

## Infrastructure - Story #2759

### Metacat should only parse XML documents against local schema files

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<b>Status:</b>	Rejected	<b>Start date:</b>	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Chris Jones	<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	Metacat	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>			
<b>Story Points:</b>			

#### Description

We've seen some instances of MN errors where the SAX parser "can't find a schema" document while parsing, such as:

knb 20120413-02:00:27: [ERROR]: DocumentImpl.write - Problem with parsing:  
schema\_reference.4: Failed to read schema document 'eml.xsd',  
because  
1) could not find the document;  
2) the document could not be read;  
3) the root element of the document is not [xsd:schema](#). [edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.DocumentImpl]  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.DBSAXHandler.warning(DBSAXHandler.java:751)  
at org.apache.xerces.util.ErrorHandlerWrapper.warning(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLErrorReporter.reportError(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLErrorReporter.reportError(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.traversers.XSDHandler.reportSchemaWarning(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.traversers.XSDHandler.getSchemaDocument1(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.traversers.XSDHandler.getSchemaDocument(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.traversers.XSDHandler.parseSchema(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.XMLSchemaLoader.loadSchema(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.XMLSchemaValidator.findSchemaGrammar(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.XMLSchemaValidator.handleStartElement(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.XMLSchemaValidator.startElement(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLNSDocumentScannerImpl.scanStartElement(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLNSDocumentScannerImpl\$NSContentDispatcher.scanRootElementHook(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLDocumentFragmentScannerImpl\$FragmentContentDispatcher.dispatch(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLDocumentFragmentScannerImpl.scanDocument(Unknown Source)  
at org.apache.xerces.parsers.XML11Configuration.parse(Unknown Source)  
  
at org.apache.xerces.parsers.XML11Configuration.parse(Unknown Source)  
  
at org.apache.xerces.parsers.XMLParser.parse(Unknown Source)  
  
at org.apache.xerces.parsers.AbstractSAXParser.parse(Unknown Source)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.DocumentImpl.write(DocumentImpl.java:2787)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.DocumentImpl.write(DocumentImpl.java:2580)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.DocumentImplWrapper.write(DocumentImplWrapper.java:63)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.MetacatHandler.handleInsertOrUpdateAction(MetacatHandler.java:1802)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.dataone.D1NodeService.insertOrUpdateDocument(D1NodeService.java:1130)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.dataone.D1NodeService.create(D1NodeService.java:393)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.dataone.MNodeService.replicate(MNodeService.java:530)  
  
at edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.restservice.MNResourceHandler\$1.run(MNResourceHandler.java:662)  
  
at java.util.concurrent.ThreadPoolExecutor.runWorker(ThreadPoolExecutor.java:1110)

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at java.util.concurrent.ThreadPoolExecutor$Worker.run(ThreadPoolExecutor.java:603)
at java.lang.Thread.run(Thread.java:636)

Caused by: java.io.FileNotFoundException: /var/lib/tomcat6/eml.xsd (No such file or directory)
at java.io.FileInputStream.open(Native Method)

at java.io.InputStream.(InputStream.java:137)

at java.io.InputStream.(InputStream.java:96)
at sun.net.www.protocol.file.FileURLConnection.connect\(FileURLConnection.java:87\)

at sun.net.www.protocol.file.FileURLConnection.getInputStream\(FileURLConnection.java:178\)

at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLEntityManager.setupCurrentEntity(Unknown Source)

at org.apache.xerces.impl.XMLVersionDetector.determineDocVersion(Unknown Source)

at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.opti.SchemaParsingConfig.parse(Unknown Source)

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at org.apache.xerces.impl.xs.opti.SchemaDOMParser.parse(Unknown Source)
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Determine why DocumentImpl.write() is even entertaining an external schema file location other than those locally found at /schema. See XMLSchemaService.populateRegisteredSchemaList() and edu.ucsb.nceas.metacat.service.XMLSchema.setFileName().

## History

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#1 - 2012-10-05 15:15 - Chris Jones

- Status changed from New to Rejected
- Start date deleted (2012-05-11)
- translation missing: en.field\_remaining\_hours set to 0.0

Metacat is currently using the local schema file, but if a new schema types are found in science metadata, it will attempt to cache them, which is why we're having issues with 404'd schema locations.