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2	9 June 2015	Owen Strouse and Pete Alvarez	Added GDSN attribute name to each data element
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1 Introduction

This document contains specific Global Data Synchronisation Network (GDSN) healthcare Use Cases including a specific set of implementation attributes for Medical Devices. The document was developed with the input from medical devices manufacturers, medical device trade associations, Group Purchasing Organisation, GDSN Data Pools, solution providers and GS1 Member Organisations representing multiple countries where the GDSN is being used to synchronise product data.

This document supplements the formal GS1 Global Data Synchronisation Network (GDSN) standards with advice on its implementation. This document is in no way normative or definitive and is not a standard. It includes implementation guidance for the medical device industry on a variety business process use cases. It seeks to increase consistency and ease of implementation by providing a recommended set of attributes for each use case based on actual implementations across several countries.

2 Who Will Use this Document?

This document is intended for any medical device organisation, GDSN Data Pools and their solution providers, implementing GS1 standards who are looking for guidance on how to use the GDSN to synchronise product master data for specific business processes and use cases in the healthcare sector. It is also intended for GS1 Member Organisations and GDSN Data Pools looking for GDSN implementation guidance.

2.1 GDSN and Unique Device Identification (UDI)

The GDSN guide for UDI provides complete guidance on how to use the GDSN standard and GDSN certified Data Pools to register product data in the U.S. FDA Global UDI Database (GUDID). For additional information refer to a document titled "[GDSN for the FDA Global Unique Device Identifier Database \(GUDID\)](#)".

For general information on UDI refer to the [GS1 UDI webpage](#).

2.2 Additional Implementation Guidance

In addition to this specific implementation guide for the medical device industry GS1 also maintains a [Trade Item Implementation Guide](#) which provides general implementation guidance for the GDSN. This document also includes sectors outside of healthcare which are using the GDSN.

3 Use Cases

The Use Cases contained in this document are designed to support consistent data synchronisation practices. Trading partners must have already allocated GTINs to the products for which they want to synchronise product master data and GLNs to identify each other. Some Use Cases may require the physical marking of the product. Therefore, the steps required to assign GTINs and GLNs are found in the appropriate implementation guides and not in this document.

Each use case contains the basic data requirements needed to achieve the objective of the intended purpose. Refer to the Additional Requirements section of this document for further information on GDSN required attributes. Please [contact your local GS1 Member Organisation](#) for additional information, local support and more detailed implementation guidance.

3.1 Tendering/Sourcing

Use Case ID	UC-1
Use Case Name	Tendering / Sourcing



Objective	Ensure the supplier provides the buyer accurate and standardised data as part of the tender submission, and that the buyer can subsequently source the correct product at the correct level of packaging.																												
Use Case Description	Generally, tender data is collected by different buyers / jurisdictions using different mechanisms. This may be proprietary spreadsheets or in hard copy format. The lack of clear direction and inconsistency in instruction leads to poor quality tender submissions and inability for buyers to source the appropriate products at the appropriate pack size.																												
Actors (Goal)	Seller, Buyer, GDSN Data Pool, GS1 Global Registry																												
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Child Quantity	quantityOfChildren
Total Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
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Clinical Size	AVP - clinicalSizeType AVP - clinicalSizeValue AVP - clinicalSizeValueUoM AVP - clinicalSizeText
Is Trade Item An Orderable Unit	isTradeItemAnOrderableUnit
Is Trade Item A Dispatch Unit	isTradeItemADespatchUnit
Additional Trade Item Identification Type (Internal product codes, MDL, DIN)	additionalTradeItemIdentificationType + value (SUPPLIER_ASSIGNED)
Ordering Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UoM
Additional Classification Agency Name	additionalClassificationAgencyName additionalClassificationCategoryCode additionalClassificationCategoryDescription
Brand Owner GLN	brandOwner:GLN
Name Of Brand Owner	nameOfBrandOwner
Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time Of Arrival	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfArrival
Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time Of Production	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfProduction
Target Market Country Code	targetMarketCountryCode
Manufacturer GLN	manufacturer:GLN
Name Of Manufacturer	nameOfManufacturer
Description Short	descriptionShort
Brand Name	brandName
Sub Brand	subBrand
Functional Name	functionalName
Variant	variant
Community Visibility Date Time	communityVisibilityDateTime
Start Availability Date Time	startAvailabilityDateTime
Consumer Availability Date Time	consumerAvailabilityDateTime
Final batch Expiry Date	NOT EXCHANGED VIA GDSN
First Order Date	firstOrderDate
Publication Date	publicationDate
Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	QuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
Is Trade Item A Base Unit	isTradeItemABaseUnit
Colour Code Value	colorCodeValue
Colour Code Description	colorCodeDescription
Is Trade Item A Consumer Unit	isTradeItemAConsumerUnit
Is Trade Item A Variable Unit	isTradeItemAVariableUnit
Is Trade Item An Invoice Unit	isTradeItemAnInvoiceUnit



