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Preface

This reference describes Oracle XML Developer's Kits (XDK) and Oracle XML DB APIs for the C++ programming language. It primarily lists the syntax of functions, methods, and procedures associated with these APIs.

Audience

This guide is intended for developers building XML applications in Oracle.

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Related Documents

For more information, see the following documents in the Oracle Database the 12c Release 2 (12.2) documentation set:

- *Oracle XML Developer's Kit Programmer's Guide*
- *Oracle XML DB Developer's Guide*
- *Oracle Database Concepts*
- *Oracle Database SQL Language Reference*
- *Oracle Database Object-Relational Developer's Guide*
- *Oracle Database New Features Guide*
- *Oracle Database Sample Schemas*

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Convention	Meaning
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monospace	Monospace type indicates commands within a paragraph, URLs, code in examples, text that appears on the screen, or text that you enter.

1

Package OracleXml APIs for C++

OracleXml is the namespace for all XML C++ interfaces implemented by Oracle. It includes class `XmlException`, the root for all exceptions in XML, and the following namespaces:

- Ctx - namespace for TCtx related declarations, described in [Package Ctx APIs for C++](#)
- Dom - namespace for DOM related declarations, described in [Package Dom APIs for C++](#)
- IO - namespace for input and output source declarations, described in [Package IO APIs for C++](#)
- Parser - namespace for parser and schema validator declarations, described in [Package Parser APIs for C++](#)
- SOAP - namespace for the Simple Object Access Protocol declarations, described in [Package SOAP APIs for C++](#)
- Tools - namespace for Tools::Factory related declarations, described in [Package Tools APIs for C++](#)
- XPath - namespace for XPath related declarations, described in [Package XPath APIs for C++](#)
- XPointer - namespace for XPointer related declarations, described in [Package XPointer APIs for C++](#)
- Xsl - namespace for XSLT related declarations, described in [Package Xsl APIs for C++](#)

Note:

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XmlException Interface

`XmlException` is the root interface for all XML exceptions. [Table 1-1](#) summarizes the methods available through the `OracleXml` Package.

Table 1-1 Summary of OracleXml Package Interfaces

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.

getCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined functions returning Oracle XML error codes (like error codes defined in xml.h) of the exceptional situations during execution

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMesLang()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for user defined functions returning current language (encoding) of error messages for the exceptional situations during execution

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined functions returning Oracle XML error messages of the exceptional situations during execution.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

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Package Ctx APIs for C++

The XML context-related types and interfaces are represented in the `Ctx` namespace. These include `Ctx` datatypes, `MemAllocator` methods, and `TCtx` methods.



See Also:

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Ctx Datatypes

[Table 2-1](#) summarizes the datatypes of the `Ctx` package.

Table 2-1 Summary of Datatypes; Ctx Package

Datatype	Description
encoding	A single supported encoding.
encodings	An array of encodings.

encoding

A single supported encoding.

Definition

```
typedef struct encoding {  
    oratext *encname;  
    oratext *encvalue;  
} encoding;
```

encodings

An array of encodings.

Definition

```
typedef struct encodings {  
    unsigned num;  
    encoding *enc;  
} encodings;
```

MemAllocator Interface

[Table 2-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the `MemAllocator` interface.

Table 2-2 Summary of MemAllocator Methods; Ctx Package

Function	Summary
alloc()	Allocates memory of given size.
dealloc()	Deallocate memory pointed to by the argument.
~MemAllocator()	Virtual destructor - interface level handle to actual destructors.

alloc()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for user defined allocator functions

Syntax

```
virtual void* alloc(
    ub4 size) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
size	memory size

dealloc()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for user defined deallocator functions. Such deallocators are supposed to deallocate memory allocated by the alloc member functions

Syntax

```
virtual void dealloc(
    void* ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
ptr	pointer to previously allocated memory

~MemAllocator()

It provides an interface level handle to actual destructors that can be invoked without knowing their names or implementations

Syntax

```
virtual ~MemAllocator() {}
```

TCtx Interface

[Table 2-3](#) summarizes the methods available through the TCtx interface.

Table 2-3 Summary of TCtx Methods; Ctx Package

Function	Summary
TCtx()	Class constructor.
getEncoding()	Get data encoding in use by XML context.
getErrorHandler()	Get Error Handler provided by the user.
getMemAllocator()	Get memory allocator.
isSimple()	Get a flag that indicates if data encoding is simple.
isUnicode()	Get a flag indicating if data encoding is Unicode.
~TCtx()	Destructor - clears space and destroys the implementation.

TCtx()

TCtx constructor. It throws `XmlException` if it fails to create a context object.

Syntax	Description
<code>TCtx() throw (XmlException)</code>	This constructor creates the context object and initializes it with default values of parameters.
<code>TCtx(oratext* name, ErrorHandler* errh = NULL, MemAllocator* memalloc = NULL, encodings* encs = NULL) throw (XmlException)</code>	This constructor creates the context object and initializes it with parameter values provided by the user.
<code>TCtx(oratext* name, up4 inpblksize, ErrorIfs* errh = NULL, MemAllocator* memalloc = NULL, encodings* encs = NULL) throw (XmlException)</code>	This constructor creates the context object and initializes it with parameter values provided by the user. Takes an additional parameter for memory block size from input source.

Parameter	Description
<code>name</code>	user defined name of the context
<code>errh</code>	user defined error handler
<code>memalloc</code>	user defined memory allocator
<code>encs</code>	user specified encodings
<code>inpblksize</code>	memory block size for input source

Returns

(TCtx) Context object

getEncoding()

Returns data encoding in use by XML context. Ordinarily, the data encoding is chosen by the user, so this function is not needed. However, if the data encoding is not specified, and allowed to default, this function can be used to return the name of that default encoding.

Syntax

```
orertext* getEncoding() const;
```

Returns

(orertext *) name of data encoding

getErrorHandler()

This member functions returns Error Handler provided by the user when the context was created, or NULL if none were provided.

Syntax

```
ErrorHandler* getErrorHandler() const;
```

Returns

(ErrorHandler *) Pointer to the Error Handler object, or NULL

getMemAllocator()

This member function returns memory allocator provided by the user when the context was created, or default memory allocator. It is important that this memory allocator is used for all C level memory allocations

Syntax

```
MemAllocator* getMemAllocator() const;
```

Returns

(MemAllocator*) Pointer to the memory allocator object

isSimple()

Returns a flag saying whether the context's data encoding is "simple", single-byte for each character, like ASCII or EBCDIC.

Syntax

```
boolean isSimple() const;
```


Returns

(boolean) TRUE if data encoding is "simple", FALSE otherwise

isUnicode()

Returns a flag saying whether the context's data encoding is Unicode, UTF-16, with two-byte for each character.

Syntax

```
boolean isUnicode() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if data encoding is Unicode, FALSE otherwise

~TCtx()

Destructor - should be called by the user the context object is no longer needed

Syntax

```
~TCtx();
```

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Package DOM APIs for C++

The various interfaces in the `DOM` package represent DOM level 2 Core interfaces specified by W3C: <http://www.w3.org/TR/DOM-Level-2-Core/>.

About DOM Interfaces

DOM interfaces are represented as generic references to different implementations of the DOM specifications. They are parameterized by `Node`, which supports various specializations and instantiations. Of them, the most important is `xmlnode` that corresponds to the current C implementation.

These generic references do not have a `NULL`-like value. Any implementation should never create a stateless reference. If there is need to signal that something has no state, an exception should be thrown.

Many methods might throw the `SYNTAX_ERR` exception, if the DOM tree is incorrectly formed, or `UNDEFINED_ERR`, in the case of wrong parameters or unexpected `NULL` pointers. If these are the only errors that a particular method might throw, it is not reflected in the method signature.

Actual DOM trees do not depend on the context (`TCtx`). However, manipulations on DOM trees in the current, `xmlctx` based implementation require access to the current context (`TCtx`). This is accomplished by passing the context pointer to the constructor of `DOMImplRef`. In multithreaded environment `DOMImplRef` is always created in the thread context and, so, has the pointer to the right context.

`DOMImplRef` provides a way to create DOM trees. `DomImplRef` is a reference to the actual `DOMImplementation` object that is created when a regular, non-copy constructor of `DomImplRef` is invoked. This works well in multithreaded environment where DOM trees need to be shared, and each thread has a separate `TCtx` associated with it. This works equally well in a single threaded environment.

`DOMString` is only one of encodings supported by Oracle implementations. The support of other encodings is Oracle's extension. The `oratext*` data type is used for all encodings.

Dom Datatypes

[Table 3-1](#) summarizes the datatypes of the `Dom` package.

Table 3-1 Summary of Datatypes; Dom Package

Datatype	Description
AcceptNodeCodes	Defines values returned by node filters.
CompareHowCode	Defines type of comparison.
DOMNodeType	Defines type of node.

Table 3-1 (Cont.) Summary of Datatypes; Dom Package

Datatype	Description
DOMExceptionCode	Defines codes for DOM exception.
WhatToShowCode	Defines codes for filtering.
RangeExceptionCode	Codes for DOM Range exceptions.

AcceptNodeCodes

Defines values returned by node filters. Used by node iterators and tree walkers.

Definition

```
typedef enum AcceptNodeCode {  
    FILTER_ACCEPT    = 1,  
    FILTER_REJECT   = 2,  
    FILTER_SKIP     = 3  
} AcceptNodeCode;
```

CompareHowCode

Defines type of comparison.

Definition

```
typedef enum CompareHowCode {  
    START_TO_START = 0,  
    START_TO_END   = 1,  
    END_TO_END     = 2,  
    END_TO_START   = 3 }  
CompareHowCode;
```

DOMNodeType

Defines type of node.

Definition

```
typedef enum DOMNodeType {  
    UNDEFINED_NODE = 0,  
    ELEMENT_NODE   = 1,  
    ATTRIBUTE_NODE = 2,  
    TEXT_NODE      = 3,  
    CDATA_SECTION_NODE = 4,  
    ENTITY_REFERENCE_NODE = 5,  
    ENTITY_NODE    = 6,  
    PROCESSING_INSTRUCTION_NODE = 7,  
    COMMENT_NODE   = 8,  
    DOCUMENT_NODE  = 9,  
    DOCUMENT_TYPE_NODE = 10,  
    DOCUMENT_FRAGMENT_NODE = 11,  
    NOTATION_NODE  = 12  
} DOMNodeType;
```

DOMExceptionCode

Defines codes for DOM exception.

Definition

```
typedef enum DOMExceptionCode {
    UNDEFINED_ERR           = 0,
    INDEX_SIZE_ERR          = 1,
    DOMSTRING_SIZE_ERR      = 2,
    HIERARCHY_REQUEST_ERR   = 3,
    WRONG_DOCUMENT_ERR      = 4,
    INVALID_CHARACTER_ERR    = 5,
    NO_DATA_ALLOWED_ERR     = 6,
    NO_MODIFICATION_ALLOWED_ERR = 7,
    NOT_FOUND_ERR           = 8,
    NOT_SUPPORTED_ERR       = 9,
    INUSE_ATTRIBUTE_ERR     = 10,
    INVALID_STATE_ERR       = 11,
    SYNTAX_ERR              = 12,
    INVALID_MODIFICATION_ERR = 13,
    NAMESPACE_ERR          = 14,
    INVALID_ACCESS_ERR      = 15
} DOMExceptionCode;
```

WhatToShowCode

Defines codes for filtering.

Definition

```
typedef unsigned long WhatToShowCode;
const unsigned long SHOW_ALL = 0xFFFFFFFF;
const unsigned long SHOW_ELEMENT = 0x00000001;
const unsigned long SHOW_ATTRIBUTE = 0x00000002;
const unsigned long SHOW_TEXT = 0x00000004;
const unsigned long SHOW_CDATA_SECTION = 0x00000008;
const unsigned long SHOW_ENTITY_REFERENCE = 0x00000010;
const unsigned long SHOW_ENTITY = 0x00000020;
const unsigned long SHOW_PROCESSING_INSTRUCTION = 0x00000040;
const unsigned long SHOW_COMMENT = 0x00000080;
const unsigned long SHOW_DOCUMENT = 0x00000100;
const unsigned long SHOW_DOCUMENT_TYPE = 0x00000200;
const unsigned long SHOW_DOCUMENT_FRAGMENT = 0x00000400;
const unsigned long SHOW_NOTATION = 0x00000800;
```

RangeExceptionCode

Codes for DOM Range exceptions.

Definition

```
typedef enum RangeExceptionCode {
    RANGE_UNDEFINED_ERR           = 0,
    BAD_BOUNDARYPOINTS_ERR       = 1,
    INVALID_NODE_TYPE_ERR        = 2
} RangeExceptionCode;
```

AttrRef Interface

Table 3-2 summarizes the methods available through `AttrRef` interface.

Table 3-2 Summary of AttrRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
<code>AttrRef()</code>	Constructor.
<code>getName()</code>	Return attribute's name.
<code>getOwnerElement()</code>	Return attribute's owning element.
<code>getSpecified()</code>	Return boolean indicating if an attribute was explicitly created.
<code>getValue()</code>	Return attribute's value.
<code>setValue()</code>	Set attribute's value.
<code>~AttrRef()</code>	Public default destructor.

AttrRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>AttrRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given attribute node after a call to <code>createAttribute</code> .
<pre>AttrRef(const AttrRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
<code>node_ref</code>	reference to provide the context
<code>nptr</code>	referenced node

Returns

(`AttrRef`) Node reference object

getName()

Returns the fully-qualified name of an attribute (in the data encoding) as a `NULL`-terminated string.

Syntax

```
oratext* getName() const;
```

Returns

(orertext *) name of attribute

getOwnerElement()

Returns attribute's owning element

Syntax

```
Node* getOwnerElement();
```

Returns

(Node*) attribute's owning element node.

getSpecified()

Returns the 'specified' value for an attribute. If the attribute was explicitly given a value in the original document, it is `TRUE`; otherwise, it is `FALSE`. If the node is not an attribute, returns `FALSE`. If the user sets attribute's value through DOM, its 'specified' value will be `TRUE`.

Syntax

```
boolean getSpecified() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) attribute's "specified" value

getValue()

Returns the "value" (character data) of an attribute (in the data encoding) as `NULL`-terminated string. Character and general entities will have been replaced.

Syntax

```
orertext* getValue() const;
```

Returns

(orertext*) attribute's value

setValue()

Sets the given attribute's value to data. The new value must be in the data encoding. It is not verified, converted, or checked. The attribute's 'specified' flag will be `TRUE` after setting a new value.

Syntax

```
void setValue(  
    orertext* data)  
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	new value of attribute

~AttrRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~AttrRef();
```

CDATASectionRef Interface

[Table 3-3](#) summarizes the methods available through CDATASectionRef interface.

Table 3-3 Summary of CDATASectionRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
CDATASectionRef()	Constructor.
~CDATASectionRef()	Public default destructor.

CDATASectionRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>CDATASectionRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given CDATA node after a call to createCDATASection.
<pre>CDATASectionRef(const CDATASectionRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(CDATASectionRef) Node reference object

~CDATASectionRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~CDATASectionRef();
```

CharacterDataRef Interface

Table 3-4 summarizes the methods available through `CharacterDataRef` interface.

Table 3-4 Summary of CharacterDataRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
appendData()	Append data to end of node's current data.
deleteData()	Remove part of node's data.
freeString()	Deallocate the string allocated by <code>substringData</code> .
getData()	Return node's data.
getLength()	Return length of node's data.
insertData()	Insert string into node's current data.
replaceData()	Replace part of node's data.
setData()	Set node's data.
substringData()	Get substring of node's data.

appendData()

Append a string to the end of a `CharacterData` node's data. The appended data should be in the data encoding. It will not be verified, converted, or checked.

Syntax

```
void appendData(
    oratext* data)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
<code>data</code>	data to append

deleteData()

Remove a range of characters from a `CharacterData` node's data. The offset is zero-based, so offset zero refers to the start of the data. Both offset and count are in characters, not bytes. If the sum of offset and count exceeds the data length then all characters from offset to the end of the data are deleted.

Syntax

```
void deleteData(  
    ub4 offset,  
    ub4 count)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
offset	character offset where deletion starts
count	number of characters to delete

freeString()

Deallocates the string allocated by `substringData()`. It is Oracle's extension.

Syntax

```
void freeString(  
    oratext* str);
```

Parameter	Description
str	string

getData()

Returns the data for a `CharacterData` node (type `text`, `comment` or `CDATA`) in the data encoding.

Syntax

```
oratext* getData() const;
```

Returns

(`oratext*`) node's data

getLength()

Returns the length of the data for a `CharacterData` node (type `Text`, `Comment` or `CDATA`) in characters (not bytes).

Syntax

```
ub4 getLength() const;
```

Returns

(`ub4`) length in characters (not bytes!) of node's data

insertData()

Insert a string into a `CharacterData` node's data at the specified position. The inserted data must be in the data encoding. It will not be verified, converted, or checked. The offset is specified as characters, not bytes. The offset is zero-based, so inserting at offset zero prepends the data.

Syntax

```
void insertData(  
    ub4 offset,  
    oratext* data)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
offset	character offset where insertion starts
data	data to insert

replaceData()

Replaces a range of characters in a `CharacterData` node's data with a new string. The offset is zero-based, so offset zero refers to the start of the data. The replacement data must be in the data encoding. It will not be verified, converted, or checked. The offset and count are both in characters, not bytes. If the sum of offset and count exceeds length, then all characters to the end of the data are replaced.

Syntax

```
void replaceData(  
    ub4 offset,  
    ub4 count,  
    oratext* data)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
offset	offset
count	number of characters to replace
data	data

setData()

Sets data for a `CharacterData` node (type text, comment or CDATA), replacing the old data. The new data is not verified, converted, or checked -- it should be in the data encoding.

Syntax

```
void setData(
    oratext* data)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	data

substringData()

Returns a range of character data from a `CharacterData` node (type `Text`, `Comment` or `CDATA`). Since the data is in the data encoding, offset and count are in characters, not bytes. The beginning of the string is offset 0. If the sum of offset and count exceeds the length, then all characters to the end of the data are returned. The substring is permanently allocated in the context managed memory and should be explicitly deallocated by `freeString`

Syntax

```
oratext* substringData(
    ub4 offset,
    ub4 count)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
offset	offset
count	number of characters to extract

Returns

(`oratext *`) specified substring

CommentRef Interface

[Table 3-5](#) summarizes the methods available through `CommentRef` interface.

Table 3-5 Summary of CommentRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
CommentRef()	Constructor.
~CommentRef()	Public default destructor.

CommentRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>CommentRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given comment node after a call to createComment.
<pre>CommentRef(const CommentRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(CommentRef) Node reference object

~CommentRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~CommentRef();
```

DOMException Interface

Table 3-6 summarizes the methods available through the DOMException interface.

Table 3-6 Summary of DOMException Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
getDOMCode()	Get DOM exception code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language encoding of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.

getDOMCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning DOM exception codes, defined in DOMExceptionCode, of the exceptional situations during execution

Syntax

```
virtual DOMExceptionCode getDOMCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(DOMExceptionCode) exception code

getMesLang()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

DOMImplRef Interface

[Table 3-7](#) summarizes the methods available through `DOMImplRef` interface.

Table 3-7 Summary of DOMImplRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DOMImplRef()	Constructor.
createDocument()	Create document reference.
createDocumentType()	Create DTD reference.
formDocument()	Forms document reference given a document pointer.
getImplementation()	Get <code>DOMImplementation</code> object associated with the document.
getNoMod()	Get the 'no modification allowed' flag value.
hasFeature()	Determine if DOM feature is implemented.
setContext()	Set another context to a node.
~DOMImplRef()	Public default destructor.

DOMImplRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>DOMImplRef(Context* ctx_ptr, DOMImplementation< Node>* impl_ptr);</pre>	Creates reference object to DOMImplementation object in a given context. Returns reference to the implementation object.
<pre>DOMImplRef(const DOMImplRef< Context, Node>& iref);</pre>	It is needed to create other references to the implementation object; deletion flags are not copied.
<pre>DOMImplRef(const DOMImplRef< Context, Node>& iref, Context* ctx_ptr);</pre>	It is needed to create references to the implementation object in a different context; deletion flags are not copied.

Parameter	Description
ctx_ptr	context pointer
impl_ptr	implementation

Returns

(DOMImplRef) reference to the implementation object

createDocument()

Creates document reference

Syntax

```
DocumentRef< Node>* createDocument(
  oratext* namespaceURI,
  oratext* qualifiedName,
  DocumentTypeRef< Node>& doctype)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of root element
qualifiedName	qualified name of root element
doctype	associated DTD node

Returns

(DocumentRef< Node>*) document reference

createDocumentType()

Creates DTD reference

Syntax

```
DocumentTypeRef< Node>* createDocumentType(  
    oratext* qualifiedName,  
    oratext* publicId,  
    oratext* systemId)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
qualifiedName	qualified name
publicId	external subset public Id
systemId	external subset system Id

Returns

(DocumentTypeRef< Node>*) DTD reference

formDocument()

Forms a document reference given a document pointer.

Syntax

```
DocumentRef< Node>* formDocument( Node* node);
```

Parameter	Description
node	pointer to the document node

Returns

(DocumentRef< Node>*) pointer to the document reference

getImplementation()

Returns `DOMImplementation` object that was used to create this document. When the `DOMImplementation` object is destructed, all document trees associated with it are also destructed.

Syntax

```
DOMImplementation< Node>* getImplementation() const;
```

Returns

(DOMImplementation) DOMImplementation reference object

getNoMod()

Get the 'no modification allowed' flag value. This is an Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
boolean getNoMod() const;
```

Returns

TRUE if flag's value is TRUE, FALSE otherwise

hasFeature()

Determine if a DOM feature is implemented. Returns TRUE if the feature is implemented in the specified version, FALSE otherwise.

In level 1, the legal values for package are 'HTML' and 'XML' (case-insensitive), and the version is the string "1.0". If the version is not specified, supporting any version of the feature will cause the method to return TRUE.

DOM 1.0 features are "XML" and "HTML".

DOM 2.0 features are "Core", "XML", "HTML", "Views", "StyleSheets", "CSS", "CSS2", "Events", "UIEvents", "MouseEvents", "MutationEvents", "HTMLEvents", "Range", "Traversal"

Syntax

```
boolean hasFeature(  
    oratext* feature,  
    oratext* version);
```

Parameter	Description
feature	package name of feature
version	version of package

Returns

(boolean) is feature implemented?

setContext()

It is needed to create node references in a different context

Syntax

```
void setContext(
    NodeRef< Node>& nref,
    Context* ctx_ptr);
```

Parameter	Description
nref	reference node
ctx_ptr	context pointer

~DOMImplRef()

This is the default destructor. It cleans the reference to the implementation object. It is usually called by the environment. But it can be called by the user directly if necessary.

Syntax

```
~DOMImplRef();
```

DOMImplementation Interface

[Table 3-8](#) summarizes the methods available through `DOMImplementation` interface.

Table 3-8 Summary of DOMImplementation Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DOMImplementation()	Constructor.
getNoMod()	Get the 'nomodificationallowed' flag value.
~DOMImplementation()	Public default destructor.

DOMImplementation()

Creates `DOMImplementation` object. Sets the 'no modifications allowed' flag to the parameter value.

Syntax

```
DOMImplementation(
    boolean no_mod);
```

Parameter	Description
no_mod	whether modifications are allowed (<code>FALSE</code>) or not allowed (<code>TRUE</code>)

Returns

(`DOMImplementation`) implementation object

getNoMod()

Get the 'no modification allowed' flag value. This is an Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
boolean getNoMod() const;
```

Returns

TRUE if flag's value is TRUE, FALSE otherwise

~DOMImplementation()

This is the default destructor. It removes all DOM trees associated with this object.

Syntax

```
~DOMImplementation();
```

DocumentFragmentRef Interface

Table 3-9 summarizes the methods available through DocumentFragmentRef interface.

Table 3-9 Summary of DocumentFragmentRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DocumentFragmentRef()	Constructor.
~DocumentFragmentRef()	Public default destructor.

DocumentFragmentRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>DocumentFragmentRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given fragment node after a call to createDocumentFragment.
<pre>DocumentFragmentRef(const DocumentFragmentRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(DocumentFragmentRef) Node reference object

~DocumentFragmentRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~DocumentFragmentRef() {}
```

DocumentRange Interface

Table 3-10 summarizes the methods available through DocumentRange interface.

Table 3-10 Summary of DocumentRange Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DocumentRange()	Constructor.
createRange()	Create new range object.
destroyRange()	Destroys Range object.
~DocumentRange()	Default destructor.

DocumentRange()

Constructs the factory.

Syntax

```
DocumentRange();
```

Returns

(DocumentRange) new factory object

createRange()

Create new range object.

Syntax

```
Range< Node>* createRange(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& doc);
```

Parameter	Description
doc	reference to document node

Returns

(Range*) Pointer to new range

destroyRange()

Destroys range object.

Syntax

```
void destroyRange(
    Range< Node>* range)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
range	range

~DocumentRange()

Default destructor.

Syntax

```
~DocumentRange();
```

DocumentRef Interface

Table 3-11 summarizes the methods available through DocumentRef interface.

Table 3-11 Summary of DocumentRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DocumentRef()	Constructor.
createAttribute()	Create an attribute node.
createAttributeNS()	Create an attribute node with namespace information.
createCDATASection()	Create a CDATA node.
createComment()	Create a comment node.
createDocumentFragment()	Create a document fragment.
createElement()	Create an element node.
createElementNS()	Create an element node with namespace information.
createEntityReference()	Create an entity reference node.
createProcessingInstruction()	Create a ProcessingInstruction node
createTextNode()	Create a text node.
getDoctype()	Get DTD associated with the document.
getDocumentElement()	Get top-level element of this document.

Table 3-11 (Cont.) Summary of DocumentRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
getElementById()	Get an element given its ID.
getElementsByTagName()	Get elements in the document by tag name.
getElementsByTagNameNS()	Get elements in the document by tag name (namespace aware version).
getImplementation()	Get <code>DOMImplementation</code> object associated with the document.
importNode()	Import a node from another DOM.s
<code>~DocumentRef()</code>	Public default destructor.

DocumentRef()

This is a constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>DocumentRef(const NodeRef< Node>& nref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Default constructor.
<pre>DocumentRef(const DocumentRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
<code>nref</code>	reference to provide the context
<code>nptr</code>	referenced node

Returns

(`DocumentRef`) Node reference object

createAttribute()

Creates an attribute node with the given name. This is the non-namespace aware function. The new attribute will have `NULL` namespace URI and prefix, and its local name will be the same as its name, even if the name specified is a qualified name. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The name is not copied, its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Syntax

```
Node* createAttribute(
    oratext* name)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
name	name

Returns

(Node*) New attribute node

createAttributeNS()

Creates an attribute node with the given namespace URI and qualified name. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The URI and qualified name are not copied, their pointers are just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Syntax

```
Node* createAttributeNS(
    oratext* namespaceURI,
    oratext* qualifiedName)
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI
qualifiedName	qualified name

Returns

(Node*) New attribute node

createCDATASection()

Creates a CDATA section node with the given initial data (which should be in the data encoding). A CDATA section is considered verbatim and is never parsed; it will not be joined with adjacent text nodes by the normalize operation. The initial data may be NULL, if provided; it is not verified, converted, or checked. The name of a CDATA node is always "#cdata-section". The new node is an orphan with no parent. The CDATA is not copied, its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Syntax

```
Node* createCDATASection(
    oratext* data)
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	data for new node

Returns

(Node*) New CDATA node

createComment()

Creates a comment node with the given initial data (which must be in the data encoding). The data may be `NULL`, if provided; it is not verified, converted, or checked. The name of the comment node is always `"#comment"`. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The comment data is not copied, its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Syntax

```
Node* createComment(  
    oratext* data)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	data for new node

Returns

(Node*) New comment node

createDocumentFragment()

Creates an empty Document Fragment node. A document fragment is treated specially when it is inserted into a DOM tree: the children of the fragment are inserted in order instead of the fragment node itself. After insertion, the fragment node will still exist, but have no children. The name of a fragment node is always `"#document-fragment"`.

Syntax

```
Node* createDocumentFragment()  
throw (DOMException);
```

Returns

(Node*) new document fragment node

createElement()

Creates an element node with the given tag name (which should be in the data encoding). The new node is an orphan with no parent. The `tagname` is not copied, its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Note that the tag name of an element is case sensitive. This is the non-namespace aware function: the new node will have `NULL` namespace URI and prefix, and its local name will be the same as its tag name, even if the tag name specified is a qualified name.

Syntax

```
Node* createElement(  
    oratext* tagname)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
tagname	tag name

Returns

(Node*) New element node

createElementNS()

Creates an element with the given namespace URI and qualified name. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The URI and qualified name are not copied, their pointers are just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Note that element names are case sensitive, and the qualified name is required though the URI may be `NULL`. The qualified name will be split into prefix and local parts. The `tagName` will be the full qualified name.

Syntax

```
Node* createElementNS(  
    oratext* namespaceURI,  
    oratext* qualifiedName)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI
qualifiedName	qualified name

Returns

(Node*) New element node

createEntityReference()

Creates an entity reference node; the name (which should be in the data encoding) is the name of the entity to be referenced. The named entity does not have to exist. The name is not verified, converted, or checked. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The entity reference name is not copied; its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Note that entity reference nodes are never generated by the parser; instead, entity references are expanded as encountered. On output, an entity reference node will turn into a "&name;" style reference.

Syntax

```
Node* createEntityReference(  
    oratext* name)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
name	name

Returns

(Node*) New entity reference node

createProcessingInstruction()

Creates a processing instruction node with the given target and data (which should be in the data encoding). The data may be `NULL`, but the target is required and cannot be changed. The target and data are not verified, converted, or checked. The name of the node is the same as the target. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The target and data are not copied; their pointers are just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Syntax

```
Node* createProcessingInstruction(  
    oratext* target,  
    oratext* data)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
target	target
data	data for new node

Returns

(Node*) New PI node

createTextNode()

Creates a text node with the given initial data (which must be non-`NULL` and in the data encoding). The data may be `NULL`; if provided, it is not verified, converted, checked, or parsed (entities will not be expanded). The name of the node is always `"#text"`. The new node is an orphan with no parent. The text data is not copied, its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

Syntax

```
Node* createTextNode(  
    oratext* data)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	data for new text node

Returns

(Node*) new text node

getDoctype()

Returns the DTD node associated with this document. After this call, a `DocumentTypeRef` object needs to be created with an appropriate constructor in order to call its member functions. The DTD tree cannot be edited.

