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1 Scope

This International Standard specifies a format for use in exchanging spacecraft navigation data. Such exchanges are used for distributing attitude, orbit, and tracking data between space agencies. This International Standard specifies an integrated Extensible Markup Language (XML) schema set that applies to Navigation Data Messages (NDMs) defined in the CCSDS Recommended Standards for Attitude Data Messages (ADM), Orbit Data Messages (ODM), and Tracking Data Message (TDM).

This XML schema set is suited to inter-agency exchanges of any number of NDMs (ADM, ODM, and/or TDM).

This International Standard is applicable only to the schema content and layout, and to instantiations of the schema, but not to the transmission of any instantiation of the schema. The potential for compression/decompression of the message is an aspect of the transmission that is not part of this specification. The means of transmission of an XML-formatted NDM between agencies is beyond the scope of this International Standard; such arrangements require specification via other means, for example, in an Interface Control Document (ICD).

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- [1] Document CCSDS 504.0-B-1, May 2008, is equivalent to ISO 13541:2010.
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FOREWORD

This document is a technical Recommended Standard for an XML Specification for Navigation Data Messages (Orbit Data Messages, Attitude Data Messages, Tracking Data Messages). This Recommended Standard has been developed via consensus of the Navigation Working Group of the CCSDS Mission Operations and Information Management Services (MOIMS) area. The XML schema set described in this Recommended Standard represents the baseline concept for exchanging navigation data in XML format between Agencies of the CCSDS.

This Recommended Standard establishes a common framework and provides a common basis for the interchange of navigation data in XML format. It allows implementing organizations within each Agency to proceed coherently with the development of compatible derived standards for the flight and ground systems that are within their cognizance. Derived Agency standards may implement only a subset of the optional features allowed by the Recommended Standard and may incorporate features not addressed by this Recommended Standard.

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