Handling Instructions Code	handlingInstructionsCode
Order Quantity Minimum	orderQuantityMinimum
Selling Unit Of Measure	sellingUnitOfMeasure
Is Trade Item Marked As Recyclable	isTradeItemMarkedAsRecyclable
Is Packaging Marked Returnable	isPackagingMarkedReturnable
Trade Item Group Identification Description	tradeItemGroupIdentificationDescription
Trade Item Group Identification Code	tradeItemGroupIdentificationCode
Trade Item Trade Channel	tradeItemTradeChannel
Trade Item Unit Descriptor	tradeItemUnitDescriptor
Publication Date	publicationDate
Child Trade Item	childTradeItem: GTIN
Name of Information Provider	nameOfInformationProvider
Replaced Trade Item	replacedTradeItem
Start Availability Date Time	startAvailabilityDateTime
Cancelled Date	canceledDate
Tax Agency Code	taxAgencyCode
Tax Rate	taxRate
Tax Type Code	taxTypeCode
Tax Type Description	taxTypeDescription

**GDSN Target Market Specific:
Specific to Australia, France, New Zealand and United States:**

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Is Trade Item Marked as Recyclable	isTradeItemMarkedAsRecyclable

Specific to Australia, Canada, France, New Zealand:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Description Short	descriptionShort

Specific to Australia, France and New Zealand:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Community Visibility Date Time	communityVisibilityDateTime
Consumer Availability Date Time	consumerAvailabilityDateTime
First Order Date	firstOrderDate
Colour Code Value	colorCodeValue
Colour Code Description	colorCodeDescription
Handling Instructions Code	handlingInstructionsCode
Order Quantity Minimum	orderQuantityMinimum
Selling Unit Of Measure	sellingUnitOfMeasure
Trade Item Group Identification Description	tradeItemGroupIdentificationDescription
Trade Item Group Identification Code	tradeItemGroupIdentificationCode

Specific to Australia and New Zealand:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
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	Final Batch Expiry Date	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE
	Is Healthcare Item	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE
	Countable Items	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE(S)
	Healthcare Component Type	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE(S)
	Medicine Device Unit Name	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE(S)
	Volume Weight Unit	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE(S)
	No Of Identical Medicine Containers or Devices	N/A - EXTENDED ATTRIBUTE(S)
	Specific to Australia and France:	
	Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
	Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	QuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
	Tax Agency Code	taxAgencyCode
	Tax Rate	taxRate
	Tax Type Code	taxTypeCode
Tax Type Description	taxTypeDescription	
Specific to Canada and France :		
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Trade Item Trade Channel	tradeItemTradeChannel	
Replaced Item	replacedTradeItem	
Cancelled Date	cancelledDate	
Specific to France and United States:		
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Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time of Arrival	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfArrival	
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Specific to Canada:		
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Language Specific Brand Name	languageSpecificBrandName	
GDSN Price Sync Standard: Used in Australia and New Zealand only as of this version		
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Bracket Operator	bracketOperator	
Bracket Qualifier Code	bracketQualifierCode	
Bracket Tier Maximum	bracketTierMaximum	
Bracket Tier Minimum	bracketTierMinimum	
Distribution Method Code	distributionMethodCode	
Price Type Effective End Date	priceTypeEffectiveEndDate	
Price Type Effective End Date Context	priceTypeEffectiveEndDateContext	
Price Type Effective Start Date	priceTypeEffectiveStartDate	
Price Type Effective Start Date Context	priceTypeEffectiveStartDateContext	
Party Receiving Private Data	partyReceivingPrivateData	



