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## XSLT Transformations: XML 2 ABAP, a working example with deep structures

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I consistently run into trouble when using XSLT Transformation to import XML data into (deep) ABAP Structures. Partly because I do not use it often I guess. So to make sure that next time I will quickly find a how-to that works for me I created this blog 😊

Other options are; to use Simple Transformation or the standard [Identity Transformation](#) (XSLT via existing transformation 'ID').

The goal now is to import the following XML into a deep ABAP structure using XSLT

### The XML

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<File>
  <Head>
    <Name>K. Richards</Name>
  </Head>
  <Items>
    <ITM QTY="23" EAN="123123123123" CAT="BL"/>
    <ITM QTY="1000" EAN="123123123123" CAT=""/>
  </Items>
</File>
```