

02 September 2021

## SDMX 3.0 Release Candidate Approval meeting

### Meeting Outcome

Attending: Edgardo Greising, Jens Dossé, Juan Muñoz López, Matt Nelson, Laura Vignola, Angelo Linardi, Yves Jaques, Yossif Nissim, Carlos Morillo Galvez, David Barraclough, Luca Gramaglia, Nadezhda Valhova, Xavier Sosnovsky, Stratos Nikoloutsos

Chair: Glenn Tice

### 1. Plan to prepare the 3.0 technical specifications for release

Decisions and actions to close out the following public consultation tickets:

[#50](#) Change to the interpretation of the “position” attribute in DSD structure messages

**Additional decision:** Enforce the rule that the TimeDimension is always the last in the list of dimensions

[#24](#) Clarify / remove variances in URN class names

**Additional decision:** Use (\*) in the version part of the URN for versionless artefacts such as Organisation Schemes

[#34](#) enhance the annotations model to add non-localised “Value” and localised “URL”

**Action:** Jens Dossé to coordinate with J Gager to ensure the XML schemas are correct

[#15](#) AttributeRelationshipType "None" cannot mean "data set level": description to be corrected

**Additional decision:** Update the term “None” in the schemas and technical documentation to “Dataflow” to clarify precisely what this attachment means

It was noted that closeout of all other open public consultation tickets was in hand by the responsible task forces.

**Action:** TWG members where available to review the updated UML diagrams in Section 2 inparticular to check for errors

**Decision:** A deadline of Friday 10 Sept 2021 was agreed to finalise all technical specification documentation for submission to the SDMX Secretariat

### 2. Activities postponed until after the 3.0 release

The following outstanding activities were noted, but postponed until after the 3.0 release:

[#56](#) Facet and Facet Type

**Action:** SWG to modify the modelling guidelines on the use of facets and facet type

[#58](#) Consider ReportingYearEndDay additionally to ReportingYearStartDay

The special ReportingYearStartDay has been removed in SDMX 3.0 with users advised to use standard data attributes instead.

**Action:** SWG to add role(s) to the standard list to support this use case.

### 3. Approval to release SDMX 3.0

**Decision:** the SDMX 3.0 release was approved

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