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## **Brief History**

This Technical Report is complementary to the Volume and File Structure for Write-Once and Rewritable Media using Non-Sequential Recording for Information Interchange Standard, ECMA-167.

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# 1 General

## 1.1 Scope

This Technical Report specifies a profile of the ECMA-167 Standard titled Volume and File Structure for Write-Once and Rewritable Media using Non-Sequential Recording for Information Interchange for implementations of the Standard on DVD Read-Only disks conforming to the ECMA-ROM Standard. Specifically, this Technical Report specifies a new bridge format for the volume and file structure on DVD Read-Only disks to support the interchange of information between users of both computer systems and dedicated DVD content players.

This new bridge format, which is commonly known as the "UDF Bridge" format. It is based on Standard ECMA-167 and shall conform to OSTA Universal Disk Format (UDF 1.02) specification and ECMA-119 Standard.

The OSTA UDF specification defines a subset of ECMA-167 Standard in order to maximise data interchange and to minimize the cost and complexity on implementing of ECMA-167 Standard. In this Technical Report, imposes some restrictions and additional requirements to OSTA UDF specification for its application to DVD Read-Only disks. These restrictions are necessary to make the development of dedicated DVD content player feasible.

Additionally, the UDF Bridge format has a compatible volume and file structure with the ECMA-119 Standard commonly used with CD-ROM therefore providing the advantage of being easily implemented by existing computer systems.

DVD-Video is one specific application field on the UDF Bridge format, and defines the "DVD-Video Compliant" domain. DVD-Video compliant domain imposes some restrictions on parameter fields for volume and file structures using the UDF Bridge format. These restrictions provide for OS independence and a simple data structure for DVD-Video disks.

## 1.2 References

- ECMA-6        7-Bit Coded Character Sets (1991)
- ECMA-119     Volume and File Structure of CDROM for Information Interchange (1887)  
*Note 1: This standard is commonly known by its ISO version, ISO 9660:1988*
- ISO/IEC 9945-1 : 1990, Information technology -- Portable Operating System Interface (POSIX) -- Part 1: System Application Program Interface (API) [C Language]
- ECMA-167     Volume and File Structure of Write-Once and Rewritable Media using Non-Sequential Recording for Information Interchange (1996)
- The Unicode Standard -- World-wide Character Encoding
- ISO/IEC 10646-1:1993, Information technology - Universal multiple-octet coded character set (UCS) - Part 1: Architecture and basic multilingual plane
- Universal Disk Format Specification (Revision 1.02): 1996  
Optical Storage Technology Association
- ECMA-267     120 mm DVD - Read-Only Disk (1997)
- ECMA-268     80 mm DVD - Read-Only Disk (1997)
- ISO/IEC 13800:1996, Information technology – Procedure for the registration of identifiers and attributes for volume and file structure.

## 1.3 Definitions

### 1.3.1 anchor point

One of a specified set of logical sector numbers at which descriptors, that identify an extent of a Volume Descriptor Sequence, may be recorded.

**1.3.2 application**

A program that processes the contents of a file, and may also process selected attribute data relating to the file or to the volume(s) on which the file is recorded.

**1.3.3 byte**

A string of eight binary digits operated upon as a unit.

**1.3.4 Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)**

A method for computing a signature of a sequence of bytes.

**1.3.5 data preparer**

A person or other entity, which controls the preparation of the data to be recorded on a volume group.

**1.3.6 descriptor**

A structure containing descriptive information about a volume or file.

**1.3.7 extent**

Two definitions apply:

- 1) For the volume structure and ECMA-119 file structure, an extent is defined as a set of logical sectors, the logical sector numbers of which form a continuous ascending sequence. The address, or location, of an extent is the number of the first logical sector in the sequence.
- 2) For the UDF file structure, an extent is defined as a set of logical blocks, the logical block numbers of which form a continuous ascending sequence. The address, or location, of an extent is the number of the first logical block in the sequence.

**1.3.8 file segment**

The part of a file that is recorded in any one extent.

**1.3.9 file set**

A collection of the files and directories.

**1.3.10 file set number**

The number which identifies the file set of a logical volume. One of the file set numbers shall be 0.

**1.3.11 file set descriptor number**

The number which identifies the File Set Descriptor of a File Set Descriptor Sequence.

**1.3.12 file unit**

A set of logical sectors that are within an extent and the logical sector numbers of which form a continuous ascending sequence.

**1.3.13 file unit size**

The number of logical sectors in the file unit of the File Segment.

**1.3.14 Group ID**

An identification of a group of users.

**1.3.15 implementation**

A set of processes which enable an information processing system to behave as an originating system, or as a receiving system, or as both types of system.

**1.3.16 logical block**

The unit of allocation of a logical volume.

- 1.3.17 logical sector**  
The unit of allocation of a volume.
- 1.3.18 logical volume**  
A non-empty set of partitions.
- 1.3.19 originating system**  
An information processing system, which may create a set of files on a volume set for the purpose of data interchange with another system.
- 1.3.20 partition**  
An extent of logical sectors within a volume.
- 1.3.21 partition number**  
The number which identifies the partitions of a volume. Partition numbers shall be consecutive integers assigned in an ascending sequence starting from 0.
- 1.3.22 physical sector**  
The unit of allocation specified in the applicable physical medium format Standard.
- 1.3.23 primary volume descriptor number**  
The number which identifies a Primary Volume Descriptor of a Volume Descriptor Sequence. Only one prevailing Primary Volume Descriptor of a Volume Descriptor Sequence shall have a primary volume descriptor number of 0.
- 1.3.24 receiving system**  
An information processing system, which can read a set of files from a volume set which has been created by another system for the purpose of data interchange.
- 1.3.25 sector**  
The data field of the smallest addressable part of the medium, that may be accessed independently of other addressable parts of the medium.
- 1.3.26 standard for recording**  
A standard that specifies the recording method and the addressing method for the information recorded on a medium. The specifications of the standard for recording are specified in ECMA-167 1/5.10.
- 1.3.27 twos complement**  
A number calculated such that each bit of the number is inverted (ones are replaced with zeros and vice versa), then one (=000...0001b) is added, ignoring overflow.
- 1.3.28 UDF Bridge format**  
A format that conforms with both UDF specification and the ECMA-119 standard.
- 1.3.29 user**  
A person or other entity (for example, an application) that causes the invocation of the services provided by an implementation.
- 1.3.30 User ID**  
An identification of a user.
- 1.3.31 volume**  
A sector address space as specified in the relevant standard for recording.

**1.3.32 volume descriptor sequence number**

The number which identifies a volume descriptor of a Volume Descriptor Sequence. All volume descriptors with identical Volume Descriptor Sequence Numbers shall have equivalent contents. The prevailing descriptors are specified in ECMA-167 3/8.4.3.

**1.3.33 volume group**

A group of volumes within a volume set, the contents of which are established at the same time. A volume group shall consist of one or more consecutively numbered volumes.

**1.3.34 volume sequence number**

The number which identifies the volume in a volume set. The volumes in a volume set shall be numbered with consecutive integers assigned in an ascending sequence starting from 1.

**1.3.35 volume set**

A collection of one or more volumes with identical volume set identification.

**1.3.36 volume set size**

The sequence number of the volume having the highest sequence number within the volume group.

**1.4 Conventions and notations**

**1.4.1 Numerical notation**

Numbers in decimal notation are represented by decimal digits, namely 0 to 9. Digit(s) represents any digit from digit 0 to 9.

Numbers in Hexadecimal notation are represented as a sequence of one or more hexadecimal digits namely 0 to 9 and A to F, suffixed by "h".

Numbers in binary notation are represented as a sequence of one or more binary digits namely 0 to 1, suffixed by "b". ZERO represents a single bit with the value 0, and ONE represents a single bit with the value 1.

**1.4.2 Arithmetic notation**

The notation  $ip(x)$  shall mean the integer part of  $x$ .

**1.4.3 Bit fields**

Certain fields or parts of fields are intended to be interpreted as an array of bits. This array of bits shall be referred to as a bit field. Bit positions within an  $n$  bit field are numbered such that the least significant bit is numbered 0 and the most significant bit is numbered  $n-1$ .

**1.4.4 Character strings**

A value for a sequence of bytes may be specified by a quoted sequence of characters, encoded according to the ECMA-6 Standard. For example, "Sheep" shall represent the bytes 53h, 68h, 65h, 65h, 70h.

**1.4.5 Descriptor formats**

The notation of descriptor formats is specified in ECMA-167 1/6.3.

**1.4.6 Descriptor sequence schema**

The notation of descriptor sequence schema is specified in ECMA-167 1/6.6.

**1.4.7 List of acronyms**

**BP** : Byte Position within a descriptor, starting with 0 from the first byte of a sector.

**RBP** : Relative Byte Position within a descriptor, starting with 0.

**LBN** : Logical Block Number

**LSN** : Logical Sector Number

**PSN** : Physical Sector Number

**ID** : Identifier

**ICB** : Information Control Block, an entry in an ICB describes each recorded instance of a file.

## 1.5 Data types of descriptor field

### 1.5.1 Numerical values

An 8-bit numerical value specified by Uint8 shall be recorded as an 8-bit unsigned number in a one-byte field.

A multiple-byte numerical value specified by UDF shall be recorded in the little endian representation.

A multiple-byte numerical value specified by ECMA-119 shall be recorded in one of following representations: little endian, big endian and both byte orders.

The multiple-byte numerical representation shall be specified by one of the following types:

**LB16** A 16-bit little endian representation unsigned number. This representation is identical to Uint16 specified in ECMA-167 1/7.1.3 and the number that is specified in ECMA-119 7.2.1. (For example, the 16-bit hexadecimal number 1234h shall be recorded as 34h, 12h.)

**LB32** A 32-bit little endian representation unsigned number. This representation is identical to Uint32 specified in ECMA-167 1/7.1.5 and the number which is specified in ECMA-119 7.3.1. (For example, the 32-bit hexadecimal number 12345678h shall be recorded as 78h, 56h, 34h, 12h.)

**LB64** A 64-bit little endian representation unsigned number. This representation is identical to Uint64 specified in ECMA-167 1/7.1.7. (For example, the 64-bit hexadecimal number 123456789ABCDEF0h shall be recorded as F0h, DEh, BCh, 9Ah, 78h, 56h, 34h, 12h.)

**MB16** A 16-bit big endian representation unsigned number. This representation is identical to the number that is specified in ECMA-119 7.2.2. (For example, the 16-bit hexadecimal number 1234h shall be recorded as 12h, 34h.)

**MB32** A 32-bit big endian representation. This representation is identical to the number that is specified in ECMA-119 7.3.2. (For example, the 32-bit hexadecimal number 12345678h shall be recorded as 12h, 34h, 56h, 78h.)

**BB16** A 16-bit both-byte orders representation. This representation is identical to the number that is specified in ECMA-119 7.2.3. (For example, the 16-bit hexadecimal number 1234h shall be recorded as 34h, 12h, 12h, 34h.)

**BB32** A 32-bit both-byte orders representation. This representation is identical to the number that is specified in ECMA-119 7.3.3. (For example, the 32-bit hexadecimal number 12345678h shall be recorded as 78h, 56h, 34h, 12h, 12h, 34h, 56h, 78h.)

### 1.5.2 UDF character sets and coding

A descriptor field specified by a charspec shall consist of a character set type and character set information, which shall be defined in UDF 2.1.2.

OSTA CS0 character set consists of the d-characters that are specified in Unicode 1.1 Standard (excluding FEFFh and FFEh), and are stored in the OSTA Compressed Unicode format specified in UDF 2.1.1. A descriptor field, which is specified as dstring defined in UDF 2.1.3 or d-characters shall be recorded with this character set.

### 1.5.3 ECMA-119 character sets and separators

The character set allowed in certain descriptor field shall be **a-characters**, **d-characters**, **a1-characters**, or **d1-characters**.

The a-characters shall be defined as the 57 characters in positions 2/0 to 2/2, 2/5 to 2/15, 3/0 to 3/15, 4/1 to 4/15, 5/0 to 5/10, and 5/15 of ECMA-6. The d-characters shall be defined as the 37 characters in positions 3/0 to 3/9, 4/1 to 5/10, and 5/15 of ECMA-6. The a1-characters is defined in ECMA-119 7.4.2.1. The d1-characters shall be defined in ECMA-119 7.4.2.2.

