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Introduction

Accounting and Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) software packages are widely used in businesses and by various government organizations to manage and track business processes, post transactions and produce financial reports. Because of the nature of the information contained within the ERP systems, the data are also leveraged by internal and external auditors to assess the business controls, processes and financial reporting. There are numerous ERP packages that are used by businesses and government organizations, which can vary greatly in design (e.g., interfaces, data content, data formats, operational reports, management reports, financial reports). These and other design differences present challenges in the collection of data for auditing supervision management purposes.

This document concerns the specification of technical exchange formats as output file formats for the functional content defined in the international standard Audit Data Collection ISO 21378:2019.

Exchange formats for Audit Data Collection Standard:

XML and JSON

1 Scope

The Audit Data Collection ISO 21378:2019 (ADCS) defines the functional requirements for exchanging audit data in flat file format. This document concerns the specification of technical exchange formats in XML, JSON and flat file (CSV) as output file formats for the functional content defined in the international standard Audit Data Collection ISO 21378:2019.

Besides this document the deliverable contains per ADCS Table:

- a. XML Schema
- b. XML Sample file
- c. JSON Schema
- d. JSON Sample file

To keep the three exchange formats (XML, JSON, CSV) consistent, we will also explain how to use the technical solution in the CSV format.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 21378:2019, Audit data collection

ISO/IEC 11179-1:2015, Information technology — Metadata registries (MDR)

REC-xml-19980210, Extensible Mark up Language (XML) 1.0 W3C Recommendation 10-February-1998

XML Schema 1.1 Part 1: Structures

XML Schema 1.1 Part 2: Datatypes

RFC4627, The application/json Media Type for JavaScript Object Notation (JSON)

JSON Schema definition specifications on: https://json-schema.org/specification-links.html

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- a. ISO Online browsing platform: available at https://www.iso.org/obp
- b. IEC Electropedia: available at http://www.electropedia.org/

3.1

data

set of values of qualitative or quantitative variables

3.2

data element

basic unit of identifiable and definable data (3.1)

[SOURCE: ISO 2146:2010, 3.4, modified — The admitted term "element" has been deleted.]

3.3

data file

collection of data (3.1) records having a homogeneous structure

[SOURCE: ISO 14825:2011, 3.1.2, modified — The word "related" and the note to entry have been deleted.]

3.4

data structure

framework comprising a number of data elements (3.2) in a prescribed form

[SOURCE: ISO 21007-1:2005, 2.16, modified —"element" has been deleted from the term.]

3.5

syntax

set of rules, principles and processes that govern the *data structure* (3.4)

3.6

data model

A data model contains formal and normalized descriptions of the data requirements. It consists of entities, relations, attributes and domains.

3.7

entity

is a group of data elements describing an object. Equivalent to "Object Class" in ISO 11179.

3.8

relation

relationship between two entities (3.7)

3.9

attribute

data element (3.2) describing an object. Equivalent to "Property" in ISO 11179.

3.10

domain

set of properties to define the value space of attributes. Can contain code lists and code values. Equivalent to "Representation" in ISO 11179.

3.11

code list

standardised list of code values (3.12) with a common scope.

3.12

code value

one value from a *code list* (3.11).

4 Exchange Formats

4.1 General

The data format is the carrier of data exchange between auditor and auditee. So, it is necessary to make an agreement on data format between the two sides in data exchange. There are multiple options for output data formats.

In case of ADCS, three exchange formats are specified:

- 1. XML files defined by XML Schema specification (W3C),
- 2. JSON files defined JSON Schema (Version 0.6) specification,
- 3. CSV files.

These three formats will contain the same functional ADCS content specification but will differ on the technical level only.

This means that these exchange formats are convertible from one to the other. For instance, you could convert XML files to CSV files or CSV files to JSON files.

To generate the XML and JSON schemas in a consistent way, a data model was set up from ISO 21378:2019 Audit data collection according to ISO/IEC 11179-1:2015. This data model is used to create consistent exchange format specifications.

Each ADCS table is modelled into a "Parent Entity" and reusable data groups within a table are modelled into "Child Entities", e.g., "Physical Address", "Billing Address", "Tax", "Created", "Modified", "Posted" etc., completely in line with the ISO 21378:2019 Audit data collection standard. This way of working guarantees that all reusable groups that occur in multiple tables will be defined the same way.

As the data model is not in scope of this project, it is only documented for reference purposes in Annex D.

In the following chapters the various technical specifications are explained, and the additional packaging and communication agreements are defined.

4.2 XML

4.2.1 General

This chapter describes how to exchange the ADCS tables using XML files.

4.2.2 Technical guideline

Only one ADCS table, with a number of repeating lines, must be sent in one XML file.

The filename must comply with the rules described in chapter 4.6.6.

Each ADCS table has its own XML-Schema to define its XML-file. So, when there are 71 tables, there are 71 XML-Schemas.

Such an XML file contains (schematic):

Italics printed text should be replaced by the definitions in this document.

4.2.2.1 Root tag

The root tag equals "Adc" followed by the ADCS table name like: "AdcApAdjustments".

Used table names are taken from the ISO 21378:2019 standard.

4.2.2.2 Target name space definition

The target name space equals "http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/" followed by the message name and message version like: "http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"

4.2.2.3 XML tags

Table-line-tag, group-tag and data-element-tag are XML tags which are defined in the related XML Schema.

XML tags are in a first step derived from the full data element names, and in a second step shortened in a consistent manner, according to an abbreviations list (see Annex A).

Because ADCS are bulk files by nature, abbreviated tags will reduce the file sizes by 30% - 40%.

Full data element names and abbreviated XML tags are together specified in ADCS to XML mapping tables (see for explanation and example of mapping tables chapter 4.5).

In XML Schemas the full data element names are documented as annotation.

This means that programmers can have easy access to the full data element names, either from the mapping tables or from the XML Schemas.

4.2.2.4 Optional fields

Optional fields and optional groups of fields can be omitted from the XML file only, if these data elements are not available in the source system that delivers the audit data.

4.2.2.5 Repeating groups

Repeating groups like "Tax" can occur up to the maximum number that is defined in the XML Schema.

4.2.2.6 Special characters to be escaped

The following special characters must be escaped in XML files as follows:

- < (less than) to be replaced with <
- > (greater than) to be replaced with >
- & (ampersand) to be replaced with & amp;
- '(apostrophe) to be replaced with '
- " (quotation mark) to be replaced with "

4.2.3 XML Schemas

Each ADCS file is technically specified by an XML Schema and can also be validated by using that schema. All schema files are bundled in a schema package.

The following schema packages are available:

- 1. Official ISO delivery package: This package contains the schemas that have been officially established as the ISO standard, and should be used to communicate the audit data in a standardized manner.
- 2. Development package: This package contains the schemas that are used to develop new versions of the existing schemas and for the development of extension schemas.

The following chapters explain the two types of packages.

4.2.3.1 Official ISO delivery package

All schema files in this package have one and the same version number, which can be found in the schema file itself.

The first delivery of the package will have version number 1. After a certain period, if there are sufficient reasons for this, a new package of schemas will be delivered with a successor version number, for example version number 2.

This package contains:

- 1. All ADCS table schemas where the name of the schema file is equal to the root tag name like "AdcApAdjustments.xsd".
- 2. One data types schema, named "ADC_DataTypes.xsd". This schema is imported into all ADCS table schemas.

Example: "AdcApAdjustments.xsd":

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<!-- XML Definition of message hierarchy
<!-- Message:
                       ADC AP Adjustments v1.0
<!-- Message Rev.:
                        10
<!-- Transaction:
                      AA - Audit Data Collection
<!-- Transaction Rev.: 271
<!-- Datamodel:
                      Audit Data Collection Datamodel, version HEAD
<!-- Datamodel Rev.: 347
<!-- Definition type:
                      W3C Schema (http://www.w3.org/XML/Schema)
<!-- XML tagset used: AdcsML
<!-- Generated at:
                       02-05-2021 16:00:55
<!-- NOTE: This schema was generated automatically: manual modifications will be lost
<!-- NOTE: Additional rules/conditions regarding the definition may exist, see functional hierarchical specification -->
<xsd:schema xmlns:str="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"</p>
     xmlns:cdt="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Adc_DataTypes-v1"
     xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
     targetNamespace="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"
     elementFormDefault="qualified" attributeFormDefault="unqualified" version="1.0">
   <xsd:import namespace="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Adc_DataTypes-v1" schemaLocation="Adc_DataTypes.xsd"/>
   <xsd:element name="AdcApAdjustments">
      <xsd:annotation>
         <xsd:documentation>MESSAGE</xsd:documentation>
      </xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:complexType>
         <xsd:sequence>
            <xsd:element name="ApAdj" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded">
              <xsd:annotation>
                  <xsd:documentation>AP ADJUSTMENT</xsd:documentation>
              </xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:complexType>
                 <xsd:sequence>
                    <xsd:element name="Adjld" type="cdt:TypId100" minOccurs="1" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Adjustment ID</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="AdjNr" type="cdt:TypText100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Number</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="AdjTypNm" type="cdt:TypText60" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                          <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Type Name</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="AdjDocNr" type="cdt:TypText100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Document Number</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="Invoild" type="cdt:TypId60" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Invoice ID</xsd:documentation>
```

```
</xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="JrnId" type="cdt:TypId100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Journal ID</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="FiscYr" type="cdt:TypYrld" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Fiscal Year</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AcntingPer" type="cdt:TypPerId" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Accounting Period</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AdjDt" type="cdt:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Date</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="SuplAcntId" type="cdt:TypId100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
     <xsd:documentation>Supplier Account ID</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="GIDbAcntNr" type="cdt:TypGIAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:documentation>GL Debit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="GICrAcntNr" type="cdt:TypGIAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:documentation>GL Credit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
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     <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - TRANSACTION AMOUNT
   </xsd:annotation>
   <xsd:complexType>
     <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="FuncAmt" type="cdt:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Functional Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="FuncCurCd" type="cdt:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Functional Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="TrAmt" type="cdt:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Transaction Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
```

```
</xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="TrCurCd" type="cdt:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>Transaction Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="RprtAmt" type="cdt:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Reporting Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
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               <xsd:documentation>Reporting Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
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               <xsd:documentation>Local Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="LocCurCd" type="cdt:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
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               <xsd:documentation>Local Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
     </xsd:sequence>
  </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
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     <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - TAX</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
  <xsd:complexType>
     <xsd:sequence>
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               <xsd:documentation>Tax Type Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
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           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="GITaxDbAcntNr" type="cdt:TypGIAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">maxOccurs="1">maxOccurs="1"
               <xsd:documentation>GL Tax Debit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="GITaxCrAcntNr" type="cdt:TypGIAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>GL Tax Credit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
     </xsd:sequence>
  </xsd:complexType>
```

