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Interconnection — The Directory: Selected
attribute types**

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Foreword

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This fourth edition of ISO/IEC 9594-6 constitutes a technical revision of the third edition (ISO/IEC 9594-6:1998), which is provisionally retained in order to support implementations based on the third edition. This edition also incorporates Corrigendum 1:2001.

ISO/IEC 9594 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Information technology — Open Systems Interconnection — The Directory*:

- *Part 1: Overview of concepts, models and services*
- *Part 2: Models*
- *Part 3: Abstract service definition*
- *Part 4: Procedures for distributed operation*
- *Part 5: Protocol specifications*
- *Part 6: Selected attribute types*
- *Part 7: Selected object classes*
- *Part 8: Public-key and attribute certificate frameworks*
- *Part 9: Replication*
- *Part 10: Use of systems management for administration of the Directory*

Annex A forms a normative part of this part of ISO/IEC 9594. Annexes B, C, D, E and F are for information only.

Introduction

This Recommendation | International Standard, together with other Recommendations | International Standards, has been produced to facilitate the interconnection of information processing systems to provide directory services. A set of such systems, together with the directory information that they hold, can be viewed as an integrated whole, called the *Directory*. The information held by the Directory, collectively known as the Directory Information Base (DIB), is typically used to facilitate communication between, with or about objects such as application entities, people, terminals, and distribution lists.

The Directory plays a significant role in Open Systems Interconnection, whose aim is to allow, with a minimum of technical agreement outside of the interconnection standards themselves, the interconnection of information processing systems:

- from different manufacturers;
- under different managements;
- of different levels of complexity; and
- of different ages.

This Recommendation | International Standard defines a number of attribute types which may be found useful across a range of applications of the Directory, as well as a number of standard attribute syntaxes and matching rules. One particular use for many of the attributes defined herein is in the formation of names, particularly for the classes of object defined in ITU-T Rec. X.521 | ISO/IEC 9594-7.

This fourth edition technically revises and enhances, but does not replace, the third edition of this Recommendation | International Standard. Implementations may still claim conformance to the third edition. However, at some point, the third edition will not be supported (i.e. reported defects will no longer be resolved). It is recommended that implementations conform to this fourth edition as soon as possible.

This fourth edition specifies version 1 and version 2 of the Directory protocols.

The first and second editions specified only version 1. Most of the services and protocols specified in this edition are designed to function under version 1. However some enhanced services and protocols, e.g. signed errors, will not function unless all Directory entities involved in the operation have negotiated version 2. Whichever version has been negotiated, differences between the services and between the protocols defined in the four editions, except for those specifically assigned to version 2, are accommodated using the rules of extensibility defined in this edition of ITU-T Rec. X.519 | ISO/IEC 9594-5.

Annex A, which is an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard, provides the ASN.1 notation for the complete module which defines the attributes, attribute syntaxes, and matching rules.

Annex B, which is not an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard, provides a table of attribute types, for easy reference.

Annex C, which is not an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard, provides suggested upper bounds value constraints used in these Directory Specifications.

Annex D, which is not an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard, lists alphabetically the attributes and matching rules defined in this Directory Specification.

Annex E, which is not an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard, gives examples relevant to the definition of zonal matching.

Annex F, which is not an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard, lists the amendments and defect reports that have been incorporated to form this edition of this Recommendation | International Standard.

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Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Selected attribute types

SECTION 1 – GENERAL

1 Scope

This Recommendation | International Standard defines a number of attribute types and matching rules which may be found useful across a range of applications of the Directory.

Attribute types and matching rules fall into three categories, as described below.

Some attribute types and matching rules are used by a wide variety of applications or are understood and/or used by the Directory itself.

NOTE – It is recommended that an attribute type or matching rule defined in this Recommendation | International Standard be used, in preference to the generation of a new one, whenever it is appropriate for the application.

Some attribute types and matching rules are internationally standardized, but are application-specific. These are defined in the standards associated with the application concerned.

Any administrative authority can define its own attribute types and matching rules for any purpose. These are not internationally standardized, and are available to others beyond the administrative authority which created them only by bilateral agreement.

2 Normative references

The following Recommendations and International Standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Recommendation | International Standard. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All Recommendations and Standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this Recommendation | International Standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent edition of the Recommendations and Standards listed below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards. The Telecommunication Standardization Bureau of the ITU maintains a list of currently valid ITU-T Recommendations.

2.1 Identical Recommendations | International Standards

- ITU-T Recommendation X.200 (1994) | ISO/IEC 7498-1:1994, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – Basic Reference Model: The Basic Model*.
- ITU-T Recommendation X.500 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-1:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Overview of concepts, models and services*.
- ITU-T Recommendation X.501 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-2:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Models*.
- ITU-T Recommendation X.509 (2000) | ISO/IEC 9594-8:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Public-key and attribute certificate frameworks*.
- ITU-T Recommendation X.511 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-3:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Abstract service definition*.
- ITU-T Recommendation X.518 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-4:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Procedures for distributed operation*.

- ITU-T Recommendation X.519 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-5:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Protocol specifications.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.521 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-7:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Selected object classes.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.525 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-9:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Replication.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.530 (2001) | ISO/IEC 9594-10:2001, *Information technology – Open Systems Interconnection – The Directory: Use of systems management for administration of the Directory.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.680 (1997) | ISO/IEC 8824-1:1998, *Information technology – Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1): Specification of basic notation.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.681 (1997) | ISO/IEC 8824-2:1998, *Information technology – Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1): Information object specification.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.682 (1997) | ISO/IEC 8824-3:1998, *Information technology – Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1): Constraint specification.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.683 (1997) | ISO/IEC 8824-4:1998, *Information technology – Abstract Syntax Notation One (ASN.1): Parameterization of ASN.1 specifications.*

2.2 Other references

- ITU-T Recommendation E.123 (2001), *Notation for national and international telephone numbers, e-mail addresses and Web addresses.*
- ITU-T Recommendation E.164 (1997), *The international public telecommunication numbering plan.*
- ITU-T Recommendation F.1 (1998), *Operational provisions for the international public telegram service.*
- CCITT Recommendation F.31 (1988), *Telegram retransmission system.*
- CCITT Recommendation F.401 (1992), *Message handling services: Naming and addressing for public message handling services.*
- ITU-T Recommendation T.30 (1996), *Procedures for document facsimile transmission in the general switched telephone network.*
- ITU-T Recommendation T.62 (1993), *Control procedures for teletex and Group 4 facsimile services.*
- ITU-T Recommendation X.121 (2000), *International numbering plan for public data networks.*
- ISO 3166 (all parts), *Codes for the representation of names of countries and their subdivisions.*
- ISO 639-2:1998, *Codes for the representation of names of languages – Part 2: Alpha-3 code.*
- ISO/IEC 9945-2:1993 *Information technology – Portable Operating System Interface (POSIX) – Part 2: Shell and Utilities.*

2.3 ISO/IEC Standards

- ISO/IEC 10646-1:2000, *Information technology – Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set – (UCS) – Part 1: Architecture and Basic Multilingual Plane.*

3 Definitions

For the purposes of this Recommendation | International Standard, the following definitions apply.

The following terms are defined in ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2:

- a) *attribute type;*
- b) *object class;*
- c) *matching rule;*
- d) *context.*

4 Conventions

With minor exceptions, this Directory Specification has been prepared according to the "Rules for presentation of ITU-T | ISO/IEC common text" in the Guide for ITU-T and ISO/IEC JTC 1 Cooperation, October 1996.

The term "Directory Specification" (as in "this Directory Specification") shall be taken to mean ITU-T Rec. X.520 | ISO/IEC 9594-6. The term "Directory Specifications" shall be taken to mean the X.500-series Recommendations and all parts of ISO/IEC 9594.

This Directory Specification uses the term "1988 edition systems" to refer to systems conforming to the first edition of the Directory Specifications, i.e. the 1988 edition of the series of CCITT X.500 Recommendations and the ISO/IEC 9594:1990 edition. This Directory Specification uses the term "1993 edition systems" to refer to systems conforming to the second (1993) edition of the Directory Specifications, i.e. the 1993 edition of the series of ITU-T X.500 Recommendations and the ISO/IEC 9594:1995 edition. This Directory Specification uses the term "1997 edition systems" to refer to systems conforming to the third edition of the Directory Specifications, i.e. the 1997 edition of the series of ITU-T X.500 Recommendations and the ISO/IEC 9594:1998 edition. This Directory Specification uses the term "4th edition systems" to refer to systems conforming to this fourth edition of the Directory Specifications, i.e. the 2001 editions of ITU-T X.500, X.501, X.511, X.518, X.519, X.520, X.521, X.525, and X.530, the 2000 edition of ITU-T X.509, and parts 1-10 of the ISO/IEC 9594:2001 edition.

This Directory Specification presents ASN.1 notation in the bold Helvetica typeface. When ASN.1 types and values are referenced in normal text, they are differentiated from normal text by presenting them in the bold Helvetica typeface. The names of procedures, typically referenced when specifying the semantics of processing, are differentiated from normal text by displaying them in bold Times. Access control permissions are presented in italicized Times.

Attribute types, matching rules and context types are defined in this Recommendation | International Standard by use of the **ATTRIBUTE**, **MATCHING-RULE** and **CONTEXT** information object classes defined in ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2.

Examples of the use of the attribute types are described using an informal notation, where attribute type and value pairs are represented by an acronym for the attribute type, followed by an equals sign ("="), followed by the example value for the attribute.

SECTION 2 – SELECTED ATTRIBUTE TYPES

5 Definition of selected attribute types

This Directory Specification defines a number of attribute types which may be found useful across a range of applications of the Directory.

Many of the attributes defined in this Specification are based on a common ASN.1 syntax:

```
DirectoryString { INTEGER : maxSize } ::= CHOICE {
    teletexString      TeletexString (SIZE (1..maxSize)),
    printableString    PrintableString (SIZE (1..maxSize)),
    bmpString          BMPString (SIZE (1..maxSize)),
    universalString    UniversalString (SIZE (1..maxSize)),
    uTF8String         UTF8String (SIZE (1..maxSize)) }
```

Some implementations of the Directory may not support **UniversalString**, **BMPString**, or **UTF8String**, and may not be able to generate, match, shadow, or display attributes with these syntax types.

5.1 System attribute types

5.1.1 Knowledge Information

The *Knowledge Information* attribute type specifies a human readable accumulated description of knowledge mastered by a specific DSA.

NOTE – This attribute is now obsolete.

```
knowledgeInformation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          DirectoryString {ub-knowledge-information}
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
    ID                   id-at-knowledgeInformation }
```

5.2 Labelling attribute types

These attributes type are concerned with information about objects which has been explicitly associated with the objects by a labelling process.

5.2.1 Name

The *Name* attribute type is the attribute supertype from which string attribute types typically used for naming may be formed.

```
name ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          DirectoryString {ub-name}
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID                   id-at-name }
```

5.2.2 Common Name

The *Common Name* attribute type specifies an identifier of an object. A Common Name is not a directory name; it is a (possibly ambiguous) name by which the object is commonly known in some limited scope (such as an organization) and conforms to the naming conventions of the country or culture with which it is associated.

An attribute value for common name is a string chosen either by the person or organization it describes or the organization responsible for the object it describes for devices and application entities. For example, a typical name of a person in an English-speaking country comprises a personal title (e.g. Mr., Ms., Rd, Professor, Sir, Lord), a first name, middle name(s), last name, generation qualifier (if any, e.g. Jr.) and decorations and awards (if any, e.g. QC).

Examples

CN = "Mr. Robin Lachlan McLeod BSc(Hons) CEng MIEE";

CN = "Divisional Coordination Committee";

CN = "High Speed Modem".

Any variants should be associated with the named object as separate and alternative attribute values.

Other common variants should also be admitted, e.g. use of a middle name as a preferred first name; use of "Bill" in place of "William", etc.

```
commonName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF           name
    WITH SYNTAX         DirectoryString {ub-common-name}
    ID                   id-at-commonName }
```

5.2.3 Surname

The *Surname* attribute type specifies the linguistic construct which normally is inherited by an individual from the individual's parent or assumed by marriage, and by which the individual is commonly known.

An attribute value for Surname is a string, e.g. "McLeod".

```
surname ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF           name
    WITH SYNTAX         DirectoryString {ub-surname}
    ID                   id-at-surname }
```

5.2.4 Given Name

The *Given Name* attribute type specifies the linguistic construct which is normally given to an individual by the individual's parent, or is chosen by the individual, or by which the individual is commonly known.

An attribute value for Given Name is a string, e.g. "David", or "Jean Paul".

```
givenName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF           name
    WITH SYNTAX         DirectoryString {ub-name}
    ID                   id-at-givenName }
```

5.2.5 Initials

The *Initials* attribute type contains the initials of some or all of an individual's names, but not the surname(s).

An attribute value for Initials is a string, e.g. "D" or "D." or "J.P.".

```
initials ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF           name
    WITH SYNTAX         DirectoryString {ub-name}
    ID                   id-at-initials }
```

5.2.6 Generation Qualifier

The *Generation Qualifier* attribute type contains a string which is used to provide generation information to qualify an individual's name.

An attribute value for Generation Qualifier is a string, e.g. "Jr." or "II".

```
generationQualifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF           name
    WITH SYNTAX         DirectoryString {ub-name}
    ID                   id-at-generationQualifier }
```

5.2.7 Unique Identifier

The *Unique Identifier* attribute type specifies an identifier which may be used to distinguish between object references when a distinguished name has been reused. It may be, for example, an encoded object identifier, certificate, date, timestamp, or some other form of certification on the validity of the distinguished name.

An attribute value for Unique Identifier is a bit string.

```
uniqueIdentifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                UniqueIdentifier
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     bitStringMatch
    ID                         id-at-uniqueIdentifier }
```

UniqueIdentifier ::= BIT STRING

5.2.8 DN Qualifier

The *DN Qualifier* attribute type specifies disambiguating information to add to the relative distinguished name of an entry. It is intended to be used for entries held in multiple DSAs which would otherwise have the same name, and that its value be the same in a given DSA for all entries to which this information has been added.

```
dnQualifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                PrintableString
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     caseIgnoreMatch
    ORDERING MATCHING RULE     caseIgnoreOrderingMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE   caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID                         id-at-dnQualifier }
```

5.2.9 Serial Number

The *Serial Number* attribute type specifies an identifier, the serial number of an object.

An attribute value for Serial Number is a printable string.

```
serialNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-serial-number))
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE   caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID                         id-at-serialNumber }
```

5.2.10 Pseudonym

The *Pseudonym* attribute type specifies a pseudonym for an object. It is used for naming an object when it is to be made clear that its name is a pseudonym.

```
pseudonym ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF                 name
    WITH SYNTAX                DirectoryString {ub-pseudonym}
    ID                         id-at-pseudonym }
```

5.3 Geographical Attribute Types

These attribute types are concerned with geographical positions or regions with which objects are associated.

