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1 XML Schema

The XML format for METAS UncLib is developed by METAS. It's described using an XML schema. See https://www.w3schools.com/xml/schema_intro.asp for more details about XML schemas.

The following listing shows an example of a LinProp uncertainty number which has two dependencies:

```
1 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-16"?>
2 <UncNumber xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
  xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
3   <Value>5</Value>
4   <Dependencies>
5     <DependsOn>
6       <Input>
7         <Id>5C-09-F4-58-A1-4A-40-D3-B5-14-13-94-AE-BC-CA-25</Id>
8         <Description>side a</Description>
9         <Distribution xsi:type="Normal">
10           <mu>3</mu>
11           <sigma>0.3</sigma>
12         </Distribution>
13       </Input>
14       <Jacobi>0.6</Jacobi>
15     </DependsOn>
16     <DependsOn>
17       <Input>
18         <Id>EA-BF-67-4B-28-32-40-84-A4-83-64-30-1D-7C-6A-F5</Id>
19         <Description>side b</Description>
20         <Distribution xsi:type="Normal">
21           <mu>4</mu>
22           <sigma>0.4</sigma>
23         </Distribution>
24       </Input>
25       <Jacobi>0.8</Jacobi>
26     </DependsOn>
27   </Dependencies>
28 </UncNumber>
```

The ‘LinPropUncNumberType’ is defined in section 1.4. It contains the value and a list of dependencies, where each dependency contains an input and a sensitivity to that input. The ‘InputType’ is defined in section 1.3. An input contains an identifier, a description and a distribution. The ‘IdType’ is defined in section 1.1 and the distribution types are defined in section 1.2.

1.1 ID Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘IdType’:

```
1 <!-- definition of IdType -->
2 <xssimpleType name="IdType">
3   <!-- unique identifier -->
4   <xssrestriction base="xs:string">
5     <xsspattern value="([0-9a-fA-F][0-9a-fA-F][\-\]?)+"/>
6   </xssrestriction>
7 </xssimpleType>
```



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1.2 Distribution Types

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘Distribution’:

```
1  <!-- definition of Distribution -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Distribution" abstract="true"/>
```

1.2.1 Standard Normal

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘StandardNormal’:

```
1  <!-- definition of StandardNormal -->
2  <xs:complexType name="StandardNormal">
3      <!-- mu = 0, sigma = 1 -->
4      <!-- mean = mu -->
5      <!-- stdunc = sigma -->
6      <xs:complexContent>
7          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
8              <xs:sequence>
9                  </xs:sequence>
10             </xs:extension>
11         </xs:complexContent>
12     </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.2 Normal

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘Normal’:

```
1  <!-- definition of Normal -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Normal">
3      <!-- mean = mu -->
4      <!-- stdunc = sigma -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="mu" type="xs:double" />
9                  <xs:element name="sigma" type="xs:double" />
10             </xs:sequence>
11         </xs:extension>
12     </xs:complexContent>
13 </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.3 Standard Uniform

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘StandardUniform’:

```
1  <!-- definition of StandardUniform -->
2  <xs:complexType name="StandardUniform">
3      <!-- a = 0, b = 1 -->
4      <!-- mean = (a + b) / 2 -->
5      <!-- stdunc = (b - a) / sqrt(12) -->
6      <xs:complexContent>
7          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
8              <xs:sequence>
9                  </xs:sequence>
10             </xs:extension>
```



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```
11      </xs:complexContent>
12  </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.4 Uniform

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘Uniform’:

```
1  <!-- definition of Uniform -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Uniform">
3      <!-- mean = (a + b) / 2 -->
4      <!-- stdunc = (b - a) / sqrt(12) -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="a" type="xs:double" />
9                  <xs:element name="b" type="xs:double" />
10             </xs:sequence>
11         </xs:extension>
12     </xs:complexContent>
13 </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.5 Curvilinear Trapezoid

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘CurvilinearTrapezoid’:

```
1  <!-- definition of CurvilinearTrapezoid -->
2  <xs:complexType name="CurvilinearTrapezoid">
3      <!-- mean = (a + b) / 2 -->
4      <!-- stdunc = sqrt((b - a)^2 / 12 + d^2 / 9) -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="a" type="xs:double" />
9                  <xs:element name="b" type="xs:double" />
10                 <xs:element name="d" type="xs:double" />
11             </xs:sequence>
12         </xs:extension>
13     </xs:complexContent>
14 </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.6 Trapezoidal