Syntax

```
Node* getDoctype() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) DTD node

getDocumentElement()

Returns the root element (node) of the DOM tree. Each document has only one uppermost Element node, called the root element. If there is no root element, `NULL` is returned. This can happen when the document tree is being constructed.

Syntax

```
Node* getDocumentElement() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) Root element

getElementById()

Returns the element node which has the given ID. Throws `NOT_FOUND_ERR` if no element is found. The given ID should be in the data encoding or it might not match.

Note that attributes named "ID" are not automatically of type ID; ID attributes (which can have any name) must be declared as type ID in the DTD or XML schema associated with the document.

Syntax

```
Node* getElementById(
    oratext* elementId);
```

Parameter	Description
elementId	element id

Returns

(Node*)Element node

getElementsByTagName()

Returns a list of all elements in the document with a given tag name, in document order (the order in which they would be encountered in a preorder traversal of the tree). The list should be freed by the user when it is no longer needed. The list is not live, it is a snapshot. That is, if a new node which matched the tag name were added to the DOM after the list was returned, the list would not automatically be updated to include the node.

The special name "*" matches all tag names; a NULL name matches nothing. Note that tag names are case sensitive, and should be in the data encoding or a mismatch might occur.

This function is not namespace aware; the full tag names are compared. If two qualified names with two different prefixes both of which map to the same URI are compared, the comparison will fail.

Syntax

```
NodeList< Node>* getElementsByTagName(  
    oratext* tagname) const;
```

Parameter	Description
tagname	tag name

Returns

(NodeList< Node>*) List of nodes

getElementsByTagNameNS()

Returns a list of all elements in the document with a given namespace URI and local name, in document order (the order in which they would be encountered in a preorder traversal of the tree). The list should be freed by the user when it is no longer needed. The list is not live, it is a snapshot. That is, if a new node which matches the URI and local name were added to the DOM after the list was returned, the list would not automatically be updated to include the node.

The URI and local name should be in the data encoding. The special name "*" matches all local names; a NULL local name matches nothing. Namespace URIs must always match, however, no wildcard is allowed. Note that comparisons are case sensitive.

Syntax

```
NodeList< Node>* getElementsByTagNameNS(  
    oratext* namespaceURI,  
    oratext* localName);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI to match
localName	local name to match

Returns

(NodeList< Node>*) List of nodes

getImplementation()

Returns DOMImplementation object that was used to create this document. When the DOMImplementation object is destructed, all document trees associated with it are also destructed.

Syntax

```
DOMImplementation< Node>* getImplementation() const;
```

Returns

(DOMImplementation) DOMImplementation reference object

importNode()

Imports a node from one Document to another. The new node is an orphan and has no parent. The original node is not modified in any way or removed from its document; instead, a new node is created with copies of all the original node's qualified name, prefix, namespace URI, and local name.

The `deep` parameter controls whether the children of the node are recursively imported. If `FALSE`, only the node itself is imported, and it will have no children. If `TRUE`, all descendents of the node will be imported as well, and an entire new subtree created. Elements will have only their specified attributes imported; non-specified (default) attributes are omitted. New default attributes (for the destination document) are then added. Document and `DocumentType` nodes cannot be imported.

Syntax

```
Node* importNode(
    NodeRef< Node>& importedNode,
    boolean deep) const
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
importedNode	node to import
deep	indicator for recursively importing the subtree

Returns

(Node*) New imported node

~DocumentRef()

This is the default destructor. It cleans the reference to the node. If the document node is marked for deletion, the destructor deletes the node and the tree under it. It is always deep deletion in the case of a document node. The destructor can be called by the environment or by the user directly.

Syntax

```
~DocumentRef();
```

DocumentTraversal Interface

Table 3-12 summarizes the methods available through DocumentTraversal interface.

Table 3-12 Summary of DocumentTraversal Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DocumentTraversal()	Constructor.
createNodeIterator()	Create new NodeIterator object.
createTreeWalker()	Create new TreeWalker object.
destroyNodeIterator()	Destroys NodeIterator object.
destroyTreeWalker()	Destroys TreeWalker object.
~DocumentTraversal()	Default destructor.

DocumentTraversal()

Constructs the factory.

Syntax

```
DocumentTraversal();
```

Returns

(DocumentTraversal) new factory object

createNodeIterator()

Create new iterator object.

Syntax

```
NodeIterator< Node>* createNodeIterator(  
    NodeRef< Node>& root,  
    WhatToShowCode whatToShow,
```

```
    boolean entityReferenceExpansion)
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
root	root of subtree, for iteration
whatToShow	node types filter
entityReferenceExpansion	if TRUE, expand entity references

Returns

(NodeIterator*) Pointer to new iterator

createTreeWalker()

Create new TreeWalker object.

Syntax

```
TreeWalker< Node>* createTreeWalker(
    NodeRef< Node>& root,
    WhatToShowCode whatToShow,
    boolean entityReferenceExpansion)
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
root	root of subtree, for traversal
whatToShow	node types filter
entityReferenceExpansion	if TRUE, expand entity references

Returns

(TreeWalker*) Pointer to new tree walker

destroyNodeIterator()

Destroys node iterator object.

Syntax

```
void destroyNodeIterator(
    NodeIterator< Node>* iter)
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
iter	iterator

destroyTreeWalker()

Destroys TreeWalker object.

Syntax

```
void destroyTreeWalker(
    TreeWalker< Node>* walker)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
walker	TreeWalker

~DocumentTraversal()

Default destructor.

Syntax

```
~DocumentTraversal();
```

DocumentTypeRef Interface

Table 3-13 summarizes the methods available through DocumentTypeRef interface.

Table 3-13 Summary of DocumentTypeRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
DocumentTypeRef()	Constructor.
getEntities()	Get DTD's entities.
getInternalSubset()	Get DTD's internal subset.
getName()	Get name of DTD.
getNotations()	Get DTD's notations.
getPublicId()	Get DTD's public ID.
getSystemId()	Get DTD's system ID.
~DocumentTypeRef()	Public default destructor.

DocumentTypeRef()

This is a constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>DocumentTypeRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Default constructor.
<pre>DocumentTypeRef(const DocumentTypeRef< Node>& node_ref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(DocumentTypeRef) Node reference object

getEntities()

Returns a named node map of general entities defined by the DTD.

Syntax

```
NamedNodeMap< Node>* getEntities() const;
```

Returns

(NamedNodeMap< Node>*) map containing entities

getInternalSubset()

Returns the content model for an element. If there is no DTD, returns NULL.

Syntax

```
Node* getInternalSubset(
    oratext* name);
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of element

Returns

(xmlnode*) content model subtree

getName()

Returns DTD's name (specified immediately after the DOCTYPE keyword)

Syntax

```
oratext* getName() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) name of DTD

getNotations()

Returns a named node map of notations declared by the DTD.

Syntax

```
NamedNodeMap< Node>* getNotations() const;
```

Returns

(NamedNodeMap< Node>*) map containing notations

getPublicId()

Returns DTD's public identifier

Syntax

```
oratext* getPublicId() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) DTD's public identifier

getSystemId()

Returns DTD's system identifier

Syntax

```
oratext* getSystemId() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) DTD's system identifier

~DocumentTypeRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~DocumentTypeRef();
```

ElementRef Interface

Table 3-14 summarizes the methods available through `ElementRef` interface.

Table 3-14 Summary of ElementRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
<code>ElementRef()</code>	Constructor.
<code>getAttribute()</code>	Get attribute's value given its name.
<code>getAttributeNS()</code>	Get attribute's value given its URI and local name.
<code>getAttributeNode()</code>	Get the attribute node given its name.
<code>getElementsByTagName()</code>	Get elements with given tag name.
<code>getTagName()</code>	Get element's tag name.
<code>hasAttribute()</code>	Check if named attribute exists.
<code>hasAttributeNS()</code>	Check if named attribute exists (namespace aware version).
<code>removeAttribute()</code>	Remove attribute with specified name.
<code>removeAttributeNS()</code>	Remove attribute with specified URI and local name.
<code>removeAttributeNode()</code>	Remove attribute node
<code>setAttribute()</code>	Set new attribute for this element and/or new value.
<code>setAttributeNS()</code>	Set new attribute for the element and/or new value.
<code>setAttributeNode()</code>	Set attribute node.
<code>~ElementRef()</code>	Public default destructor.

ElementRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>ElementRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given element node after a call to <code>createElement</code> .
<pre>ElementRef(const ElementRef< Node>& node_ref);</pre>	Copy constructor.
Parameter	Description
<code>node_ref</code>	reference to provide the context
<code>nptr</code>	referenced node

Returns

(ElementRef) Node reference object

getAttribute()

Returns the value of an element's attribute (specified by name). Note that an attribute may have the empty string as its value, but cannot be `NULL`.

Syntax

```
oratext* getAttribute(  
    oratext* name) const;
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of attribute (data encoding)

Returns

(oratext*) named attribute's value (in data encoding)

getAttributeNS()

Returns the value of an element's attribute (specified by URI and local name). Note that an attribute may have the empty string as its value, but cannot be `NULL`.

Syntax

```
oratext* getAttributeNS(  
    oratext* namespaceURI,  
    oratext* localName);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of attribute (data encoding)
localName	local name of attribute (data encoding)

Returns

(oratext *) named attribute's value (in data encoding)

getAttributeNode()

Returns the attribute node given its name.

Syntax

```
Node* getAttributeNode(  
    oratext* name) const;
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of attribute (data encoding)

Returns

(Node*) the attribute node

getElementsByTagName()

Returns a list of all elements with a given tag name, in the order in which they would be encountered in a preorder traversal of the subtree. The tag name should be in the data encoding. The special name "*" matches all tag names; a NULL name matches nothing. Tag names are case sensitive. This function is not namespace aware; the full tag names are compared. The returned list should be freed by the user.

Syntax

```
NodeList< Node>* getElementsByTagName(
    oratext* name);
```

Parameter	Description
name	tag name to match (data encoding)

Returns

(NodeList< Node>*) the list of elements

getTagName()

Returns the tag name of an element node which is supposed to have the same value as the node name from the node interface

Syntax

```
oratext* getTagName() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) element's name [in data encoding]

hasAttribute()

Determines if an element has a attribute with the given name

Syntax

```
boolean hasAttribute(
    oratext* name);
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of attribute (data encoding)

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if element has attribute with given name

hasAttributeNS()

Determines if an element has a attribute with the given URI and local name

Syntax

```
boolean hasAttributeNS(
    oratext* namespaceURI,
    oratext* localName);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of attribute (data encoding)
localName	local name of attribute (data encoding)

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if element has such attribute

removeAttribute()

Removes an attribute specified by name. The attribute is removed from the element's list of attributes, but the attribute node itself is not destroyed.

Syntax

```
void removeAttribute(
    oratext* name) throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of attribute (data encoding)

removeAttributeNS()

Removes an attribute specified by URI and local name. The attribute is removed from the element's list of attributes, but the attribute node itself is not destroyed.

Syntax

```
void removeAttributeNS(
    oratext* namespaceURI,
```

```

    oratext* localName)
    throw (DOMException);

```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of attribute (data encoding)
localName	local name of attribute (data encoding)

removeAttributeNode()

Removes an attribute from an element. Returns a pointer to the removed attribute or NULL

Syntax

```

Node* removeAttributeNode(
    AttrRef< Node>& oldAttr)
    throw (DOMException);

```

Parameter	Description
oldAttr	old attribute node

Returns

(Node*) the attribute node (old) or NULL

setAttribute()

Creates a new attribute for an element with the given name and value (which should be in the data encoding). If the named attribute already exists, its value is simply replaced. The name and value are not verified, converted, or checked. The value is not parsed, so entity references will not be expanded.

Syntax

```

void setAttribute(
    oratext* name,
    oratext* value)
    throw (DOMException);

```

Parameter	Description
name	names of attribute (data encoding)
value	value of attribute (data encoding)

setAttributeNS()

Creates a new attribute for an element with the given URI, local name and value (which should be in the data encoding). If the named attribute already exists, its value is simply replaced. The name and value are not verified, converted, or checked. The value is not parsed, so entity references will not be expanded.

Syntax

```
void setAttributeNS(
    oratext* namespaceURI,
    oratext* qualifiedName,
    oratext* value)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of attribute (data encoding)
qualifiedName	qualified name of attribute(data encoding)
value	value of attribute(data encoding)

setAttributeNode()

Adds a new attribute to an element. If an attribute with the given name already exists, it is replaced and a pointer to the old attribute returned. If the attribute is new, it is added to the element's list and a pointer to the new attribute is returned.

Syntax

```
Node* setAttributeNode(
    AttrRef< Node>& newAttr)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newAttr	new node

Returns

(Node*) the attribute node (old or new)

~ElementRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~ElementRef();
```

EntityRef Interface

Table 3-15 summarizes the methods available through `EntityRef` interface.

Table 3-15 Summary of EntityRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
<code>EntityRef()EntityRef()</code>	Constructor.
<code>getNotationName()getNotationName()</code>	Get entity's notation.
<code>getPublicId()getPublicId()</code>	Get entity's public ID.
<code>getSystemId()getSystemId()</code>	Get entity's system ID.
<code>getType()getType()</code>	Get entity's type.
<code>~EntityRef()~EntityRef()</code>	Public default destructor.

EntityRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>EntityRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given entity node after a call to create Entity.
<pre>EntityRef(const EntityRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
<code>node_ref</code>	reference to provide the context
<code>nptr</code>	referenced node

Returns

(EntityRef) Node reference object

getNotationName()

For unparsed entities, returns the name of its notation (in the data encoding). For parsed entities and other node types, returns `NULL`.

Syntax

```
oratext* getNotationName() const;
```


Returns

(oratext*) entity's notation

getPublicId()

Returns an entity's public identifier (in the data encoding).

Syntax

```
oratext* getPublicId() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) entity's public identifier

getSystemId()

Returns an entity's system identifier (in the data encoding).

Syntax

```
oratext* getSystemId() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) entity's system identifier

getType()

Returns a boolean for an entity describing whether it is general (`TRUE`) or parameter (`FALSE`).

Syntax

```
boolean getType() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) `TRUE` for general entity, `FALSE` for parameter entity

~EntityRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~EntityRef();
```

EntityReferenceRef Interface

[Table 3-16](#) summarizes the methods available through `EntityReferenceRef` interface.

Table 3-16 Summary of EntityReferenceRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
EntityReferenceRef()	Constructor.
~EntityReferenceRef()	Public default destructor.

EntityReferenceRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>EntityReferenceRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given entity reference node after a call to create EntityReference.
<pre>EntityReferenceRef(const EntityReferenceRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(EntityReferenceRef) Node reference object

~EntityReferenceRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~EntityReferenceRef();
```

NamedNodeMapRef Interface

[Table 3-17](#) summarizes the methods available through NamedNodeMapRef interface.