5.3.1 Country Name

The *Country Name* attribute type specifies a country. When used as a component of a directory name, it identifies the country in which the named object is physically located or with which it is associated in some other important way.

An attribute value for country name is a string chosen from ISO 3166.

```
countryName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  SUBTYPE OF      name
  WITH SYNTAX     CountryName
  SINGLE VALUE    TRUE
  ID              id-at-countryName }
```

CountryName ::= PrintableString (SIZE(2)) -- ISO 3166 codes only

5.3.2 Locality Name

The *Locality Name* attribute type specifies a locality. When used as a component of a directory name, it identifies a geographical area or locality in which the named object is physically located or with which it is associated in some other important way.

An attribute value for Locality Name is a string, e.g. L = "Edinburgh".

```
localityName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  SUBTYPE OF      name
  WITH SYNTAX     DirectoryString {ub-locality-name}
  ID              id-at-localityName }
```

The *Collective Locality Name* attribute type specifies a locality name for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveLocalityName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  SUBTYPE OF      localityName
  COLLECTIVE      TRUE
  ID              id-at-collectiveLocalityName }
```

5.3.3 State or Province Name

The *State or Province Name* attribute type specifies a state or province. When used as a component of a directory name, it identifies a geographical subdivision in which the named object is physically located or with which it is associated in some other important way.

An attribute value for State or Province Name is a string, e.g. S = "Ohio".

```
stateOrProvinceName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  SUBTYPE OF      name
  WITH SYNTAX     DirectoryString {ub-state-name}
  ID              id-at-stateOrProvinceName }
```

The *Collective State or Province Name* attribute type specifies a state or province name for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveStateOrProvinceName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  SUBTYPE OF      stateOrProvinceName
  COLLECTIVE      TRUE
  ID              id-at-collectiveStateOrProvinceName }
```

5.3.4 Street Address

The *Street Address* attribute type specifies a site for the local distribution and physical delivery in a postal address, i.e. the street name, place, avenue, and the house number. When used as a component of a directory name, it identifies the street address at which the named object is located or with which it is associated in some other important way.

An attribute value for Street Address is a string, e.g. "Arnulfstraße 60".

```
streetAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  WITH SYNTAX          DirectoryString {ub-street-address}
  EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
  SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
  ID                  id-at-streetAddress }
```

The *Collective Street Address* attribute type specifies a street address for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveStreetAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      streetAddress
    COLLECTIVE      TRUE
    ID              id-at-collectiveStreetAddress }
```

5.3.5 House Identifier

The *House Identifier* attribute type specifies a linguistic construct used to identify a particular building, for example a house number or house name relative to a street, avenue, town or city, etc.

An attribute value for House Identifier is a string, e.g. "14".

```
houseIdentifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      DirectoryString {ub-name}
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID              id-at-houseIdentifier }
```

5.4 Organizational attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with organizations and can be used to describe objects in terms of organizations with which they are associated.

5.4.1 Organization Name

The *Organization Name* attribute type specifies an organization. When used as a component of a directory name it identifies an organization with which the named object is affiliated.

An attribute value for **OrganizationName** is a string chosen by the organization (e.g. O = "Scottish Telecommunications plc"). Any variants should be associated with the named Organization as separate and alternative attribute values.

```
organizationName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      name
    WITH SYNTAX      DirectoryString {ub-organization-name}
    ID              id-at-organizationName }
```

The *Collective Organization Name* attribute type specifies an organization name for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveOrganizationName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      organizationName
    COLLECTIVE      TRUE
    ID              id-at-collectiveOrganizationName }
```

5.4.2 Organizational Unit Name

The *Organizational Unit Name* attribute type specifies an organizational unit. When used as a component of a directory name it identifies an organizational unit with which the named object is affiliated.

The designated organizational unit is understood to be part of an organization designated by an **organizationName** attribute. It follows that if an Organizational Unit Name attribute is used in a directory name, it shall be associated with an **organizationName** attribute.

An attribute value for Organizational Unit Name is a string chosen by the organization of which it is part (e.g. OU = "Technology Division"). Note that the commonly used abbreviation "TD" would be a separate and alternative attribute value.

Example

O = "Scottel", OU = "TD"

```
organizationalUnitName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      name
    WITH SYNTAX      DirectoryString {ub-organizational-unit-name}
    ID              id-at-organizationalUnitName }
```

The *Collective Organizational Unit Name* attribute type specifies an organizational unit name for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveOrganizationalUnitName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      organizationalUnitName
    COLLECTIVE      TRUE
    ID              id-at-collectiveOrganizationalUnitName }
```

5.4.3 Title

The *Title* attribute type specifies the designated position or function of the object within an organization.

An attribute value for Title is a string.

Example

T = "Manager, Distributed Applications"

```
title ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      name
    WITH SYNTAX     DirectoryString {ub-title}
    ID              id-at-title }
```

5.5 Explanatory attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with explanations (e.g. in a natural language) of something about an object.

5.5.1 Description

The *Description* attribute type specifies text that describes the associated object.

For example, the object "Standards Interest" might have the associated description "distribution list for exchange of information about intra-company standards development".

An attribute value for Description is a string.

```
description ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX     DirectoryString {ub-description}
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID              id-at-description }
```

5.5.2 Search Guide

The *Search Guide* attribute type specifies information of suggested search criteria which may be included in some entries expected to be a convenient base-object for the search operation, e.g. country or organization.

Search criteria consist of an optional identifier for the type of object sought and combinations of attribute types and logical operators to be used in the construction of a filter. It is possible to specify for each search criteria item the matching level, e.g. approximate match.

The Search Guide attribute may recur to reflect the various types of requests, e.g. search for a Residential Person or an Organizational Person, which may be fulfilled from the given base-object where the Search Guide is read.

```
searchGuide ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX     Guide
    ID              id-at-searchGuide }
```

```
Guide ::= SET {
    objectClass      [0] OBJECT-CLASS.&id OPTIONAL,
    criteria          [1] Criteria }
```

```
Criteria ::= CHOICE {
    type             [0] Criterialtem,
    and              [1] SET OF Criteria,
    or               [2] SET OF Criteria,
    not              [3] Criteria }
```

```

CriteriaItem ::= CHOICE {
    equality           [0]   AttributeType,
    substrings        [1]   AttributeType,
    greaterOrEqual    [2]   AttributeType,
    lessOrEqual       [3]   AttributeType,
    approximateMatch  [4]   AttributeType }

```

Example

The following is a potential value of the Search Guide attribute that could be stored in entries of object class Locality to indicate how entries of object class Residential Person might be found:

```

residential-person-guide Guide ::= {
    objectClass residentialPerson.&id,
    criteria and : {
        type : substrings : commonName.&id,
        type : substrings : streetAddress.&id } }

```

The construction of a filter from this value of Guide is straightforward.

Step (1) produces the intermediate Filter value:

```

intermediate-filter Filter ::=
    and : {
        item : substrings {
            type commonName.&id,
            strings { any : teletexString : "Dubois" } },
        item : substrings {
            type streetAddress.&id,
            strings { any : teletexString "Hugo" } } }

```

Step (2) produces a filter for matching Residential Person entries in the subtree:

```

residential-person-filter Filter ::=
    and : {
        item : equality : {
            type objectClass.&id,
            assertion residentialPerson.&id },
        intermediateFilter }

```

5.5.3 Enhanced Search Guide

The *Enhanced Search Guide* attribute provides an enhancement of the **searchGuide** attribute, adding information about the recommended search depth for searches among subordinate objects of a given object class.

```

enhancedSearchGuide ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX   EnhancedGuide
    ID            id-at-enhancedSearchGuide }

```

```

EnhancedGuide ::= SEQUENCE {
    objectClass [0]   OBJECT-CLASS.&id,
    criteria    [1]   Criteria,
    subset      [2]   INTEGER
    { baseObject (0), oneLevel (1), wholeSubtree (2) } DEFAULT oneLevel }

```

5.5.4 Business Category

The *Business Category* attribute type specifies information concerning the occupation of some common objects, e.g. people. For example, this attribute provides the facility to interrogate the Directory about people sharing the same occupation.

```

businessCategory ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE
    ID
    DirectoryString {ub-business-category}
    caseIgnoreMatch
    caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    id-at-businessCategory }

```

5.6 Postal Addressing attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with information required for physical postal delivery to an object.

5.6.1 Postal Address

The *Postal Address* attribute type specifies the address information required for the physical delivery of postal messages by the postal authority to the named object.

An attribute value for Postal Address will be typically composed of selected attributes from the MHS Unformatted Postal O/R Address version 1 according to CCITT Rec. F.401 and limited to 6 lines of 30 characters each, including a Postal Country Name. Normally the information contained in such an address could include an addressee's name, street address, city, state or province, postal code and possibly a Post Office Box number depending on the specific requirements of the named object.

```

postalAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE
    ID
    PostalAddress
    caseIgnoreListMatch
    caseIgnoreListSubstringsMatch
    id-at-postalAddress }

```

PostalAddress ::= SEQUENCE SIZE(1..ub-postal-line) OF DirectoryString {ub-postal-string}

The *Collective Postal Address* attribute type specifies a postal address for a collection of entries.

```

collectivePostalAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF
    COLLECTIVE
    ID
    postalAddress
    TRUE
    id-at-collectivePostalAddress }

```

5.6.2 Postal Code

The *Postal Code* attribute type specifies the postal code of the named object. If this attribute value is present, it will be part of the object's postal address.

An attribute value for Postal Code is a string.

```

postalCode ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE
    ID
    DirectoryString {ub-postal-code}
    caseIgnoreMatch
    caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    id-at-postalCode }

```

The *Collective Postal Code* attribute type specifies a postal code for a collection of entries.

```

collectivePostalCode ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF
    COLLECTIVE
    ID
    postalCode
    TRUE
    id-at-collectivePostalCode }

```

5.6.3 Post Office Box

The *Post Office Box* attribute type specifies the Post Office Box by which the object will receive physical postal delivery. If present, the attribute value is part of the object's postal address.

```

postOfficeBox ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                DirectoryString {ub-post-office-box}
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID                        id-at-postOfficeBox }

```

The *Collective Post Office Box* attribute type specifies a post office box for a collection of entries.

```

collectivePostOfficeBox ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF        postOfficeBox
    COLLECTIVE        TRUE
    ID                id-at-collectivePostOfficeBox }

```

5.6.4 Physical Delivery Office Name

The Physical Delivery Office Name attribute type specifies the name of the city, village, etc. where a physical delivery office is situated.

An attribute value for Physical Delivery Office Name is a string.

```

physicalDeliveryOfficeName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                DirectoryString {ub-physical-office-name}
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID                        id-at-physicalDeliveryOfficeName }

```

The *Collective Physical Delivery Office Name* attribute type specifies a physical delivery office name for a collection of entries.

```

collectivePhysicalDeliveryOfficeName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF        physicalDeliveryOfficeName
    COLLECTIVE        TRUE
    ID                id-at-collectivePhysicalDeliveryOfficeName }

```

5.7 Telecommunications Addressing attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with addressing information needed to communicate with the object using telecommunication means.

5.7.1 Telephone Number

The *Telephone Number* attribute type specifies a telephone number associated with an object.

An attribute value for Telephone Number is a string that complies with the internationally agreed format for showing international telephone numbers, ITU-T Rec. E.123 (e.g. "+ 44 582 10101").

```

telephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                TelephoneNumber
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    telephoneNumberMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch
    ID                        id-at-telephoneNumber }

```

```

TelephoneNumber ::= PrintableString (SIZE(1..ub-telephone-number))
    -- String complying with ITU-T Rec. E.123 only

```

The *Collective Telephone Number* attribute type specifies a telephone number for a collection of entries.

```

collectiveTelephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF        telephoneNumber
    COLLECTIVE        TRUE
    ID                id-at-collectiveTelephoneNumber }

```

5.7.2 Telex Number

The *Telex Number* attribute type specifies the telex number, country code, and answerback code of a telex terminal associated with an object.

```
telexNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX   TelexNumber
    ID            id-at-telexNumber }
```

```
TelexNumber ::= SEQUENCE {
    telexNumber      PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-telex-number)),
    countryCode      PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-country-code)),
    answerback       PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-answerback)) }
```

The *Collective Telex Number* attribute type specifies a telex number for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveTelexNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF    telexNumber
    COLLECTIVE     TRUE
    ID            id-at-collectiveTelexNumber }
```

5.7.3 Teletex Terminal Identifier

Since CCITT Rec. F.200 has been withdrawn and has not been replaced, the use of the **teletexTerminalIdentifier** and the **collectiveTeletexTerminalIdentifier** attribute types is deprecated.

The *Teletex Terminal Identifier* attribute type specifies the Teletex terminal identifier (and, optionally, parameters) for a teletex terminal associated with an object.

An attribute value for Teletex Terminal Identifier is a string which complies with CCITT Rec. F.200 and an optional set whose components are according to ITU-T Rec. T.62.

```
-- teletexTerminalIdentifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
--   WITH SYNTAX   TeletexTerminalIdentifier
--   ID            id-at-teletexTerminalIdentifier }

-- TeletexTerminalIdentifier ::= SEQUENCE {
--   teletexTerminal      PrintableString (SIZE(1..ub-teletex-terminal-id)),
--   parameters          TeletexNonBasicParameters OPTIONAL }
```

The *Collective Teletex Terminal Identifier* attribute type specifies a teletex terminal identifier for a collection of entries.

```
-- collectiveTeletexTerminalIdentifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
--   SUBTYPE OF    teletexTerminalIdentifier
--   COLLECTIVE     TRUE
--   ID            id-at-collectiveTeletexTerminalIdentifier }
```

5.7.4 Facsimile Telephone Number

The *Facsimile Telephone Number* attribute type specifies a telephone number for a facsimile terminal (and optionally its parameters) associated with an object.

An attribute value for the Facsimile Telephone Number is a string that complies with the internationally agreed format for showing international telephone numbers, ITU-T Rec. E.123 (e.g. "+81 3 347 7418") and an optional bit string (formatted according to ITU-T Rec. T.30).

```
facsimileTelephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX   FacsimileTelephoneNumber
    ID            id-at-facsimileTelephoneNumber }
```

```
FacsimileTelephoneNumber ::= SEQUENCE {
    telephoneNumber      TelephoneNumber,
    parameters           G3FacsimileNonBasicParameters OPTIONAL }
```

The *Collective Facsimile Telephone Number* attribute type specifies a facsimile telephone number for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveFacsimileTelephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      facsimileTelephoneNumber
    COLLECTIVE      TRUE
    ID              id-at-collectiveFacsimileTelephoneNumber }
```

5.7.5 X.121 Address

The *X.121 Address* attribute type specifies an address as defined by ITU-T Rec. X.121 associated with an object.

