncheckedEnumRef	StringID	N	<p>Output enumID if unchecked/not selected.</p> <p>Applicable when xsi:type is CheckBox_t or RadioButton_t.</p>
Control/@xsi:type	string	Y	<p>Indicates the type of GUI control that should be rendered on the screen.</p> <p>Valid values are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CheckBox_t</li> <li>• CheckBoxList_t</li> <li>• Clock_t</li> <li>• DoubleSpinner_t</li> <li>• DropDownList_t</li> <li>• EditableDropDownList_t</li> <li>• HiddenField_t</li> <li>• Label_t</li> <li>• MultiSelectList_t</li> <li>• RadioButton_t</li> <li>• RadioButtonList_t</li> <li>• SingleSelectList_t</li> <li>• SingleSpinner_t</li> <li>• Slider_t</li> <li>• TextField_t</li> </ul> <p>Absence of this attribute may indicate that the parameter should not be visible to the user and the parameter’s initValue should be used to populate the FIX message.</p>

Country/@CountryCode	String restricted to "[A-Z0-9]{2}"	Y	ISO 3166-1 alpha-2 code for the countries to include or exclude in a given region.
Country/@inclusion	string	Y	Indicates whether this country should be included or excluded from encompassing list. Valid values: are "Include", "Exclude".
Edit/@field	string	N	Field name for comparison. When the edit is used within a stateRule, this field must refer to the ID of a Control. When the edit is used within a strategyEdit, this field must refer to either the name of a parameter or a standard FIX field name. When referring to a standard FIX tag then the name must be pre-pended with the string "FIX_", e.g. "FIX_OrderQty".  Required when: Edit/@operator is defined.
Edit/@field2	string	N	Value used as the second operand. Used in conjunction with Edit/@field and Edit/@operator. Similar definition to Edit/@field except that it is mutually exclusive with Edit/@value.  Required when: Edit/@operator is in {GE, GT, LE, LT, EQ, NE} and Edit/@value is not specified.
Edit/@id	string	N	Optional identifier. Allows for re-use of this edit within stateRule or editRef elements. This attribute is required if the Edit element is a direct child of either the Strategies or Strategy elements.
Edit/@logicOperator	LogicalOperator	N	Operator where operands are one or more Edit elements. Short-circuit evaluation is assumed in all edit statements. Valid values are one of the following enumerated types: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AND</li> <li>• OR</li> <li>• XOR</li> <li>• NOT</li> </ul> Required when operator is not present. An edit element must contain either a logicOperator attribute or an operator attribute, but never both.
Edit/@operator	Operator	N	One of the following enumerated types: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EX (Exists. I.e. the user has entered a value)</li> <li>• NX (Not exists. I.e. the user has not entered a value)</li> <li>• EQ (Equal)</li> <li>• LT (Less than)</li> </ul>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GT (Greater than)</li> <li>• NE (Not equal)</li> <li>• LE (Less than equal)</li> <li>• GE (Greater than equal)</li> </ul> <p>Required when logicOperator is not present. An edit element must contain either a logicOperator attribute or an operator attribute, but never both.</p>
Edit/@value	string	N	<p>Value used as the second operand. Used in conjunction with Edit/@field and Edit/@operator. Represents a string literal value and not a reference.</p> <p>When Edit is a descendant of a StateRule element, Edit/@value refers to the value of the control referred by Edit/@field. If the control referred by Edit/@field has enumerated values then Edit/@value refers to the enumID of one of the control's ListItem elements.</p> <p>When Edit is a descendant of a StrategyEdit element, Edit/@value refers to the wireValue of the parameter referred by Edit/@field.</p> <p>Required when: Edit/@operator is in {GE, GT, LE, LT, EQ, NE} and Edit/@field2 is not specified.</p>
EditRef/@id	string	Y	Refers to an ID of a previously defined edit element. The edit element may be defined at the strategy level or at the strategies level.
EnumPair/@enumID	StringID	Y	A unique identifier of an enumPair element per parameter.
EnumPair/@index	integer	N	<b>Deprecated.</b> Previously defined an ordering of the enumerated values. If defined it should be ignored.
EnumPair/@wireValue	string	Y	The corresponding value that is used to populate the FIX message.
ListItem/@enumID	StringID	N	<p>A reference to the enumPair specified in the parameter definition specified by the parent Control's parameterRef attribute. Use is optional when the parent Control element does not refer to a parameter.</p> <p>Required when: the parent Control element has a defined parameterRef attribute.</p>
ListItem/@uiRep	string	Y	The value shown in the list. These are the values that go into Java, .Net or Web list controls.
Market/@inclusion	string	Y	Indicates whether this market should be included or excluded from encompassing list. Valid values: are "Include",

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			<p>UTCTimestamp that is sent on the wire by the order generating application. For example, if constValue="08:30:00" localMktTz="America/Chicago", daylight savings time is in effect in Chicago and the date is July 1, 2010, then the value "20100701-13:30:00" would be sent on the wire.</p>
Parameter/@definedByFIX	boolean	N	<p>Indicates whether the parameter is a redefinition of a standard FIX tag. The default value is False.</p> <p>For example, if the algorithm redefines the order qty (tag 38) then the Parameter declaration may be similar to:</p> <pre>&lt;Parameter name="OrderQty" xsi:type="Qty_t" fixTag="38" definedByFIX="true" use="required"/&gt;</pre>
Parameter/@falseWireValue	string	N	<p>Applicable only when xsi:type is Boolean_t.</p> <p><b>This attribute is targeted for deprecation.</b></p> <p><b>To achieve the same functionality, it is recommended that a Char_t or Sting_t type parameter be used instead of a Boolean_t. The parameter should have two EnumPairs defined with one defining the false wire-value and the other defining the true wire-value. The parameter should be bound to a CheckBox control. The CheckBox control should define the parameters checkedEnumRef and uncheckedEnumRef to refer to the enumIDs of the parameter. (See the section "A Sample FIXatdl Document" in this document for an example. Examine the Parameter "AllowDarkPoolExec" and Control "DPOption" for details.)</b></p> <p>The deprecated use is described as follows:</p> <p>Defines the value with which to populate the FIX message when the boolean parameter is False. Overrides the standard FIX boolean value of "N". I.e. if this attribute is not provided then the order-sending application must use "N".</p> <p>If it is desired that the FIX message is not to be populated with this tag when the value of the parameter is false, then falseWireValue should be defined as "{NULL}".</p>
Parameter/@fixTag	pos int	N	<p>The tag that will hold the value of the parameter.</p> <p>Required when: parameter value is intended to be transported over the wire.</p> <p>If fixTag is not provided then the Strategies-level attribute,</p>

			tag957Support, must be set to true, indicating that the order recipient expects to receive algo parameters in the StrategyParameterGrp repeating group beginning at tag 957.																																
Parameter/@invertOnWire	boolean	N	Applicable when: xsi:type is MultipleStringValue_t or MultipleCharValue_t.  Instructs the OMS whether to perform a bitwise “not” operation on each element of these lists.																																
Parameter/@localMktTz	string	N	Describes the time zone without indicating whether daylight savings is in effect. Valid values are taken from names in the Olson time zone database. All are of the form Area/Location, where Area is the name of a continent or ocean, and Location is the name of a specific location within that region. E.g. Americas/Chicago.  Applicable when xsi:type is UTCTimestamp_t.																																
Parameter/@maxLength	non-neg int	N	Applicable when xsi:type is String_t.  The minimum allowable length of the parameter.																																
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Parameter/@minLength	non-neg int	N	<p>Applicable when xsi:type is String_t.</p> <p>The minimum allowable length of the parameter.</p>																																
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Parameter/@multiplyBy100	boolean	N	<p>Applicable for xsi:type of Percentage_t. If true then percent values must be multiplied by 100 before being sent on the wire.</p>																																

