

# **The usage of upper and lower case letters in filenames**

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## **Recommendation for the data exchange**

### **1. Current status**

The ISO TS 13499 specifies no case-sensitivity for filenames or file extensions.

“Case-sensitivity is not required for description fields“ in chapter 6.1 doesn’t match filenames.

MS Windows operation systems don’t use case-sensitivity. But all UNIX operating systems do so.

### **2. Recommendation for the data exchange**

Parts of filenames and extensions like the testnumber, which occur several times in the file structure, have to be identical in the usage of upper and lower case letters.