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87 1 Introduction

88 This document and its associated attachments specify an architecture for the maintenance and

89 exchange of electronic pedigree documents for use by pharmaceutical supply chain participants.

90 The architecture is targeted for use in complying with *document-based* pedigree laws. There are

91 other architectural approaches to electronic pedigree systems to which this standard will not apply.

- 92 For example, pedigree laws in Italy and Belgium today implement pedigrees using different
- architectures. Because those laws do not specify the use of an open document model, this standard
 may not be applicable for compliance to those laws at the time of this v1.0 release date. Nothing in
- 95 this standard limits its application to only the United States. The standard may be properly applied
- 96 anywhere that an open document model is specified or implied in the pedigree regulations. Since,
- 97 at the time of the v1.0 release, the only known document based pedigree laws exist in the United
- 98 States, the standard was created using the United States requirements as the basis. This pedigree
- standard should be applicable wherever document-based compliance is required.
- 100 The attachments to this document are two XML Schema documents that define a standard
- 101 electronic pedigree format that can be used in all jurisdictions with open document-based pedigree

102 laws and a standard electronic envelope format that can be used by supply chain partners to

103 package multiple pedigree documents for exchange. The great benefit of these schemas is that they

104 provide standardization between supply chain partners for the exchange and extensibility of

105 electronic pedigrees as they pass down the supply chain.

106 Enough flexibility was built into the pedigree schema to allow for multiple interpretations of the

- 107 existing and possible future US state, US federal and international pedigree laws. Even so, a
- version mechanism is included to allow for changes that may be necessary as the result of futurelaws.
- 110 Interpretation of and compliance with the various pedigree laws is left entirely up to the user. That

111 is, use of the pedigree schema will not guarantee compliance with the laws. On the other hand,

112 EPCglobal believes that all of the necessary ingredients are present to enable the users to comply

113 with those laws.

114 Electronic pedigree documents created using the pedigree schema and applied as intended will

115 become legal documents. Their contents are tightly regulated by law and the digital signatures

116 applied are legally binding with severe penalties imposable for fraud.

117 Current legislation in multiple states of the United States dictates the creation and updating of

118 electronic pedigrees at each stop in the pharmaceutical supply chain. Each state law specifies the

119 data content of the electronic pedigree and the digital signature standards but none of them

- 120 specifies the actual format of the document. The need for a standard electronic document format
- 121 that can be updated by each supply chain participant is what has driven the creation of this
- specification. However, there is recognition that not all members of the pharmaceutical supply chain will adopt the XML Schema that is specified in this standard. Toward that end, the schema
- 123 chain will adopt the XML Schema that is specified in this standard. Toward that end, the schema124 includes elements that allow the attachment of other document types as MIME documents. This
- 125 could include scanned images, PDF documents or X.12 documents. Electronic pedigree documents
- 126 stored in some structured alternate formats will require specialized software to allow them to be

127 auto-authenticated. Some formats, such as PDFs and scanned images, will always require manual

128 authentication.

129 In compliance with the pedigree law in affect in the US state of Florida, the digital signatures used

130 in the pedigree schema comply with several of the FIPS (Federal Information Processing

131 Standards). The use of FIPS for the digital signatures qualifies them as legally binding signatures

132 just as if an individual had signed a paper legal document with pen in hand. There is an important

133 distinction between digital signatures used to encrypt a document simply to keep it private, and the

134 signatures in an electronic pedigree document, where the signature is used to legally bind an

- 135 individual or company to the contents of the document. The reader is cautioned to keep this 136 distinction in mind
- 136 distinction in mind.

137 One can imagine a day when all of the components of an ePedigree are distributed across the

138 network and single query is issued that collects those components into a complete ePedigree

139 document for validation. However, this vision is inconsistent with the legislation as it stands today.

140 States are looking at an ePedigree as a complete electronic legal document directly containing and

signing over pedigree documents created earlier in the chain.

As such, the model for the distribution of ePedigree documents will be the direct transfer of an

entire ePedigree document from one trading partner to another. There are a several mechanisms

which are likely to be utilized for this transfer. Certainly many existing b2b systems could be

145 augmented to include the ePedigree document. Even mechanisms like FTP or email could be 146 utilized for this exchange.

147 The Standard does not identify exactly how pedigree documents must be transferred between

148 trading partners. Any mechanism chosen must provide document immutability, non-repudiation

and must be secure and authenticated. Although the scope of this standard focuses on the pedigree

and pedigree envelope interchange formats, secure transmission relies on the recommendations for

- securing pedigree transmissions defined by the HLS Information Work Group C [6].
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155 **2 Overview**

Although the FDA believes domestic counterfeiting of pharmaceutical products is not widespread, regulators have witnessed an increase in the number of pharmaceutical counterfeiting activities. In an attempt to help ensure only authentic pharmaceutical products are distributed through the supply abain some regulatory agancies have implemented or are considering provisions requiring

supply chain, some regulatory agencies have implemented or are considering provisions requiringa "pedigree" for drug products.

161 A pedigree is a certified record that contains information about each distribution of a prescription

drug. It records the sale of an item by a pharmaceutical manufacturer, any acquisitions and sales by

163 wholesalers or repackagers, and final sale to a pharmacy or other entity administering or

dispensing the drug. The pedigree contains product information, transaction information,

165 distributor information, recipient information, and signatures.

166 At this time the specific pedigree requirements vary by state in the United States. Some US

167 pedigree laws require the manufacturer to initiate the pedigree, while others allow the first

168 wholesaler or repackager to create the pedigrees for the items acquired directly from the

169 manufacturer. Some laws allow paper pedigrees or electronic pedigrees, other laws require

- 170 electronic pedigrees.
- 171 Compliance with US state pedigree laws is mandatory and failure to comply could result in
- 172 administrative fines, revocation of license and/or criminal prosecution. A pedigree received by or

173 provided by an organization is a document of record for that organization and is subject to

- regulatory recordkeeping, record retention, and record availability requirements. The state of
- 175 Florida is viewed as the first state in the US to require pedigrees for all pharmaceutical products
- 176 regardless of their source and the path they follow through the supply chain. The effective date of
- 177 the Florida pedigree legislation was July 1, 2006.
- 178 Each party engaged in the wholesale distribution of prescription drugs is required to provide
- 179 pedigrees to the recipients of those drugs. A pedigree contains a signed certification from the
- 180 originating party that the product is authentic. Many US pedigree laws require that recipients of
- 181 pedigrees authenticate each previous transaction in the pedigree and add their own certification of
- 182 receipt and authentication to the pedigree.
- 183 A high level, simplified pedigree process would be similar to the following:
- Create pedigree
- 185 Add information to pedigree
- Certify (digitally sign) pedigree
- Send pedigrees for products in shipment to customer
- 188 Receive pedigrees
- Electronically authenticate pedigrees
- Manually authenticate transactions that were not electronic
- Verify products received against authenticated pedigrees
- Certify (digitally sign) pedigree for receipt and authentication
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194 **3 Terminology**

Within this specification, the terms SHALL, SHALL NOT, SHOULD, SHOULD NOT, MAY,
NEED NOT, CAN, and CANNOT are to be interpreted as specified in Annex H of the ISO/IEC
Directives, Part 2, 2004, 5th edition [7]. When used in this way, these terms will always be shown
in ALL CAPS; when these words appear in ordinary typeface they are intended to have their
ordinary English meaning.

All sections of this document, with the exception of Sections 1, 2, 4 and 5 are normative, except where explicitly noted as non-normative.

202 **4 ePedigree Implementation Requirements/Rationale**

The content of a valid electronic pedigree is specified by the each law. Each law is slightly different, but it is not difficult to generate a list of data elements that is a super-set of all known laws that allow the use of the document model. This exercise was recently performed by the Unified Drug Pedigree Coalition [1], a group composed of representatives of companies in the
 pharmaceutical supply chain, their industry associations and various US state and federal
 regulatory agencies. The ePedigree schema includes all of these data elements and more.

209 Beyond just the bare necessity of the basic data elements, a successful electronic pedigree schema

210 must provide a structure suitable for applying digital signatures that comply with these laws and

- that allows the entire document to be nested by succeeding owners and handlers of the product. At
- 212 each stop in the supply chain the pedigree documents must include all previous revisions and
- 213 digital signatures of all previous owners, as required by law. Each signature must be applied so
- that its payload includes the entire pedigree document up to that point in time. The ePedigree
- schema does this.
- 216 Some document based pedigree regulations allow supply chain participants to supply either
- 217 electronic or paper pedigree documents—the choice being left to the desires and technical
- 218 capabilities of the participant. This causes significant complications. It is conceivable, and likely,
- that some pedigrees will traverse from electronic to paper, and/or from paper to electronic, as they
- 220 move down the supply chain. Another complication comes from the fact that no electronic
- 221 pedigree document format is specified in the laws. While this schema is aimed at providing a
- standard electronic pedigree document format, no law requires its use. Supply chain participants
- may elect to create their own electronic formats which serve their interests and which comply with
- the letter of the laws at the same time.
- 225 The ePedigree schema takes these likely situations into account by providing the ability to
- optionally attach scanned images of paper documents and/or EDI documents within optional XML
 data elements. Because the structure of these attached documents is not known, they cannot be
 auto-authenticated without additional software. Some types of attached documents—scanned
 images of paper padigrees for example, may only be surfaced merupally.
- 229 images of paper pedigrees, for example—may only be authenticated manually.
- Pedigree laws generally require signatures on the pedigree documents for various purposes [3], [4].
 The type of digital signature that is acceptable in the State of Florida, for example, uses a Public
 Key Infrastructure (PKI) implementation as defined in the US Federal Government FIPS standards
 [2]. Interpreted together these requirements lead to the necessity to nest the digital signatures on
 ePedigrees with each succeeding signature fully enclosing the entire electronic pedigree document
 up to that point, including all previous signatures. The ePedigree schema is carefully constructed
 to fulfill these requirements through the use of XML digital signature structures [5].

5 Utilization of ePedigree in the Supply Chain

- The following is an inventory of actions (use cases) where a Pedigree would be utilized in thepharmaceutical supply chain.
- Creation of pedigrees by a manufacturer before the first wholesale distribution
- Creation of pedigrees by the first wholesaler, including the transaction information for the first wholesale distribution
- Creation of pedigrees by repackagers for repackaged items that include pedigree information from source items
- Adding outbound transaction information to pedigrees as part of a sales, transfer or return transaction

247 248	•	Adding certification (signature) to pedigrees, signing the transaction information added, and all prior content
249	•	Adding item serial number to pedigrees (if a wholesaler serializes a non-serialized item)
250 251	•	Adding manual authentication information (for example, invoice, shipping document) to pedigrees to facilitate downstream manual authentication
252 253	•	Adding receipt information and recipient signature to pedigrees, signing this information and all prior content
254	•	Creating a pedigree for an individual item
255 256	•	Creating a pedigree for a repackaged item, and including pedigree information for one or more "parent" items
257	•	Creating a pedigree for an item that has a unique serial number
258	•	Creating a pedigree for an item that does not have a serial number
259	•	Creating a "singular" pedigree for each saleable item
260 261	•	Creating an "aggregate" pedigree for a collection of saleable items that share the same product information (NDC and multiple lots) and prior chain of custody
262 263	•	Creating an electronic pedigree from a paper pedigree or alternate form, and embedding a copy of the original pedigree in the electronic format
264 265	•	Including "attachments" to a pedigree, such as scanned and EDI representations of invoices or shipping documents to satisfy regulatory manual authentication requirements
266 267	•	Accommodating additional data elements in an extensible manner as regulatory requirements evolve
268 269 270	•	Displaying all pedigree regulatory information in the pedigree (for example, drug product information, distributor information, recipient information, transaction information, receiving information, digital signatures)
271 272	•	Representation of pedigrees in a portable format that can be transmitted electronically or via media
273 274	•	Including container information (for example, relationship of products to cases) in addition to the pedigrees in the pedigree envelope
275 276	•	Exchange of pedigrees between trading partners using existing business data transfer mechanisms (for example, EDIINT AS2)
277	•	Exchange using a peer-to-peer model
278	•	Electronic verification of each prior signature on the pedigree
279 280	•	Electronic verification that the original, previously-signed content of the pedigree was unchanged since it was signed
281 282	•	Attaching copies of manual authentication documents (for example, invoice, shipping document) with an electronic pedigree to facilitate 'self-authenticating' pedigrees

- Creating an "electronic envelope" for transmitting a collection of pedigrees associated with an outbound customer shipment
- Including key routing and identifying information in the "electronic envelope" (for
 example, shipment identifier, shipment date, originating trading partner, recipient trading
 partner) to facilitate system-to-system interaction
- Including optional aggregation (for example, association of products to cases) in addition to
 pedigree information in the transmission envelope

290 6 Certificates and Digital Signatures

291 **6.1 Certificates**

A certificate is a data structure that is used to bind a public key and a subject (e.g., person, server,
or device). Confidence in this binding is essential to be able to rely on the keys and cryptographic
results (i.e., encrypted data, digitally signed data).

- ITU-T X.509 (or ISO|IEC 9594-8) [11] is a standard that defines a certificate format, an
- extensibility mechanism, and a set of certificate extensions. ITU-T X.509 is broad in the definition
 of allowable fields and applicability. X.509 certificates SHALL be used for the Electronic
- 298 Pedigree.

299 6.2 Certificate Profile

300 A certificate profile defines elements and extensions that are required or optional in order to

301 specify interoperable implementation and use. The EPCglobal Certificate Profile [8] defines a

- profile of X.509 certificate issuance and usage by entities in the EPCglobal network and is based
 on work done in the IETF, specifically IETF RFC 3280 Internet X.509 Public Key Infrastructure
- 304 Certificate and Certificate Revocation List (CRL) Profile [9] and IETF RFC 3279 Algorithms
- and Identifiers for the Internet X.509 PKI Certificate and CRL Profile [10]. RFC 3280 profiles the
- 306 format and semantics of certificates and certificate revocation lists (CRLs) for the Internet PKI,
- and is itself a profile of the ITU X.509 [11] standard. RFC 3279 defines algorithm identifiers and
- 308 ASN.1 encoding formats for digital signatures and subject public keys used in Internet PKI. These
- 309 IETF documents have been well implemented, deployed, and tested in many existing 310 environments.
- The electronic pedigree digital signature processes SHALL conform to the X.509 certificate profile defined in the EPCglobal Certificate Profile version 1.0.
- aefined in the EPCglobal Certificate Profile version 1.0.
- To rely on digital signatures, it is important to identify the subject of the certificate uniquely.
- Certain attributes SHALL be included in the certificate to provide this uniqueness. Users are
- 315 generally identified by attributes such as Name, Organizational Affiliation and email address. To
- ensure users can be uniquely identified when digitally signing electronic pedigrees, user
- 317 certificates SHALL include the minimum attributes specified in Section 3.2.1 of the EPCglobal
- 318 Certificate Profile version 1.0, and SHALL also include the user's RFC822 email address in 319 conformance with the profile requirements. Servers are typically identified by their Fully
- conformance with the profile requirements. Servers are typically identified by their Fully
 Qualified Domain Name (FQDN). To ensure servers can be uniquely identified when digitally
- 320 Quanned Domain Name (FQDN). To ensure servers can be uniquely identified when digital 321 signing electronic pedigrees, server certificates SHALL include the server's EQDN in
- 321 signing electronic pedigrees, server certificates SHALL include the server's FQDN in
- 322 conformance with the profile requirements.