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘Trapezoidal’:

```
1  <!-- definition of Trapezoidal -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Trapezoidal">
3      <!-- mean = (a + b) / 2 -->
4      <!-- stdunc = (b - a) * sqrt((1 + beta^2) / 24) -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="a" type="xs:double" />
9                  <xs:element name="b" type="xs:double" />
10                 <xs:element name="beta" type="xs:double" />
11             </xs:sequence>
```



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```
12      </xs:extension>
13    </xs:complexContent>
14  </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.7 Triangular

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘Triangular’:

```
1  <!-- definition of Triangular -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Triangular">
3    <!-- mean = (a + b) / 2 -->
4    <!-- stdunc = (b - a) / sqrt(24) -->
5    <xs:complexContent>
6      <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7        <xs:sequence>
8          <xs:element name="a" type="xs:double" />
9          <xs:element name="b" type="xs:double" />
10         </xs:sequence>
11       </xs:extension>
12     </xs:complexContent>
13   </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.8 Arc Sine

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘ArcSine’:

```
1  <!-- definition of ArcSine -->
2  <xs:complexType name="ArcSine">
3    <!-- mean = (a + b) / 2 -->
4    <!-- stdunc = (b - a) / sqrt(8) -->
5    <xs:complexContent>
6      <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7        <xs:sequence>
8          <xs:element name="a" type="xs:double" />
9          <xs:element name="b" type="xs:double" />
10         </xs:sequence>
11       </xs:extension>
12     </xs:complexContent>
13   </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.9 Exponential

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘Exponential’:

```
1  <!-- definition of Exponential -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Exponential">
3    <!-- mean = mu -->
4    <!-- stdunc = mu -->
5    <xs:complexContent>
6      <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7        <xs:sequence>
8          <xs:element name="mu" type="xs:double" />
9        </xs:sequence>
10       </xs:extension>
11     </xs:complexContent>
12   </xs:complexType>
```



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1.2.10 Gamma

The following listing shows the XML schema for 'Gamma':

```
1  <!-- definition of Gamma -->
2  <xs:complexType name="Gamma">
3      <!-- mean = a * b -->
4      <!-- stdunc = sqrt(a) * b -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="a" type="xs:double" />
9                  <xs:element name="b" type="xs:double" />
10             </xs:sequence>
11         </xs:extension>
12     </xs:complexContent>
13 </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.11 Chi Squared

The following listing shows the XML schema for 'ChiSquared':

```
1  <!-- definition of ChiSquared -->
2  <xs:complexType name="ChiSquared">
3      <!-- mean = k -->
4      <!-- stdunc = sqrt(2 * k) -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="k" type="xs:double" />
9                  </xs:sequence>
10             </xs:extension>
11         </xs:complexContent>
12 </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.12 Student T

The following listing shows the XML schema for 'StudentT':

```
1  <!-- definition of StudentT -->
2  <xs:complexType name="StudentT">
3      <!-- mean = mu for n > 2 with n = dof + 1 -->
4      <!-- stdunc = sigma * sqrt((n - 1) / (n - 3)) for n > 3 with n = dof +
     1 -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="mu" type="xs:double" />
9                  <xs:element name="sigma" type="xs:double" />
10                 <xs:element name="dof" type="xs:double" />
11             </xs:sequence>
12         </xs:extension>
13     </xs:complexContent>
14 </xs:complexType>
```



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1.2.13 Student T from Samples

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘StudentTFromSamples’:

```
1  <!-- definition of StudentTFromSamples -->
2  <xs:complexType name="StudentTFromSamples">
3      <!-- mean = mean(samples) for n > 2 with n = dof + 1 -->
4      <!-- stdunc = sigma * sqrt((n - 1) / (n - 3)) for n > 3 with n =
       length(samples) and sigma = std(samples) / sqrt(n) -->
5      <xs:complexContent>
6          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
7              <xs:sequence>
8                  <xs:element name="Samples">
9                      <xs:complexType>
10                         <xs:sequence>
11                             <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
12                                 name="Sample" type="xs:double" />
13                         </xs:sequence>
14                     </xs:complexType>
15                 </xs:sequence>
16             </xs:extension>
17         </xs:complexContent>
18     </xs:complexType>
```

1.2.14 Random Choices from Samples

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘RandomChoicesFromSamples’:

```
1  <!-- definition of RandomChoicesFromSamples -->
2  <xs:complexType name="RandomChoicesFromSamples">
3      <xs:complexContent>
4          <xs:extension base="Distribution">
5              <xs:sequence>
6                  <xs:element name="Seed" type="IdType" />
7                  <xs:element name="Samples">
8                      <xs:complexType>
9                          <xs:sequence>
10                             <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
11                                 name="Sample" type="xs:double" />
12                         </xs:sequence>
13                     </xs:complexType>
14                 </xs:sequence>
15             </xs:extension>
16         </xs:complexContent>
17     </xs:complexType>
```