Table 3-17 Summary of NamedNodeMapRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
NamedNodeMapRef()	Constructor
getLength()	Get map's length
getNamedItem()	Get item given its name

Table 3-17 (Cont.) Summary of NamedNodeMapRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
getNamedItemNS()	Get item given its namespace URI and local name.
item()	Get item given its index.
removeNamedItem()	Remove an item given its name.
removeNamedItemNS()	Remove the item from the map.
setNamedItem()	Add new item to the map.
setNamedItemNS()	Set named item to the map.
~NamedNodeMapRef()	Default destructor.

NamedNodeMapRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>NamedNodeMapRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, NamedNodeMap< Node>* mptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given NamedNodeMap node.
<pre>NamedNodeMapRef(const NamedNodeMapRef< Node>& mref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(NamedNodeMapRef) Node reference object

getLength()

Get the length of the map.

Syntax

```
ub4 getLength() const;
```

Returns

(ub4) map's length

getNamedItem()

Get the name of the item, given its name.

Syntax

```
Node* getNamedItem( oratext* name) const;
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of item

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the item

getNamedItemNS()

Get the name of the item, given its namespace URI and local name.

Syntax

```
Node* getNamedItemNS(  
    oratext* namespaceURI,  
    oratext* localName) const;
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of item
localName	local name of item

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the item

item()

Get item, given its index.

Syntax

```
Node* item(  
    ub4 index) const;
```

Parameter	Description
index	index of item

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the item

removeNamedItem()

Remove the item from the map, given its name.

Syntax

```
Node* removeNamedItem(  
    oratext* name)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
name	name of item

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the removed item

removeNamedItemNS()

Remove the item from the map, given its namespace URI and local name.

Syntax

```
Node* removeNamedItemNS(  
    oratext* namespaceURI,  
    oratext* localName)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
namespaceURI	namespace URI of item
localName	local name of item

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the removed item

setNamedItem()

Add new item to the map.

Syntax

```
Node* setNamedItem(  
    NodeRef< Node>& newItem)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newItem	item set to the map

Returns

(Node*) pointer to new item

setNamedItemNS()

Set named item, which is namespace aware, to the map.

Syntax

```
Node* setNamedItemNS(
    NodeRef< Node>& newItem)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newItem	item set to the map

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the item

~NamedNodeMapRef()

Default destructor.

Syntax

```
~NamedNodeMapRef();
```

NodeFilter Interface

[Table 3-18](#) summarizes the methods available through NodeFilter interface.

Table 3-18 Summary of NodeFilter Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
acceptNode() acceptNode()	Execute it for a given node and use its return value.

acceptNode()

This function is used as a test by NodeIterator and TreeWalker.

Syntax

```
template< typename Node> AcceptNodeCode AcceptNode(
    NodeRef< Node>& nref);
```

Parameter	Description
nref	reference to the node to be tested.

Returns

(AcceptNodeCode) result returned by the filter function

NodeIterator Interface

Table 3-19 summarizes the methods available through `NodeIterator` interface.

Table 3-19 Summary of NodeIterator Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
adjustCtx()	Attach this iterator to the another context.
detach()	Invalidate the iterator.
nextNode()	Go to the next node.
previousNode()	Go to the previous node.

adjustCtx()

Attaches this iterator to the context associated with a given node reference

Syntax

```
void adjustCtx(
    NodeRef< Node>& nref);
```

Parameter	Description
nref	reference node

detach()

Invalidates the iterator.

Syntax

```
void detach();
```

nextNode()

Go to the next node.

Syntax

```
Node* nextNode() throw (DOMException);
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the next node

previousNode()

Go to the previous node.

Syntax

```
Node* previousNode() throw (DOMException);
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the previous node

NodeListRef Interface

Table 3-20 summarizes the methods available through NodeListRef interface.

Table 3-20 Summary of NodeListRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
NodeListRef()	Constructor.
getLength()	Get list's length.
item()	Get item given its index.
~NodeListRef()	Default destructor.

NodeListRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>NodeListRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, NodeList< Node>* lptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given NodeList node.
<pre>NodeListRef(const NodeListRef< Node>& lref);</pre>	Copy constructor.
Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context

Parameter	Description
<code>lptr</code>	referenced list

Returns

(NodeListRef) Node reference object

getLength()

Get the length of the list.

Syntax

```
ub4 getLength() const;
```

Returns

(ub4) list's length

item()

Get the item, given its index.

Syntax

```
Node* item(
    ub4 index) const;
```

Parameter	Description
<code>index</code>	index of item

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the item

~NodeListRef()

Destructs the object.

Syntax

```
~NodeListRef();
```

NodeRef Interface

Table 3-21 summarizes the methods available through NodeRef interface.

Table 3-21 Summary of NodeRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
NodeRef()	Constructor.
appendChild()	Append new child to node's list of children.
cloneNode()	Clone this node.
getAttributes()	Get attributes of this node.
getChildNodes()	Get children of this node.
getFirstChild()	Get the first child node of this node.
getLastChild()	Get the last child node of this node.
getLocalName()	Get local name of this node.
getNamespaceURI()	Get namespace URI of this node as a NULL-terminated string.
getNextSibling()	Get the next sibling node of this node.
getNoMod()	Tests if no modifications are allowed for this node.
getNodeName()	Get node's name as NULL-terminated string.
getNodeNodeType()	Get DOMNodeType of the node.
getNodeValue()	Get node's value as NULL-terminated string.
getOwnerDocument()	Get the owner document of this node.
getParentNode()	Get parent node of this node.
getPrefix()	Get namespace prefix of this node.
getPreviousSibling()	Get the previous sibling node of this node.
hasAttributes()	Tests if this node has attributes.
hasChildNodes()	Test if this node has children.
insertBefore()	Insert new child into node's list of children.
isSupported()	Tests if specified feature is supported by the implementation.
markToDelete()	Sets the mark to delete the referenced node.
normalize()	Merge adjacent text nodes.
removeChild()	Remove an existing child node.
replaceChild()	Replace an existing child of a node.
resetNode()	Reset NodeRef to reference another node.
setNodeValue()	Set node's value as NULL-terminated string.
setPrefix()	Set namespace prefix of this node.
~NodeRef()	Public default destructor.

NodeRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>NodeRef(const NodeRef< Node>& nref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given node when at least one reference to this node or another node is already available. The node deletion flag is not copied and is set to FALSE.
<pre>NodeRef(const NodeRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor. Used to create additional references to the node when at least one reference is already available. The node deletion flag is not copied and is set to FALSE.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(NodeRef) Node reference object

appendChild()

Appends the node to the end of this node's list of children and returns the new node. If `newChild` is a `DocumentFragment`, all of its children are appended in original order; the `DocumentFragment` node itself is not. If `newChild` is already in the DOM tree, it is first removed from its current position.

Syntax

```
Node* appendChild(
    NodeRef& newChild)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newChild	reference node

Returns

(Node*) the node appended

cloneNode()

Creates and returns a duplicate of this node. The duplicate node has no parent. Cloning an `Element` copies all attributes and their values, including those generated by the XML processor to represent defaulted attributes, but it does not copy any text it contains unless it is a deep clone, since the text is contained in a child `Text` node. Cloning any other type of node simply returns a copy of the node. If `deep` is `TRUE`, all children of the node are recursively cloned, and the cloned node will have cloned children; a non-deep clone will have no children. If the cloned node is not inserted into

another tree or fragment, it probably should be marked, through its reference, for deletion (by the user).

Syntax

```
Node* cloneNode(  
    boolean deep);
```

Parameter	Description
deep	whether to clone the entire node hierarchy beneath the node (<code>TRUE</code>), or just the node itself (<code>FALSE</code>)

Returns

(Node*) duplicate (cloned) node

getAttributes()

Returns `NamedNodeMap` of attributes of this node, or `NULL` if it has no attributes. Only element nodes can have attribute nodes. For other node kinds, `NULL` is always returned. In the current implementation, the node map of child nodes is live; all changes in the original node are reflected immediately. Because of this, side effects can be present for some DOM tree manipulation styles, in particular, in multithreaded environments.

Syntax

```
NamedNodeMap< Node>* getAttributes() const;
```

Returns

(NamedNodeMap*) `NamedNodeMap` of attributes

getChildNodes()

Returns the list of child nodes, or `NULL` if this node has no children. Only `Element`, `Document`, `DTD`, and `DocumentFragment` nodes may have children; all other types will return `NULL`. In the current implementation, the list of child nodes is live; all changes in the original node are reflected immediately. Because of this, side effects can be present for some DOM tree manipulation styles, in particular, in multithreaded environments.

Syntax

```
NodeList< Node>* getChildNodes() const;
```

Returns

(NodeList*) the list of child nodes

getFirstChild()

Returns the first child node, or `NULL`, if this node has no children

Syntax

```
Node* getFirstChild() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) the first child node, or NULL

getLastChild()

Returns the last child node, or NULL, if this node has no children

Syntax

```
Node* getLastChild() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) the last child node, or NULL

getLocalName()

Returns local name (local part of the qualified name) of this node (in the data encoding) as a NULL-terminated string. If this node's name is not fully qualified (has no prefix), then the local name is the same as the name.

Syntax

```
oratext* getLocalName() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) local name of this node

getNamespaceURI()

Returns the namespace URI of this node (in the data encoding) as a NULL-terminated string. If the node's name is not qualified (does not contain a namespace prefix), it will have the default namespace in effect when the node was created (which may be NULL).

Syntax

```
oratext* getNamespaceURI() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) namespace URI of this node

getNextSibling()

Returns the next sibling node, or NULL, if this node has no next sibling

Syntax

```
Node* getNextSibling() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) the next sibling node, or NULL

getNoMod()

Tests if no modifications are allowed for this node and the DOM tree it belongs to. This member function is Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
boolean getNoMod() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if no modifications are allowed

getNodeName()

Returns the (fully-qualified) name of the node (in the data encoding) as a NULL-terminated string, for example "bar\0" or "foo:bar\0". Some node kinds have fixed names: "#text", "#cdata-section", "#comment", "#document", "#document-fragment". The name of a node cannot be changed once it is created.

Syntax

```
oratext* getNodeName() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) name of node in data encoding

getNodeType()

Returns DOMNodeType of the node

Syntax

```
DOMNodeType getNodeType() const;
```

Returns

(DOMNodeType) of the node

getNodeValue()

Returns the "value" (associated character data) for a node as a NULL-terminated string. Character and general entities will have been replaced. Only Attr, CDATA, Comment, ProcessingInstruction and Text nodes have values, all other node types have NULL value.

Syntax

```
oratext* getNodeValue() const;
```

Returns

(oratext *) value of node

getOwnerDocument()

Returns the document node associated with this node. It is assumed that the document node type is derived from the node type. Each node may belong to only one document, or may not be associated with any document at all, such as immediately after it was created on user's request. The "owning" document [node] is returned, or the `WRONG_DOCUMENT_ERR` exception is thrown.

Syntax

```
Node* getOwnerDocument() const throw (DOMException);
```

Returns

(Node*) the owning document node

getParentNode()

Returns the parent node, or `NULL`, if this node has no parent

Syntax

```
Node* getParentNode() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) the parent node, or `NULL`

getPrefix()

Returns the namespace prefix of this node (in the data encoding) (as a `NULL`-terminated string). If this node's name is not fully qualified (has no prefix), `NULL` is returned.

Syntax

```
oratext* getPrefix() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) namespace prefix of this node

getPreviousSibling()

Returns the previous sibling node, or `NULL`, if this node has no previous siblings

Syntax

```
Node* getPreviousSibling() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) the previous sibling node, or NULL

hasAttributes()

Returns TRUE if this node has attributes, if it is an element. Otherwise, it returns FALSE. Note that for nodes that are not elements, it always returns FALSE.

Syntax

```
boolean hasAttributes() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if this node is an element and has attributes

hasChildNodes()

Tests if this node has children. Only Element, Document, DTD, and DocumentFragment nodes may have children.

Syntax

```
boolean hasChildNodes() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if this node has any children

insertBefore()

Inserts the node `newChild` before the existing child node `refChild` in this node. `refChild` must be a child of this node. If `newChild` is a `DocumentFragment`, all of its children are inserted (in the same order) before `refChild`; the `DocumentFragment` node itself is not. If `newChild` is already in the DOM tree, it is first removed from its current position.

Syntax

```
Node* insertBefore(  
    NodeRef& newChild,  
    NodeRef& refChild)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
<code>newChild</code>	new node
<code>refChild</code>	reference node

Returns

(Node*) the node being inserted

isSupported()

Tests if the feature, specified by the arguments, is supported by the DOM implementation of this node.

Syntax

```
boolean isSupported(  
    oratext* feature,  
    oratext* version) const;
```

Parameter	Description
feature	package name of feature
version	version of package

Returns

(boolean) TRUE is specified feature is supported

markToDelete()

Sets the mark indicating that the referenced node should be deleted at the time when destructor of this reference is called. All other references to the node become invalid. This behavior is inherited by all other reference classes. This member function is Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
void markToDelete();
```

normalize()

"Normalizes" the subtree rooted at an element, merges adjacent `Text` nodes children of elements. Note that adjacent `Text` nodes will never be created during a normal parse, only after manipulation of the document with DOM calls.

Syntax

```
void normalize();
```

removeChild()

Removes the node from this node's list of children and returns it. The node is orphaned; its parent will be `NULL` after removal.

Syntax

```
Node* removeChild(  
    NodeRef& oldChild)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
oldChild	old node

Returns

(Node*) node removed

replaceChild()

Replaces the child node `oldChild` with the new node `newChild` in this node's children list, and returns `oldChild` (which is now orphaned, with a `NULL` parent). If `newChild` is a `DocumentFragment`, all of its children are inserted in place of `oldChild`; the `DocumentFragment` node itself is not. If `newChild` is already in the DOM tree, it is first removed from its current position.

Syntax

```
Node* replaceChild(
    NodeRef& newChild,
    NodeRef& oldChild)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newChild	new node
oldChild	old node

Returns

(Node*) the node replaced

resetNode()

This function resets `NodeRef` to reference `Node` given as an argument

Syntax

```
void resetNode(
    Node* nptr);
```

Parameter	Description
nptr	reference node

setNodeValue()

Sets a node's value (character data) as a `NULL`-terminated string. Does not allow setting the value to `NULL`. Only `Attr`, `CDATA`, `Comment`, `ProcessingInstruction`, and

Text nodes have values. Trying to set the value of another kind of node is a no-op. The new value must be in the data encoding! It is not verified, converted, or checked. The value is not copied, its pointer is just stored. The user is responsible for persistence and freeing of that data.

It throws the `NO_MODIFICATION_ALLOWED_ERR` exception, if no modifications are allowed, or `UNDEFINED_ERR`, with an appropriate Oracle XML error code (see `xml.h`), in the case of an implementation defined error.

Syntax

```
void setNodeValue(
    oratext* data)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	new value for node

setPrefix()

Sets the namespace prefix of this node (as `NULL`-terminated string). Does not verify the prefix is defined! And does not verify that the prefix is in the current data encoding. Just causes a new qualified name to be formed from the new prefix and the old local name.

It throws the `NO_MODIFICATION_ALLOWED_ERR` exception, if no modifications are allowed. Or it throws `NAMESPACE_ERR` if the `namespaceURI` of this node is `NULL`, or if the specified prefix is "xml" and the `namespaceURI` of this node is different from "http://www.w3.org/XML/1998/namespace", or if this node is an attribute and the specified prefix is "xmlns" and the `namespaceURI` of this node is different from "http://www.w3.org/2000/xmlns/". Note that the `INVALID_CHARACTER_ERR` exception is never thrown since it is not checked how the prefix is formed

Syntax

```
void setPrefix(
    oratext* prefix)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
prefix	new namespace prefix

~NodeRef()

This is the default destructor. It cleans the reference to the node and, if the node is marked for deletion, deletes the node. If the node was marked for deep deletion, the tree under the node is also deleted (deallocated). It is usually called by the environment. But it can be called by the user directly if necessary.

