

# Schematron QuickFix

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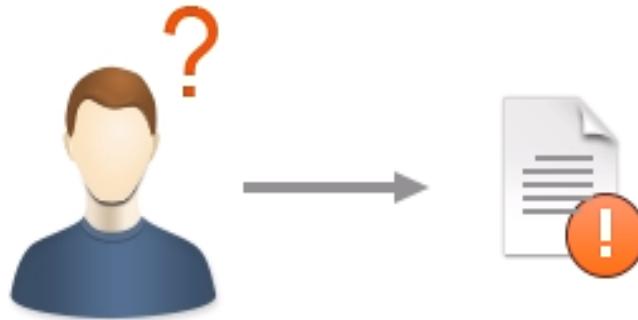
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SQF

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# Error Fixes

- Error fixing has always been a challenge
- Solutions offered by IDEs



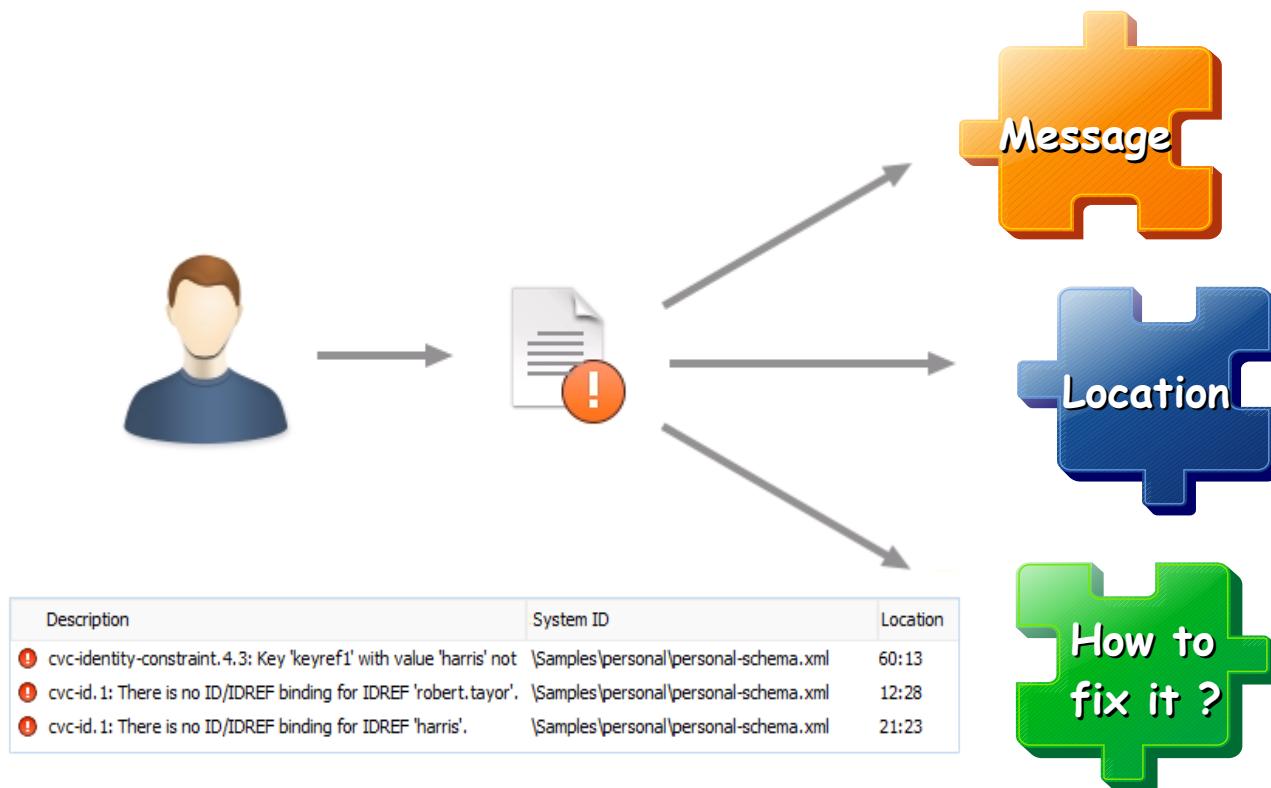
# Fix Proposals

- Using fix proposals to solve errors:
  - Better understanding of the problem
  - Less (no) mistakes
  - Saves time (money)