1.3 Input Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘InputType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of InputType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="InputType">
3      <xs:sequence>
4          <xs:element name="Id" type="IdType" />
5          <xs:element name="Description" type="xs:string" />
```



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```
6      <xs:choice>
7          <xs:element name="Distribution" type="Distribution" />
8          <!-- obsolete -->
9          <xs:element name="IDof" type="xs:double" />
10         </xs:choice>
11     </xs:sequence>
12 </xs:complexType>
```

The 'IdType' is defined in section 1.1 and the distribution types are defined in section 1.2.

1.4 LinProp UncNumber Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for 'LinPropUncNumberType':

```
1  <!-- definition of LinPropUncNumberType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="LinPropUncNumberType">
3      <xs:sequence>
4          <xs:element name="Value" type="xs:double" />
5          <xs:element name="Dependencies">
6              <xs:complexType>
7                  <xs:sequence>
8                      <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
9                          name="DependsOn">
10                     <xs:complexType>
11                         <xs:sequence>
12                             <xs:element name="Input" type="InputType" />
13                             <xs:element name="Jacobi" type="xs:double" />
14                         </xs:sequence>
15                     </xs:complexType>
16                 </xs:element>
17             </xs:sequence>
18         </xs:complexType>
19     </xs:element>
20 </xs:sequence>
21 </xs:complexType>
```

The 'InputType' is defined in section 1.3. An input contains an identifier, a description and a distribution.

1.5 MCProp UncNumber Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for 'MCPropUncNumberType':

```
1  <!-- definition of MCPropUncNumberType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="MCPropUncNumberType">
3      <xs:sequence>
4          <xs:element name="FunctionValue" type="xs:double" />
5          <xs:element name="Values">
6              <xs:complexType>
7                  <xs:sequence>
8                      <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded" name="Value"
9                          type="xs:double" />
10                     </xs:sequence>
11                 </xs:complexType>
12             </xs:element>
13             <xs:element name="Dependencies">
14                 <xs:complexType>
```



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```
14      <xs:sequence>
15          <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
16              name="DependsOn">
17              <xs:complexType>
18                  <xs:sequence>
19                      <xs:element name="Input" type="InputType" />
20                  </xs:sequence>
21              </xs:complexType>
22          </xs:element>
23      </xs:sequence>
24  </xs:complexType>
25      </xs:sequence>
26  </xs:complexType>
```

1.6 LinProp ComplexUncNumber Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘LinPropComplexUncNumberType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of LinPropComplexUncNumberType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="LinPropComplexUncNumberType">
3      <xs:sequence>
4          <xs:element name="Real" type="LinPropUncNumberType" />
5          <xs:element name="Imag" type="LinPropUncNumberType" />
6      </xs:sequence>
7  </xs:complexType>
```

1.7 MCProp ComplexUncNumber Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘MCPropComplexUncNumberType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of MCPropComplexUncNumberType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="MCPropComplexUncNumberType">
3      <xs:sequence>
4          <xs:element name="Real" type="MCPropUncNumberType" />
5          <xs:element name="Imag" type="MCPropUncNumberType" />
6      </xs:sequence>
7  </xs:complexType>
```

1.8 N-Array Types

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘NArrayType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of NArrayType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="NArrayType" abstract="true">
3      <xs:sequence>
4          <xs:element name="NDims" type="xsd:int" />
5          <xs:element name="Size">
6              <xs:complexType>
7                  <xs:sequence>
8                      <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded" name="int"
9                          type="xs:int" />
10                 </xs:sequence>
11             </xs:complexType>
12         </xs:element>
```



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```
12      </xs:sequence>
13    </xs:complexType>
```

1.8.1 LinProp Real N-Array Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘LinPropRealNArrayType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of LinPropRealNArrayType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="LinPropRealNArrayType">
3    <xs:complexContent>
4      <xs:extension base="NArrayType">
5        <xs:sequence>
6          <xs:element name="Data">
7            <xs:complexType>
8              <xs:sequence>
9                <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
10                  name="UncNumber" type="LinPropUncNumberType" />
11            </xs:sequence>
12          </xs:complexType>
13        </xs:element>
14      </xs:sequence>
15    </xs:extension>
16  </xs:complexContent>
17 </xs:complexType>
```

