

Standards Change Request

Correct Error in Examples in Section 8.3

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Provenance:

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Problem:

Section 8.3 of the current PDS Standards Reference, Version 3.7 (2006-02-01), contains incorrect examples of the rules governing path formation.

The errors in the examples are strictly an omission of the trailing slashing. The correct use of the trailing slash is described in the NOTE that follows the examples.

Current Urgency:

Priority is medium. This change is needed to correct inconsistencies noted in the current version of the PDS Standards Reference.

Proposed Solution:

Correct the examples in Section 8.3 of Version 3.7 of the Standards Reference.

(1) Change: TG15NXXX/TG15N1XX/TG15N12X
to: TG15NXXX/TG15N1XX/TG15N12X/

(2) Change: DOCUMENT
to: DOCUMENT/

Impact Assessment:

Overall impact is low.

Documentation

The above changes are to be incorporated into the "Planetary Data System Standards Reference". No changes are required in the "Planetary Science Data

Dictionary" and no changes are required to the "Proposer's Archiving Guide" or the "Archive Preparation Guide".

Interface

No affect.

Legacy Data and Software

It is possible that some legacy data could be affected (if the data preparers referred to the examples instead of the Note). PDS Validation tools will not be affected. Legacy node and user software should not be affected (unless the tool validates path formation rules in accordance with the examples instead of the NOTE).

Interagency

No affect.

Additional Information:

N/A

Requested Changes:

PDS Standards Reference

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