# XML Validation Errors

- From the user perspective the validation error is composed by three things



# Fixing XML Validation Errors



- Predefined Errors - defined in the validation engine
  - Fixes generated from the validation engine
  - Fixes based on the message (error code) and location
- Custom Errors - defined by the user
  - Difficult to generate fixes based on message and location
  - A language to create fixes is more appropriate

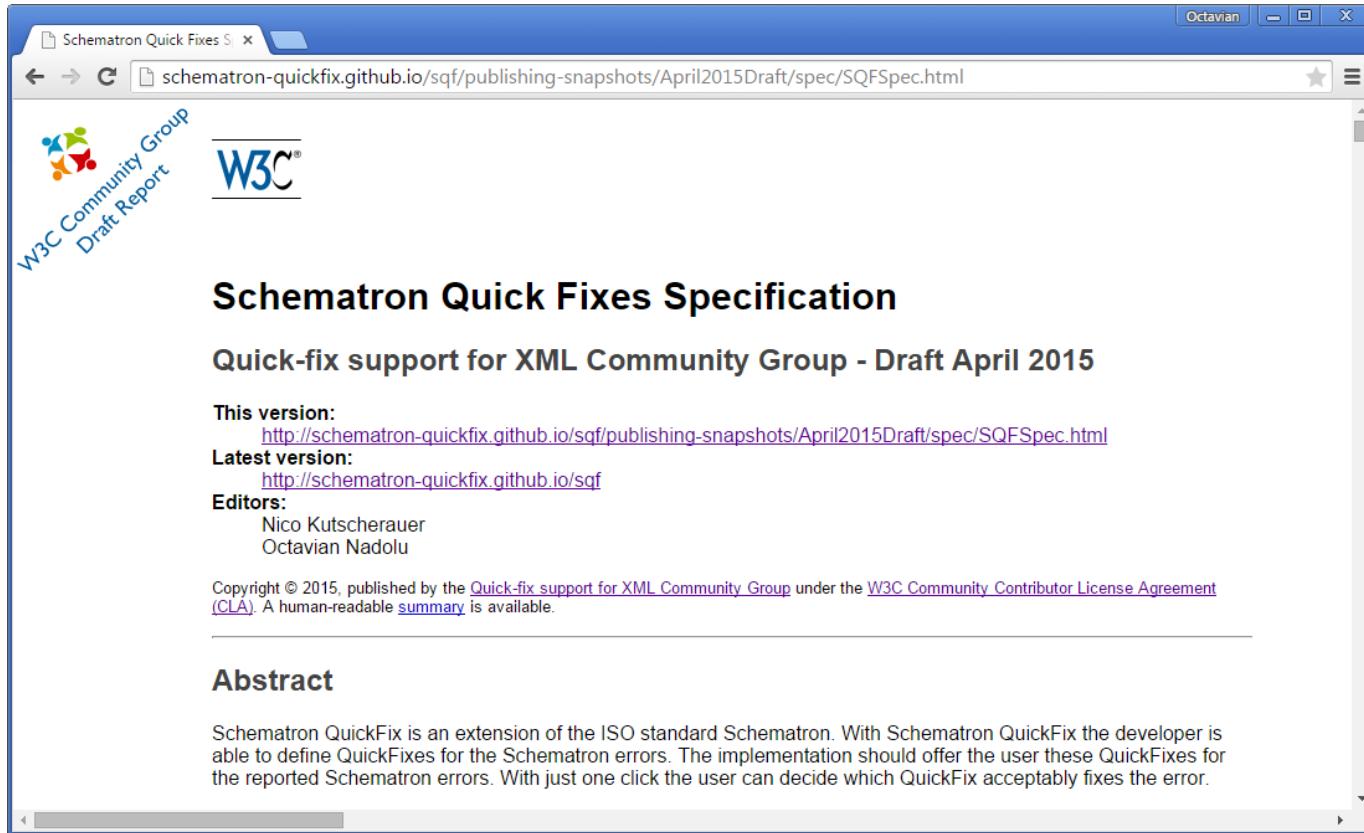
# Schematron Fix Proposals

- User defined fixes for Schematron errors
- Schematron QuickFix (SQF) language
  - Extends the Schematron language
  - SQF initiated by Nico Kutscherauer