```
x121Address ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      X121Address
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    numericStringMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE  numericStringSubstringsMatch
    ID              id-at-x121Address }
```

```
X121Address ::= NumericString (SIZE(1..ub-x121-address))
-- String as defined by ITU-T Rec. X.121
```

5.7.6 International ISDN Number

The *International ISDN Number* attribute type specifies an International ISDN Number associated with an object.

An attribute value for International ISDN Number is a string which complies with the internationally agreed format for ISDN addresses given in ITU-T Rec. E.164.

```
internationalISDNNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      InternationalISDNNumber
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    numericStringMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE  numericStringSubstringsMatch
    ID              id-at-internationalISDNNumber }
```

```
InternationalISDNNumber ::= NumericString (SIZE(1..ub-international-isdn-number))
-- String complying with ITU-T Rec. E.164 only
```

The *Collective International ISDN Number* attribute type specifies an international ISDN number for a collection of entries.

```
collectiveInternationalISDNNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      internationalISDNNumber
    COLLECTIVE      TRUE
    ID              id-at-collectiveInternationalISDNNumber }
```

5.7.7 Registered Address

The *Registered Address* attribute type specifies a mnemonic for an address associated with an object at a particular city location. The mnemonic is registered in the country in which the city is located and is used in the provision of the Public Telegram Service (according to ITU-T Rec. F.1).

```
registeredAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF      postalAddress
    WITH SYNTAX      PostalAddress
    ID              id-at-registeredAddress }
```

5.7.8 Destination Indicator

The *Destination Indicator* attribute type specifies (according to ITU-T Rec. F.1 and CCITT Rec. F.31) the country and city associated with the object (the addressee) needed to provide the Public Telegram Service.

An attribute value for Destination Indicator is a string.

```
destinationIndicator ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                DestinationIndicator
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     caseIgnoreMatch
    SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE   caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
    ID                          id-at-destinationIndicator }
```

```
DestinationIndicator ::= PrintableString (SIZE(1..ub-destination-indicator))
-- alphabetical characters only
```

5.7.9 Communications Service

The *Communication Service* attribute type specifies the type of service(s) associated with a communications address.

```
communicationsService ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                CommunicationsService
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     objectIdentifierMatch
    ID                          id-at-communicationsService }
```

CommunicationsService ::= OBJECT IDENTIFIER

This attribute describes the class of service that the Communications Address provides access to, for example, telephone (voice), facsimile, electronic mail, SMS (short messaging service), EDI, file transfer, etc.

Allocation of object identifiers for identification of services is done outside this Directory Specification.

5.7.10 Communications Network

The *Communication Network* attribute type specifies the type of network for which a communications address is used.

```
communicationsNetwork ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                CommunicationsNetwork
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     objectIdentifierMatch
    SINGLE VALUE               TRUE
    ID                          id-at-communicationsNetwork }
```

CommunicationsNetwork ::= OBJECT IDENTIFIER

This attribute describes the type of network where the Communications Address is allocated. For example, a Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN), an ISDN network, or a GSM mobile phone network. It could also be an application oriented network, e.g. a banking network.

Allocation of object identifiers for identification of networks is done outside this Directory Specification.

5.8 Preferences attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with the preferences of an object.

5.8.1 Preferred Delivery Method

The *Preferred Delivery Method* attribute type specifies the object's priority order regarding the method to be used for communicating with it.

```
preferredDeliveryMethod ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                PreferredDeliveryMethod
    SINGLE VALUE               TRUE
    ID                          id-at-preferredDeliveryMethod }
```

```
PreferredDeliveryMethod ::= SEQUENCE OF INTEGER {
    any-delivery-method      (0),
    mhs-delivery              (1),
    physical-delivery         (2),
    telex-delivery            (3),
    teletex-delivery          (4),
```

g3-facsimile-delivery	(5),
g4-facsimile-delivery	(6),
ia5-terminal-delivery	(7),
videotex-delivery	(8),
telephone-delivery	(9) }

5.9 OSI Application attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with information regarding objects in the OSI Application Layer.

5.9.1 Presentation Address

The *Presentation Address* attribute type specifies a presentation address associated with an object representing an OSI application entity.

An attribute value for Presentation Address is a presentation address as defined in ITU-T Rec. X.200 | ISO/IEC 7498-1.

```
presentationAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                PresentationAddress
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     presentationAddressMatch
    SINGLE VALUE               TRUE
    ID                         id-at-presentationAddress }
```

```
PresentationAddress ::= SEQUENCE {
    pSelector    [0] OCTET STRING OPTIONAL,
    sSelector    [1] OCTET STRING OPTIONAL,
    tSelector    [2] OCTET STRING OPTIONAL,
    nAddresses   [3] SET SIZE (1..MAX) OF OCTET STRING }
```

5.9.2 Supported Application Context

The *Supported Application Context* attribute type specifies the object identifier(s) of application context(s) that the object (an OSI application-entity) supports.

```
supportedApplicationContext ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     objectIdentifierMatch
    ID                         id-at-supportedApplicationContext }
```

5.9.3 Protocol Information

The *Protocol Information* attribute type associates protocol information with each network address in the Presentation Address attribute.

For each **nAddress**, the protocol component identifies the protocol or profile for the network and transport layers.

```
protocolInformation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                ProtocolInformation
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE     protocolInformationMatch
    ID                         id-at-protocolInformation }
```

```
ProtocolInformation ::= SEQUENCE {
    nAddress    OCTET STRING,
    profiles    SET OF OBJECT IDENTIFIER }
```

5.10 Relational attribute types

These attribute types are concerned with information regarding the objects which are related to a particular object in certain ways.

NOTE – The **DistinguishedName** syntax used in these attribute types allows use of the primary distinguished name or an alternative distinguished name. Use of the primary distinguished name, if it is known, ensures consistency and interworking with pre-1997 DSAs. Specific usage may require that a particular alternative name be used. Context information and alternative distinguished values may also be kept as part of the **valuesWithContext** component of any RDN, as described in 9.3 of ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2.

5.10.1 Distinguished Name

The *Distinguished Name* attribute type is an attribute for specifying the name of an object.

```
distinguishedName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                DistinguishedName
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    distinguishedNameMatch
    ID                        id-at-distinguishedName }
```

5.10.2 Member

The *Member* attribute type specifies a group of names associated with the object.

An attribute value for Member is a distinguished name.

```
member ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF                distinguishedName
    ID                        id-at-member }
```

5.10.3 Unique Member

The *Unique Member* attribute type specifies a group of unique names associated with an object. A unique name is a name that is optionally disambiguated by the inclusion of its unique identifier.

An attribute value for Unique Member is a distinguished name accompanied by an optional unique identifier.

```
uniqueMember ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX                NameAndOptionalUID
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE    uniqueMemberMatch
    ID                        id-at-uniqueMember }
```

```
NameAndOptionalUID ::= SEQUENCE {
    dn                DistinguishedName,
    uid                UniqueIdentifier OPTIONAL }
```

5.10.4 Owner

The *Owner* attribute type specifies the name of some object which has some responsibility for the associated object.

An attribute value for Owner is a distinguished name (which could represent a group of names) and can recur.

```
owner ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF                distinguishedName
    ID                        id-at-owner }
```

5.10.5 Role Occupant

The *Role Occupant* attribute type specifies the name of an object which fulfils an organizational role.

An attribute value for Role Occupant is a distinguished name.

```
RoleOccupant ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF                distinguishedName
    ID                        id-at-roleOccupant }
```

5.10.6 See Also

The *See Also* attribute type specifies names of other Directory objects which may be other aspects (in some sense) of the same real world object.

An attribute value for See Also is a distinguished name.

```
seeAlso ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    SUBTYPE OF                distinguishedName
    ID                        id-at-seeAlso }
```

5.11 Domain attribute types

5.11.1 DMD Name

The *DMD Name* attribute type specifies a DMD. When used as a component of a directory name it identifies a DMD which manages the named object.

An attribute value for DMD Name is a string chosen by the DMD.

```
dmdName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  SUBTYPE OF      name
  WITH SYNTAX     DirectoryString{ub-common-name}
  ID              id-at-dmdName }
```

5.12 Notification attributes

Notification attributes have the syntax of attributes, but are defined to carry additional information in **CommonResults** (or **CommonResultsSeq**) and **PartialOutcomeQualifier** elements (as described in 7.4 and 10.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.511 | ISO/IEC 9594-3). They are usually defined with matching rules so that returned values can be tested against locally known values.

5.12.1 DSA Problem

The *DSA Problem* notification attribute is used in conjunction with a **serviceError** or a **PartialOutcomeQualifier** and is defined as follows:

```
dSAProblem ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  WITH SYNTAX          OBJECT IDENTIFIER
  EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
  ID                   id-not-dSAProblem }
```

Values defined for **dSAProblem** are:

- a) **id-pr-targetDsaUnavailable** – A request has to be chained to another DSA during name resolution, but no association can be established with this DSA.
- b) **id-pr-dataSourceUnavailable** – A DSA cannot complete an operation as part of the DIB is not available.
- c) **id-pr-administratorImposedLimit** – An operation has exceeded some limit set by the administrator.
- d) **id-pr-permanentRestriction** – An operation has caused the DSA to exceed some limit that causes the process to stop and a repeated operation is judged to encounter the same problem.
- e) **id-pr-temporaryRestriction** – An operation has caused the DSA to exceed some limit that causes the process to stop, but the reason is judged to be a temporary problem, e.g. resources depletion.

5.12.2 Search Service Problem

The *Search Service Problem* notification attribute describes problems in applying search-rule policies, and is used in conjunction with service-errors or **PartialOutcomeQualifier**. It is defined as follows:

```
searchServiceProblem ATTRIBUTE ::= {
  WITH SYNTAX          OBJECT IDENTIFIER
  EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
  SINGLE VALUE         TRUE
  ID                   id-not-searchServiceProblem }
```

Values defined for **searchServiceProblem** are:

- a) **id-pr-unidentifiedOperation** – The attempted operation does not correspond to one of those identified for this service.
- b) **id-pr-unavailableOperation** – The attempted operation only complies with a search-rule that is not available to the requestor.
- c) **id-pr-searchAttributeViolation** – One or more attribute types required to be in the filter were not present.

- d) **id-pr-searchAttributeCombinationViolation** – The filter of the **search** request did include the required combination of attribute types
- e) **id-pr-searchValueNotAllowed** – Attribute values were specified for attribute types where only the attribute types can be specified in **present** and **contextPresent** filter item types.
- f) **id-pr-missingSearchAttribute** – The identified attributes, which were not present in the requested search, are required for the relevant search-rule.
- g) **id-pr-searchValueViolation** – The identified attribute values for the identified attribute types are not allowed when searching using the relevant search-rule.
- h) **id-pr-attributeNegationViolation** – The identified attribute type is not allowed in negated form in the search filter.
- i) **id-pr-searchValueRequired** – The identified attribute type is not allowed in filter item not requiring value matching.
- j) **id-pr-invalidSearchValue** – The identified attribute values are not valid for the identified attribute types for the relevant search-rule.
- k) **id-pr-searchContextViolation** – The identified context types in the attempted search are not allowed for the attribute type.
- l) **id-pr-searchContextCombinationViolation** – The identified combinations of context types, which were not present in the requested search, are required for the relevant search-rule.
- m) **id-pr-missingSearchContext** – The identified context types, which were not present in the requested search, are required for the attribute type.
- n) **id-pr-searchContextValueViolation** – The identified context values for the identified context types are not allowed for the attribute type.
- o) **id-pr-searchContextValueRequired** – The identified attribute type is not allowed in filter items not requiring value matching.
- p) **id-pr-invalidContextSearchValue** – The identified attribute values are not valid for the identified attribute types for the relevant search-rule.
- q) **id-pr-unsupportedMatchingRule** – The identified requested matching rule is not supported.
- r) **id-pr-attributeMatchingViolation** – The identified requested matching rule, or its particular use, is not allowed for the identified attributes for the relevant search-rule.
- s) **id-pr-unsupportedMatchingUse** – The way a matching rule is suggested used in a search filter is not supported.
- t) **id-pr-matchingUseViolation** – The way a matching rule is suggested used in a search filter is not allowed, e.g. as specified in a search-rule.
- u) **id-pr-hierarchySelectForbidden** – Hierarchy selection, except for **self**, is not allowed for the type of request.
- v) **id-pr-invalidHierarchySelect** – One or more invalid hierarchy selection options were specified in the request.
- w) **id-pr-unavailableHierarchySelect** – One or more hierarchy selections are not supported by the implementation.
- x) **id-pr-invalidSearchControlOptions** – One or more invalid search options were specified in the request.
- y) **id-pr-invalidServiceControlOptions** – One or more invalid service control options were specified in the request.
- z) **id-pr-searchSubsetViolation** – The requested search subset is not allowed for the relevant search rule.
- aa) **id-pr-unmatchedKeyAttributes** – A mapping-based matching rule was selected, but the mappable filter items did not provide any match against the relevant mapping table.
- bb) **id-pr-ambiguousKeyAttributes** – A mapping-based matching rule was selected, but the mappable filter items provided multiple matches against the relevant mapping table.
- cc) **id-pr-unavailableRelaxationLevel** – The DSA does not support a requested relaxation extension level.
- dd) **id-pr-emptyHierarchySelection** – A hierarchy selection was specified that resulted in no entry returned although there were one or more entries that matched the search filter.
- ee) **id-pr-relaxationNotSupported** – Relaxation was specified in the user request, but is not supported.

5.12.3 Service-type

The *Service-type* notification attribute gives the service-type for the failing search.

```
serviceType ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
    SINGLE VALUE         TRUE
    ID                   id-not-serviceType }
```

5.12.4 Attribute Type List

The *Attribute Type List* notification attribute gives a list of attribute types to further qualify a search service problem.

```
attributeTypeList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
    ID                   id-not-attributeTypeList }
```

5.12.5 Matching Rule List

The *Matching Rule List* notification attribute gives a list of matching rules to further qualify a search service problem.

```
matchingRuleList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
    ID                   id-not-matchingRuleList }
```

5.12.6 Filter Item

The *Filter Item* notification attribute gives a list of invalid filter items in a search filter.

```
filterItem ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          FilterItem
    ID                   id-not-filterItem }
```

5.12.7 Attribute Combinations

The *Attribute Combinations* notification attribute gives a list of attribute combinations that were required to be presented in a filter, but were not provided.

```
attributeCombinations ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          AttributeCombination
    ID                   id-not-attributeCombinations }
```

5.12.8 Context Type List

The *Context Type List* notification attribute gives a list of context types to further qualify a search service problem.

```
contextTypeList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
    ID                   id-not-contextTypeList }
```

5.12.9 Context List

The *Context List* notification attribute gives a list of contexts to further qualify a search service problem.

```
contextList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX          ContextAssertion
    ID                   id-not-contextList }
```

A value of this attribute type represents a context type and some context values of this type not allowed in the particular situation that resulted in this attribute being generated.

5.12.10 Context combinations

The *Context Combinations* notification attribute gives a list of context combinations required to be presented in a filter, but were not provided.

