

## **Business Bulletin**

## The new Data Quality Framework – enhanced and simplified











## Now available: Data Quality Framework 3.0

Good quality data means that all master data in the supply chain is complete, consistent, accurate, time-stamped and industry standards-based. Data quality is the foundation of an efficient supply chain, vital to reducing errors, increasing efficiency, eliminating unnecessary costs and positively impacting customer satisfaction. Data quality also allows for more sophisticated types of collaboration between trading partners.

The Data Quality Framework (DQF) provides an industry-developed best practices guide for the improvement of data quality and allows companies to better leverage their data quality programmes and to ensure a continuously-improving cycle for the generation of master data. It details the crucial processes and capabilities that help organisations improve their data quality and maintain a sustainable good quality data output.

We are pleased to announce the release of an enhanced and simplified version 3.0 of the GDSN Data Quality Framework.

The updated Data Quality Framework (DQF) is simpler to navigate, with more examples and illustrations. The basic requirements for a data quality management system (DQMSR) have been translated into concrete, measurable process capabilities. Specific sections of the DQF can now be picked out and used separately. Most importantly, a resource toolkit is now included to allow organisations to make better use of the DQF, including a self-assessment and KPI scorecard, an implementation guide, and much more. Users will also find a step-by-step process to use the self-assessment questionnaire to assess their internal opportunities in comparison to best practices.

## Download the new version

Data Quality Framework 3.0 can be accessed here:

http://www.gs1.org/gdsn/dqf/data\_quality\_framework.

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