The characters, which separates the components of a File Identifier, shall be SEPARATOR 1 (represented by 2Eh) or SEPARATOR 2 (represented by 3Bh).

### 1.5.4 Timestamp

A Timestamp specified in UDF 2.1.4 is shown in table 1.

**Table 1: Timestamp**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	2	Type and Time Zone	LB16
<b>2</b>	2	Year	LB16
<b>4</b>	1	Month	UInt8
<b>5</b>	1	Day	UInt8
<b>6</b>	1	Hour	UInt8
<b>7</b>	1	Minute	UInt8
<b>8</b>	1	Second	UInt8
<b>9</b>	1	Centiseconds	UInt8
<b>10</b>	1	Hundreds of Microseconds	UInt8
<b>11</b>	1	Microseconds	UInt8

**(RBP 0) Type and Time Zone**

The most significant 4 bits of this field, interpreted as a 4-bit number, shall specify the interpretation of the timestamp. This number shall be set to 1 indicating that the timestamp specifies the local time.

The least significant 12 bits of this field, interpreted as a signed 12-bit number in twos complement form, shall be interpreted as follows:

- If the value is in the range of -1440 to 1440 inclusive, then the value specifies the offset, in minutes, of the date and time from Co-ordinated Universal Time such that the value specifies the time zone for the locale time.
- If the value is -2047, then no such value is specified.

**(RBP 2) Year**

This field specifies the year as a number in the range of 1 to 9999.

**(RBP 4) Month**

This field specifies the month of the year as a number in the range of 1 to 12.

**(RBP 5) Day**

This field specifies the day of the month as a number in the range of 1 to 31

**(RBP 6) Hour**

This field specifies the hour of the day as a number in the range of 0 to 23.

**(RBP 7) Minute**

This field specifies the minute of the hour as a number in the range of 0 to 59.

**(RBP 8) Second**

This field specifies the second of the hour as a number in the range of 0 to 59.

**(RBP 9) Centiseconds, (RBP 10) Hundreds of Microseconds, (RBP 11) Microseconds**

These fields are specified in UDF 3.1.1.1, 3.1.1.2 and 3.1.1.3 for specific operating systems.

**1.5.5 Entity Identifier (EntityID)**

An entity identifier, designated as EntityID, is specified in ECMA-167 1/7.4 and UDF 2.1.5.



#### **1.5.6 Descriptor Tag (tag)**

A Descriptor Tag, designated as tag, is classified into two types as follows:

- A Descriptor Tag for the volume structure shall have a tag specified in UDF 2.2.1.
- A Descriptor Tag for the file structure shall have a tag specified in UDF 2.3.1.

The Tag Serial Number of Descriptor Tag shall contain 0, which specifies a set of descriptors is not identified.

#### **1.5.7 Extent Descriptor (extent\_ad)**

An Extent Descriptor, designated as extent\_ad, is specified in ECMA-167 3/7.1.

#### **1.5.8 Short Allocation Descriptor (short\_ad)**

A short Allocation Descriptor, designated as short\_ad, is specified in ECMA-167 4/14.14.1.

#### **1.5.9 Long Allocation Descriptor (long\_ad)**

A Long Allocation Descriptor, designated as long\_ad, is specified in ECMA-167 4/14.14.2.

#### **1.5.10 Logical block address (lb\_addr)**

A logical block address, designated as lb\_addr, is specified in ECMA-167 4/7.1.

### **1.6 Recording of descriptors**

Any descriptor which has its format specified by Byte Positions (BP) in Volume Structure and ECMA-119 File Structure (or UDF File Structure), shall be recorded so that the first byte of the descriptor coincides with the first byte of a logical sector (or a logical block).

Any descriptor which has its format specified by Relative Byte Positions (RBP) in Volume Structure and ECMA-119 File Structure (or UDF File Structure) have no restrictions on where they may be recorded within a logical sector (or a logical block), except that their location within a descriptor shall be specified in the descriptions of the applicable descriptor.

When the descriptors in Volume Structure and ECMA-119 File Structure (or UDF File Structure) are recorded in a logical sector (or a logical block), all space, if any, after the end of the last descriptor up to the end of the logical sector (or the logical block) is reserved for future standardisation and shall be recorded as all 00h bytes.

## **2 Volume Structure**

### **2.1 Requirements for DVD Read-Only disk**

The requirements for the volume structure of DVD Read-Only disks are summarised as follows:

1. All disks shall be provided with a volume structure that complies with UDF Bridge format.
2. The logical sector size and the logical block size shall be 2048 bytes.
3. A DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume with a single partition per side. Therefore, the volume sequence number shall be 1 and the maximum volume sequence number shall be 1, and the Interchange Level shall be 2.
4. The logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number and shall be different from the logical block number defined by UDF.
5. Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointers shall be recorded in the specified logical sectors having the logical sector number 256 and at least one of the last logical sector number or the last logical sector number – 256.
6. A Main Volume Descriptor Sequence and a Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence shall be recorded in a volume.
7. The Terminating Descriptor shall be recorded to terminate an extent of a Volume Descriptor Sequence.
8. The Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor Sequence shall contain exactly one Close Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor and no Open Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor.
9. The Unallocated Space Table and the Unallocated Space Bitmap shall not be recorded, as DVD Read-Only disks have no space available for allocation.
10. The Freed Space Table and the Freed Space Bitmap shall not be recorded, as DVD Read-Only disks have no freed space.

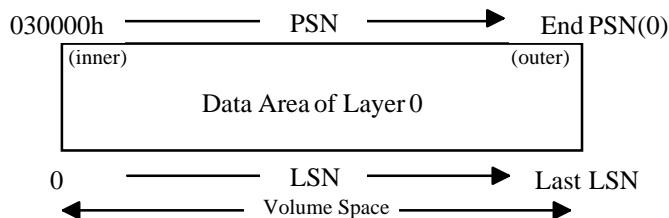
### **2.2 Volume Space**

A DVD Read-Only disk has three types of physical volume formats per side related with the layer structure and the track structure as described in Standard ECMA-ROM. On each physical volume format, a single volume space shall be defined as in figure 1.

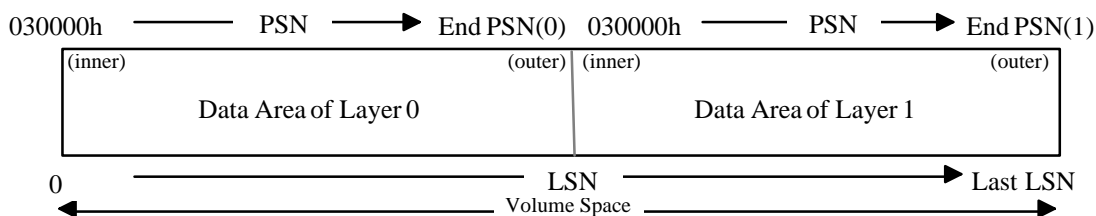
On this volume space, the length of a logical sector shall be 2048 bytes, which is equal to the length of a physical sector. A unique logical sector number shall identify each logical sector of a volume. Logical sector numbers shall be consecutive integers assigned in an ascending sequence, in the order of ascending physical sector number of the physical volume format as in figure 1.

The logical sector number 0 shall be assigned to the sector having the physical sector number 030000h of Layer 0.

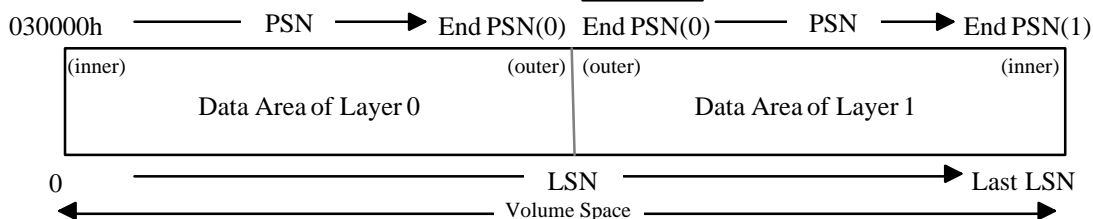
(a) Single-layer type



(b) Dual-layer type with parallel track path



(c) Dual-Layer type with opposite track path



End PSN(i) : The end physical sector number of Data Area of Layer i ( i=0 or 1 ).

End PSN(0) : The number calculated such that each bit of the End PSN(0) is inverted (ones are replaced with zeros and vice versa).

Last LSN : The last logical sector number.

**Figure 1 : Logical Sector Assignment**

### 2.3 Volume Structure of UDF Bridge Format

The volume structure of UDF Bridge format shall contain a UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence, two Anchor Points, a Main Volume Descriptor Sequence, a Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence and a Logical Volume Integrity Sequence.

A UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence shall be allocated in consecutively numbered logical sectors starting with the logical sector number 16 in the volume space. A UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence shall contain a CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set, a Beginning Extended Area Descriptor, a NSR Descriptor, a Terminating Extended Descriptor and, if any, a Boot Descriptor. And the CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set shall be allocated in the leading part of the UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence.

The first Anchor Point shall be assigned at the specified logical sector number 256 and the other Anchor Points shall be assigned at the last logical sector number and or the last logical sector number - 256. Each Anchor Point shall consist of an Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer, which shall specify an extent of both the Main and Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence.

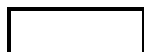
The Main Volume Descriptor Sequence and the Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence shall contain a Primary Volume Descriptor, an Implementation Use Volume Descriptor, a Partition Descriptor, a Logical Volume Descriptor, an Unallocated Space Descriptor, a Terminating Descriptor and, if any, Trailing Logical Sectors. Both the Main and Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence extents shall each have a minimum length of 16 logical sectors. The Logical Volume Descriptor shall specify the extent of the Logical Volume Integrity Sequence.

A logical Volume Integrity Sequence shall contain a Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor. The Logical Volume Integrity Sequence shall be terminated by a Terminating Descriptor, an empty logical sector which shall have all 00h bytes or the end of the Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor Sequence Extent which is specified in the Integrity Sequence Extent field of a Logical Volume Descriptor.

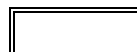
A partition is an extent of a volume and shall be identified by a Partition Number. The information about the partition shall be recorded in the Partition Descriptor. A Logical Volume Descriptor specifies a logical volume identification, the logical block size of the logical volume and an ordered list of partitions comprising the logical volume. A UDF Logical Volume Space shall consist of a single partition.

The logical sector of a partition shall be organised into a logical block of equal length. Each logical block of a partition shall identify by a unique logical block number. Logical block numbers shall be consecutive integers assigned in an ascending sequence. The logical block number 0 shall be assigned to the logical sector having the lowest logical sector number in the UDF Logical Volume Space. This logical block number is different from the logical block number defined by ECMA-119. The logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number as shown in figure 2. Both the UDF file structure and the ECMA-119 file structure shall reference the same file set.

LSN	Descriptors	Structure	LBN	
0 to 15	Reserved (all 00h bytes)			
16	Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)	UDF Bridge Volume Recognition	Not Assigned	
17	Volume Descriptor Set Terminator			
18	Beginning Extended Area Descriptor			Sequence
19	NSR Descriptor			
20	Terminating Extended Area Descriptor			
21 to 31	Reserved (all 00h bytes)			
32	Primary Volume Descriptor (UDF)	Main Volume Descriptor Sequence		
33	Implementation Use Volume Descriptor			
34	Partition Descriptor			
35	Logical Volume Descriptor			
36	Unallocated Space Descriptor			
37	Terminating Descriptor			
38 to 47	Trailing Logical Sectors (all 00h bytes)			
48	Primary Volume Descriptor (UDF)	Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence		
49	Implementation Use Volume Descriptor			
50	Partition Descriptor			
51	Logical Volume Descriptor			
52	Unallocated Space Descriptor			
53	Terminating Descriptor			
54 to 63	Trailing Logical Sectors (all 00h bytes)			
64	Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor	Logical Volume Integrity Sequence		
65	Terminating Descriptor			
66 to 255	Reserved (all 00h bytes)			
256	Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer	First Anchor Point		
257 to p-1	Path Table / Directory Record	ECMA-119 File Structure		
p to p+q-1	File Set Descriptor / Terminating Descriptor / File Identifier Descriptor / File Entry	UDF File Structure	0 to q-1	
p+q to Last LSN-1	UDF /ECMA-119 Files	File Data Structure	q to Last LBN	
Last LSN	Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer	Second Anchor Point		



: UDF Bridge Volume Structure



: CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set

LBN=LSN-p (p is the first LSN of the UDF Logical Volume Space)

The LSN 16 and 256 are hard coded sector numbers

*Note: This example is for illustrative purposes only and shall not be construed as specification.*

**Figure 2: Example of UDF Bridge Volume Structure**

## 2.4 UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence

The volume recognition of the UDF Bridge format shall conform with Part 2 of ECMA-167. A Volume Recognition Space shall be a contiguous sequence of sectors and begin at the first logical sector on the volume space. The first 16 logical sectors shall be reserved for system use as is specified in ECMA-119. A Volume Recognition Sequence of the UDF Bridge format shall be recorded in consecutively numbered sectors starting with the sector having the logical sector number 16.