323 6.3 Digital Signatures

- 324 A method to create and represent digital signatures using XML is specified in *W3C XML*-
- 325 Signature Syntax and Processing [14]. Refer to <u>http://www.w3.org/TR/xmldsig-core</u> for a
- 326 complete description. The Electronic Pedigree Interchange Format uses this standard to represent a327 digital signature.
- The application of digital signatures to electronic pedigrees SHALL conform to the following
 requirements and the Certificate Profile referenced above.
- 330 Signature Method: The regulations require the use of FIPS 186-2. The RSA algorithm [2,
 331 14] SHALL be supported. Refer to <u>http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#rsa-sha1</u> for a
 332 complete description.
- 333Digest Method: The regulations require the use of FIPS 186-2. SHA1 [2, 14] algorithm334SHALL be supported. Refer to http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#sha1 for a complete335description.
- Canonicalization Method and Transforms: The Exclusive C14N XML Canonicalization
 method, without comments, described in W3C Exclusive XML Canonicalization Version
 1.0 [12] SHALL be employed for both canonicalization and transforms. The following
 canonicalization interoperability methods, based on work performed by the Web Services Interoperability (WS-I) Organization in the Basic Security Profile Version v1.0 draft [13],
 SHALL be employed.
- The canonicalization method and transform elements MAY contain inclusive
 namespaces with a PrefixList attribute. If present, pedigree systems SHALL use the
 PrefixList in the manner described below.
- The inclusive namespaces PrefixList attribute SHALL support prefixes in any order within the string.
- The inclusive namespaces PrefixList attribute SHALL support arbitrary whitespace
 before, after and between the prefixes within the string.
- Any inclusive namespaces SHALL contain the prefix of all namespaces that are in scope and desired to be protected, but not visibly utilized, for the element being
 signed and its descendants.
- Any inclusive namespaces SHALL contain the string "#default" if a default
 namespace is in-scope and desired to be protected, but not visibly utilized, for the
 element being signed and its descendants.
- **Reference:** The same-document URI reference SHALL be employed. See section 4.3.3.3
 of <u>http://www.w3.org/TR/xmldsig-core</u>. XPATH SHALL NOT be used for specifying
 references.
- 358KeyInfo: The KeyInfo element SHALL be present in the Signature element. The use of359X.509 SHALL be employed. The KeyInfo element SHALL include one and only one360X509Data element and it SHALL be the only element supported. The KeyInfo element361MAY include other unsupported elements. The single X509Data element SHALL include362one and only one X509IssuerSerial element that identifies the signer's certificate and one363X509Certificate element that contains the signer's certificate. The X509Data

- 364 element MAY include additional X509Certificate elements containing other certificates in
- the signer's certificate chain. Refer to sections 4.4 and 4.4.4 of
- 366 http://www.w3.org/TR/xmldsig-core for more information [14].
- The validation of digital signatures applied to electronic pedigrees SHALL conform to thefollowing requirements and the Certificate Profile referenced above.
- 369 **Core Validation:** The core validation method described in section 3.2 of
- 370 <u>http://www.w3.org/TR/xmldsig-core</u> SHALL be employed [14].
- 371 Signer Certificate Validation: The signer's certificate SHALL be validated in accordance
 372 with section 6 of RFC 3280 [9].

373 6.3.1 Examples (non-normative)

- 374 The following XML examples illustrate the application of the digital signature requirements
- described above when digitally signing pedigrees. The examples illustrate signing of the same
- shippedPedigree layer, without using inclusive namespaces in Transforms and with using inclusivenamespaces in Transforms.
- The SignedInfo block element contains the CanonicalizationMethod, SignatureMethod, Reference,
 Transforms and DigestMethod elements described above.
- 380 The KeyInfo block element contains the X509Data, X509IssuerSerial and X509Certificate
- 381 elements described above.

382 6.3.1.1 Example without Inclusive Namespaces in Transforms

- 383 The following example illustrates what the Signature element might look like when inclusive
- 384 namespaces are not included in Transforms. Refer to the Signature:Reference:Transforms element.
- 385 The inclusion of inclusive namespaces is not required, but may be optionally used.

```
<pedigree xmlns="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1">
 <shippedPedigree id="id8c53d861-e66a-40df-8a46-a0c151b8ea35">
     . . .
 </shippedPedigree>
 <Signature xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#">
   <SignedInfo>
     <CanonicalizationMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#"></CanonicalizationMethod>
     <SignatureMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#rsa-shal"></SignatureMethod>
     <Reference URI="#id8c53d861-e66a-40df-8a46-a0c151b8ea35">
       <Transforms>
           <Transform Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#"></Transform>
       </Transforms>
       <DigestMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#shal"></DigestMethod>
       <DigestValue>sMeAUPpiqzd8nGzUtr9I04EE7Ug=</DigestValue>
     </Reference>
   </SignedInfo>
   <SignatureValue>NKn7NBpM9a8RgoyZ0Sc7c/G0EG05i1mgASIxpSxgjxS7fM8L0eBNm7nnt0ET8bM3</SignatureValue>
   <KeyInfo>
     <X509Data>
       <X509IssuerSerial>
           <X509IssuerName>O=issuername,C=us</X509IssuerName>
           <X509SerialNumber>1144946731</X509SerialNumber>
       </X509IssuerSerial>
       <X509Certificate>MIIDHTCCAoaqAwIBAqIERD6AKzANBqkqhkiG9w0BAQUFADAjMQswC</X509Certificate>
     </X509Data>
   </KeyInfo>
 </Signature>
</pedigree>
```

387 6.3.1.2 Example with Inclusive Namespaces in Transforms

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The following example illustrates what the Signature element might look like when inclusive namespaces are included in Transforms. Refer to the Signature:Reference:Transforms element. The inclusion of inclusive namespaces is not required, but may be optionally used. This is considered a valid signature even if it contains redundant information about the namespace prefix 'ped' as it is preserved by simple exclusive canonicalization. The use of inclusive namespaces must be factored when comparing message digests during the pedigree authentication process.

```
<ped:pedigree xmlns:ped="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1">
  <ped:shippedPedigree id="id8c53d861-e66a-40df-8a46-a0c151b8ea35">
     . . .
 </ped:shippedPedigree>
 <Signature xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#">
   <SignedInfo>
     <CanonicalizationMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#"/></CanonicalizationMethod>
     <SignatureMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#rsa-sha1"></SignatureMethod>
     <Reference URI="#id8c53d861-e66a-40df-8a46-a0c151b8ea35">
       <Transforms>
           <Transform Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#">
               <InclusiveNamespaces PrefixList="ped" xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/xml-exc-c14n#"/>
           </Transform>
       </Transforms>
       <DigestMethod Algorithm="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#shal"></DigestMethod>
       <DigestValue>sMeAUPpiqzd8nGzUtr9I04EE7Ug=</DigestValue>
     </Reference>
   </SignedInfo>
   <SignatureValue>NKn7NBpM9a8RgoyZ0Sc7c/G0EGO5i1mgASIxpSxqjxS7fM8L0eBNm7nnt0ET8bM3</SignatureValue>
   <KeyInfo>
     <X509Data>
       <X509IssuerSerial>
           <X509IssuerName>O=issuername,C=us</X509IssuerName>
           <X509SerialNumber>1144946731</X509SerialNumber>
       </X509IssuerSerial>
       <X509Certificate>MIIDHTCCAoagAwIBAgIERD6AKzANBgkqhkiG9w0BAQUFADAjMQswC</X509Certificate>
     </X509Data>
       </KeyInfo>
   </Signature>
</ped:pedigree>
```

395 **7** Support for Alternate ePedigree Formats

Current legislation in multiple US states dictates the creation and updating of electronic pedigrees 396 397 at each stop in the pharmaceutical supply chain. Each law specifies the data content of the 398 electronic pedigree and the digital signature standards but none of them specifies the actual format 399 of the document. The need for a standard electronic document format that can be updated by each 400 supply chain participant is what has driven our efforts. However, there is recognition that not all 401 members of the pharmaceutical supply chain will adopt the XML Schemas that are detailed in this document. Toward that end, the ePedigree schema includes elements that allow the attachment of 402 403 other document types as MIME documents. This could include scanned images, PDF documents 404 or X.12 documents. Electronic pedigree documents stored in some structured alternate formats 405 will require specialized software to allow them to be auto-authenticated. Some formats, such as 406 PDF's and scanned images, will always require manual authentication.

407 8 Pedigree Transfer

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This Standard does not identify exactly how pedigree documents must be transferred between
trading partners. Any mechanism chosen must provide document immutability, non-repudiation
and must be secure and authenticated.

- The ePedigree SHALL be captured and delivered as a single immutable document.
- The transfer of ePedigree documents SHALL conform to a push based transfer.

- The transfer SHALL occur via secure and, if transmitted over the public internet, authenticated mechanisms.
- If transmitted over the public internet, the transfer SHALL meet the expectation of Non Repudiation.

417 Secure transmission relies on the recommendations for securing pedigree transmissions defined by
 418 the HLS Information Work Group C [6].

419 **9** Schema Versioning

420 9.1 Pre-Standard Version Identification

There is a specified technique for identifying the use of this specific pedigree schema version when
creating or updating production pedigree documents prior to its adoption as a standard by
EPCglobal or other body. The "version" field of the documentInfo elements SHALL contain the
date string that reflects the date of the schema XSD file used. The string SHALL be composed
like this:

- 426 CCYYMMDD
- 427 Where CC is the century, "20" for example
- 428 YY is the year, "06" for example
- 429 MM is the month, "02" for example
- 430 DD is the day of the month, "05" for example.
- 431 The date string for the example pre-standard schema version would be "20060205".
- 432 The same technique SHALL be used to identify the use of this specific pedigree envelope schema
- 433 version when creating production pedigree envelope documents prior to its adoption as a standard
- 434 by EPCglobal or other body. The "version" field of the pedigreeEnvelope element SHALL
- 435 contain the date string that reflects the date of the schema XSD file used.

436 9.2 Post-Standard Version Identification

- 437 Once the pedigree and pedigree envelope schemas are adopted as a standard, the namespace
- 438 SHALL be used to identify the major version. The "version" field of the documentInfo elements
 439 SHALL be used to identify minor releases between major versions.

440 9.3 Recommendation for Managing Major Version of Schemas

441 The following is a recommended approach for managing the major version of the pedigree and442 pedigree envelope schemas.

443 9.3.1 Pedigree Schema

- Supporting prior versions of the pedigree schema could be accomplished by using a new group
 type that holds a choice of all possible major versions of the pedigree schema. The new group type
 would be used where all pedigree elements are currently referenced:
- ShippedPedigreeType

- ReceivedPedigreeType
- UsnignedReceivedPedigreeType
- PreviousPedigreeType.

This approach ensures that all pedigrees created will be of the same major version of the pedigree schema, while supporting nesting of previous pedigrees that could be of different versions. The following is an example of would be added to the pedigree schema document.

The opening schema element would reference the namespaces for all supported versions of the schema.

```
456 <xs:schema xmlns:ds="http://www.w3.org/2000/09/xmldsig#" xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
457 xmlns:ped="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1.1" xmlns:ped1="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1."
458 targetNamespace="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1.1" elementFormDefault="qualified"
459 attributeFormDefault="unqualified">
```

460

461 The pedigree schema would import all previous pedigree versions.

```
462 <ss:import namespace="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1" schemaLocation="PedigreeSchema_20061030.xsd"/>
463
```

464 The new group element prevPedigreeLayer would include a choice of all possible major versions of 465 the pedigree schema.

```
466<xs:group name="prevPedigreeLayer ">467<xs:choice>468<xs:element ref="ped:pedigree"/>469<xs:element ref="ped1:pedigree"/>470</xs:choice>471</xs:group>
```

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472
```

The prevPedigreeLayer element would be referenced where all pedigree elements are currently referenced so that the different versions can be supported.

```
475
            <xs:complexType name="ShippedPedigreeType">
476
477
478
479
                <xs:sequence>
                   <xs:element name="documentInfo" type="ped:DocumentInfoType"/>
                    <xs:choice>
                        <xs:element ref="ped:initialPedigree"/>
479
480
481
482
483
484
                        <xs:element ref="ped:repackagedPedigree"/>
                        <xs:element ref="ped:unsignedReceivedPedigree"/>
                        <xs:group ref="ped:prevPedigreeLayer"/>
                    </xs:choice>
                    <xs:element name="itemInfo" type="ped:ItemInfoType" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
485
486
                    <xs:element name="transactionInfo" type="ped:TransactionInfoType"/>
                    <xs:element name="signatureInfo" type="ped:SignatureInfoType"/>
487
488
489
                </xs:sequence>
                <xs:attribute name="id" type="xs:ID" use="required"/>
            </xs:complexType>
490
491
492
493
            <xs:complexType name="ReceivedPedigreeType">
               <xs:sequence>
                    <xs:element name="documentInfo" type="ped:DocumentInfoType"/>
494
                    <xs:choice>
495
                        <xs:group ref="ped:prevPedigreeLayer"/>
496
                        <xs:element ref="ped:initialPedigree"/>
                    </xs:choice>
498
                    <xs:element name="receivingInfo" type="ped:ReceivingInfoType"/>
                    <xs:element name="signatureInfo" type="ped:SignatureInfoType"/>
500
                </xs:sequence>
501
                <xs:attribute name="id" type="xs:ID" use="required"/>
```

