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**Instructions:** For each question, you are to write a DTD that validates against the corresponding XML data set. Our back-end will validate the sample data with your DTD and display the result. When you're satisfied with your solution for a given problem, click the "Submit" button to check your answer.

You may perform these exercises as many times as you like, so we strongly encourage you to keep working with them until you complete the exercises with full credit.

## Q1

#### 1.0/1.0 point (graded)

In this question, you are to create a DTD for a small XML data set drawn from the Stanford course catalog. There are multiple departments, each with a department chair, some courses, and professors and/or lecturers who teach courses. The XML data is here.

Write a DTD for the XML data set.

Important: Do not include <!DOCTYPE Course\_Catalog [...]> in your DTD. Your DTD should start with <!ELEMENT Course\_Catalog (Department\*)>.

```
|1| <!ELEMENT Course_Catalog (Department*)>
        <!ELEMENT Department (Title, Chair, Course*)>
 3
        <!ATTLIST Department Code ID #REQUIRED>
            <!ELEMENT Title (#PCDATA)>
 5
            <!ELEMENT Chair (Professor)>
 6
            <!ELEMENT Course (Title, Description?, Instructors*, Prerequisites?)>
                <!ATTLIST Course Number ID #REQUIRED
 8
                                              Enrollment CDATA #IMPLIED>
 9
                <!ELEMENT Description (#PCDATA)>
10
                <!ELEMENT Prerequisites (Prereq*)>
11
                <!ELEMENT Prereq (#PCDATA)>
12
            <!ELEMENT Instructors (Professor|Lecturer)*>
13
                <!ELEMENT Lecturer (First_Name, Middle_Initial?, Last_Name)>
14
                <!ELEMENT Professor (First_Name, Middle_Initial?, Last_Name)>
15
                    <!ELEMENT First_Name (#PCDATA)>
16
                    <!ELEMENT Middle_Initial (#PCDATA)*>
17
                    <!ELEMENT Last_Name (#PCDATA)>
18
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```

Correct

## Correct

Error messages from xmllint: None

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## Q2

1.0/1.0 point (graded)

In this question, you are to create a DTD for a different version of the data set drawn from the Stanford course catalog. This version encodes the data using ID and IDREF(S) attributes. The XML data is here.

Write a DTD for the XML data set.

 $Hint: You \ may \ want to \ use \ your \ DTD \ from \ the \ previous \ question \ as \ a \ starting \ point, since \ the \ structure \ is \ similar.$ 

Important: Do not include <!DOCTYPE Course\_Catalog [...]> in your DTD. Your DTD should start with <!ELEMENT Course\_Catalog (Department\*)>.

```
1 <!ELEMENT Course_Catalog (Department*)>
 2 <!ELEMENT Department (Title, Course*, (Lecturer|Professor)*)>
 3 <!ATTLIST Department Code ID #REQUIRED
             Chair IDREF #REQUIRED>
   <!ELEMENT Title (#PCDATA)>
   <!ELEMENT Course (Title, Description?)>
   <!ATTLIST Course Number ID #REQUIRED
             Prerequisites IDREFS #IMPLIED
             Instructors IDREFS #REQUIRED
10
             Enrollment CDATA #IMPLIED>
11 <!ELEMENT Description (#PCDATA | Courseref)*>
12 <!ELEMENT Lecturer (First_Name, Middle_Initial?, Last_Name)>
13 <!ELEMENT Professor (First_Name, Middle_Initial?, Last_Name)>
14 <!ELEMENT First_Name (#PCDATA)>
15 <!ELEMENT Middle_Initial (#PCDATA)*>
16 <!ELEMENT Last_Name (#PCDATA)>
17 <!ATTLIST Lecturer InstrID ID #REQUIRED>
18 <!ATTLIST Professor InstrID ID #REQUIRED>
   <!ELEMENT Courseref EMPTY>
20 <!ATTLIST Courseref Number IDREF #REQUIRED>
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Correct

Error messages from xmllint: None

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# Q3

1.0/1.0 point (graded)

In this question, you are to create a DTD for a small XML data set about world countries. This data is adapted from the Mondial 3.0 database as hosted by the University of Washington, and was originally compiled by the Georg-August University of Goettingen Institute for Informatics. Each country has a name, population, and area (in sq. km). Some countries also list languages (with percentages of the population that speaks each language) and/or cities (with names and populations). The XML data is here.

Write a DTD for the XML data set.

Important: Do not include <!DOCTYPE countries [...]> in your DTD. Your DTD should start with <!ELEMENT countries (country\*)>.

```
1 <!ELEMENT countries (country*)>
2 <!ELEMENT country (city*, language*)>
3 <!ATTLIST country name CDATA #REQUIRED>
4 <!ATTLIST country population CDATA #REQUIRED>
5 <!ATTLIST country area CDATA #REQUIRED>
6 <!ELEMENT city (name, population)>
7 <!ELEMENT name (#PCDATA)>
8 <!ELEMENT population (#PCDATA)>
9 <!ELEMENT language (#PCDATA)>
10 <!ATTLIST language percentage CDATA #REQUIRED>
```

Press ESC then TAB or click outside of the code editor to exit

Correct

#### Correct

Error messages from xmllint: None

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