```
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     <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - CREATED</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
   <xsd:complexType>
     <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="UserId" type="cdt:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>User ID</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="Dt" type="cdt:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Date</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="Tm" type="cdt:TypTm" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Time</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
     </xsd:sequence>
   </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
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   </xsd:annotation>
   <xsd:complexType>
     <xsd:sequence>
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           </xsd:annotation>
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           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="Tm" type="cdt:TypTm" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
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              <xsd:documentation>Time</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
     </xsd:sequence>
   </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="LstMdf" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - LAST MODIFIED</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
  <xsd:complexType>
     <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="UserId" type="cdt:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
```

```
<xsd:documentation>User ID</xsd:documentation>
                                </xsd:annotation>
                             </xsd:element>
                             <xsd:element name="Dt" type="cdt:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
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                                   <xsd:documentation>Date</xsd:documentation>
                                </xsd:annotation>
                             </xsd:element>
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                                   <xsd:documentation>Time</xsd:documentation>
                                </xsd:annotation>
                             </xsd:element>
                          </xsd:sequence>
                       </xsd:complexType>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="BusSg" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded">
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                          <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - BUSINESS SEGMENT</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                       <xsd:complexType>
                          <xsd:sequence>
                             <xsd:element name="BusSgCd" type="cdt:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
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                                   <xsd:documentation>Business Segment Code</xsd:documentation>
                                </xsd:annotation>
                             </xsd:element>
                          </xsd:sequence>
                       </xsd:complexType>
                    </xsd:element>
                 </xsd:sequence>
              </xsd:complexType>
           </xsd:element>
        </xsd:sequence>
     </xsd:complexType>
   </xsd:element>
</xsd:schema>
```

Example: Part of Adc_DataTypes.xsd

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<!-- XML Definition of elementary types
<!-- Datamodel:
                Audit Data Collection Datamodel, version HEAD
                                                                                         -->
<!-- Datamodel Rev.: 317
<!-- Definition type: W3C Schema (http://www.w3.org/XML/Schema)
                                                                                         -->
<!-- XML tagset used: AdcsML
<!-- Namespace prefix: cdt
                    15-04-2021 09:52:36
<!-- Generated at:
                                                                                         -->
<!-- NOTE: This schema was generated automatically: manual modifications will be lost
<xsd:schema xmlns:cdt="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Adc_DataTypes-v1"</p>
     xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
     targetNamespace="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Adc_DataTypes-v1"
     elementFormDefault="qualified" attributeFormDefault="unqualified" version="1.0">
   <!-- NAME 25: FORMAT: AN..25 -->
   <xsd:simpleType name="TypNm25">
      <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
```

```
<xsd:maxLength value="25"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- BUSINESS SEGMENT REFERENCE LEVEL: FORMAT: AN..2 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypBusSgRefLevel">
   <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="2"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- NAME 60: FORMAT: AN..60 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypNm60">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="60"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- NAME 100: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypNm100">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- TEXT 60: FORMAT: AN..60 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypText60">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="60"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- DATE: FORMAT: AN10 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypDt">
   <xsd:restriction base="xsd:date"/>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- IDENTIFIER 25: FORMAT: AN..25 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypId25">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="25"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- TEXT 100: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypText100">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- IDENTIFIER 60: FORMAT: AN..60 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypId60">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="60"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- CUSTOMER TYPE CODE: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypCustTypCd">
   <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- NAME 80: FORMAT: AN..80 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypNm80">
```

```
<xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="80"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- IDENTIFIER 100: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypId100">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypTaxIdentificationNr">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- CITY NAME: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypCityNm">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- STATE PROVINCE CODE: FORMAT: AN..6 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypStatePrvncCd">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="6"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- POSTAL CODE: FORMAT: AN..20 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypPostalCd">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="20"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- COUNTRY CODE: FORMAT: AN..3 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypCntryCd">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:minLength value="2"/>
     <xsd:maxLength value="3"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- PHONE NUMBER: FORMAT: AN..20 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypPhoneNr">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="20"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- EMAIL: FORMAT: AN..100 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypEmail">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- AMOUNT: FORMAT: N..22,4 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypAmt">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal">
     <xsd:totalDigits value="22"/>
```

```
<xsd:fractionDigits value="4"/>
    </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<!-- PERCENTAGE: FORMAT: N..5,4 -->
<xsd:simpleType name="TypPerc">
    <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal">
        <xsd:totalDigits value="5"/>
        <xsd:fractionDigits value="4"/>
        </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType> .......
```

4.2.3.2 Development package

This package contains the schemas that are used to develop new versions of the existing schemas and for the development of extension schemas.

In this package each schema has its own version number, which is used in the version attribute and which is added to the name of the XML Schema file. In the first delivery of this package, all schemas will have version 1.0 like "AdcApAdjustments-v1.0.xsd". When a schema changes, the minor version number is incremented each time such a schema is distributed (e.g., version number changes from 1.0 to 1.1).

In this package, all schemas contain their own data type definitions, so that they can be further developed independently of each other.

After a certain period of time, if there are sufficient reasons to do this, a new ISO package of schemas will be delivered with the next successor major version number, for example version number 2 (see chapter 4.2.3.1), and then also a new development package will be delivered, in which all schemas will have version 2.0.

Example: "AdcApAdjustments-v1.1.xsd":

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<!-- XML Definition of message hierarchy
                  ADC AP Adjustments v1.1
<!-- Message:
                                                                                        -->
<!-- Message Rev.: 10
<!-- Transaction: AA - Audit Data Collection
                                                                                        -->
<!-- Transaction Rev.: 271
<!-- Datamodel:
                Audit Data Collection Datamodel, version HEAD
<!-- Datamodel Rev.: 347
<!-- Definition type: W3C Schema (http://www.w3.org/XML/Schema)
<!-- XML tagset used: AdcsML
<!-- Generated at:
                   02-05-2021 16:00:55
<!-- NOTE: This schema was generated automatically: manual modifications will be lost -->
<!-- NOTE: Additional rules/conditions regarding the definition may exist, see functional hierarchical specification -->
<xsd:schema xmlns:str="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"
xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema" targetNamespace="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"
elementFormDefault="qualified" attributeFormDefault="unqualified" version="1.1">
   <xsd:element name="AdcApAdjustments">
      <xsd:annotation>
        <xsd:documentation>MESSAGE</xsd:documentation>
     </xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:complexType>
        <xsd:sequence>
           <xsd:element name="ApAdi" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded">
              <xsd:annotation>
                 <xsd:documentation>AP ADJUSTMENT</xsd:documentation>
              </xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:complexType>
                 <xsd:sequence>
```

```
<xsd:element name="Adjld" type="str:TypId100" minOccurs="1" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Adjustment ID</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AdjNr" type="str:TypText100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Number</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AdjTypNm" type="str:TypText60" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Type Name</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AdjDocNr" type="str:TypText100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Document Number</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="Invoild" type="str:TypId60" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Invoice ID</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="JrnId" type="str:TypId100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Journal ID</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="FiscYr" type="str:TypYrld" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Fiscal Year</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AcntingPer" type="str:TypPerId" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Accounting Period</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="AdjDt" type="str:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>Adjustment Date</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="SuplAcntId" type="str:TypId100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
     <xsd:documentation>Supplier Account ID</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="GIDbAcntNr" type="str:TypGIAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:documentation>GL Debit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:annotation>
```

```
<xsd:documentation>GL Credit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="TrAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - TRANSACTION AMOUNT
  </xsd:annotation>
  <xsd:complexType>
     <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="FuncAmt" type="str:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Functional Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="FuncCurCd" type="str:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Functional Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="TrAmt" type="str:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
              <xsd:documentation>Transaction Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="TrCurCd" type="str:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Transaction Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="RprtAmt" type="str:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Reporting Amount</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="RprtCurCd" type="str:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Reporting Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="LocAmt" type="str:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Local Amount
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
        <xsd:element name="LocCurCd" type="str:TypCurCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
           <xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:documentation>Local Currency Code</xsd:documentation>
           </xsd:annotation>
        </xsd:element>
     </xsd:sequence>
  </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="Tax" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="4">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - TAX</xsd:documentation>
  </xsd:annotation>
  <xsd:complexType>
```

```
<xsd:sequence>
         <xsd:element name="TaxTypCd" type="str:TypTaxTypCd" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>Tax Type Code</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
         <xsd:element name="TaxLocAmt" type="str:TypAmt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>Tax Local Amount</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
         <xsd:element name="GITaxDbAcntNr" type="str:TypGlAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1"> maxOccurs="1"> maxOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1"> maxOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1"
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>GL Tax Debit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
         <xsd:element name="GITaxCrAcntNr" type="str:TypGIAcntNr100" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>GL Tax Credit Account Number</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
      </xsd:sequence>
   </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="Crea" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - CREATED</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
   <xsd:complexType>
      <xsd:sequence>
         <xsd:element name="UserId" type="str:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>User ID</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
         <xsd:element name="Dt" type="str:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>Date</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
         <xsd:element name="Tm" type="str:TypTm" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
            <xsd:annotation>
               <xsd:documentation>Time</xsd:documentation>
            </xsd:annotation>
         </xsd:element>
      </xsd:sequence>
   </xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:element name="Aprv" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
   <xsd:annotation>
      <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - APPROVED</xsd:documentation>
   </xsd:annotation>
   <xsd:complexType>
      <xsd:sequence>
         <xsd:element name="UserId" type="str:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
               <xsd:documentation>User ID</xsd:documentation>
```