```
</xs:complexType>
<xs:complexType name="UnsignedReceivedPedigreeType">
   <xs:sequence>
       <xs:element name="documentInfo" type="ped:DocumentInfoType"/>
       <xs:choice>
           <xs:group ref="ped:prevPedigreeLayer"/>
           <xs:element ref="ped:repackagedPedigree"/>
           <xs:element ref="ped:initialPedigree"/>
       </xs:choice>
       <xs:element name="transactionInfo" type="ped:TransactionInfoType" minOccurs="0"/>
       <xs:element name="receivingInfo" type="ped:ReceivingInfoType"/>
       <xs:element name="attachment" type="ped:ForeignDataType" minOccurs="0"/>
   </xs:sequence>
   <xs:attribute name="id" type="xs:ID" use="required"/>
</xs:complexType>
<xs:complexType name="PreviousPedigreeType">
   <xs:choice>
       <xs:group ref="ped:prevPedigreeLayer"/>
       <xs:element ref="ped:initialPedigree"/>
       <xs:element ref="ped:altPedigree"/>
   </xs:choice>
</xs:complexType>
```

526 9.3.2 Pedigree Envelope Schema

527 Supporting prior versions of pedigree documents in the pedigree envelope schema could be 528 accomplished by providing the full list of namespaces for all supported versions of the pedigree 529 schema in the namespace attribute of the <xs:any> element in the PedigreeEnvelopeType. The 530 following is an example of would be added to the pedigree schema document.

531 The opening schema element would reference the namespaces for all supported versions of the 532 schema.

533 <xs:schema xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema" xmlns:ped="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1" 534 xmlns:pedenv="urn:epcGlobal:PedigreeEnvelope:xsd:1.1" xmlns:ped1="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1.1" 535 targetNamespace="urn:epcGlobal:PedigreeEnvelope:xsd:1.1" elementFormDefault="qualified" 536 attributeFormDefault="unqualified"> 537 538 The pedigree envelope schema would import the current and all previous pedigree versions. 539

542 The PedigreeEnvelopeType can include all supported versions of the pedigree schema in the <xs:any>

543 namespace attribute.

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<xs:complexType name="PedigreeEnvelopeType"> <xs:complexContent> <xs:extension base="pedenv:BaseExtensibleType"> <xs:sequence> <xs:element name="version" type="xs:string" minOccurs="0"/> <xs:element name="serialNumber" type="xs:string"/> <xs:element name="date" type="xs:date" minOccurs="0"/> <xs:element name="sourceRoutingCode" type="xs:string" minOccurs="0"/> <xs:element name="destinationRoutingCode" type="xs:string" minOccurs="0"/> <xs:element name="container" type="pedenv:ContainerType" minOccurs="0"</pre> maxOccurs="unbounded"/> <xs:any namespace="urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1 urn:epcGlobal:Pedigree:xsd:1"</pre> processContents="skip" maxOccurs="unbounded"/> </xs:sequence> </xs:extension> </xs:complexContent>

560 </xs:complexType>

561

9.4 Backward Compatibility with Pre-Standard Version

562 The Pedigree schema that is adopted as a standard SHALL be backwards compatible with the pre-563 standard interim version of the Pedigree schema. The Pedigree schema that is adopted as a 564 standard SHALL support nesting of pedigrees created with the pre-standard interim version of the 565 Pedigree schema within one of the pedigree LayerTypes and SHALL maintain the integrity of the digitally signed content of the interim pedigree layers. 566

567 Pedigrees and pedigree envelopes created using this Standard (after the interim version) SHALL express pedigree and envelope serial numbers using the UUID in URN format using an xs:string 568 569 element per RFC 4122. Implementations SHALL support pedigree and pedigree envelope serial 570 numbers with and without the "urn:uuid" namespace prefix to preserve backwards compatibility to pedigrees generated prior to the release of the Standard. The schema version can be used as an 571 572 indicator to determine which version of the schema was used to apply a serial number.

9.5 Backward and Forward Compatibility of Pedigrees with New 573 Schema Versions 574

9.5.1 Backward Compatibility of Pedigrees between Minor Versions of 575 Pedigrees within a Major Version of Pedigree Schema 576

577 Pedigree implementations SHALL support nesting of pedigrees with an older minor version of the 578 Pedigree schema within a new pedigree LayerType that is of a newer minor version of the 579 Pedigree schema, within the same major version of the Pedigree schema. For example, within 580 version 1 of the Pedigree schema, an older minor version (20060526) could be wrapped by a newer 581 minor version (20061103).

9.5.2 Backward Compatibility of Pedigrees between Two Major 582 **Versions of Pedigree Schema** 583

584 Pedigree implementations SHALL support nesting of pedigrees with an older major version of the 585 Pedigree schema within a new pedigree LayerType that is of a newer major version of the Pedigree 586 schema. For example, an older major version (version 2) could be wrapped by a newer major 587 version (version 1).

9.5.3 Forward Compatibility of Pedigrees between Minor Versions of 588 Pedigrees within a Major Version of Pedigree Schema 589

590 Pedigree implementations SHALL support nesting of pedigrees with a newer minor version of the

591 Pedigree schema within a new pedigree LayerType that is of an older minor version of the

- 592 Pedigree schema, within the same major version of the Pedigree schema. For example, within
- 593 version 1 of the Pedigree schema, a newer minor version (20061103) could be wrapped by an older 594 minor version (20060526).
- 595 When an older version of a pedigree wraps a newer version of a pedigree, the pedigree will fail
- 596 schema validation against the older schema version because the older version of the schema is not
- 597 aware of the new optional elements present in the newer version of the schema. This is expected
- 598 behavior that impacts schema validation only.

599 9.5.4 Forward Compatibility of Pedigrees between Two Major Versions 600 of Pedigree Schema

Pedigree management software implementations cannot be aware of major changes that will occur

to the pedigree schema in the future. For that reason it is impossible to expect implementations to
 be forward compatible with future major versions. The following requirement stems from this fact
 of nature.

Pedigree implementations SHALL NOT allow nesting of new layers to pedigrees that already
 contain layers that use a newer major version of the Pedigree schema when the new pedigree layer
 would use an older major version of the Pedigree schema. For example, a newer major version
 (version 2) could not be wrapped by an older major version (version 1)

608 (version 2) could not be wrapped by an older major version (version 1).

- This leads to an industry deployment problem. If a trading partner who has not yet updated their
- 610 software receives a pedigree from an upstream partner who has updated their software to support
- 611 the newer major version, they will not be able to process the pedigree because their software will
- 612 not understand the newer schema. To solve this problem the *industry* must agree on the following
- 613 deployment rules:
- 614 Whenever a new major version of the pedigree schema is adopted it *cannot be used on any*
- 615 pedigree layer until all trading partners in the entire supply chain have had sufficient time to
- 616 *update their software to support that new version*. To ensure that this occurs, the EPCglobal work
- 617 group that creates the new major version schema must be responsible for estimating the effort for
- 618 vendors to implement the changes and then for *all trading partners* to install the upgrade
- 619 throughout their networks. The EPCglobal work group shall solicit input from software vendors
- and supply chain participants as part of the estimating process. At the time the major new version is adopted the EPCglobal work group shall publish the date based on this estimate as the first date
- 621 is adopted the EPCglobal work group shall publish the date based on this estimate as the first date 622 that trading partners SHALL be able to receive pedigrees based on the new major schema version.
- 623 Trading partners SHALL NOT create pedigrees based on the new major schema version prior to
- that date even if their software is fully upgraded early. Users would have that much time to acquire
- and install upgraded systems to prepare to send and receive pedigrees based on the new major
- 626 schema version.

627 **10 ePedigree Data Definition**

628 Conforming implementations SHALL use the pedigree schema for all input and output documents.

- All schema elements marked as "Yes" in the "Mandatory" column in the tables below SHALL beincluded in all pedigree documents. The value supplied in these elements SHALL be non-null.
- All schema elements marked as "Conditional" in the "Mandatory" column in the tables below
- 632 SHALL be included in pedigree documents that are subject to the situations that require them. The
- value supplied in these elements SHALL be non-null, unless the nillable attribute is explicitly setin the element.
- 634 in the element.
- All schema elements marked as "No" in the "Mandatory" column in the tables below SHALL beoptional in pedigree documents.
- 637 Conforming implementations SHALL offer the Pedigree Envelope schema as an optional way to
- 638 package one or more pedigree documents for transmission.

- All schema elements on incoming pedigrees and pedigree envelopes, regardless of marking,
- 640 SHALL be accepted and handled properly. "Handled properly" CAN be interpreted as "ignored"
- 641 for elements not marked as "Mandatory" or "Conditional".
- 642 The schemas for the Pedigree and Pedigree Envelope are separate schemas and SHALL be
- 643 versioned independently of each other. The Pedigree Envelope MAY reference pedigrees that are644 of a different version than the version of the Pedigree Envelope.
- 645 Enumerated lists included in the schema SHALL use the UpperCamelCase capitalization style for
- new items added to enumerated lists (e.g., ReceivedAndAuthenticated). If an enumeration is an
- 647 acronym or contains an acronym, the acronym SHALL be specified in all uppercase (e.g., GLN).

648 10.1 Character Set Use for Pedigree and Pedigree Envelope XML 649 Documents (non-normative)

- 650 It is strongly recommended that pedigree implementations use the UTF-8 character set when
- 651 generating pedigree and pedigree envelope XML documents so as to avoid interoperability issues
- from incompatible character sets. Refer to "Encode your XML documents in UTF-8" [18] for an
- 653 explanation of the general issue.
- The intent is to make UTF-8 a normative requirement in the next version of the standard.

655 **10.2 Electronic Pedigree Format**

- The basic components of a pedigree are shown in the following figure. The components in an
- actual pedigree depend on the specific business situation in which it is used (e.g., pedigree initiated
- by manufacturer, pedigree initiated by wholesaler, pedigree for repackaged item, etc.).





660 The innermost component of the pedigree SHALL always be contained in an initalPedgiree or a

661 repackagedPedigree element. New pedigrees created by manufacturers or wholesalers for standard

662 (non-repacked) prescription drug products SHALL always be started in an intialPedigree element.

Pedigrees for repackaged or kitted products (where the kit has its own NDC) SHALL always be

664 started in a repackagedPedigree element.

665 The pedigree element is a wrapper element that contains a signed pedigree representing the prior 666 chain of custody for an item. Information associated with each stage in a pedigree transaction in 667 which ownership of an item passes from one supply chain partner to another SHALL be added to 668 the pedigree in its own layer and then digitally signed by that supply chain partner.

669 The shippedPedigree and receivedPedigree elements represent a stage (shipping or receiving) in a

670 pedigree exchange transaction in which ownership of a product passes from one supply chain

671 partner to another. These elements SHALL be used to wrap the preexisting pedigree for a product.

- 672 Signatures SHALL be applied over shippedPedigree or receivedPedigree elements, signing over new
- 673 content added to the pedigree and any prior pedigree content from previous transactions.
- 674 At any given time, the outermost pedigree element SHALL contain a shippedPedigree and a
- 675 Signature element, or a receivedPedigree and a Signature element. As each transaction occurs, the

676 preexisting pedigree for an item SHALL be wrapped inside of a pedigree layer element. These 677 successive layers represent the entire chain of ownership and the product description.

67810.2.1Forms for Pedigree Components for Specific Business679Situations (non-normative)

A pedigree and data components within the pedigree may take one of several forms depending on
the context of how the pedigree was created or received (e.g., manufacturer initiated pedigree,
wholesaler initiated pedigree, pedigree for repackaged item, conversion of alternate pedigree, etc.).

683 The table below provides a non exhaustive list of use cases and the corresponding form a pedigree
 684 The table below provides a non exhaustive list of use cases and the corresponding form a pedigree

684 component may take for each of these use cases.

685 10.2.1.1 Initial Pedigree Components

- The following diagrams illustrate the different forms the innermost content of the pedigree may
- take before the content is nested in the first shippedPedigree layer. These components do not
- represent complete shipped and received pedigrees. In order to represent a complete pedigree, the
- 689 innermost content is embedded in a shippedPedigree and digitally signed with a signature element.

Form	Example
Innermost content for a manufacturer pedigree (initiated by manufacturer, before a wholesale distribution)	initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo drugName manufacturer itemInfo lot quantity
Innermost content for a wholesaler pedigree (initiated by first wholesaler, includes transaction information for first wholesale distribution)	initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo drugName manufacturer itemInfo lot quantity transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier receivingInfo dateReceived

Form	Exa	mple
Innermost content for a wholesaler pedigree with attachment (initiated by wholesaler, includes ASN data as attachment to facilitate manual authentication by downstream trading partners)	initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo drugName manufacturer itemInfo lot quantity transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier receivingInfo dateReceived attachment mimeType encoding data	
Innermost content for a wholesaler pedigree with scanned source pedigree (initiated by wholesaler, includes previous pedigree which may reflect one or more previous distributions)	initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo drugName manufacturer itemInfo lot quantity altPedigree mimeType encoding data serialNumber	

Form	Examp	le
Innermost content for a repacker pedigree (initiated by repacker, repacked item contains two source pedigrees)	repackagedPedigree previousProducts serialNumber previousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousProducts serialNumber previousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousPedigrees pedigree previousPedigrees pedigree productInfo drugName manufacturer itemInfo lot quantity	

Form	Example
Innermost content for a kit pedigree where the kit has an assigned NDC (initiated by kit manufacturer, kit contains two pedigrees)	repackagedPedigree previousProducts serialNumber previousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousProducts serialNumber previousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousPedigrees pedigree productInfo drugName manufacturer itemInfo lot quantity

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691 **10.2.1.2** Shipped and Received Pedigree Components

692 The following diagrams illustrate the different forms a complete pedigree may take when

693 pedigrees are exchanged between trading partners.

Form	Example
Signed manufacturer pedigree (initiated by manufacturer, after the wholesale distribution, signed by both manufacturer and wholesaler)	pedigree receivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo serialNumber version pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo serialNumber version initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo itemInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo Signature (Manuf. Signs: ShippedPed-1) receivingInfo signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ReceivedPed-1)
Signed wholesaler pedigree (initiated by wholesaler, after the wholesale distribution, signed by both wholesaler and retailer DC)	pedigree receivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo serialNumber version pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo serialNumber version initialPedigree serialNumber productinfo initialPedigree serialNumber productinfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receivingInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receivingInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receivingInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receivingInfo ignatureInfo SignatureInfo signatureInfo signatureInfo signatureInfo Signature(Retail DC Signs: ReceivedPed-1)

Form	Example
Signed repacker pedigree (initiated by repacker, after wholesale distribution, signed by both repacker and wholesaler recipient)	pedigree receivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo repackagedPedigree previousProducts serialNumber prerviousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousPedigrees pedigree productInfo itemInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier signature (Repacker Signs: ShippedPed-1) receivingInfo signature (Wholesaler Signs: ReceivedPed-1)
Signed kit pedigree (kit has NDC, initiated by kit manufacturer, after wholesale distribution, signed by both kit manufacturer and wholesaler recipient)	pedigree receivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo repackagedPedigree previousProducts serialNumber previousProductInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousPedigrees pedigree productInfo itemInfo itemInfo contactInfo previousPedigrees pedigree productInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receipientInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receipientInfo transactionInfo signatureInfo Signature (Repacker Signs: ShippedPed-1)) receivingInfo signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ReceivedPed-1)

Form	Example
Pedigree with two signed transactions (initiated by manufacturer, received and signed inbound by wholesaler recipient, signed outbound by wholesaler upon shipment to pharmacy, received and signed inbound by pharmacy recipient)	pedigree receivedPedigree id="ReceivedPed-2" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-2" documentInfo pedigree receivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receivingInfo signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ShippedPed-1) itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receivingInfo signatureInfo SignatureInfo signatureInfo senderInfo receipientInfo transactionInfo senderInfo receipientInfo transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo SignatureInfo

Form	Example
Pedigree without inbound receipt signature (initiated by manufacturer, received but not signed inbound by wholesaler recipient, signed outbound by wholesaler upon shipment to pharmacy)	pedigree shippedPedigree id="ShippedPed-2" documentInfo unsignedReceivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo itemInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier signature (Manuf. Signs: ShippedPed-1) receivingInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionIdentifier Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ShippedPed-2)
Pedigree without inbound receipt information or signature (initiated by manufacturer, signed outbound by wholesaler upon shipment to pharmacy)	pedigree ShippedPedigree id="ShippedPed-2" documentInfo pedigree ShippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier signature (Manuf. Signs: ShippedPed-1) itemInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo senderInfo recipientInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo SignatureInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo transactionIdentifier



Form	Example
Pedigree with return transaction (initiated by manufacturer, received and signed inbound by wholesaler, return transaction applied by wholesaler for manufacturer return and signed outbound, received and signed inbound by manufacturer)	pedigree receivedPedigree id="ReceivedReturnPed-2" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree id="ShippedReturnPed-2" documentInfo pedigree receivedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo initialPedigree serialNumber productInfo itemInfo itemInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo Signature (Mausf. Signs: ShippedPed-1)) itemInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo senderInfo receivedPed-1) itemInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ReceivedPed-1) itemInfo transactionIdentifier signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ShippedRed-1) receivingInfo signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ShippedReturnPed-2) receivingInfo signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ShippedReturnPed-2) receivingInfo signatureInfo Signature (Manuf. Signs: ReceivedReturnPed-2)

Form	Example		
Pedigree with return transaction applied by wholesaler on behalf of pharmacy (initiated by wholesaler, signed outbound by wholesaler for shipment to pharmacy, return transaction applied by wholesaler for pharmacy return, signed outbound by wholesaler for subsequent sale)	pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-2" documentInfo serialNumber version pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ReceivedPed-1" documentInfo serialNumber version pedigree shippedPedigree Id="ShippedPed-1" docmentInfo serialNumber version initialPedigree serialNumber version initialPedigree serialNumber version itemInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo senderInfo transactionInfo signatureInfo Signature (Wholesaler Signs: ShippedPed-2)		