The letters 'SQF' are rendered in a large, bold, blue font. The 'S' and 'F' are standard blocky letters, while the 'Q' is uniquely designed with a large circular loop extending from its top right side, creating a three-dimensional effect.

[www.schematron-quickfix.com](http://www.schematron-quickfix.com)  
[github.com/schematron-quickfix/sqf](https://github.com/schematron-quickfix/sqf)

# Schematron Quick Fixes Spec



The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Schematron Quick Fixes S" with the URL "schematron-quickfix.github.io/sqf/publishing-snapshots/April2015Draft/spec/SQFSpec.html". The page header includes the W3C Community Group Draft Report logo and the W3C logo. The main content is titled "Schematron Quick Fixes Specification" and "Quick-fix support for XML Community Group - Draft April 2015". It provides links for "This version" (<http://schematron-quickfix.github.io/sqf/publishing-snapshots/April2015Draft/spec/SQFSpec.html>) and "Latest version" (<http://schematron-quickfix.github.io/sqf>). It also lists "Editors: Nico Kutscherauer, Octavian Nadolu". A copyright notice at the bottom states: "Copyright © 2015, published by the [Quick-fix support for XML Community Group](#) under the [W3C Community Contributor License Agreement \(CLÄ\)](#). A human-readable [summary](#) is available."

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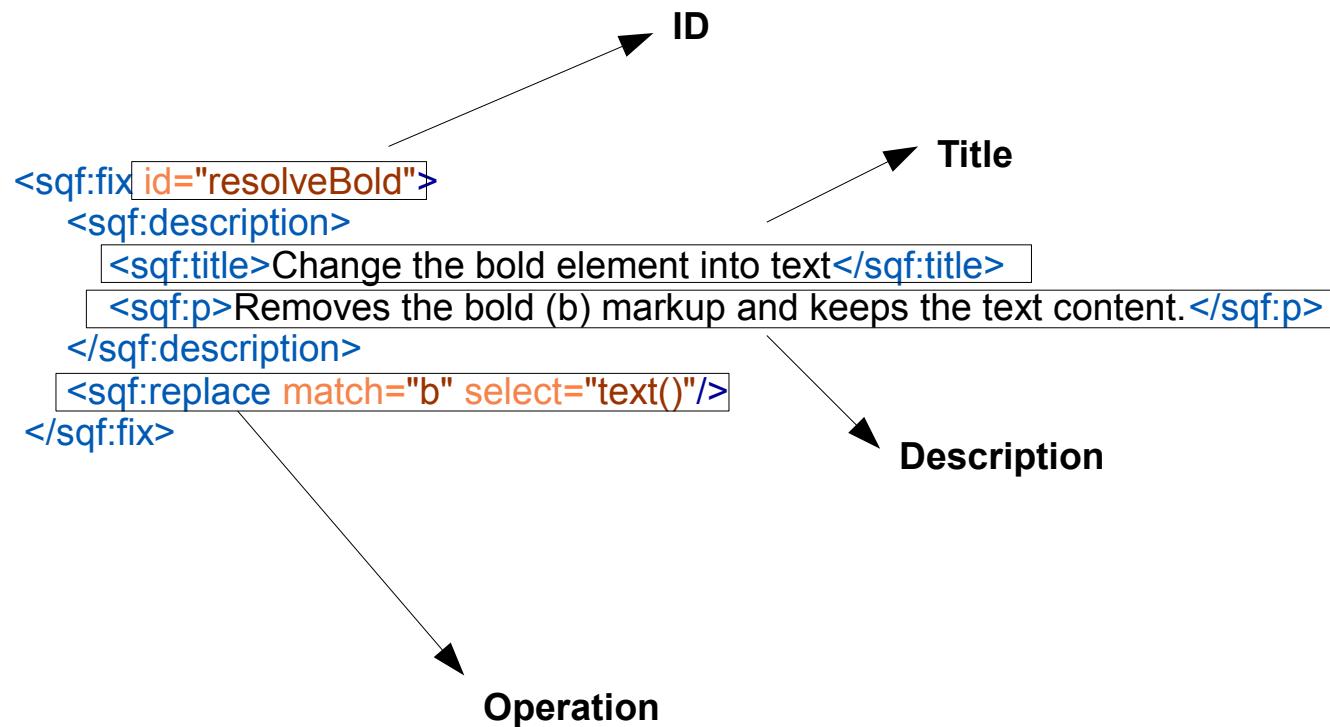
# SQF Extension of the Schematron