Syntax

```
~NodeRef();
```

NotationRef Interface

Table 3-22 summarizes the methods available through `NotationRef` interface.

Table 3-22 Summary of NotationRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
NotationRef()	Constructor.
getPublicId()	Get public ID.
getSystemId()	Get system ID.
~NotationRef()	Public default destructor.

NotationRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>NotationRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given notation node after a call to <code>createNotation</code> .
<pre>NotationRef(const NotationRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
<code>node_ref</code>	reference to provide the context
<code>nptr</code>	referenced node

Returns

(`NotationRef`) Node reference object

getPublicId()

Get public id.

Syntax

```
oratext* getPublicId() const;
```

Returns

(`oratext*`) public ID

getSystemId()

Get system id.

Syntax

```
oratext* getSystemId() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) system ID

~NotationRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~NotationRef();
```

ProcessingInstructionRef Interface

[Table 3-23](#) summarizes the methods available through ProcessingInstructionRef interface.

Table 3-23 Summary of ProcessingInstructionRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
ProcessingInstructionRef()	Constructor.
getData()	Get processing instruction's data.
getTarget()	Get processing instruction's target.
setData()	Set processing instruction's data.
~ProcessingInstructionRef()	Public default destructor.

ProcessingInstructionRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>ProcessingInstructionRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given ProcessingInstruction node after a call to create ProcessingInstruction.
<pre>ProcessingInstructionRef(const ProcessingInstructionRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(ProcessingInstructionRef) Node reference object

getData()

Returns the content (data) of a processing instruction (in the data encoding). The content is the part from the first non-whitespace character after the target until the ending ">".

Syntax

```
oratext* getData() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) processing instruction's data

getTarget()

Returns a processing instruction's target string. The target is the first token following the markup that begins the `ProcessingInstruction`. All `ProcessingInstructionS` must have a target, though the data part is optional.

Syntax

```
oratext* getTarget() const;
```

Returns

(oratext*) processing instruction's target

setData()

Sets processing instruction's data (content), which must be in the data encoding. It is not permitted to set the data to `NULL`. The new data is not verified, converted, or checked.

Syntax

```
void setData(  
    oratext* data)  
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
data	new data

~ProcessingInstructionRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~ProcessingInstructionRef();
```

Range Interface

Table 3-24 summarizes the methods available through Range interface.

Table 3-24 Summary of Range Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
CompareBoundaryPoints()	Compares boundary points.
cloneContent()	Makes a clone of the node.
cloneRange()	Clones a range of nodes.
deleteContents()	Deletes contents of the node.
detach()	Invalidate the range.
extractContent()	Extract the node.
getCollapsed()	Check if the range is collapsed.
getCommonAncestorContainer()	Get the deepest common ancestor node.
getEndContainer()	Get end container node.
getEndOffset()	Get offset of the end point.
getStartContainer()	Get start container node.
getStartOffset()	Get offset of the start point.
insertNode()	Inserts a node.
selectNodeContent()	Selects node content by its reference.
selectNode()	Selects a node.
setEnd()	Set end point.
setEndAfter()	Sets the end pointer after a specified node.
setEndBefore()	Set the end before a specified node.
setStart()	Set start point.
setStartAfter()	Sets start pointer after a specified node.
setStartBefore()	Sets start pointer before a specified node.
surroundContents()	Makes a node into a child of the specified node.
toString()	Converts an item into a string.

CompareBoundaryPoints()

Compares boundary points.

Syntax

```
CompareHowCode compareBoundaryPoints(  
    unsigned short how,  
    Range< Node>* sourceRange)  
    throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
how	how to compare
sourceRange	range of comparison

Returns

(CompareHowCode) result of comparison

cloneContent()

Makes a clone of the node, including its children.

Syntax

```
Node* cloneContents() throw (DOMException);
```

Returns

(Node*) subtree cloned

cloneRange()

Clones a range of nodes.

Syntax

```
Range< Node>* cloneRange();
```

Returns

(Range< Node>*) new cloned range

deleteContents()

Deletes contents of the node.

Syntax

```
void deleteContents() throw (DOMException);
```


detach()

Invalidates the range. It is not recommended to use this method since it leaves the object in invalid state. The preferable way is to call the destructor.

Syntax

```
void detach();
```

extractContent()

Extract the node.

Syntax

```
Node* extractContents() throw (DOMException);
```

Returns

(Node*) subtree extracted

getCollapsed()

Checks if the range is collapsed.

Syntax

```
boolean getCollapsed() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if the range is collapsed, FALSE otherwise

getCommonAncestorContainer()

Get the deepest common ancestor of the node.

Syntax

```
Node* getCommonAncestorContainer() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) common ancestor node

getEndContainer()

Gets the container node.

Syntax

```
Node* getEndContainer() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) end container node

getEndOffset()

Get offset of the end point.

Syntax

```
long getEndOffset() const;
```

Returns

(long) offset

getStartContainer()

Get start container node.

Syntax

```
Node* getStartContainer() const;
```

Returns

(Node*) start container node

getStartOffset()

Get offset of the start point.

Syntax

```
long getStartOffset() const;
```

Returns

(long) offset

insertNode()

Inserts a node.

Syntax

```
void insertNode(  
    NodeRef< Node>& newNode)  
    throw (RangeException, DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newNode	inserted node

selectNodeContent()

Selects node content by its reference.

Syntax

```
void selectNodeContent(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode)  
    throw (RangeException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node

selectNode()

Selects a node.

Syntax

```
void selectNode(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode)  
    throw (RangeException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node

setEnd()

Sets an end point.

Syntax

```
void setEnd(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode,  
    long offset)  
    throw (RangeException, DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node
offset	offset

setEndAfter()

Sets the end pointer after a specified node.

Syntax

```
void setEndAfter(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode)  
throw (RangeException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node

setEndBefore()

Set the end before a specified node.

Syntax

```
void setEndBefore(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode)  
throw (RangeException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node

setStart()

Sets start point.

Syntax

```
void setStart(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode,  
    long offset)  
throw (RangeException, DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node
offset	offset

setStartAfter()

Sets start pointer after a specified node.

Syntax

```
void setStartAfter(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode)  
throw (RangeException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node

setStartBefore()

Sets start pointer before a specified node.

Syntax

```
void setStartBefore(  
    NodeRef< Node>& refNode)  
    throw (RangeException);
```

Parameter	Description
refNode	reference node

surroundContents()

Makes a node into a child of the specified node.

Syntax

```
void surroundContents(  
    NodeRef< Node>& newParent)  
    throw (RangeException, DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
newParent	parent node

toString()

Converts an item into a string.

Syntax

```
oratext* toString();
```

Returns

(oratext*) string representation of the range

RangeException Interface

Table 3-25 summarizes the methods available through RangeException interface.

Table 3-25 Summary of RangeException Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.
getRangeCode()	Get Range exception code embedded in the exception.

getCode()

Gets Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception. Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMesLang()

Gets the current language encoding of error messages. Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Get XML error message. Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

getRangeCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning Range exception codes, defined in `RangeExceptionCode`, of the exceptional situations during execution.

Syntax

```
virtual RangeExceptionCode getRangeCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(RangeExceptionCode) exception code

TextRef Interface

Table 3-26 summarizes the methods available through TextRef interface.

Table 3-26 Summary of TextRef Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
TextRef()	Constructor.
splitText()	Split text node into two.
~TextRef()	Public default destructor.

TextRef()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<pre>TextRef(const NodeRef< Node>& node_ref, Node* nptr);</pre>	Used to create references to a given text node after a call to createtext.
<pre>TextRef(const TextRef< Node>& nref);</pre>	Copy constructor.

Parameter	Description
node_ref	reference to provide the context
nptr	referenced node

Returns

(TextRef) Node reference object

splitText()

Splits a single text node into two text nodes; the original data is split between them. The offset is zero-based, and is in characters, not bytes. The original node is retained, its data is just truncated. A new text node is created which contains the remainder of

the original data, and is inserted as the next sibling of the original. The new text node is returned.

Syntax

```
Node* splitText(
    ub4 offset)
throw (DOMException);
```

Parameter	Description
offset	character offset where to split text

Returns

(Node*) new node

~TextRef()

This is the default destructor.

Syntax

```
~TextRef();
```

TreeWalker Interface

[Table 3-27](#) summarizes the methods available through `TreeWalker` interface.

Table 3-27 Summary of TreeWalker Methods; Dom Package

Function	Summary
adjustCtx()	Attach this tree walker to another context.
firstChild()	Get the first child of the current node.
lastChild()	Get the last child of the current node.
nextNode()	Get the next node.
nextSibling()	Get the next sibling node.
parentNode()	Get the parent of the current node.
previousNode()	Get the previous node.
previousSibling()	Get the previous sibling node.

adjustCtx()

Attaches this tree walker to the context associated with a given node reference

Syntax

```
void adjustCtx(
    NodeRef< Node>& nref);
```

Parameter	Description
nref	reference to provide the context

firstChild()

Get the first child of the current node.

Syntax

```
Node* firstChild();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to first child node

lastChild()

Get the last child of the current node.

Syntax

```
Node* lastChild();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to last child node

nextNode()

Get the next node.

Syntax

```
Node* nextNode();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the next node

nextSibling()

Get the next sibling node.

Syntax

```
Node* nextSibling();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the next sibling node

parentNode()

Get the parent of the current node.

Syntax

```
Node* parentNode();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the parent node

previousNode()

Get the previous node.

Syntax

```
Node* previousNode();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to previous node

previousSibling()

Get the previous sibling node.

Syntax

```
Node* previousSibling();
```

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the previous sibling node

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Package IO APIs for C++

The IO Package for C++ APIs describes the input/output IO datatypes and `InputSource` methods.



See Also:

Oracle XML Developer's Kit Programmer's Guide

IO Datatypes

[Table 4-1](#) summarizes the datatypes of the IO package.

Table 4-1 Summary of Datatypes; IO Package

Datatype	Description
InputSourceType	Defines input source types.

InputSourceType

Defines input source types.

Definition

```
typedef enum InputSourceType {  
    ISRC_URI = 1,  
    ISRC_FILE = 2,  
    ISRC_BUFFER = 3,  
    ISRC_DOM = 4,  
    ISRC_CSTREAM = 5 }  
InputSourceType;
```

InputSource Interface

[Table 4-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the IO interface

Table 4-2 Summary of IO Package Interfaces

Function	Summary
getBaseURI()	Get the base URI.
getSrcType()	Get the input source type.
setBaseURI()	Set the base URI.

getBaseURI()

Gets the base URI. It is used by some input sources such as File and URI.

Syntax

```
oratext* getBaseURI() { return baseURI; }
```

Returns

(oratext*) base URI

getSrcType()

Gets the input source type.

Syntax

```
InputSourceType getISrcType() const { return isrcType; }
```

Returns

(InputSourceType) input source type

setBaseURI()

Sets the base URI. It is used by some input sources such as File and URI.

Syntax

```
void setBaseURI( oratext* base_URI) baseURI = base_URI; }
```

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Package Parser APIs for C++

The Parser interfaces include `Parserdatatypes`, `DOMParsermethods`, `GParser methods`, `ParserException methods`, `SAXHandler methods`, `SAXParsermethods`, and `SchemaValidatormethods`.



See Also:

Oracle XML Developer's Kit Programmer's Guide

Parser Datatypes

Table 5-1 summarizes the datatypes of the `Parser` package.

Table 5-1 Summary of Datatypes; Parser Package

Datatype	Description
ParserExceptionCode	Parser implementation of exceptions.
DOMParserIdType	Defines parser identifiers.
SAXParserIdType	Defines type of node.
SchValidatorIdType	Defines validator identifiers.

ParserExceptionCode

Parser implementation of exceptions.

Definition

```
typedef enum ParserExceptionCode {  
    PARSER_UNDEFINED_ERR = 0,  
    PARSER_VALIDATION_ERR = 1,  
    PARSER_VALIDATOR_ERR = 2,  
    PARSER_BAD_ISOURCE_ERR = 3,  
    PARSER_CONTEXT_ERR = 4,  
    PARSER_PARAMETER_ERR = 5,  
    PARSER_PARSE_ERR = 6,  
    PARSER_SAXHANDLER_SET_ERR = 7,  
    PARSER_VALIDATOR_SET_ERR = 8 }  
ParserExceptionCode;
```

DOMParserIdType

Defines parser identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum DOMParserIdType {      DOMParCXml      = 1      } DOMParserIdType;
typedef enum CompareHowCode {
    START_TO_START = 0,
    START_TO_END = 1,
    END_TO_END = 2,
    END_TO_START = 3 }
CompareHowCode;
```

SAXParserIdType

Defines parser identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum SAXParserIdType {
    SAXParCXml = 1 }
SAXParserIdType;
```

SchValidatorIdType

Defines validator identifiers. These identifiers are used as parameters to the XML tools factory when a particular validator object has to be created.

Definition

```
typedef enum SchValidatorIdType {
    SchValCXml      = 1
} SchValidatorIdType;
```

DOMParser Interface

[Table 5-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the `DOMParser` interface.

Table 5-2 Summary of DOMParser Methods; Parser Package

Function	Summary
getContext()	Returns parser's XML context (allocation and encodings).
getParserId()	Get parser id.
parse()	Parse the document.
parseDTD()	Parse DTD document.
parseSchVal()	Parse and validate the document.
setValidator()	Set the validator for this parser.

getContext()

Each parser object is allocated and executed in a particular Oracle XML context. This member function returns a pointer to this context.

Syntax

```
virtual Context* getContext() const = 0;
```

Returns

(Context*) pointer to parser's context

getParserId()

Syntax

```
virtual DOMParserIdType getParserId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(DOMParserIdType) Parser Id

parse()

Parses the document and returns the tree root node

Syntax

```
virtual DocumentRef< Node>* parse(
    InputSource* isrc_ptr,
    boolean DTDvalidate = FALSE,
    DocumentTypeRef< Node>* dtd_ptr = NULL,
    boolean no_mod = FALSE,
    DOMImplementation< Node>* impl_ptr = NULL)
    throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	input source
DTDvalidate	TRUE if validated by DTD
dtd_ptr	DTD reference
no_mod	TRUE if no modifications allowed
impl_ptr	optional DomImplementation pointer

Returns

(DocumentRef) document tree

parseDTD()

Parse DTD document.

Syntax

```
virtual DocumentRef< Node>* parseDTD(
    InputSource* isrc_ptr,
    boolean no_mod = FALSE,
    DOMImplementation< Node>* impl_ptr = NULL)
throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	input source
no_mod	TRUE if no modifications allowed
impl_ptr	optional DomImplementation pointer

Returns

(DocumentRef) DTD document tree

parseSchVal()

Parses and validates the document. Sets the validator if the corresponding parameter is not NULL.

