

Use "document" rather than "specification" as appropriate #435



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At various stages of its life cycle, the document is a "draft" or a "specification". ISO uses the term "document" to avoid having to change the word as the document progresses through its life cycle.

Change occurrences of "draft" and "specification" to "document", except in the boilerplate sections that OASIS maintains.

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There are a few places where I didn't think it made sense to change it, for example, when we refer to a property as specifying "the version of the SARIF specification to which this file conforms." I didn't think it made sense to change it to "the version of this document to which this file conforms." The reason for addressing this issue was to reduce the amount of work we'd need to do if we ever decided to go through the ISO standards process. If they don't like the remaining occurrences of "specification", they'll let us know.



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