	Price Type Last Changed Date Time	priceTypeLastChangedDateTime
	Price Action Code	priceActionCode
	Price Type Application Sequence	priceTypeApplicationSequence
	Price Basis Quantity	priceBasisQuantity
	Price Type Code	priceTypeCode
	Item Price Type Segment Identification	itemPriceTypeSegmentIdentification
	Price Type Description	priceTypeDescription
	Price Value	priceValue
	Price Value Type	priceValueType
	Price Action Reason Code	priceActionReasonCode
	Reference Document Description	referenceDocumentDescription
	Reference Document Identifier	referenceDocumentIdentifier

3.2 Contracting

Use Case ID	UC-2																												
Use Case Name	Contracting																												
Objective	Ensure the customer has accurate and complete product data to enable a fair and appropriate contracting decision to be made.																												
Use Case Description	Very often customers lack consistent information required to make appropriate and detailed contracting decisions, for example it is difficult to make an informed contracting decision if data from different suppliers has been provided in different formats / structures (refer Use Case 2.1 above).																												
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Additional Trade Item Identification Type (Internal product codes, MDL, DIN)	additionalTradeItemIdentificationType (SUPPLIER_ASSIGNED)
Order Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UOM
UOM Associated with order Lead Time	
Additional Classification Category Name	additionalClassificationAgency additionalClassificationCategoryCode
Additional Classification Category Description	additionalClassificationCategoryDescription
Brand Owner	brandOwner:GLN
Name Of Brand Owner	nameOfBrandOwner
Bar Code Type	barCodeType
Target Market Country Code	targetMarketCountryCode
Name Of Manufacturer	nameOfManufacturer manufacturer:GLN
Description Short	descriptionShort
Sub Brand	subBrand
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	Additional Classification Category Name	additionalClassificationAgency additionalClassificationCategoryCode
	Brand Owner	brandOwner:GLN
	Name of Brand Owner	nameOfBrandOwner
	Specific to Canada, France and United States:	
	Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
	Trade Item Trade Channel	tradeItemTradeChannel
	Replaced Trade Item	replacedTradeItem
	Cancelled Date	cancelledDate
	Specific to Canada:	
	Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
	Language Specific Brand Name	languageSpecificBrandName
	GDSN Price Sync Standard: Used in Australia and New Zealand only as of this version	
	Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
	Bracket Operator	bracketOperator
	Bracket Qualifier Code	bracketQualifierCode
	Bracket Tier Maximum	bracketTierMaximum
	Bracket Tier Minimum	bracketTierMinimum
	Distribution Method Code	distributionMethodCode
	Price Type Effective End Date	priceTypeEffectiveEndDate
	Price Type Effective End Date Context	priceTypeEffectiveEndDateContext
	Price Type Effective Start Date	priceTypeEffectiveStartDate
	Price Type Effective Start Date Context	priceTypeEffectiveStartDateContext
	Party Receiving Private Data	partyReceivingPrivateData
	Price Type Last Changed Date Time	priceTypeLastChangedDateTime
	Price Action Code	priceActionCode
Price Type Application Sequence	priceTypeApplicationSequence	
Price Basis Quantity	priceBasisQuantity	
Price Type Code	priceTypeCode	
Item Price Type Segment Identification	itemPriceTypeSegmentIdentification	
Price Type Description	priceTypeDescription	
Price Value	priceValue	
Price Value Type	priceValueType	



	Price Action Reason Code	priceActionReasonCode
	Reference Document Description	referenceDocumentDescription
	Reference Document Identifier	referenceDocumentIdentifier
Related Rules	Ensure a mechanism is in place so that the contract information is updated in an amendment to the contract (inclusive of contract price as applicable) between trading partners	