			<p>For example, if multiplyBy100 were false then the percentage, 75%, would be sent as 0.75 on the wire. However, if multiplyBy100 were true then 75 would be sent on the wire.</p> <p>If not provided it should be interpreted as false.</p> <p><b>Use of this attribute is not recommended. The motivation for this attribute is to maximize compatibility with algorithmic interfaces that are non-compliant with FIX in regard to their handling of percentages. In these cases an integer parameter should be used instead of a percentage.</b></p>
Parameter/@mutableOnCxlRpl	boolean	N	<p>Indication of whether the parameter's value can be modified by an Order Cancel/Replace Request message.</p> <p>Default value: true</p>
Parameter/@name	string restricted to "[A-Za-z][A-Za-z0-9_]{0,255}"	Y	<p>The name of the parameter. No two parameters of any strategy may have the same name. The name may be used as a unique key when referenced from the other sub-schemas. Names must begin with an alpha character followed only by alpha-numeric characters and must not contain whitespace characters.</p>
Parameter/@precision	non-neg int	N	<p>The number of digits to the right of the decimal point in which to round when populating the FIX message. Lack of this attribute indicates that the value entered by the user should be taken as-is without rounding.</p> <p><b>Applicable when</b> xsi:type is Float_t, Price_t, PriceOffset_t and Qty_t.</p>
Parameter/@revertOnCxlRpl	boolean	N	<p>Indicates how to interpret those tags that were populated in an original order but are not populated in a subsequent cancel/replace of the order message. If this value is true then revert to the value of the original order, otherwise a null value or the parameter's default value is to be used.</p>
Parameter/@trueWireValue	string	N	<p>Applicable only when xsi:type is Boolean_t.</p> <p><b>This attribute is targeted for deprecation.</b></p> <p><b>To achieve the same functionality, it is recommended that a Char_t or Sting_t type parameter be used instead of a Boolean_t. The parameter should have two EnumPairs defined with one defining the false wire-value and the other defining the true wire-value. The parameter should be bound to a CheckBox control. The CheckBox control should define the parameters checkedEnumRef and uncheckedEnumRef to refer to the enumIDs of the parameter. See the section "A Sample FIXatdl Document" in this document for an example. (See the section "A</b></p>



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Parameter/@use	Use_t	N	<p>Indicates whether a parameter is optional or required. Valid values are “optional” and “required”.</p> <p>Default value: “optional”</p>
Parameter/@xsi:type	string	Y	<p>Indicates the type of the parameter. The type of the parameter determines which of the extended attributes are applicable. The namespace, xsi, must be declared within the Strategies element with the statement:</p> <p>xmlns:xsi=<a href="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance">http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance</a>.</p> <p>Valid values are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amt_t</li> <li>• Boolean_t</li> <li>• Char_t</li> <li>• Currency_t</li> <li>• Data_t</li> <li>• Exchange_t</li> <li>• Float_t</li> <li>• Int_t</li> <li>• Language_t</li> <li>• Length_t</li> <li>• LocalMktDate_t</li> <li>• MonthYear_t</li> <li>• MultipleCharValue_t</li> <li>• MultipleStringValue_t</li> <li>• NumInGroup_t</li> <li>• Percentage_t</li> <li>• Price_t</li> <li>• PriceOffset_t</li> <li>• Qty_t</li> <li>• SeqNum_t</li> <li>• String_t</li> <li>• TagNum_t</li> <li>• Tenor_t</li> </ul>

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Region/@inclusion	string	Y	Indicates whether this region should be included or excluded when declared within a list of regions. Valid values: are “Include”, “Exclude”.
Region/@name	String	Y	<p>The name of the region. Valid values are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “TheAmericas”</li> <li>• “EuropeMiddleEastAfrica”</li> <li>• “AsiaPacificJapan”</li> </ul>
RepeatingGroup/@fixTag	int	N	<p>The FIX tag corresponding to a NoXXX tag. Indicates that the Parameter elements defined within the RepeatingGroup element are repeating group tags when sent over the wire.</p> <p>Valid values are: 555 (NoLegs) and 68 (TotNoOrders). In the case where fixTag=68, either multiple NewOrder-List messages may be sent where the total number of orders over the entire list must be equal to Strategy/@totalOrders, or multiple NewOrder-Single messages may be sent where total number of orders must be equal to Strategy/@totalOrders.</p>
RepeatingGroup/@maxSize	int	N	The maximum number of legs or list orders.
RepeatingGroup/@minSize	int	Y	The minimum number of legs or list orders.
RepeatingGroup/@name	string	N	FIX Field name of the repeating group. Must refer to a FIX field of NumInGroup type. Valid values are: "TotNoOrders" (when NewOrder-List messages are expected), "NoLegs" (when NewOrder-Multileg messages are expected). This field should be omitted when NewOrder-Single message are expected.
SecurityType/@inclusion	string	Y	Indicates whether this security type should be included or excluded from encompassing list. Valid values: are “Include”, “Exclude”.
SecurityType/@name	string	Y	<p>Indicates type of security. Valid values equivalent to FIX tag 167 values.</p> <p>Previous versions of FIXatdl had required the use of the first character of a CFICode to describe security types. To migrate from CFICode refer to the following mapping:</p>

			<u>FIXatdl 1.0</u> E [Equities] D [Debt Instruments] R [Entitlement Rights] O [Options] F [Futures] M [Other/Miscellaneous]	<u>FIXatdl 1.1</u> CS [Common Stock] <see tag 167 list> <see tag 167 list> OPT [Options] FUT [Futures] <see tag 167 list> FXSPOT [FX Spot] FXFWD [FX Forward]
StateRule/@enabled	boolean	N	<p>Indicates whether or not to enable the control when the edit expression of the strategyEdit element evaluates to True. The desired behavior is as follows: when the StateRule's edit condition is true and enabled=True then enable the control; when the edit condition is true and enabled=false then disable the control; when the edit condition is false and enabled=True then disable the control; when the edit condition is false and enabled=false then enable the control.</p> <p>The value of a control's enabled property does not play a role in determining whether the control's</p>	
StateRule/@value	string	N	<p>GUI control's displayed value should be set to this value when edit condition is true. Although the type of this attribute has been listed as string, ultimately the type of this attribute must be compatible with the type of the control. For example, if the control is numeric, such as a SingleSpinner, then a string containing a numeric value would an appropriate value (e.g. "15").</p> <p>If the control contains ListItem elements then allowable values of StateRule/@value is restricted to the enumIDs of the ListItem elements.</p> <p>A special token, "{NULL}", may be used for the value of this attribute to indicate that the control should be set to an uninitiated state. Controls that are un-initialized should have no value. The effect of an un-initiated control is as follows: When an order is to be generated, the controls which are linked to parameters will have their values retrieved. If there is no retrieved value because the control was un-initialized then the parameter should have no value and its associated FIX tag should be excluded from the message. This is relevant only for controls that can be in an un-initialized state such as spinners and text fields. Controls such as check boxes and radio buttons are always initialized. (They are either checked or unchecked.)</p>	
StateRule/@visible	boolean	N	<p>Indicates whether or not to show the control when the boolean expression, defined by the Edit element, evaluates to True. The</p>	