```
contextCombinations ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    ContextCombination
    ID             id-not-contextCombinations }
```

5.12.11 Hierarchy Select List

The *Hierarchy Select List* notification attribute gives a bitstring identifying one or more hierarchy selection options as defined by the **HierarchySelections** construct defined in 10.2.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.511 | ISO/IEC 9594-3.

```
hierarchySelectList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    HierarchySelections
    SINGLE VALUE   TRUE
    ID             id-not-hierarchySelectList }
```

When a bit is set in the **HierarchySelection** bitstring, it indicates that the corresponding hierarchy selection is invalid. Either a forbidden or unsupported selection has been requested, or the selection has not been requested when it is required.

5.12.12 Search Control Options List

The *Search Options List* notification attribute gives a bitstring identifying one or more search control options as defined by the **SearchControlOptions** ASN.1 data type in 10.2.1 of ITU-T Rec. X.511 | ISO/IEC 9594-3.

```
searchControlOptionsList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    SearchControlOptions
    SINGLE VALUE   TRUE
    ID             id-not-searchControlOptionsList }
```

When a bit is set in the **SearchControlOptions**, it indicates that the corresponding search control option selection is invalid. Either a forbidden or unsupported option has been requested, or the option has not been requested when it is required.

5.12.13 Service Control Options List

The *Service Control Options List* notification attribute gives a bitstring identifying one or more service control options as defined by the **ServiceControlOptions** ASN.1 data type defined in 7.5 of ITU-T Rec. X.511 | ISO/IEC 9594-3.

```
serviceControlOptionsList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    ServiceControlOptions
    SINGLE VALUE   TRUE
    ID             id-not-serviceControlOptionsList }
```

When a bit is set in the **ServiceControlOptions**, it indicates that the corresponding service control option selection is invalid. Either a forbidden or unsupported option has been requested, or the option has not been requested when it is required.

5.12.14 Multiple Matching Localities

The *Multiple Matching Localities* notification attribute specifies in each value a set of attribute assertions that if applied against the gazetteer will give a unique match.

```
multipleMatchingLocalities ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    MultipleMatchingLocalities
    ID             id-not-multipleMatchingLocalities }
```

MultipleMatchingLocalities ::= SEQUENCE {
 matchingRuleUsed **MATCHING-RULE.&id OPTIONAL,**
 attributeList **SEQUENCE OF AttributeValueAssertion }**

The **matchingRuleUsed** element is optionally present, and can be used to indicate the mapping-based matching rule that was used.

No matching rule is defined for this attribute; multiple identical or nearly identical values are tolerated.

5.12.15 Proposed Relaxation

The *Proposed Relaxation* notification attribute gives sequence-of **MRMapping** elements that can be supplied as part of the **RelaxationPolicy** supplied in the **relaxation** component of a subsequent **search** request.

proposedRelaxation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **MRMappings**
 ID **id-not-proposedRelaxation }**

MRMappings ::= SEQUENCE OF MRMapping

The sequence-of **MRMapping** has no significance.

5.12.16 Applied Relaxation

The *Applied Relaxation* notification attribute is used to list the attributes of the filter which have been subject to relaxation or tightening, other than those made by the **basic** element of a relaxation policy.

appliedRelaxation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 ID **id-not-appliedRelaxation }**

SECTION 3 – MATCHING RULES

6 Definition of matching rules

NOTE – For definitions of **objectIdentifierMatch** and **distinguishedNameMatch**, see ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2.

6.1 String matching rules

In the matching rules specified in 6.1.1 through 6.1.11, the following spaces are regarded as not significant:

- leading spaces (i.e. those preceding the first character that is not a space);
- trailing spaces (i.e. those following the last character that is not a space);
- multiple consecutive spaces (these are taken as equivalent to a single space character).

A string consisting entirely of spaces is equivalent to a string containing exactly one space.

In the matching rules to which these apply, the strings to be matched shall be matched as if the insignificant spaces were not present in either string.

6.1.1 Case Ignore Match

The *Case Ignore Match* rule compares for equality a presented string with an attribute value of type **DirectoryString** or one of the data types appearing in the choice type **DirectoryString**, e.g. **UTF8String**, without regard to the case (upper or lower) of the strings (e.g. "Dundee" and "DUNDEE" match).

```
caselgnoreMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  DirectoryString {ub-match}
    ID      id-mr-caselgnoreMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the strings are the same length and corresponding characters are identical except possibly with regard to case.

Where the strings being matched are of different ASN.1 syntax, the comparison proceeds as normal so long as the corresponding characters are in both character sets. Otherwise matching fails.

6.1.2 Case Ignore Ordering Match

The *Case Ignore Ordering Match* rule compares the collation order of a presented string an attribute value of type **DirectoryString** or one of the data types appearing in the choice type **DirectoryString**, e.g. **UTF8String**, without regard to the case (upper or lower) of the strings.

```
caselgnoreOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  DirectoryString {ub-match}
    ID      id-mr-caselgnoreOrderingMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value is "less" or appears earlier than the presented value, when the strings are compared using the normal collation order for their syntax after lower-case letters in both strings have been replaced by their upper-case equivalents.

Where the strings being matched are of different ASN.1 syntax, the comparison proceeds as normal so long as the corresponding characters are in both character sets. Otherwise the matching fails.

6.1.3 Case Ignore Substrings Match

The *Case Ignore Substrings Match* rule determines whether a presented value is a substring of an attribute value of type **DirectoryString** or one of the data types appearing in the choice type **DirectoryString**, e.g. **UTF8String**, without regard to the case (upper or lower) of the strings.

```
caselgnoreSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  SubstringAssertion
    ID      id-mr-caselgnoreSubstringsMatch }
```

SubstringAssertion ::= SEQUENCE OF CHOICE {
 initial **[0]** **DirectoryString {ub-match},**
 any **[1]** **DirectoryString {ub-match},**
 final **[2]** **DirectoryString {ub-match},**
 control **Attribute }** -- *Used to specify interpretation of the following items*
 -- *at most one initial and one final component*

The rule returns TRUE if there is a partitioning of the attribute value (into portions) such that:

- the specified substrings (**initial**, **any**, **final**) match different portions of the value in the order of the **strings** sequence;
- **initial**, if present, matches the first portion of the value;
- **final**, if present, matches the last portion of the value;
- **any**, if present, matches some arbitrary portion of the value;
- **control** is not used for the **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch**, **telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch**, or any other form of substring match for which only initial, any, or final elements are used in the matching algorithm; if a **control** element is encountered, it is ignored. The control element is only used for matching rules that explicitly specify its use in the matching algorithm. Such a matching rule may also redefine the semantics of the **initial**, **any** and **final** substrings.

NOTE – The **generalWordMatch** matching rule is an example of such a matching rule.

There shall be at most one **initial**, and at most one **final** in **strings**. If **initial** is present, it shall be the first element of **strings**. If **final** is present, it shall be the last element of **strings**. There shall be zero or more **any** in **strings**.

For a component of substrings to match a portion of the attribute value, corresponding characters must be identical, except in regard to case. Where the strings being matched are of different ASN.1 syntax, the comparison proceeds as normal so long as the corresponding characters are in both character sets. Otherwise matching fails.

6.1.4 Case Exact Match

The *Case Exact Match* rule compares for equality a presented string with an attribute value of type **DirectoryString** or one of the data types appearing in the choice type **DirectoryString**, e.g. **UTF8String**.

caseExactMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-match}**
 ID **id-mr-caseExactMatch }**

The rule is identical to the **caseIgnoreMatch** rule except that case is not ignored.

6.1.5 Case Exact Ordering Match

The *Case Exact Ordering Match* rule compares the collation order of a presented string with an attribute value of type **DirectoryString** or one of the data types appearing in the choice type **DirectoryString**, e.g. **UTF8String**.

caseExactOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-match}**
 ID **id-mr-caseExactOrderingMatch }**

The rule is identical to the **caseIgnoreOrderingMatch** rule except that lower-case letters are not replaced by upper-case letters.

6.1.6 Case Exact Substrings Match

The *Case Exact Substrings Match* rule determines whether a presented value is a substring of an attribute value of type **DirectoryString** or one of the data types appearing in the choice type **DirectoryString**, e.g. **UTF8String**.

caseExactSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX **SubstringAssertion** -- *only the PrintableString choice*
 ID **id-mr-caseExactSubstringsMatch }**

The rule is identical to the **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch** rule except that case is not ignored.

6.1.7 Numeric String Match

The *Numeric String Match* rule compares for equality a presented numeric string with an attribute value of type **NumericString**.

```
numericStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    NumericString
    ID        id-mr-numericStringMatch }
```

The rule is identical to the **caseIgnoreMatch** rule except that all space characters are skipped during comparison (case is irrelevant as characters are numeric).

6.1.8 Numeric String Ordering Match

The *Numeric String Ordering Match* rule compares the collation order of a presented string with an attribute value of type **NumericString**.

```
numericStringOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    NumericString
    ID        id-mr-numericStringOrderingMatch }
```

The rule is identical to the **caseIgnoreOrderingMatch** rule except that all space characters are skipped during comparison (case is irrelevant as characters are numeric).

6.1.9 Numeric String Substrings Match

The *Numeric String Substrings Match* rule determines whether a presented value is a substring of an attribute value of type **NumericString**.

```
numericStringSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    SubstringAssertion
    ID        id-mr-numericStringSubstringsMatch }
```

The rule is identical to the **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch** rule except that all space characters are skipped during comparison (case is irrelevant as characters are numeric).

6.1.10 Case Ignore List Match

The *Case Ignore List Match* rule compares for equality a presented sequence of strings with an attribute value which is a sequence of **DirectoryStrings**, without regard to the case (upper or lower) of the strings.

```
caseIgnoreListMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    CaseIgnoreList
    ID        id-mr-caseIgnoreListMatch }
```

CaseIgnoreList ::= SEQUENCE OF DirectoryString {ub-match}

The rule returns TRUE if and only if the number of strings in each is the same, and corresponding strings match. The latter matching is as for the **caseIgnoreMatch** matching rule.

6.1.11 Case Ignore List Substrings Match

The *Case Ignore List Substring* rule compares a presented substring with an attribute value which is a sequence of **DirectoryStrings**, but where the case (upper or lower) is not significant for comparison purposes.

```
caseIgnoreListSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    SubstringAssertion
    ID        id-mr-caseIgnoreListSubstringsMatch }
```

A presented value matches a stored value if and only if the presented value matches the string formed by concatenating the strings of the stored value. This matching is done according to the **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch** rule; however, none of the **initial**, **any**, or **final** values of the presented value are considered to match a substring of the concatenated string which spans more than one of the strings of the stored value.

6.1.12 Stored Prefix Match

The *Stored Prefix Match* rule determines whether an attribute value, whose syntax is `DirectoryString`, is a prefix (i.e. initial substring) of the presented value, without regard to the case (upper or lower) of the strings.

NOTE – It can be used, for example, to compare values in the Directory which are telephone area codes with a purported value which is a telephone number.

```
storedPrefixMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   DirectoryString {ub-match}
  ID       id-mr-storedPrefixMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value is an initial substring of the presented value with corresponding characters identical except possibly with regard to case.

6.2 Syntax-based matching rules

6.2.1 Boolean Match

The *Boolean Match* rule compares for equality a presented Boolean value with an attribute value of type **BOOLEAN**.

```
booleanMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   BOOLEAN
  ID       id-mr-booleanMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the values are the same, i.e. both are TRUE or both are FALSE.

6.2.2 Integer Match

The *Integer Match* rule compares for equality a presented integer value or enumerated value with an attribute value of type **INTEGER** or **ENUMERATED**, respectively.

```
integerMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   INTEGER
  ID       id-mr-integerMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the presented integer value or the presented enumerated value is equal to the stored value.

6.2.3 Integer Ordering Match

The *Integer Ordering Match* rule compares a presented integer value with an attribute value of type **INTEGER**.

```
integerOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   INTEGER
  ID       id-mr-integerOrderingMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value is less than the presented value.

6.2.4 Bit String Match

The *Bit String Match* rule compares a presented bit string with an attribute value of type **BIT STRING**.

```
bitStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   BIT STRING
  ID       id-mr-bitStringMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value has the same number of bits as the presented value and the bits match on a bitwise basis.

6.2.5 Octet String Match

The *Octet String Match* rule compares for equality a presented octet string with an attribute value of type **OCTET STRING**.

```
octetStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  OCTET STRING
    ID      id-mr-octetStringMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if and only if the strings are the same length and corresponding octets are identical.

6.2.6 Octet String Ordering Match

The *Octet String Ordering Match* rule compares the collation order of a presented octet string with an attribute value of type **OCTET STRING**.

```
octetStringOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  OCTET STRING
    ID      id-mr-octetStringOrderingMatch }
```

The rule compares octet strings from first octet to last octet, and from the most significant bit to the least significant bit within the octet. The first occurrence of a different bit determines the ordering of the strings. A zero bit precedes a one bit. If the strings are identical but contain different numbers of octets, the shorter string precedes the longer string.

6.2.7 Octet String Substrings Match

The *Octet String Substrings Match* rule determines whether a presented octet string is a substring of an attribute value of type **OCTET STRING**.

```
octetStringSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  OctetSubstringAssertion
    ID      id-mr-octetStringSubstringsMatch }
```

```
OctetSubstringAssertion ::= SEQUENCE OF CHOICE {
    initial    [0]  OCTET STRING,
    any       [1]  OCTET STRING,
    final     [2]  OCTET STRING }
-- at most one initial and one final component
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value contains the sequence of octets in the presented string, as described for **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch**.

6.2.8 Telephone Number Match

The *Telephone Number Match* rule compares for equality a presented value with an attribute value of type **PrintableString** which is a telephone number.

```
telephoneNumberMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  PrintableString
    ID      id-mr-telephoneNumberMatch }
```

The rules for matching are identical to those for **caseIgnoreMatch**, except that all space and "-" characters are skipped during the comparison.

6.2.9 Telephone Number Substrings Match

The *Telephone Number Substrings Match* rule determines if a presented substring is a substring of an attribute value of type **PrintableString** which is a telephone number.

```
telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX  SubstringAssertion
    ID      id-mr-telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch }
```

The rules for matching are identical to those for **caseExactSubstringsMatch**, except that all space and "-" characters are skipped during the comparison.

6.2.10 Presentation Address Match

The *Presentation Address Match* rule compares for equality a presented Presentation Address with an attribute value of type **PresentationAddress**.

```
presentationAddressMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    PresentationAddress
    ID        id-mr-presentationAddressMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if and only if the selectors of the presented and stored presentation address are equal and the presented **nAddresses** are a subset of the stored ones.

6.2.11 Unique Member Match

The *Unique Member Match* rule compares for equality a presented Unique Member value with an attribute value of type **NameAndOptionalUID**.