3.3 Procurement

Use Case ID	UC-3																												
Use Case Name	Procurement																												
Objective	Ensure the customer has accurate and complete product data to enable an efficient procurement process.																												
Use Case Description	Very often customers do not have complete or the latest information available to place product orders. The GDSN is often used to provide information about products and their levels of packaging to ensure the correct products in the correct quantity are procured.																												
Actors (Goal)	Seller, Buyer, GDSN Data Pool, GS1 Global Registry																												
Performance Goals	<i>To be defined by each organisation according to their internal, or industry agreed, metrics</i>																												
Preconditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Seller assigns GTINs to their products, and a GLN as required for data synchronisation via their GDSN Data Pool ■ Buyer assigns GLNs as required for data synchronisation via their GDSN Data Pool ■ Trading Partners subscribe to a GDSN data pool ■ The supplier and the customer have an established business relationship and have agreed to synchronise data via the GDSN ■ Basic information such as the Trading Partner GLNs and GTINs have been provided to each other as needed to enable data synchronisation ■ Tendering, Sourcing and Contracting steps have been completed 																												
Post conditions	Accurate and complete procurement information is provided to the customer and available in their internal system for procurement																												
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Child Trade Item	childTradeItem: GTIN
Total Quantity Of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
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Clinical Size	clinicalSizeType clinicalSizeValue + UoM clinicalSizeText
Is Trade Item An Orderable Unit	isTradeItemAnOrderableUnit
Is Trade Item A Dispatch Unit	isTradeItemADespatchUnit
Additional Trade Item Identification Type (Internal product codes, MDL, DIN)	additionalTradeItemIdentificationType (SUPPLIER_ASSIGNED)
Order Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UOM
UOM Associated with order Lead Time	
Additional Classification Category Name	additionalClassificationAgency additionalClassificationCategoryCode
Additional Classification Category Description	additionalClassificationCategoryDescription
Brand Owner	brandOwner: GLN
Name Of Brand Owner	nameOfBrandOwner
Ship to	shipTo
Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time Of Arrival	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfArrival
Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time Of Production	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfProduction
Bar Code Type	barCodeType
Target Market Country Code	targetMarketCountryCode
Name Of Manufacturer	nameOfManufacturer manufacturer: GLN
Description Short	descriptionShort
Brand Name	brandName
Sub Brand	subBrand
Functional Name	functionalName
Variant	variant
Community Visibility Date Time	communityVisibilityDateTime
Start Availability Date Time	startAvailabilityDateTime
Consumer Availability Date Time	consumerAvailabilityDateTime
Final batch Expiry Date	NOT EXCHANGED VIA GDSN
First Order Date	firstOrderDate
Publication Date	publicationDate
Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	QuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
Is Trade Item A Base Unit	isTradeItemABaseUnit
Is Trade Item A Consumer Unit	isTradeItemAConsumerUnit

Is Trade Item A Variable Unit	isTradeItemAVariableUnit
Is Trade Item An Invoice Unit	isTradeItemAnInvoiceUnit
Handling Instructions Code	handlingInstructionsCode
Order Quantity Minimum	orderQuantityMinimum
Selling Unit Of Measure	sellingUnitOfMeasure
Trade Item Group Identification Description	tradeItemGroupIdentificationDescription
Trade Item Group Identification Code	tradeItemGroupIdentificationCode
Trade Item Trade Channel	tradeItemTradeChannel
Language Specific Brand Name	languageSpecificBrandName
Replaced Trade Item	replacedTradeItem
Cancelled Date	cancelledDate
Tax Agency Code	taxAgencyCode
Tax Rate	taxRate
Tax Type Code	taxTypeCode
Tax Type Description	taxTypeDescription
Trade Item Unit Descriptor	tradeItemUnitDescriptor
Publication Date	publicationDate
Bar Code Type	barCodeType

GDSN Target Market Specific:

Specific to Australia, Canada, France and New Zealand:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Description Short	descriptionShort

Specific to Australia, Canada and France:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Child Trade Item	childTradeItem:GTIN

Specific to Australia, France and New Zealand:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Sub Brand	subBrand
Variant	variant
Community Visibility Date Time	communityVisibilityDateTime
Consumer Availability Date Time	consumerAvailabilityDateTime
First Order Date	firstOrderDate
Handling Instructions Code	handlingInstructionsCode
Order Quantity Minimum	orderQuantityMinimum
Selling Unit of Measure	sellingUnitOfMeasure
Trade Item Group Identification Code	tradeItemGroupIdentificationDescription
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Specific to Australia and France:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	QuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem

	Tax Agency Code	taxAgencyCode
	Tax rate	taxRate
	Tax Type Code	taxTypeCode
	Tax Type Description	taxTypeDescription
	Specific to Australia and New Zealand:	
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Order Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UOM	
Final Batch Expiry Date Time	NOT EXCHANGED VIA GDSN	
Specific to Canada, France and United States:		
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Name of Information Provider	InformationProvider:GLN	
Additional Classification Category Name	additionalClassificationAgency additionalClassificationCategoryCode	
Brand Owner	brandOwner:GLN	
Name of Brand Owner	nameOfBrandOwner	
Specific to Canada and France:		
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Trade Item Trade Channel	tradeItemTradeChannel	
Replaced Trade Item	replacedTradeItem	
Cancelled Date	canceledDate	
Specific to France and United States:		
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Classification Category Code	classificationCategoryCode	
Total Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem	
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Bracket Operator	bracketOperator	
Bracket Qualifier Code	bracketQualifierCode	
Bracket Tier Maximum	bracketTierMaximum	
Bracket Tier Minimum	bracketTierMinimum	
Distribution Method Code	distributionMethodCode	
Price Type Effective End Date	priceTypeEffectiveEndDate	
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Party Receiving Private Data	partyReceivingPrivateData	



	Price Type Last Changed Date Time	priceTypeLastChangedDateTime
	Price Action Code	priceActionCode
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	Price Basis Quantity	priceBasisQuantity
	Price Type Code	priceTypeCode
	Item Price Type Segment Identification	itemPriceTypeSegmentIdentification
	Price Type Description	priceTypeDescription
	Price Value	priceValue
	Price Value Type	priceValueType
	Price Action Reason Code	priceActionReasonCode
	Reference Document Description	referenceDocumentDescription
	Reference Document Identifier	referenceDocumentIdentifier

3.4 Order and Invoice Reconciliation

Use Case ID	UC-4																																	
Use Case Name	Order and Invoice Reconciliation																																	
Objective	Ensure the customer has accurate product pricing information to address order and invoice discrepancies																																	
Use Case Description	Often invoice payment is delayed due to lack of accuracy in the order price quoted versus the invoice price returned. Alternatively, there is often inaccuracy between the price quoted in the buyer purchase order and the price in the supplier system. GDSN can be used to provide accurate pricing information and allow faster invoice reconciliation and therefore payment.																																	
Actors (Goal)	Seller, Buyer, GDSN Data Pool, GS1 Global Registry																																	
Performance Goals	<i>To be defined by each organisation according to their internal, or industry agreed, metrics</i>																																	
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Post conditions	Accurate and complete product and price information is provided to the customer and available in their internal system for placing purchase orders and reconciling invoices against these to minimise pricing discrepancies and therefore invoice queries.																																	
Scenario	<p>Begins when... the manufacturer records in their internal Master Data Management system the appropriate product data needed by this specific Use Case.</p> <p>Continues with... the seller is ready to load their product and company data in their GDSN data pool</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="438 1227 1428 1910"> <thead> <tr> <th>Step #</th> <th>Actor</th> <th>Activity Step</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Seller</td> <td>Provides the appropriate data to their GDSN data pool</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>Source Data Pool</td> <td>A small subset of this data is registered in the GS1 Global Registry</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>Buyer</td> <td>The buyer, through its own data pool, sends a subscription request to the GS1 Global Registry</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>GS1 Global Registry</td> <td>Sends a subscription request to the source GDSN data pool</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>Seller</td> <td>Authorises the publication of the requested information</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>Source Data Pool</td> <td>The seller's data pool publishes the requested information to the buyer's data pool</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7</td> <td>Recipient Data Pool</td> <td>The buyer's data pool publishes the data to the Data Recipient</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8</td> <td>Data Recipient</td> <td>The buyer sends a confirmation to the seller via each company's data pool, which informs the supplier of the action taken by the buyer using the information</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9</td> <td>Data Recipient</td> <td>Generates purchase order using GDSN data</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10</td> <td>Supplier</td> <td>Order is processed and invoice generated using GDSN data</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Ends when... the customer (data recipient) makes a comparison between the purchase order and invoice applicable to the transaction.</p>	Step #	Actor	Activity Step	1	Seller	Provides the appropriate data to their GDSN data pool	2	Source Data Pool	A small subset of this data is registered in the GS1 Global Registry	3	Buyer	The buyer, through its own data pool, sends a subscription request to the GS1 Global Registry	4	GS1 Global Registry	Sends a subscription request to the source GDSN data pool	5	Seller	Authorises the publication of the requested information	6	Source Data Pool	The seller's data pool publishes the requested information to the buyer's data pool	7	Recipient Data Pool	The buyer's data pool publishes the data to the Data Recipient	8	Data Recipient	The buyer sends a confirmation to the seller via each company's data pool, which informs the supplier of the action taken by the buyer using the information	9	Data Recipient	Generates purchase order using GDSN data	10	Supplier	Order is processed and invoice generated using GDSN data
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	Information Provider Of Trade Item Supplier	InformationProvider:GLN
	Name Of Information Provider	nameOfInformationProvider
	Classification Category Code	classificationCategoryCode
	Net Content	netContent + UOM
	Child Trade Item	childTradeItem:GTIN
	Total Quantity Of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
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	Clinical Size	clinicalSizeType clinicalSizeValue + UoM clinicalSizeText
	Is Trade Item An Orderable Unit	isTradeItemAnOrderableUnit
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	Order Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UOM
	Ship To	shipTo
	Bar Code Type	barCodeType
	Target Market Country Code	targetMarketCountryCode
	Name Of Manufacturer	nameOfManufacturer manufacturer:GLN
	Community Visibility Time	communityVisibilityDateTime
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	Start Availability Date Time	startAvailabilityDateTime
	Consumer Availability Date Time	consumerAvailabilityDateTime
	Final batch Expiry Date	NOT EXCHANGED VIA GDSN
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Specific to Australia, Canada and France:	
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Total Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
Start Availability Date Time	startAvailabilityDateTime