A Volume Recognition Sequence of the UDF Bridge format shall consist of a CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set and an Extended Area, which shall be recorded according to the schema in figure 3.

```
[ Volume Recognition Sequence ] {  
  < CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set > 1  
  [ Extended Area ] {  
    < Beginning Extended Area Descriptor > 1  
    { < Volume Structure Descriptor > | < Boot Descriptor > } n +  
    < Terminating Extended Area Descriptor > 1  
  } 1  
}
```

**Figure 3: Volume Recognition Sequence Schema**

A CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set shall be a set of consecutively recorded Volume Structure Descriptors whose Standard Identifier field shall contain "CD001". A CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set shall be interpreted according to ECMA-119 as specified in 2.8 CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set.

One of the volume structure descriptors in a Volume Recognition Sequence shall be a NSR Descriptor, which is specified in 2.4.2 NSR Descriptor. Boot Descriptors specified in ECMA-167 2/9.4 and UDF 5.3 may be recorded in an Extended Area.

### 2.4.1 Beginning Extended Area Descriptor

A Beginning Extended Area Descriptor specified in ECMA-167 3/9.2 is shown in table 2.

**Table 2: Beginning Extended Area Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Structure Type	Uint8 = 0
1	5	Standard Identifier	bytes = "BEA01"
6	1	Structure Version	Uint8 = 1
7	2041	Structure Data	00h bytes

#### (BP 0) Structure Type

This field shall specify 0 to identify a type of the Volume Structure Descriptor.

#### (BP 1) Standard Identifier

This field shall specify "BEA01" to identify the Beginning Extended Area Descriptor.

#### (BP 6) Structure Version

This field shall specify 1 to indicate that the version of this descriptor is specified in ECMA-167.

#### (BP 7) Structure Data

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

### 2.4.2 NSR Descriptor

A NSR Descriptor specified in ECMA-167 3/9.1 is shown in table 3.

**Table 3: NSR Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Structure Type	UInt8 = 0
1	5	Standard Identifier	bytes = "NSR02"
6	1	Structure Version	UInt8 = 1
7	1	Reserved	00h byte
8	2040	Structure Data	00h bytes

#### (BP 0) Structure Type

This field shall specify 0 to identify a type of the Volume Structure Descriptor.

#### (BP 1) Standard Identifier

This field shall specify "NSR02" to identify the NSR Descriptor.

#### (BP 6) Structure Version

This field shall specify 1 to indicate that the version of this descriptor is specified in ECMA-167.

#### (BP 7) Reserved

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be set to 00h byte.

#### (BP 8) Structure Data

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

### 2.4.3 Terminating Extended Area Descriptor

A Terminating Extended Area Descriptor specified in ECMA-167 2/9.3 is shown in table 4.

**Table 4: Terminating Extended Area Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Structure Type	UInt8 = 0
1	5	Standard Identifier	bytes = "TEA01"
6	1	Structure Version	UInt8 = 1
7	2041	Structure Data	00h bytes

#### (BP 0) Structure Type

This field shall specify 0 to identify a type of the Volume Structure Descriptor.

#### (BP 1) Standard Identifier

This field shall specify "TEA01" to indicate the Terminating Extended Area Descriptor.

#### (BP 6) Structure Version

This field shall specify 1 to indicate that the version of this descriptor is specified in ECMA-167.

#### (BP 7) Structure Data

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

## 2.5 Anchor Point

An Anchor Point shall consist of an Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer, and identify a Main Volume Descriptor Sequence and a Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence as specified in ECMA-167 3/8.4.2. For DVD Read-Only disks, two Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointers shall be recorded in the specified logical sectors having the logical sector number 256 and at least one of the last logical sector number or the last logical sector number - 256.

### 2.5.1 Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer

An Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer specified in ECMA-167 3/10.2 is shown in table 5.

**Table 5: Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=2)
16	8	Main Volume Descriptor Sequence Extent	extent_ad
24	8	Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence Extent	extent_ad
32	480	Reserved	00h bytes

#### (BP 0) Descriptor Tag

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 2.

#### (BP 16) Main Volume Descriptor Sequence Extent

This field shall specify an extent of the Main Volume Descriptor Sequence.

#### (BP 24) Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence Extent

This field shall specify an extent of the Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence.

#### (BP 32) Reserved

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

## 2.6 Volume Descriptor Sequence

Both the Main and Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence shall have the equivalent volume descriptors to specify the characteristics of the volume. A volume descriptor shall be one of the following types:

- Primary Volume Descriptor specified in 2.6.1 Primary Volume Descriptor
- Implementation Use Volume Descriptor specified in 2.6.2 Implementation Use Volume Descriptor
- Partition Descriptor specified in 2.6.4 Partition Descriptor
- Logical Volume Descriptor specified in 2.6.7 Logical Volume Descriptor
- Unallocated Space Descriptor specified in 2.6.9 Unallocated Space Descriptor

The extent of Volume Descriptor Sequence shall have a minimum length of 16 logical sectors according to the schema in figure 4. For DVD Read-Only disks, any trailing logical sectors within the extent shall be recorded all 00h bytes.

```
[ Volume Descriptor Sequence Extent ] {
    < Volume Descriptor > 5
    [ Terminator ] {
        <Terminating Descriptor>
    } < Trailing Logical Sector > 0 +
}
```

**Figure 4: Volume Descriptor Sequence Schema**



For DVD Read-Only disks, the Volume Descriptor Sequence shall contain a Primary Volume Descriptor, an Implementation Use Volume Descriptor, a Partition Descriptor, a Logical Volume Descriptor, and an Unallocated Space Descriptor. An example of the Main and Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequences is shown in figure 2.

**2.6.1 Primary Volume Descriptor (UDF)**

A Primary Volume Descriptor shall identify the volume and certain attributes of that volume, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 6.

**Table 6: Primary Volume Descriptor (UDF)**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=1)
16	4	Volume Descriptor Sequence Number	LB32
20	4	Primary Volume Descriptor Number	LB32
24	32	Volume Identifier	dstring
56	2	Volume Sequence Number	LB16 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
58	2	Maximum Volume Sequence Number	LB16 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
60	2	Interchange Level	LB16 = 2 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
62	2	Maximum Interchange Level	LB16 = 2 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
64	4	Character Set List	LB32 = 00000001h (see UDF 2.2.2.3)
68	4	Maximum Character Set List	LB32 = 00000001h (see UDF 2.2.2.3)
72	128	Volume Set Identifier	dstring
200	64	Descriptor Character Set	charspec (see UDF 2.1.2)
264	64	Explanatory Character Set	charspec (see UDF 2.1.2)
328	8	Volume Abstract	extent_ad
336	8	Volume Copyright Notice	extent_ad
344	32	Application Identifier	EntityID
376	12	Recording Date and Time	timestamp
388	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
420	64	Implementation Use	bytes
484	4	Predecessor Volume Descriptor Sequence Location	LB32
488	2	Flags	LB16 = 0 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
490	22	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 1.

**(BP 16) Volume Descriptor Sequence Number**

This field shall specify the Volume Descriptor Sequence Number for this descriptor.

**(BP 20) Primary Volume Descriptor Number**

This field shall specify the assigned Primary Volume Descriptor Number for this Primary Volume Descriptor.

**(BP 24) Volume Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the volume.

**(BP 56) Volume Sequence Number**

This field shall be set to 1, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

**(BP 58) Maximum Volume Sequence Number**

This field shall be set to 1, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

**(BP 60) Interchange Level**

This field shall be set to 2, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

The Interchange Level is specified in ECMA-167 3/11.

**(BP 62) Maximum Interchange Level**

This field shall be set to 2, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

**(BP 64) Character Set List**

This field shall be set to 00000001h, to indicate that only CS0 shall be supported as specified in UDF 2.2.2.3.

**(BP 68) Maximum Character Set List**

This field shall be set to 00000001h, to indicate that only CS0 shall be supported as specified in UDF 2.2.2.4.

**(BP 72) Volume Set Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the volume set. The first 16 characters of this field shall be set to a unique value, as specified in UDF 2.2.2.5. To guarantee Volume Sets with unique identifiers, the first 8 characters of the unique part should come from a CS0 hexadecimal representation of a 32-bit time value, and the remaining 8 characters are free for implementation use. The remained characters of this field may be set to any allowed value.

**(BP 200) Descriptor Character Set**

This field shall specify the d-characters allowed in the Volume Identifier and Volume Set Identifier field.

The contents of the charspec are specified in UDF 2.1.2.

**(BP 264) Explanatory Character Set**

This field shall specify how to interpret the contents of the Volume Abstract and Volume Copyright Notice extents. The contents of the charspec are specified in UDF 2.1.2.

**(BP 328) Volume Abstract**

This field shall specify an extent of logical sectors containing an abstract for this volume. If the extent length is 0, no abstract is specified.

**(BP 336) Volume Copyright Notice**

This field shall specify an extent of logical sectors containing a copyright notice for this volume. If the extent length is 0, no copyright notice is specified.

**(BP 344) Application Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an application. If this field contains all 00h bytes, no application is identified.

**(BP 376) Recording Date and Time**

This field shall indicate the date and time of the day at which this descriptor was recorded.

**(BP 388) Implementation Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation. The contents of the EntityID are specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(BP 420) Implementation Use**

This field shall be reserved for implementation use.

**(BP 484) Predecessor Volume Descriptor Sequence Location**

This field shall specify the address of the extent of logical sectors in which the immediately preceding extent of the Volume Descriptor Sequence of the volume is recorded. If this field contains 0, no extent is identified.

**(BP 488) Flags**

This field shall be set to 0 for DVD Read-Only disks, as a volume set shall consist of a single volume.

**(BP 490) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**2.6.2 Implementation Use Volume Descriptor**

An Implementation Use Volume Descriptor shall identify an implementation and contain information for that implementation's use, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 7. The intended purpose of this descriptor is to aid in the identification of a volume within a volume set that belongs to a specific logical volume.

**Table 7: Implementation Use Volume Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=4)
16	4	Volume Descriptor Sequence Number	LB32
20	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5 and 2.2.7.1)
52	460	Implementation Use (see 2.6.3)	bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 4.

**(BP 16) Volume Descriptor Sequence Number**

This field shall specify the Volume Descriptor Sequence Number for this descriptor.

**(BP 20) Implementation Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation that may recognize and act upon the contents of the Implementation Use field. The contents of the EntityID are specified in UDF 2.1.5. and the Identifier field of the EntityID shall be set to "\*UDF LV Info" as specified in UDF 2.2.7.1.

**(BP 52) Implementation Use**

This field is specified in UDF 2.2.7.2 and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 8.

**2.6.3 Implementation Use field**

A Implementation Use field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 8.

**Table 8: Implementation Use field**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	64	LVI Charset	charspec (see UDF 2.1.2)
<b>64</b>	128	Logical Volume Identifier	dstring
<b>192</b>	36	LV Info1	dstring
<b>228</b>	36	LV Info2	dstring
<b>264</b>	36	LV Info3	dstring
<b>300</b>	32	Implementation ID	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
<b>332</b>	128	Implementation Use	bytes

**(RBP 0) LVI Charset**

This field shall specify the character sets allowed in the Logical Volume Identifier and LV Info fields.

The contents of the charspec are specified in UDF 2.1.2.

**(RBP 64) Logical Volume Identifier**

This field shall identify the logical volume referenced by this descriptor.