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695 **10.2.2** XML Elements

KML Schema is used to specify the structure of the Electronic Pedigree Interchange Format. All
 data types prefixed with "xs" represent standard type definitions imported from the XML Schema
 specification.

699 Carriage return and line feed characters SHALL NOT appear in any string elements. Unless

700 otherwise specified there are no length or content restrictions on the elements of the message.

701 **10.2.2.1 pedigree Element**

The pedigree element is a wrapper element that contains a signed pedigree representing the prior chain of custody for an item. Information associated with each stage in a pedigree transaction in which ownership of an item passes from one supply chain partner to another SHALL be added to

- the pedigree in its own layer and then digitally signed by that supply chain partner.
- 706 The very innermost shippedPedigree layer SHALL contain the starting point for the pedigree. The
- starting point for the pedigree SHALL always be an initialPedigree or a repackagedPedigree
- element. The following table describes the different scenarios for how a pedigree CAN be started
- in its initial form, and the elements used to create that initial form.

Pedigree	Created by	Element Used to Express Initial form of Pedigree
Brand new pedigree for a product	Manufacturer or wholesaler	initialPedigree
Pedigree for a repackaged product	Repacker	repackagedPedigree
Pedigree for a kit	Kit manufacturer or wholesaler	repackagedPedigree
Pedigree that transforms a pedigree received in an alternate format (such as a scanned paper pedigree) into the EPCglobal pedigree format	Wholesaler	initialPedigree

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712 **10.2.2.2 LayerType**

713 The LayerType elements represent a stage (shipping or receiving) in a pedigree exchange transaction

in which ownership of a product passes from one supply chain partner to another. The LayerType

elements SHALL be used to wrap the preexisting pedigree for a product. Signatures SHALL be

716 applied over LayerType elements, signing over new content added to the pedigree and any prior

- 717 pedigree content from previous transactions.
- 718 At any given time, the outermost pedigree element SHALL contain a shippedPedigree and a
- 719 Signature element, or a receivedPedigree and a Signature element.





used by elements **<u>RepackagedPedigreeType/previousPedigrees pedigree</u></u>**

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Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
shippedPedigree	ShippedPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Information about a transaction in which ownership of the product passes from one supply chain partner to another. This layer element SHALL be added to the pedigree each time an exchange transaction occurs.
receivedPedigree	ReceivedPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Information about the receipt of products. This layer element SHALL be added to the pedigree each time a product is received as a result of an exchange transaction that requires that the pedigree be updated with the product receipt information and digitally signed.
Signature	ds:signatureType	Yes	Includes information about the digital signature, algorithms used, properties of the certificate, properties of the certificate issuer, and the message digest.
			This element SHALL be added to the pedigree to sign over new content added in the preceding layer (shippedPedigree or receivedPedigree) in an exchange transaction.
721 **10.2.2.3** ShippedPedigreeType

722 The shippedPedigreeType represents the shipping stage in a pedigree exchange transaction in which

ownership of a product passes from one supply chain partner to another. The shippedPedigreeType

element SHALL wrap the preexisting pedigree (e.g., an initial pedigree, an initial pedigree for

- repackaged products, an unsigned received pedigree, or a pedigree received with a prior chain of
- custody) and adds information about the current transaction to the pedigree. The very innermost
- 727 shippedPedigree layer SHALL contain the starting point for the pedigree.
- 728



used by element LayerType/shippedPedigree

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
Id	xs:id (Attribute)	Yes	A unique identifier for the pedigree layer within the pedigree document. This element is used to reference this element when it is signed.
documentInfo	DocumentInfoType	Yes	Contains an identifier for the pedigree and the version number of the pedigree schema used to create the pedigree.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
initialPedigree	InitialPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Contains the initial pedigree information before the first outbound transaction. This element CAN also used to represent the conversion of a pedigree in another form to this pedigree format. A scanned or alternate representation of a pedigree MAY be included in this element to represent the prior chain of custody for the product.
repackagedPedigree	RepackagedPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Contains the initial pedigree information for a repackaged product before the first outbound transaction. This includes the product information for the repackaged item and pedigree information about the source items used to create the repackaged items.
pedigree	LayerType	Yes (Choice)	Wrapper element that contains a signed pedigree representing the prior chain of custody for a product.
unsignedReceivedPedigree	UnsignedReceivedPedigree Type	Yes (Choice)	Wrapper element that contains an unsigned received pedigree representing the prior chain of custody for a product.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
itemInfo	ItemInfoType	Conditional	Identifies the physical item(s) associated with a pedigree by lot number, expiration date, quantity of units, and item serial numbers if present. Pedigrees MAY represent quantities of one or more lots for the same product.
			This element MAY be repeated as many times as necessary to represent each lot number represented by the pedigree for the product.
			An itemInfo MAY be added each time a new transaction is added to the pedigree to record the items that are the subject of the transaction. If the items that are the subject of the transaction are the exact same items in the last transaction's itemInfo, then the element MAY be
			omitted from the current transaction.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
transactionInfo	TransactionInfoType	Yes	Information about a transaction in which ownership of the product passes from one supply chain partner to another, including information about the sender, recipient, and transaction reference. This element SHALL be added to the pedigree each time an exchange transaction occurs.
signatureInfo	SignatureInfoType	Yes	Information that identifies the signer of a pedigree and the context of the signature (e.g., Certified).

730 **10.2.2.4 ReceivedPedigreeType**

731 The ReceivedPedigreeType represents a signed receiving stage in a pedigree exchange transaction in

which ownership of a product passes from one supply chain partner to another. The

733 ReceivedPedigreeType element SHALL wrap the preexisting pedigree and adds information about the

receipt to the pedigree. This element SHALL be later signed.

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Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
Id	xs:id (Attribute)	Yes	A unique identifier for the pedigree layer within the pedigree document. This element is used to reference the element that will be signed.
documentInfo	DocumentInfoType	Yes	Contains an identifier for the pedigree and the version number of the pedigree schema used to create the pedigree.
pedigree	Layertype	Yes (Choice)	Wrapper element that contains a signed pedigree representing the prior chain of custody for a product.
initialPedigree	InitialPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Contains the initial pedigree information before the first outbound transaction. This element CAN also used to represent the conversion of a pedigree in another form to this pedigree format. A scanned or alternate representation of a pedigree MAY be included in this element to represent the prior chain of custody for the product.
receivingInfo	ReceivingInfoType	Yes	Information about the receipt of items associated with a pedigree.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
signatureInfo	SignatureInfoType	Yes	Information that
			identifies the signer of
			a pedigree and the
			context of the signature
			(e.g., Received and
			Authenticated).

736 **10.2.2.5 DocumentInfoType**

The DocumentInfoType contains the unique identifier for the pedigree and the version number of the pedigree schema used to create the pedigree.

- 739 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 740 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
serialNumber	xs:string	Yes	The globally unique identifier for the pedigree document, using the UUID 128-bit identifier per RFC 4122, including the "urn:uuid" namespace prefix.
			This identifier SHALL be used to reference the pedigree by external systems.
			A new serial number SHALL be assigned each time the pedigree is updated and signed (in new shippedPedigree or receivedPedigree layer).
version	xs:string	Yes	The version number of the pedigree schema used to create the pedigree layer.

742 **10.2.2.6** InitialPedigreeType

- 743 The InitialPedigreeType contains the initial pedigree information before the first outbound
- transaction. This element CAN also used to represent the conversion of a pedigree in another form
- to this pedigree format. A scanned or alternate representation of a pedigree MAY be included in
- this element to represent the prior chain of custody for the product.



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
serialNumber	xs:string	Conditional	The globally unique identifier for the initial pedigree component, using the UUID 128- bit identifier per RFC 4122, including the "urn:uuid" namespace prefix.
			This element SHALL be inserted into new initial pedigrees when they are first created.
			This element SHALL be referenced in new repackagedPedigree elements when the repackagedPedigree references an initialPedigree for a previous product.
			This element is optional in the schema only to support backwards compatibility with the interim (pre-standard) version of the pedigree schema where it was not present. Software implementations SHALL accommodate pedigrees where this element is present and where it is not present.

productInfo	ProductInfoType	Yes	Information about the product to which the pedigree pertains, such as drug name, strength, dosage form, etc.
			This element SHALL be inserted in the pedigree when it is first created and SHALL occur only once.
itemInfo	ItemInfoType	Yes	Identifies the physical item(s) associated with a pedigree by lot number, expiration date, quantity of units, and item serial numbers if present. Pedigrees MAY represent quantities of one or more lots for the same product.
			This element MAY be repeated as many times as necessary to represent each lot number represented by the pedigree for the product.

transactionInfo	TransactionInfoType	Conditional	Information about a transaction in which ownership of the item passes from one supply chain partner to another, including information about the sender, recipient, and transaction reference.
			This element SHALL be present when a wholesaler initiates the pedigree to record the transaction information from the sale from the manufacturer to the wholesaler.
receivingInfo	ReceivingInfoType	Conditional	Information about the receipt of items associated with a pedigree.
			This element SHALL be present when a wholesaler initiates the pedigree to record wholesaler's receipt information.

altPedigree	ForeignDataType	No	Scanned or alternate representation of a signed pedigree that contains the prior chain of custody for the item. Examples include scanned image of a paper pedigree, a PDF of a pedigree, or another electronic pedigree format.
			This element SHALL be present when a wholesaler creates a pedigree based on a pedigree received that was in an alternate format.
			This element SHALL include the serialNumber element.
wasRepackaged	xs:Boolean (Attribute of altPedigree)	Conditional	Identifies if alternate pedigree represents a repackaged item (full repackaging pedigree information would be included in the altPedigree element).
			The default value is false.
			This attribute SHALL be present and TRUE when an altPedigree represents a repackaged item.

attachment	ForeignDataType	No	One or more
			attachments to a
			pedigree to facilitate
			pedigree authentication
			by downstream trading
			partners. Examples
			include an EDI ASN or
			a scanned invoice or
			shipping document.
			This element MAY be
			used when a
			wholesaler creates a
			pedigree.
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748 **10.2.2.7** RepackagedPedigreeType

749 The RepackagedPedigreeType contains the initial pedigree information for a repackaged product

before the first outbound transaction. This includes the product information for the repackaged

item and pedigree information about the source items used to create the repackaged items.

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Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
previousProducts	PreviousProductType	Yes	Summary information about the source or "parent" pedigrees for the repackaged products. This element SHALL be repeated as many times as necessary to represent each product used to create the repackaged products.

previousPedigrees	PreviousPedigreeType	Conditional	The pedigrees for the source or "parent" pedigrees for the repackaged products.
			This element SHALL be repeated as many times as necessary to include the pedigree for each product used to create the repackaged products.
			This element SHALL be present when there is a regulatory requirement to include the source or "parent" pedigrees for the repackaged products.
productInfo	Product InfoType	Yes	Information about the product to which the new pedigree pertains, such as drug name, strength, dosage form, etc This element SHALL be inserted in the pedigree when it is first created and occurs only once.

itemInfo	ItemInfoType	Yes	Identifies the physical
			item(s) associated with
			a pedigree by lot
			number, expiration
			date, quantity of units,
			and item serial
			numbers if present.
			Pedigrees MAY
			represent quantities of
			one or more lots for the
			same product.
			This element MAY be
			repeated as many times
			as necessary to
			represent each lot
			number represented by
			the pedigree for the
			product.

753 **10.2.2.8 UnsignedReceivedPedigreeType**

754 The UnsignedReceivedPedigreeType represents an unsigned receiving stage in a pedigree exchange

transaction in which ownership of a product passes from one supply chain partner to another. The

756 UnsignedeceivedPedigreeType element SHALL wrap the preexisting pedigree and add information

about the receipt to the pedigree, but does not get signed.



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
Id	xs:id (Attribute)	Yes	A unique identifier for the pedigree layer within the pedigree document. This element SHALL be used to reference the element that will be signed.
documentInfo	DocumentInfoType	Yes	Contains an identifier for the pedigree and the version number of the pedigree schema used to create the pedigree.
pedigree	LayerType	Yes (Choice)	Wrapper element that contains a signed pedigree representing the prior chain of custody for a product.
repackagedPedigree	RepackagedPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Contains the initial pedigree information for a repackaged product before the first outbound transaction. This includes the product information for the repackaged item and pedigree information about the source items used to create the repackaged items.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
initialPedigree	InitialPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	Contains the initial pedigree information before the first outbound transaction. This element CAN be also used to represent the conversion of a pedigree in another form to this pedigree format. A scanned or alternate representation of a pedigree MAY be included in this element to represent the prior chain of custody for the product.
transactionInfo	TransactionInfoType	Conditional	Information about a transaction in which ownership of the item passes from one supply chain partner to another, including information about the sender, recipient, and transaction reference.
			This element SHALL be used only when a seller updates the pedigree with a return transaction from the customer back to the seller, and this element SHALL be used only when regulations allow the seller to update the pedigree on behalf of their customer.
receivingInfo	ReceivingInfoType	Yes	Information about the receipt of items associated with a pedigree.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
attachment	ForeignDataType	No	One or more attachments to a pedigree to facilitate pedigree authentication by downstream trading partners. Examples include an EDI ASN or a scanned invoice or shipping document.
			This element MAY be used when a wholesaler updates the pedigree with a return transaction from the pharmacy back to the wholesaler.

759 **10.2.2.9 ProductInfoType**

760 The **ProductInfoType** represents information about the pharmaceutical product that is the subject of 761 the pedigree.

- 762 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 763 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.





used by elements InitialPedigreeType/productInfo RepackagedPedigreeType/productInfo

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Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
drugName	xs:string	Yes	The name of the drug as it appears on the product label.
manufacturer	xs:string	Yes	The name of the manufacturer or repackager of the drug as it appears on the product label.
productCode	ProductCodeType	Yes	The product class identifier for the pharmaceutical product (e.g., NDC value).
			This element MAY be repeated if multiple product codes for different countries are represented (e.g., NDC and DIN).
dosageForm	xs:string	Yes	The dosage form of the product (for example, TABLET, CAPSULE).
strength	xs:string	Yes	The strength or potency of the product, including the unit of measure (for example, 60 mg, 25 ml).
containerSize	xs:string	Yes	The number of units contained in a package of the product (for example, 60, 100).This is also known as pack size.

765 **10.2.2.10 ProductCodeType**

766 The ProductCodeType represents name or type of the product class identifier supplied in the productCode.



used by

elements <u>PreviousProductInfoType/productCode productCode</u>

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
type	ProductCodeValue Type (Attribute)	Yes	The name or type of the product class identifier supplied in the productCode (e.g., NDC442, NDC532, NDC541, NDC542, GTIN). The ProductCodeValueType contains an enumeration that is a union of NMTOKEN and the values defined by ProductCodeValueTypeType. One of the values defined in the ProductCodeValueTypeType SHOULD be used to ensure interoperability, however if the desired value is not present, a custom name value MAY be used.

769 **10.2.2.11** ItemInfoType

770 The *itemInfoType* identifies the physical item(s) associated with a pedigree by lot number,

expiration date, quantity of units, and item serial numbers if present. Pedigrees may represent

quantities of one or more lots for the same product. This element MAY be repeated as many times

as necessary to represent each lot number represented by the pedigree for the product. The *itemInfo*

- 774 CAN represent both serialized and non-serialized items.
- The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 776 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.
- A singular pedigree SHALL contain only one itemInfo and the quantity element SHALL contain
- 778 "1". There SHALL be only one itemserialNumber element present if the item is serialized, and this
- element SHALL contain the serial number associated with the product. If the product does not
- 780 have a serial number, the *itemSerialNumber* SHALL be omitted.
- 781 An aggregate pedigree SHALL contain as many *itemInfo* elements as there are lot numbers
- represented by the pedigree. The quantity element for each lot number SHALL represent the
- number of items in the lot. If the items are serialized, the number of itemserialNumber elements
- should match the quantity. If the products do not have serial numbers, the itemSerialNumber is
- 785 omitted.
- 786 Except for the following special case, an *itemInfo* SHALL be added to a pedigree each time a new
- transaction is added to the pedigree to record the items that are the subject of the transaction. If the
- items that are the subject of the transaction are the exact same items in the last *itemInfo*, then the
- relement MAY be omitted from the current transaction.



used by elements <u>InitialPedigreeType/itemInfo ShippedPedigreeType/itemInfo</u> <u>RepackagedPedigreeType/itemInfo</u> <u>PreviousProductType/itemInfo</u>

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
lot	xs:string	Yes	The lot number of the item.
expirationDate	xs:date	Conditional	The expiration date of the item. Each lot has its own expiration date. This element SHALL be present when there is a regulatory requirement to include the expiration date on the pedigree.
quantity	xs:integer	Yes	The number of items (e.g., eaches) of the NDC and lot that are part of the current exchange transaction. For serialized items, this quantity SHALL match the number of itemSerialNumber entries.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