- Associated with assert and report elements
- Added as Schematron annotations

```
<rule context="html">
  <report test="//comment()" sqf:fix="removeComments">
    Comments are not allowed in document.</report>
```

```
<sqf:fix id="removeComments" role="delete">
  <sqf:description>
    <sqf:title>Remove all comments</sqf:title>
    <sqf:p>Remove all comment nodes from the current document</sqf:p>
  </sqf:description>
  <sqf:delete match="//comment()" />
</sqf:fix>
</rule>
```

# Schematron QuickFix (SQF)



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- Create refactoring actions using SQF
- Fix problems in external documents
- ✓ Fixes for any XML documents

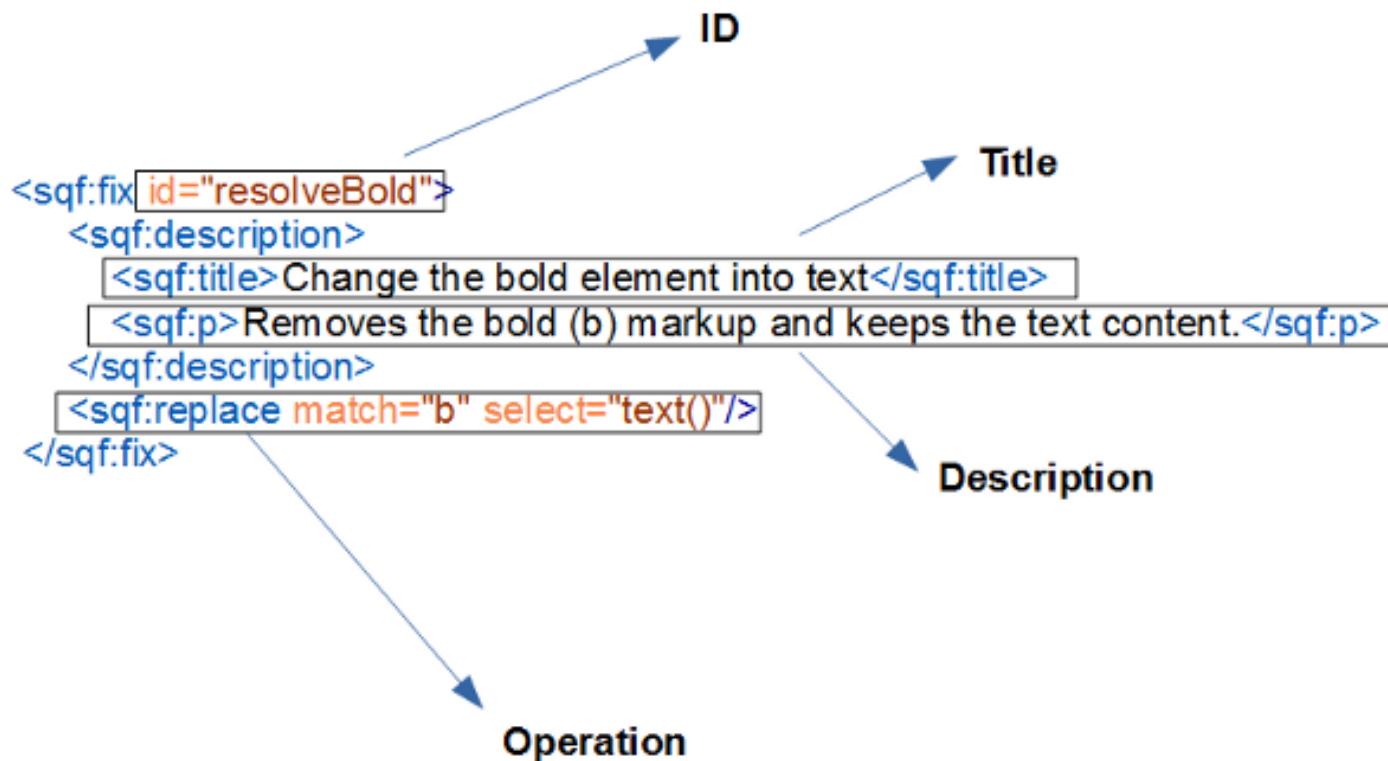
# Language Overview

- Small language
  - Keep it easy, but extensible
  - No knowledge of XSLT is needed for simple cases
  - Integrate well-known standards for more complex things
- Own Namespace with prefix sqf:  
<http://www.schematron-quickfix.com/validator/process>

Standard	Elements
XSLT 2.0	49
Schematron	21
<b>SQF</b>	<b>15</b>

# QuickFix structure

- Reference
- title & description
- Activity Elements



# Example 1

- Replace a node

```
<sch:rule context="b">
  <sch:report test="ancestor::b"
    sqf:fix="italic resolve">
    Bold in bold is not allowed.</sch:report>
  <sqf:fix id="italic">
    <sqf:description>
      <sqf:title>Change it to italic.</sqf:title>
    </sqf:description>
    <sqf:replace target="i" node-type="element" select="node()" />
  </sqf:fix>
  <sqf:fix id="resolve">
    <!--...-->
    <sqf:replace select="node()" />
  </sqf:fix>
</sch:rule>
```

# Example 2

- Move a node – delete and add

```
<sch:rule context="title">
  <sch:report test="preceding-sibling::abstract" sqf:fix="abstract">
