#### rsidRoot (Original Document Revision Save ID)

This element specifies the revision save ID which was associated with the first editing session for this document. [Note: This information shall be identical [between](between.docx) any number of copies of the same document, as they all originate from the same original editing session. Applications may use this information as desired. end note]

If this element is omitted, then the original document revision save ID is unknown.

[Example: Consider the following fragments from two WordprocessingML documents' document settings:

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| Document 1 | Document 2 |
| <w:[rsids](rsids.docx)>  <w:rsidRoot w:val="00464813"/>  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="00455AAB" />  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="00464813" />  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="00996E03" />  </w:[rsids](rsids.docx)> | <w:[rsids](rsids.docx)>  <w:rsidRoot w:val="00464813"/>  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="00455AAB" />  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="00464813" />  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="00473403" />  <w:[rsid](rsid.docx) w:val="0048414E" />  </w:[rsids](rsids.docx)> |

The rsidRoot element's val attribute has a value of 00464813 for both documents, indicating that these documents, although they are now separate, originated from the same document. This information may be used as desired. end example]

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| Parent Elements |
| [rsids](rsids.docx) (§) |

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| Attributes | Description |
| val (Long Hexadecimal Number Value) | Specifies a number value specified as a four digit hexadecimal number), whose contents of this decimal number are interpreted based on the context of the parent [XML](XML.docx) element.  [Example: Consider the following value for an attribute of [type](type.docx) [ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx): 00BE2C6C.  This value is valid, as it contains four hexadecimal digits, each an [encoding](encoding.docx) of an octet of the actual decimal number value. It may therefore be interpreted as desired in the context of the parent [XML](XML.docx) element, end example]  The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |

The following [XML](XML.docx) Schema fragment defines the contents of this element:

<complexType [name](name.docx)="CT\_LongHexNumber">

<attribute [name](name.docx)="val" [type](type.docx)="[ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx)" use="required"/>

</complexType>