**(RBP 192) LV Info1, (RBP 228) LV Info2, (RBP 264) LV Info3**

These fields should contain additional information to aid in the identification of the media as specified in UDF 2.2.7.2.3.

**(RBP 300) Implementation ID**

This field is specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(RBP 332) Implementation Use**

This area may be used by the implementation to store any additional implementation specific information.

**2.6.4 Partition Descriptor**

A Partition Descriptor shall specify the size and location of a partition, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 9. Only one Partition Descriptor shall be recorded, as a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single partition per volume.

**Table 9: Partition Descriptor**

<b>BP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=5)
<b>16</b>	4	Volume Descriptor Sequence Number	LB32
<b>20</b>	2	Partition Flags (see ECMA-167 figure 3/12)	LB16
<b>22</b>	2	Partition Number	LB16
<b>24</b>	32	Partition Contents (see 2.6.5)	EntityID
<b>56</b>	128	Partition Contents Use (see 2.6.6)	bytes
<b>184</b>	4	Access Type	LB32 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>188</b>	4	Partition Starting Location	LB32
<b>192</b>	4	Partition Length	LB32
<b>196</b>	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
<b>228</b>	128	Implementation Use	bytes
<b>356</b>	156	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 5.

**(BP 16) Volume Descriptor Sequence Number**

This field shall specify the Volume Descriptor Sequence Number for this descriptor.

**(BP 20) Partition Flag**

This field shall specify certain characteristics of the partition as specified in ECMA-167 figure 3/12.

**(BP 22) Partition Number**

This field shall specify the numeric identifier for the partition.

**(BP 24) Partition Contents**

This field shall specify an identification of how to interpret the contents of the partition. The identifications are specified in ECMA-167 figure 3/13. This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 10.

**(BP 56) Partition Contents Use**

This field shall specify information required for the interpretation of the information recorded on the partition identified by this Partition Descriptor. This field shall consist of a Partition Header Descriptor as shown in table 11.

**(BP 184) Access Type**

This field shall specify the access methods that are permitted on the logical sectors of the partition described by this descriptor. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to 1, which is interpreted as Read Only.

**(BP 188) Partition Starting Location**

This field shall specify the logical sector number at which the partition begins.

**(BP 192) Partition Length**

This field shall specify the number of logical sectors that comprise the partition.

**(BP 196) Implementation Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation. The contents of the EntityID for this descriptor are specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(BP 228) Implementation Use**

This field shall be reserved for implementation use.

**(BP 356) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**2.6.5 Partition Contents field**

A Partition Contents field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 10.

**Table 10: Partition Contents field**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Flags	UInt8 = 00000010b (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>1</b>	23	Identifier	bytes = "+NSR02" (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>24</b>	8	Identifier Suffix	bytes

**(RBP 0) Partition Contents Flag**

This field shall specify certain characteristics of the entity identifier as specified in ECMA-167 figure 1/10. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to 00000010b.

**(RBP 1) Partition Contents Identifier**

The identification is specified in ECMA-167 figure 3/13. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to "+NSR02" which means that the contents of the partition are according to ECMA-167.

**(RBP 24) Partition Contents Identifier Suffix**

This field shall specify further identification in a manner not specified by ECMA-167 and UDF.

**2.6.6 Partition Header Descriptor of Partition Contents Use field**

A Partition Header Descriptor shall specify the Unallocated Space Set, the Freed Space Set and the Partition Integrity Table as specified in ECMA-167 4/14.3, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 11.

**Table 11: Partition Header Descriptor of Partition Contents Use field**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	8	Unallocated Space Table	short_ad = all 0's (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>8</b>	8	Unallocated Space Bitmap	short_ad = all 0's (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>16</b>	8	Partition Integrity Table	short_ad = all 0's (see UDF 2.3.3.1)
<b>24</b>	8	Freed Space Table	short_ad = all 0's (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>32</b>	8	Freed Space Bitmap	short_ad = all 0's (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>40</b>	88	Reserved	00h bytes

**(RBP 0) Unallocated Space Table**

This field shall specify the Unallocated Space Table for this partition (see ECMA-167 4/10). For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to all 0's to indicate that no Unallocated Space Table is specified.

**(RBP 8) Unallocated Space Bitmap**

This field shall identify the extent in which the Unallocated Space Bitmap for this partition (see ECMA-167 4/10) is recorded. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to all 0's to indicate that no Unallocated Space Bitmap is specified.

**(RBP 16) Partition Integrity Table**

This field shall be specify the partition Integrity Table for this partition (see ECMA-167 4/11). This field shall be set to all 0's, since Partition Integrity Entries are not used, as specified in UDF 2.3.3.1.

**(RBP 24) Freed Space Table**

This field shall specify the Freed Space Table for this partition (see ECMA-167 4/10). For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to all 0's to indicate that no Freed Space Table is specified.

**(RBP 32) Freed Space Bitmap**

This field shall identify the extent in which the Freed Space Bitmap for this partition is recorded (see ECMA-167 4/10). For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to all 0's, to indicate that no Freed Space Bitmap is specified.

**(RBP 40) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**2.6.7 Logical Volume Descriptor**

A Logical Volume Descriptor shall specify an identification of the logical volume, the logical block size of the logical volume, identification of the partitions comprising the logical volume and attributes of the logical volume. The Partition Maps field of a Logical Volume Descriptor shall be a single map as a DVD Read-Only disk shall be made with a single partition per volume. A Logical Volume Descriptor shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 12.

**Table 12: Logical Volume Descriptor**

<b>BP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=6)
<b>16</b>	4	Volume Descriptor Sequence Number	LB32
<b>20</b>	64	Descriptor Character Set	charspec (see UDF 2.1.2)
<b>84</b>	128	Logical Volume Identifier	dstring
<b>212</b>	4	Logical Block Size	LB32 = 2048 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>216</b>	32	Domain Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
<b>248</b>	16	Logical Volume Contents Use	long_ad
<b>264</b>	4	Map Table Length	LB32 = 6 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>268</b>	4	Number of Partition Maps	LB32 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>272</b>	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
<b>304</b>	128	Implementation Use	bytes
<b>432</b>	8	Integrity Sequence Extent	extent_ad
<b>440</b>	6	Partition Map(s) (see 2.6.8)	bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 6.

**(BP 16) Volume Descriptor Sequence Number**

This field shall specify the Volume Descriptor Sequence Number for this descriptor.

**(BP 20) Descriptor Character Set**

This field shall specify the d-characters allowed in the Logical Volume Identifier field. The contents of the charspec are specified in UDF 2.1.2.

**(BP 84) Logical Volume Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the logical volume.

**(BP 212) Logical Block Size**

This field shall be set to 2048 for DVD Read-Only disks, to specify the size of a logical block in bytes.

**(BP 216) Domain Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of a domain that shall specify rules on the use of, and restrictions on, certain fields in the descriptors. The contents of the EntityID for this descriptor are specified in UDF 2.1.5 and 2.2.4.3. In this specifications, the Domain Identifier field shall be set to "\*OSTA UDF Compliant" and the UDF Revision field shall be set to 0102h to indicate that this specifications comply with OSTA UDF Specification Revision 1.02. For DVD Read-Only disks, the Soft Write-Protect and Hard Write-Protect flag specified in UDF 2.1.5.3 shall be set to ONE.

**(BP 248) Logical Volume Contents Use**

This field shall specify the location and the length of the extent in which the first File Set Descriptor Sequence of the logical volume is recorded.

**(BP 264) Map Table Length**

This field shall be set to 6 for DVD Read-Only disks, to specify the length of the Partition Maps field in bytes.

**(BP 268) Number of Partition Maps**

This field shall be set to 1 for DVD Read-Only disks, to specify the number of Partition Maps recorded in the Partition Maps field.

**(BP 272) Implementation Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation. The contents of the EntityID are specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(BP 304) Implementation Use**

This field shall be reserved for implementation use.

**(BP 432) Integrity Sequence Extent**

This field shall specify the first extent of the Logical Volume Integrity Sequence.

**(BP 440) Partition Map(s)**

The Partition Map shall be limited to Type 1 Partition Map, as specified in UDF 2.2.4.6. The Type 1 Partition Map identifies a partition on a volume in the volume set. This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 13.

**2.6.8 Type 1 Partition Map**

A Type 1 Partition Map shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 13.

**Table 13: Type 1 Partition Map**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Partition Map Type	UInt8 = 1 (see UDF 2.2.4.6)
<b>1</b>	1	Partition Map Length	UInt8 = 6
<b>2</b>	2	Volume Sequence Number	LB16 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>4</b>	2	Partition Number	LB16 (same as BP22 of Partition Descriptor)

**(RBP 0) Partition Map Type**

This field shall be set to 1 as specified in UDF 2.2.4.6, to indicate the type of the partition map.

**(RBP 1) Partition Map Length**

This field shall be set to 6, to specify the length, in bytes, of this partition map.

**(RBP 2) Volume Sequence Number**

This field shall be set to 1, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

**(RBP 4) Partition Number**

This field shall be set equal to the value recorded in the Partition Number field of the Partition Descriptor (see 2.6.4).



**2.6.9 Unallocated Space Descriptor**

An Unallocated Space Descriptor shall identify volume space available for allocating to partitions or for recording the Volume Descriptor Sequence of the volume, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 14. Even if there is no free volume space, this descriptor shall be recorded as specified in UDF 2.2.5.

**Table 14: Unallocated Space Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=7)
16	4	Volume Descriptor Sequence Number	LB32
20	4	Number of Allocation Descriptors	LB32 = 0 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
24	0	Allocation Descriptors	extent_ad

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 7.

**(BP 16) Volume Descriptor Sequence Number**

This field shall specify the Volume Descriptor Sequence Number for this descriptor.

**(BP 20) Number of Allocation Descriptors**

This field shall specify the number of allocation descriptors recorded in this descriptor. This field shall be set to 0, as a DVD Read-Only disk shall have no available volume space.

**(BP 24) Allocation Descriptors**

This field shall specify the extent of unallocated space.

**2.6.10 Terminating Descriptor**

For DVD Read-Only disks, a Terminating Descriptor shall be used to terminate an extent of a Volume Descriptor Sequence and may be used to terminate an extent of a Logical Volume Integrity Sequence, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 15.

**Table 15: Terminating Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=8)
16	496	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 8.

**(BP 16) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**2.7 Logical Volume Integrity Sequence**

A Logical Volume Integrity Sequence describes the state of the information recorded on a logical volume as specified in ECMA-167 3/8.8.2, and shall contain a Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor as specified in UDF 2.2.6. The Logical Volume Integrity Sequence shall be terminated by a Terminating Descriptor, an empty logical sector which shall have all 00h bytes or the end of the Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor Sequence Extent which is specified in the Integrity Sequence Extent field of a Logical Volume Descriptor. The type of a Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor shall be a Close Integrity Descriptor for DVD Read-Only disks.

A Logical Volume Integrity Sequence shall be recorded as a sequence of extents, according to the schema in figure 5.

```
[ Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor Sequence Extent] 1 {
    < Close Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor > 1+
    [Terminator] {
        <Terminating Descriptor>
        | <empty logical sector>
    } 0+
}
```

**Figure 5 : Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor Sequence Schema**

An example of the Logical Volume Integrity Sequence is shown in figure 2.

**2.7.1 Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor**

A Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor shall specify the integrity status of a logical volume and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 16. The Free Space Table and Size Table shall be a single table, as a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single partition per volume.

**Table 16: Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=9)
16	12	Recording Date	timestamp
28	4	Integrity Type	LB32 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
32	8	Next Integrity Extent	extent_ad = all 0's (for DVD Read-Only disk)
40	32	Logical Volume Contents Use (see 2.7.2)	bytes
72	4	Number of Partitions	LB32 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
76	4	Length of Implementation Use (=L_IU)	LB32
80	4	Free Space Table	LB32 = 0 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
84	4	Size Table	LB32
88	L_IU	Implementation Use (see 2.7.3)	bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 9.

**(BP 16) Recording Date**

This field shall specify the date and time of day when this descriptor was recorded.

**(BP 28) Integrity Type**

This field shall specify the type of Integrity Descriptor which is specified in ECMA-167 figure 3/23. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to 1 to indicate that the descriptor is a Close Integrity Descriptor.