```
uniqueMemberMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    NameAndOptionalUID
    ID        id-mr-uniqueMemberMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if and only if the **dn** components of the attribute value and the presented value match according to the **distinguishedNameMatch** rule, and the **uid** component is absent from the attribute value or matches the corresponding component from the presented value according to the **bitStringMatch** rule.

6.2.12 Protocol Information Match

The *Protocol Information Match* rule compares for equality presented values of **ProtocolInformation** with values of the same type.

```
protocolInformationMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    OCTET STRING
    ID        id-mr-protocolInformationMatch }
```

A value of the assertion syntax is derived from a value of the attribute syntax by using the **nAddress** component.

The value returns TRUE if the presented value and the **nAddress** component of the stored value match according to the **octetStringMatch** rule.

6.3 Time matching rules

6.3.1 UTC Time Match

The *UTC Time Match* rule compares for equality a presented value with an attribute value of type **UTCTime**.

```
utctimeMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    UTCTime
    ID        id-mr-utctimeMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value represents the same time as the presented value. If a UTC time is specified with the seconds absent, the number of seconds is assumed to be zero.

6.3.2 UTC Time Ordering Match

The *UTC Time Ordering Match* rule compares the time ordering of a presented value with an attribute value of type **UTCTime**.

```
utctimeOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    UTCTime
    ID        id-mr-utctimeOrderingMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value represents a time which is earlier than the presented time. UTC times with year values 50 to 99 shall be taken to represent times that are earlier than UTC times with year values 00 to 49. If a UTC time is specified with the seconds absent, the number of seconds is assumed to be zero.

The value of the two-digit year field shall be rationalized into a four-digit year value as follows:

- if the 2-digit value is 00 through 49 inclusive, the value shall have 2000 added to it; and
- if the 2-digit value is 50 through 99 inclusive, the value shall have 1900 added to it.

6.3.3 Generalized Time Match

The *Generalized Time Match* rule compares for equality a presented value with an attribute value of type **GeneralizedTime** (as per 41.3 b) or c) of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1).

```
generalizedTimeMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   GeneralizedTime
           -- as per 41.3 b) or c) of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1
  ID       id-mr-generalizedTimeMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value represents the same time as the presented value. If a time is specified with the minutes or seconds absent, the number of minutes or seconds is assumed to be zero.

6.3.4 Generalized Time Ordering Match

The *Generalized Time Ordering Match* rule compares the time ordering of a presented value with an attribute value of type **GeneralizedTime** (as per 41.3 b) and c) of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1).

```
generalizedTimeOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   GeneralizedTime
           -- as per 41.3 b) or c) of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1
  ID       id-mr-generalizedTimeOrderingMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value represents a time which is earlier than the presented time. If a time is specified with the minutes or seconds absent, the number of minutes or seconds is assumed to be zero.

6.3.5 System Proposed Match

The *System Proposed Match* rule is a dummy matching rule, defined as follows:

```
systemProposedMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  ID       id-mr-systemProposedMatch }
```

This matching rule can by a requestor be included in the RelaxationPolicy within a **search** request to indicate that the Directory should determine what matching rule should be used in a matching rule substitution.

6.4 First component matching rules

6.4.1 Integer First Component Match

The *Integer First Component Match* rule compares for equality a presented integer value with an attribute value of type **SEQUENCE** whose first component is mandatory and of type **INTEGER**.

```
integerFirstComponentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
  SYNTAX   INTEGER
  ID       id-mr-integerFirstComponentMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value has a first component whose value equals the presented integer.

A value of the assertion syntax is derived from a value of the attribute syntax by using the value of the first component of the **SEQUENCE**.

6.4.2 Object Identifier First Component Match

The *Object Identifier First Component Match* rule compares for equality a presented object identifier value with attribute values of type **SEQUENCE** whose first component is mandatory and of type **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**.

```
objectIdentifierFirstComponentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    OBJECT IDENTIFIER
    ID        id-mr-objectIdentifierFirstComponentMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value has a first component whose value matches the presented object identifier using the rules of **objectIdentifierMatch**.

A value of the assertion syntax is derived from a value of the attribute syntax by using the value of the first component of the **SEQUENCE**.

6.4.3 Directory String First Component Match

The *Directory String First Component Match* rule compares for equality a presented **DirectoryString** value with an attribute value of type **SEQUENCE** whose first component is mandatory and of type **DirectoryString**.

```
directoryStringFirstComponentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    DirectoryString {ub-directory-string-first-component-match}
    ID        id-mr-directoryStringFirstComponentMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if the attribute value has a first component whose value matches the presented **DirectoryString** using the rules of **caseIgnoreMatch**.

A value of the assertion syntax is derived from a value of the attribute syntax by using the value of the first component of the **SEQUENCE**.

6.5 Word matching rules

6.5.1 Word Match

The *Word Match* rule compares a presented string with words in an attribute value of type **DirectoryString**.

```
wordMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    DirectoryString {ub-match}
    ID        id-mr-wordMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if a presented word matches any word in the attribute value. Individual word matching is as for the **caseIgnoreMatch** matching rule. The precise definition of a "word" is a local matter.

6.5.2 Keyword Match

The *Keyword Match* rule compares a presented string with keywords in an attribute value of type **DirectoryString**.

```
keywordMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    DirectoryString {ub-match}
    ID        id-mr-keywordMatch }
```

The rule returns TRUE if a presented value matches any *keyword* in the attribute value. The identification of keywords in an attribute value and of the exactness of match are both local matters.

6.5.3 General Word Match

The *General Word Match* rule compares words in a presented string with words in an attribute value of type **DirectoryString**. The matching rule can also be used for attribute values of a type that explicitly specifies one of the **DirectoryString** choices as its syntax.

```
generalWordMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    SYNTAX    SubstringAssertion
    ID        id-mr-generalWordMatch }
```

This matching rule is differentiated from a normal substring matching rule by the interposition of control attributes before or between the **initial**, **any**, or **final** elements. If there are no control attributes in the filter item, the matching shall be performed as for the **caseExactSubstringsMatch** matching rule with the semantics of **initial**, **any** and **final** elements as defined by that matching rule. However, if the equality matching rule (if any) for the attribute type subject to the matching is **caseIgnoreMatch**, then the **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch** shall be used instead.

Four types of control attribute are defined for general word match (restrictions on their placement are defined below); any other control attributes shall be ignored:

```
sequenceMatchType ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      SequenceMatchType
    SINGLE VALUE     TRUE
    ID               id-cat-sequenceMatchType }    -- defaulting to sequenceExact
```

```
SequenceMatchType ::= ENUMERATED {
    sequenceExact          (0),
    sequenceDeletion       (1),
    sequenceRestrictedDeletion (2),
    sequencePermutation     (3),
    sequencePermutationAndDeletion (4),
    sequenceProviderDefined (5) }
```

```
wordMatchTypes ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      WordMatchTypes
    SINGLE VALUE     TRUE
    ID               id-cat-wordMatchType }-- defaulting to wordExact
```

```
WordMatchTypes ::= ENUMERATED {
    wordExact          (0),
    wordTruncated      (1),
    wordPhonetic       (2),
    wordProviderDefined (3) }
```

```
characterMatchTypes ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      CharacterMatchTypes
    SINGLE VALUE     TRUE
    ID               id-cat-characterMatchTypes }
```

```
CharacterMatchTypes ::= ENUMERATED {
    characterExact      (0),
    characterCaseIgnore (1),
    characterMapped     (2) }
```

```
selectedContexts ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      ContextAssertion
    ID               id-cat-selectedContexts }
```

Each attribute affects all following **initial**, **any**, or **final** elements, and the values that it provides supersede those that were previously applicable.

Prior to the first **sequenceMatchType** attribute, if any, the value that is to be taken as applicable for the **sequenceMatchType** attribute shall be taken as **sequenceExact**. The attribute does not affect the evaluation of the **initial** and **final** elements, which shall always be taken as matching the initial and final words; it only affects the remaining unmatched words. The **initial** word, if present, shall match the first word of the stored text; if both are noise words, the two words shall be taken as matching. The positioning of **sequenceMatchType** attributes defines the words to which the form of match applies.

NOTE 1 – For many practical purposes it will suffice to place the **sequenceMatchType** before the first **initial** element; particular implementations may not support the full generality of the definition.

Prior to the first **wordMatchType** attribute, if any, the value that is to be taken as applicable for the **wordMatchType** attribute shall be taken as **wordExact**. Prior to the first **characterMatchType** attribute, if any, the value that is to be taken as applicable for the **characterMatchType** attribute shall be taken as **characterExact**. However, if the equality matching rule (if any) for the attribute type subject to the matching is **caseIgnoreMatch**, then it shall instead be taken as **characterCaseIgnore**.

If **selectedContexts** control attribute is present, it shall be the first element; there shall only be one such control attribute; it shall be taken as a restriction on the stored value (see below).

The rule returns TRUE if the presented value contains a non-empty sequence of words which matches the specified initial and final words, and in addition the sequence of remaining unmatched words in the attribute value according to the specified **sequenceMatchType**, where corresponding words are matched according to the specified **wordMatchTypes** and corresponding characters within words are matched according to the specified **characterMatchTypes**, except that if the **selectedContexts** component is present in the presented value all **ContextAssertion** elements are also required to evaluate to TRUE (as specified in ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2). The rule returns FALSE for a given stored attribute when the words do not match, or when some **ContextAssertion** element does not match.

A word is a non-empty sequence of non-space characters bounded by the start or end of the string or by space or punctuation characters. Punctuation characters are defined as those that do not affect the semantics of word tokens, and normally include commas, quotes, full-stops at ends of sentences, parentheses, etc. The determination of what characters are punctuation characters shall be a local matter.

NOTE 2 – For example, the character '!' is sometimes used in text to denote a clicking sound, as used in certain African languages, and is thus sometimes part of a word rather than an exclamation-mark (which would be a punctuation character).

Similarly, the **final** word, if present, shall match the last word of the stored text; if both are noise words, the two words shall be taken as matching.

Noise words, which are words which match one of the words on an implementation-defined list of semantically weak words (e.g. articles and prepositions) according to the specified **characterMatchTypes** are discarded from the sequence of words prior to matching, except to match **initial** and **final** words, and the corresponding rule in **wordMatchTypes** is discarded from the sequence of rules provided it is not the last such rule.

The sequence of words in the presented value matches the sequence of words in the attribute value if the latter can be transformed according to the specified **sequenceMatchType** into a sequence containing the same number of words as the first sequence and whose corresponding words match. If **sequenceMatchType** is **sequenceExact**, the transform leaves the sequence unchanged. If it is **sequenceDeletion**, it deletes zero or more words from the sequence. If it is **sequenceRestrictedDeletion**, it deletes zero or more words but not the first word from the sequence. If it is **sequencePermutation**, it permutes zero or more words in the sequence. If it is **sequencePermutationAndDeletion**, it deletes zero or more words in the sequence and permutes zero or more of the remaining words. If it is **sequenceProviderDefined**, it deletes, permutes, or inserts words in accordance with an implementation-defined rule.

A word in the presented value matches a word in the attribute value if the latter word can be transformed according to the corresponding rule from the specified **wordMatchTypes** into a sequence of characters which match in turn the characters of the word in the presented value. Each word is matched using the corresponding rule in **wordMatchTypes** where the correspondence is determined prior to applying any deletions or permutations from sequence matching; any words in excess of the number of rules in **wordMatchTypes** is matched using the last rule. If the rule is exact, the transform leaves the word unchanged. If it is **wordTruncated**, then zero or more characters are removed from the end of the word, up to an implementation-defined minimum word length. If it is **wordPhonetic**, the word is replaced with a word that matches it according to an implementation-defined phonetic matching algorithm. If it is **wordProviderDefined**, the word is matched in accordance with an implementation-defined rule.

The characters in each word are compared using the corresponding rule in **characterMatchTypes** where the correspondence is determined prior to applying any deletions or permutations from sequence matching; the characters of any words in excess of the number of rules in **characterMatchTypes** are matched using the last rule. If **characterMatchTypes** is **characterExact**, then corresponding characters within the words match if they are the same. If it is **characterCaseIgnore** then corresponding characters within the words match if they are the same when differences in case are ignored. If it is **characterMapped**, the characters match if they map to the same character according to an implementation-defined mapping table. This table shall be such as to allow national characters listed in Figure A.2/T.51 to be matched using only the characters A-Z and 0-9 in presented values, and may map short sequences of characters onto a single character, e.g. ae to a-e-diphthong or ue to u-umlaut.

6.6 Approximate Matching Rules

6.6.1 Approximate String Match

The *Approximate String Match* rule compares a presented value with an attribute value according to a locally-defined approximate matching algorithm (e.g. spelling variations, phonetic match, etc.). The algorithm shall be the same as that invoked in response to processing a filter item of type **approximateMatch** (see ITU-T Rec. X.511 | ISO/IEC 9594-3).

```
approximateStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    ID                                id-mr-approximateStringMatch }
```

The assertion syntax for this matching rule is the same as the assertion syntax of the equality matching rule for the attribute to which it is applied. If no equality matching rule is defined for the attribute, any assertion syntax is permitted but the rule always evaluates to undefined.

6.7 Special Matching Rules

6.7.1 Ignore if Absent Match

The *Ignore if Absent Match* rule compares a value for any purpose and for any attribute.

```
ignoreIfAbsentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {  
  ID           id-mr-ignoreIfAbsentMatch }
```

The rule returns as follows:

- a) If the attribute is absent, the rule returns the value TRUE;
- b) If the attribute is present, the rule returns the value undefined.

This match can only be used as a parent matching-rule. It is then used in conjunction with a matching rule which matches values when the attribute is present. See also 13.5.2 of ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2.

NOTE – Within a service specific administrative area the same effect can be achieved by specifying an empty **defaultValues** subcomponent of the appropriate request-attribute-profile.

6.7.2 Null Match

The *Null Match* rule compares a value for any purpose and for any attribute, with the special rule:

```
nullMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {  
  ID           id-mr-nullMatch }
```

The rule returns as follows:

- a) if the filter-item is non-negated, the rule returns the value TRUE; and
- b) if the filter-item is negated, the rule returns the value FALSE.

This match can be used formally to cause a filter-item to be ignored. A filter item using null match shall be considered absent when evaluating compatibility with search-rules.

6.8 Zonal Match

A *Zonal Match* is primarily applicable to **search** requests that make use of geographical related mappable filter items. Such filter items could be assertions for **localityName**, **stateOrProvinceName**, **postalCode**, etc.

Zonal matching uses combinable filter items for the matching against the mapping table.

The zonal matching can take into account that users' perception of localities may be different from the locality model used within a DMD. The mapping between the users' perception and the model used within a DMD should take into account that a user may use localities that are not directly reflected in Directory entries or their names. Such localities may be fuzzy in the sense that they do not relate exactly to localities that are more official. Also, a user may guess slightly wrong on locality names when making a search if the object being looked for lives close to the border of a neighbouring locality. For this purpose, a region, e.g. a country, is divided up into *zones*. Zones are areas that are completely contained within any locality referenced in a **search** request. The result of a mapping of the mappable filter items is a list of zones. For further explanation of zonal matching, see Annex E.