1.8.2 MCProp Real N-Array Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘MCPropRealNArrayType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of MCPropRealNArrayType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="MCPropRealNArrayType">
3    <xs:complexContent>
4      <xs:extension base="NArrayType">
5        <xs:sequence>
6          <xs:element name="Data">
7            <xs:complexType>
8              <xs:sequence>
9                <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
10                  name="UncNumber" type="MCPropUncNumberType" />
11            </xs:sequence>
12          </xs:complexType>
13        </xs:element>
14      </xs:sequence>
15    </xs:extension>
16  </xs:complexContent>
17 </xs:complexType>
```

1.8.3 LinProp Complex N-Array Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘LinPropComplexNArrayType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of LinPropComplexNArrayType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="LinPropComplexNArrayType">
3    <xs:complexContent>
4      <xs:extension base="NArrayType">
```



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```
5      <xs:sequence>
6          <xs:element name="Data">
7              <xs:complexType>
8                  <xs:sequence>
9                      <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
10                         name="ComplexOfUncNumber"
11                         type="LinPropComplexUncNumberType" />
12                  </xs:sequence>
13          </xs:complexType>
14      </xs:element>
15  </xs:sequence>
16  </xs:extension>
17  </xs:complexContent>
18 </xs:complexType>
```

1.8.4 MCProp Complex N-Array Type

The following listing shows the XML schema for ‘MCPropComplexNArrayType’:

```
1  <!-- definition of MCPropComplexNArrayType -->
2  <xs:complexType name="MCPropComplexNArrayType">
3      <xs:complexContent>
4          <xs:extension base="NArrayType">
5              <xs:sequence>
6                  <xs:element name="Data">
7                      <xs:complexType>
8                          <xs:sequence>
9                              <xs:element minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"
10                                 name="ComplexOfUncNumber"
11                                 type="MCPropComplexUncNumberType" />
12                          </xs:sequence>
13          </xs:complexType>
14      </xs:element>
15  </xs:sequence>
16  </xs:extension>
17  </xs:complexContent>
18 </xs:complexType>
```

1.9 Elements

1.9.1 LinProp Elements

The following listing shows the XML schema for LinProp elements:

```
1  <!-- definition of LinProp elements -->
2  <xs:element name="LinPropUncNumber" type="LinPropUncNumberType" />
3  <xs:element name="LinPropComplexOfUncNumber"
4      type="LinPropComplexUncNumberType" />
5  <xs:element name="LinPropRealNArray" type="LinPropRealNArrayType" />
6  <xs:element name="LinPropComplexNArray" type="LinPropComplexNArrayType"
7      />
```

1.9.2 MCProp Elements

The following listing shows the XML schema for MCProp elements:



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```
1  <!-- definition of MCProp elements -->
2  <xs:element name="MCPropUncNumber" type="MCPropUncNumberType" />
3  <xs:element name="MCPropComplexOfUncNumber"
   type="MCPropComplexUncNumberType" />
4  <xs:element name="MCPropRealNArray" type="MCPropRealNArrayType" />
5  <xs:element name="MCPropComplexNArray" type="MCPropComplexNArrayType" />
```

1.9.3 Default Elements

The following listing shows the XML schema for default elements:

```
1  <!-- definition of default elements -->
2  <xs:element name="UncNumber" type="LinPropUncNumberType" />
3  <xs:element name="ComplexOfUncNumber" type="LinPropComplexUncNumberType"
   />
4  <xs:element name="RealNArray" type="LinPropRealNArrayType" />
5  <xs:element name="ComplexNArray" type="LinPropComplexNArrayType" />
```



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2 Binary LinProp

The version 1 data formats assume a standard normal distribution for the input of each dependencies. The version 2 data formats allow to specify the type of distribution and its parameters for the input of each dependencies.

2.1 UncNumber Version 1

The following enumeration describes the binary structure version 1 of ‘UncNumber’:

1. Version (int32), value: 1
2. Value (double)
3. Version2 (int32), value: 4
4. Number of Dependencies (int32)
5. Dependencies (DependsOn[]), size: number of dependencies

2.1.1 Dependencies

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘DependsOn’:

1. Number of Id Bytes (int32)
2. Input Id (byte[]), size: number of id bytes
3. Input Description (string)
4. Input IDof (double)
5. Jacobi (double)

2.2 UncNumber Version 2

The following enumeration describes the binary structure version 2 of ‘UncNumber’:

1. Version (7-bit encoded int), value: 2
2. Value (double)
3. Number of Dependencies (7-bit encoded int)
4. Dependencies (DependsOn2[]), size: number of dependencies

