

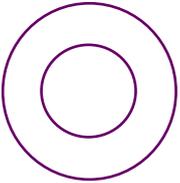
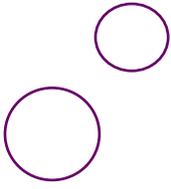
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS – ReqIF Standards



How can I benefit from an AFNOR ReqIF standard ?

The prerequisite for benefiting from an enhanced standard in AFNOR's ReqIF format is that you already have a CObaz subscription.

Depending on your current subscription and on the standards you want in ReqIF format, our Sales team will make you the best offer.



Is it possible to test the service before buying ReqIF ?

Yes, there is a complete set of files with sample data and technical descriptions available. This package allows you to try out the integration of standards in ReqIF format into your target systems.

Is ReqIF a generic enough format to use the full text of standards outside an RM or PLM tool ?

ReqIF is an XML format intended exclusively for use in requirements management systems (and similar software systems offering ReqIF import). Please contact us if you are interested in another type of format.



What are the main advantages of the AFNOR ReqIF format ?

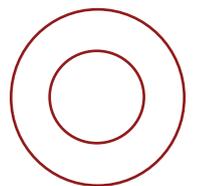
- The standard can be easily implemented in PLM tools
- Quick access to relevant information thanks to AFNOR's enrichment: standard metadata and various types of provisions
- 99% of provisions are already identified in the files that we deliver
- End-to-end traceability of your business requirements with the corresponding normative content



What standards are available in ReqIF ?

AFNOR and ISO standards documents available in XML, i.e. most of the documents in these collections.

We will be enriching this database regularly. Do not hesitate to ask us for any references you may require.



Which target systems or software can integrate standards in ReqIF format ?

AFNOR provides the ReqIF format in a generic format that is highly compatible with most target systems.

Can individual requirements alone be exported in ReqIF?

Currently, only the complete standard is converted into ReqIF format using a standardised procedure.

This ensures that your organisation has access to the entire standard, and that you can refer to its content at any time to contextualise the provisions.

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What does AFNOR's enrichment of standards in ReqIF format entail ?

- The ReqIF format of a standard by AFNOR provides an automatic pre-classification that determines, for all provisions, their typology: requirement/recommendation/permission/possibility according to the expressions and verb forms they contain.
- 99% of provisions are identified using techniques specifically developed by AFNOR.
- The AFNOR format also indicates whether the provision is normative or informative.

With this information, you can easily filter the provisions in your PLM or RM tool, according to your needs.