Syntax

```
virtual DocumentRef< Node>* parseSchVal(
    InputSource* src_ptr,
    boolean no_mod = FALSE,
    DOMImplementation< Node>* impl_ptr = NULL,
    SchemaValidator< Node>* tor_ptr = NULL)
throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	input source
no_mod	TRUE if no modifications allowed
impl_ptr	optional DomImplementation pointer
tor_ptr	schema validator

Returns

(DocumentRef) document tree

setValidator()

Sets the validator for all validations except when another one is given in parseSchVal

Syntax

```
virtual void setValidator(
SchemaValidator< Node>* tor_ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
tor_ptr	schema validator

GParser Interface

Table 5-3 summarizes the methods available through the GParser interface.

Table 5-3 Summary of GParser Methods; Parser Package

Function	Summary
SetWarnDuplicateEntity()	Specifies if multiple entity declarations result in a warning.
getBaseURI()	Returns the base URI for the document.
getDiscardWhitespaces()	Checks if whitespaces between elements are discarded.
getExpandCharRefs()	Checks if character references are expanded.
getSchemaLocation()	Get schema location for this document.
getStopOnWarning()	Get if document processing stops on warnings.
getWarnDuplicateEntity()	Get if multiple entity declarations cause a warning.
setBaseURI()	Sets the base URI for the document.
setDiscardWhitespaces()	Sets if formatting whitespaces should be discarded.
setExpandCharRefs()	Get if character references are expanded.
setSchemaLocation()	Set schema location for this document.
setStopOnWarning()	Sets if document processing stops on warnings.

SetWarnDuplicateEntity()

Specifies if entities that are declared more than once will cause warnings to be issued.

Syntax

```
void setWarnDuplicateEntity(
boolean par_bool);
```

Parameter	Description
par_bool	TRUE if multiple entity declarations cause a warning

getBaseURI()

Returns the base URI for the document. Usually only documents loaded from a URI will automatically have a base URI. Documents loaded from other sources (`stdin`, `buffer`, and so on) will not naturally have a base URI, but a base URI may have been set for them using `setBaseURI`, for the purposes of resolving relative URIs in inclusion.

Syntax

```
oratext* getBaseURI() const;
```

Returns

(`oratext *`) current document's base URI [or `NULL`]

getDiscardWhitespaces()

Checks if formatting whitespaces between elements, such as newlines and indentation in input documents are discarded. By default, all input characters are preserved.

Syntax

```
boolean getDiscardWhitespaces() const;
```

Returns

(`boolean`) `TRUE` if whitespace between elements are discarded

getExpandCharRefs()

Checks if character references are expanded in the DOM data. By default, character references are replaced by the character they represent. However, when a document is saved those characters entities do not reappear. To ensure they remain through load and save, they should not be expanded.

Syntax

```
boolean getExpandCharRefs() const;
```

Returns

(`boolean`) `TRUE` if character references are expanded

getSchemaLocation()

Gets schema location for this document. It is used to figure out the optimal layout when loading documents into a database.

Syntax

```
oratext* getSchemaLocation() const;
```

Returns

(`oratext*`) schema location

getStopOnWarning()

When `TRUE` is returned, warnings are treated the same as errors and cause parsing, validation, and so on, to stop immediately. By default, warnings are issued but the processing continues.

Syntax

```
boolean getStopOnWarning() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) `TRUE` if document processing stops on warnings

getWarnDuplicateEntity()

Get if entities which are declared more than once will cause warnings to be issued.

Syntax

```
boolean getWarnDuplicateEntity() const;
```

Returns

(boolean) `TRUE` if multiple entity declarations cause a warning

setBaseURI()

Sets the base URI for the document. Usually only documents that were loaded from a URI will automatically have a base URI. Documents loaded from other sources (stdin, buffer, and so on) will not naturally have a base URI, but a base URI may have been set for them using `setBaseURI`, for the purposes of resolving relative URIs in inclusion.

Syntax

```
void setBaseURI( oratext* par);
```

Parameter	Description
par	base URI

setDiscardWhitespaces()

Sets if formatting whitespaces between elements (newlines and indentation) in input documents are discarded. By default, ALL input characters are preserved.

Syntax

```
void setDiscardWhitespaces(  
    boolean par_bool);
```

Parameter	Description
par_bool	TRUE if whitespaces should be discarded

setExpandCharRefs()

Sets if character references should be expanded in the DOM data. Ordinarily, character references are replaced by the character they represent. However, when a document is saved those characters entities do not reappear. To ensure they remain through load and save is to not expand them.

Syntax

```
void setExpandCharRefs(
    boolean par_bool);
```

Parameter	Description
par_bool	TRUE if character references should be discarded

setSchemaLocation()

Sets schema location for this document. It is used to figure out the optimal layout when loading documents into a database.

Syntax

```
void setSchemaLocation(
    oratext* par);
```

Parameter	Description
par	schema location

setStopOnWarning()

When `TRUE` is set, warnings are treated the same as errors and cause parsing, validation, and so on, to stop immediately. By default, warnings are issued but the processing continues.

Syntax

```
void setStopOnWarning(
    boolean par_bool);
```

Parameter	Description
par_bool	TRUE if document processing should stop on warnings

ParserException Interface

Table 5-4 summarizes the methods available through the `ParserException` interface.

Table 5-4 Summary of ParserException Methods; Parser Package

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.
getParserCode()	Get parser exception code embedded in the exception.

getCode()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMesLang()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

getParserCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning parser and validator exception codes, defined in `ParserExceptionCode`, of the exceptional situations during execution.

Syntax

```
virtual ParserExceptionCode getParserCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(`ParserExceptionCode`) exception code

SAXHandler Interface

Table 5-5 summarizes the methods available through the `SAXHandler` interface.

Table 5-5 Summary of SAXHandler Methods; Parser Package

Function	Summary
<code>CDATA()</code>	Receive notification of CDATA.
<code>XMLDecl()</code>	Receive notification of an XML declaration.
<code>attributeDecl()</code>	Receive notification of attribute's declaration.
<code>characters()</code>	Receive notification of character data.
<code>comment()</code>	Receive notification of a comment.
<code>elementDecl()</code>	Receive notification of element's declaration.
<code>endDocument()</code>	Receive notification of the end of the document.
<code>endElement()</code>	Receive notification of element's end.
<code>notationDecl()</code>	Receive notification of a notation declaration.
<code>parsedEntityDecl()</code>	Receive notification of a parsed entity declaration.
<code>processingInstruction()</code>	Receive notification of a processing instruction.
<code>startDocument()</code>	Receive notification of the start of the document.
<code>startElement()</code>	Receive notification of element's start.
<code>startElementNS()</code>	Receive namespace aware notification of element's start.
<code>unparsedEntityDecl()</code>	Receive notification of an unparsed entity declaration.
<code>whitespace()</code>	Receive notification of whitespace characters.

CDATA()

This event handles CDATA, as distinct from Text. The data will be in the data encoding, and the returned length is in characters, not bytes. This is an Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
virtual void CDATA(
    oratext* data,
    ub4 size) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
data	pointer to CDATA
size	size of CDATA

XMLDecl()

This event marks an XML declaration (`XMLDecl`). The `startDocument` event is always first; this event will be the second event. The encoding flag says whether an encoding was specified. For the standalone flag, -1 will be returned if it was not specified, otherwise 0 for FALSE, 1 for TRUE. This member function is an Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
virtual void XMLDecl(
    oratext* version,
    boolean is_encoding,
    sword standalone) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
version	version string from XMLDecl
is_encoding	whether encoding was specified
standalone	value of standalone value flag

attributeDecl()

This event marks an attribute declaration in the DTD. It is an Oracle extension; not in SAX standard

Syntax

```
virtual void attributeDecl(
    oratext* attr_name,
    oratext *name,
    oratext *content) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
attr_name	name of the attribute

Parameter	Description
name	name of the declaration
content	body of attribute declaration

characters()

This event marks character data.

Syntax

```
virtual void characters(  
    oratext* ch,  
    ub4 size) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
ch	pointer to data
size	length of data

comment()

This event marks a comment in the XML document. The comment's data will be in the data encoding. It is an Oracle extension, not in SAX standard.

Syntax

```
virtual void comment(  
    oratext* data) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
data	comment's data

elementDecl()

This event marks an element declaration in the DTD. It is an Oracle extension; not in SAX standard.

Syntax

```
virtual void elementDecl(  
    oratext *name,  
    oratext *content) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
name	element's name
content	element's content

endDocument()

Receive notification of the end of the document.

Syntax

```
virtual void endDocument() = 0;
```

endElement()

This event marks the end of an element. The name is the `tagName` of the element (which may be a qualified name for namespace-aware elements) and is in the data encoding.

Syntax

```
virtual void endElement( oratext* name) = 0;
```

notationDecl()

The event marks the declaration of a notation in the DTD. The notation's name, public ID, and system ID will all be in the data encoding. Both IDs are optional and may be NULL.

Syntax

```
virtual void notationDecl(  
    oratext* name,  
    oratext* public_id,  
    oratext* system_id) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
name	notations's name
public_id	notation's public Id
system_id	notation's system Id

parsedEntityDecl()

Marks a parsed entity declaration in the DTD. The parsed entity's name, public ID, system ID, and notation name will all be in the data encoding. This is an Oracle extension.

Syntax

```
virtual void parsedEntityDecl(
    oratext* name,
    oratext* value,
    oratext* public_id,
    oratext* system_id,
    boolean general) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
name	entity's name
value	entity's value if internal
public_id	entity's public Id
system_id	entity's system Id
general	whether a general entity (FALSE if parameter entity)

processingInstruction()

This event marks a processing instruction. The PI's target and data will be in the data encoding. There is always a target, but the data may be NULL.

Syntax

```
virtual void processingInstruction(
    oratext* target,
    oratext* data) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
target	PI's target
data	PI's data

startDocument()

Receive notification of the start of document.

Syntax

```
virtual void startDocument() = 0;
```

startElement()

This event marks the start of an element.

Syntax

```
virtual void startElement(
    oratext* name,
    NodeListRef< Node>* attrs_ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
name	element's name
attrs_ptr	list of element's attributes

startElementNS()

This event marks the start of an element. Note this is the new SAX 2 namespace-aware version. The element's qualified name, local name, and namespace URI will be in the data encoding, as are all the attribute parts.

Syntax

```
virtual void startElementNS(
    oratext* qname,
    oratext* local,
    oratext* ns_URI,
    NodeListRef< Node>* attrs_ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
qname	element's qualified name
local	element's namespace local name
ns_URI	element's namespace URI
attrs_ref	NodeList of element's attributes

unparsedEntityDecl()

Marks an unparsed entity declaration in the DTD. The unparsed entity's name, public ID, system ID, and notation name will all be in the data encoding.

Syntax

```
virtual void unparsedEntityDecl(
    oratext* name,
    oratext* public_id,
    oratext* system_id,
    oratext* notation_name) = 0;
};
```

Parameter	Description
name	entity's name
public_id	entity's public Id
system_id	entity's system Id
notation_name	entity's notation name

whitespace()

This event marks ignorable whitespace data such as newlines, and indentation between lines.

Syntax

```
virtual void whitespace(
    oratext* data,
    ub4 size) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
data	pointer to data
size	length of data

SAXParser Interface

Table 5-6 summarizes the methods available through the `SAXParser` interface.

Table 5-6 Summary of SAXParser Methods; Parser Package

Function	Summary
getContext()	Returns parser's XML context (allocation and encodings).
getParserId()	Returns parser Id.
parse()	Parse the document.
parseDTD()	Parse the DTD.
setSAXHandler()	Set SAX handler.

getContext()

Each parser object is allocated and executed in a particular Oracle XML context. This member function returns a pointer to this context.

Syntax

```
virtual Context* getContext() const = 0;
```

Returns

(Context*) pointer to parser's context

getParserId()

Returns the parser id.

Syntax

```
virtual SAXParserIdType getParserId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(SAXParserIdType) Parser Id

parse()

Parses a document.

Syntax

```
virtual void parse(
    InputSource* src_ptr,
    boolean DTDvalidate = FALSE,
    SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr = NULL)
    throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
src_ptr	input source
DTDvalidate	TRUE if validate with DTD
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

parseDTD()

Parses a DTD.

Syntax

```
virtual void parseDTD(
    InputSource* src_ptr,
    SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr = NULL)
    throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
src_ptr	input source
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

setSAXHandler()

Sets SAX handler for all parser invocations except when another SAX handler is specified in the parser call.

Syntax

```
virtual void setSAXHandler(
    SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

SchemaValidator Interface

[Table 5-7](#) summarizes the methods available through the `SchemaValidator` interface.

Table 5-7 Summary of SchemaValidator Methods; Parser Package

Function	Summary
getSchemaList()	Return the Schema list.
getValidatorId()	Get validator identifier.
loadSchema()	Load a schema document.
unloadSchema()	Unload a schema document.

getSchemaList()

Return only the size of loaded schema list documents if "list" is NULL. If "list" is not NULL, a list of URL pointers is returned in the user-provided pointer buffer. Note that its user's responsibility to provide a buffer with big enough size.

Syntax

```
virtual ub4 getSchemaList(
    oratext **list) const = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
list	address of a pointer buffer

Returns

(ub4) list size and list of loaded schemas (I/O parameter)

getValidatorId()

Get the validator identifier corresponding to the implementation of this validator object.

Syntax

```
virtual SchValidatorIdType getValidatorId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(SchValidatorIdType) validator identifier

loadSchema()

Load up a schema document to be used in the next validation session. Throws an exception in the case of an error.

Syntax

```
virtual void loadSchema(  
    oratext* schema_URI)  
    throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
schema_URI	URL of a schema document; compiler encoding

unloadSchema()

Unload a schema document and all its descendants (included or imported in a nested manner from the validator. All previously loaded schema documents will remain loaded until they are unloaded. To unload all loaded schema documents, set schema_URI to be NULL. Throws an exception in the case of an error.

Syntax

```
virtual void unloadSchema(  
    oratext* schema_URI)  
    throw (ParserException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
schema_URI	URL of a schema document; compiler encoding

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Package SOAP APIs for C++

According to the W3C definition, "SOAP is a lightweight protocol for exchange of information in a decentralized, distributed environment. It is an XML based protocol that consists of three parts: an envelope that defines a framework for describing what is in a message and how to process it, a set of encoding rules for expressing instances of application-defined datatypes, and a convention for representing remote procedure calls and responses."

The structure of a SOAP message follows:

```
[SOAP message (XML document)
  [SOAP envelope
    [SOAP header?
      element*
    ]
    [SOAP body
      (element* | Fault)?
    ]
  ]
]
```

The Oracle C++ implementation of the SOAP interface includes SOAP datatypes, SoapException methods, ConnectRef methods, and MsgFactory methods.



See Also:

Oracle XML Developer's Kit Programmer's Guide

SOAP Datatypes

Table 6-1 summarizes the datatypes of the SOAP package.

Table 6-1 Summary of Datatypes; SOAP Package

Datatype	Description
SoapExceptionCode	Defines Soap-related exception codes.
SoapBinding	Defines binding for SOAP connections.
SoapRole	Defines roles for SOAP nodes.