3.5 Reimbursement Codes and GTINs

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Use Case ID	UC-5																												
Use Case Name	Reimbursement Codes and GTINs																												
Objective	Ensure the customer has the proper regulatory reimbursement code mapped to the appropriate GTIN for their Target Market.																												
Use Case Description	Reimbursement codes vary between markets. There is a need to identify the correct reimbursement code for particular product at specific level of packaging. There are often multiple reimbursement codes for a particular product at a particular level of packaging within a given market. The GDSN provides an effective mechanism to ensure the product is mapped to the proper reimbursement code for a particular market.																												
Actors (Goal)	Seller, Buyer, GDSN Data Pool, GS1 Global Registry																												
Performance Goals	<i>To be defined by each organisation according to their internal, or industry agreed, metrics</i>																												
Preconditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supplier keeps accurate records of the reimbursement numbers that apply to their products. ■ Seller assigns GTINs to their products, and a GLN as required for data synchronisation via their GDSN Data Pool ■ Buyer assigns GLNs as required for data synchronisation via their GDSN Data Pool ■ Trading Partners subscribe to a GDSN data pool ■ The supplier and the customer have an established business relationship and have agreed to synchronise data via the GDSN, including reimbursement numbers ■ Basic information such as the Trading Partner GLNs and GTINs have been provided to each other as needed to enable data synchronisation 																												
Post conditions	Accurate product identification information and all associated reimbursement code information is provided to the customer and available in their internal system as the first point of reference to be used when reimbursement claims are made.																												
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	Name Of Information Provider	nameOfInformationProvider
	Classification Category Code	classificationCategoryCode
	Net Content	netContent + UOM
	Child Trade Item	childTradeItemGTIN
	Total Quantity Of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
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	Clinical Size	clinicalSizeType clinicalSizeValue clinicalSizeValueUoM clinicalSizeText
	Is Trade Item An Orderable Unit	isTradeItemAnOrderableUnit
	Additional Trade Item Identification Type (Internal product codes, MDL, DIN)	additionalTradeItemIdentificationType (SUPPLIER_ASSIGNED)
	Order Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UOM
	Additional Classification Category Description	additionalClassificationCategoryDescription
	Bar Code Type	barCodeType
	Target Market Country Code	targetMarketCountryCode
	Name Of Manufacturer	nameOfManufacturer manufacturer:GLN
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	GDSN Target Market Specific:	
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Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Community Visibility Date Time	communityVisibilityDateTime	
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Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Name of Information Provider	nameOfInformationProvider	
Specific to France and United States:		
Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute	
Classification Category Code	classificationCategoryCode	
Total Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem	

