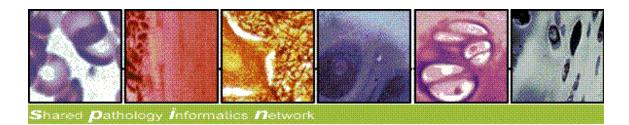
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Intended Audience:

Developers looking to extend, customize, or contribute to this scrubber utility. It is assumed the reader has already reviewed the *VSL ETL User Guide*.

ETL Overview:

The ETL program *Extracts* patient information from existing systems, *Transforms* the results into standard HIPAA safe medical vocabularies, and *Loads* the results into a locally controlled SPIN Peer.

The ETL is an upgrade to the original SPIN Submission Suite with four notable improvements:

- (1) ETL is highly modular and configurable to new types of clinical data,
- (2) ETL allows easy deployment with interfaces to JDBC databases, XML exports, and SOAP
- (3) ETL supports a Two Phase Commit protocol to ensure data integrity during synchronization.
- (4) ETL can be run on demand or as a scheduled task synchronizing cases within a date range.

Definitions:

ETL: (1) Extract (2) Transform (3) Load

Extract: Extract from existing database, XML file, or custom interface

Transform: Transform results of the extraction (autocoding and de-identification)

Load: Load transformed results into the SPIN peer, DB, or XML file

Required Software:

Java 1.5 or later MySQL 5 or later ETL VERSION: 1.3.4.1 DATE: 5/19/11

ETL VSL Step Loader Sequence Diagram

ETLStepLoaderConfig.isPerformDelete = false

- 1. Check accession number in codebook
 - a. If Exists:
 - i. Set existing CaseUUID from codebook to PathologyCaseVO
 - ii. SHA256(xml)
 - iii. Check new SHA256(xml) against the saved SHA256(xml) in codebook
 - 1. Match:
 - a. Log.warn(Skip, no change)
 - 2. Differ:
 - a. Log.warn(case has changed resubmitting)
 - b. Update in peer
 - i. If ACK
 - 1. Update in codebook by setting the new SHA256(xml)
 - ii. If NACK
 - 1. Throw new ETLRuntimeException

- b. If NOT exists:
 - i. assign CaseUUID (not specimenUUID or patientUUID)
 - ii. new SHA256(xml)
 - iii. submit to peer
 - 1. SHA256(xml) input
 - 2. persist
 - 3. return acknack
 - iv. if ACK:
 - 1. compare codebook SHA256(xml) & peer SHA256(xml)
 - a. match:
 - i. save codebook SHA256(xml) to codebook
 - b. differ:
 - i. log error
 - ii. throw new ETLRuntimeException note: this checks code level failures, not case input failures hence we stop if we detect code failure.
 - v. If Not ACK:
 - 1. Throw new ETLRuntimeException note: assumes ETL will validate PathologyCase VO

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 - 1. Match:
 - a. Peer.delete
 - b. If ACK
 - i. Log.info(accession Num + caseUUID + hash)
 - ii. delete from codebook
 - c. If NACK
 - i. throw new ETLRuntimeException
 - 2. Differ:
 - a. Log.warn (case has changed but you are deleting anyway)
 - b. Delete from peer
 - i. If ACK
 - Log.info (accession Num + caseUUID + hash)
 - 2. Delete from codebook
 - ii. If NACK
 - 1. Throw new ETLRuntimeException

- b. If NOT exists:
 - Log.warn("case does not exist")