```
</xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="Dt" type="str:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Date</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="Tm" type="str:TypTm" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Time</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd-annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                 </xsd:sequence>
              </xsd:complexType>
           </xsd:element>
           <xsd:element name="LstMdf" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
              <xsd:annotation>
                 <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - LAST MODIFIED</xsd:documentation>
              </xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:complexType>
                 <xsd:sequence>
                    <xsd:element name="UserId" type="str:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>User ID</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="Dt" type="str:TypDt" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Date</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                    <xsd:element name="Tm" type="str:TypTm" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                       <xsd:annotation>
                          <xsd:documentation>Time</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                 </xsd:sequence>
              </xsd:complexType>
           </xsd:element>
           <xsd:element name="BusSg" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded">
              <xsd:annotation>
                 <xsd:documentation>ap adjustment - BUSINESS SEGMENT</xsd:documentation>
              </xsd:annotation>
              <xsd:complexType>
                 <xsd:sequence>
                    <xsd:element name="BusSgCd" type="str:TypId25" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1">
                          <xsd:documentation>Business Segment Code</xsd:documentation>
                       </xsd:annotation>
                    </xsd:element>
                 </xsd:sequence>
              </xsd:complexType>
           </xsd:element>
        </xsd:sequence>
     </xsd:complexType>
  </xsd:element>
</xsd:sequence>
```

```
</xsd:complexType>
</xsd:element>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypAmt">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:decimal">
     <xsd:totalDigits value="22"/>
      <xsd:fractionDigits value="4"/>
   </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypCurCd">
  <xsd:annotation>
     <xsd:documentation>ISO 4217, codes for representation of currencies.
   </xsd:annotation>
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:length value="3"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypDt">
   <xsd:restriction base="xsd:date"/>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypGlAcntNr100">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypId100">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="Typld25">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="25"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypId60">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="60"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypPerId">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="15"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypTaxTypCd">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="25"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypText100">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
      <xsd:maxLength value="100"/>
  </xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypText60">
  <xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
     <xsd:maxLength value="60"/>
```

```
</ri>
<//xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypTm">
<xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
<xsd:restriction base="xsd:string">
</xsd:restriction>
</xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
<xsd:simpleType name="TypYrId">
<xsd:restriction base="xsd:nonNegativeInteger">
<xsd:totalDigits value="4"/>
</xsd:restriction>
</xsd:simpleType>
</xsd:simpleType>
</xsd:schema>
```

4.2.4 XML Sample

In the following example there's one ADCS table with one line in one XML file:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<a href="AdcApAdjustments"><a href="AdcApAdjustments"><AdcApAdjustments</a> v1 AdcApAdjustments-v1 AdcApAdjustments-v1 AdcApAdjustments-v1.0.xsd</a>
     xmlns="http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"
     xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance">
  <ApAdj>
     <Adjld>AD1234</Adjld>
     <AdjNr>123456789</AdjNr>
     <AdjTypNm>Finance charge.</AdjTypNm>
     <AdjDocNr>123456789</AdjDocNr>
     <Invoild>I001</Invoild>
     <JrnId>JRN1
     <FiscYr>2020</FiscYr>
     <AcntingPer>M1</AcntingPer>
     <AdjDt>2020-02-01</AdjDt>
     <SuplAcntld>S00001</SuplAcntld>
     <GIDbAcntNr>ACC123456789</GIDbAcntNr>
     <GICrAcntNr>ACC123456789</GICrAcntNr>
     <TrAmt>
        <FuncAmt>125.1255</FuncAmt>
        <FuncCurCd>USD</FuncCurCd>
        <TrAmt>125.1255</TrAmt>
        <TrCurCd>USD</TrCurCd>
        <RprtAmt>125.1255</RprtAmt>
        <RprtCurCd>USD</prtCurCd>
        <LocAmt>125.1255</LocAmt>
        <LocCurCd>USD</LocCurCd>
     </TrAmt>
     <Tax>
        <TaxTypCd>TAX01</TaxTypCd>
        <TaxLocAmt>12.50</TaxLocAmt>
        <GITaxDbAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxDbAcntNr>
        <GITaxCrAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxCrAcntNr>
     </Tax>
     <Tax>
        <TaxTypCd>TAX02</TaxTypCd>
        <TaxLocAmt>5.00</TaxLocAmt>
        <GITaxDbAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxDbAcntNr>
        <GITaxCrAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxCrAcntNr>
     </Tax>
     <Tax>
        <TaxTypCd>TAX03</TaxTypCd>
        <TaxLocAmt>0.75</TaxLocAmt>
        <GITaxDbAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxDbAcntNr>
        <GITaxCrAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxCrAcntNr>
     </Tax>
     <Tax>
        <TaxTypCd>TAX04</TaxTypCd>
        <TaxLocAmt>1.00</TaxLocAmt>
        <GITaxDbAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxDbAcntNr>
        <GITaxCrAcntNr>ACC123456789</GITaxCrAcntNr>
     </Tax>
     <Crea>
        <UserId>JD</UserId>
```

```
<Dt>2020-03-02</Dt>
       <Tm>09:31</Tm>
     </Crea>
     <Aprv>
       <UserId>JD</UserId>
       <Dt>2020-03-02</Dt>
       <Tm>09:31</Tm>
     </Aprv>
     <LstMdf>
       <UserId>JD</UserId>
       <Dt>2020-03-02</Dt>
       <Tm>09:31</Tm>
     </LstMdf>
     <BusSg>
       <BusSgCd>1000</BusSgCd>
     </BusSg>
     <BusSg>
       <BusSgCd>1200</BusSgCd>
     </BusSg>
     <BusSg>
       <BusSgCd>1234</BusSgCd>
     </BusSg>
  </ApAdj>
</AdcApAdjustments>
```

4.3 JSON

4.3.1 General

This chapter describes how to exchange the ADCS tables using JSON files.

4.3.2 Technical guideline

Only one ADCS table, with a number of repeating lines, must be sent in one ISON file.

The filename must comply with the rules described in chapter 4.6.6.

Each ADCS table has its own JSON-Schema to define it's JSON-file. So, when there are 71 tables, there are 71 JSON-Schemas.

JSON uses the same tags as XML.

```
Such a JSON file contains (schematic):
```

```
{
    "table-line-tag": [ {
        "data-element-tag": "value",
        "group-tag": {
            "data-element-tag": "value"
        }
}
```

Italics printed text should be replaced by the definitions in this document and JSON tag definitions from ADCS data catalog.

4.3.2.1 Root tag

The root tag in JSON equals "Adc" followed by the ADCS table name like: "AdcApAdjustments".

Used table names are taken from the ISO 21378:2019 standard.

Remark: At this stage of the project it was not yet decided to use a root tag in JSON.

4.3.2.2 Target name space definition

When required in JSON, the XML target name space will be used.

The target name space equals "http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/" followed by the message name and message version like:

"http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1"

Remark: At this stage of the project it was not yet decided to use a target name space in JSON.

4.3.2.3 **JSON** tags

Table-line-tag, group-tag and data-element-tag are the JSON tags which are defined in the related JSON Schema.

JSON uses the XML tags.

XML tags are in a first step derived from the field names, and in a second step shortened in a consistent manner, according to an abbreviations list (see Annex A).

Because ADCS are bulk files by nature, abbreviated tags will reduce the file sizes by 30% - 40%.

Full data element names and abbreviated XML tags are together specified in ADCS to XML mapping tables (see for explanation and example of mapping tables chapter 4.5).

This means that programmers can have easy access to the full data element names from the mapping tables.

4.3.2.4 Optional fields

Optional fields and optional groups of fields can be omitted from the JSON file only, if these data elements are not available in the source system that delivers the audit data.

4.3.2.5 Repeating groups

Repeating groups like "Tax" can occur up to the maximum number that is defined in the JSON- Schema. In case of a repeating group all occurrences in total will be enclosed by square brackets [].

Example 1: Repeating group Tax with only one occurrence:

Example 2: Repeating group Tax with 4 occurrences:

```
"Tax": [ {
     "TaxTypCd": "TAX01",
     "TaxLocAmt": 12.50.
     "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
     "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
  },
     "TaxTypCd": "TAX02",
     "TaxLocAmt": 5.00,
     "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
     "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
  },
     "TaxTypCd": "TAX03",
     "TaxLocAmt": 0.75,
     "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
     "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
  },
     "TaxTypCd": "TAX04",
```

```
"TaxLocAmt": 1.00,
"GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
"GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
}],
```

4.3.2.6 Special characters to be escaped

The following characters are reserved characters and cannot be used in JSON and must be properly escaped to be used in strings:

Backspace to be replaced with \b
Form feed to be replaced with \f
Newline to be replaced with \n
Carriage return to be replaced with \r
Tab to be replaced with \t
Double quote to be replaced with \"
Backslash to be replaced with \\

4.3.3 ISON Schema

Each ADCS file is technically specified by a JSON Schema and can also be validated by using that schema. All schema files are bundled in a schema package.

The following schema packages are available:

- 1. Official ISO delivery package: This package contains the schemas that have been officially established as the ISO standard, and should be used to communicate the audit data in a standardized manner.
- 2. Development package: This package contains the schemas that are used to develop new versions of the existing schemas and for the development of extension schemas.

The following chapters explain the two types of packages.

4.3.3.1 Official ISO delivery package

All schema files in this package have one and the same version number, which can be found in the schema file itself.

The first delivery of the package will have version number 1. After a certain period, if there are sufficient reasons for this, a new package of schemas will be delivered with a successor version number, for example version number 2.

This package contains all ADCS table schemas where the name of the JSON schema file is equal to the root tag name + "_jsd6.json", like "AdcApAdjustments_jsd6.json".