    The abstract element shouldn't be placed before the <sch:name/> element.
  </sch:report>
  <sqf:group id="abstract">
    <sqf:fix id="abstract.moveAbstract">
      <sqf:description>
        <sqf:title>Move the abstract element after the title</sqf:title>
      </sqf:description>
      <sqf:delete match="preceding-sibling::abstract"/>
      <sqf:add match"." select="preceding-sibling::abstract" position="after"/>
    </sqf:fix>
    <sqf:fix id="abstract.moveToTitle"><!--...--></sqf:fix>
    <sqf:fix id="abstract.deleteAbstract"><!--...--></sqf:fix>
    <sqf:fix id="abstract.deleteTitle"><!--...--></sqf:fix>
  </sqf:group>
</sch:rule>
```

# Example 3

- Replace sub strings

```
<sch:rule context="text()">
  <sch:report test="matches(., '____')"
    sqf:fix="form">
    More than three underscores in a row shouldn't be used.</sch:report>
  <sqf:fix id="form">
    <sqf:description>
      <sqf:title>Replace the missused characters by a form element.</sqf:title>
    </sqf:description>
    <sqf:stringReplace regex="__+">
      <form/>
    </sqf:stringReplace>
  </sqf:fix>
</sch:rule>
```

# Example 4

- User Entry – parameter of the QuickFix

```
<sch:rule context="title">
  <sch:assert test="normalize-space(.) != \" \" sqf:fix="title"
    >A title shouldn't be empty.</sch:assert>
  <sqf:fix id="title">
    <sqf:description>
      <sqf:title>Set a title</sqf:title>
      <sqf:p>This QuickFix will set a title by using a User Entry.</sqf:p>
    </sqf:description>
    <sqf:user-entry name="title" type="xs:string">
      <sqf:description>
        <sqf:title>Please enter the new title.</sqf:title>
      </sqf:description>
    </sqf:user-entry>
    <sqf:replace target="title" node-type="element"
      select="$title" />
  </sqf:fix>
</sch:rule>
```