			desired behavior is as follows: when the StateRule's edit condition is true and visible=True then display the control; when the edit condition is true and visible=false then hide the control; when the edit condition is false and visible=True then hide the control; when the edit condition is false and enabled=false then display the control.
Strategies/@changeStrategyOnCancelRpl	boolean	N	Indicates whether a new strategy can be chosen during a Cancel/Replace.
Strategies/@draftIdentifierTag	pos int	N	The tag within the FIX order message to be populated with a boolean ('Y'/'N') indicating whether the order is a draft.
Strategies/@imageLocation	string	N	Filepath or URL of an image file or logo of the algo providing firm.
Strategies/@strategyIdentifierTag	pos int	Y	The tag within the FIX order message to be populated with a value identifying the chosen strategy. E.g. if strategyIdentifierTag is 5001 and the chosen strategy is identified by the value 'VWAP' then the FIX order message would contain the tag-value pair 5001=VWAP.
Strategies/@versionIdentifierTag	pos int	N	The tag within the FIX order message to be populated with a value identifying the version of a chosen strategy. For example, if versionIdentifierTag is 5002 and the version of the chosen strategy is '2.01' then the FIX order message would contain the tag-value pair 5002=2.01
Strategies/@tag957Support	boolean	N	Indicates whether the order recipient can receive algorithmic parameters in the StrategyParametersGrp component block, a repeating group starting at tag 957. If this mode of parameter transport is not supported then the fixTag attribute of all Parameter elements is required. Default value: false.
Strategy/@disclosureDoc	anyURI	N	URL of a disclosure document supplied by the algorithm provider.
Strategy/@fixMsgType	string	N	Indicates the FIX message to use when transmitting the order. Values taken from FIX tag 35. Can be one of "D" (NewOrder-Single), "E" (NewOrder-List), "AB" (NewOrder-Multileg), or "s" (NewOrder-Cross).
Strategy/@imageLocation	string	N	File path or URL of an image file or logo of this particular strategy.
Strategy/@name	StringID	Y	Unique identifier of a strategy. Strategy names must be unique per provider.
Strategy/@orderSequenceTag	Non-neg	N	Used to denote the tag which will contain the sequence number

	int		of a particular order of a basket.
Strategy/@providerID	string	N	Identifies the firm providing the algorithm.
Strategy/@providerSubID	string	N	A further level of firm identification.
Strategy/@sentOrderLink	anyURI	N	Prefix portion of a URL to access the order or draft at the target e.g. https://xyz.com/algo/dashboard?SenderCompID= OMS appends to this the specific SenderCompID string, an ampersand "CfOrdID=" and the specific CfOrdID-string. Trader hits this full URL to communicate regarding the order or draft. See additional documentation.
Strategy/@totalLegs	non-neg int	N	Used when msgType is AB and denotes number of repeating legs.
Strategy/@totalOrders	non-neg int	N	Used to denote number of repeating orders in a NewOrder-List message or a basket of NewOrder-Single messages.
Strategy/@uiRep	string	N	The name of the strategy as rendered in the UI. If not provided then the "name" attribute should be used. (This is the value rendered on the UI when the user is presented with a choice of algorithms.)
Strategy/@version	string	Y	Information to facilitate version control
Strategy/@wireValue	string	Y	The value used to identify the algorithm. The tag referred to by fixTag will be set to this value.
StrategyEdit/@errorMsg	string	Y	This error message to display when the boolean expression defined by StrategyEdit/Edit evaluates to False.
StrategyPanel/@border	Border	N	Recommended border for the panel. Valid values are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> <li>• Line</li> </ul>
StrategyPanel/@collapsed	boolean	N	Initial visual state of a panel. Indicates whether a panel is initially drawn in a collapsed state. Default value: true.
StrategyPanel/@collapsible	boolean	N	Indicates whether panel can be collapsed. Default value: false.
StrategyPanel/@color	string	N	The background color of a panel. The value should appear as the RGB combination separated by commas.  <b>It is recommended that vendors ignore this attribute and rely on their own color scheme.</b>
StrategyPanel/@orientation	Orientation	N	Must be "HORIZONTAL" or "VERTICAL". Declares the orientation of the components (parameters or nested

			strategyPanels) within a strategyPanel.
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## Parameter Type-Attribute Matrix

Parameter attribute	Amt_t	Boolean_t	Currency_t	Data_t	Exchange_t	Float_t	Int_t	Language_t	Length_t	LocalMktDate_t	MonthYear_t	MultipleCharValue_t	MultipleStringValue_t	NumInGroup_t	Percentage_t	Price_t	PriceOffset_t	Qty_t	SeqNum_t	String_t	TagNum_t	Tenor_t	TZTimeOnly_t	TZTimestamp_t	UTCDateOnly_t	UTCTimeOnly_t	UTCTimestamp_t	
definedByFIX	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
fixTag	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	
mutableOnCxlRpl	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
name	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
revertOnCxlRpl	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
use	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
xsi:type	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
constValue	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
falseWireValue		X																										
invertOnWire												O	O															
localMktTz																											O	
maxLength				O								O	O							O								
maxValue	O					O	O			O	O				O	O	O	O					O	O	O	O	O	
minLength				O								O	O							O								
minValue	O					O	O			O	O				O	O	O	O					O	O	O	O	O	
multiplyBy100															X													
precision	O					O									O	O	O	O										
trueWireValue		X																										
	Blank=Not Applicable, Y=Required, C=Conditional, O=Optional, X=Deprecated/NotRecommended																											

## Control Type-Attribute Matrix

Control attribute	CheckBox_t	CheckBoxList_t	Clock_t	DoubleSpinner_t	DropDownList_t	EditableDropDownList	HiddenField_t	Label_t	MultiSelectList_t	RadioButton_t	RadioButtonList_t	SingleSelectList_t	SingleSpinner_t	Slider_t	TextField_t
disableForTemplate	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
ID	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
initFixField	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
initPolicy	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
label	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
parameterRef	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
tooltip	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
xsi:type	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
checkedEnumRef	O									O					
increment													O		
incrementPolicy				O									O		
initValue	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
initValueMode			O												
innerIncrement				O											
innerIncrementPolicy				O											
localMktTz			C												
orientation		O									O				
outerIncrement				O											
outerIncrementPolicy				O											
radioGroup										O					
uncheckedEnumRef	O									O					
ListItem[0..1]		O			O	O			O		O	O		O	
	Blank=Not Applicable, Y=Required, C=Conditional, O=Optional, X=Deprecated/NotRecommended														

## Type Definitions

The types of the attribute listed in the previous table are defined here. Many of these datatypes have been leveraged from the FIXML schema file [fixml-datatypes-5-0.xsd](http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema). Some come from the XML Schema namespace <http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema>. All others have been defined explicitly within the FIXatdl schema files.

