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1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the requirements for an extensible-markup-language (XML)/document-type-declaration (DTD) syntax for a data entity dictionary specification language (DEDSL).

The scope and field of application are furthermore detailed in subclauses 1.1 and 1.2 of the enclosed CCSDS publication.

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FOREWORD

This Recommendation provides a standard method to represent attributes and their values, as has been defined by the Abstract Syntax of the Data Entity Dictionary Specification Language (DEDSL) (reference [1]), using the Extensible Markup Language (XML) 1.0 Document Type Declaration (DTD) for the construction and interchange of data entity dictionaries.

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