itemSerialNumber	xs:string	Conditional	The unique identifier for the physical product(s) represented by the pedigree, typically the EPC in pure- identity URI representation as defined in the EPC Tag Data Standards specification.
			If the physical product unit does not have a serial number, the itemSerialNumber SHALL be omitted.
			The total number of itemSerialNumber elements SHALL match the number of items specified in the quantity element.
			This element SHALL be present when there is a regulatory requirement to include the serial number associated with the saleable product unit on the pedigree. This SHALL NOT apply to products that are not serialized.

791 **10.2.2.12 TransactionInfoType**

792 The TransactionInfoType represents a transaction in which the ownership of an item is transferred

from one supply chain partner to another, including information about the sender, recipient, and transaction identifier and date reference. The type of business transaction (e.g., Sale, Transfer, or

795 Return) is also identified.



used by elements <u>InitialPedigreeType/transactionInfo</u> <u>ShippedPedigreeType/transactionInfo</u>

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
senderInfo	PartnerInfoType	Yes	Information about the supply chain partner that is sending the shipment.
recipientInfo	PartnerInfoType	Yes	Information about the supply chain partner that is receiving the shipment.
transactionIdentifier	TransactionIdentifierType	Yes	The business document identifier, specified by the TransactionIdentifierType. Current supported business document types are invoice number, purchase order number, shipping number, return authorization number, and Other. The list of supported document types may be extended in the future.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
altTransactionIdentifie	TransactionIdentifierType	No	One more more business document identifiers, specified by the TransactionIdentifierType.
			This element SHALL be used if it is desired to provide more than one transaction identifier in the pedigree (e.g., both the PO Number and the Invoice Number for the transaction).
			Current supported business document types are invoice number, purchase order number, shipping number, return authorization number, and Other. The list of supported document types may be extended in the future.
transactionType	TransactionTypeType	Yes	The nature of the pedigree transaction (for example, Sale, Transfer, Return). This element has valid values enumerated by TransactionTypeType which currently include Sale, Return, Transfer, and Other. The list of supported values may be extended in the future.
transactionDate	xs:date	Yes	The date associated with the transactionIdentifier (e.g., PO, Invoice, etc). This element SHALL be paired with the transactionIdentifier element.

797 10.2.2.13 PartnerInfoType

- 798 The PartnerInfoType represents the business address and license information for a supply chain 799 partner involved in transferring items that are associated with pedigrees.
- 800 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 801 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.



used by elements <u>TransactionInfoType/recipientInfo</u> <u>TransactionInfoType/senderInfo</u>

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
businessAddress	AddressType	Yes	The business address of the trading partner.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
shippingAddress	AddressType	Conditional	The address that items are being shipped to or from. This element is used only if it is different from the businessAddress. This element SHALL be present when there is a regulatory requirement to record the shipping address when it differs from the business address (this typically applies to both the sender business address and ship-from address and the recipient business address
partnerId	PartnerIdType	No	and ship-to address). Any code used to identify the
			This element MAY be repeated to include as many identifiers as desired (e.g., customer number, supplier code, GLN, etc.).
licenseNumber	xs:string	Conditional	The license number of the trading partner.
			This element MAY be repeated to include as many license numbers as required (e.g., a Florida license and an NABP VAWD number).
			This element SHALL be present when there is a regulatory requirement to include the license information for the trading partner on the pedigree.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
State	xs:NMTOKEN (Attribute of licenseNumber)	No	The state or region in which the trading partner is licensed, using the standard two letter abbreviation specified in ISO 3166-2:1998 country sub-division code [16]. This attribute is used to give additional context to the license number.
Agency	xs:string (Attribute of licenseNumber)	No	The agency that granted the license (e.g., Florida DOH, NABP). This attribute is used to give additional context to the license number.
contactInfo	ContactType	Conditional	Contact information for use by downstream trading partners to authenticate (e.g, verify) the transaction information recorded on the pedigree with the sender party.
			This element SHALL be present when there is a regulatory requirement to include authenticator contact information on the pedigree.

803 10.2.2.14 ParnterIdType

804 The PartnerIdType represents represents the name or type of identifier supplied in the partnerId.

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Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
type	PartnerIdValue Type (Attribute)	Yes	The name or type of identifier supplied in the partnerId element (e.g., "customer number", "supplier code", "GLN", etc.). This attribute is used to give additional context to the partnerID. The PartnerIdValueType contains an enumeration that is a union of NMTOKEN and the values defined by PartnerIdValueTypeType. One of the values defined in the PartnerIdValueTypeType SHOULD be used to ensure interoperability, however if the desired value is not present, a custom name value MAY be used.
			MAY be used.

806 **10.2.2.15** AddressType

807 The AddressType represents a business or shipping address.



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Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
businessName	xs:string	Yes	The business name of the trading partner.
streetl	xs:string	Yes	The first line of the street address.
street2	xs:string	No	The second line of the street address.
city	xs:string	Yes	The city.
stateOrRegion	xs:string	Yes	The state, province, or region using the standard two-letter abbreviation specified in ISO 3166-2:1998 country sub- division code [16].
postalCode	xs:string	Yes	The ZIP or other postal code.
country	xs:string	Yes	The country using the standard two-letter abbreviation specified in ISO 3166-1alpha-2:1997 country code [17].
AddressId	AddressIdType	No	Any code used to identify the address of the trading partner.
			This element MAY be repeated to include as many identifiers as desired (e.g., plant number, GLN, etc.).

809 10.2.2.16 AddressIdType

The AddressIdType represents represents the name or type of identifier supplied in the addressId. 810

diagram



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
type	AddressIdValue Type (Attribute)	Yes	The name or type of identifier supplied in the addressId element (e.g., "plant number", "GLN", etc.). This attribute is used to give additional context to the addressID. The AddressIdValueType contains an enumeration that is a union of NMTOKEN and the values defined by AddressIdValueTypeType. One of the values defined in the AddressIdValueTypeType SHOULD be used to ensure interoperability, however if the desired value is not present, a custom name value MAY be used.

812 **10.2.2.17** TransactionIdentifierType



namespace Pedigree

children <u>ped:identifier ped:identifierType</u> used by element <u>TransactionInfoType/transactionIdentifier</u>

- 813
- 814 The TransactionIdentifierType represents the business document number and document type.
- 815 Current supported business document types are invoice number, purchase order number, shipping
- 816 number, return authorization number, and other. The list of supported document types may be
- 817 extended in the future.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
identifier	xs:string	Yes	The business document number.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
identifierType	TransactionIdentifierTypeType	Yes	The business document type
			defined by an enumerated list
			in the
			TransactionIdentifierTypeType.
			Current supported business
			document types are invoice
			number, purchase order
			number, shipping number,
			return authorization number,
			and Other. The list of
			supported document types
			may be extended in the
			future.

818 **10.2.2.18** signatureInfo

819 The signatureInfo element represents information about the signer and context of the signature 820 applied to a pedigree.

- 821 The BaseExtensibleType is used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements. Extensibility is
- 822 only allowed in NameSpace ##other.
- 823



used by elements ShippedPedigreeType/signatureInfo ReceivedPedigreeType/signatureInfo

Name		Туре	Mandatory?	Description
signer	Info	ContactType	Yes	Contact information for the signer of the document.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
signatureDate	xs:dateTime	Yes	The date the digital signature was executed.
signatureMeaning	signatureMeaningType	Yes	The context for the application of the digital signature on the pedigree. This element has valid values enumerated by signatureMeaningType Which currently include "Certified" (used when certifying the content added to a pedigree), "Received" (used by
			recipient after receiving the item against the pedigree), "Authenticated" (used by recipient after successfully authenticating the pedigree), and "Received and Authenticated" (used by the recipient after successfully authenticating a pedigree and receiving the item against the pedigree). The list of supported values may be extended in the future.

825 **10.2.2.19 ContactType**

826 The ContactType element represents information about a person or company that has had custody of

827 a pedigree. This element MAY be used in two contexts: to represent signer information in a

- shippedPedigree or receivedPedigree, and to represent contact information at the sender company
 to manually authenticate the information for the pedigree transaction.
- 830 For signing information, name and title SHALL be present. All other fields are optional.
- For authenticator information, name, telephone, and email SHALL be present. All other fields areoptional.
- 833 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 834 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.



used by elements <u>PartnerInfoType/contactInfo PreviousProductType/contactInfo</u> <u>SignatureInfoType/signerInfo</u>

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
name	xs:string	Yes	Full name of the person or name of the company.
title	xs:string	Conditional	Job title of the person. This element MAY be mandatory in some regulatory contexts. See notes above in main description.
telephone	xs:string	Conditional	Phone number of the person. This element MAY be mandatory in some regulatory contexts. See notes above in main description.
email	xs:string	Conditional	Email of the person. This element MAY be mandatory in some regulatory contexts. See notes above in main description.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
url	xs:string	No	Web address to facilitate authentication.

836 **10.2.2.20** ReceivingInfoType

- 837 The ReceivingInfoType represents information about the receipt of items associated with a pedigree.
- 838 This element MAY be used to express partial receipts against a pedigree by identifying the specific
- 839 items received. The element in ReceivingInfoType is shown below.

diagram



used by element **<u>ReceivedPedigreeType/receivingInfo</u>**

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
dateReceived	xs:date	Yes for recipient	The date the item was received.
		No for distributor	

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
itemInfo	ItemInfoType	Conditional	Identifies the physical item(s) received against this pedigree by lot number, expiration date, quantity of units, and item serial numbers if present.
			The items received SHALL be equal to or a subset of the items expressed in the itemInfo of the shippedPedigree.
			This element SHALL be repeated as many times as necessary to represent items received against each lot number represented by the pedigree for the product.
			This element MAY be used to express partial receipts against a pedigree if the regulatory requirements allow partial receipts against a single pedigree (e.g., pedigree represents 20 items, but only 15 items were received).

841 **10.2.2.21** ForeignDataType

- 842 The ForeignDataType identifies a data object included with a pedigree, specified by its MIME type.
- 843 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 844 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.
- 845



used by elements InitialPedigreeType/attachment InitialPedigreeType/altPedigree



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
serialNumber	xs:string	Conditional	The globally unique identifier, using the UUID 128-bit identifier per RFC 4122, including the "urn:uuid" namespace prefix.
			This element SHALL be inserted into new alternate pedigrees when they are first created.
			This element SHALL be referenced in new repackagedPedigree elements when the repackagedPedigree references an altPedigree for a previous product.
mimeType	xs:string	Yes	The MIME type of the content that SHALL be included with the pedigree specified in standard type/subtype representation (e.g., text/plain, application/pdf, image/jpeg).

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
encoding	EncodingType	Yes	The data encoding format of
			the content that will be
			included with the pedigree.
			Only base 64 binary
			encoding is supported and
			the value of this element
			SHALL be base64binary.
data	xs:string	Yes	The data representation of
			the data object that will be included with the pedigree.

847 **10.2.2.22 PreviousProductType**

848 The PreviousProductType contains summary information about the source or "parent" products for

the repackaged or kitted products. This element SHALL be repeated as many times as necessary to

850 represent each product used to create the repackaged products.


Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
serialNumber	xs:string	Conditional	Serial number to reference the specific initialPedigree, pedigree, Or altPedigree Serial number associated with the previous product used in the repackagedPedigree.
			This element SHALL reference a serial number of an intialPedigree, altPedigree, or pedigree that is defined in the previousPedigrees element.
			This element is optional in the schema only to support backwards compatibility with the interim (pre-standard) version of the pedigree schema where it was not present. Software implementations SHALL accommodate pedigrees where this element is present and where it is not present.
previousProductInfo	PreviousProdutInfoType	Yes	Summary information about the source or "parent" products for the repackaged products.
			This element SHALL be a cross-reference to the productInfo:drugName when the previousProduct references an initialPedigree Or pedigree.
			This element MAY reference a generic product when used to refer to items in a kit that may not be prescription drugs or have pedigrees.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
itemInfo	ItemInfoType	Yes	Identifies the physical item(s) from the source or "parent" pedigrees used to create the repackaged products (because only a subset of the items referenced by the source pedigree may be used in the repackaging). Items are identified by lot number, expiration date, quantity of units, and item serial numbers if present.
			The items referenced SHALL be equal to or a subset of the items expressed in the itemInfo of the parent pedigrees.
			This element SHALL be repeated as many times as necessary to represent items used in the repackaging against each lot number represented by the pedigree for the parent product.
contactInfo	ContactType	Yes	Contact information for authenticating the parent pedigrees.

852 10.2.2.23 PreviousProductInfoType

- 853 The PreviousProductInfoType contains summary information about the source or "parent" pedigrees
- 854 for the repackaged products.





Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
drugName	xs:string	No	The name of the drug as it appears on the product label.
			This element SHALL be a cross-reference to the productInfo:drugName when the previousProduct references an initialPedigree Of pedigree.
			This element MAY reference a generic product name when used to refer to items in a kit that may not be prescription drugs or have pedigrees.
manufacturer	xs:string	Yes	The name of the manufacturer of the source or "parent" drug as it appears on the product label.
productCode	ProductCodeType	Yes	The product class identifier for the source or "parent" pharmaceutical product (e.g., NDC value).
			This element MAY be repeated if multiple product codes for different countries are represented (e.g., NDC and DIN).

856 **10.2.2.24 PreviousPedigreeType**

857 The PreviousPedigreeType contains the source or "parent" pedigrees for the repackaged products.

- 858 This element SHALL be repeated as many times as necessary to represent each product used to
- 859 create the repackaged products.



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
pedigree	LayerType	Yes (Choice)	The source or "parent" pedigrees for the repackaged products.
			This element SHALL be used if the pedigrees were received in the standard electronic format.
initialPedigree	InitialPedigreeType	Yes (Choice)	The source or "parent" pedigrees for the repackaged products.
			This element MAY be used if the pedigrees were received in an alternate pedigree format, or without a pedigree and a new pedigree had to be created before repackaging.
altPedigree	ForeignDataType	Yes (Choice)	Scanned or alternate representation of a signed pedigree that contains the prior chain of custody for the item. Examples include scanned image of a paper pedigree, a PDF of a pedigree, or an alternate electronic transmission such as X.12.
			This element MAY be used if the pedigrees were received in an alternate pedigree format.

861 **10.2.2.25 BaseExtensibleType**

- 862 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree schema elements.
- 863 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other ensures that any extensibility in
- targetNameSpace goes through the normal EPCglobal vetting process.



865 **10.2.2.26 EncodingType**

The EncodingType provides an enumerated list of the allowed encoding types used for the alternate pedigree and pedigree attachment. The value SHALL be "base64binary"

namespace Pedigree

type	restriction of xs:string		
used by	element	ForeignDataType/encoding	
facets	enumeratio	n base64binary	

868 10.2.2.27 ProductCodeValueTypeType

869 The ProductCodeValueTypeType provides an enumerated list of the allowed product code values.

870 If one of the NDC enumerations is used, the NDC SHALL be expressed as a contiguous string
871 with no dashes separating the segments. Refer to the FDA National Drug Code Directory [15] for a
872 description of the three segments which make up the NDC. See section 2 "NDC Number" at
873 http://www.fda.gov/cder/ndc/index.htm.

The following examples illustrate how an NDC would be expressed for the supported enumerations.

- NDC532 would be expressed as 1341111303, which is the same as 13411-113-03.
- NDC541 would be expressed as 5456944670, which is the same as 54569-4467-0.
- NDC442 would be expressed as 9781112311, which is the same as 9781-1123-11.
- NDC542 would be expressed as 00071015723, which is the same as 00071-0157-23.

namespace Pedigree

type restriction of xs:string

used by simpleType **ProductCodeValueType**

enumerationNDC442enumerationNDC532enumerationNDC541enumerationNDC542EnumerationGTIN

880 10.2.2.28 TransactionIdentifierTypeType

- 881 The TransactionIdentifierTypeType provides an enumerated list of the allowed business document
- type used to qualify the transaction identifier.

namespace Pedigree

facets

restriction of xs	s:string
element <u>Tr</u>	ansactionIdentifierType/identifierType
enumeration	InvoiceNumber
enumeration	PurchaseOrderNumber
enumeration	ShippingNumber
enumeration	ReturnAuthorizationNumber
enumeration	Other
	restriction of xs element <u>Tr</u> enumeration enumeration enumeration enumeration

883 10.2.2.29 TransactionTypeType

884 The TransactionIdentifierTypeType provides an enumerated list of the types that describe the nature

of the pedigree transaction. These values are derived from the types of business transactions that
 require pedigree.

namespace	Pedigree	
type	restriction of xs	:string
used by	element <u>Tr</u>	ansactionInfoType/transactionType
facets	enumeration	Sale
	enumeration	Return
	enumeration	Transfer
	enumeration	Other

887 **10.2.2.30** signatureMeaningType

888 The signatureMeantingType provides an enumerated list of the types that describe the context for the

- application of the digital signature on the pedigree. These values are derived from the types of
- signatures required to be applied to the pedigree. These currently include:

- 891 Certified: Used when certifying the content added to a pedigree.
- 892 Received: Used by recipient after receiving the item against the pedigree.
- 893 o Authenticated: Used by recipient after successfully authenticating the pedigree.
- Received and Authenticated: Used by the recipient after successfully authenticating a pedigree
 and receiving the item against the pedigree.
- 896

namespace Pedigree

type restriction of **xs:string** used by element <u>SignatureInfoType/signatureMeaning</u> facets enumeration Certified enumeration Received enumeration Authenticated enumeration ReceivedAndAuthenticated

897 10.2.2.31 signatureType