**(BP 32) Next Integrity Extent**

This field shall specify the next extent of the Logical Volume Integrity Sequence. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to all 0's to indicate that no next extent is specified.

**(BP 40) Logical Volume Contents Use**

This field shall specify information required for interpretation of the information recorded on the associated logical volume. The Logical Volume Header Descriptor shown in table 17 shall be recorded in this field.

**(BP 72) Number of Partitions**

This field shall be set to 1, as a logical volume of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single partition.

**(BP 76) Length of Implementation Use (=L\_IU)**

This field shall specify the length, in bytes, of the Implementation field.

**(BP 80) Free Space Table**

This field shall be set to 0 for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that there is no available space.

**(BP 84) Size Table**

This field shall specify the size, in logical blocks, of the partition.

**(BP 88) Implementation Use**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation as specified in UDF 2.2.6.4. This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 18.

**2.7.2 Logical Volume Header Descriptor of Logical Volume Contents Use field**

A Logical Volume Header Descriptor shall specify a numeric file and directory identifier, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 17.

**Table 17: Logical Volume Header Descriptor of Logical Volume Contents Use field**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	8	Unique ID	LB64
8	24	Reserved	00h bytes

**(RBP 0) Unique ID**

This field shall specify a value that is greater than the value of the Unique ID field in any File Entry recorded on the associated logical volume.

**(RBP 8) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**2.7.3 Implementation Use field**

An Implementation Use field specified in UDF 2.2.6.4 shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 18.

**Table 18: Implementation Use field**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	32	Implementation ID	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
32	4	Number of Files	LB32
36	4	Number of Directories	LB32
40	2	Minimum UDF Read Revision	LB16
42	2	Minimum UDF Write Revision	LB16
44	2	Maximum UDF Write Revision	LB16
46	a	Implementation Use	bytes

a = L\_IU - 40

**(RBP 0) Implementation ID**

This field is specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(RBP 32) Number of Files**

This field shall specify the current number of files in the associated logical volume.

**(RBP 36) Number of Directories**

This field shall specify the current number of directories in the associated logical volume.

**(RBP 40) Minimum UDF Read Revision**

This field shall specify the recommended minimum revision of the UDF specification that an implementation is required to support to successfully be able to read all potential structures on the media. This number shall be stored in binary coded decimal format, for example 0102h would indicate revision 1.02 of the UDF specification.

**(RBP 42) Minimum UDF Write Revision**

This field shall specify the minimum revision of the UDF specification that an implementation is required to support to successfully be able to modify all structures on the media. This number shall be stored in binary coded decimal format, for example 0102h would indicate revision 1.02 of the UDF specification.

**(RBP 44) Maximum UDF Write Revision**

This field shall specify the maximum revision of the UDF specification that an implementation which has modified the media has supported. An implementation shall update this field only if it has modified the media and the level of the UDF specification it supports is higher than the current value of this field. This number shall be stored in binary coded decimal format, for example 0102h would indicate revision 1.02 of the UDF specification.

**(RBP 46) Implementation Use**

This field shall specify the implementation specific information unique to the implementation identified by the implementation ID. The length of this field shall be L\_IU-46.

**2.8 CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set**

A CD-ROM Volume Descriptor shall be one of the following types:

- Primary Volume Descriptor specified in **2.8.1 Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)**
- Supplementary Volume Descriptor specified in ECMA-119 8.5
- Volume Descriptor Set Terminator specified in **2.8.2 Volume Descriptor Set Terminator**
- Boot Record specified in ECMA-119 8.2
- Volume Partition Descriptor specified in ECMA-119 8.6

A CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set shall be a sequence of volume descriptors recorded in consecutively numbered logical sectors starting with the logical sector with logical sector number 16. Each successive Volume Descriptor shall be recorded in the logical sector with the next higher logical sector number than that of the logical sector in which the previous Volume Descriptor is recorded. A CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set Sequence shall contain one Primary Volume Descriptor recorded at least. The sequence shall consist of two or more volume descriptors consecutively according to the schema in figure 6.

```
[ CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Sequence ] {  
    < CD-ROM Volume Descriptor > 1 +  
    [Terminator] {  
        < Volume Descriptor Set Terminator > 1 +  
    }  
}
```

**Figure 6: CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set Sequence Schema**

**2.8.1 Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)**

A Primary Volume Descriptor shall identify the volume, a system which can recognize and act upon the content of the logical sectors with logical sector numbers 0 to 15, the size of the volume space, the version of the standard which applies to the Volume Descriptor, the location of the Directory Records and the Path Table Records and certain attributes of the volume. The Primary Volume Descriptor shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 19.

**Table 19: Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)**

<b>BP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Volume Descriptor Type	UInt8 = 1
<b>1</b>	5	Standard Identifier	bytes = "CD001"
<b>6</b>	1	Volume Descriptor Version	UInt8 = 1
<b>7</b>	1	Unused Field	00h byte
<b>8</b>	32	System Identifier	a-characters
<b>40</b>	32	Volume Identifier	d-characters
<b>72</b>	8	Unused Field	00h bytes
<b>80</b>	8	Volume Space Size	BB32
<b>88</b>	32	Unused Field	00h bytes
<b>120</b>	4	Volume Set Size	BB16 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disks)
<b>124</b>	4	Volume Sequence Number	BB16 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disks)
<b>128</b>	4	Logical Block Size	BB16 = 2048 (for DVD Read-Only disks)
<b>132</b>	8	Path Table Size	BB32
<b>140</b>	4	Location of Occurrence of Type L Path Table	LB32
<b>144</b>	4	Location of Optional Occurrence of Type L Path Table	LB32
<b>148</b>	4	Location of Occurrence of Type M Path Table	MB32
<b>152</b>	4	Location of Optional Occurrence of Type M Path Table	MB32
<b>156</b>	34	Directory Record for Root Directory (see 3.6.1)	bytes
<b>190</b>	128	Volume Set Identifier	d-characters
<b>318</b>	128	Publisher Identifier	a-characters
<b>446</b>	128	Data Preparer Identifier	a-characters
<b>574</b>	128	Application Identifier	a-characters
<b>702</b>	37	Copyright File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1,SEPARATOR 2
<b>739</b>	37	Abstract File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1,SEPARATOR 2
<b>776</b>	37	Bibliographic File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1,SEPARATOR 2
<b>813</b>	17	Volume Creation Date and Time (see ECMA-119 Table 5)	Digit(s)
<b>830</b>	17	Volume Modification Date and Time (see ECMA-119 Table 5)	Digit(s)
<b>847</b>	17	Volume Expiration Date and Time (see ECMA-119 Table 5)	Digit(s)
<b>864</b>	17	Volume Effective Date and Time (see ECMA-119 Table 5)	Digit(s)
<b>881</b>	1	File Structure Version	UInt8 = 1
<b>882</b>	1	Reserved	00h byte
<b>883</b>	512	Application Use	not specified
<b>1395</b>	653	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Volume Descriptor Type**

This field shall specify an 8-bit number indicating that the volume descriptor is a Primary Volume Descriptor. The number in this field shall be 1.

**(BP 1) Standard Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of ECMA-119. The characters in this field shall be "CD001".

**(BP 6) Volume Descriptor Version**

This field shall specify as an 8-bit number an identification of the version of the specification of the Primary Volume Descriptor, and shall be set to 1 to indicate the structure of ECMA-119.

**(BP 7) Unused Field**

This field shall be set to 00h byte.

**(BP 8) System Identifier**

This field shall specify as identification of a system which may recognize and act upon the content of the logical sectors with logical sector numbers 0 to 15 of the volume.

**(BP 40) Volume Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the volume.

**(BP 72) Unused Field**

This field shall be set to all 00h bytes.

**(BP 80) Volume Space Size**

For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall specify as a 32-bit number the number of logical sector in which the volume space of the volume is recorded.

**(BP 88) Unused Field**

This field shall be set to all 00h bytes.

**(BP 120) Volume Set Size**

This field shall be set to 1, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

**(BP 124) Volume Sequence Number**

This field shall be set to 1, as a volume set of a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single volume.

**(BP 128) Logical Block Size**

This field shall be set to 2048 for DVD Read-Only disks, to specify the size of a logical block in bytes.

**(BP 132) Path Table Size**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the length in bytes of a recorded occurrence of the Path Table identified by this descriptor.

**(BP 140) Location of Occurrence of Type L Path Table**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the logical sector number of the first logical sector allocated to the extent that contains an occurrence of the Path Table. Multiple-byte numerical values in a record of this occurrence of the Path Table shall be recorded with the **little endian** representation. For DVD Read-Only disks, the logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number.

**(BP 144) Location of Optional Occurrence of Type L Path Table**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the logical sector number of the first logical sector allocated to the extent that contains an optional occurrence of the Path Table. If the value is 0, it shall mean that the extent shall not be expected to have been recorded. Multiple-byte numerical values in a record of this occurrence of the Path

Table shall be recorded with the **little endian** representation. For DVD Read-Only disks, the logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number.

**(BP 148) Location of Occurrence of Type M Path Table**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the logical sector number of the first logical sector allocated to the extent that contains an occurrence of the Path Table. Multiple-byte numerical values in a record of this occurrence of the Path Table shall be recorded with the **big endian** representation. For DVD Read-Only disks, the logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number.

**(BP 152) Location of Optional Occurrence of Type M Path Table**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the logical sector number of the first logical sector allocated to the extent that contains an optional occurrence of the Path Table. If the value is 0, it shall mean that the extent shall not be expected to have been recorded. Multiple-byte numerical values in a record of this occurrence of the Path Table shall be recorded with the **big endian** representation. For DVD Read-Only disks, the logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number.

**(BP 156) Directory Record for Root Directory**

This field shall contain an occurrence of the Directory Record for the Root directory. This field shall be recorded according to 3.6.1.

**(BP 190) Volume Set Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the volume set of which the volume is a member.

**(BP 318) Publisher Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the user who specified what shall be recorded on the volume.

All bytes of this field shall be set to 20h, when no such user is identified.

**(BP 446) Data Preparer Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the person or other entity that controls the preparation of the data to be recorded on the volume group of which the volume is a member. All bytes of this field shall be set to 20h, when no such data preparer is identified.

**(BP 574) Application Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the specification of how the data are recorded on the volume group of which the volume is a member. All bytes of this field shall be set to 20h, when no such application is identified.

**(BP 702) Copyright File Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of a file described by the Root directory and containing a copyright statement for those volumes of the volume set the sequence numbers of which are less than, or equal to, the assigned volume set size of the volume. All bytes of this field shall be set to 20h, when no such file is identified.

**(BP 739) Abstract File Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of a file described by the Root directory and containing an abstract statement for those volumes of the volume set the sequence numbers of which are less than, or equal to, the assigned volume set size of the volume. All bytes of this field shall be set to 20h, when no such file is identified.

**(BP 776) Bibliographic File Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of a file described by the Root directory and containing bibliographic records interpreted according to standards that are the subject of an agreement between the originator and the recipient of the volume. All bytes of this field shall be set to 20h, when no such file is identified.

**(BP 813) Volume Creation Date and Time**

This field shall specify the date and the time of the day at which the information in the volume was created. This field shall be recorded according to ECMA-119 8.4.26.1. All digits shall be set to 0, when the date and time are not specified.

**(BP 830) Volume Modification Date and Time**

This field shall specify the date and the time of the day at which the information in the volume was last modified. This field shall be recorded according to ECMA-119 8.4.26.1. All digits shall be set to 0, when the date and time are not specified.

**(BP 847) Volume Expiration Date and Time**

This field shall specify the date and the time of the day at which the information in the volume may be regarded as obsolete. This field shall be recorded according to ECMA-119 8.4.26.1. All digits shall be set to 0, when the date and time are not specified. If the date and time are not specified then the information shall not be regarded as obsolete.

**(BP 864) Volume Effective Date and Time**

This field shall specify the date and the time of the day at which the information in the volume may be used. This field shall be recorded according to ECMA-119 8.4.26.1. All digits shall be set to 0, when the date and time are not specified. If the date and time are not specified then the information may be used at once.

**(BP 881) File Structure Version**

This field shall specify as an 8-bit number the version of the specification of the records of a directory and a Path Table. 1 shall indicate the structure of ECMA-119.