When using zonal match, the mapping table is called a *gazetteer* (i.e. a geographical dictionary). Within the filter, a set of combinable locality filter items may be able together to define a single *named place* (that is, a unique, usually contiguous local area), or, when this is permitted, a small number of named places that match the filter items. A named place is a distinct named real-world place, such as a town, village, county, etc.

A gazetteer will in general cover (i.e. provide a geographical database relating to) a domain comprising a single country or region. A geographical search inquiry shall be interpreted in terms of a specific gazetteer. How the scope of a search is determined, and an appropriate gazetteer selected, is a local matter, but the selection can be done by using a default gazetteer for the DSA, or be based on one or more of attributes, e.g. **countryName**, **stateOrProvinceName** or **localityName** associated with the search operation (e.g. present as part of the distinguished name of the **baseObject**, or as part of the filter).

The first step of a zonal match is to use one or more filter items together to identify one or more named places. For this purpose, combinable locality filter items (i.e. all locality filter items within a single subfilter) are used together.

Otherwise, the procedure so far identifies one or more named places. At this stage, no reference at all has been made to information within the DIT. The remainder of the filter can then be used to identify all of the entries within the search scope that have positions corresponding to those named places, as defined later. Relaxation may be applicable so that named places will match more entry positions if inadequate results would be returned otherwise.

Zonal matching does not support tightening.

Each entry that is to be considered eligible for matching shall have a position that is identified either by a unique named place, perhaps using more than one place-name value, e.g. ("Newton" "Chester" "Cheshire"), or by one or more *zones* (see next paragraph), represented by values placed in a zone attribute. If an entry has zones to define its position, it may also have locality values, but the latter, in this case, are informational. The administrative authority is responsible for ensuring that locality information does indeed identify a named place.

Zones are primitive non-overlapping geographical components, distinct in kind from places, such that a place is precisely composed of one or more zones, as listed within the gazetteer. Zones are identified by string values that are unique within a gazetteer's region. Thus, two overlapping places would share one or more zones that correspond to the overlapping area. Zones are represented within entries as attributes, possibly as an operational attribute. In this case, zonal information would never be returned as attribute values unless the attribute representing the zone is specifically requested as an operational attribute. Alternatively, a zone could be a standard attribute (e.g. **postalCode**). Locality values are returned as usual, subject to access control.

NOTE 1 – The exact nature of a zone, and its mapping to a specific attribute, is a local matter, and would probably depend on the capabilities of a specific implementation. In the United Kingdom, a good candidate for a zone would be a postal code, like "RG12 2JL", which often defines a small area such as one side of a street. Zones in city areas would then be small; those in country areas would be correspondingly large. In unpopulated and featureless areas (e.g. deserts), a zone could be very large indeed.

An entry's position (defined by zones) matches a named place, as defined by the gazetteer, if there is overlap between the zones defined for the named place and the zones defined for the entry (i.e. an overlap-based matching rule is used). If the entry's position is defined as a named place, the position is considered to be composed of the zones constituting the named place.

Zonal matching permits extended (i.e. relaxed) matching, where level 0 corresponds to the basic definition of objects in the gazetteer. Levels 1 and greater levels correspond to a gradual and systematic enlargement of the zones comprising a place so that more entry locations match.

The following is a more formal statement of the model underlying zonal match:

- a) Zonal matching is based on the existence of one or more *gazetteers* that are supported for the purpose by DSAs. A gazetteer is a geographical dictionary covering, as its domain, a country or named *region*, supported by a suitable database. The selection of the domain for a specific search is carried out by local means. The gazetteer contains place-names and their properties, including lists of matching named places. It is supported by mechanisms for finding and collating the properties of place-names as given by combinable locality attributes, and is quite independent of the DIT.
- b) The region covered by a gazetteer contains *places*. A place is a recognizable named geographical area; places can overlap, and can even extend somewhat beyond the boundary of the region. Places that are identifiable by reference to the gazetteer are called *named places*.
- c) The gazetteer itself is based on strings that are *place-names*. These are used to identify (or name) named places. The name of a named place can be:
 - A single place-name, possibly in more than one word;
 - A collection of place-names, where in general one place-name corresponds to a larger area and qualifies a place-name that corresponds (in the context) to a smaller area.
- d) The concept of larger and smaller areas may sometimes be usefully represented in the characteristic of scale as applied to a place. Informal examples of places of varying scale are plots, spots, villages, towns, cities, counties, provinces, countries. In general, a named place should be associated in the gazetteer with the names of encompassing places of larger scale, even if these are not required for unique identification.
- e) Place-names may also have synonyms associated with a particular place, which could (for example) represent abbreviations or alternative names. It is convenient to define a canonical name for each place, to which synonyms of component place-names may be mapped.

- f) Place-names may sometimes be derived from simpler place names by using semantic components such as "Near" (e.g. "Near Tenterden"). This may conceivably be taken to define a ring-shaped place around the town of Tenterden in Kent, England, but would probably be best taken as a place-name that does not by itself define a place.
- g) All places covered by the gazetteer shall have a unique canonical name consisting of a distinct set of place-names, where these names can be ordered in terms of the scale that each place-name implies in the context.
- h) Places are broken down into zones in such a way that zones are always nested inside each place, and each part of a place has a corresponding zone. A zone is the building block of places in a gazetteer; every point in a region has a single zone in which it is contained.
- i) Zones usually have neighbouring zones (e.g. unless effectively blocked by a geographical or major political feature such as a lake, river, sea, or mountain, or country boundary). Thus, the area defined a place can usually be extended by including zones that are neighbours to the zones that comprise it; the extension can be carried on indefinitely a step at a time. The inclusion of a single level of neighbour extension is called the 1-extension of a place; a further level of extension is called a 2-extension, and so on. The scope of an extension may be locally adjustable (extended or reduced) to represent a practical situation, but such adjustments should be relatively scarce.
- j) An entry representing a physical object may be defined to have a *location*. A location can be defined in terms of a set of zones in an appropriate zone attribute, or by identifying it as a named place by the use of one or more place-names using a locality attribute such as **locationName**, which can also be represented as a set of zones. An entry will match a place if the set of zones that comprise its locality overlap the set of zones that represent the place (possibly n-extended) that is the result of consulting the gazetteer, as described above.
- k) The selection of zones, places, place-names and the compilation of their relationships is a local matter.
- l) Entries that would match by equality match on the basis of strings that they contain shall continue to match (in effect bypassing zonal match).

To further qualify zonal matching, the **ZONAL-MATCHING** information non-generic object class is defined as a specialization of the **MAPPING-BASED-MATCHING** generic information object class. An instance of this information object class determines the characteristics of zonal matching.

ZONAL-MATCHING ::= MAPPING-BASED-MATCHING { ZonalSelect, TRUE, ZonalResult, zonalMatch }

An instance of this information object class is characterized by:

- a) The **&selectBy** dummy reference, if present, is by this information object class replaced by a set-of attribute types. The selection of an instance of this information object class is based on these attributes and on the attribute types represented in the search filter. An information object instance may be selected if all the attribute types represented by this component are represented in the filter. Attribute subtypes are not considered (i.e. the selection shall be based on explicitly named attributes). However, local criteria not defined by this Directory Specification may also be taken into account for selecting an instance. For example, the selection may partly be determined by the **baseObject** of the search argument. If this component is absent, selection is based wholly on local decision-making.
- b) The **&ApplicableTo** shall specify a set of locality related attribute types as determined by local requirements, such as **localityName**, **stateOrProvinceName**, **streetName**, **postalCode**, etc.
- c) The **&subtypeIncluded** component is set according to local requirements.
- d) The **&combinable** dummy value reference is unconditionally replaced by TRUE.
- e) The **&mappingResults** dummy type reference is by this information object class replaced by the **ZonalResult** data type.
- f) The **&userControl** is set according to local requirements.
NOTE 2 – This field should in most cases take the value **TRUE**.
- g) The **&exclusive** is set according to local requirements.
NOTE 3 – A information object instance of this information object class is a candidate for exclusive relaxation.
- h) The **&matching-rule** is by this derived information object class set to **zonalMatch**.
- i) The **&id** gives a unique identification of the instance of zonal matching algorithm.

The **ZonalSelect** data type is:

ZonalSelect ::= SEQUENCE OF AttributeType

The **ZonalResult** data type is used for indicating exception conditions for zonal matching.

ZonalResult ::= ENUMERATED {
 cannot-select-mapping **(0),**
 zero-mappings **(2),**
 multiple-mappings **(3) }**

The values:

- a) **cannot-select-mapping** is the result when the information provided in the base object name and subfilter is insufficient to identify the mapping that is to be used in the zonal matching rule. The corresponding match produces a result of undefined. None of the subfilters having mappable filter items according to the **&applicableTo** specification will accordingly not evaluate to **TRUE**.

NOTE 4 – Within a service specific administrative area and for properly designed search-rules the analysis of the search argument should have detected insufficient information in the search argument.

- b) **zero-mappings** is the result when the information provided in the filter item(s) to be mapped cannot be mapped, either because no corresponding item exists in the mapping table, or because the mapping process produced zero filter items to be matched against entries. In this situation, a **serviceError** with problem **requestedServiceNotAvailable** shall be returned. The notification **component** of **CommonResults** shall contain:

- i) a **searchServiceProblem** notification attribute with the value **id-pr-unmatchedKeyAttributes**; and
- ii) a **filterItem** notification attribute indicating the mappable filter items unable to provide a match.

- c) **multiple-mappings** is the result when the information provided in the filter item(s) can successfully be mapped to multiple entries of the gazetteer. The corresponding match produces a value **TRUE**, but can, nevertheless, cause the search to be abandoned with an error. In this situation, a **serviceError** with problem **requestedServiceNotAvailable** shall be returned. The notification **component** of **CommonResults** shall contain:

- i) a **searchServiceProblem** notification attribute with the value **id-pr-ambiguousKeyAttributes**; and
- ii) a **multipleMatchingLocalities** notification attribute as indicated by the **zonalMatch** matching rule.

The **zonalMatch** matching rule is the mapping-based matching rule associated with any instance of the **ZONAL-MATCHING** information object class.

zonalMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 UNIQUE-MATCH-INDICATOR **multipleMatchingLocalities**
 ID **id-mr-zonalMatch }**

This mapping-based matching rule includes the **UNIQUE-MATCH-INDICATOR** field, which implies that matching against the gazetteer shall give an unambiguous result. If several table entries match in the mapping process, the **multipleMatchingLocalities** notification attribute (see 5.12.14) is returned in the **notification** parameter of **CommonResults** of the **search** result together with an attribute error with problem **ambiguousKeyAttributes**. A value of the **multipleMatchingLocalities** notification attribute is included for each table entry matched on the gazetteer. Each such value shall be a set-of **AttributeValueAssertion** specification that if supplied in **AND**'ed **equality** filter items in each subfilter would give a unique match against the corresponding table entry. This will allow the user in a subsequent Search request to select one of the returned notification attribute values to be reflected in the filter.

SECTION 4 – CONTEXTS

7 Definition of Context Types

This Directory Specification defines a number of context types which may be found useful across a range of applications of the Directory.

7.1 Language Context

The *Language Context* associates an attribute value with a specific language(s):

```
languageContext CONTEXT ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    LanguageContextSyntax
    ID             id-avc-language }
```

LanguageContextSyntax ::= PrintableString (SIZE(2..3)) -- ISO 639-2 codes only

A presented value is considered to match a stored value if the sequence of characters in the presented value is identical to that in the stored value.

7.2 Temporal Context

The *Temporal Context* associates an attribute value with a set of times. Various expressions of time are possible, including:

- absolute start or end times (e.g. 24:00 December 14, 1994);
- specific time bands within the day (e.g. 09:00 to 17:00);
- days within the week (e.g. Monday);
- days within the month (e.g. the 10th; the 2nd last day, etc.);
- months within the year (e.g. March);
- a particular year (e.g. 1995);
- weeks within the month (e.g. the second week);
- periodic day or week (e.g. every 2nd week);
- logical negatives (e.g. not Monday).

```
temporalContext CONTEXT ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    TimeSpecification
    ASSERTED AS    TimeAssertion
    ID             id-avc-temporal }
```

```
TimeSpecification ::= SEQUENCE {
    time             CHOICE {
        absolute      SEQUENCE {
            startTime [0] GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL,
            endTime   [1] GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL },
        periodic      SET OF Period },
    notThisTime      BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE,
    timeZone          TimeZone OPTIONAL }
```

```
Period ::= SEQUENCE {
    timesOfDay [0] SET SIZE (1..MAX) OF DayTimeBand OPTIONAL,
    days [1] CHOICE {
        intDay SET OF INTEGER,
        bitDay BIT STRING { sunday (0), monday (1), tuesday (2),
            wednesday (3), thursday (4), friday (5), saturday (6) },
        dayOf XDayOf } OPTIONAL,
    weeks [2] CHOICE {
        allWeeks NULL,
        intWeek SET OF INTEGER,
        bitWeek BIT STRING { week1 (0), week2 (1), week3 (2), week4 (3),
            week5 (4) } } OPTIONAL,
```

```

months      [3]  CHOICE {
                    allMonths  NULL,
                    intMonth   SET OF INTEGER,
                    bitMonth   BIT STRING { january (0), february (1), march (2), april (3),
                                   may (4), june (5), july (6), august (7), september (8),
                                   october (9), november (10), december (11) }
                } OPTIONAL,
years       [4]  SET OF INTEGER (1000 .. MAX) OPTIONAL }

```

```

XDayOf ::= CHOICE {
    first      [1]  NamedDay,
    second     [2]  NamedDay,
    third      [3]  NamedDay,
    fourth     [4]  NamedDay,
    fifth      [5]  NamedDay }

```

```

NamedDay ::= CHOICE {
    intNamedDays  ENUMERATED {
        sunday      (1),
        monday      (2),
        tuesday     (3),
        wednesday   (4),
        thursday    (5),
        friday       (6),
        saturday    (7) },
    bitNamedDays  BIT STRING { sunday (0), monday (1), tuesday (2),
                               wednesday (3), thursday (4), friday (5), saturday (6) } }

```

```

DayTimeBand ::= SEQUENCE {
    startDayTime [0]  DayTime DEFAULT { hour 0 },
    endDayTime   [1]  DayTime DEFAULT { hour 23, minute 59, second 59 } }

```

```

DayTime ::= SEQUENCE {
    hour      [0]  INTEGER (0..23),
    minute    [1]  INTEGER (0..59) DEFAULT 0,
    second     [2]  INTEGER (0..59) DEFAULT 0 }

```

```

TimeZone ::= INTEGER (-12..12)

```

```

TimeAssertion ::= CHOICE {
    now      NULL,
    at       GeneralizedTime,
    between  SEQUENCE {
        startTime [0]  GeneralizedTime,
        endTime   [1]  GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL,
        entirely   BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE } }

```

The **absolute** choice of **time** expresses a specific time or time band using absolute time notations (GeneralizedTime). A specific time is expressed by setting the **startTime** equal to the **endTime**. Otherwise, **startTime** is earlier in time than **endTime** and a span of time is expressed. If **endTime** is missing the time span includes all times after **startTime**.

periodic allows the specification of time as a set of periods. The combined effect is a logical OR of the set.