Example: "AdcApAdjustments_jsd6.json":

```
"$schema": "http://json-schema.org/draft-06/schema#",
"$id": "http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments_jsd6-v1",
"description": "JSON Definition of message hierarchy: ADC AP Adjustments v1.0",
"modelRef": [

"Message: ADC AP Adjustments v1.0",

"Message Rev.: 10",

"Transaction: AA - Audit Data Collection",
"Transaction Rev.: 277 - Audit Data Collection",
```

```
"Datamodel:
                       Audit Data Collection Datamodel, version HEAD",
   "Datamodel Rev.:
                         378".
   "XML tagset used: AdcsML",
   "Generated at:
                       29-05-2021 21:17:14",
   "NOTE: This schema was generated automatically: manual modifications will be lost",
   "NOTE: Additional rules/conditions regarding the definition may exist, see functional hierarchical specification"
],
"type": "object",
"additionalProperties": false,
"properties": {
   "ApAdj": {
      "type": "array",
      "title": "AP ADJUSTMENT",
      "minItems": 0,
      "maxItems": 999999,
      "items": {
          "type": "object",
          "additionalProperties": false,
          "properties": {
             "Adjld": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId100",
                "title": "Adjustment ID"
             },
             "AdjNr": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypText100",
                "title": "Adjustment Number"
             },
             "AdjTypNm": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypText60",
                "title": "Adjustment Type Name"
             },
             "AdjDocNr": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypText100",
                "title": "Adjustment Document Number"
             },
             "Invoild": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId60",
                "title": "Invoice ID"
             },
             "JrnId": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId100",
                "title": "Journal ID"
             "FiscYr": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypYrld",
                "title": "Fiscal Year"
             },
             "AcntingPer": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypPerId",
                "title": "Accounting Period"
             },
             "AdjDt": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
                "title": "Adjustment Date"
             "SuplAcntId": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId100",
```

```
"title": "Supplier Account ID"
},
"GIDbAcntNr": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGlAcntNr100",
   "title": "GL Debit Account Number"
},
"GICrAcntNr": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGIAcntNr100",
   "title": "GL Credit Account Number"
},
"TrAmt": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
       "FuncAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Functional Amount"
       },
       "FuncCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Functional Currency Code"
       },
       "TrAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Transaction Amount"
       },
       "TrCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Transaction Currency Code"
       },
       "RprtAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Reporting Amount"
       },
       "RprtCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Reporting Currency Code"
       },
       "LocAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Local Amount"
       },
       "LocCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Local Currency Code"
   },
   "required": []
},
"Tax": {
   "type": "array",
   "title": "ap adjustment - TAX",
   "minItems": 0,
   "maxItems": 4,
   "items": {
       "type": "object",
       "additionalProperties": false,
```

```
"properties": {
          "TaxTypCd": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTaxTypCd",
             "title": "Tax Type Code"
          },
          "TaxLocAmt": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
             "title": "Tax Local Amount"
          },
          "GITaxDbAcntNr": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGIAcntNr100",
             "title": "GL Tax Debit Account Number"
          },
          "GITaxCrAcntNr": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGIAcntNr100",
             "title": "GL Tax Credit Account Number"
       },
       "required": []
   }
},
"Crea": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
       "UserId": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
          "title": "User ID"
       },
      "Dt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
          "title": "Date"
      },
       "Tm": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTm",
          "title": "Time"
      }
   },
   "required": []
},
"Aprv": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
       "UserId": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
          "title": "User ID"
      },
       "Dt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
          "title": "Date"
       "Tm": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTm",
          "title": "Time"
   },
```

```
"required": []
             },
             "LstMdf": {
                "type": "object",
                "additionalProperties": false,
                "properties": {
                    "UserId": {
                       "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
                       "title": "User ID"
                    },
                    "Dt": {
                       "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
                       "title": "Date"
                    },
                    "Tm": {
                       "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTm",
                       "title": "Time"
                    }
                },
                "required": []
             },
             "BusSg": {
                "type": "array",
                "title": "ap adjustment - BUSINESS SEGMENT",
                "minItems": 0,
                "maxItems": 999999,
                "items": {
                    "type": "object",
                    "additionalProperties": false,
                    "properties": {
                       "BusSgCd": {
                          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
                          "title": "Business Segment Code"
                       }
                    },
                    "required": []
         },
          "required": [ "AdjId" ]
      }
   }
},
"required": [],
"definitions": {
   "domains": {
      "TypAmt": {
          "type": "number",
          "multipleOf": 0.0001,
          "title": "AMOUNT"
      },
      "TypCurCd": {
          "type": "string",
          "minLength": 3,
          "maxLength": 3,
          "title": "CURRENCY CODE"
      },
```

```
"TypDt": {
   "type": "string",
   "minLength": 10,
   "maxLength": 10,
   "pattern": "^\\d{4}-(0[1-9]|1[0-2])-(0[1-9]|[1-2]\\d|3[0-1])$",
   "title": "DATE (CCYY-MM-DD)"
},
"TypGIAcntNr100": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 100,
   "title": "GL ACCOUNT NUMBER 100"
},
"TypId100": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 100,
   "title": "IDENTIFIER 100"
},
"TypId25": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 25,
   "title": "IDENTIFIER 25"
},
"TypId60": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 60,
   "title": "IDENTIFIER 60"
},
"TypPerId": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 15,
   "title": "PERIOD IDENTIFIER"
"TypTaxTypCd": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 25,
   "title": "TAX TYPE CODE"
},
"TypText100": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 100,
   "title": "TEXT 100"
},
"TypText60": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 60,
   "title": "TEXT 60"
},
"TypTm": {
   "type": "string",
   "maxLength": 8,
   "title": "TIME"
"TypYrId": {
   "type": "integer",
   "title": "YEAR IDENTIFIER"
}
```

}

```
}
}
```

An overview of the existing JSON schemas can be found in Annex C

4.3.3.2 Development package

This package contains the schemas that are used to develop new versions of the existing schemas and for the development of extension schemas.

In this package each schema has its own version number, which can be found in the JSON Schema file. In the first delivery of this package, all schemas will have version 1.0 like "AdcApAdjustments_jsd6-v1.0.json". When a schema changes, the minor version number is incremented each time such a schema is distributed (e.g., version number changes from 1.0 to 1.1).

After a certain period of time, if there are sufficient reasons to do this, a new ISO package of schemas will be delivered with the next successor major version number, for example version number 2 (see chapter 4.3.3.1), and then also a new development package will be delivered, in which all schemas will have version 2.0.

Example: "AdcApAdjustments_jsd6-v1.1.json":

```
"$schema": "http://json-schema.org/draft-06/schema#",
"$id": "http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments_jsd6-v1",
"description": "JSON Definition of message hierarchy: ADC AP Adjustments v1.1",
"modelRef": [
   "Message:
                      ADC AP Adjustments v1.1",
   "Message Rev.:
   "Transaction:
                      AA - Audit Data Collection",
   "Transaction Rev.: 277 - Audit Data Collection",
   "Datamodel:
                      Audit Data Collection Datamodel, version HEAD",
   "Datamodel Rev.:
                        378".
   "XML tagset used: AdcsML",
   "Generated at:
                      29-05-2021 21:17:14".
   "NOTE: This schema was generated automatically: manual modifications will be lost",
   "NOTE: Additional rules/conditions regarding the definition may exist, see functional hierarchical specification"
],
"type": "object",
"additionalProperties": false,
"properties": {
   "ApAdj": {
      "type": "array",
      "title": "AP ADJUSTMENT",
      "minItems": 0,
      "maxItems": 999999,
      "items": {
         "type": "object",
         "additionalProperties": false,
         "properties": {
             "Adjld": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId100",
               "title": "Adjustment ID"
            },
             "AdjNr": {
                "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypText100",
```

```
"title": "Adjustment Number"
},
"AdjTypNm": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypText60",
   "title": "Adjustment Type Name"
},
"AdjDocNr": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypText100",
   "title": "Adjustment Document Number"
},
"Invoild": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId60",
   "title": "Invoice ID"
},
"JrnId": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId100",
   "title": "Journal ID"
},
"FiscYr": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypYrld",
   "title": "Fiscal Year"
},
"AcntingPer": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypPerId",
   "title": "Accounting Period"
},
"AdjDt": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
   "title": "Adjustment Date"
},
"SuplAcntId": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId100",
   "title": "Supplier Account ID"
},
"GIDbAcntNr": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGlAcntNr100",
   "title": "GL Debit Account Number"
},
"GICrAcntNr": {
   "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGIAcntNr100",
   "title": "GL Credit Account Number"
},
"TrAmt": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Functional Amount"
      },
       "FuncCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Functional Currency Code"
       },
       "TrAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Transaction Amount"
```

```
},
      "TrCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Transaction Currency Code"
      },
      "RprtAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Reporting Amount"
      "RprtCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Reporting Currency Code"
      },
      "LocAmt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
          "title": "Local Amount"
      "LocCurCd": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypCurCd",
          "title": "Local Currency Code"
   },
   "required": []
},
"Tax": {
   "type": "array",
   "title": "ap adjustment - TAX",
   "minItems": 0,
   "maxItems": 4,
   "items": {
      "type": "object",
      "additionalProperties": false,
      "properties": {
          "TaxTypCd": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTaxTypCd",
             "title": "Tax Type Code"
         },
          "TaxLocAmt": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypAmt",
             "title": "Tax Local Amount"
         },
          "GITaxDbAcntNr": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGlAcntNr100",
             "title": "GL Tax Debit Account Number"
         },
          "GITaxCrAcntNr": {
             "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypGIAcntNr100",
             "title": "GL Tax Credit Account Number"
         }
      },
      "required": []
   }
},
"Crea": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
```

```
"UserId": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
          "title": "User ID"
       },
       "Dt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
          "title": "Date"
      },
       "Tm": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTm",
          "title": "Time"
   },
   "required": []
},
"Aprv": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
       "UserId": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
          "title": "User ID"
       },
       "Dt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
          "title": "Date"
      },
       "Tm": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTm",
          "title": "Time"
      }
   },
   "required": []
},
"LstMdf": {
   "type": "object",
   "additionalProperties": false,
   "properties": {
       "UserId": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
          "title": "User ID"
       },
       "Dt": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypDt",
          "title": "Date"
       },
       "Tm": {
          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypTm",
          "title": "Time"
       }
   },
   "required": []
},
"BusSg": {
   "type": "array",
   "title": "ap adjustment - BUSINESS SEGMENT",
   "minItems": 0,
```

```
"maxItems": 999999,
                "items": {
                    "type": "object",
                    "additionalProperties": false,
                    "properties": {
                       "BusSgCd": {
                          "$ref": "#/definitions/domains/TypId25",
                          "title": "Business Segment Code"
                      }
                    },
                    "required": []
             }
         },
          "required": [ "AdjId" ]
      }
},
"required": [],
"definitions": {
   "domains": {
      "TypAmt": {
          "type": "number",
          "multipleOf": 0.0001,
          "title": "AMOUNT"
      },
      "TypCurCd": {
          "type": "string",
          "minLength": 3,
          "maxLength": 3,
          "title": "CURRENCY CODE"
      "TypDt": {
          "type": "string",
          "minLength": 10,
          "maxLength": 10,
          "pattern": "^\\d{4}-(0[1-9]|1[0-2])-(0[1-9]|[1-2]\\d|3[0-1])$",
          "title": "DATE (CCYY-MM-DD)"
      },
      "TypGlAcntNr100": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 100,
          "title": "GL ACCOUNT NUMBER 100"
      },
      "TypId100": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 100,
          "title": "IDENTIFIER 100"
      },
      "TypId25": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 25,
          "title": "IDENTIFIER 25"
      },
      "TypId60": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 60,
```

```
"title": "IDENTIFIER 60"
       },
       "TypPerId": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 15,
          "title": "PERIOD IDENTIFIER"
       },
       "TypTaxTypCd": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 25,
          "title": "TAX TYPE CODE"
       },
       "TypText100": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 100,
          "title": "TEXT 100"
       },
       "TypText60": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 60,
          "title": "TEXT 60"
       },
       "TypTm": {
          "type": "string",
          "maxLength": 8,
          "title": "TIME"
       },
       "TypYrld": {
          "type": "integer",
          "title": "YEAR IDENTIFIER"
   }
}
```

4.3.4 JSON Sample

In the following example there is one table with one line in one JSON file.