# Example 5

- Conditions – provide a QuickFix only if it makes sense

```
<sch:rule context="html:title">
  <sch:assert test="string-length(normalize-space(.)) gt 20 "
    sqf:fix="title">
    A title shouldn't be empty.</sch:assert>
  <sqf:fix id="title" use-when="//html:h1[1][string-length(.) le 20]">
    <sqf:description>
      <sqf:title>
        Set the title to "<sch:value-of select="//html:h1[1]" />".
      </sqf:title>
    </sqf:description>
    <sqf:replace target="title" node-type="element">
      <sch:value-of select="//html:h1[1]" />
    </sqf:replace>
  </sqf:fix>
</sch:rule>
```

# Example 6

- Generic QuickFixes – in the future

```
<sch:rule context="html:title">
  <sch:assert test="string-length(normalize-space(.)) gt 20 "
    sqf:fix="title">
    A title shouldn't be empty.</sch:assert>
  <sqf:fix id="title" use-for-each="//html:h1[string-length(.) le 20]">
    <sqf:description>
      <sqf:title>
        Set the title to "<sch:value-of select=\"$sqf:current\"/>".
      </sqf:title>
    </sqf:description>
    <sqf:replace target="title" node-type="element">
      <sch:value-of select="$sqf:current"/>
    </sqf:replace>
  </sqf:fix>
</sch:rule>
```

# Example 7

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```
<sqf:fix id="title">
  <sqf:call-fix ref="createElementRowAsFirstChild">
    <sqf:with-param name="match" select="."/>
    <sqf:with-param name="el" select="\"col\""/>
    <sqf:with-param name="count" select="count(max(.//tr/count(td|th)))"/>
  </sqf:call-fix>
</sqf:fix>
<sqf:fix id="createElementRowAsFirstChild">
  <sqf:param name="match" type="node()*/>
  <sqf:param name="el" type="xs:QName"/>
  <sqf:param name="count" type="xs:integer"/>
  <sqf:description>
    <sqf:title>Create a row of <sch:value-of select="$count"/>
      <sch:name path="$el"/> elements as a first child of the
      <sch:name path="$match"/> element(s).</sqf:title>
    </sqf:description>
    <sqf:add match="$match" position="first-child">
      <xsl:for-each select="1 to $count">
        <xsl:element name="${$el}"/>
      </xsl:for-each>
    </sqf:add>
  </sqf:fix>
```

# SQF Implementations

- <oXygen/> XML Editor validation engine

<http://www.oxygenxml.com>

- Escali Schematron engine

[http://schematron-quickfix.com/escali\\_xsm.html](http://schematron-quickfix.com/escali_xsm.html)

- Escali Schematron command line tool
- Oxygen plugin for invoking Escali Schematron

# Projects using SQF



**Thieme** - publishing company uses a custom framework to create and edit XML documents



**parsX** - it is a product developed by **pagina GmbH** used to facilitate EPUB production



**ART-DECOR** is open source tool suite that supports SDOs active in the healthcare space  
**Sample SQF embedded in XSD**



**ATX** custom framework – used by a major automotive producer

# Projects using SQF

- Dynamic Information Model (DIM) - an implementation of an intelligent style guide
- Schematron for TEI - collection of Schematron and SQF resources for TEI
- <oXygen/> DITA framework - built-in framework in <oXygen/> XML Editor for DITA documents
- <oXygen/> XML userguide - the public version of the <oXygen/> User Manual

# Conclusions and Future Plans

- SQF is a simple and useful language
- Helps users to solve the problems in less time and with fewer (no) errors
- Update the SQF specification
- Publish the second draft of the Schematron QuickFix specification

# Thank you!

## Questions?

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