898 The Electronic Pedigree Interchange Format uses the W3C XML Digital Signature standard to 899 represent a digital signature. Refer to section 6 Certificates and Digital Signatures and specifically

900 section 6.3 Digital Signatures for specific schema requirements.

element.

901 The following table defines the elements that SHALL be signed when certifying pedigrees that 902 support the self-authenticating pedigree model specified in pedigree regulations.

Scenario	Signed Elements
Pedigree sent outbound by a supplier to a customer.	• The Signature element signs the outermost shippedPedigree element, thereby signing the entire pedigree content, including prior pedigree transactions nested in the interior Pedigree element.
Pedigree received by a customer from a supplier.	• The signature element signs the outermost receivedPedigree element, thereby signing the receiving information added and the prior pedigree transactions nested in the interior Pedigree

903 **10.3 Pedigree Envelope Format**

904 The pedigree envelope SHALL be a schema available to the user as an option. It is an electronic 905 wrapper used to transmit a collection of pedigrees associated with an outbound customer shipment. 906 The pedigree envelope may also contain information about the association of pedigrees to 907 quantities of products in specific cases in the shipment to facilitate product-to-pedigree matching 908 for non-serialized items. The matching of products received to their corresponding pedigrees is a 909 requirement of the pedigree process.

- 910 The items in the shipment may be non-serialized or serialized. Pedigrees may have a one-to-one
- 911 mapping to items in the shipment (e.g., one pedigree per item), or may have a one-to-many
- 912 mapping to items in the shipment (e.g., one pedigree per collection of items with the same NDC).

913 **10.3.1** Forms for Specific Business Situations (non-normative)

- 914 The following is a description of the fields that are used in the pedigree envelope. The table below
- 915 provides examples of the forms the pedigree envelope can take.

Form	Example		
Pedigree envelope with product to pedigree mapping information (with case serialization) and pedigrees	pedigreeEnvelope version serialNumber date sourceRoutingCode destinationRoutingCode Container containerCode shipmentHandle shipFromLocationCode pedigreeHandle pedigreeSerialNumber productCode quantity lot pedigreeSerialNumber itemSerialNumber container pedigreeBerialNumber itemSerialNumber itemSerialNumber itemSerialNumber itemSerialNumber pedigree		

Form	Example		
Pedigree envelope with product to pedigree mapping information (without case serialization) and pedigrees	pedigreeEnvelope version serialNumber date sourceRoutingCode destinationRoutingCode container containerCode/ {null} shipmentHandle shipFromLocationCode pedigreeHandle pedigreeSerialNumber productCode quantity lot pedigreeSerialNumber itemSerialNumber container pedigreee		

10.3.2 XML Elements 916

- 917 XML Schema is used to specify the structure of the pedigree envelope. All data types prefixed
- with "xs" represent standard type definitions imported from the XML Schema specification. 918
- 919 Unless otherwise specified there are no length or content restrictions on the elements of the 920 message.

10.3.2.1 PedigreeEnvelopeType 921

- 922 The PedigreeEnvelopeType represents the collection of pedigrees associated with the physical items
- 923 in one or more shipments.
- 924 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree envelope schema elements.
- Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other. 925







Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
version	xs:string	Yes	The version number of the pedigree envelope schema.
serialNumber	xs:string	Yes	A unique identifier for the pedigree envelope that contains the pedigrees for a customer shipment.
			This identifier SHALL be expressed using a UUID 128-bit identifier as defined in RFC 4122, including the "urn:uuid" namespace prefix.
date	xs:dateTime	No	The date the pedigree envelope was created and transmitted.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
sourceRoutingCode	xs:string	No	A reference or location code for the source from which the pedigrees were transmitted.
destinationRoutingCode	xs:string	No	A reference or location code for the destination to which the pedigrees are being transmitted.
container	ContainerType	No	Information about the association of pedigrees to items to cases to facilitate product-to-pedigree matching for non-serialized items.
pedigree	ped:PedigreeType	Yes	The pedigrees for each of the items in the shipment, as defined in the pedigree schema.

927 **10.3.2.2 ContainerType**

928 The *containerType* provides a common method for standardizing the exchange of the pedigree 929 matching information within the direct context of the pedigree exchange. It provides information 930 about the association of pedigrees to quantities of products in specific cases to facilitate the 931 requirement of matching products received to their corresponding pedigrees.

932 This information SHALL be optional in the pedigree envelope, and is intended to provide a

standard approach to conveying pedigree matching information for products that are not

individually serialized. When products are serialized at the unit level, the serial number of the

935 product serves as the matching point to the corresponding pedigree, and therefore no additional

936 information is required. When products are not serialized, the receiving party may require the 937 necessary information to verify quantities of products received against their corresponding

938 pedigrees to satisfy regulatory verification requirements. The ContainerType MAY be included in 939 the pedigree envelope to satisfy this requirement, and to provide a standard approach to convey

940 this information.

941 The pedigree format was created with flexibility that allows for a single pedigree to represent

942 multiple products and products of multiple lots, however, the pedigree format does not contain any

943 information that ties specific pedigrees to specific quantities of products packed into specific cases.

Rather than conveying this information in the regulatory pedigree document (which must be

retained as a document of record for up to three years), this information MAY be conveyed via the pedigree envelope. The decision to include this information in the pedigree envelope was driven by

946 pedigree envelope. The decision to include this information in the pedigree envelope was driven by 947 the temporary nature of the data – to convey the product to pedigree relationship to the recipient

when the product is transferring ownership. Once a company receives the product, the company

can maintain the product to pedigree relationship using the means appropriate to that company.

- 950 When the container element is omitted from the pedigree envelope, product-to-pedigree matching
- 951 relies on information contained in the pedigree itself such as NDC, lot number, quantity, PO and
- 952 unit product serial number (if the unit product is serialized).
- 953 When the container element is included in the pedigree envelope, additional product-to-pedigree
- matching approaches are possible when the products are not serialized. This capability is important
- to achieving compliance until products are serialized, or by other means that may be
- 956 communicated between specific trading partners.
- 957 The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree envelope schema elements.
- 958 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.



Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
containerCode	xs:string	Yes (nillable=true)	Serial number of the container (e.g., case, tote, etc.) that contains the pedigreed items.
			If case serialization information is not available this element MAY represent a "null" value. The "null" value SHALL be represented using XML schema's nil mechanism (e.g., <containercode xsi:nil="true">).</containercode
container	ContainerType	No	Information about the association of pedigrees to items to cases to facilitate product-to-pedigree matching for non-serialized items. These are expressed as parent-child relationships.
			This element SHALL be used to express subcontainers that have pedigrees associated with items in those subcontainers.
shipmentHandle	xs:string	No	A unique identifier for the shipment that this container and its pedigrees are associated with.
shipFromLocationCode	xs:string	No	A reference or location code for the source or facility from which the items/pedigrees were delivered.
shipToLocationCode	xs:string	No	A reference or location code for the destination or facility to which the items/pedigrees are being delivered.

Name	Туре	Mandatory?	Description
pedigreeHandle	PedigreeHandleType	No	A list of one or more pointers to pedigrees that identify which items are present in this container. If a pedigree represents multiple lots of the same product, a separate pedigreeHandle element SHALL be included for each unique lot represented by the pedigree.

960 **10.3.2.3 PedigreeHandleType**

961 The PedigreeHandleType is a reference to a pedigree that indicates which items are present in a

962 particular container.

The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree envelope schema elements.
Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other.

965 A pedigreeHandle element SHALL always include the pedigree serialNumber. If the products

966 represented by the pedigree are serialized items, the pedigreeHandle SHALL include the

967 itemserialNumber for each serialized item represented by the pedigree. If the products represented by

968 the pedigree are not serialized items, the pedigreeHandle MAY include the prodctCode and SHALL

969 include the quantity and lot elements for the lot of product represented by the pedigree.

970 If a pedigree represents multiple lots of the same product, a separate pedigreeHandle element

971 SHALL be included for each unique lot represented by the pedigree.



element ContainerType/pedigreeHandle



used by

Nome	Trues	De autre do	Description
Iname	туре	Required?	Description
serialNumber	xs:string	Yes	The serial number of a pedigree document contained in this pedigreeEnvelope, using the UUID 128- bit identifier per RFC 4122, including the "urn:uuid" namespace prefix
itemSerialNumber	xs:string	Conditional	The unique identifier(s) for the physical item(s) in the container that are associated with the pedigree. This element is repeated multiple times, one for each item serial number. This element

			SHALL be present only when the individual product items are serialized and SHALL be repeated multiple times, one for each item serial number.
productCode	ProductCodeType	No	The product class identifier for the pharmaceutical product (e.g., NDC value).
			If present, this element SHALL reflect the productCodes enumerated in the productCode element of the corresponding pedigree.
quantity	xs:integer	Conditional	The number of items in the container. This element is used with the lot to describe the non-serialized items associated with the pedigree.
			This element SHALL be present if the individual product items are not serialized.
lot	xs:string	Conditional	The lot number of the items in the container. This is element is used with the quantity to describe the non- serialized items associated with the pedigree.
			This element SHALL be present if

the individual product items are not serialized.

973 10.3.2.4 **BaseExtensibleType**

- The BaseExtensibleType SHALL be used for extensibility of pedigree envelope schema elements. 974
- 975 Extensibility SHALL be only allowed in NameSpace ##other ensures that any extensibility in
- targetNameSpace goes through the normal EPCglobal vetting process. 976





11 XML Schema Implementation 977

978 See attached XML schemas Pedigree.xsd and PedigreeEnvelope.xsd

12 Usage Guidelines (non-normative) 979

The following usage guidelines provide descriptions of the XML schemas can be used for various 980 981 use cases.

12.1 Usage Guidelines for Creating and Appending Information to 982 Pedigrees 983

- 984 This section explains how to use the Pedigree element and its sub elements to create pedigrees and
- 985 append transactional and signature information to them. All content in this section is non-986 normative.

987 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer

- 988 The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a manufacturer to a wholesaler, when the
- 989 manufacturer initiates the pedigree.



Step	Details
Manufacturer creates pedigree	• The manufacturer generates the initialPedigree, which contains the serialNumber (unique serial number), productInfo (generic product information) and itemInfo (identifies the specific items represented by the pedigree) elements.
	• Upon sale of the item, the manufacturer adds transaction information for the sale and signs the pedigree. The manufacturer wraps the initialPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

Step	Details
Wholesaler receives product and pedigree	• When the wholesaler organization receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.

991 **12.1.2 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Wholesaler**

The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a wholesaler to a retail pharmacy DC, when no

993 pedigree is provided by the manufacturer and the wholesaler initiates the pedigree.



Step	Details
Wholesaler creates pedigree for product received from manufacturer	• The wholesaler generates the initialPedigree, which contains the serialNumber (unique serial number), productInfo (generic product information), itemInfo (identifies the specific items represented by the pedigree), and transactionInfo (describes the sale from the manufacturer to the wholesaler), and receivingInfo (describes the receipt information for the shipment from the manufacturer to the wholesaler) elements. The wholesaler may optionally include the attachment element with the original EDI ASN document to support downstream trading partner authentication of the sale transaction from the manufacturer to the wholesaler.
	• Upon sale of the item, the wholesaler adds transaction information for the sale and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the initialPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

Step	Details	
Pharmacy DC receives product and pedigree	• When the pharmacy DC receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree a signs the pedigree. The pharmacy DC wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated	nd s ie รา า
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that unique within the pedigree document.	is
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature reference the named receivedPedigree element.	∍e / ∶es

996 **12.1.3** Pedigree Flow Initiated by Wholesaler from Paper Pedigree

997 The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a wholesaler to a retail pharmacy DC, when the 998 prior pedigree was in paper form and the receiving information was applied to the paper pedigree, 999 and the wholesaler converts the pedigree to electronic form prior to the sale to the retail pharmacy 1000 DC.



Step	Details
Wholesaler creates pedigree for product received from manufacturer	• The wholesaler receives a paper pedigree and generates an electronic pedigree by creating the initialPedigree, which contains the serialNumber (unique serial number), productInfo (generic product information), itemInfo (identifies the specific items represented by the pedigree), and altPedigree (contains the prior pedigree information received in paper or other form) elements.
	• Upon sale of the item, the wholesaler adds transaction information for the sale and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the initialPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.
Pharmacy DC receives product and pedigree	• When the pharmacy DC receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The pharmacy DC wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.

1003 Note: In the above scenario, the wholesaler could also opt to embed the paper pedigree in the 1004 electronic pedigree and include the transactionInfo and receivingInfo in the intialPedigree.

1005 **12.1.4** Pedigree Flow Initiated by Repacker

1006 The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a repacker to a wholesaler, where the repacker 1007 initiates the pedigree for a repackaged item. A repack pedigree may or may not contain the 1008 pedigrees for the source products used to create the repack products, depending on the regulatory 1009 requirements of a given pedigree law. The usage guideline describes how to construct the pedigree 1010 for both scenarios, when the source pedigrees are required and when they are not required. The

- 1011 usage guideline also describes how to include the source pedigree when the source pedigree is an
- 1012 electronic pedigree created or received, or a pedigree received in an alternate form, such as a
- 1013 scanned paper pedigree.



Step	Details
Repackager creates pedigree for repackaged product	• The repacker generates the repackagedPedigree and includes the previousProducts, optionally includes the previousPedigrees, and includes the productInfo and itemInfo elements. The previousProducts element describes the source items used to create the repackaged pedigrees and provides a reference to the serialNumber of the source pedigree if the product has one. The previousPedigrees contains the actual pedigrees for the source items using either the pedigree, altPedigree Or initialPedigree element. This element is included only if the pedigrees for the source items are required to be in the repacked pedigree. If the pedigrees may be omitted. The productInfo element describes the generic product information. The itemInfo identifies the specific repacked items represented by the pedigree.
	If the source pedigrees are electronic pedigrees created or received, then the pedigree element is used to represent the source pedigree. If the source pedigrees are in an alternate form, such as a scanned paper pedigree, then the initialPedigree or the altPedigree element is used to represent the source pedigree. To the initialPedigree add the productInfo (describing the source product), itemInfo (describing the specific source items), optionally add the transactionInfo (describing the sales transaction used to receive the source items) and receivingInfo (describing the altPedigree (the representation of the scanned source pedigree).
	• Upon sale of the item, the repacker adds transaction information for the sale and signs the pedigree. The repacker wraps the repackagedPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

	Step	Details
Wholesaler receives repackged product and pedigree	/holesaler receives packged product nd pedigree	• When the wholesaler organization receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.	
		• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.

- 1016 **12.1.5** Pedigree Flow for a Kit
- 1017 A kit is a packaged product that can contain one more prescription drugs. Kits containing 1018 prescription drugs may or may not have an NDC assigned to the kit itself.
- 1019 This usage guideline describes the process for creating a kit that has an assigned NDC. If the kit 1020 does not have an assigned NDC, one of two options can be utilized:
- Kits that do not have their own NDC may be started in a repackagedPedigree element, using the manufacturer product code as a NMTOKEN instead of one of the values specified in the ProductCodeValueTypeType., or
- Each prescription drug contained within the kit may have its own pedigree.

1025 Creating a pedigree for a kit with an assigned NDC employs the repackagedPedigree element to 1026 embed the pedigrees for each of the prescription drugs in the kit in the pedigree for the kit. The kit 1027 is tracked using the NDC of the kit, and the overall kit pedigree is updated with the transaction 1028 information and signed as the kit moves through the supply chain.

- 1029 The pedigree flow is described for creating a kit with assigned NDC consisting of multiple
- 1030 prescription drugs, where the kit manufacturer initiates the pedigree for the kitted item. If a

1031 wholesaler were to create the kit, the same steps for repackagedPedigree would be followed.



Step	Details
Kit manufacturer creates pedigree	• The kit manufacturer generates the repackagedPedigree, which contains the previousProducts, optionally includes the previousPedigrees elements that describe the source prescription drug items that are embedded in the kit, followed by the productInfo and itemInfo elements that describe the information about the newly created kit. This would include the NDC and product information for the kit itself. The previousProducts element describes the source items used to create the kit pedigrees and provides a reference to the serialNumber of the source pedigree if the product has one. The previousPedigrees contains the actual pedigrees for the source items using either the pedigree, altPedigree Or initialPedigree element. This element is included only if the pedigrees for the source items are not required, the previousPedigrees may be omitted. The productInfo element describes the generic product information. The itemInfo identifies the specific repacked items represented by the pedigree.
	• Upon sale of the kit, the kit manufacturer adds transaction information for the sale of the kit and signs the pedigree. The kit manufacturer wraps the repackagedPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

Step	Details
Wholesaler receives kit and pedigree	• When the wholesaler organization receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.

1034 **12.1.6** Partial Receipt of Products against Pedigree

1035 The partial receipt of product against pedigree is described for a sale from a manufacturer to a 1036 wholesaler, when the manufacturer initiates the pedigree. The wholesaler receives the products in 1037 two partial shipments and updates each partial receipt against the original pedigree, resulting in a 1038 new received pedigree for each partial receipt.