<u>Remark:</u> In this stage of the project, it was still not decided to use a root tag or name space in a JSON instance, this means that the ADCS table full name only can be derived from the file name.

```
"ApAdj": [ {
    "AdjId": "AD1234",
    "AdjNr": "123456789",
    "AdjTypNm": "Finance charge.",
    "AdjDocNr": "123456789",
    "Invoild": "1001",
    "JrnId": "JRN1",
    "FiscYr": 2020,
    "AcntingPer": "M1",
    "AdjDt": "2020-02-01",
    "SupIAcntId": "S00001",
    "GIDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
    "GICrAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
    "TrAmt": {
        "FuncAmt": 125.1255,
```

```
"FuncCurCd": "USD",
      "TrAmt": 125.1255,
      "TrCurCd": "USD",
      "RprtAmt": 125.1255,
      "RprtCurCd": "USD",
      "LocAmt": 125.1255,
      "LocCurCd": "USD"
   },
   "Tax": [ {
      "TaxTypCd": "TAX01",
      "TaxLocAmt": 12.50,
      "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
      "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
   },
   {
      "TaxTypCd": "TAX02",
      "TaxLocAmt": 5.00,
      "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
      "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
   },
   {
      "TaxTypCd": "TAX03",
      "TaxLocAmt": 0.75,
      "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
      "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
   },
   {
      "TaxTypCd": "TAX04",
      "TaxLocAmt": 1.00,
      "GITaxDbAcntNr": "ACC123456789",
      "GITaxCrAcntNr": "ACC123456789"
   } ],
   "Crea": {
      "UserId": "JD",
      "Dt": "2020-03-02",
      "Tm": "09:31"
   },
   "Aprv": {
      "UserId": "JD",
      "Dt": "2020-03-02",
      "Tm": "09:31"
   },
   "LstMdf": {
      "UserId": "JD",
      "Dt": "2020-03-02",
      "Tm": "09:31"
   },
   "BusSg": [ {
      "BusSgCd": "1000"
      "BusSgCd": "1200"
   },
      "BusSgCd": "1234"
  }]
}]}
```

4.4 CSV

4.4.1 General

To keep the three exchange formats (XML, JSON, CSV) consistent, it is also explained how to use the technical solutions in the CSV format. The specifications of these three technical exchange formats are defined in a consistent manner, so that conversion between formats will be possible. This technical guideline for CSV is recommended, but optional. If users do not need conversion to XML or JSON, it's allowed to just follow ISO 21378:2019 base specification.

4.4.2 Technical guideline

A comma-separated values (CSV) file, with the filename ending in .csv, stores tabular data, including numbers and text, in plain text. In the CSV file, each line of the file is a data record, and each record consists of one or more fields, which are separated by commas, semicolons or other delimiters.

Only one table, with a number of repeating lines, must be sent in one CSV file.

Such a file contains (schematic):

"data-element-tag"; "group-tag.data-element-tag" < line break>

"value"; "value" < line break >

"value"; "value" < optional line break >

Italics printed text should be replaced by XML tags.

In the above example a semicolon is used as a column delimiter, however this can also be another character like comma (,) or pipe (|).

line break> should be replaced by the line break characters used on the target operating system (e.g., CR/LF on Windows and LF on Unix systems).

<optional line break> the last line can contain an optional line break. Software processing ADCS data should skip empty lines in the ADCS CSV files, in order realize robust processing software.

If CR/LF occurs in the data, it will not be escaped as textual data is enclosed by double quotes.

4.4.2.1 Construction of column header tags

CSV files use the XML tags as column header tags.

XML tags are in a first step derived from the field names, and in a second step shortened in a consistent manner, according to an abbreviations list (see Appendix A).

4.4.2.2 Representation of (repeating) groups

Column tags of data elements which belong to a group will have the group tag followed by a dot (.) and followed by their own tag. For instance, "FuncAmt" in group "TrAmt" will have column header tag "TrAmt.FuncAmt".

Column header tags of data elements within a <u>repeating</u> group are prefixed by the group tag plus a number between () from 1 to the maximum number of repeats and then separated from the element tag by a dot ".".

For instance the repeating group "Tax":

Tax(1).TaxTypeCd, Tax(1).TaxLocAmt, Tax(2).TaxTypeCd, Tax(2).TaxLocAmt, etc. until 4.

4.4.2.3 Numerical data

Numerical data can be exchanged without being enclosed by double quotes ("). Numerical data can contain the dot character (.) as decimal separator. Other separators (for example thousand separator) are not allowed.

4.4.2.4 Special characters to be escaped

Quotation mark ("). If this character occurs in the data, it should be doubled like "".

4.4.2.5 Optional fields

Although certain fields or columns may not be required, in a CSV file the columns with their column header must always be present. For an optional field that is not present we will see two adjacent column separators in the CSV file (e.g. ;;).

4.4.3 CSV validation

For CSV validation there exists a Schema language:

CSV Schema Language 1.1 (digital-preservation.github.io)

However this is an unofficial draft.

4.4.4 CSV Sample

In the following example in text format, there's one table with one header line and one data content line in one CSV file:

AdjId; AdjNr; AdjTypNm; AdjDocNr; InvoiId; JrnId; FiscYr; AcntingPer; AdjDt; SuplAcntId; Gl DbAcntNr; GlCrAcntNr; TrAmt. FuncAmt; TrAmt. FuncCurCd; TrAmt. TrAmt. TrAmt. TrCurCd; TrAmt. RprtAmt; TrAmt. RprtCurCd; TrAmt. LocAmt; TrAmt. LocCurCd; Tax(1). TaxTypCd; Tax(1). TaxLocAmt; Tax(1). GlTaxDbAcntNr; Tax(1). GlTaxCrAcntNr; Tax(2). TaxTypCd; Tax(2). TaxLocAmt; Tax(2). GlTaxDbAcntNr; Tax(2). GlTaxCrAcntNr; Tax(3). TaxTypCd; Tax(3). TaxLocAmt; Tax(3). GlTaxDbAcntNr; Tax(3). GlTaxCrAcntNr; Tax(4). TaxTypCd; Tax(4). TaxLocAmt; Tax(4). GlTaxDbAcntNr; Tax(4). GlTaxCrAcntNr; Crea. UserId; Crea. Dt; Crea. Tm; Aprv. UserId; Aprv. Dt; Aprv. Tm; LstMdf. UserId; LstMdf. Dt; LstMdf. Tm; BusSg(1). BusSgCd; BusSg(2). BusSgCd; BusSg(3). BusSgCd

AD1234;123456789; Finance charge.;123456789; I001; JRN1;2020; M1;2020-02-01; S00001; ACC123456789; ACC123456789; 125.1255; USD; 125.1255; USD; 125.1255; USD; 125.1255; USD; Tax01; 12.50; ACC123456789; ACC123456789; Tax02; 5.00; ACC123456789; ACC123456789; Tax03; 0.75; ACC123456789; ACC123456789; Tax04; 1.00; ACC123456789; ACC123456789; JD; 2020-03-02; 09:31; JD; 2020-03-02; 09:31; 1000; 1200; 1234

The above CSV example opened in OpenOffice Calc:

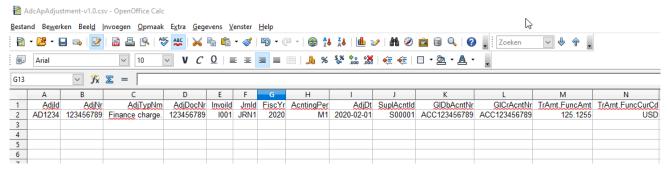


Figure 1 --- CSV sample presented by OpenOffice Calc

4.5 Mapping ISO 21378:2019 ADCS Tables to XML and JSON

This chapter specifies the mapping between ISO 21378:2019 ADCS Tables and XML or JSON or vice versa. One mapping table per ISO 21378:2019 ADCS Table must be set up. So, 71 mapping tables must be created.

For each data element in ISO 21378:2019 ADCS it is defined which element (or combined elements) in XML and JSON is to be used to contain its information contents.

The next chapter shows an example of such a table.

4.5.1 Mapping Table sample

Mapping ISO 21378:2019 ADCS table to XML or JSON and vice versa.