3.6 Logistics

Use Case ID	UC-7																															
Use Case Name	Logistics																															
Objective	Provide accurate dimensions and weights for warehousing and hospital storage optimisation.																															
Use Case Description	Hospitals and other health facilities are finding that storage areas in pharmacy and general stores, as well as operating theatres among other areas are being reduced as more space is claimed for patient facilities. As such, optimisation of available storage space is critical. GDSN is being used to provide accurate weights and dimensions for storage, handling and warehousing purposes.																															
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Classification Category Code	classificationCategoryCode
Net Content	netContent + UOM
Child Trade Item	childTradeItem:GTIN
Total Quantity Of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
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Clinical Size	clinicalSizeType clinicalSizeValue clinicalSizeValueUoM clinicalSizeText
Is Trade Item An Orderable Unit	isTradeItemAnOrderableUnit
Is Trade Item A Dispatch Unit	isTradeItemADespatchUnit
Additional Trade Item Identification Type (Internal product codes, MDL, DIN)	additionalTradeItemIdentificationType (SUPPLIER_ASSIGNED)
Order Lead Time	orderingLeadTime + UOM
Width	Width
Depth	Depth
Height	Height
Net Weight	netWeight + UoM
Gross Weight	grossWeight + UoM
Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time Of Arrival	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfArrival
Minimum Trade Item Lifespan From Time Of Production	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfProduction
Packaging Type Code	packagingTypeCode
Packaging Type Description	packagingTypeDescription
Bar Code Type	barCodeType
Target Market Country Code	targetMarketCountryCode
Community Visibility Date Time	communityVisibilityDateTime
Start Availability Date Time	startAvailabilityDateTime
Consumer Availability Date Time	consumerAvailabilityDateTime
Final Batch Expiry Date	NOT EXCHANGED VIA GDSN
First Order Date	firstOrderDate
Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	quantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem
Child Trade Item	childGTIN
Is Trade Item A Base Unit	isTradeItemABaseUnit
Is Trade Item A Consumer Unit	isTradeItemAConsumerUnit
Is Trade Item A Variable Unit	isTradeItemAVariableUnit
Is Trade Item An Invoice Unit	isTradeItemAnInvoiceUnit
Is Healthcare Item	tradeItemTradeChannel (HEALTHCARE)
Handling Instructions Code	handlingInstructionsCode

Order Quantity Minimum	orderQuantityMinimum
Selling Unit Of Measure	sellingUnitOfMeasure
Is Trade Item Marked As Recyclable	isTradeItemMarkedAsRecyclable
Is Packaging Marked Returnable	isPackagingMarkedReturnable
Trade Item Group Identification Description	tradeItemGroupIdentificationDescription
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Trade Item Unit Descriptor	tradeItemUnitDescriptor

GDSN Target Market Specific:
Specific to Australia, France, New Zealand and United States:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Is Trade Item Marked As Recyclable	isTradeItemMarkedAsRecyclable

Specific to Australia, Canada and France:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Child Item trade	childTradeItem:GTIN

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Specific to Australia and France:

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Is HealthCare Item	tradeItemTradeChannel (HEALTHCARE)

Specific to Canada, France and United States:

Attribute	Recommended GDSN Attribute
Name of Information Provider	nameOfInformationProvider

Specific to France and United States:

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Classification Category Code	classificationCategoryCode
Total Quantity of Next Lower Level Trade Item	totalQuantityOfNextLowerLevelTradeItem



	Minimum Trade Item Lifespan from Time of Arrival	minimumTradeItemLifespanFromTimeOfArrival
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	Specific to New Zealand:	
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Packaging Type Code	packagingTypeCode	

3.7 Logistics for Distribution Channel

Use Case ID	UC-8																															
Use Case Name	Logistics for Distribution Channel																															
Objective	Provide accurate product hierarchy information, pack size information, dimensions and weights to allow effective distribution function.																															
Use Case Description	Distributors and suppliers need to understand the pack configurations, relationships and weights / dimensions of the products they handle to ensure that their warehouse operations are seamless. Having incorrect information about a product pack size may mean that an order for 10 items may in fact contain 12. Alternatively, the entity packing a logistics unit may have an incorrect weight for a product meaning that the logistics unit packed is too heavy for the transport provider to handle.																															
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4 Additional Requirements

- Trading Partners must have a pre-established commercial relationship and have exchanged necessary information about each other as needed in the process of conducting normal business.
- Changes to internal processes and systems may be required. Consult with your appropriate business unit owner and IT staff.
- The minimum set of GDSN mandatory attributes are required in order to facilitate data synchronisation. For further information refer to the GDSN Trade Item Implementation Guide <http://www.gs1.org/gdsn>

5 Additional information on local implementation of the GDSN

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