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The manufacturer generates the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer.

Step	Details
Wholesaler receives partial quantity against pedigree	 The wholesaler receives and authenticates the pedigree. When the wholesaler receives the first partial shipment, it appends the receiving information to the pedigree for the partial receipt quantity and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date and itemInfo). The itemInfo sub element contains the lot number and quantity of the items received against the pedigree and product serial numbers if the products are serialized. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.
Wholesaler receives remaining quantity against pedigree	• When the wholesaler receives the remainder of product against the pedigree, the wholesaler generates a new received pedigree and appends the receiving information to the pedigree for the remaining partial receipt quantity and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element for the original pedigree received in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date and itemInfo). The itemInfo sub element contains the lot number and quantity of the remaining items received against the pedigree and product serial numbers if the products are serialized. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.

104112.1.7Pedigree Receipt without Applying Receiving Signature

1042 The flow for the receipt of a pedigree without signing the pedigree on inbound receipt is described.

1043 The pedigree is subsequently signed on the next outbound transaction.



Step	Details
Manufacturer creates pedigree	• The manufacturer generates the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer.
Wholesaler receives product and pedigree	• When the wholesaler receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree for the receipt quantity. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a unsignedReceivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo and receivingInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) unsignedReceivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date and itemInfo). The itemInfo sub element contains the lot number and quantity of the items received against the pedigree and product serial numbers if the products are serialized.
	• The unsignedReceivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier

that is unique within the pedigree document.

Step	Details
Wholesaler ships product and pedigree to customer	• Upon sale of the item, the wholesaer adds transaction information for the sale to the customer and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the unsignedReceivedPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.
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1046 12.1.8 Pedigree Flow for Pedigree with Two Transactions

1047 The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a manufacturer to a wholesaler and then the1048 wholesaler to a pharmacy,



Step		Details
Manufacturer creates pedigree	•	The manufacturer generates the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer.
Wholesaler receives product and pedigree	•	The wholesaler receives the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer.

	Step	Details
Wholesaler ships pedigree to pharmacy DC	Wholesaler ships pedigree to pharmacy DC	Upon sale of the item, the wholesaer adds transaction information for the sale to the customer and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element for the signed receivedPedigree in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	•	The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	•	The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.
	Pharmacy DC receives product and pedigree	When the pharmacy DC receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The pharmacy DC wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	•	The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	•	The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.
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1051**12.1.9Pedigree Flow for Pedigree with Return Transaction**

1052 The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a manufacturer to a wholesaler and then with a 1053 return from the wholesaler back to the manufacturer. The party making the return applies the 1054 return transaction to the pedigree.





Step		Details
Manufacturer creates pedigree	•	The manufacturer generates the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer.
Wholesaler receives product and pedigree	•	The wholesaler receives the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.1 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Manufacturer.

Step	Details
Wholesaler later returns product and pedigree to manufacturer	• Upon return of the item, the wholesaer adds transaction information for the return to the manufacturer and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element for the signed receivedPedigree in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transaction as a return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.
Manufacturer receives return pedigree	• When the manufacturer receives and authenticates the pedigree, it appends receiving information to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The manufacturer wraps the Pedigree element in a receivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, receivingInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) receivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date). The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Received and Authenticated").
	• The receivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The receivedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner receivedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named receivedPedigree element.

105612.1.10Pedigree Flow for Wholesaler Applied Return Transaction to1057Pedigree

1058 The pedigree flow is described for a sale from a wholesaler to a pharmacy, and then a return from 1059 the pharmacy back to the wholesaler with the wholesaler updating the pedigree with the return 1060 transaction.


Step	Details
Wholesaler creates pedigree for item received from manufacturer	• The wholesaler generates the pedigree following the steps in section 12.1.2 Pedigree Flow Initiated by Wholesaler.
Pharmacy receives product and pedigree	 The endpoint pharmacy receives the pedigree and does not update or sign the pedigree.

Step	Details
Pharmacy returns product to wholesaler and wholesaler updates pedigree with return transaction	• Upon return of the item, the wholesaler adds the return transaction information to the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a unsignedReceivedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, receivingInfo, and attachment elements as children of the new (wrapper) unsignedReceivedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The transactionInfo provides information about the return transaction. The receivingInfo provides information about the receipt transaction (e.g., receipt date and itemInfo). The itemInfo sub element contains the lot number and quantity of the items received against the pedigree and product serial numbers if the products are serialized. The optional attachment element can contained authentication material so that downstream trading partners do not have to manually authenticate this transaction.
	• The unsignedReceivedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
Wholesaler ships pedigree to a new customer	• Upon subsequent sale of the item, the wholesaer adds transaction information for the sale to the new customer and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the unsignedReceivedPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

1063 **12.1.11** Pedigree Flow for a Manufacturer-initiated Drop Ship

1064The pedigree flow is described for a drop ship transaction brokered by wholesaler, where1065pharmacy purchases the product from the wholesaler, but the manufacturer ships the product1066directly to the pharmacy. In this scenario, the manufacturer initiates the start of the drop ship1067pedigree documenting the sales transaction from the manufacturer to the wholesaler with the

1068 shipping information indicating the direct shipment to the pharmacy. The wholesaler adds only the

1069 second part of the drop ship transaction to the pedigree documenting the sales transaction from the 1070 wholesaler to the pharmacy.



Step		Details
Manufacturer creates pedigree	•	The manufacturer generates the initialPedigree, which contains the serialNumber (unique serial number), productInfo (generic product information) and itemInfo (identifies the specific items represented by the pedigree) elements.
	•	Upon initiation of the drop shipment, the manufacturer adds transaction information for the sale to the wholesaler and shipping information to the pharmacy and signs the pedigree. The manufacturer wraps the initialPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the sales transaction to the wholesaler, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The recipientInfo element contains the shippingAddress for the pharmacy. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	•	The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	•	The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree

element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

Step	Details
Wholesaler receives pedigree (but no product) and updates pedigree with second part of drop ship transaction	• When the wholesaler organization receives the pedigree, it appends the transaction information for the sale from the wholesaler to the pharmacy to the pedigree and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the Pedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The transactionInfo describes the sales transaction to the pharmacy, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The senderInfo element may contain the shippingAddress for the manufacturer. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the Signature element. The signature references the named shippedPedigree element.

1072 **12.1.12** Pedigree Flow for a Wholesaler-initiated Drop Ship

1073 The pedigree flow is described for a drop ship transaction brokered by wholesaler, where

1074 pharmacy purchases the product from the wholesaler, but the manufacturer ships the product

1075 directly to the pharmacy. In this scenario, the manufacturer does not provide the wholesaler with a

1076 pedigree and the wholesaler documents both parts of the drop ship transaction on the pedigree

1077 (assuming the wholesaler has access to this information).



Step	Details
Wholesaler creates pedigree for product drop shipped from manufacturer to pharmacy	• The wholesaler initiates the pedigree and adds information for the sale from the manfaucturer to the wholesaler and shipping information to the pharmacy. The wholesaler generates the initialPedigree, which contains the serialNumber (unique serial number), productInfo (generic product information), itemInfo (identifies the specific items represented by the pedigree) and transactionInfo (describes the sale from the manufacturer to the wholesaler. The transactionInfo element includes information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The recipientInfo element contains the shippingAddress for the pharmacy. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return.
	• The wholesaler adds the transaction information for the sale from the wholesaler to the pharmacy and signs the pedigree. The wholesaler wraps the initialPedigree element in a shippedPedigree element, and adds the documentInfo, transactionInfo, itemInfo and signatureInfo elements as children of the new (wrapper) shippedPedigree element. The documentInfo identifies the new unique serial number for the pedigree document. The itemInfo identifies the products that are the subject of this transaction. The transactionInfo describes the transaction, including information about the sender, recipient, transaction identifier and date, and transaction type. The senderInfo element may contain the shippingAddress for the manufacturer. The transactionType element defines whether the business transaction is a sale, transfer, or return. The signatureInfo provides information about the signer and the meaning of the signature (e.g., "Certified").
	• The shippedPedigree element is assigned an identifier that is unique within the pedigree document.
	• The shippedPedigree element is then wrapped in a Pedigree element, and the inner shippedPedigree element is digitally signed using the signature element. The signature references

1079 **12.2 Usage Guidelines for Voiding and Altering Pedigrees**

Some pedigree regulations (see US State of Florida Regulations) allow pedigrees to be altered or voided after they are transferred to downstream trading partners. These regulations contain specific requirements around this type of activity. The current revision of the EPCglobal Pedigree Standard does not contain a mechanism to automate the notification of trading partners when a void or alteration occurs. However, some non-binding best practices are provided as recommendations to assist the industry in handling pedigree alterations and voids until a later revision of this standard may include a way to automate these activities.

the named shippedPedigree element.

1087 1) Pedigree voiding and alterations should be avoided if at all possible since they will create labor1088 intensive activities at one or more trading partner sites.

- 1089 2) The notification of trading partners that a pedigree has been altered or voided must be done1090 manually (phone call, email, etc.) since there is no standard notification mechanism defined yet.
- 1091 3) It is the responsibility of the trading partners to maintain a history of pedigree alterations and
 1092 voids as specified by the various pedigree laws. Pedigree management software may assist with
 1093 this.
- 1094 4) Pedigree alterations and voids should be initiated only during the short window of time after the
- 1095 document has been transferred from one trading partner to another and prior to the inbound 1096 certification of the product received.
- 1097 5) Recalls should typically never be used as a reason to void or alter a pedigree.

1098 12.3 Usage Guidelines for Creating Pedigree Envelopes

- 1099 This section explains how to use the pedigreeEnvelope element and its sub elements to create
- 1100 pedigree envelopes to transmit pedigrees to trading partners.



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Create pedigree envelope for customer order	 The sending party generates the pedigreeEnvelope, which contains the version, serialNumber, date, sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode elements. The version contains the version of schema used. The serialNumber is the unique identifier of the pedigree envelope document. The date is the date the pedigree envelope was created and transmitted. The sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode are the location codes from which the pedigrees were transmitted and received.
	 Include the container element and its sub-elements if the additional information to facilitate the product-to-pedigree matching process is required.
	 Add a container element for the case or tote. To the container element add the containerCode, optionally add one or more container sub elements to represent items in sub-containers that have pedigrees, then add the shipmentHandle, shipFromLocationCode, and shipToLocationCode elements. The containerCode is required to identify the case. The container sub elements identify any sub-containers located in the container. The shipmentHandle identifies the shipment that the case is associated with. The shipFromLocationCode identifies the source of the shipment. The shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipment.
	 Add one pedigreeHandle element for each pedigree associated with products in the case. Nested within the pedigreeHandle, the pedigree serialNumber is defined. If the items are serialized, each itemSerialNumber associated with the pedigree is listed. If the items are not serialized, the productCode is provided, followed by a list of quantity and lot pairs for each lot of product associated with the pedigree.
	 Repeat the above for each case in the shipment.

• Add each pedigree representing each physical prescription drug item in the shipment to the pedigreeEnvelope.

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1103 **12.3.1** Use of Container and PedigreeHandle Elements

1104 The container and pedigreeHandle elements provide the product to pedigree mapping information for 1105 non-serialized products to describe which pedigrees refer to which products in which cases. There

1106 are four key scenarios for this mapping information:

- No mapping information provided at all (e.g., the cases may not be serialized or the trading partners agree to exchange this information through other means or not to exchange it at all).
- Mapping information for a pedigree that refers to multiple products that are located in a single serialized case.
- Mapping information for a pedigree that refers to multiple products that are located in different serialized cases.
- Mapping information for multiple pedigrees for multiple products of the same NDC located in the same serialized case.
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- Pedigree envelopes should not be used to identify containers that do not have pedigreed items in
 them. This means that you should only include in the container element information about products
 that have pedigrees.

1120 **12.3.1.1** No Mapping Information

- 1121 This section explains how to generate a pedigreeEnvelope with no mapping information at all (e.g.,
- the cases may not be serialized or the trading partners agree to exchange this information through other means or not to exchange it at all).



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Step	Details
Create pedigree envelope for customer order	• The sending party generates the pedigreeEnvelope, which contains the version, serialNumber, date, sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode elements. The version contains the version of schema used. The serialNumber is the unique identifier of the pedigree envelope document. The date is the date the pedigree envelope was created and transmitted. The sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode are the location codes from which the pedigrees were transmitted and received.
	• Add each pedigree representing each physical prescription drug item in the shipment to the pedigreeEnvelope.

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1126**12.3.1.2**Mapping for a Pedigree Referring to Products in a Single Serialized1127Case

- 1128 This section explains how to generate a pedigreeEnvelope with mapping information for a pedigree
- 1129 that refers to multiple products that are located in a single serialized case.

Step	Details
Create pedigree envelope for customer order	The sending party generates the pedigreeEnvelope, which contains the version, serialNumber, date, sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode elements. The version contains the version of schema used. The serialNumber is the unique identifier of the pedigree envelope document. The date is the date the pedigree envelope was created and transmitted. The sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode are the location codes from which the pedigrees were transmitted and received.
•	Include the container element and its sub-elements.
	 Add a container element for the case. To the container element add the containerCode, then add the shipmentHandle, shipFromLocationCod and shipToLocationCode. The containerCode identifies the case. The shipmentHandle identifies the shipment that the case is associated with. The shipFromLocationCode identifies the source of the shipment. The shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipment.
	 Add a pedigreeHandle element for the pedigree associated with the products in the case. Nested within the pedigreeHandle, the pedigree serialNumber is defined. If the items are serialized, each itemSerialNumber associated with the pedigree is listed. If the items are not serialized, the productCode is provided, followed by a list of quantity and lot pairs for each lot of product associated with the pedigree.
	 Repeat the above for each case in the shipment.
•	Add each pedigree representing each physical prescription drug item in the shipment to the pedigreeEnvelope.

113112.3.1.3Mapping for a Pedigree Referring to Products in Multiple Serialized1132Cases

- 1133 This section explains how to generate a pedigreeEnvelope with mapping information for a pedigree
- that refers to multiple products that are located in different serialized cases.

Step	Details
Create pedigree envelope for customer order	• The sending party generates the pedigreeEnvelope, which contains the version, serialNumber, date, sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode elements. The version contains the version of schema used. The serialNumber is the unique identifier of the pedigree envelope document. The date is the date the pedigree envelope was created and transmitted. The sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode are the location codes from which the pedigrees were transmitted and received.
	• Include the container element and its sub-elements for the first case.
	 To the container element add the containerCode, then add the shipmentHandle, shipFromLocationCod and shipToLocationCode. The containerCode identifies the case. The shipmentHandle identifies the shipment that the case is associated with. The shipFromLocationCode identifies the source of the shipment. The shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipment.
	 Add a pedigreeHandle element for the pedigree associated with the products in the case. Nested within the pedigreeHandle, the pedigree serialNumber is defined. If the items are serialized, each itemSerialNumber for each item in this case associated with the pedigree is listed. If the items are not serialized, the productCode is provided, followed by a list of quantity and lot pairs for each lot of product in this case associated with the pedigree.