Table : AP_Adjustments

Version: : 1.0

XML-Schema: AdcApAdjustments.xsd

Namespace : http://schemas.iso.org/AdcsML/Messages/AdcApAdjustments-v1

JSON-Schema: AdcApAdjustments_jsd6.json

Roottag : AdcApAdjustments

Table tag : ApAdj

Path : AdcApAdjustments.ApAdj."XML / JSON Tag"

No.	Name	Datatype	XML / JSON Tag
1	Adjustment_ID	String	AdjId
2	Adjustment_Number	String	AdjNr
3	Adjustment_Type_Name	String	AdjTypNm
4	Adjustment_Document_Number	String	AdjDocNr
5	Invoice_ID	String	InvoiId
6	Journal_ID	String	JrnId
7	Fiscal_Year	String	FiscYr
8	Accounting_Period	String	AcntingPer
9	Adjustment_Date	Date	AdjDt
10	Supplier_Account_ID	String	SuplAcntId
11	Adjustment_Functional_Amount	Decimal	TrAmt.FuncAmt
12	ADJ_Functional_CUR_Code	String	TrAmt.FuncCurCd
13	ADJ_Transaction_Amount	Decimal	TrAmt.TrAmt
14	ADJ_TRX_CUR_Code	String	TrAmt.TrCurCd
15	Adjustment_Reporting_Amount	Decimal	TrAmt.RprtAmt
16	Adjustment_Reporting_CUR_Code	String	TrAmt.RprtCurCd
17	Adjustment_Local_Amount	Decimal	TrAmt.LocAmt
18	Adjustment_Local_Currency_Code	String	TrAmt.LocCurCd
19	Created_User_ID	String	Crea.UserId
20	Created_Date	Date	Crea.Dt

21	Created_Time	Time	Crea.Tm
22	Approved_User_ID	String	Aprv.UserId
23	Approved_Date	Date	Aprv.Dt
24	Approved_Time	Time	Aprv.Tm
25	Last_Modified_User_ID	String	LstMdf.UserId
26	Last_Modified_Date	Date	LstMdf.Dt
27	Last_Modified_Time	Time	LstMdf.Tm
28	Tax1_Type_Code	String	Tax(1).TaxTypCd
29	Tax1_Local_Amount	Decimal	Tax(1).TaxLocAmt
30	Tax2_Type_Code	String	Tax(2).TaxTypCd
31	Tax2_Local_Amount	Decimal	Tax(2).TaxLocAmt
32	Tax3_Type_Code	String	Tax(3).TaxTypCd
33	Tax3_Local_Amount	Decimal	Tax(3).TaxLocAmt
34	Tax4_Type_Code	String	Tax(4).TaxTypCd
35	Tax4_Local_Amount	Decimal	Tax(4).TaxLocAmt
36	GL_Debit_Account_Number	String	GlDbAcntNr
37	GL_Credit_Account_Number	String	GlCrAcntNr
38	GL_Tax1_Debit_Account_Number	String	Tax(1).GlTaxDbAcntNr
39	GL_Tax1_Credit_Account_Number	String	Tax(1).GlTaxCrAcntNr
40	GL_Tax2_Debit_Account_Number	String	Tax(2).GlTaxDbAcntNr
41	GL_Tax2_Credit_Account_Number	String	Tax(2).GlTaxCrAcntNr
42	GL_Tax3_Debit_Account_Number	String	Tax(3).GlTaxDbAcntNr
43	GL_Tax3_Credit_Account_Number	String	Tax(3).GlTaxCrAcntNr
44	GL_Tax4_Debit_Account_Number	String	Tax(4).GlTaxDbAcntNr
45	GL_Tax4_Credit_Account_Number	String	Tax(4).GlTaxCrAcntNr
46	Business_Segment_X	String	BusSg(n).BusSgCd n = 1,2,3 etc.

4.6 Cross topics

4.6.1 General

In addition to the technical part, different data formats face the same problems, which are management level, such as encryption of sensitive data.

4.6.2 Character encoding conventions

The character encoding used in ADCS was developed to be system and language agnostic (cross platform and cross-language). It is recommended that the two parties exchanging files adopt the UTF-8 format defined by the Unicode encoding system in the absence of a clear agreement to use a different format. UTF-8 can encode all Unicode characters and is supported by many application systems. It also has been widely applied in many fields and is usually used as the default format for data exchange. Special agreements may be carried out in accordance with specific business practices. Examples:

ASCII may be used in English, Chinese national standard 18030 may be used in China.

ISO/IEC 8859-1 may be used in Western European languages.

4.6.3 Versioning

Versioning has two primary aspects.

- a) Versioning of the definitions: Because the ADCS may evolve, it is important to identify the set of standards with which the extract file is compliant to avoid confusion when time flies and to increase the value of the audit data collection, particularly when an archived file set is leveraged for additional processing.
- b) Versioning of data extracts: It is common for an organization to re-extract data for a specific task and period of time. An initial draft should be performed for testing purposes before the data are complete. This will help mitigate errors, omissions or other issues that may require re-extracting the data. It is therefore important to be able to easily differentiate between files extracted using the different versions of the standard. In addition, it is also important to have the ability to distinguish later extracts that replace or augment an original extract.

Over time, the standard may need to be refreshed to capture the types of changes referenced above. For delimited text files, the file name is the primary tool for capturing these differences.

4.6.4 Multi-platform and multi-system data transfer

Different platforms, operating systems and file systems are likely to have an impact on file transfer.

Different file systems support different file sizes. For example, the maximum file size of the NTFS file system (in Windows) is 2 TB (terabytes), the maximum file size of the Fat32 file system (in Windows) is 4 GB (gigabytes), the maximum file size of the Ext2 file system (in Linux) is 16 GB, and the maximum file size of the Ext4 file system (in Linux) is 16 TB. If the auditor's and the auditee's file structures are different, direct data transfer can produce errors.

To ensure the efficiency and accuracy of data transfer, some suggestions are as follows.

a) Considering the minimum system requirement, the limit of a single file size is 4 GB. Single files greater than 4 GB should be split into smaller files. Three-digit Arabic numerals should be added at the end of the filename to express the file order.

EXAMPLE xxx_001.xml and xxx_002.xml.

b) When the transfer mode is binary conversion, files shall be transferred without modification.

EXAMPLE Changing the encoding to convert "\n" to "\r\n" while transferring files may corrupt the file and render it unreadable.

4.6.5 Limiting file size

Limiting file sizes can improve the data transfer efficiency.

When the file exceeds a maximum size (for instance 100,000 lines) the file must be split into several files, each not exceeding the maximum number of lines. The sequence number of the file is expressed in the file name (extracted table piece count), see chapter 4.6.6.

<u>Remark</u>: At this stage of the project the maximum number of lines was not yet decided for XML and JSON files.

4.6.6 Conventions of folder naming and file naming

Because of the large number of files that can be involved in an extraction, naming conventions for folders and files are important. The conventions make files more easily distinguished from one another and easier to browse and identify. In the case of the ADCS, the following usage scenarios should be considered:

- a) the organization of an auditee's files includes versions of files in a single data collection process or multiple data collections processes.
- b) the differentiation of files across multiple auditees.

To satisfy the above scenarios, file information must be built into the directory structure and filenames.

The folder-naming conventions and some examples are shown in the next table:

Table 1 — Folder-naming conventions and examples

Type of information	Information example	Folder-naming examples	
Company	<widget, inc="">, <bu123></bu123></widget,>		
Division	<retail>, <manufacturing>, <purchase></purchase></manufacturing></retail>		
Country Code	<usa>, <chn>, <nl>, <23></nl></chn></usa>		
Year	<2018>	<pre><widget, adcs_gl_1to9="" inc_retail_chn_2018_=""></widget,></pre>	
Standard	<adcs></adcs>	ABCS_GE_ILO55	
Module	<gl>, <inv></inv></gl>		
Periods	<jan-aug>, <1to9></jan-aug>		

The file-naming conventions and some examples are showed in the next table:

Table 2 — File-naming conventions and examples

Type of information	Information examples	File-naming examples
Standard name	<adcs></adcs>	
Period end extracted	<0ctober>, <7>	
Year extracted	<2018>, <19>	
Company	<widget, inc="">, <bu123></bu123></widget,>	
Module	<gl>, <inv></inv></gl>	<adcs_7_2018_widget, inc_inv_<="" td=""></adcs_7_2018_widget,>
Table name	<sal_orders>, <inv_location></inv_location></sal_orders>	INV_Location_20181108_1of1_00023.xml>
Extraction date	<20181108>	
Extracted table piece count	<1of1>,<1of7>,<2of7>,<3of7>	
Extraction unique ID	<eid00001>, <xid1>, <00023></xid1></eid00001>	
Extension	<xml>,<json>,<csv>,<txt></txt></csv></json></xml>	

4.6.7 File Compression

File compression is the representation of a source file with fewer bits, which can improve the data transfer efficiency and reduce storage consumption.

With ADCS data collection and exchange, in some scenarios, file compression is recommended as a way to exchange data. File compression conventions are as follows.

- a) All the files and folders collected from the auditee are compressed into one single file.
- b) The compression format should follow local convention.
 - EXAMPLE: The ZIP compressed file format.
- c) Encryption is recommended. Popular file compression software typically supports file encryption. As a result, the parties involved in data exchange may select one encryption method in accordance with the agreed method.

File-naming conventions for file compression and some examples are showed in the next tabel:

Table 3 --- Compression file-naming conventions and examples

Type of information	Information examples	File-naming examples
Company	<widget, inc="">, <bu123></bu123></widget,>	
Division	<retail>, <manufacturing>, <purchase></purchase></manufacturing></retail>	
Country Code	<usa>, <chn>, <nl>, <23></nl></chn></usa>	<widget, chn_2018_<="" inc_retail_="" td=""></widget,>
Year	<2018>	ADCS_1to9>,
Standard	<adcs></adcs>	
Periods	<jan-aug>, <1to9>,</jan-aug>	

4.6.8 Representation of special field types

Although the field types are defined in the ADCS standard, it is useful to explain some general types in this document:

Format of Date fields: CCYY-MM-DD (e.g., 2020-03-30)

Format of Time fields: HH:MM (e.g., 20:30)

Format of Amounts, Prices, Percentages: Will have a maximum number of digits, and a number of decimals. These fields always need to be written with the required number of decimals defined and a decimal point. (e.g., 100.25). Leading zeros are not allowed. For example, "0123.50" is not allowed, which must be written as "123.50"; "00.05" is not allowed and must be written as "0.05".

Format of Boolean: Value can be 0, 1, false, true.

Percentage fields contain 1/100 percentage. For instance, 6% must be written as "0.06" in the exchanged files.

4.6.9 Extension methodology and rules

In many cases, the current ADCS is expected to contain sufficiently data elements and that no specific sector data or locally required data will be added.

If data elements, tables or even modules are missing, they can be added to the next main version of ADCS.

If there is still a need to provide specific sector or locally desired data, there is the possibility to extend ADCS with new tables.

These extensions will be modelled as separate tables that are linked to the ADCS tables by using primary – foreign key relationships. These extensions should be used to add data to the ADCS, not to replace already defined data elements.

An extension is defined in an extension specification. The specifications must be drawn up in accordance with the ADCS rules and naming conventions, in tabular form.

Extensions must be made publicly available to foster awareness and reuse.

Extensions, after proven to be successful, can be input to the ADCS maintenance process. In this process data elements defined in the extension may be moved to the original ADCS table in a new version of the standard.

4.6.10 Encryption of sensible data

Audit data is the company's business data rather than public data, which needs privacy protection, especially the sensible data involving personal information. Therefore, the privacy protection of sensitive data is an important part of audit data collection. Data encryption is an important means to protect private data.

<u>Remark:</u> At this stage of the project, no decision has yet been made on how the XML and JSON files should be encrypted.