SoapExceptionCode

Defines Soap-related exception codes.


```
typedef enum SoapExceptionCode {
    SOAP_UNDEFINED_ERR    = 0,
    SOAP_OTHER_ERR       = 1} SoapExceptionCode;
```

SoapBinding

Defines binding for SOAP connections. HTTP is currently the only choice.

```
typedef enum SoapBinding {
    BIND_NONE = 0, /* none */
    BIND_HTTP = 1 /* HTTP */ } SoapBinding;
```

SoapRole

Defines roles for SOAP nodes.

```
typedef enum SoapRole {
    ROLE_UNSET = 0, /* not specified */
    ROLE_NONE  = 1, /* "none" */
    ROLE_NEXT  = 2, /* "next" */
    ROLE_ULT   = 3 /* "ultimateReceiver" */ } SoapRole;
```

SoapException Interface

[Table 6-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the SoapException Interface.

Table 6-2 Summary of SoapException Interfaces

Datatype	Description
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.
getMesLang()	Get current language encoding of error messages.
getSoapCode()	Get Soap exception code embedded in the exception.

getCode()

Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception. This is a virtual member function inherited from `XMLException`.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMessage()

Get Oracle XML error message. Virtual member function inherited from `XMLException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

getMesLang()

Get current language encoding of error messages. Virtual member function inherited from `XMLException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getSoapCode()

Get SOAP exception code embedded in the exception. This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementing defined member functions that return SOAP API exception codes.

Syntax

```
virtual SoapExceptionCode getSoapCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(SoapExceptionCode) exception code

ConnectRef Interface

[Table 6-3](#) summarizes the methods available ConnectRef Interface.

Table 6-3 Summary of ConnectRef Interfaces

Datatype	Description
<code>~ConnectRef()</code>	Destroys a SOAP connection object
<code>call()</code>	Send a SOAP message then waits for a response.

~ConnectRef()

Destructor. Destroys a SOAP connection object and frees any resources associated with it.

Syntax

```
~ConnectRef() throw (SoapException);
```

call()

Send a SOAP message then waits for a response.

Syntax

```
DocumentRef< Node>* call(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	The SOAP message that is sent.

Returns

(DocumentRef) returned message

MsgFactory Interface

Table 6-4 summarizes the methods available through the MsgFactory Interface.

Table 6-4 Summary of MsgFactory Interfaces

Datatype	Description
~MsgFactory()	Destroys the SOAP message factory instance.
MsgFactory()	Creates and returns a SOAP Message Factory instance.
addBodyElement()	Adds an element to a SOAP message body.
addFaultReason()	Adds an additional Reason to Fault
addHeaderElement()	Adds an element to SOAP header.
createConnection()	Creates a SOAP connection.
createMessage()	Creates and returns an empty SOAP message.
destroyMessage()	Destroys a SOAP message.
getBody()	Returns a SOAP message's envelope body..
getBodyElement()	Gets an element from a SOAP body.
getEnvelope()	Returns a SOAP part's envelope.
getFault()	Returns Fault code, reason, and details.
getHeader()	Returns a SOAP message's envelope header..
getHeaderElement()	Gets an element from a SOAP header.
getMustUnderstand()	Gets <code>mustUnderstand</code> attribute from the SOAP header element.
getReasonNum()	Gets the number of reasons in Fault element.
getReasonLang()	Gets a language of a reason with a particular index.
getRole()	Gets role from SOAP header element.
hasFault()	Determines if a SOAP message contains a Fault object.
setFault()	Sets Fault in a SOAP message.

Table 6-4 (Cont.) Summary of MsgFactory Interfaces

Datatype	Description
setMustUnderstand()	Sets <code>mustUnderstand</code> attribute for the SOAP header element.
setRole()	Sets the role for SOAP header element.

~MsgFactory()

Destructor. Destroys the SOAP message factory. All allocated memory is freed and all connections are closed.

Syntax

```
~MsgFactory() throw (SoapException);
```

MsgFactory()

Creates and returns a SOAP Message Factory instance.

Syntax

```
MsgFactory(
    Context* ctx_ptr) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
<code>ctx_ptr</code>	TContext object

Returns

(MsgFactory) object

addBodyElement()

Adds an element to a SOAP message body.

Syntax

```
Node* addBodyElement( DocumentRef< Node>& msg,
    oratext *qname,
    oratext *uri) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
<code>msg</code>	SOAP message
<code>qname</code>	QName of element to add
<code>uri</code>	Namespace URI of element to add

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the created element

addFaultReason()

Adds an additional Reason to Fault. The same reason text may be provided in different languages. When the fault is created, the primary language and reason are added at that time; use this function to add additional translations of the reason.

Syntax

```
void addFaultReason(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,  
    oratext *reason,  
    oratext *lang) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
reason	Human-readable fault reason
lang	Language of reason

addHeaderElement()

Adds an element to SOAP header.

Syntax

```
Node* addHeaderElement(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,  
    oratext *qname, oratext *uri) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
qname	QName of element to add
uri	Namespace URI of element to add

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the created element

createConnection()

Creates a SOAP connection object. The connection reference object should explicitly be deleted by the user.

Syntax

```
ConnectRef< Node>* createConnection(
    SoapBinding bind,
    void *endp,
    oratext *buf,
    ubig_ora bufsiz,
    oratext *msgbuf,
    ubig_ora msgbufsiz) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
bind	connection binding
endp	connection endpoint
buf	data buffer (or NULL to have one allocated)
bufsiz	size of data buffer (or 0 for default size)
msgbuf	message buffer (or NULL to have one allocated)
msgfubsiz	size of message buffer (or 0 for default size)

Returns

(ConnectRef) connect object

createMessage()

Creates and returns an empty SOAP message. The reference object should be explicitly deleted by the user when no longer needed.

Syntax

```
DocumentRef< Node>* CreateMessage() throw (SoapException);
```

Returns

(DocumentRef*) SOAP message, or an exception

destroyMessage()

Destroys a SOAP message.

Syntax

```
void destroyMessage(
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	The SOAP message.

getBody()

Returns a SOAP message's envelope body as a pointer to the body's element node.

Syntax

```
Node* getBody(  
    DocumentRef<Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the SOAP message's envelope body

getBodyElement()

Gets an element from a SOAP body as a pointer to its element node.

Syntax

```
Node* getBodyElement(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,  
    oratext *uri,  
    oratext *local) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
uri	Namespace URI of element to add
local	Local name of element to get

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the named element

getEnvelope()

Returns a SOAP part's envelope as a pointer to envelope element node.

Syntax

```
Node* getEnvelope(
    DocumentRef<Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the SOAP message's envelope

getFault()

Returns Fault code, reason, and details through user variables. NULL may be supplied for any part that is not needed. For lang, if the pointed-to variable is NULL, it will be set to the default language, that of the first reason.

Syntax

```
Node* getFault(
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,
    oratext **code,
    oratext **reason,
    oratext **lang,
    oratext **node,
    oratext **role) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
code	Fault code
reason	Human-readable fault reason
lang	Desired reason language or NULL (default language, same as for the first reason)
node	Fault node
role	Role: next, none, or ultimate receiver (not used in 1.1)

Returns

(Node) pointer to the detail

getHeader()

Returns a SOAP message's envelope header as a pointer to the header element node.

Syntax

```
Node* getHeader(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the SOAP message's envelope header

getHeaderElement()

Gets an element from a SOAP header as a pointer to its element node.

Syntax

```
Node* getHeaderElement(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,  
    oratext *uri,  
    oratext *local) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
uri	Namespace URI of element to get
local	Local name of element to get

Returns

(Node*) pointer to the named element

getMustUnderstand()

Gets `mustUnderstand` attribute from SOAP header element.

Syntax

```
boolean getMustUnderstand(  
    ElementRef< Node>& elem) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
elem	SOAP header element

Returns

(boolean) value of the `mustUnderstand` attribute

getReasonNum()

Determines the number of reasons in the `Fault` element. Returns 0 if no `Fault`.

Syntax

```
ub4 getReasonNum(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message

Returns

(up4) number of reasons in `Fault` element

getReasonLang()

Returns the language of a reason with a particular index.

Syntax

```
oratext* getReasonLang(  
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,  
    ub4 idx) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
idx	index of a fault reason

Returns

(oratext *) value of property or `NULL`.

getRole()

Gets role from SOAP header element.

Syntax

```
SoapRole getRole(  
    ElementRef< Node>& elem) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
elem	Reference to the header element

Returns

(SoapRole) header element's role

hasFault()

Determines if a SOAP message contains a Fault object.

Syntax

```
boolean hasFault(
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message

Returns

(boolean) TRUE if there's a Fault, FALSE if not

setFault()

Sets Fault in a SOAP message.

Syntax

```
void setFault(
    DocumentRef< Node>& msg,
    oratext *node,
    oratext *code,
    oratext *reason,
    oratext *lang,
    oratext *role,
    ElementRef< Node>& detail) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
msg	SOAP message
node	URI of SOAP node which faulted
code	Fault code
reason	Human-readable fault reason

Parameter	Description
lang	Language
role	URI representing role, Role (1.2), unused (1.1)
detail	User-defined elements

setMustUnderstand()

Sets `mustUnderstand` attribute for the SOAP header element.

Syntax

```
void setMustUnderstand(  
    ElementRef< Node>& elem,  
    boolean mustUnderstand) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
elem	SOAP header element
mustUnderstand	<code>mustUnderstand</code> value (TRUE or FALSE)

setRole()

Sets the role for SOAP header element.

Syntax

```
void setRole(  
    ElementRef< Node>& elem,  
    SoapRole role) throw (SoapException);
```

Parameter	Description
elem	reference to the header element
role	role value

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Package Tools APIs for C++

The `Tools` package contains types and methods for creating and instantiating Oracle XML tools. It describes `Tools` datatypes, `Factory` methods, and `FactoryException` methods.

Tools Datatypes

[Table 7-1](#) summarizes the datatypes of the `Tools` package.

Table 7-1 Summary of Datatypes; Tools Package

Datatype	Description
FactoryExceptionCode	Tool Factory exceptions.

FactoryExceptionCode

Tool Factory exceptions.

Definition

```
typedef enum FactoryExceptionCode {  
    FACTORY_UNDEFINED_ERR = 0,  
    FACTORY_OTHER_ERR = 1  
} FactoryExceptionCode;
```

Factory Interface

[Table 7-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the `Factory` interface.

Table 7-2 Summary of Factory Methods; Tools Package

Function	Summary
Factory()	Constructor.
createDOMParser()	Create DOM Parser.
createSAXParser()	Create SAX Parser.
createSchemaValidator()	Create schema validator.
createXPathCompProcessor()	Create extended XPath processor.
createXPathCompiler()	Create XPath compiler.
createXPathProcessor()	Create XPath processor.
createXPointerProcessor()	Create XPointer processor.
createXslCompiler()	Create Xsl compiler.
createXslExtendedTransformer()	Create XSL extended transformer.

Table 7-2 (Cont.) Summary of Factory Methods; Tools Package

Function	Summary
<code>createXsltTransformer()</code>	Create XSL transformer.
<code>getContext()</code>	Get factory's context.
<code>~Factory()</code>	Default destructor.

Factory()

Class constructor.

Syntax	Description
<code>Factory() throw (FactoryException);</code>	Default constructor
<code>Factory(Context* ctx_ptr) throw (FactoryException);</code>	Creates factory object given a Context object.

Parameter	Description
<code>ctx_ptr</code>	pointer to a context object

Returns

(Factory) object

createDOMParser()

Creates DOM parser.

Syntax

```
DOMParser< Context, Node>* createDOMParser (
    DOMParserIdType id_type,
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
<code>id_type</code>	parser id type
<code>ctx_ptr</code>	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(DOMParser*) pointer to the parser object

createSAXParser()

Creates SAX parser.

Syntax

```
SAXParser< Context>* createSAXParser (
    SAXParserIdType id_type,
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	parser id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(SAXParser*) pointer to the parser object

createSchemaValidator()

Creates schema validator.

Syntax

```
SchemaValidator< Node>* createSchemaValidator (
    SchValidatorIdType id_type,
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	validator id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(SchemaValidator*) pointer to the validator object

createXPathCompProcessor()

Creates extended XPath processor; takes XvmPrCXml value only.

Syntax

```
CompProcessor< Context, Node>* createXPathCompProcessor (
    XPathPrIdType id_type,
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	processor id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(CompProcessor*) pointer to the processor object

createXPathCompiler()

Creates XPath compiler.

Syntax

```
XPath::Compiler< Context, Node>* createXPathCompiler (
    XPathCompIdType id_type,
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	compiler id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(XPathCompiler*) pointer to the compiler object

createXPathProcessor()

Creates XPath processor.

Syntax

```
XPath::Processor< Context, Node>* createXPathProcessor (
    XPathPrIdType id_type,
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	processor id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(Processor*) pointer to the processor object

createXPointerProcessor()

Creates XPointer processor.

Syntax

```
XPointer::Processor< Context, Node>* createXPointerProcessor (  
    XppPrIdType id_type,  
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)  
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	processor id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(Processor*) pointer to the processor object

createXslCompiler()

Creates Xsl compiler.

Syntax

```
Xsl::Compiler< Context, Node>* createXslCompiler (  
    XslCompIdType id_type,  
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)  
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	compiler id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(Compiler*) pointer to the compiler object

createXslExtendedTransformer()

Creates XSL extended trnasformer; takes XvmTrCXml value only.

Syntax

```
CompTransformer< Context, Node>* createXslExtendedTransformer (  
    XslTrIdType id_type,  
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)  
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	transformer id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(CompTrasformer*) pointer to the transformer object

createXslTransformer()

Creates XSL trnasformer.

Syntax

```
Transformer< Context, Node>* createXslTransformer (  
    XslTrIdType id_type,  
    Context* ctx_ptr = NULL)  
throw (FactoryException);
```

Parameter	Description
id_type	transformer id type
ctx_ptr	pointer to a Context object

Returns

(Trasformer*) pointer to the transformer object

getContext()

Returns factory's context.

Syntax

```
Context* getContext() const;
```

Returns

(Context*) pointer to the context object

~Factory()

Default destructor.

Syntax

```
~Factory();
```

FactoryException Interface

Table 7-3 summarizes the methods available through the `FactoryException` interface.

Table 7-3 Summary of FactoryException Methods; Tools Package

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getFactoryCode()	Get FactoryException code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.

getCode()

Gets Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception. Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getFactoryCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning exception codes specific to the Tools namespace, defined in `FactoryExceptionCode`, of the exceptional situations during execution

Syntax

```
virtual FactoryExceptionCode getFactoryCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(FactoryExceptionCode) exception code

getMesLang()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(`oratext *`) Error message

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Package XPath APIs for C++

The XPath package for C++ contains types and interfaces related to XPath processing, such as XPath datatypes, `CompProcessor` methods, `Compiler` methods, `NodeSet` methods, `Processor` methods, `XPathException` methods, and `XPathObject` methods.



See Also:

Oracle XML Developer's Kit Programmer's Guide

XPath Datatypes

Table 8-1 summarizes the datatypes of the XPath package.

Table 8-1 Summary of Datatypes; XPath Package

Datatype	Description
XPathCompIdType	Defines XPath compiler identifiers.
XPathObjType	Defines object types for XPath 1.0 based implementations.
XPathExceptionCode	XPath related exception codes.
XPathPridType	Defines XPath processor identifiers.

XPathCompIdType

Defines XPath compiler identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum XPathCompIdType {  
    XvmXPathCompCXml = 1  
} XPathCompIdType;
```

XPathObjType

Defines object types for XPath 1.0 based implementations.