NOTE 1 – Alternatively, an attribute value could be associated with the temporal context with multiple context values, one for each of the periods, since this also acts a logical OR. However, the SET OF is included here to allow **notThisTime** to cover the set and thus effect a logical 'neither'. When **notThisTime** is FALSE, the choice of which approach to use to specify a set of periods is up to the specifier.

Within each Period each element in the SEQUENCE OF is considered as "within" the following element in the SEQUENCE OF. The SEQUENCE OF is in rising order of granularity of time period, although not all levels may be present.

The final element in a **Period** is assumed to be valid for all time periods of higher granularity.

NOTE 2 – For example, if a **Period** SEQUENCE OF ends with **timesOfDay**, it is considered valid for all days.

A **timesOfDay** indicates the valid time bands during the days specified in the next element of **Period**. If **days** is not the next element, then the time bands are valid for all possible days within the next element. If **timesOfDay** is not included, all times of the day are valid within the next element. Different time bands may be specified for different days, by having multiple occurrences of **Period**.

The **days** element expresses specific days of a week, month or year depending on the next element of **Period**. If **days** precedes **weeks** in a **Period**, then it expresses days of the week and the INTEGERS are constrained to the values 1 to 7, where 1 is Sunday. If **days** precedes **months** in a **Period**, then it expresses days in the month and the INTEGERS are constrained to the values 1 to 31, where 1 is the first day of the month. If **days** precedes **years** in a **Period**, then it expresses days of the year and the INTEGERS are constrained to the values 1 to 366, where 1 is the first day of the year.

dayOf is used to indicate the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th occurrence of the **NamedDay** in a month (e.g. the first Monday of the month, or the second Tuesday and Friday of August). The use of **fifth** shall always indicate the last **NamedDay** of that month (e.g. the last Tuesday of July). If the **dayOf** choice for **days** is specified, then the **weeks** element of **Period** is not meaningful if present and is ignored.

If **days** is not specified, then all days are valid within the next element of the **Period**.

The **weeks** element expresses specific weeks of a month or year, depending on the next element of **Period**. If **weeks** precedes months in a **Period**, then it expresses weeks of the month and the INTEGERS are constrained to the values 1 to 5, where 1 is the first week of the month. The first week of the month shall be assumed to be the first week containing at least four days of that month. The fifth week always means the last week of the month.

If **weeks** precedes years in a **Period**, then it expresses weeks of the year and the INTEGERS are constrained to the values 1 to 53, where 1 is the first week of the year. The first week of the year shall be assumed to be the first week containing at least four days of that year. The 53rd week is always the last week of the year.

If **allWeeks** is specified, then all weeks are valid within the next element of the **Period** (this allows **days** to express days of the week for all weeks).

If **weeks** is not specified, then all weeks are valid within the next element of the **Period**.

The **months** element expresses specific months of the year. When **months** is expressed with INTEGERS, the INTEGERS are constrained to the values 1 to 12, where 1 is the first month of the year (i.e. January).

If **allMonths** is specified, then all months of the year are valid (this allows **weeks** to express weeks of the month for all months, or if **weeks** is not specified it allows **days** to express days of the month for all months).

If **months** is not specified, then all months of the year are valid.

The **years** component expresses one or more years. If **years** is not specified, then all years are valid.

timeZone expresses the time zone, in hours delta from GMT, in which **time** is expressed. If **timeZone** is not present, a DSA processing the temporal context shall interpret the **time** relevant in the time zone of the DSA.

If **notThisTime** is **FALSE**, then the temporal context value is the time expressed in **time** in the **TimeSpecification**. If **notThisTime** is **TRUE**, then the temporal context value is considered to be all time except that expressed in **time** in the **TimeSpecification** (that is, a logical NOT is performed).

A time assertion is considered to match a time specification if there is an overlap in the times specified. If the time assertion contains **now**, then the current time is used in the evaluation. If **now** or **at** is specified, then the assertion is considered true if the specific time falls within the times covered by the stored **TimeSpecification**. If the time assertion uses **between** and **entirely** is **FALSE**, then the assertion is considered true if any portion of the **between** time band falls within the times covered by the stored **TimeSpecification** (the overlap need not be complete: as long as there is a period of overlap within the two time specifications, they are considered to match). If the time assertion uses **between** and **entirely** is **TRUE**, then the assertion is considered true only if the entire **between** time band falls within the times covered by the stored **TimeSpecification**.

Examples

NOTE 3 – The following examples use the **INTEGER** formats for elements where a choice is available of **INTEGER** or **BIT STRING**.

- a) 09:00 to 17:00 every day, would be expressed as:

```
periodic {
    timesOfDay { {
        startDayTime hour 9,
        endDayTime hour 17 } } }
```

- b) Every Monday would be expressed as:

```
periodic {
    days intDay : {2} }
```

- c) 09:00 to 12:00 noon Monday to Friday and all day Saturday during January, and all day for Tuesdays in February and March would be expressed as:

```
periodic {
    timesOfDay { {
        startDayTime hour    9,
        endDayTime hour      12 } }
    days      intDay : {2,3,4,5,6},
    weeks      allWeeks : NULL,
    months      intMonth : {1} },

    {    days      {7},
        weeks      {1,2,3,4,5}
        months      {1} }

    {    days      {3}
        weeks      {1,2,3,4,5},
        months      {2,3} } }
```

- d) All of August 1996 would be expressed as:

```
periodic {
    {    months {8}
        years {1996} } }
```

- e) The first day of every month would be expressed as:

```
periodic {
    {    days {1}
        months NULL } }
```

7.3 Locale Context

The *Locale Context* associates an attribute value with a specific locale(s) as defined in POSIX:

```
localeContext CONTEXT ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX    LocaleContextSyntax
    ID              id-avc-locale }

LocaleContextSyntax ::= CHOICE {
    localeID1    OBJECT IDENTIFIER,
    localeID2    DirectoryString {ub-localeContextSyntax} }
```

A presented value is considered to match a stored value if they are both object identifiers and the two object identifiers are equal, or they are both strings and are the same.

Only registered object identifiers or strings for locales may be used as context values. The concept of locales is described in ISO/IEC 9945-2:1993, Information technology – Portable Operating System Interface (POSIX) – Part 2: Shell and Utilities.

NOTE – Registration authorities will be created to assign OIDs and/or string identifiers to locale specifications. For example, the European Committee for Standardization, CEN, has published a European standard for registration of locale information, ENV12005 :1996, Procedures for European Registration of Cultural Elements.

Annex A

Selected attribute types in ASN.1

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation | International Standard)

This annex includes all of the ASN.1 type and value definitions contained in this Directory Specification in the form of the ASN.1 module **SelectedAttributeTypes**.

SelectedAttributeTypes {joint-iso-itu-t ds(5) module(1) selectedAttributeTypes(5) 4}

DEFINITIONS ::=

BEGIN

-- EXPORTS All --

-- The types and values defined in this module are exported for use in the other ASN.1 modules contained within the Directory Specifications, and for the use of other applications which will use them to access Directory services. Other applications may use them for their own purposes, but this will not constrain extensions and modifications needed to maintain or improve the Directory service.

IMPORTS

-- from ITU-T Rec. X.501 | ISO/IEC 9594-2

directoryAbstractService, id-at, id-avc, id-cat, id-mr, id-not, id-pr, informationFramework, serviceAdministration, upperBounds
FROM UsefulDefinitions {joint-iso-itu-t ds(5) module(1) usefulDefinitions(0) 4 }

Attribute, ATTRIBUTE, AttributeType, AttributeValueAssertion, CONTEXT, ContextAssertion, DistinguishedName, distinguishedNameMatch, MAPPING-BASED-MATCHING{ }, MATCHING-RULE, OBJECT-CLASS, objectIdentifierMatch
FROM InformationFramework informationFramework

AttributeCombination, ContextCombination, MRMapping
FROM ServiceAdministration serviceAdministration

-- from ITU-T Rec. X.511 | ISO/IEC 9594-3

FilterItem, HierarchySelections, SearchControlOptions, ServiceControlOptions
FROM DirectoryAbstractService directoryAbstractService

-- from ITU-T Rec. X.520 | ISO/IEC 9594-6

ub-answerback, ub-business-category, ub-common-name, ub-country-code, ub-description, ub-destination-indicator, ub-directory-string-first-component-match, ub-international-isdn-number, ub-knowledge-information, ub-localeContextSyntax, ub-locality-name, ub-match, ub-name, ub-organization-name, ub-organizational-unit-name, ub-physical-office-name, ub-postal-code, ub-postal-line, ub-postal-string, ub-post-office-box, ub-pseudonym, ub-serial-number, ub-state-name, ub-street-address, ub-surname, ub-telephone-number, ub-telex-number, ub-teletext-terminal-id, ub-title, ub-user-password, ub-x121-address
FROM UpperBounds upperBounds

-- from ITU-T Rec. X.411 | ISO/IEC 10021-4

G3FacsimileNonBasicParameters
FROM MTSAbstractService{joint-iso-itu-t mhs(6) mts(3) modules(0)
mts-abstract-service(1) version-1999(1) } ;

-- Directory string type --

DirectoryString { **INTEGER** : maxSize } ::= **CHOICE** {
teletexString **TeletexString** (**SIZE** (1..maxSize)),
printableString **PrintableString** (**SIZE** (1..maxSize)),
bmpString **BMPString** (**SIZE** (1..maxSize)),
universalString **UniversalString** (**SIZE** (1..maxSize)),
utf8String **UTF8String** (**SIZE** (1..maxSize)) }

-- Attribute types --

knowledgeInformation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-knowledge-information}**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreMatch**
 ID **id-at-knowledgeInformation }**

name ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-name}**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreMatch**
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch**
 ID **id-at-name }**

commonName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF **name**
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-common-name}**
 ID **id-at-commonName }**

surname ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF **name**
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-surname}**
 ID **id-at-surname }**

givenName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF **name**
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-name}**
 ID **id-at-givenName }**

initials ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF **name**
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-name}**
 ID **id-at-initials }**

generationQualifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF **name**
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-name}**
 ID **id-at-generationQualifier }**

uniqueIdentifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **UniqueIdentifier**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **bitStringMatch**
 ID **id-at-uniqueIdentifier }**

UniqueIdentifier ::= BIT STRING

dnQualifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **PrintableString**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreMatch**
 ORDERING MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreOrderingMatch**
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch**
 ID **id-at-dnQualifier }**

serialNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-serial-number))**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreMatch**
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE **caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch**
 ID **id-at-serialNumber }**

pseudonym ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF **name**
 WITH SYNTAX **DirectoryString {ub-pseudonym}**
 ID **id-at-pseudonym }**

countryName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX CountryName
 SINGLE VALUE TRUE
 ID id-at-countryName }

CountryName ::= PrintableString (SIZE(2)) *-- ISO 3166 codes only*

localityName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-locality-name}
 ID id-at-localityName }

collectiveLocalityName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF localityName
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveLocalityName }

stateOrProvinceName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-state-name}
 ID id-at-stateOrProvinceName }

collectiveStateOrProvinceName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF stateOrProvinceName
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveStateOrProvinceName }

streetAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-street-address}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-streetAddress }

collectiveStreetAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF streetAddress
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveStreetAddress }

houseIdentifier ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-name}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-houseIdentifier }

organizationName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-organization-name}
 ID id-at-organizationName }

collectiveOrganizationName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF organizationName
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveOrganizationName }

organizationalUnitName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-organizational-unit-name}
 ID id-at-organizationalUnitName }

collectiveOrganizationalUnitName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF organizationalUnitName
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveOrganizationalUnitName }

title ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-title}
 ID id-at-title }

description ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-description}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caselgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caselgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-description }

searchGuide ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX Guide
 ID id-at-searchGuide }

Guide ::= SET {
 objectClass [0] OBJECT-CLASS.&id OPTIONAL,
 criteria [1] Criteria }

Criteria ::= CHOICE {
 type [0] Criterialtem,
 and [1] SET OF Criteria,
 or [2] SET OF Criteria,
 not [3] Criteria }

Criterialtem ::= CHOICE {
 equality [0] AttributeType,
 substrings [1] AttributeType,
 greaterOrEqual [2] AttributeType,
 lessOrEqual [3] AttributeType,
 approximateMatch [4] AttributeType }

enhancedSearchGuide ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX EnhancedGuide
 ID id-at-enhancedSearchGuide }

EnhancedGuide ::= SEQUENCE {
 objectClass [0] OBJECT-CLASS.&id,
 criteria [1] Criteria,
 subset [2] INTEGER
 { baseObject (0), oneLevel (1), wholeSubtree (2) } **DEFAULT** oneLevel }

businessCategory ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-business-category}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caselgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caselgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-businessCategory }

postalAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX PostalAddress
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caselgnoreListMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caselgnoreListSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-postalAddress }

PostalAddress ::= SEQUENCE SIZE(1..ub-postal-line) OF DirectoryString {ub-postal-string}

collectivePostalAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF postalAddress
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectivePostalAddress }

postalCode ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-postal-code}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caselgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caselgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-postalCode }

collectivePostalCode ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF postalCode
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectivePostalCode }

postOfficeBox ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-post-office-box}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-postOfficeBox }

collectivePostOfficeBox ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF postOfficeBox
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectivePostOfficeBox }

physicalDeliveryOfficeName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-physical-office-name}
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-physicalDeliveryOfficeName }

collectivePhysicalDeliveryOfficeName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF physicalDeliveryOfficeName
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectivePhysicalDeliveryOfficeName }

telephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX TelephoneNumber
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE telephoneNumberMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-telephoneNumber }

TelephoneNumber ::= PrintableString (SIZE(1..ub-telephone-number))
 -- String complying with ITU-T Rec. E.123 only

collectiveTelephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF telephoneNumber
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveTelephoneNumber }

telexNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX TelexNumber
 ID id-at-telexNumber }

TelexNumber ::= SEQUENCE {
 telexNumber PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-telex-number)),
 countryCode PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-country-code)),
 answerback PrintableString (SIZE (1..ub-answerback)) }

collectiveTelexNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF telexNumber
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveTelexNumber }

facsimileTelephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX FacsimileTelephoneNumber
 ID id-at-facsimileTelephoneNumber }

FacsimileTelephoneNumber ::= SEQUENCE {
 telephoneNumber TelephoneNumber,
 parameters G3FacsimileNonBasicParameters OPTIONAL }

collectiveFacsimileTelephoneNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF facsimileTelephoneNumber
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveFacsimileTelephoneNumber }

x121Address ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX X121Address
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE numericStringMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE numericStringSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-x121Address }