Type Name	Source	Description
Amt	FIXML	Float value typically representing a Price times a Qty.



anyURI	XML Schema	This datatype represents a URI, which includes web page addresses (commonly called URLs).
boolean	XML Schema	Valid values are “true” and “false”.
Boolean	FIXML	Character field containing one of two values: ‘Y’ (for True/Yes), ‘N’ (for False/No).
Border	FIXatdl	Enumerated type describing the border of a panel. Valid values are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> <li>• Line</li> </ul>
char	XML Schema	Char value, can include any alphanumeric character or punctuation except the delimiter. All char fields are case sensitive (i.e. m != M).  Restricted to the pattern ".{1}".
Currency	FIXML	String representing a currency type using ISO 4217 Currency code (3 characters) values.
Data	FIXML	String containing raw data with no format or content restrictions. Data fields are always immediately preceded by a length field. The length field should specify the number of bytes of the value of the data field (up to but not including the terminating SOH). Caution: the value of one of these fields may contain the delimiter (SOH) character. Note that the value specified for this field should be followed by the delimiter (SOH) character as all fields are terminated with an “SOH”.  Not applicable to FIXatdl.
decimal	XML Schema	The XML Schema built-in datatype representing arbitrary precision decimal numbers.
double	XML Schema	The XML Schema built-in datatype, double.
Exchange	FIXML	String representing a market or exchange - ISO 10383 Market Identifier Code (MIC).
int	XML Schema	An integer. May be negative.
language	XML Schema	String identifier for a national language - uses ISO 639-1 standard.  Examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• en</li> <li>• fr</li> </ul>
Length	FIXML	Int representing a length in bytes. Value must be positive.
LocalMktTz	FIXatdl	An enumeration type consisting of the timezone database (or Olson database) codes for various timezones around the world. For example: “Europe/Zurich”. Note that these codes do not provide

		GMT offset or daylight savings information.
MonthYear	FIXML	String field representing month of a year. An optional day of the month can be appended or an optional week code. Valid formats: YYYYMM YYYYMMDD YYYYMMWW YYYY = 0000-9999, MM = 01-12, DD = 01-31, WW = w1, w2, w3, w4, w5.
MultipleCharValue	FIXML	String field containing one or more space delimited char values.
MultipleStringValue	FIXML	String field containing one or more space delimited string values.
Orientation	FIXatdl	Enumerated type describing the orientation of a group of GUI components or controls. Valid values: "HORIZONTAL", "VERTICAL".
Percentage	FIXML	Float value representing a percentage (e.g. .05 represents 5% and .9525 represents 95.25%). Note the number of decimal places may vary.
positiveInteger (posint)	XML Schema	An integer greater than or equal to 0.
Price	FIXML	Float value representing a price. Note the number of decimal places may vary. For certain asset classes, prices may be negative values. For example, prices for options strategies can be negative under certain market conditions. Refer to Volume 7: FIX Usage by Product for asset classes that support negative price values.
PriceOffset	FIXML	Float value representing a price offset, which can be mathematically added to a "Price". Note the number of decimal places may vary and some fields such as LastForwardPoints may be negative.
Qty	FIXML	float value capable of storing either a whole number (no decimal places) of "shares" (securities denominated in whole units) or a decimal value containing decimal places for non-share quantity asset classes (securities denominated in fractional units).
SeqNum	FIXML	Int representing a message sequence number. Value must be positive.
string	XML Schema	The string datatype represents character strings in XML.
StringID	FIXatdl	String with pattern restriction "[A-Za-z][A-za-z0-9_]{0,255}".
time	XML Schema	Time specified in the format "hh:mm[:ss]" or "hh:mm[:ss]{+,-}hh:mm". In the later format the offset from UTC is provided.
date	XML Schema	The date data type is used to specify a date. The date is specified in the following form "YYYY-MM-DD" where: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• YYYY indicates the year</li> <li>• MM indicates the month</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DD indicates the day</li> </ul>
TZTimestamp	FIXML	<p>String field representing a time/date combination representing local time with an offset to UTC to allow identification of local time and timezone offset of that time. The representation is based on ISO 8601.</p> <p>Format is YYYYMMDD-HH:MM:SS[Z   [ +   - hh[:mm]]] where YYYY = 0000 to 9999, MM = 01-12, DD = 01-31 HH = 00-23 hours, MM = 00-59 minutes, SS = 00-59 seconds, hh = 01-12 offset hours, mm = 00-59 offset minutes</p> <p>Example: 20060901-07:39Z is 07:39 UTC on 1st of September 2006</p> <p>Example: 20060901-02:39-05 is five hours behind UTC, thus Eastern Time on 1st of September 2006</p> <p>Example: 20060901-15:39+08 is eight hours ahead of UTC, Hong Kong/Singapore time on 1st of September 2006</p> <p>Example: 20060901-13:09+05:30 is 5.5 hours ahead of UTC, India time on 1st of September 2006.</p>
TZTimeOnly	FIXML	<p>String field representing the time represented based on ISO 8601. This is the time with a UTC offset to allow identification of local time and timezone of that time.</p> <p>Format is HH:MM[:SS][Z   [ +   - hh[:mm]]] where HH = 00-23 hours, MM = 00-59 minutes, SS = 00-59 seconds, hh = 01-12 offset hours, mm = 00-59 offset minutes.</p> <p>Example: 07:39Z is 07:39 UTC</p> <p>Example: 02:39-05 is five hours behind UTC, thus Eastern Time</p> <p>Example: 15:39+08 is eight hours ahead of UTC, Hong Kong/Singapore time</p> <p>Example: 13:09+05:30 is 5.5 hours ahead of UTC, India time.</p>
Tenor	FIXML	<p>Pattern used to allow the expression of FX standard tenors in addition to the base valid enumerations defined for the field that uses this pattern data type. This pattern data type is defined as follows:</p> <p>Dx = tenor expression for "days", e.g. "D5", where "x" is any integer &gt; 0</p> <p>Mx = tenor expression for "months", e.g. "M3", where "x" is any integer &gt; 0</p> <p>Wx = tenor expression for "weeks", e.g. "W13", where "x" is any integer &gt; 0</p> <p>Yx = tenor expression for "years", e.g. "Y1", where "x" is any</p>