Annex A

XML Tags abbreviation List

1	1	Abbreviation	Abrv
1	2	Academic	Acad
1	3	Account	Acnt
1	4	Accrual	Accrl
1	5	Accumulated	Accum
1	6	Acquisition	Acq
1	7	Addition	Add
1	8	Address	Adr
1	9	Adjusted	Adjd
1	10	Adjustment	Adj
1	11	After	Aft
1	12	Allocation	Alloc
1	13	Amount	Amt
1	14	Application	Apl
1	15	Approved	Aprv
1	16	Balance	Bal
1	17	Before	Bef
1	18	Beginning	Beg
1	19	Billing	Bill
1	20	Branch	Bra
1	21	Business	Bus
1	22	Cancellation	Cncl
1	23	Change	Chng
1	24	Code	Cd
1	25	Contact	Cnt
1	26	Content	Cont
1	27	Contract	Contr
1	28	Corresponding	Corr
1	29	Costing	Cstng
1	30	Country	Cntry
1	31	Created	Crea
1	32	Credit	Cr
1	33	Currency	Cur
1	34	Customer	Cust
1	35	Customized	Cstmzd
1	36	Date	Dt
1	37	Debit	Db
1	38	Default	Dft
1	39	Department	Dep
1	40	Depreciable	Dprcbl

1	41	Depreciation	Depre
1	42	Description	Dscr
1	43	Details	Dtls
1	44	Developer	Dvlpr
1	45	Discount	Dscnt
1	46	Dispatch	Disp
1	47	Document	Doc
1	48	Employee	Emp
1	49	Employment	Emplmnt
1	50	Encoding	Enc
1	51	Ending	End
1	52	Exclude	Excl
1	53	Expense	Expns
1	54	External	Ext
1	55	Fiscal	Fisc
1	56	Fiscal	Fscl
1	57	Functional	Func
1	58	Generated	Gen
1	59	Grouping	Grp
1	60	Header	Hdr
1	61	Hierarchy	Hrchy
1	62	Identifier	ld
1	63	Impairment	Impr
1	64	Include	Incl
1	65	Indicator	Ind
1	66	Inventory	Inv
1	67	Invoice	Invoi
1	68	Journal	Jrn
1	69	Last	Lst
1	70	Line	Ln
1	71	Local	Loc
1	72	Location	Lct
1	73	Materials	Mat
1	74	Measurement	Mea
1	75	Method	Mthd
1	76	Modified	Mdf
1	77	Module	Mod
1	78	Name	Nm
1	79	Number	Nr
1	80	Open	Opn
1	81	Order	Ord
1	82	Organization	Org
1	83	Parent	Par
1	84	Payable	Pbl
1	85	Payment	Pay
1	86	Percentage	Perc

1	87	Period	Per
1	88	Person	Prsn
1	89	Physical	Phys
1	90	Primary	Prim
1	91	Proceeds	Prcds
1	92	Process	Proc
1	93	Product	Prdct
1	94	Project	Proj
1	95	Proportion	Prop
1	96	Province	Prvnc
1	97	Provision	Prov
1	98	Purchase	Pur
1	99	Purchasing	Prchsng
1	100	Quantity	Qt
1	101	Realized	Rlzd
1	102	Receipt	Rcpt
1	103	Receivable	Rcvbl
1	104	Received	Rcvd
1	105	Records	Rec
1	106	Reference	Ref
1	107	Regulator	Rgltr
1	108	Remaining	Rmng
1	109	Remark	Rmrk
1	110	Removal	Rmv
1	111	Replacement	Replac
1	112	Replacement	Rplc
1	113	Reporting	Rprt
1	114	Requisition	Rqstn
1	115	Residual	Resi
1	116	Responsibility	Resp
1	117	Reversal	Rev
1	118	Sales	Sal
1	119	Segment	Sg
1	120	Service	Srvc
1	121	Settlement	Setl
1	122	Sheet	Sht
1	123	Shipment	Shp
1	124	Shipping	Shpng
1	125	Software	Sftw
1	126	Source	Src
1	127	Standard	Std
1	128	Status	Stat
1	129	Stocking	Stck
1	130	Subledger	Sbldgr
1	131	Supplier	Supl
1	132	System	Syst

1	133	Terms	Trms
1	134	Time	Tm
1	135	Total	Tot
1	136	Transaction	Tr
1	137	Туре	Тур
1	138	Unrealized	Unrlzd
1	139	Version	Vers
1	140	Year	Yr

Annex B

List of XML Schemas

Adc_DataTypes.xsd

AdcBasAccountingPeriod.xsd

AdcBasBankAccount.xsd

AdcBasBillType.xsd

AdcBasBusinessSegment.xsd

AdcBasBusinessSegmentHierarchy.xsd

AdcBasChartOfAccounts.xsd

AdcBasCurrency.xsd

AdcBasCustomer.xsd

AdcBasCustomerType.xsd

AdcBasCustomizedAccSegment.xsd

AdcBasCustomizedAccValue.xsd

AdcBasEmployee.xsd

AdcBasJournalEntryType.xsd

AdcBasMeasurementUnit.xsd

AdcBasPaymentTerm.xsd

AdcBasProfile.xsd

AdcBasProject.xsd

AdcBasSettlementMethod.xsd

AdcBasSupplier.xsd

AdcBasSupplierType.xsd

AdcBasTaxRegulatory.xsd

AdcBasTaxType.xsd

AdcBasUser.xsd

AdcGlAccountSegment.xsd

AdcGlAccountsPeriodBalance.xsd

AdcGlDetails.xsd

AdcGlSource.xsd

AdcGlTrialBalance.xsd

AdcArAdjustments.xsd

AdcArAdjustmentsDetails.xsd

AdcArCashApplication.xsd

AdcArCashReceived.xsd

AdcArOpenAccountsReceivable.xsd

AdcSalContracts.xsd

AdcSalContractsDetails.xsd

AdcSalInvoicesGenerated.xsd

AdcSalInvoicesGeneratedDetails.xsd

AdcSalOrders.xsd

AdcSalOrdersDetails.xsd

AdcSalShipmentsMade.xsd

AdcSalShipmentsMadeDetails.xsd

AdcApAdjustments.xsd

AdcApAdjustmentsDetails.xsd

AdcApCashApplication.xsd

AdcApOpenAccountsPayable.xsd

AdcApPaymentsMade.xsd

AdcPurContracts.xsd

AdcPurContractsDetails.xsd

AdcPurInvoicesReceived.xsd

AdcPurInvoicesReceivedDetails.xsd

AdcPurMaterialsReceived.xsd

AdcPurMaterialsReceivedDetails.xsd

AdcPurOrders.xsd AdcPurOrdersDetails.xsd AdcPurRequisitions.xsd AdcPurRequisitionsDetails.xsd AdcInvLocation.xsd AdcInvOnHand.xsd AdcInvPeriodBalance.xsd AdcInvPhysicalInventory.xsd AdcInvProduct.xsd AdcInvProductType.xsd AdcInvTransaction.xsd AdcPpeAddition.xsd AdcPpeChange.xsd AdcPpeDepartmentAllocation.xsd AdcPpeDepreciation.xsd AdcPpeDepreciationMethod.xsd AdcPpeRemoval.xsd AdcPpeType.xsd

Annex C

List of JSON Schemas

 $AdcBasAccountingPeriod_jsd6.json$

AdcBasBankAccount_jsd6.json

AdcBasBillType_jsd6.json

AdcBasBusinessSegment_jsd6.json

AdcBasBusinessSegmentHierarchy_jsd6.json

AdcBasChartOfAccounts_jsd6.json

AdcBasCurrency_jsd6.json

AdcBasCustomer_jsd6.json

AdcBasCustomerType_jsd6.json

 $AdcBasCustomizedAccSegment_jsd6.json$

AdcBasCustomizedAccValue_jsd6.json

AdcBasEmployee_jsd6.json

AdcBasJournalEntryType_jsd6.json

AdcBasMeasurementUnit_jsd6.json

AdcBasPaymentTerm_jsd6.json

AdcBasProfile_jsd6.json

AdcBasProject_jsd6.json

AdcBasSettlementMethod_jsd6.json

AdcBasSupplier_jsd6.json

AdcBasSupplierType_jsd6.json

AdcBasTaxRegulatory_jsd6.json

AdcBasTaxType_jsd6.json

AdcBasUser_jsd6.json

AdcGlAccountSegment_jsd6.json

AdcGlAccountsPeriodBalance_jsd6.json

AdcGlDetails_jsd6.json

AdcGlSource_jsd6.json

AdcGlTrialBalance_jsd6.json

AdcArAdjustments_jsd6.json

AdcArAdjustmentsDetails_jsd6.json

AdcArCashApplication_jsd6.json

AdcArCashReceived_jsd6.json

AdcArOpenAccountsReceivable_jsd6.json

AdcSalContracts_jsd6.json

AdcSalContractsDetails_jsd6.json

AdcSalInvoicesGenerated_jsd6.json

AdcSalInvoicesGeneratedDetails_jsd6.json

AdcSalOrders_jsd6.json

AdcSalOrdersDetails_jsd6.json

AdcSalShipmentsMade_jsd6.json

AdcSalShipmentsMadeDetails_jsd6.json

AdcApAdjustments_jsd6.json

AdcApAdjustmentsDetails_jsd6.json

AdcApCashApplication_jsd6.json

AdcApOpenAccountsPayable_jsd6.json

AdcApPaymentsMade_jsd6.json

AdcPurContracts_jsd6.json

AdcPurContractsDetails_jsd6.json

AdcPurInvoicesReceived_jsd6.json

AdcPurInvoicesReceivedDetails_jsd6.json

AdcPurMaterialsReceived_jsd6.json

AdcPurMaterialsReceivedDetails_jsd6.json

AdcPurOrders_jsd6.json

AdcPurOrdersDetails_jsd6.json

AdcPurRequisitions_jsd6.json

AdcPurRequisitionsDetails_jsd6.json

AdcInvLocation_jsd6.json

AdcInvOnHand_jsd6.json

AdcInvPeriodBalance_jsd6.json

AdcInvPhysicalInventory_jsd6.json

AdcInvProduct_jsd6.json

 $AdcInvProductType_jsd6.json$

AdcInvTransaction_jsd6.json

AdcPpeAddition_jsd6.json

AdcPpeChange_jsd6.json

AdcPpeDepartmentAllocation_jsd6.json

AdcPpeDepreciation_jsd6.json

AdcPpeDepreciationMethod_jsd6.json

AdcPpeMaster_jsd6.json

AdcPpeRemoval_jsd6.json

AdcPpeType_jsd6.json

Annex D

Data Model

To design the XML schemas and JSON schemas in a consistent and structured way, a data model was created from the Audit Data Collection ISO 21378:2019 according to ISO 11179.