	• Include the container element and its sub-elements for the second case.
	 To the container element add the containerCode, then add the shipmentHandle, shipFromLocationCod and shipToLocationCode. The containerCode identifies the case. The shipmentHandle identifies the shipment that the case is associated with. The shipFromLocationCode identifies the source of the shipment. The shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipment.
	 Add a pedigreeHandle element for the pedigree associated with the products in the case. Nested within the pedigreeHandle, the pedigree serialNumber is defined (this will be the same serialNumber as the pedigree in the the previous case since the products referred to by the pedigree span multiple cases). If the items are serialized, each itemSerialNumber for each item in this case associated with the pedigree is listed. If the items are not serialized, the productCode is provided, followed by a list of quantity and lot pairs for each lot of product in this case associated with the pedigree.
	• Add each pedigree representing each physical prescription drug item in the shipment to the pedigreeEnvelope.
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113612.3.1.4Mapping for Multiple Pedigrees Referring to Products of the Same1137NDC in the Same Serialized Case

1138 This section explains how to generate a pedigreeEnvelope with mapping information for multiple 1139 pedigrees for multiple products of the same NDC located in the same serialized case.

Step	Details
Create pedigree envelope for customer order	The sending party generates the pedigreeEnvelope, which contains the version, serialNumber, date, sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode elements. The version contains the version of schema used. The serialNumber is the unique identifier of the pedigree envelope document. The date is the date the pedigree envelope was created and transmitted. The sourceRoutingCode and destinationRoutingCode are the location codes from which the pedigrees were transmitted and received.
•	Include the container element and its sub-elements.
	 Add a container element for the case. To the container element add the containerCode, then add the shipmentHandle, shipFromLocationCod and shipToLocationCode. The containerCode identifies the case. The shipmentHandle identifies the shipment that the case is associated with. The shipFromLocationCode identifies the source of the shipment. The shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipToLocationCode identifies the destination of the shipment.
	 Add a pedigreeHandle element for the first pedigree associated with the products in the case. Nested within the pedigreeHandle, the pedigree serialNumber is defined. If the items are serialized, each itemSerialNumber associated with the pedigree is listed. If the items are not serialized, the productCode is provided, followed by a list of quantity and lot pairs for each lot of product associated with the pedigree.
	 Add a pedigreeHandle element for the second pedigree associated with the products in the case. Nested within the pedigreeHandle, the pedigree serialNumber is defined. If the items are serialized, each itemSerialNumber associated with the pedigree is listed. If the items are not serialized, the productCode is provided, followed by a list of quantity and lot pairs for each lot of product associated with the pedigree.
•	Add each pedigree representing each physical prescription drug item in the shipment to the pedigreeEnvelope.

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1197 14 APPENDIX A – Summary of Pedigree Data Elements (non 1198 normative)

1199 The following table provides a summary of the pedigree data elements. Refer to section 10

1200 ePedigree Data Definition for a complete listing of all data elements and their full descriptions.

Document Information
Pedigree serial number
Item Information
Item serial number(s) of product(s) (if available)
Lot number
Expiration date
Quantity of saleable units in transaction
Product Information
Drug name
Manufacturer
Product code (e.g., the NDC number)
Dosage form
Strength
Container size
Alternate Pedigree Information
Attachment(s) to facilitate manual authentication such as EDI invoice or shipping
document (includes mime type and data)
Alternate pedigree to convert pedigree of another format to the standard (includes mime
type and data)
Transaction Information
Transaction identifier (for example, invoice or purchase order number)
Transaction document type (e.g., Invoice, Purchase order, Return authorization)
Date of transaction
Transaction type (e.g., sale, transfer, return)
Seller and Recipient Information
Business Address (see below)
Shipping Address (see below; used only if different than Business Address)
License number
License state or region

Contact Information for seller used for authentication of transaction (see below) Business and Shipping Address Business name Street 1 Street 2 City State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Information
Business and Shipping Address Business name Street 1 Street 2 City City State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title Contact Title
Business name Street1 Street 2 City State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Title
Street 1 Street 2 City State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title
Street 2 City State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title
City State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title
State or Region Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title
Postal Code Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Title
Country Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title
Contact Information ¹ Contact Name Contact Title
Contact Name Contact Title
Contact Title
Contact Email
Contact Telephone
Contact URL (for automated authentication)
Receiving Information
Date received
Item Information (e.g., Lot, Quantity, Serial Numbers) for items in partial receipt ²
Signer Information
Name of signer
Title of signer
Date of signature
Signature meaning (defines certification context such as certified outbound, received and authenticated inbound)
Digital Signature Information ³
SignedInfo
SignatureValue
KeyInfo
SignatureProperties

- ¹Item information for receipt is required only for partial receipts against a pedigree (e.g., pedigree 1204 must find the period of the state o
- 1204 was for 30 items of Lot A and only 20 items were received). Note that Florida does not allow
- 1205 partial receipts against a pedigree at this time. This information can be used in other locals that
- 1206 may allow partial receipts against a pedigree.

- ²Regulations require the authentication contact information for the seller only.
- ³Pedigree uses the W3C XML Digital Signature standard to represent a digital signature. The
- 1209 SignatureValue contains the actual value of the digital signature and the KeyInfo enables the
- 1210 recipients to obtain the key needed to validate the signature. Regulations require that both the
- 1211 message digest and reference to the public key be in the pedigree for each signature.
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1213 **15 APPENDIX B – Glossary (non-normative)**

- Aggregate Pedigree A pedigree for a collection of saleable items that share the same product information and prior chain of custody. The items in an aggregate pedigree may have different lot numbers.
 - ASN Advanced Shipping Notice. This is a type of EDI transaction (transaction code 856). The ASN contains information regarding a specific shipment of product from a seller to a buyer and is transmitted prior to the arrival of the shipment. The fields, data and level of granularity (shipment, pallet, case, etc.) is determined by the trading partners
 - *Authenticate* Affirmatively verify that each previous transaction listed on the pedigree has occurred and that the previous signatures or certifications are complete.
 - *Certification* A sworn statement that the pedigree is a complete and accurate and that prior sales and distributions have been authenticated, if required
- *Digital Signature* A method for <u>authenticating digital information</u> analogous to ordinary physical <u>signatures</u> on <u>paper</u>, but implemented using techniques from the field of <u>public-key cryptography</u>. A digital signature method generally defines two complementary algorithms, one for signing and the other for verification, and the output of the signing process is also called a digital signature. The term <u>electronic signature</u>, although sometimes used for the same thing, has a distinct meaning in <u>common law</u>: it refers to any of several, not necessarily cryptographic, mechanisms for identifying the originator of an electronic message.
- *Digitally Signed* Digitally signed data is data that has been stored with the "identity" of an entity, and a digital signature intended to prove that the entity is the source of the data. The data has been digitally signed using the entity's private key (see "PKI") in an attempt to make it practically impossible to forge or modify the data. In this document this refers to a digitally signed pedigree xml record.
 - *DIN* Drug Identification Number. Canada's drug code that is analogous to the US NDC (See "NDC"). Health Canada's Therapeutic Products Directorate assigns a single Drug Identification Number (DIN) for products with varying sizes, provided that all other product characteristics including product name, manufacturer's name, dosage form, route of administration, medicinal ingredient(s), and corresponding strength(s) are identical.
- *Dosage Form* Standard forms of drugs (AEROSOL, CAPSULE, GEL, PILL, TABLET) as defined by the FDA. The FDA currently defines 143 dosage forms.
- *Downstream Trading Partners* Customers of the current holder of the pedigreed drug product and their customer's customers.
- *Drug Pedigree Laws* Laws that require the maintenance of a record of a drug product's chain of custody. These laws apply to specific jurisdictions (individual US States at this time) and vary from jurisdiction to jurisdiction.

- Document ModelA pedigree law that specifies or implies that a single pedigree documentPedigree Law(paper or electronic) must be passed from each seller to each buyer from
the originator to the final owner of the product and where each
intermediate owner of the product must add information to the document.
 - *EDI*, Electronic Data Interchange. The transfer of data between two companies using networks, such as the Internet, using approved standards such as ANSI's X12 standards.
- *Electronic Pedigree* An electronic record containing all data and information required by one or more pedigree laws including the necessary certifications. This Document defines the requirements for a standard representation of an electronic pedigree.
- *Electronic Verification* The process of determining the pedigree and each signature or certification is genuine, true and unaltered through the use of electronic technology such as digital signatures, hashing and public and private electronic code pairs. See "signature" and "PKI"
 - *EPC* The Electronic Product Code[™] (EPC) is a globally unique serial number that identifies an item in the supply chain. The EPC is a fundamental element of the EPCglobal Network.
 - *EPC-IS* EPC Information Services enables users to exchange EPC-related data with trading partners through the EPCglobal Network. The EPC-IS is a fundamental element of the EPCglobal Network.
 - *ePedigree* See "Electronic Pedigree"
 - *Expiration Date* The date stamped on the drug by the manufacturer at which the manufacturer can still guarantee the full potency and safety of the drug.

FIPS (FederalFederal standards for information processing. As it relates to pedigree,Information Processing
Standards)Federal standards for cryptographic, digital signature, and hashing
technology and processing and as specified by some pedigree laws.

- *Immutable Document* A document that can not be changed or altered from its original state without detection or notification
 - *Item* The lowest level of packaging that manufacturers offer a prescription product (bottle, vial, box, etc.) This typically does not refer to the unit dose that would be prescribed or administered to a patient or consumer (pill, milliliter, etc). Typically means "Saleable Item".
 - Legal Documents A document that has a legal significance and signing it has legal consequences for those signing. A pedigree, whether paper or electronic is a legal document under document based pedigree laws.
 - *License* A company's or individual's commercial licensing by a regulatory body to manufacture, package, sell, store, transport, buy or receive prescription drugs. Licenses are issued by the State and/or Federal Governments. An entity may have multiple licenses depending on the jurisdictions they are conducting commerce and the role they are filling.

- Lot A distinct group of inventory of a given drug. A drug's lot number is assigned by the manufacturer or by a repacker (See "Repackaging"). An individual lot number is assigned to drugs that are produced in a particular time period, on a particular manufacturing or packaging line, or that contain the same genealogy of ingredients.
- *Manual* Authentication of a prior transaction or change of ownership of a pedigreed drug product that did not use an acceptable Self-Authenticating Pedigree). This includes directly contacting the previous owners via phone or email, receiving a copy of signed paper pedigree, utilizing a web site provided by the previous owners to authenticate the transaction or some other method approved by the regulating body requiring the pedigree. By their nature, paper pedigrees can only be manually authenticated.
- *Message Digest* The output of cryptographic hash function which takes a message of any length as input and produces a fixed length string as output.

NABP VAWD National Association of Boards of Pharmacy's Verified-Accredited Wholesale Distributors[™] (VAWD) is a wholesaler accreditation program.

- *NDC* Drug products in the United States are identified and approved using a three-segment number, called the National Drug Code (NDC). It is a universal product identifier for human drugs. FDA enters the full NDC number and the information submitted as part of the listing process into a database known as the Drug Registration and Listing System (DRLS). The segments of the NDC identify the manufacturer, the product and the saleable unit package size.
- *Non-Repudiation* Ensuring that parties to an event, transaction or legal document cannot later disclaim involvement.
- Package Size (Pack
Size)The number of individual units of a drug product (pill or tablet count,
milliliters or "cc", grams, etc.) included in each item (bottle, vial, box, etc.)
See "Item"
- *Parent Pedigrees* The source pedigrees of manufacturer products used in a repacking operation.

Partial Receipt, Receipt of only part of a shipment of a specific drug from a supplier for a specific sale or transfer. For example, a supplier provides a pedigree for single shipment of 100 units of a drug. 50 units are received on day one by the purchasing organization 50 units is received on day 4. Both receipts are partial receipts.

Drug Pedigree A record of each distribution of a prescription drug from the sale by a Manufacturer through acquisition and sale by any Wholesale Distributor until final sale to a Pharmacy or other authorized person administering or dispensing the Prescription Drug.

Pedigree Envelope An electronic document that encloses one or more pedigrees in a shipment.

Pedigree Layer A sub-division of a pedigree that encloses a set of information and all previous layers. Each layer extends the pedigree by the new information

added.

Peer-to-Peer Model A model used to refer to a means of communicating electronically between two companies. EDI is a form of peer to peer communications. Each party must set up the communication link to the other party.

- Potency See "Strength"
- *Preexisting Pedigree* A pedigree provided by a supplier of a pedigreed drug shipped to a purchasing organization that describes the previous transactions and changes of ownership.

Prior Chain of
CustodyThe companies that owned the pedigreed drug prior to the current owner
going back to the original sale by the manufacturer and all of the data
and certifications required by pedigree laws.

Product Information Information required in a pedigree related specifically to the identity of the drug. Requirements may vary by pedigree law. Data many include the name of the prescription drug, product code, pack size, quantity, its dosage form and strength, the expiration date(s) and the lot number(s).

Product Label The label applied to an item package by the manufacturer or repackager. The contents and characteristics of this label must meet strict guidelines and regulations set forth by the FDA

Product-to-Pedigree Matching The process of ensuring that the product attributes referenced on a pedigree match the attributes of the physical product that the pedigree references. This includes product, NDC if required, lot, quantity, etc.

Properties of the
CertificateTypically includes the public key being signed, A name, which can refer
to a person, a computer or an organization, a validity period, the location
URL of a revocation center.

Public KeyA framework for creating a secure method for exchanging informationInfrastructure (PKI)A framework for creating a secure method for exchanging informationbased on public key cryptography. The foundation of a PKI is the
certificate authority (CA), which issues digital certificates that
authenticate the identity of organizations and individuals over a public
system such as the Internet. The certificates are also used to sign
messages which ensure that messages have not been tampered with.

- RepackagerA business entity that buys finished products from the manufacture in the
manufacturer's packaged form and repackages it into quantities to serve
market requirements. For example, a repackager may buy 1000 pill
count bottles and repackage them into 10 count blister packs.
Repackaged product may or may not be assigned is own NDC number
different from the original NDC number.
- *Saleable Item* The lowest packaging unit a wholesaler would ship a drug to fill and order. See "item"
- *Self-Authenticating Pedigree* An electronic pedigree that contains the necessary data and data structure so that when it is received it can be authenticated using automation. This Document defines the requirements for a standard of the necessary data and data structures to enable the creation of selfauthenticating pedigrees.

Serial Number	A unique character string that identifies a specific instance of a drug packaging unit (case, inner pack, bottle, vial, box, etc.) from all other instances of that drug in the same packaging unit (serialized cases, serialized bottles, serialized vials). Few drugs contain serial numbers at the bottle, vial or item level (see item definition) today.
Signatures	The representation, in any acceptable media, by an individual or corporation that they are swearing or affirming that the information contained on this pedigree is accurate and complete. Each signature has a context and a finite scope.
Signer	The person authorized to bind the company by oath on legal documents.
Strength	The amount of active ingredient in the drug product. Each NDC has one specific strength or a specific combination of strengths. This is also referred to as potency
Transaction Information	Typically refers to mandatory information related to each transaction (sale, movement, return, transfer)of a pedigreed drug's distribution
Unified Drug Pedigree Coalition	A loosely affiliated group of representatives from the pharma industry and US state and federal drug regulatory agencies.
Unsigned	In this document, "unsigned" typically refers to a pedigree record that contains the necessary pedigree information but is not sign and is therefore not yet a legal document. Unsigned pedigree records could be provided by manufacturers who may not be required to provide pedigrees but choose to provide data to facilitate subsequent pedigree processes. Unsigned pedigrees can also be pedigrees that have been compiled

Verify Products See product-to-pedigree matching

Wrapped A technique of enclosing information for the purpose of conveying a hierarchical relationship to other information. When information is "wrapped" by other information, it is considered to be wholly a part of the wrapping information.

within an organization but have not yet been signed.

Wrapper Element The data structure that enables the wrapping technique. May also be used to identify the "wrapping" information.

16 APPENDIX C – Electronic Pedigree XSD 1216

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The following is the XML schema definition for the pedigree format described in this document.
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17 APPENDIX D – Pedigree Envelope XSD 1571

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        The following is the XML schema definition for the pedigree envelope format described in this
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        document.
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        agents shall not be liable for any injury, loss, damages, financial or otherwise, arising from, related
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        to, or caused by the use of this document. Use of said document does not guarantee compliance with
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        applicable state and/or federal laws. User is responsible for the interpretation of and compliance with
        applicable pedigree laws. The use of said document shall constitute your express consent to the
        foregoing disclaimer.</xs:documentation>
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        EPC Global Vetting Process </xs:documentation>
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