		integer > 0
UTCDateOnly	FIXML	<p>String Date represented in UTC (Universal Time Coordinated, also known as "GMT") in YYYYMMDD format. This special-purpose field is paired with UTCTimeOnly to form a proper UTCTimestamp for bandwidth-sensitive messages.</p> <p>Valid values:</p> <p>YYYY = 0000-9999, MM = 01-12, DD = 01-31.</p>
UTCTimeOnly	FIXML	<p>String Time-only represented in UTC (Universal Time Coordinated, also known as "GMT") in either HH:MM:SS (whole seconds) or HH:MM:SS.sss (milliseconds) format, colons, and period required. This special-purpose field is paired with UTCDateOnly to form a proper UTCTimestamp for bandwidth-sensitive messages.</p> <p>Valid values:</p> <p>HH = 00-23, MM = 00-60 (60 only if UTC leap second), SS = 00-59. (without milliseconds)</p> <p>HH = 00-23, MM = 00-59, SS = 00-60 (60 only if UTC leap second), sss=000-999 (indicating milliseconds).</p>
UTCTimestamp	FIXML	<p>String representing Time/date combination represented in UTC (Universal Time Coordinated, also known as "GMT") in either YYYYMMDD-HH:MM:SS (whole seconds) or YYYYMMDD-HH:MM:SS.sss (milliseconds) format, colons, dash, and period required.</p> <p>Valid values:</p> <p>YYYY = 0000-9999, MM = 01-12, DD = 01-31, HH = 00-23, MM = 00-59, SS = 00-60 (60 only if UTC leap second) (without milliseconds).</p> <p>YYYY = 0000-9999, MM = 01-12, DD = 01-31, HH = 00-23, MM = 00-59, SS = 00-60 (60 only if UTC leap second), sss=000-999 (indicating milliseconds).</p> <p>Leap Seconds: Note that UTC includes corrections for leap seconds, which are inserted to account for slowing of the rotation of the earth. Leap second insertion is declared by the International Earth Rotation Service (IERS) and has, since 1972, only occurred on the night of Dec. 31 or Jun 30. The IERS considers March 31 and September 30 as secondary dates for leap second insertion, but has never utilized these dates. During a leap second insertion, a UTCTimestamp field may read "19981231-23:59:59", "19981231-23:59:60", "19990101-00:00:00". (see <a href="http://tycho.usno.navy.mil/leapsec.html">http://tycho.usno.navy.mil/leapsec.html</a>)</p>

## Abstract Element Extensions

There are two elements in the schema that are defined as abstract. For example, they cannot be included in an ATDL document without being extended by another element via the XML Schema extension element. All instances of these elements must indicate a derived type that is not abstract via use of the attribute `xsi:type` defined in the namespace <http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance>.

## Parameter Element Extension

Custom parameters received by an algorithmic order recipient must be of a type known to the recipient. For example, if the recipient is expecting a floating point number in a particular tag then the order sender must make certain that an actual floating point number goes in that tag. FIXatdl requires that any custom parameter to an algorithm must be of a type defined by the FIX Protocol. So the schema provides a set of complex types that are used to extend the Parameter element. These complex types directly correspond to the enumeration type description of tag 959 in the FIX 5.0 specification.

It is required that each Parameter element be extended by setting the attribute `xsi:type` equal to the name of one of the FIXatdl parameter extension types. An abstract Parameter element has the following attributes (which are described in the section “Attribute Definitions”):

- name
- fixTag
- use
- mutableOnCxlRpl
- revertOnCxlRpl
- definedByFIX
- `xsi:type`

When the Parameter element is extended it gains several more attributes depending on the element to which it is extended. The types of these attributes are also dependent on the extended element and may vary from one Parameter to another.

The following table presents the `xsi:type` names, the expected data type of the wire-value and the extended attributes that apply only to the specific parameter extension type.

Parameter <code>xsi:type</code>	Corresponding FIX 5.0 Type	Extended attributes specific to <code>xsi:type</code>	
		Attribute Name	Attribute Type
Amt_t	Amt	minValue	decimal
		maxValue	decimal
		constValue	decimal
Boolean_t	Boolean	trueWireValue ( <i>Deprecated</i> )	string
		falseWireValue ( <i>Deprecated</i> )	string

		constValue	boolean
Char_t	char	constValue	char
Currency_t	Currency	constValue	string
Data_t	data	minLength	Length
		maxLength	Length
		constValue	Data
Exchange_t	Exchange	constValue	Exchange
Float_t	float	minValue	decimal
		maxValue	decimal
		constValue	decimal
Int_t	int	minValue	int
		maxValue	int
		constValue	int
Language_t	Language	constValue	language
Length_t	Length	constValue	positiveInteger
LocalMktDate_t	LocalMktDate	minValue	LocalMktDate
		maxValue	LocalMktDate
		constValue	LocalMktDate
MonthYear_t	month-year	minValue	MonthYear
		maxValue	MonthYear
		constValue	MonthYear
MultipleCharValue_t	MultipleCharValue	minLength	Length
		maxLength	Length
		constValue	MultipleCharValue
		invertOnWire	boolean
MultipleStringValue_t	MultipleStringValue	minLength	Length
		maxLength	Length

		constValue	MultipleStringValue
		invertOnWire	boolean
NumInGroup_t	NumInGroup	constValue	positiveInteger
Percentage_t	Percentage	minValue	Percentage
		maxValue	Percentage
		constValue	Percentage
		multiplyBy100	boolean
Price_t	Price	minValue	Price
		maxValue	Price
		constValue	Price
PriceOffset_t	PriceOffset	minValue	PriceOffset
		maxValue	PriceOffset
		constValue	PriceOffset
Qty_t	Qty	minValue	Qty
		maxValue	Qty
		constValue	Qty
SeqNum_t	SeqNum	constValue	positiveInteger
String_t	string	minLength	Length
		maxLength	Length
		constValue	string
TagNum_t	int	constValue	positiveInteger
Tenor_t	Tenor	constValue	Tenor
UTCDateOnly_t	UTCDateOnly	minValue	UTCDateOnly
		maxValue	UTCDateOnly
		constValue	UTCDateOnly
UTCTimeOnly_t	UTCTimeOnly	minValue	time
		maxValue	time

		constValue	time
UTCTimestamp_t	UTCTimestamp	minValue	time
		maxValue	time
		constValue	time
		localMktTz	LocalMktTz
TZTimestamp_t	TZTimestamp	minValue	time
		maxValue	time
		constValue	time
TZTimeOnly_t	TZTimeOnly	minValue	TZTimeOnly
		maxValue	TZTimeOnly
		constValue	TZTimeOnly

For example in the following code snippet an algorithmic parameter, MktOnCloseFlag, is defined as being a Boolean\_t type.

```
<Parameter name="MktOnCloseFlag" xsi:type="Boolean_t" fixTag="8001" use="required"
  trueWireValue="T" false WireValue="F"/>
```

Notice that by setting xsi:type of this parameter to “Boolean\_t” we can now use the attributes, “trueWireValue” and “falseWireValue”, which are members of the derived element and accept standard XML string values.

## Control Element Extension

As with extensions to Parameter, ATDL provides a set of elements that are derived from Control. Each of these elements inherits the attributes of Control. They also have their own distinct attributes.

An abstract Control element has the following attributes (which are described in the section “Attribute Definitions”):

- ID
- parameterRef
- label
- initFixField
- initPolicy
- tooltip
- disableForTemplate
- xsi:type

When the Control element is extended it gains several more attributes depending on the element to which it is extended. The types of these attributes are also dependent on the extended element and may vary from one Control to another.