2.2.1 Dependencies

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘DependsOn2’:

1. Input (InputDistribution)
2. Jacobi (double)



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2.2.2 Input Distribution

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘InputDistribution’:

1. Version (7-bit encoded int), value: 2
2. Number of Id Bytes (7-bit encoded int)
3. Id (byte[]), size: number of id bytes
4. Description (string)
5. Distribution (Distribution)

2.2.3 Distributions

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘StandardNormalDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 0

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘NormalDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 1
2. mu (double)
3. sigma (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘StandardUniformDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 2

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘UniformDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 3
2. a (double)
3. b (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘CurvilinearTrapezoidDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 4
2. a (double)
3. b (double)
4. d (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘TrapezoidalDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 5
2. a (double)



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3. b (double)
4. beta (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘TriangularDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 6
2. a (double)
3. b (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘ArcSineDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 7
2. a (double)
3. b (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘GammaDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 8
2. a (double)
3. b (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘ChiSquaredDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 9
2. k (int32)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘StudentTDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 10
2. mu (double)
3. sigma (double)
4. dof (double)

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘StudentTFromSamplesDistribution’:

1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 11
2. Version (7-bit encoded int), value: 2
3. Number of Samples (7-bit encoded int)
4. Samples (double[]), size: number of samples

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘RandomChoicesFromSamples’:



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1. Type (7-bit encoded int), value: 99
2. Version (7-bit encoded int), value: 2
3. Number of Seed Bytes (7-bit encoded int)
4. Seed (byte[]), size: number of seed bytes
5. Number of Samples (7-bit encoded int)
6. Samples (double[]), size: number of samples

2.3 Complex UncNumber Version 1

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of 'ComplexUncNumber':

1. Version (int32), value: 1
2. Real (UncNumber)
3. Imag (UncNumber)

'UncNumber' could be either of version 1 or 2.

2.4 Flat Vector of UncNumbers Version 1

The following enumeration describes the binary structure version 1 of 'FlatVectorUncNumbers':

1. Version (int32), value: 1
2. Length (7-bit encoded int)
3. Values (double[]), size: length
4. Number of Inputs (7-bit encoded int)
5. Inputs (UnclInput[]), size: number of inputs
6. Dependencies (UncDependencies[]), size: length

2.4.1 Input

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of 'UnclInput':

1. Temp (byte), bit 0: same id size, bit 1: empty description, bit 2: zero idof, bit 3-7: 0
2. Id Size (7-bit encoded int), field only present if not same id size
3. Input Id (byte []), size: id size
4. Input Description (string), field only present if not empty description
5. Input IDof (double), field only present if not zero idof



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2.4.2 Dependencies

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘UncDependencies’

1. Number of Dependencies (7-bit encoded int)
2. Dependencies (UncDependency[]), size: number of dependencies, pointer to inputs set to 0.

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘UncDependency’

1. Relative Pointer to Inputs (7-bit encoded int)
2. Jacobi (double)

2.5 Flat Vector of UncNumbers Version 2

The following enumeration describes the binary structure version 2 of ‘FlatVectorUncNumbers’:

1. Version (7-bit encoded int), value: 2
2. Length (7-bit encoded int)
3. Values (double[]), size: length
4. Number of Inputs (7-bit encoded int)
5. Inputs (InputDistribution[]), size: number of inputs
6. Dependencies (UncDependencies[]), size: length

For the definition of ‘InputDistribution’ see section 2.2.2. For the definition of ‘UncDependencies’ see section 2.4.2.



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3.1 UncNumber Version 1

The following enumeration describes the binary structure version 1 of ‘UncNumber’:

1. Version (int32), value: 1
2. Function Value (double)
3. Number of Values (int32)
4. Values (double[]), size: number of values

3.2 UncNumber Version 4

Version 2 and 3 had an bug and they are not used. The following enumeration describes the binary structure version 4 of ‘UncNumber’:

1. Version (int32), value: 4
2. Function Value (double)
3. Number of Values (int32)
4. Values (double[]), size: number of values
5. Number of Dependencies (int32)
6. Dependencies (MCPropDependencies[]), size: number of dependencies

3.2.1 Dependencies

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘MCPropDependencies’:

1. Input (InputDistribution)

For the definition of ‘InputDistribution’ see section 2.2.2.

3.3 Complex UncNumber Version 1

The following enumeration describes the binary structure of ‘ComplexUncNumber’:

1. Version (int32), value: 1
2. Real (UncNumber)
3. Imag (UncNumber)

‘UncNumber’ could be either of version 1 or 4.