**(BP 882) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be 00h byte.

**(BP 883) Application Use**

This field shall be reserved for application use. The content of this field is not specified by ECMA-119.

**(BP 1395) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be all 00h bytes.

**2.8.2 Volume Descriptor Set Terminator**

The recorded set of Volume Descriptors shall be terminated by a sequence of one or more Volume Descriptor Set Terminator. The Volume Descriptor Set Terminator shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 20.

**Table 20: Volume Descriptor Set Terminator**

<b>BP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Volume Descriptor Type	UInt8 = 255
<b>1</b>	5	Standard Identifier	bytes = "CD001"
<b>6</b>	1	Volume Descriptor Version	UInt8 = 1
<b>7</b>	2041	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Volume Descriptor Type**

This field shall specify as an 8-bit number indicating that the Volume Descriptor is a Volume Descriptor Set Terminator. The number shall be set to 255.

**(BP 1) Standard Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of ECMA-119. The characters in this field shall be "CD001".

**(BP 6) Volume Descriptor Version**

This field shall specify as an 8-bit number an identification of the version of the specification of the Volume Set Terminator. This field shall be set to 1 to indicate the structure of ECMA-119.



**(BP 7) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be all 00h bytes.

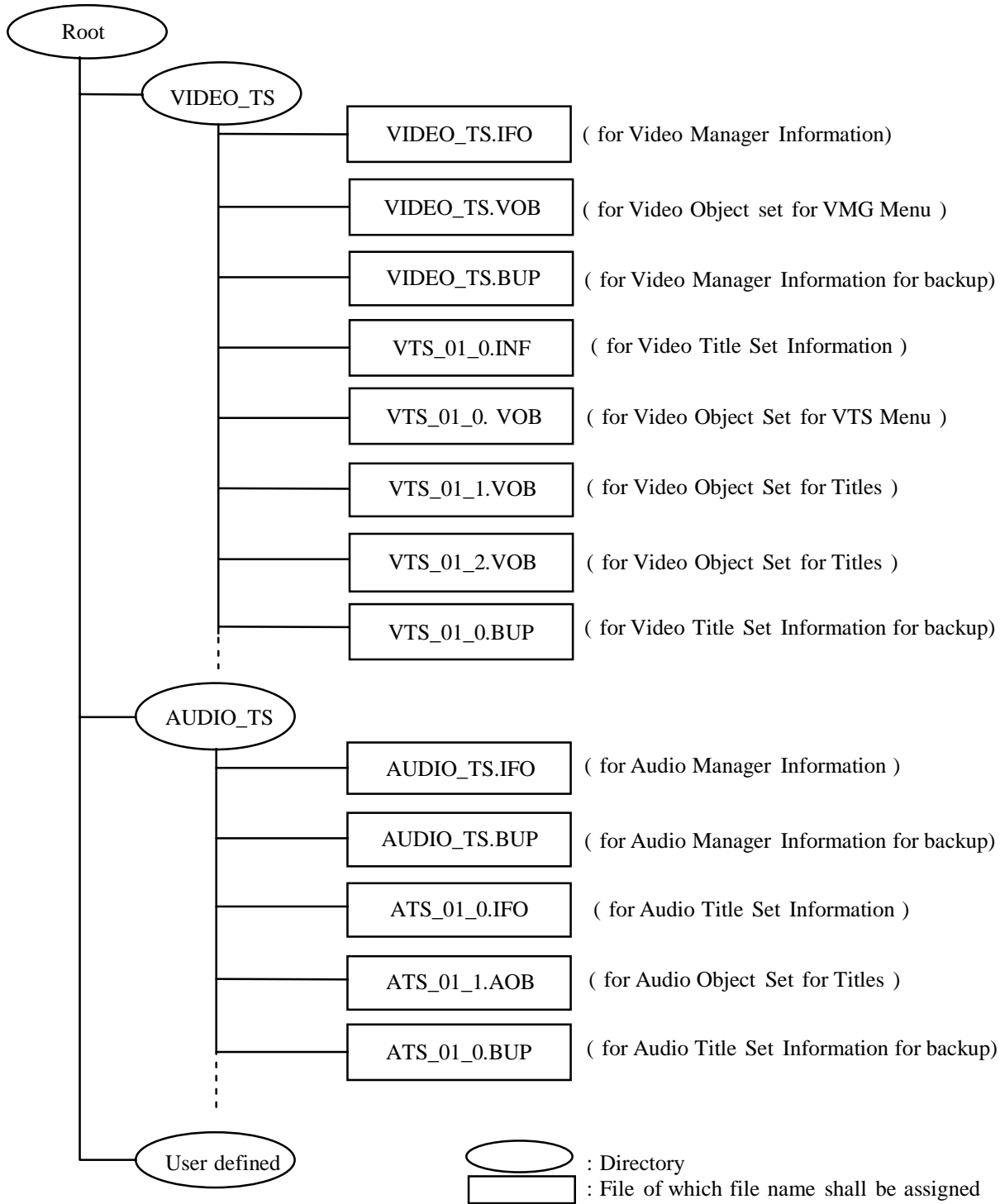
**3 File Structure**

**3.1 Requirements for DVD Read-Only disk**

The requirements for the file structure of DVD Read-Only disks are specified as follows:

1. All disks shall be provided with UDF file structure and ECMA-119 file structure.
2. Only Short Allocation Descriptors shall be used in the Allocation Descriptors field of the File Entry.

An example of a directory structure for DVD-Video and DVD-Audio is shown in figure 7.



**Figure 7: Example of Directory Structure**

### **3.2 UDF File Structure**

A UDF File Structure conforms to Part 4 of ECMA-167. For example, a file structure which contains a File Set Descriptor Sequence, Directories and ICBs with strategy type 4, is recorded as shown in table 21.

A File Set Descriptor in its sequence shall identify the root directory describing a set of files by specifying the address of an ICB. A directory shall contain a set of File Identifier Descriptors that specify the name of a component file or the name of a component subdirectory, or identify the parent directory of the directory.

A File Identifier Descriptor identifies a parent directory or a component file or subdirectory by specifying the address of an ICB. As specified in UDF, the ICB strategy type 4 should be used and the ICB strategy type 4096 may be used. When the ICB strategy type 4 is used, then the ICB hierarchy shall consist of a single ICB having one File Entry. A File Entry shall specify the attributes of the file and the location of the file.

**Table 21: Example of UDF File Structure**

<b>LBN</b>	<b>Descriptors</b>	<b>Structure</b>
<b>0</b>	File Set Descriptor	File Set Descriptor
<b>1</b>	Terminating Descriptor	Sequence
<b>2</b>	File Entry(Root Directory)	Root ICB
<b>3</b>	File Identifier Descriptor(parent directory) File Identifier Descriptor(VIDEO_TS) File Identifier Descriptor(AUDIO_TS)	Root Directory
<b>4</b>	File Entry(VIDEO_TS)	VIDEO_TS ICB
<b>5</b>	File Identifier Descriptor(parent directory) File Identifier Descriptor(VIDEO_TS.IFO) File Identifier Descriptor(VIDEO_TS.VOB) File Identifier Descriptor(VIDEO_TS.BUP) File Identifier Descriptor(VTS_01_0.IFO) File Identifier Descriptor(VTS_01_0.VOB) File Identifier Descriptor(VTS_01_1.VOB) File Identifier Descriptor(VTS_01_2.VOB) File Identifier Descriptor(VTS_01_0.BUP)	VIDEO_TS  Directory
<b>6</b>	File Entry(VIDEO_TS.IFO)	VIDEO_TS  Files  ICBs
<b>7</b>	File Entry(VIDEO_TS.VOB)	
<b>8</b>	File Entry(VIDEO_TS.BUP)	
<b>9</b>	File Entry(VTS_01_0.IFO)	
<b>10</b>	File Entry(VTS_01_0.VOB)	
<b>11</b>	File Entry(VTS_01_1.VOB)	
<b>12</b>	File Entry(VTS_01_2.VOB)	
<b>13</b>	File Entry(VTS_01_0.BUP)	
<b>14</b>	File Entry(AUDIO_TS)	AUDIO_TS ICB
<b>15</b>	File Identifier Descriptor(parent directory) File Identifier Descriptor(AUDIO_TS.IFO) File Identifier Descriptor(AUDIO_TS.BUP) File Identifier Descriptor(ATS_01_0.IFO) File Identifier Descriptor(ATS_01_1.AOB) File Identifier Descriptor(ATS_01_0.BUP)	AUDIO_TS  Directory
<b>16</b>	File Entry(AUDIO_TS.IFO)	AUDIO_TS  Files  ICBs
<b>17</b>	File Entry(AUDIO_TS.BUP)	
<b>18</b>	File Entry(ATS_01_0.IFO)	
<b>19</b>	File Entry(ATS_01_1.AOB)	
<b>20</b>	File Entry(ATS_01_0.BUP)	

### 3.3 UDF File Set Descriptor Sequence

A file set recorded on a partition is identified by a File Set Descriptor which identifies the root of a directory hierarchy describing a set of files and certain attributes of the file set. The File Set Descriptor shall be recorded in a File Set Descriptor Sequence as specified in ECMA-167 4/8.3.1. A DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of a single file set per volume. Therefore, a File Set Descriptor Sequence shall contain only one File Set Descriptor. The File Set Descriptor Sequence shall be terminated by a Terminating Descriptor, an empty logical block which shall have all 00h bytes or the end of the File Set Descriptor Sequence Extent which is specified in a Logical Volume Contents field of a Logical Volume Descriptor.

For DVD Read-Only disks, a File Set Descriptor Sequence shall be recorded according to the schema in figure 8.

```
[File Set Descriptor Sequence Extent] {
    < File Set Descriptor > 1
    [Terminator] {
        <Terminating Descriptor>
        | <empty logical block>
    } 0+
}
```

**Figure 8: File Set Descriptor Sequence Schema**

#### 3.3.1 File Set Descriptor

A File Set Descriptor shall identify a set of files and directories, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 22.

**Table 22: File Set Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
<b>0</b>	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=256)
<b>16</b>	12	Recording Date and Time	timestamp
<b>28</b>	2	Interchange Level	LB16 = 3 (see UDF 2.3.2.1)
<b>30</b>	2	Maximum Interchange Level	LB16 = 3 (see UDF 2.3.2.2)
<b>32</b>	4	Character Set List	LB32 = 00000001h (see UDF 2.3.2.3)
<b>36</b>	4	Maximum Character Set List	LB32 = 00000001h (see UDF 2.3.2.4)
<b>40</b>	4	File Set Number	LB32 = 0 (see UDF 2.3.2)
<b>44</b>	4	File Set descriptor Number	LB32 = 0 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>48</b>	64	Logical Volume Identifier Character Set	charspec (see UDF 2.1.2)
<b>112</b>	128	Logical Volume Identifier	dstring
<b>240</b>	64	File Set Character Set	charspec (see UDF 2.1.2)
<b>304</b>	32	File Set Identifier	dstring
<b>336</b>	32	Copyright File Identifier	dstring
<b>368</b>	32	Abstract File Identifier	dstring
<b>400</b>	16	Root Directory ICB	long_ad
<b>416</b>	32	Domain Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
<b>448</b>	16	Next Extent	long_ad = all 0's (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>464</b>	48	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 256.

**(BP 16) Recording Date and Time**

This field shall indicate the date and time of the day at which this descriptor was recorded.

**(BP 28) Interchange Level**

This field shall be set to 3 as specified in UDF 2.3.2.1. The Interchange level is specified in ECMA-167 4/15.

**(BP 30) Maximum Interchange Level**

This field shall be set to 3 as specified in UDF 2.3.2.2.

**(BP 32) Character Set List**

This field shall be set to 00000001h, to indicate that only CS0 shall be supported as specified in UDF 2.3.2.3.

**(BP 36) Maximum Character Set List**

This field shall be set to 00000001h, to indicate that only CS0 shall be supported as specified in UDF 2.3.2.4.

**(BP 40) File Set Number**

This field shall be set to 0 to indicate that a DVD Read-Only disk shall consist of one file set as specified in UDF 2.3.2.

**(BP 44) File Set Descriptor Number**

This field shall be set to 0 for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that only one File Set Descriptor shall be recorded.