This data model is <u>not</u> part of the ISO 21378:2019 standard but is a means for designing consistent and common structured schemas.

This data model consists of 3 parts:

- 1. Object Model,
- 2. Transaction Model based on the Object Model,
- 3. Message Models based on the Transaction Model and the basis for exchange formats.

(1) Object Model

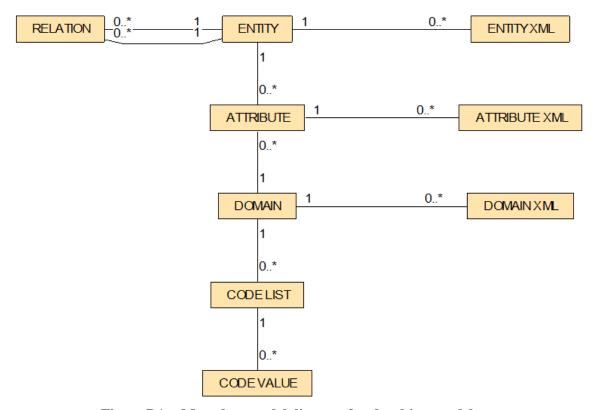


Figure D1 -- Meta data model diagram for the object model

The object model consists of a collection of entities, attributes, domains, code-lists and code-values and XML specific properties. This object model is structured according to the meta model shown in the figure below.

Description of the different components in the Object Model:

Entity

In an entity, related data is recorded. In this way, an entity describes an object. An entity has a name and a description.

Examples of entities are "SAL Order", "BAS Customer", "INV Product".

An entity may be a further division from another entity. An example is the division of 'Address' into 'Physical Address' and 'Billing Address' (specializations). The "Physical Address" entity is the so-called subtype of the "Address" entity. This latter entity is called the super-type. Super and subtypes have their own attributes, with the subtypes also inheriting the attributes of the super-type. The subtype has a so-called "is_a relationship" with the super-type.

Relation

A relation is the relationship property between two entities.

Attribute

An attribute describes one property of a single entity. An attribute describes the following:

- a. Name
- b. Definition
- c. Domain reference
- d. Entity reference

Examples of attributes are "Fiscal Year", "GL Account Number", "Tax Percentage".

Domain

A domain describes a class of values with a common scope and structure. A domain has a name, a description and format specifications. A domain can refer to multiple attributes from different entities.

Aspects of domain formats:

- a. Numeric, alphanumeric, or alphabetical
- b. Variable length or fixed length
- c. Length of the attribute, including + or sign and decimal point
- d. Datatype (Amount, Percentage, Date, Time, Text, Boolean etc.)

The chosen datatype is reflected in the XML Schema and JSON Schema.

Examples of domains are AMOUNT, DATE, TIME, TEXT, BOOLEAN

Code-list and Code-value

A code list is a set of values with a common scope. A code list has a name, a responsible agency, and values (codes). A code list is always associated with a single domain.

Entity XML, Attribute XML, Domain XML

Contains the XML specific properties needed to produce XML schemas from a Message Model. The same is also present for JSON and CSV.

ADCS tables modelled in the Object Model:

For all ADCS tables, the following (71) parent entities are defined, which are (in alphabetic order):

AP ADJUSTMENT

AP ADJUSTMENT DETAILS

AP CASH APPLICATION

AP OPEN ACCOUNT PAYABLE

AP PAYMENT MADE

AR ADJUSTMENT

AR ADJUSTMENT DETAILS

AR CASH APPLICATION

AR CASH RECEIVED

AR OPEN ACCOUNT RECEIVABLE

BAS ACCOUNTING PERIOD

BAS BANK ACCOUNT

BAS BILL TYPE

BAS BUSINESS SEGMENT

BAS BUSINESS SEGMENT HIERARCHY

BAS CHART OF ACCOUNTS

BAS CURRENCY

BAS CUSTOMER

BAS CUSTOMER TYPE

BAS CUSTOMIZED ACC SEGMENT

BAS CUSTOMIZED ACC VALUE

BAS EMPLOYEE

BAS JOURNAL ENTRY TYPE

BAS MEASUREMENT UNIT

BAS PAYMENT TERM

BAS PROFILE

BAS PROJECT

BAS SETTLEMENT METHOD

BAS SUPPLIER

BAS SUPPLIER TYPE

BAS TAX REGULATORY

BAS TAX TYPE

BAS USER

GL ACCOUNT PERIOD BALANCE

GL ACCOUNT SEGMENT

GL DETAILS

GL SOURCE

GL TRIAL BALANCE

INV LOCATION

INV ON HAND

INV PERIOD BALANCE

INV PHYSICAL INVENTORY

INV PRODUCT

INV PRODUCT TYPE

INV TRANSACTION

PPE ADDITION

PPE CHANGE

PPE DEPARTMENT ALLOCATION

PPE DEPRECIATION

PPE DEPRECIATION METHOD

PPE MASTER

PPE REMOVAL

PPE TYPE

PUR CONTRACT

PUR CONTRACT DETAILS

PUR INVOICE RECEIVED

PUR INVOICE RECEIVED DETAILS

PUR MATERIALS RECEIVED

PUR MATERIALS RECEIVED DETAILS

PUR ORDER

PUR ORDER DETAILS

PUR REQUISITION

PUR REQUISITION DETAILS

SAL CONTRACT

SAL CONTRACT DETAILS

SAL INVOICE GENERATED

SAL INVOICE GENERATED DETAILS

SAL ORDER

SAL ORDER DETAILS

SAL SHIPMENT MADE

SAL SHIPMENT MADE DETAILS

The following child entities are defined (in alphabetic order):

ACCOUNT SEGMENT

APPROVED

BALANCE AMOUNT

BALANCE BEGINNING AMOUNT

BALANCE ENDING AMOUNT

BILLING ADDRESS

BUSINESS SEGMENT

CREATED

CREDIT AMOUNT

CURRENCY

DEBIT AMOUNT

LAST MODIFIED

PHYSICAL ADDRESS

POSTED

PRIMARY CONTACT

TAX

TRANSACTION AMOUNT

The following super entities are defined (in alphabetic order)

ACTIVITY

ADDRESS

CONTACT

CONTRACT

CONTRACT DETAILS

INVOICE

INVOICE DETAILS

MONETARY AMOUNTS

ORDER

ORDER DETAILS

Example: AP ADJUSTMENT

Entity Diagram of AP ADJUSTMENT with its parent entity, child entities and super entities:

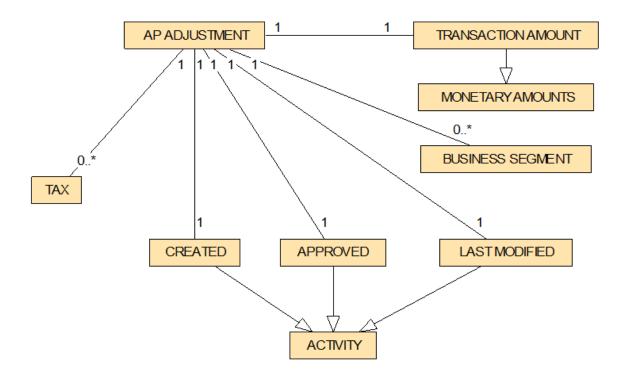


Figure D2 --- AP ADJUSTMENT entity relations diagram

(2) Transaction Model

In order to specify a hierarchical structure for messages, the relevant entities from the object model are displayed in a hierarchical structure. In the Transaction Model, all parent entities are displayed at hierarchical level 1 with the relevant child entities nested below at level 2.

Within the Transaction Model, the relevant attributes from entities can be selected. Only selected attributes will be presented in the messages and schemas.

The following diagram presents the parent entity AP ADJUSTMENT with its child entities in a hierarchic structure, which is the structure for the XML-Schema and JSON-Schema:

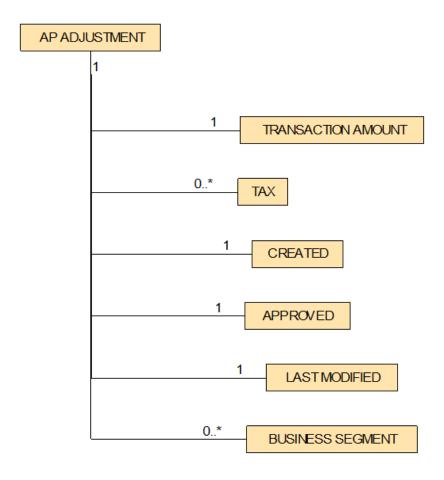


Figure D3 --- AP ADJUSTMENT hierarchic

(3) Message Models

Message models are derived from the transaction model, and therefore have the same hierarchical structure as the transaction model, but the content of the message models will differ, because they are subsets of the transaction model.

A message model includes the following:

- 1. The name and version of the message,
- 2. Relevant entities presented in a hierarchical message structure.

An entity within the message model describes the following:

- 1. Name of entity,
- 2. Description of the entity,
- 3. Mandatory or optional indication,
- 4. Maximum number of times an entity may appear in a message,
- 5. Relevant attributes.

An attribute describes the following:

- 1. Name of the attribute,
- 2. Description of the attribute,
- 3. Size of the attribute,
- 4. Mandatory or optional indication,
- 4. Code list name if an attribute is associated with a code list,
- 5. Allowed values if an attribute is associated with a code list.

Technical specifications:

Different technical specifications can be derived from a Message Model. For ADCS, these are XML-Schemas, JSON-Schemas and CSV technical specifications.

Data Model overview:

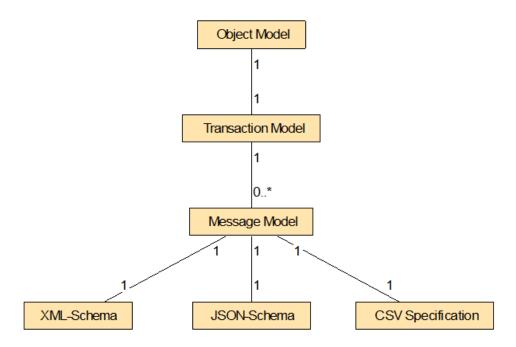


Figure D4 --- Data Model overview

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