The following types are used to extend the Control element:

Control xsi:type	Description of desired control	Attributes specific to xsi:type	
		Attribute Name	Attribute Type
Clock_t	Clock with hours, minutes, seconds and AM/PM setting.	initValue	time
		initValueMode	int
TextField_t	Standard text field.	initValue	string
SingleSelectList_t	Affords the user the ability to select one item from a list.	initValue	string
MultiSelectList_t	Affords the user the ability to select many items from a list. Values extracted from this type of control are expected to be transmitted using a MultipleStringValue or MultipleCharValue FIX type.	initValue	MultipleStringValue
Slider_t	Draggable slider with labels that map to values.	initValue	string
		increment	double
		incrementPolicy	string
CheckBox_t	Standard check box – initialized to checked or unchecked.	initValue	boolean
CheckBoxList_t	A list of check boxes where multiple selections can be made. Values extracted from this type of control are expected to be transmitted using a MultipleStringValue or MultipleCharValue FIX type.	initValue	MultipleStringValue
		orientation	Orientation
SingleSpinner_t	A numeric field that has arrows to increment and decrement	initValue	double
		increment	double
		incrementPolicy	string
DoubleSpinner_t	A numeric field that has two sets of arrows to increment and decrement by different values (say for pennies and dollars). When pressed, the right-most pair of arrows will increment (or decrement) the value of the control by the value of outerIncrement. Pressing the other pair of arrows will cause the value to be incremented (or decremented) by the value of innerIncrement.	initValue	double
		innerIncrement	double
		innerIncrementPolicy	string
		outerIncrement	double
		outerIncrementPolicy	string

DropDownList_t	More specific derivation of a SingleSelectList. E.g., a combo box.	initValue	string
EditableDropDownList_t	More specific derivation of a SingleSelectList. E.g., an editable combo box.	initValue	string
RadioButton_t	Standard radio button, but with no associated group.	initValue	boolean
RadioButtonList_t	More specific derivation of a SingleSelectList. Several items are presented with an associated radio button where the user can select only one of them.	initValue	string
		orientation	Orientation
Label_t	Plain text.	initValue	string

For example in the following code snippet a control, StartTimeCntl, is defined as being a Clock\_t. An initial value of 09:30 has been specified.

```
<Control ID="StartTimeCntl" xsi:type="lay:Clock_t" label="Start Time" initValue="09:30" parameterRef="StartTime"/>
```

## Dependencies and Structural Constraints beyond XML Schema

While W3C XML Schema is useful for describing the structure of an XML-based language, it still has its limitations. For example, it only allows the specification of whether attributes are required or optional. Furthermore, there is no way to specify more complex constraints between attributes or between attributes or elements.

With this in mind the following table presents further constraints to which XML document instances must conform if they are to be FIXatdl compliant.

ID	Affected Elements	Affected Attributes	Description
1	Edit	logicOperator, operator	Within an edit element, the attributes “operator” and” logicOperator” are mutually exclusive.
2	Edit	field2, value	Within an edit element, the attributes “field2” and “value” are mutually exclusive.
3	StrategyPanel		A strategyPanel cannot have as child elements both Control elements and StrategyPanel elements.
4	Edit	field, field2	Within an edit element the attributes field and field2 must refer to either a pre-declared parameter name or a standard FIX tag name (taken from the FIX specification) pre-pended with the string ”FIX_”.
5	Edit	value	Within an edit element, the type of the value attribute must safely match with the type of parameter specified by the field attribute.
6	Edit	logicOperator, operator	If an Edit element is a child of another Edit element then the parent Edit element must have its logicOperator attribute defined and its operator attribute undefined.
7	Edit	field1, field2	When a comparison is made between two operands, the values of the operands must either be of the same type or be able to be converted in such a way so that the resulting converted types are the same.

## A Sample FIXatdl Document

The following listing shows a FIXatdl instance document describing one strategy with six parameters. The associated controls to be rendered are aligned horizontally within two panels which are, in turn, are vertically aligned. Three validation rules are provided.

```
<Strategies
  xmlns="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Core"
  xmlns:val="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Validation"
  xmlns:lay="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Layout"
  xmlns:flow="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Flow"
  xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.fixprotocol.org/FIXatdl-1-1/Core fixatdl-core-1-1.xsd"
  strategyIdentifierTag="7620"
  versionIdentifierTag="7621"
>

<Strategy name="Tazer1" uiRep="Tazer" wireValue="Tazer" version="1" fixMsgType="D" providerID="ABC">

  <!--
    Declare the algorithm to be applicable in The U.S., Canada and the UK.
  -->
  <Regions>
    <Region name="TheAmericas" inclusion="Include">
      <Country CountryCode="US" inclusion="Include"/>
      <Country CountryCode="CA" inclusion="Include"/>
    </Region>
    <Region name="EuropeMiddleEastAfrica" inclusion="Include">
      <Country CountryCode="UK" inclusion="Include"/>
    </Region>
  </Regions>

  <!--
    Declare the markets where order may be executed.
  -->
  <Markets>
    <Market MICCode="BATS" inclusion="Include"/>
    <Market MICCode="NYSE" inclusion="Include"/>
    <Market MICCode="XTSE" inclusion="Include"/>
    <Market MICCode="LSE" inclusion="Include"/>
  </Markets>
  <!--
    This algorithm will be applied to equity common stock.
  -->
```

```

<SecurityTypes>
  <SecurityType name="CS" inclusion="Include"/>
</SecurityTypes>

<!--
  Parameter declarations
  Five parameters are declared here. The order recipient may reject orders with: EndTime (tag 7603) values greater
  than 4pm New York time; SweepDistribution (tag 7640) values other than 'U' or 'G'; Variance (tag 7641) values
  outside the range [0.01, 0.50]; and DisplayQty (tag 7645) values less than 0.
-->
<Parameter name="StartTime" xsi:type="UTCTimestamp_t" fixTag="7602" use="required"/>
<Parameter name="EndTime" xsi:type="UTCTimestamp_t" fixTag="7603" use="required"
  maxValue="16:00:00" localMktTz="America/New_York"/>
<Parameter name="DisplayQty" xsi:type="Int_t" fixTag="7645" use="optional" minValue="0"/>
<Parameter name="SweepDistribution" xsi:type="Char_t" fixTag="7640" use="required">
  <EnumPair enumID="e_Uniform" wireValue="U"/>
  <EnumPair enumID="e_Gaussian" wireValue="G"/>
</Parameter>
<Parameter name="Variance" xsi:type="Float_t" fixTag="7641" use="optional" minValue="0.01" maxValue="0.50"/>
<Parameter name="AllowDarkPoolExec" xsi:type="Char_t" fixTag="7642" use="required">
  <EnumPair enumID="e_True" wireValue="T"/>
  <EnumPair enumID="e_False" wireValue="F"/>
</Parameter>

<!--
  Description and Layout of GUI controls
-->
<lay:StrategyLayout>
  <lay:StrategyPanel orientation="VERTICAL">
    <lay:StrategyPanel orientation="HORIZONTAL">
      <!--
        The StartTimeClock control will be initialized to 9:30am (New York time). If it is past 9:30am when the
        control is rendered, then it will be initialized with the current time.
        Note that the user will see the 9:30am New York time rendered according to his/her environment's local
        timezone setup.
      -->
      <lay:Control xsi:type="lay:Clock_t" ID="StartTimeClock" label="Start Time" parameterRef="StartTime"
        initValue="09:30:00" localMktTz="America/New_York" initValueMode="1"/>
      <!--
        The EndTimeClock control is not initialized.
      -->
      <lay:Control xsi:type="lay:Clock_t" ID="EndTimeClock" label="End Time" parameterRef="EndTime"/>
      <!--
        The next control is not bound to any parameter. It is intended to direct the behavior of the DisplayQty
        control. It presents 3 options in a drop-down list.
      -->
      <lay:Control ID="DQHandling" xsi:type="lay:DropDownList_t" label="Display Handling">
        <lay:ListItem enumID="choice1" uiRep="Send nothing"/>
        <lay:ListItem enumID="choice2" uiRep="Send 0"/>
    </lay:StrategyPanel>
  </lay:StrategyPanel>
</StrategyLayout>