**(BP 48) Logical Volume Identifier Character Set**

This field shall specify the d-characters allowed in the Logical Volume Identifier field. The contents of the charspec are specified in UDF 2.1.2.

**(BP 112) Logical Volume Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the logical volume on which the file set is recorded.

**(BP 240) File Set Character Set**

This field shall specify the d-characters allowed in certain field of descriptors described in Part 4 of ECMA-167 that are within the scope of the File Set Descriptor. The contents of the charspec are specified in UDF 2.1.2.

**(BP 304) File Set Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of the file set identified by this File Set Descriptor.

**(BP 336) Copyright File Identifier**

This field shall identify a file in the root directory containing a copyright statement for the information recorded in the file set identified by this File Set Descriptor. This field shall contain all 00h bytes, when no copyright file is identified.

**(BP 368) Abstract File Identifier**

This field shall identify a file in the root directory containing an abstract for the information recorded in the file set identified by this File Set Descriptor. This field shall contain all 00h bytes, when no abstract file is identified.

**(BP 400) Root Directory ICB**

This field shall specify the location of an ICB describing the root directory by long\_ad. For example of table 21, the root directory ICB is located at logical block number 2.

**(BP 416) Domain Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of a domain that shall specify rules on the use of, and restrictions on, certain fields in the descriptors. The contents of the EntityID for this descriptor are specified in UDF 2.1.5 and

2.3.2.7. In this specifications, the Domain Identifier field shall be set to "\*OSTA UDF Compliant" and the UDF Revision field shall be set to 0102h to indicate that this specifications comply with OSTA UDF Specification Revision 1.02. For DVD Read-Only disks, the Soft Write-Protect and Hard Write-Protect flag specified in UDF 2.1.5.3 shall be set to ONE.

**(BP 448) Next Extent**

This field shall specify the next extent where File Set Descriptors may be recorded. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to all 0's to indicate that no next extent is specified.

**(BP 464) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**3.3.2 Terminating Descriptor**

A Terminating Descriptor may be used to terminate an extent of a File Set Descriptor Sequence for DVD Read-Only disks, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 23.

**Table 23: Terminating Descriptor**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=8)
16	496	Reserved	00h bytes

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 8.

**(BP 16) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and all bytes shall be set to 00h.

**3.4 UDF Directories**

A directory contains zero or more file or directory identifications. A directory hierarchy shall be a set of directories descended from a single root directory.

A directory shall contain a set of File Identifier Descriptors as specified in ECMA-167 4/8.6, and shall be recorded according to the schema in figure 9.



**Figure 9: Directory Schema**

A File Identifier Descriptor is specified with RBP, there for as specified in ECMA-167 4/13 it has no restrictions on where it may be recorded within a logical block. All space, if any, after the end of the last descriptor up to the end of the logical block shall be recorded as all 00h bytes.

**3.4.1 File Identifier Descriptor**

A File Identifier Descriptor shall specify the name of a component file or the name of a component subdirectory, or identify the parent directory of the directory. A File Identifier Descriptor identifies a parent directory or a component file or subdirectory by specifying the address of an ICB, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 24.

**Table 24: File Identifier Descriptor**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=257)
<b>16</b>	2	File Version Number	LB16 = 1 (see UDF 2.3.4.1)
<b>18</b>	1	File Characteristics	UInt8
<b>19</b>	1	Length of File Identifier (=L_FI)	UInt8
<b>20</b>	16	ICB	long_ad
<b>36</b>	2	Length of Implementation Use (=L_IU)	LB16
<b>38</b>	L_IU	Implementation Use	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
<b>a</b>	L_FI	File Identifier	d-characters
<b>b</b>	c	Padding	bytes

$$a = L\_IU + 38$$

$$b = L\_FI = L\_IU + 38$$

$$c = 4 \times ip((L\_FI+L\_IU+38+3)/4)-(L\_FI+L\_IU+38)$$

**(RBP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 257.

**(RBP 16) File Version Number**

This field shall be set to 1 as specified in UDF 2.3.4.1, because there shall be only one version of a file.

**(RBP 18) File Characteristics**

This field shall specify certain characteristics of the file. This field has Existence bit, Directory bit, Deleted bit, and Parent bit as specified in ECMA-167 4/14.4.3. The usage of the File Characteristics under various operating systems is specified in UDF 3.3.1.1.

**(RBP 19) Length of File Identifier**

This field shall specify the length, in bytes, of the File Identifier field. If the Parent bit of the File Characteristics field is set to ONE, the length of the File Identifier field shall be 0 as specified in ECMA-167 4/14.4.4.

**(RBP 20) ICB**

This field shall specify the address of an ICB describing the file by long\_ad.

**(RBP 36) Length of Implementation Use**

This field shall specify the length, in bytes, of the Implementation Use field. L\_UI shall be an integral multiple of 4. As specified in UDF 2.3.4.2, this field may be 0, indicating that the Implementation Use field has not been used.

**(RBP 38) Implementation Use**

As specified in UDF 2.3.4.3, if the length of the Implementation Use field is non zero then the first 32 bytes of this field shall be interpreted as specifying the Implementation Entity Identifier. The contents of the EntityID are specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(RBP a) File Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification for the file described by the ICB identified in the ICB field. The outline of the File Identifier translation algorithm for specific operating systems is specified in UDF 4.2.2.1.



**(RBP b) Padding**

This field shall be  $4 \times ip((L\_FI+L\_IU+38+3)/4)-(L\_FI+L\_IU+38)$  bytes long and shall contain all 00h bytes.

**3.5 ICB**

An ICB is defined in ECMA-167 4/8.10. Each recorded instance of a file shall be described by an entry in Information Control Block (ICB). The set of entries describing the recorded instances of a file shall be described by entries in one or more ICBs. These ICBs shall form an ICB hierarchy. As specified in UDF 2.3.5.1, the ICB strategy type 4 should be used and ICB strategy type 4096 may be used. When the ICB strategy type 4 is used, the ICB hierarchy shall consist of a single ICB having one File Entry. The ICB strategy type 4096 is defined in UDF 6.6, and is efficient to support a history of all versions of a file as described in ECMA-167 4/8.10.

**3.5.1 File Entry**

A file shall be described by a File Entry that shall specify the attributes of the file and the location of the file's recorded data. The File Entry is a direct entry recorded in an ICB, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 25.

**Table 25: File Entry**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=261)
16	20	ICB Tag (see 3.5.2)	icbtag
36	4	Uid	LB32
40	4	Gid	LB32
44	4	Permissions (see 3.5.4)	LB32
48	2	File Link Count	LB16
50	1	Record Format	UInt8 = 0 (see UDF 2.3.6.1)
51	1	Record Display Attributes	UInt8 = 0 (see UDF 2.3.6.2)
52	4	Record Length	LB32 = 0 (see UDF 2.3.6.3)
56	8	Information Length	LB64
64	8	Logical Blocks Recorded	LB64
72	12	Access Time	timestamp
84	12	Modification Time	timestamp
96	12	Attribute Time	timestamp
108	4	Checkpoint	LB32 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
112	16	Extended Attribute ICB	long_ad
128	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
160	8	Unique Id	LB64 (see UDF 2.3.6.5)
168	4	Length of Extended Attributes (=L_EA)	LB32
172	4	Length of Allocation Descriptors (=L_AD)	LB32
176	L_EA	Extended Attributes (see 3.6)	bytes
a	L_AD	Allocation Descriptors	bytes

a = L\_EA+176

**(BP 0) Descriptor Tag**

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 261.

**(BP 16) ICB Tag**

The ICB Tag shall specify the ICB strategy type, file type, and file characteristics. This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 26.

**(BP 36) Uid**

This field shall specify the User ID of the file's owner. As specified in UDF 3.3.3.1, for operating systems that do not support the concept of a user identifier, the implementation shall set this field to  $2^{32}-1$  to indicate an invalid Uid.

**(BP 40) Gid**

This field shall specify the Group ID of the file's owner. As specified in UDF 3.3.3.2, for operating systems that do not support the concept of a group identifier, the implementation shall set this field to  $2^{32}-1$  to indicate an invalid Gid.

**(BP 44) Permissions**

This field shall specify file access allowed to certain classes of users and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 28.

**(BP 48) File Link Count**

This field shall specify the number of File Identifier Descriptors identifying this ICB.

**(BP 50) Record Format**

This field shall be set to 0 as specified in UDF 2.3.6.1, to indicate that this field does not specify the structure of the information recorded in the file.

**(BP 51) Record Display Attributes**

This field shall be set to 0 as specified in UDF 2.3.6.2, to indicate that this field does not specify the structure of the information recorded in the file.

**(BP 52) Record Length**

This field shall be set to 0 as specified in UDF 2.3.6.3, to indicate that this field does not specify the structure of the information recorded in the file.

**(BP 56) Information Length**

The file size in bytes. This value shall be equal to the sum of the Information Length of the Allocation Descriptors for the body of the file.

**(BP 64) Logical Blocks Recorded**

The number of recorded logical blocks specified by the Allocation Descriptors for the body of the file.

**(BP 72) Access Time**

For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall specify the most recent time of file creation. This date and time shall not be earlier than the File Creation Time specified in the File Times Extended Attribute, if any.

**(BP 84) Modification Time**

For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall specify the most recent time of file creation. This date and time shall not be earlier than the File Creation Time specified in the File Times Extended Attribute, if any. The content of this field shall be identical to the content of the Access Time field.

**(BP 96) Attribute Time**

For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall specify the most recent time of file creation. This date and time shall not be earlier than the File Creation Time specified in the File Times Extended Attribute, if any. The content of this field shall be identical to the content of the Access Time field.

**(BP 108) Checkpoint**

This field shall be set to 1 for DVD Read-Only disks, because of the first instance of a file.

**(BP 112) Extended Attribute ICB**

This field shall specify the ICB describing the extended attribute file that is specified in ECMA-167 4/9. The extent's length shall be set to 0, when no Extended Attribute ICB is specified. The Extended Attribute for specific operating systems are specified in UDF 3.3.4.

**(BP 128) Implementation Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation. The contents of the EntityID for this descriptor are specified in UDF 2.1.5.

**(BP 160) Unique Id**

This field shall specify a numeric identifier for this file. All File Entries with the same contents of this field shall describe the same file or directory. As specified in UDF 2.3.6.5, for the root directory this value shall be set to 0 and the values 1-15 are reserved for specific implementations.

**(BP 168) Length of Extended Attributes**

This field shall specify the length, in bytes, of the Extended Attributes field. L\_EA shall be an integral multiple of 4.

**(BP 172) Length of Allocation Descriptors**

This field shall specify the length, in bytes, of the Allocation Descriptors field.

**(BP 176) Extended Attributes**

This field shall contain an extended attributes space that is defined in ECMA-167 4/9. The recorded extended attributes shall occupy at most L\_EA bytes and any unused bytes shall be set to 00h.

The Extended Attribute for specific operating systems is specified in UDF 3.3.4.

**(BP a) Allocation Descriptors**

This field shall be a sequence of Allocation Descriptors defined in ECMA-167 4/12.1. For DVD Read-Only disks, Only Short Allocation Descriptors shall be used.

**3.5.2 ICB Tag**

As specified in UDF 2.3.5, an ICB Tag shall specify the strategy type, file type, and file characteristics, and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 26. Some parameters of the ICB Tag for strategy type 4096 are specified in UDF 6.6.

**Table 26: ICB Tag**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	4	Prior Recorded Number of Direct Entries	LB32
<b>4</b>	2	Strategy Type	LB16
<b>6</b>	2	Strategy Parameter	LB16
<b>8</b>	2	Maximum Number of Entries	LB16
<b>10</b>	1	Reserved	00h byte
<b>11</b>	1	File Type	UInt8
<b>12</b>	6	Parent ICB Location	lb_addr
<b>18</b>	2	Flags (see 3.5.3)	LB16

**(RBP 0) Prior recorded Number of Direct Entries**

This field shall specify the number of Direct Entries recorded in this ICB hierarchy prior to this entry.

**(RBP 4) Strategy Type**

This field should be set to 4 or may be set to 4096 as specified in UDF 2.3.5.1. The strategy type is specified in ECMA-167 4/14.6.2.

**(RBP 6) Strategy Parameter**

This field shall be interpreted according to the strategy specified by the Strategy Type field.

