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Subject: [railML 3.3] Dublin Core schema not reachable via http  
Posted by [Dominik Looser](#) on Wed, 04 Feb 2026 08:36:08 GMT  
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Dear railML experts,

We noticed a problem in the railML 3.3 schema files and their references to dublicore.org. It seems that the location for the dcterms.xsd is not reachable anymore, since it uses the http prefix. Only the URL with a https prefix works. The http URL is used in railML 3.3 common3.xsd line 12.

During research I found a GitLab ticket that mentions that railML would always use https in all future version, but this is apparently not the case in this reference in railML 3.3.

While we can easily fix this in our software, I suggest you change the URL to https.

Thank you and best regards,  
Dominik Looser,  
trafIT solutions gmbh

[1] <https://development.railml.org/railml/version3/-/issues/379>

\* Link not working, but used in common3.xsd:

<http://dublicore.org/schemas/xmls/qdc/2008/02/11/dcterms.xsd> (403 Forbidden)

\* Working Link: <https://dublicore.org/schemas/xmls/qdc/2008/02/11/dcterms.xsd>

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Subject: Re: [railML 3.3] Dublin Core schema not reachable via http  
Posted by [Mathias Vanden Auweele](#) on Sat, 14 Feb 2026 16:40:39 GMT  
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I'm receiving a proper 302 redirect when I try the http link. But for schema locations (not for URIs or namespaces), I agree that changing the URL is better.

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Subject: Re: [railML 3.3] Dublin Core schema not reachable via http  
Posted by [Larissa Zhuchyi](#) on Tue, 05 May 2026 13:02:32 GMT  
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Dear all

Change "http" to "https" was implemented per following issues and published as service releases:

- <https://development.railml.org/railml/version3/-/issues/708>
- <https://development.railml.org/railml/version3/-/issues/704>

- <https://development.railml.org/railml/version2/-/issues/490>

Sincerely,

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