```

```

    <lay:ListItem enumID="choice3" uiRep="Send what user enters"/>
</lay:Control>
<!--

```

The DisplayQty control is bound to the DisplayQty parameter. The control is un-initialized when it is first rendered. Its subsequent behavior is directed by DQHandling control. When DQHandling's choice1 is selected DisplayQty will revert to an un-initialized state and become disabled. When DQHandling's choice2 is selected, DisplayQty's value will be set to 0 and it will become disabled. When DQHandling's choice3 is selected, DisplayQty will be enabled and will accept user input.

```

-->
<lay:Control xsi:type="lay:TextField_t" ID="DisplayQty" label="Display Qty" parameterRef="DisplayQty">
    <flow:StateRule enabled="true">
        <val:Edit field="DQHandling" operator="EQ" value="choice3"/>
    </flow:StateRule>
    <flow:StateRule value="{NULL}">
        <val:Edit field="DQHandling" operator="EQ" value="choice1"/>
    </flow:StateRule>
    <flow:StateRule value="0">
        <val:Edit field="DQHandling" operator="EQ" value="choice2"/>
    </flow:StateRule>
</lay:Control>
</lay:StrategyPanel>
<lay:StrategyPanel orientation="HORIZONTAL">
<!--

```

The SweepDist control will present the 2 options corresponding to the enumPairs of the SweepDistribution parameter.

```

-->
<lay:Control ID="SweepDist" xsi:type="lay:DropDownList_t" label="Sweep Distribution"
    parameterRef="SweepDistribution" initValue="Uniform">
    <lay:ListItem enumID="e_Uniform" uiRep="Uniform"/>
    <lay:ListItem enumID="e_Gaussian" uiRep="Gaussian"/>
</lay:Control>
<!--

```

The Variance control is enabled only when SweepDist's e\_Gaussian item is selected.

```

-->
<lay:Control xsi:type="lay:SingleSpinner_t" ID="Variance" label="Variance" parameterRef="Variance">
    <flow:StateRule enabled="true">
        <val:Edit field="SweepDist" operator="EQ" value="e_Gaussian"/>
    </flow:StateRule>
</lay:Control>
</lay:StrategyPanel>
<lay:StrategyPanel orientation="HORIZONTAL">
    <lay:Control xsi:type="CheckBox_t" ID="DPOption" label="Allow Dark Pool Execution"
        parameterRef="AllowDarkPoolExec"
        checkedEnumRef="e_True" uncheckedEnumRef="e_False">
    </lay:Control>
</lay:StrategyPanel>
</lay:StrategyPanel>
</lay:StrategyLayout>

```

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<!--
    Validation Section
    Note that the attribute, field, always refers to a Parameter name and not a Control ID. Also note that short-circuit
    evaluation is fully exploited.
-->
<val:StrategyEdit errorMessage="End Time should be later than Start Time">
  <val:Edit field="EndTime" operator="GT" field2="StartTime"/>
</val:StrategyEdit>

<val:StrategyEdit errorMessage="Variance is required when Sweep Distribution is Gaussian.">
  <val:Edit logicOperator="OR">
    <val:Edit field="SweepDistribution" operator="NE" value="G"/>
    <val:Edit logicOperator="AND">
      <val:Edit field="SweepDistribution" operator="EQ" value="G"/>
      <val:Edit field="Variance" operator="EX"/>
    </val:Edit>
  </val:Edit>
</val:StrategyEdit>

<val:StrategyEdit errorMessage="Variance must be between 0 and 2.0">
  <val:Edit logicOperator="OR">
    <val:Edit field="SweepDistribution" operator="NE" value="G"/>
    <val:Edit logicOperator="AND">
      <val:Edit field="SweepDistribution" operator="EQ" value="G"/>
      <val:Edit field="Variance" operator="EX"/>
      <val:Edit field="Variance" operator="GT" value="0.0"/>
      <val:Edit field="Variance" operator="LT" value="2.0"/>
    </val:Edit>
  </val:Edit>
</val:StrategyEdit>