Definition

```
typedef enum XPathObjType {  
    XPOBJ_TYPE_UNKNOWN = 0,  
    XPOBJ_TYPE_NDSET = 1,  
    XPOBJ_TYPE_BOOL = 2,  
    XPOBJ_TYPE_NUM = 3,  
    XPOBJ_TYPE_STR = 4
```

```
} XPathObjType;
```

XPathExceptionCode

XPath related exception codes.

Definition

```
typedef enum XPathExceptionCode {
    XPATH_UNDEFINED_ERR = 0,
    XPATH_OTHER_ERR = 1
} XPathExceptionCode;
```

XPathPrIdType

Defines XPath processor identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum XPathPrIdType {
    XPathPrCXml = 1,
    XvmPrCXml = 2
} XPathPrIdType;
```

CompProcessor Interface

[Table 8-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the `CompProcessor` interface.

Table 8-2 Summary of CompProcessor Methods; XPath Package

Function	Summary
getProcessorId()	Get processor's Id.
process()	Evaluate XPath expression against given document.
processWithBinXPath()	Evaluate compiled XPath expression against given document.

getProcessorId()

Get processor Id.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathPrIdType getProcessorId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XPathPrIdType) Processor's Id

process()

Inherited from `Processor`.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathObject< Node>* process (
    InputSource* isrc_ptr,
    oratext* xpath_exp)
throw (XPathException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process
xpath_exp	XPATH expression

Returns

(XPathGenObject*) XPath object

processWithBinXPath()

Evaluates compiled XPath expression against given document.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathObject< Node>* processWithBinXPath (
    InputSource* isrc_ptr,
    ub2* bin_xpath)
throw (XPathException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process
bin_xpath	compiled XPATH expression

Returns

(XPathGenObject*) XPath object

Compiler Interface

[Table 8-3](#) summarizes the methods available through the `Compiler` interface.

Table 8-3 Summary of Compiler Methods; XPath Package

Function	Summary
compile()	Compile XPath and return its compiled binary representation.
getCompilerId()	Get the compiler's Id

compile()

Compiles XPath and returns its compiled binary representation.

Syntax

```
virtual ub2* compile (
    oratext* xpath_exp)
    throw (XPathException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
xpath_exp	XPATH expression

Returns

(ub2) XPath expression in compiled binary representation

getCompilerId()

Get compiler's id.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathCompIdType getCompilerId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XPathCompIdType) Compiler's Id

NodeSet Interface

[Table 8-4](#) summarizes the methods available through the NodeSet interface.

Table 8-4 Summary of NodeSet Methods; XPath Package

Function	Summary
getNode()	Get node given its index.
getSize()	Get NodeSet size.

getNode()

Returns a reference to the node.

Syntax

```
NodeRef< Node>* getNode(
    ub4 idx) const;
```


Parameter	Description
idx	index of the node in the set

Returns

(NodeRef) reference to the node

getSize()

The size of the node set.

Syntax

```
ub4 getSize() const;
```

Returns

(ub4) node set size

Processor Interface

[Table 8-5](#) summarizes the methods available through the `Processor` interface.

Table 8-5 Summary of Processor Methods; XPath Package

Function	Summary
getProcessorId()	Get processor's Id.
process()	Evaluate XPath expression against given document.

getProcessorId()

Get processor Id.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathPrIdType getProcessorId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XPathPrIdType) Processor's Id

process()

Evaluates XPath expression against given document and returns result XPath object.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathObject< Node>* process (
    InputSource* isrc_ptr,
    oratext* xpath_exp)
    throw (XPathException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process
xpath_exp	XPath expression

Returns

(XPathGenObject*) XPath object

XPathException Interface

Table 8-6 summarizes the methods available through the XPathException interface.

Table 8-6 Summary of XPathException Methods; XPath Package

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.
getXPathCode()	Get XPath exception code embedded in the exception.

getCode()

Virtual member function inherited from XmlException.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMesLang()

Virtual member function inherited from XmlException.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Virtual member function inherited from XmlException.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

getXPathCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning XPath processor and compiler exception codes, defined in XPathExceptionCode, of the exceptional situations during execution.

Syntax

```
virtual XPathExceptionCode getXPathCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XPathExceptionCode) exception code

XPathObject Interface

Table 8-7 summarizes the methods available through the XPathObject interface.

Table 8-7 Summary of XPathObject Methods; XPath Package

Function	Summary
XPathObject()	Copy constructor.
getNodeSet()	Get the node set.
getObjBoolean()	Get boolean from object.
getObjNumber()	Get number from object.
getObjString()	Get string from object.
getObjType()	Get type from object.

XPathObject()

Copy constructor.

Syntax

```
XPathObject(  
    XPathObject< Node>& src);
```

Parameter	Description
src	reference to the object to be copied

Returns

(XPathObject) new object

getNodeSet()

Get the node set.

Syntax

```
NodeSet< Node>* getNodeSet() const;
```

getObjBoolean()

Get the boolean from the object.

Syntax

```
boolean getObjBoolean() const;
```

getObjNumber()

Get the number from the object.

Syntax

```
double getObjNumber() const;
```

getObjString()

Get the string from the object.

Syntax

```
oratext* getObjString() const;
```

getObjType()

Get the type from the object.

Syntax

```
XPathObjType getObjType() const;
```

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Package XPointer APIs for C++

The XPointer package for C++ contains types and methods related to XPointer processing, such as XPointer datatypes, Processor methods, XppException methods, XPPLocation methods, and XppLocSet methods.

XPointer Datatypes

Table 9-1 summarizes the datatypes of the XPointer package.

Table 9-1 Summary of Datatypes; XPointer Package

Datatype	Description
XppExceptionCode	Defines XPath compiler identifiers.
XppPrIdType	Defines XPointer processor identifiers.
XppLocType	Defines location types for XPointer.

XppExceptionCode

XPointer related exception codes.

Definition

```
typedef enum XPathCompIdType {  
    XvmXPathCompCXml = 1  
} XPathCompIdType;
```

XppPrIdType

Defines XPointer processor identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum XppPrIdType {    XPtrPrCXml          = 1} XppPrIdType;
```

XppLocType

Defines location types for XPointer.

Definition

```
typedef enum XppLocType {  
    XPPLOC_TYPE_UNKNOWN = 0,  
    XPPLOC_TYPE_NODE    = 1,  
    XPPLOC_TYPE_POINT   = 2,  
    XPPLOC_TYPE_RANGE   = 3,  
}
```

```

    XPPLoc_TYPE_BOOL    = 4,
    XPPLoc_TYPE_NUM     = 5,
    XPPLoc_TYPE_STR     = 6
} XppLocType;

```

Processor Interface

Table 9-2 summarizes the methods available through the `Processor` interface.

Table 9-2 Summary of Processor Methods; XPointer Package

Function	Summary
<code>getProcessorId()</code>	Get processor's Id.
<code>process()</code>	Evaluate XPointer expression against given document.

getProcessorId()

Get Processor Id.

Syntax

```
virtual XppPrIdType getProcessorId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(`XppPrIdType`) Processor's Id

process()

Evaluates XPointer expression against given document and returns result XPointer location set object.

Syntax

```
virtual XppLocSet< Node>* process (
    InputSource* isrc_ptr,
    oratext* xpp_exp)
throw (XppException) = 0;
```

Table 9-3 Description of Process Method Parameters

Parameter	Description
<code>isrc_ptr</code>	instance document to process
<code>xpp_exp</code>	XPointer expression

Returns

(`XppLocSet*`) XPath object

XppException Interface

Table 9-4 summarizes the methods available through the `XPPException` interface.

Table 9-4 Summary of XppException Methods; Package XPointer

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMesLang()	Get Oracle XML error message.
getXppCode()	Get XPointer exception code embedded in the exception.

getCode()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMesLang()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

getXppCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning XPointer processor and compiler exception codes, defined in XppExceptionCode, of the exceptional situations during execution.

Syntax

```
virtual XppExceptionCode getXppCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XppExceptionCode) exception code

XppLocation Interface

Table 9-5 summarizes the methods available through the XppLocation interface.

Table 9-5 Summary of XppLocation Methods; XPointer Package

Function	Summary
getLocType()	Get the location type.
getNode()	Get the node.
getRange()	Get range.

getLocType()

Get the location type.

Syntax

```
XppLocType getLocType() const;
```

getNode()

Get the node.

Syntax

```
Node* getNode() const;
```

getRange()

Get range.

Syntax

```
Range< Node>* getRange() const;
```


XppLocSet Interface

Table 9-6 summarizes the methods available through the XppLocSet interface.

Table 9-6 Summary of XppLocSet Methods; XPointer Package

Function	Summary
getItem()	Get item given its index.
getSize()	Get location set size.

getItem()

Returns a reference to the item.

Syntax

```
XppLocation< Node>* getItem(
    ub4 index) const;
```

Table 9-7 Summary of getItem Method; XPointer Package

Parameter	Description
index	index of an item

Returns

(XppLocation*) reference to the item

getSize()

The size of the node set.

Syntax

```
ub4 getSize() const;
```

Returns

(ub4) node set size

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Package Xsl APIs for C++

The `Xsl` package for C++ contains types and methods related to XSL transformation. They include `Xsl` datatypes, `Compiler` methods, `CompTransformer` methods, `Transformer` methods, and `XSLException` methods.



See Also:

Oracle XML Developer's Kit Programmer's Guide

Xsl Datatypes

Table 10-1 summarizes the datatypes of the `Xsl` package.

Table 10-1 Summary of Datatypes; Xsl Package

Datatype	Description
XslCompIdType	Defines XSL compiler identifiers.
XslExceptionCode	Defines XSLT related exceptions.
XslTrIdType	Defines XSL transformer identifiers.

XslCompIdType

Defines XSL compiler identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum XslCompIdType {  
    XvmCompCXml = 1  
} XslCompIdType;
```

XslExceptionCode

Defines XSLT related exceptions.

Definition

```
typedef typedef enum XslExceptionCode {  
    XSL_UNDEFINED_ERR = 0,  
    XSL_OTHER_ERR = 1  
} XslExceptionCode;
```

XslTrIdType

Defines XSL transformer identifiers.

Definition

```
typedef enum XslTrIdType {
    XslTrCXml      = 1,
    XvmTrCXml      = 2
} XslTrIdType;
```

Compiler Interface

[Table 10-2](#) summarizes the methods available through the `Compiler` interface.

Table 10-2 Summary of Compiler Methods; Xsl Package

Function	Summary
compile()	Compile Xsl and return its compiled binary representation.
getCompilerId()	Get compiler's Id.
getLength()	Get length of compiled XSL document.

compile()

Compiles Xsl and returns its compiled binary representation.

Syntax

```
virtual ub2* compile(
    InputSource* isrc_ptr)
throw (XslException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
<code>isrc_ptr</code>	Xsl document

Returns

(`InputSource`) Xsl document in compiled binary representation

getCompilerId()

Get the compiler Id.

Syntax

```
virtual XslCompIdType getCompilerId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(`XslCompIdType`) Compiler's Id

getLength()

Returns length of compiled XSL document

Syntax

```
virtual ub4 getLength(  
    ub2* binxsl_ptr)  
    throw (XslException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
binxsl_ptr	compiled Xsl document

Returns

(ub4) length of the document

CompTransformer Interface

Table 10-3 summarizes the methods available through the `CompTransformer` interface.

Table 10-3 Summary of CompTransformer Methods; Xsl Package

Function	Summary
getTransformerId()	Get transformer's Id.
setBinXsl()	Set compiled Xsl.
setSAXHandler()	Set SAX handler.
setXSL()	Set XSLT document for this transformer.
transform()	Transform the document.

getTransformerId()

Get transformer's id.

Syntax

```
virtual XslTrIdType getTransformerId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XslTrIdType) Transformer's Id

setBinXsl()

Sets compiled Xsl.

Syntax

```
virtual void setBinXsl (
    ub2* binxsl_ptr)
throw (XslException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
binxsl_ptr	compiled Xsl document

setSAXHandler()

Inherited from Transformer.

Syntax

```
virtual void setSAXHandler(
    SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

setXSL()

Set XSLT document for this transformer. Should be called before the transform member function is called. It is inherited from Transform.

Syntax

```
virtual void setXSL (
    InputSource* isrc_ptr)
throw (XslException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process

transform()

Transforms the document. Throws an exception if an XSLT document is not set by a previous call to setXSL. Inherited from Transform.

Syntax	Description
<pre>virtual NodeRef< Node>* transform(InputSource* isrc_ptr) throw (XslException) = 0;</pre>	Transform the document and return DOM.

Syntax	Description
<pre>virtual void transform(InputSource* isrc_ptr, SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr) throw (XslException) = 0;</pre>	Transform the document and return SAX events.
Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

Returns

(DocumentRef) document tree of new document

Transformer Interface

Table 10-4 summarizes the methods available through the `Transformer` interface.

Table 10-4 Summary of Transformer Methods; Xsl Package

Function	Summary
getTransformerId()	Get transformer's Id.
setSAXHandler()	Set SAX handler.
setXSL()	Set XSLT document for this transformer.
transform()	Transform the document and return SAX events.

getTransformerId()

Gets transformer's id.

Syntax

```
virtual XslTrIdType getTransformerId() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XslTrIdType) Transformer's Id

setSAXHandler()

Set SAX handler.

Syntax

```
virtual void setSAXHandler(
    SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

setXSL()

Set XSLT document for this transformer. Should be called before the transform member function is called.

Syntax

```
virtual void setXSL (
    InputSource* isrc_ptr)
    throw (XslException) = 0;
```

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process

transform()

Transforms the document. Throws an exception if an XSLT document is not set by a previous call to setXSL.

Syntax	Description
<pre>virtual NodeRef< Node>* transform(InputSource* isrc_ptr) throw (XslException) = 0;</pre>	Transform the document and return DOM.
<pre>virtual void transform(InputSource* isrc_ptr, SAXHandlerRoot* hdlr_ptr) throw (XslException) = 0;</pre>	Transform the document and return SAX events.

Parameter	Description
isrc_ptr	instance document to process
hdlr_ptr	SAX handler pointer

Returns

(DocumentRef) document tree of new document

XSLException Interface

Table 10-5 summarizes the methods available through the XSLException interface.

Table 10-5 Summary of XSLException Methods; Xsl Package

Function	Summary
getCode()	Get Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception.
getMesLang()	Get current language (encoding) of error messages.
getMessage()	Get Oracle XML error message.
getXslCode()	Defines a prototype for implementation.

getCode()

Gets Oracle XML error code embedded in the exception. Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual unsigned getCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(unsigned) numeric error code (0 on success)

getMesLang()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`.

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMesLang() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext*) Current language (encoding) of error messages

getMessage()

Virtual member function inherited from `XmlException`

Syntax

```
virtual oratext* getMessage() const = 0;
```

Returns

(oratext *) Error message

getXslCode()

This is a virtual member function that defines a prototype for implementation defined member functions returning XSL transformer and compiler exception codes, defined in `XslExceptionCode`, of the exceptional situations during execution.

Syntax

```
virtual XslExceptionCode getXslCode() const = 0;
```

Returns

(XslExceptionCode) exception code

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