

Title: Ensure consistent usage of ISO 639-2 3-letter language codes

S-100 Maintenance - Change Proposal Form

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Change Proposal Type *(Select only one option)*

1. Clarification	2. Correction	3. Extension
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S-100 Version No.	Part No.	Section No.	Proposal Summary
5.0 20210330 draft	4a/17 10b 11 GitHub Schema	9.6.1 Table 11-4 S100XSLTPR	Add “/T” to 639-2 references. Update <i>datasetLanguage</i> Specify “ISO 639-2/T” Replace xs:language with string restriction

Change Proposal

Ensure consistent usage of three letter ISO 639-2/T language codes. Details attached.

Change Proposal Justification

S-100 language codes must use an ISO 639-2/T 3-letter code.

Some parts of S-100 specify use of ISO 639 without specifically requiring ISO 639-2/T.

The S-100 GML encoding currently specifies use of an ISO 639-1 two letter code (“EN”).

The portrayal and alert schema specify that xs:language is used to store language codes. Although xs:language permits three character codes, it also allows two character codes. RFC 3066 says for languages with both two and three letter codes the two-letter code must be used. xs:language also allows various sub-tags to be added using hyphens.

These are all valid per xs:language, but only “mas” conforms to S-100:

Code	Language	Explanation
en	English	ISO-639 two-letter language code
mas	Masai	ISO-639 three-letter language code
fr-CA	French as used in Canada	ISO-639 two-letter code with ISO-3166 two-letter country code
en-scouse	English Liverpudlian dialect known as 'Scouse'	ISO-639 two-letter language code with addition, IANA-registered
i-klingon	Klingon	IANA-registered language code
x-pig-latin	Pig Latin	Unregistered/Experimental

What parts of the S-100 Infrastructure will this proposal affect?

- S-100 Feature Concept Dictionary Interface or Database
- S-100 Portrayal Register
- S-100 Feature Catalogue Builder

- S-100 Portrayal Catalogue Builder
- S-100 UML Models
- S-100 GitHub Schemas

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Part 4a/17 PT_Locale

Role Name	Name	Description	Mult.	Type	Remarks
...
Attribute	language	Designation of the locale language	1	LanguageCode	ISO 639-2/T 3-letter language codes.
...

4a/17-4.6 Overview of multilingual support in S-100 Exchange Set Catalogue

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The PT_Locale class as defined in ISO 19115-1:2014 has the following members:

- LanguageCode – required ISO 639-2/T, 3-letter code in lowercase i.e. “fra”
- CountryCode – optional ISO 3166-1 2-letter code in uppercase i.e. “CA” intended to be used when the national language differences can impact the interpretation or processing of localized content
- MD_CharacterSetCode – required MD_CharacterSetCode in lowercase i.e. “utf8”

10b-9.6.1 Dataset identification

Table 10b-3 – Dataset identification header elements

Field	XML Tag	Value	Mult.	Type	Description
...
Dataset language	datasetLanguage	“engEN”	1	ISO 639-2/T 3-letter code ⁴	The (primary) language used in this dataset
...

11-6 Data product identification

Table 11-4 – Identification Information

Name	Description	Mult.	Type
...
language	Language(s) of the dataset. If language is not applicable, for example for raster data, use “not applicable” as value for the element.	1..*	CharacterString (ISO 639-2/T)
...

S100CSL.xsd

...
 <!-- UnlimitedInteger -->

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<xs:simpleType name="UnlimitedInteger">
  ...
</xs:simpleType>
...
<!-- ISO 639-2/T 3-letter language code -->
<xs:simpleType name="languageCode">
  <xs:restriction base="xs:string">
    <xs:pattern value="[a-z][a-z][a-z]"/>
  </xs:restriction>
</xs:simpleType>

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S100PortrayalCatalog.xsd

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...
<xs:schema
  xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
  xmlns:s100Symbol="http://www.iho.int/S100SymbolDefinition" version="4.1.0-
20191115">
  xmlns:s100CSL="http://www.iho.int/S100ConceptualSchema"
  <xs:import namespace="http://www.iho.int/S100SymbolDefinition"
schemaLocation="S100SymbolDefinition.xsd"/>
  ...
  <!-- Class for descriptive information about a catalogue item -->
  <xs:complexType name="Description">
    <xs:sequence>
      <xs:element name="name" type="xs:string" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="1"/>
      <xs:element name="description" type="xs:string"/>
      <xs:element name="language" type="xs:languages100CSL:languageCode"/>
    </xs:sequence>
  </xs:complexType>

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S100AlertCatalog.xsd

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...
<xs:schema
  xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
  xmlns:s100Symbol="http://www.iho.int/S100SymbolDefinition">
  xmlns:s100CSL="http://www.iho.int/S100ConceptualSchema"
  <xs:include schemaLocation="S100PortrayalCatalog.xsd"/>
  <xs:import namespace="http://www.iho.int/S100SymbolDefinition"
schemaLocation="S100SymbolDefinition.xsd"/>
  <!-- MESSAGES -->

  <xs:complexType name="Text">
    <xs:simpleContent>
      <xs:extension base="xs:string">
        <xs:attribute name="language" type="xs:languages100CSL:languageCode"
default="eng"/>
      </xs:extension>
    </xs:simpleContent>
  </xs:complexType>
  ...

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