X121Address ::= NumericString (SIZE(1..ub-x121-address))
 -- String as defined by ITU-T Rec. X.121

internationalISDNNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX InternationalISDNNumber
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE numericStringMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE numericStringSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-internationalISDNNumber }

InternationalISDNNumber ::= NumericString (SIZE(1..ub-international-isdn-number))
 -- String complying with ITU-T Rec. E.164 only

collectiveInternationalISDNNumber ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF internationalISDNNumber
 COLLECTIVE TRUE
 ID id-at-collectiveInternationalISDNNumber }

registeredAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF postalAddress
 WITH SYNTAX PostalAddress
 ID id-at-registeredAddress }

destinationIndicator ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DestinationIndicator
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreMatch
 SUBSTRINGS MATCHING RULE caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch
 ID id-at-destinationIndicator }

DestinationIndicator ::= PrintableString (SIZE(1..ub-destination-indicator))
 -- alphabetical characters only

communicationsService ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
 ID id-at-communicationsService }

communicationsNetwork ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
 SINGLE VALUE TRUE
 ID id-at-communicationsNetwork }

preferredDeliveryMethod ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX PreferredDeliveryMethod
 SINGLE VALUE TRUE
 ID id-at-preferredDeliveryMethod }

PreferredDeliveryMethod ::= SEQUENCE OF INTEGER {
 any-delivery-method (0),
 mhs-delivery (1),
 physical-delivery (2),
 telex-delivery (3),
 teletex-delivery (4),
 g3-facsimile-delivery (5),
 g4-facsimile-delivery (6),
 ia5-terminal-delivery (7),
 videotex-delivery (8),
 telephone-delivery (9) }

presentationAddress ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX PresentationAddress
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE presentationAddressMatch
 SINGLE VALUE TRUE
 ID id-at-presentationAddress }

PresentationAddress ::= SEQUENCE {
 pSelector [0] OCTET STRING OPTIONAL,
 sSelector [1] OCTET STRING OPTIONAL,
 tSelector [2] OCTET STRING OPTIONAL,
 nAddresses [3] SET SIZE (1..MAX) OF OCTET STRING }

supportedApplicationContext ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
 ID id-at-supportedApplicationContext }

protocolInformation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX ProtocolInformation
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE protocolInformationMatch
 ID id-at-protocolInformation }

ProtocolInformation ::= SEQUENCE {
 nAddress OCTET STRING,
 profiles SET OF OBJECT IDENTIFIER }

distinguishedName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX DistinguishedName
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE distinguishedNameMatch
 ID id-at-distinguishedName }

member ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF distinguishedName
 ID id-at-member }

uniqueMember ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX NameAndOptionalUID
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE uniqueMemberMatch
 ID id-at-uniqueMember }

NameAndOptionalUID ::= SEQUENCE {
 dn DistinguishedName,
 uid UniqueIdentifier OPTIONAL }

owner ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF distinguishedName
 ID id-at-owner }

roleOccupant ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF distinguishedName
 ID id-at-roleOccupant }

seeAlso ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF distinguishedName
 ID id-at-seeAlso }

dmdName ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 SUBTYPE OF name
 WITH SYNTAX DirectoryString{ub-common-name}
 ID id-at-dmdName }

-- Notification attributes --

dSAPProblem ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE objectIdentifierMatch
 ID id-not-dSAPProblem }

searchServiceProblem ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 SINGLE VALUE **TRUE**
 ID **id-not-searchServiceProblem }**

serviceType ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 SINGLE VALUE **TRUE**
 ID **id-not-serviceType }**

attributeTypeList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 ID **id-not-attributeTypeList }**

matchingRuleList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 ID **id-not-matchingRuleList }**

filterItem ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **FilterItem**
 ID **id-not-filterItem }**

attributeCombinations ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **AttributeCombination**
 ID **id-not-attributeCombinations }**

contextTypeList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 ID **id-not-contextTypeList }**

contextList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **ContextAssertion**
 ID **id-not-contextList }**

contextCombinations ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **ContextCombination**
 ID **id-not-contextCombinations }**

hierarchySelectList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **HierarchySelections**
 SINGLE VALUE **TRUE**
 ID **id-not-hierarchySelectList }**

searchControlOptionsList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **SearchControlOptions**
 SINGLE VALUE **TRUE**
 ID **id-not-searchControlOptionsList }**

serviceControlOptionsList ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **ServiceControlOptions**
 SINGLE VALUE **TRUE**
 ID **id-not-serviceControlOptionsList }**

multipleMatchingLocalities ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **MultipleMatchingLocalities**
 ID **id-not-multipleMatchingLocalities }**

MultipleMatchingLocalities ::= SEQUENCE {
 matchingRuleUsed **MATCHING-RULE.&id OPTIONAL,**
 attributeList **SEQUENCE OF AttributeValueAssertion }**

proposedRelaxation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **SEQUENCE OF MRMapping**
 ID **id-not-proposedRelaxation }**

appliedRelaxation ATTRIBUTE ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX **OBJECT IDENTIFIER**
 EQUALITY MATCHING RULE **objectIdentifierMatch**
 ID **id-not-appliedRelaxation }**

-- Matching rules --

caseIgnoreMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
 ID id-mr-caseIgnoreMatch }

caseIgnoreOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
 ID id-mr-caseIgnoreOrderingMatch }

caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX SubstringAssertion
 ID id-mr-caseIgnoreSubstringsMatch }

SubstringAssertion ::= SEQUENCE OF CHOICE {
 initial **[0]** DirectoryString {ub-match},
 any **[1]** DirectoryString {ub-match},
 final **[2]** DirectoryString {ub-match},
 control Attribute } *-- Used to specify interpretation of the following items*
-- at most one initial and one final component

caseExactMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
 ID id-mr-caseExactMatch }

caseExactOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
 ID id-mr-caseExactOrderingMatch }

caseExactSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX SubstringAssertion *-- only the PrintableString choice*
 ID id-mr-caseExactSubstringsMatch }

numericStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX NumericString
 ID id-mr-numericStringMatch }

numericStringOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX NumericString
 ID id-mr-numericStringOrderingMatch }

numericStringSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX SubstringAssertion
 ID id-mr-numericStringSubstringsMatch }

caseIgnoreListMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX CaseIgnoreList
 ID id-mr-caseIgnoreListMatch }

CaseIgnoreList ::= SEQUENCE OF DirectoryString {ub-match}

caseIgnoreListSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX SubstringAssertion
 ID id-mr-caseIgnoreListSubstringsMatch }

storedPrefixMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
 SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
 ID id-mr-storedPrefixMatch }

booleanMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **BOOLEAN**
ID **id-mr-booleanMatch }**

integerMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **INTEGER**
ID **id-mr-integerMatch }**

integerOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **INTEGER**
ID **id-mr-integerOrderingMatch }**

bitStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **BIT STRING**
ID **id-mr-bitStringMatch }**

octetStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **OCTET STRING**
ID **id-mr-octetStringMatch }**

octetStringOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **OCTET STRING**
ID **id-mr-octetStringOrderingMatch }**

octetStringSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **OctetSubstringAssertion**
ID **id-mr-octetStringSubstringsMatch }**

OctetSubstringAssertion ::= SEQUENCE OF CHOICE {
initial **[0] OCTET STRING,**
any **[1] OCTET STRING,**
final **[2] OCTET STRING }**
-- at most one initial and one final component

telephoneNumberMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **PrintableString**
ID **id-mr-telephoneNumberMatch }**

telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **SubstringAssertion**
ID **id-mr-telephoneNumberSubstringsMatch }**

presentationAddressMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **PresentationAddress**
ID **id-mr-presentationAddressMatch }**

uniqueMemberMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **NameAndOptionalUID**
ID **id-mr-uniqueMemberMatch }**

protocolInformationMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **OCTET STRING**
ID **id-mr-protocolInformationMatch }**

uTCTimeMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **UTCTime**
ID **id-mr-uTCTimeMatch }**

uTCTimeOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **UTCTime**
ID **id-mr-uTCTimeOrderingMatch }**

generalizedTimeMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX **GeneralizedTime**
-- as per 41.3 b) or c) of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1
ID **id-mr-generalizedTimeMatch }**

generalizedTimeOrderingMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX GeneralizedTime
-- as per 41.3 b) or c) of ITU-T Rec. X.680 | ISO/IEC 8824-1
ID id-mr-generalizedTimeOrderingMatch }

systemProposedMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
ID id-mr-systemProposedMatch }

integerFirstComponentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX INTEGER
ID id-mr-integerFirstComponentMatch }

objectIdentifierFirstComponentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX OBJECT IDENTIFIER
ID id-mr-objectIdentifierFirstComponentMatch }

directoryStringFirstComponentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-directory-string-first-component-match}
ID id-mr-directoryStringFirstComponentMatch }

wordMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
ID id-mr-wordMatch }

keywordMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX DirectoryString {ub-match}
ID id-mr-keywordMatch }

generalWordMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
SYNTAX SubstringAssertion
ID id-mr-generalWordMatch }

sequenceMatchType ATTRIBUTE ::= {
WITH SYNTAX SequenceMatchType
SINGLE VALUE TRUE
ID id-cat-sequenceMatchType } *-- defaulting to sequenceExact*

SequenceMatchType ::= ENUMERATED {
sequenceExact (0),
sequenceDeletion (1),
sequenceRestrictedDeletion (2),
sequencePermutation (3),
sequencePermutationAndDeletion (4),
sequenceProviderDefined (5) }

wordMatchTypes ATTRIBUTE ::= {
WITH SYNTAX WordMatchTypes
SINGLE VALUE TRUE
ID id-cat-wordMatchType } *-- defaulting to wordExact*

WordMatchTypes ::= ENUMERATED {
wordExact (0),
wordTruncated (1),
wordPhonetic (2),
wordProviderDefined (3) }

characterMatchTypes ATTRIBUTE ::= {
WITH SYNTAX CharacterMatchTypes
SINGLE VALUE TRUE
ID id-cat-characterMatchTypes }

CharacterMatchTypes ::= ENUMERATED {
characterExact (0),
characterCaseIgnore (1),
characterMapped (2) }

```

selectedContexts ATTRIBUTE ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      ContextAssertion
    ID               id-cat-selectedContexts }

```

```

approximateStringMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    ID               id-mr-approximateStringMatch }

```

```

ignoreIfAbsentMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    ID               id-mr-ignoreIfAbsentMatch }

```

```

nullMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    ID               id-mr-nullMatch }

```

ZONAL-MATCHING ::= MAPPING-BASED-MATCHING { ZonalSelect, TRUE, ZonalResult, zonalMatch }

ZonalSelect ::= SEQUENCE OF AttributeType

```

ZonalResult ::= ENUMERATED {
    cannot-select-mapping      (0),
    zero-mappings              (2),
    multiple-mappings          (3) }

```

```

zonalMatch MATCHING-RULE ::= {
    UNIQUE-MATCH-INDICATOR    multipleMatchingLocalities
    ID                         id-mr-zonalMatch }

```

-- Contexts --

```

languageContext CONTEXT ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      LanguageContextSyntax
    ID               id-avc-language }

```

LanguageContextSyntax ::= PrintableString (SIZE(2..3)) → ISO 639-2 codes only

```

temporalContext CONTEXT ::= {
    WITH SYNTAX      TimeSpecification
    ASSERTED AS      TimeAssertion
    ID               id-avc-temporal }

```

```

TimeSpecification ::= SEQUENCE {
    time              CHOICE {
        absolute      SEQUENCE {
            startTime [0] GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL,
            endTime   [1] GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL },
        periodic      SET OF Period },
    notThisTime       BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE,
    timeZone           TimeZone OPTIONAL }

```

```

Period ::= SEQUENCE {
    timesOfDay [0] SET SIZE (1..MAX) OF DayTimeBand OPTIONAL,
    days [1] CHOICE {
        intDay SET OF INTEGER,
        bitDay BIT STRING { sunday (0), monday (1), tuesday (2),
            wednesday (3), thursday (4), friday (5), saturday (6) },
        dayOf XDayOf } OPTIONAL,
    weeks [2] CHOICE {
        allWeeks NULL,
        intWeek SET OF INTEGER,
        bitWeek BIT STRING { week1 (0), week2 (1), week3 (2), week4 (3),
            week5 (4) } } OPTIONAL,
    months [3] CHOICE {
        allMonths NULL,
        intMonth SET OF INTEGER,
        bitMonth BIT STRING { january (0), february (1), march (2), april (3),
            may (4), june (5), july (6), august (7), september (8),
            october (9), november (10), december (11) }
    } OPTIONAL,
}

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years [4] SET OF INTEGER (1000 .. MAX) OPTIONAL }

XDayOf ::= CHOICE {
 first [1] NamedDay,
 second [2] NamedDay,
 third [3] NamedDay,
 fourth [4] NamedDay,
 fifth [5] NamedDay }

NamedDay ::= CHOICE {
 intNamedDays ENUMERATED {
 sunday (1),
 monday (2),
 tuesday (3),
 wednesday (4),
 thursday (5),
 friday (6),
 saturday (7) },
 bitNamedDays BIT STRING { sunday (0), monday (1), tuesday (2),
 wednesday (3), thursday (4), friday (5), saturday (6) } }

DayTimeBand ::= SEQUENCE {
 startDayTime [0] DayTime DEFAULT { hour 0 },
 endDayTime [1] DayTime DEFAULT { hour 23, minute 59, second 59 } }

DayTime ::= SEQUENCE {
 hour [0] INTEGER (0..23),
 minute [1] INTEGER (0..59) DEFAULT 0,
 second [2] INTEGER (0..59) DEFAULT 0 }

TimeZone ::= INTEGER (-12..12)

TimeAssertion ::= CHOICE {
 now NULL,
 at GeneralizedTime,
 between SEQUENCE {
 startTime [0] GeneralizedTime,
 endTime [1] GeneralizedTime OPTIONAL,
 entirely BOOLEAN DEFAULT FALSE } }

localeContext CONTEXT ::= {
 WITH SYNTAX LocaleContextSyntax
 ID id-avc-locale }

LocaleContextSyntax ::= CHOICE {
 localeID1 OBJECT IDENTIFIER,
 localeID2 DirectoryString {ub-localeContextSyntax} }

-- Object identifier assignments --
 -- object identifiers assigned in other modules are shown in comments

-- Attributes --

-- id-at-objectClass	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 0}
-- id-at-aliasedEntryName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 1}
id-at-encryptedAliasedEntryName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 1 2}
id-at-knowledgeInformation	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 2}
id-at-commonName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 3}
id-at-encryptedCommonName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 3 2}
id-at-surname	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 4}
id-at-encryptedSurname	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 4 2}
id-at-serialNumber	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 5}
id-at-encryptedSerialNumber	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 5 2}
id-at-countryName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 6}
id-at-encryptedCountryName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 6 2}
id-at-localityName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 7}
id-at-encryptedLocalityName	OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= {id-at 7 2}