</Strategy>

</Strategies>

```

## Appendix 1 - LocalMktTz Type

The following table shows the valid values of attributes of the type LocalMktTz. In the FIXatdl schema a simple type, LocalMktTz\_t, has been defined as a string which is restricted to the zone names of the TZ environment variable.

A reference to the zone environment variable can be found at [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\\_of\\_zoneinfo\\_time\\_zones](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_zoneinfo_time_zones).

Africa/Abidjan	Africa/Libreville	America/Argentina/La_Rioja
Africa/Accra	Africa/Lome	America/Argentina/Mendoza
Africa/Addis_Ababa	Africa/Luanda	America/Argentina/Rio_Gallegos
Africa/Algiers	Africa/Lubumbashi	America/Argentina/Salta
Africa/Asmara	Africa/Lusaka	America/Argentina/San_Juan
Africa/Bamako	Africa/Malabo	America/Argentina/San_Luis
Africa/Bangui	Africa/Maputo	America/Argentina/Tucuman
Africa/Banjul	Africa/Maseru	America/Argentina/Ushuaia
Africa/Bissau	Africa/Mbabane	America/Aruba
Africa/Blantyre	Africa/Mogadishu	America/Asuncion
Africa/Brazzaville	Africa/Monrovia	America/Atikokan
Africa/Bujumbura	Africa/Nairobi	America/Bahia
Africa/Cairo	Africa/Ndjamena	America/Barbados
Africa/Casablanca	Africa/Niamey	America/Belem
Africa/Ceuta	Africa/Nouakchott	America/Belize
Africa/Conakry	Africa/Ouagadougou	America/Blanc-Sablon
Africa/Dakar	Africa/Porto-Novo	America/Boa_Vista
Africa/Dar_es_Salaam	Africa/Sao_Tome	America/Bogota
Africa/Djibouti	Africa/Tripoli	America/Boise
Africa/Douala	Africa/Tunis	America/Cambridge_Bay
Africa/El_Aaiun	Africa/Windhoek	America/Campo_Grande
Africa/Freetown	America/Adak	America/Cancun
Africa/Gaborone	America/Anchorage	America/Caracas
Africa/Harare	America/Anguilla	America/Cayenne
Africa/Johannesburg	America/Antigua	America/Cayman
Africa/Kampala	America/Araguaina	America/Chicago
Africa/Khartoum	America/Argentina/Buenos_Aires	America/Chihuahua
Africa/Kigali	America/Argentina/Catamarca	America/Costa_Rica
Africa/Kinshasa	America/Argentina/Cordoba	America/Cuiaba
Africa/Lagos	America/Argentina/Jujuy	America/Curacao



America/Danmarkshavn	America/Managua	America/Shiprock
America/Dawson	America/Manaus	America/St_Barthelemy
America/Dawson_Creek	America/Marigot	America/St_Johns
America/Denver	America/Martinique	America/St_Kitts
America/Detroit	America/Mazatlan	America/St_Lucia
America/Dominica	America/Menominee	America/St_Thomas
America/Edmonton	America/Merida	America/St_Vincent
America/Eirunepe	America/Mexico_City	America/Swift_Current
America/El_Salvador	America/Miquelon	America/Tegucigalpa
America/Fortaleza	America/Moncton	America/Thule
America/Glace_Bay	America/Monterrey	America/Thunder_Bay
America/Godthab	America/Montevideo	America/Tijuana
America/Goose_Bay	America/Montreal	America/Toronto
America/Grand_Turk	America/Montserrat	America/Tortola
America/Grenada	America/Nassau	America/Vancouver
America/Guadeloupe	America/New_York	America/Whitehorse
America/Guatemala	America/Nipigon	America/Winnipeg
America/Guayaquil	America/Nome	America/Yakutat
America/Guyana	America/Noronha	America/Yellowknife
America/Halifax	America/North_Dakota/Center	Antarctica/Casey
America/Havana	America/North_Dakota/New_Salem	Antarctica/Davis
America/Hermosillo	America/Panama	Antarctica/DumontDUrville
America/Indiana/Indianapolis	America/Pangnirtung	Antarctica/Mawson
America/Indiana/Knox	America/Paramaribo	Antarctica/McMurdo
America/Indiana/Marengo	America/Phoenix	Antarctica/Palmer
America/Indiana/Petersburg	America/Port-au-Prince	Antarctica/Rothera
America/Indiana/Tell_City	America/Port_of_Spain	Antarctica/South_Pole
America/Indiana/Vevay	America/Porto_Velho	Antarctica/Syowa
America/Indiana/Vincennes	America/Puerto_Rico	Antarctica/Vostok
America/Indiana/Winamac	America/Rainy_River	Arctic/Longyearbyen
America/Inuvik	America/Rankin_Inlet	Asia/Aden
America/Iqaluit	America/Recife	Asia/Almaty
America/Jamaica	America/Regina	Asia/Amman
America/Juneau	America/Resolute	Asia/Anadyr
America/Kentucky/Louisville	America/Rio_Branco	Asia/Aqtau
America/Kentucky/Monticello	America/Santarem	Asia/Aqtobe
America/La_Paz	America/Santiago	Asia/Ashgabat
America/Lima	America/Santo_Domingo	Asia/Baghdad
America/Los_Angeles	America/Sao_Paulo	Asia/Bahrain
America/Maceio	America/Scoresbysund	Asia/Baku

Asia/Bangkok	Asia/Phnom_Penh	Australia/Eucla
Asia/Beirut	Asia/Pontianak	Australia/Hobart
Asia/Bishkek	Asia/Pyongyang	Australia/Lindeman
Asia/Brunei	Asia/Qatar	Australia/Lord_Howe
Asia/Choibalsan	Asia/Qyzylorda	Australia/Melbourne
Asia/Chongqing	Asia/Rangoon	Australia/Perth
Asia/Colombo	Asia/Riyadh	Australia/Sydney
Asia/Damascus	Asia/Sakhalin	Europe/Amsterdam
Asia/Dhaka	Asia/Samarkand	Europe/Andorra
Asia/Dili	Asia/Seoul	Europe/Athens
Asia/Dubai	Asia/Shanghai	Europe/Belgrade
Asia/Dushanbe	Asia/Singapore	Europe/Berlin
Asia/Gaza	Asia/Taipei	Europe/Bratislava
Asia/Harbin	Asia/Tashkent	Europe/Brussels
Asia/Ho_Chi_Minh	Asia/Tbilisi	Europe/Bucharest
Asia/Hong_Kong	Asia/Tehran	Europe/Budapest
Asia/Hovd	Asia/Thimphu	Europe/Chisinau
Asia/Irkutsk	Asia/Tokyo	Europe/Copenhagen
Asia/Jakarta	Asia/Ulaanbaatar	Europe/Dublin
Asia/Jayapura	Asia/Urumqi	Europe/Gibraltar
Asia/Jerusalem	Asia/Vientiane	Europe/Guernsey
Asia/Kabul	Asia/Vladivostok	Europe/Helsinki
Asia/Kamchatka	Asia/Yakutsk	Europe/Isle_of_Man
Asia/Karachi	Asia/Yekaterinburg	Europe/Istanbul
Asia/Kashgar	Asia/Yerevan	Europe/Jersey
Asia/Katmandu	Atlantic/Azores	Europe/Kaliningrad
Asia/Kolkata	Atlantic/Bermuda	Europe/Kiev
Asia/Krasnoyarsk	Atlantic/Canary	Europe/Lisbon
Asia/Kuala_Lumpur	Atlantic/Cape_Verde	Europe/Ljubljana
Asia/Kuching	Atlantic/Faroe	Europe/London
Asia/Kuwait	Atlantic/Madeira	Europe/Luxembourg
Asia/Macau	Atlantic/Reykjavik	Europe/Madrid
Asia/Magadan	Atlantic/South_Georgia	Europe/Malta
Asia/Makassar	Atlantic/St_Helena	Europe/Mariehamn
Asia/Manila	Atlantic/Stanley	Europe/Minsk
Asia/Muscat	Australia/Adelaide	Europe/Monaco
Asia/Nicosia	Australia/Brisbane	Europe/Moscow
Asia/Novosibirsk	Australia/Broken_Hill	Europe/Oslo
Asia/Omsk	Australia/Currie	Europe/Paris
Asia/Oral	Australia/Darwin	Europe/Podgorica

Europe/Prague	Indian/Mauritius	Pacific/Pitcairn
Europe/Riga	Indian/Mayotte	Pacific/Ponape
Europe/Rome	Indian/Reunion	Pacific/Port_Moresby
Europe/Samara	Pacific/Apia	Pacific/Rarotonga
Europe/San_Marino	Pacific/Auckland	Pacific/Saipan
Europe/Sarajevo	Pacific/Chatham	Pacific/Tahiti
Europe/Simferopol	Pacific/Easter	Pacific/Tarawa
Europe/Skopje	Pacific/Efate	Pacific/Tongatapu
Europe/Sofia	Pacific/Enderbury	Pacific/Truk
Europe/Stockholm	Pacific/Fakaofu	Pacific/Wake
Europe/Tallinn	Pacific/Fiji	Pacific/Wallis
Europe/Tirane	Pacific/Funafuti	
Europe/Uzhgorod	Pacific/Galapagos	
Europe/Vaduz	Pacific/Gambier	
Europe/Vatican	Pacific/Guadalupe	
Europe/Vienna	Pacific/Guam	
Europe/Vilnius	Pacific/Honolulu	
Europe/Volgograd	Pacific/Johnston	
Europe/Warsaw	Pacific/Kiritimati	
Europe/Zagreb	Pacific/Kosrae	
Europe/Zaporozhye	Pacific/Kwajalein	
Europe/Zurich	Pacific/Majuro	
Indian/Antananarivo	Pacific/Marquesas	
Indian/Chagos	Pacific/Midway	
Indian/Christmas	Pacific/Nauru	
Indian/Cocos	Pacific/Niue	
Indian/Comoro	Pacific/Norfolk	
Indian/Kerguelen	Pacific/Noumea	
Indian/Mahe	Pacific/Pago_Pago	
Indian/Maldives	Pacific/Palau	