

# **INFO-H-509**

## **Exercises 2**

XML Schema

# XML Schema

## Cardinality

```
<xss:element name="a"  
    minOccurs="4"  
    maxOccurs="6"  
/>
```

```
<xss:sequence  
    minOccurs="0"  
    maxOccurs="unbounded">  
    ...  
</xss:sequence>
```

- Element a must appear between 4 and 6 times.
- The whole sequence is optional. The number of occurrences is however not restricted.

# XML Schema

## Sequence

```
<xs:sequence>
  <xs:element name="a" />
  <xs:element name="b" />
  <xs:element name="c" />
</xs:sequence>
```

- a, b, and c in this precise order

# XML Schema

## Choice

```
<xs:choice>
  <xs:element name="a" />
  <xs:element name="b" />
  <xs:element name="c" />
</xs:choice>
```

- One of a, b, or c

# XML Schema

All

```
<xs:all>
  <xs:element name="a" />
  <xs:element name="b" />
  <xs:element name="c" />
</xs:all>
```

- a, b, and c, in any order
- maxOccurs must be  $\leq 1$

# DTD

## Binding XML to DTD

```
<!DOCTYPE {root-element}  
SYSTEM '{uri}' [  
{definitions}  
]>
```

## Element

```
<!ELEMENT {name} {content-model}>
```

### Content models:

(#PCDATA   {e1}   {e2}   ...)	Mixed
EMPTY	
ANY	
{e1}, {e2}, {e3}, ...)	Sequence
{e1}   {e2}   {e3}   ...)	Choice

## Attribute list

```
<!ATTLIST {element}  
          {att1} {type1} {opt1}  
          {att2} {type2} {opt2} {def2}  
          ...  
          {attn} {typen} {optn}>
```

>

## Type

CDATA	Any text
{v1} {v2} {v3})	List of values
NMTOKEN, NMTOKENS	(List of) XML names
ID	Unique identifier
IDREF	Reference to an ID
ENTITY, ENTITIES	

## Cardinality

?	0-1
*	0-inf
+	1-inf

## Options

#REQUIRED	
#IMPLIED	Optional
#FIXED	Cannot be changed

Elements of sequence and choice can in turn be sequences or choices, with cardinality specifiers.

Mixed can be reduced to (#PCDATA) to only accept text.

# Exercices

- Validation tools

```
java -jar DTDValidation.jar <xmldoc>
```

```
java -jar XSDValidation.jar <schema> <xmldoc>
```

# Deterministic Regular Expressions

1. For a regular expression  $a$ , define  $a'$  to be the regular expression obtained by replacing the  $i$ -th occurrence of symbol  $s$  by  $s_i$ 
  - $a = (a \mid b)^+ cba^* (a \mid c)$
  - $a' = (a_1 \mid b_1)^+ c_1 b_2 a_2^* (a_3 \mid c_2)$
2. The regular expression is deterministic if there are no two strings  $wb_i v$  and  $wb_j z$  ( $i \neq j$ ) in the regular language
  - Consider  $a_1 c_1 b_2 a_2 a_3$  and  $a_1 c_1 b_2 a_3 c_2$