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Rules for application schemas**

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1 Scope

This European Prestandard gives the rules for using the Geographic Information European Prestandards and the data description techniques for developing applications for geographic information.

The scope of this European Prestandard includes the following aspects :

- how to define entities and their properties in an application schema ;
- how to integrate the standardised schemas (spatial schema, quality schema, direct position schema, geographic identifiers schema) with the semantic schema into a full application schema.

The following aspects are beyond the scope of this European Prestandard :

- development of metadata schema ;
- representation of contents of an application schema as metadata ;
- practical development methods for modelling ;
- definition of any particular application schema, and
- the mapping between internal schemas and the agreed application schema specification of rules necessary for using ENV 12658.

2 Normative references

This European Prestandard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Prestandard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies.

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