# Energistics CTA v2.3 Release Notes

CTA Overview	The Energistics Common Technical Architecture (CTA) is a set of technology, standards, and best practices that provides a common foundation of shared resources for use across Energistics domain standards: RESQML, WITSML, and PRODML
	The CTA is composed of Energistics common (EML), the set of data objects shared by all of the domain standards as well as other technologies and specifications adopted and/or developed by Energistics. For the complete list of CTA resources, see Download_Package_READ_ME.pdf.  For more information, see the Energistics CTA Overview Guide v2.3.
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### 1 List of Changes

This change list is organized according to the Jira tickets that were used to organize and do the work. Significant changes to identification of Energistics data objects and dataspaces (URI format) which are defined in the *Energistics Identifier Specification v5.0*. RECOMMENDATION: Read this document. It describes the syntax and semantics of data object and dataspace identifiers as used within the Energistics family of data transfer standards and the Energistics Transfer Protocol (ETP).

- Changes to data object reference (DOR) and added a new data object component reference (DOCR), both of which are described in the *Energistics Identifier Specification v5.0*.
- Changes to identification and DORs resulted in changes to the Energistics Packaging Conventions;
   for more information see EPC Specification v1.2.
- The spatial location objects (CRS and datums) have been completely redesigned (see Chapter 4 of the Energistics CTA Overview Guide v2.3RC).
  - Use of OpenGIS® Geography Markup Language Encoding Standard (GML) is no longer supported.
- Many data objects have been "promoted" from an Energistics domain standard to Energistics common, so that it may be used by any of the domain standards. These include: Aggregate, Attachment. Business Associate.
- New data objects: Collections, Column-Based Tables
- The Property model design has been updated and the content refreshed, based on Practical Well Log Standard v3.0 and other changes to move objects/functionality from RESQML to *common*.
- OSDU Integration. As one of the first "non-oil-company" members of OSDU, Energistics and its
  members have been working with the OSDU Forum to ensure that Energistics standards are best
  leveraged in the OSDU standard and data platform. Additionally, with the current release of the
  Energistics standards, much work has been done to accommodate the OSDU data model in
  Energistics standards. For example, in cases where it made sense, elements and attributes in the
  OSDU model have been added to existing Energistics data objects. In cases where no appropriate
  Energistics data object existed, data objects named something like "OSDU Integration" have been
  added.