**(RBP 8) Maximum Number of Entries**

This field shall specify the maximum number of entries, including both direct and indirect, that may be recorded in this ICB.

**(RBP 10) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be set to 00h byte.

**(RBP 11) File Type**

This field shall specify the type of the file as specified in ECMA-167 4/14.6.6. A value of 4 shall mean that the file is a directory. As specified in UDF 2.3.5.2, a value of 5 shall be used for a standard byte addressable file, not 0. The user interface requirements for this field is specified in UDF 4.2.1.1.

**(RBP 12) Parent ICB Location**

This field shall specify the location of the ICB which contains an indirect entry specifying the ICB that this descriptor is recorded in. If this field contains 0, no such ICB is specified.

**(RBP 18) Flags**

This field shall specify recording information about the file as specified in ECMA-167 4/14.6.8. This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 27.

**3.5.3 Flags field in ICB Tag**

This field is defined in ECMA-167 4/14.6.8, and certain bits of this field are specified in UDF 2.3.5.4.

This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 27.

**Table 27: Flags field in ICB Tag**

Bit	Description	Contents
0-2	Type of Allocation Descriptor	0 : Short Allocation Descriptor (for DVD Read-Only disk)
3	Directory Sort	ZERO : unsorted (see UDF 2.3.5.4)
4	Non-relocatable	ZERO or ONE
5	Archive	ZERO or ONE
6	Setuid	ZERO or ONE
7	Setgid	ZERO or ONE
8	Sticky	ZERO or ONE
9	Contiguous	ZERO or ONE
10	System	ZERO or ONE
11	Transformed	ZERO : not transformed (see UDF 2.3.5.4)
12	Multi-versions	ZERO : not multi-versions (see UDF 2.3.5.4)
13-15	Reserved	ZEROs

**(Bit 0-2) Type of Allocation Descriptor**

These bits shall be the value 0 which means that Short Allocation Descriptors are used.

**(Bit 3) Directory Sort**

If the file is not a directory, this bit shall be reserved for future standardisation and set to ZERO. If the file is a directory and this bit is set to ZERO, the directory need not be sorted according to ECMA-167 4/8.6.1. As specified in UDF 2.3.5.4, this bit shall be set to ZERO.

**(Bit 4) Non-relocatable**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that there are no restrictions on how the Allocation Descriptors specifying the file's data may be modified. If set to ONE, the Allocation Descriptors shall not be modified such that either the address of an extent of the file is changed or that the recorded length of an extent is reduced.

**(Bit 5) Archive**

This bit shall be set to ONE when the file is created or is written. This bit shall be set to ZERO in an implementation-dependent manner.

**(Bit 6) Setuid**

This bit shall be interpreted as the S\_ISUID bit as specified in ISO/IEC 9945-1. For certain operating systems, this bit is specified in UDF 3.3.2.1.1.

**(Bit 7) Setgid**

This bit shall be interpreted as the S\_ISGID bit as specified in ISO/IEC 9945-1. For certain operating systems, this bit is specified in UDF 3.3.2.1.1.

**(Bit 8) Sticky**

This bit shall be interpreted as the C\_ISVTX bit as specified in ISO/IEC 9945-1. For certain operating systems, this bit is specified in UDF 3.3.2.1.1.

**(Bit 9) Contiguous**

If set to ZERO, then an extent of a file need not begin at the first logical block after the last logical block of the preceding extent of the file. If set to ONE, then each extent of a file shall begin at the first logical block after the last logical block of the preceding extent of the file.

**(Bit 10) System**

This bit shall be reserved for implementation use. For certain operating systems, this bit is specified in UDF 3.3.2.1.1.

**(Bit 11) Transformed**

This bit shall be set to ZERO as specified in UDF 2.3.5.4, to indicate that the recorded bytes of the data space of the file are those supplied by the user.

**(Bit 12) Multi-versions**

If the file is not a directory, this bit shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be set to ZERO. If the file is a directory and the bit is set to ZERO, then no two File Identifier Descriptors recorded in the directory shall have the same contents of their File Identifier field. As specified in UDF 2.3.5.4 this bit shall be set to ZERO.

**(Bit 13-15) Reserved**

All bits shall be set to ZERO.

**3.5.4 Permissions field in File Entry**

As defined in ECMA-167 4/14.9.5, this field shall specify file access allowed to certain classes of users as follows:

- If the User ID is the same as the Uid field, then bits 10 -14 shall apply.
- Otherwise, if the user's Group ID is the same as the Gid field, then bits 5-9 shall apply.
- Otherwise, bits 0-4 shall apply.

The allowed access shall be defined as shown in table 28. For specific operating systems, this field is specified in UDF 3.3.3.3.

**Table 28: Permissions field in File Entry**

Bit	Description	Contents
0	Other Execute	ZERO or ONE
1	Other Write	ZERO : Other not write (for DVD Read-Only disk)
2	Other Read	ZERO or ONE
3	Other Change Attribute	ZERO : Other not change attribute (for DVD Read-Only disk)
4	Other Delete	ZERO : Other not delete (for DVD Read-Only disk)
5	Group Execute	ZERO or ONE
6	Group Write	ZERO : Group not write (for DVD Read-Only disk)
7	Group Read	ZERO or ONE
8	Group Change Attribute	ZERO : Group not change attribute (for DVD Read-Only disk)
9	Group Delete	ZERO : Group not delete (for DVD Read-Only disk)
10	Owner Execute	ZERO or ONE
11	Owner Write	ZERO : Owner not write (for DVD Read-Only disk)
12	Owner Read	ZERO or ONE
13	Owner Change Attribute	ZERO : Owner not change attribute (for DVD Read-Only disk)
14	Owner Delete	ZERO : Owner not delete (for DVD Read-Only disk)
15-31	Reserved	ZEROs

**(Bit 0) Other Execute**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that the user may not execute the file. If set to ONE, shall mean that the user may execute the file.

**(Bit 1) Other Write**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not write the file.

**(Bit 2) Other Read**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that the user may not read the file. If set to ONE, shall mean that the user may read the file.

**(Bit 3) Other Change Attribute**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not change any attributes of the file.

**(Bit 4) Other Delete**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not delete the file.

**(Bit 5) Group Execute**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that the user may not execute the file. If set to ONE, shall mean that the user may execute the file.

**(Bit 6) Group Write**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not write the file.

**(Bit 7) Group Read**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that the user may not read the file. If set to ONE, shall mean that the user may read the file.

**(Bit 8) Group Change Attribute**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not change any attributes of the file.

**(Bit 9) Group Delete**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not delete the file.

**(Bit 10) Owner Execute**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that the user may not execute the file. If set to ONE, shall mean that the user may execute the file.

**(Bit 11) Owner Write**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not write the file.

**(Bit 12) Owner Read**

If set to ZERO, shall mean that the user may not read the file. If set to ONE, shall mean that the user may read the file.

**(Bit 13) Owner Change Attribute**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not change any attributes of the file.

**(Bit 14) Owner Delete**

This bit shall be set to ZERO for DVD Read-Only disks, to indicate that the user may not delete the file.

**(Bit 15-31) Reserved**

All bits shall be set to ZERO.

**3.6 Extended Attribute**

An extended attribute shall specify an attribute type, an attribute subtype, and may specify attribute specific information associated with a file as specified in ECMA-167 4/9. All the extended attributes shall be recorded in one or more extended attributes spaces associated with that file.

An extended attributes space of a file is one of the following:

- The Extended Attributes field of the file's File Entry
- A file described by an ICB identified in the file's File Entry

In each case, an extended attributes space shall be recorded according to the schema shown in figure 10.

<Extended Attribute Header Descriptor>  
<Extended Attribute> 0+

**Figure 10: Extended Attributes Space Schema**

Extended attributes shall be recorded contiguously in three non-overlapping areas within an extended attributes space as follows:

- The first area, starting with the first byte after the Extended Attribute Header Descriptor, is reserved for the recording of attributes that have attribute types 1, 5, 6, and 12.

- The second area, starting at a byte specified in the Implementation Attributes Location field of the Extended Attribute Header Descriptor, is reserved for the recording of attribute types 2048 to 65535. Attribute types 2049 to 65535 inclusive are specified by the registration according to ISO/IEC 13800 as specified in ECMA-167 4/9.
- The third area, starting at a byte specified in the Application Attributes Location of the Extended Attribute Header Descriptor, is reserved for the recording of attribute types 65536 and above.

For DVD Read-Only disks, the Implementation Use Extended Attributes for Free Extended Attribute Space specified in 3.6.3 and Copyright Management Information specified in 3.6.4 shall be recorded in the Extended Attributes field of the File Entry.

### 3.6.1 Extended Attribute Header Descriptor

The Extended Attribute Header Descriptor shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 29.

**Table 29: Extended Attribute Header Descriptor**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=262)
16	4	Implementation Attributes Location	LB32
20	4	Application Attributes Location	LB32

#### (RBP 0) Descriptor Tag

The Tag Identifier field of this Descriptor Tag shall contain 262.

#### (RBP 16) Implementation Attributes Location

This field shall specify the start of the implementation use extended attributes as a byte offset from the start of an extended attributes space in which extended attributes of the current file shall be recorded. If the extended attributes of which types have 2048 to 65535 do not exist, then this field shall specify the end of the extended attributes space as specified in UDF 3.3.4.1.

#### (RBP 20) Application Attributes Location

This field shall specify the start of the application use extended attributes as a byte offset from the start of an extended attributes space in which extended attributes of the current file shall be recorded. If the extended attributes of with types have 65536 and above do not exist, then this field shall specify the end of the extended attributes space as specified in UDF 3.3.4.1.

### 3.6.2 Implementation Use Extended Attribute

An attribute type and an attribute subtype shall specify the type of an extended attribute. For the Free Extended Attribute space and the Copyright Management Information, the Implementation Use Extended Attribute that has attribute type 2048 and attribute subtype 1 shall be used.

The Implementation Use Extended Attribute shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 30.

**Table 30: Implementation Use Extended Attribute**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	4	Attribute Type	LB32 = 2048
4	1	Attribute Subtype	UInt8 = 1
5	3	Reserved	00h bytes
8	4	Attribute Length	LB32
12	4	Implementation Use Length (=IU_L)	LB32
16	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see UDF 2.1.5)
48	IU_L	Implementation Use (see 3.6.3 and 3.6.4)	bytes



**(RBP 0) Attribute Type**

This field shall be set to 2048.

**(RBP 4) Attribute Subtype**

This field shall be set to 1.

**(RBP 5) Reserved**

This field shall be reserved for future standardisation and shall be recorded as all 00h bytes.

**(RBP 8) Attribute Length**

This field shall specify the length of the entire extended attribute. As specified in UDF 3.3.4.5, for variable length extended attributes defined using the Implementation Use Extended Attribute, the Attribute Length field should be large enough to leave padding space between the end of the Implementation Use field and the end of the Implementation Use Extended Attribute.

**(RBP 12) Implementation Use Length**

This field shall specify the length of the Implementation Use field.

**(RBP 16) Implementation Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification of an implementation that can recognize and act upon the contents of the Implementation Use field.

**(RBP 48) Implementation Use**

For DVD Read-Only disks, for the Free Extended Attribute Space and the Copyright Management Information this field shall be specified in 3.6.3 and 3.6.4.

**3.6.3 Free Extended Attribute Space of Implementation Use field**

The Free Extended Attribute Space shall be specified in the Implementation Use Extended Attribute to indicate unused space within the extended attributes space as specified in UDF 3.3.4.5.1. The Implementation Identifier field of this Implementation Use Extended Attribute shall be set to:

"\*UDF FreeEASpace"

The Implementation Use field of this Implementation Use Extended Attribute shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 31.

**Table 31: Free Extended Attribute Space of Implementation Use field**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	2	Header Checksum	LB16
<b>2</b>	2	Free EA Space	bytes = 0 (for DVD Read-Only disk)

**(RBP 0) Header Checksum**

This field represents a 16-bit checksum of the Implementation Use Extended Attribute header as specified in UDF 3.3.4.5. The Attribute Type field through the Implementation Identifier field inclusively represents the data covered by the checksum. The header checksum field is used to aid disaster recovery of the extended attributes space.

**(RBP 2) Free EA Space**

This field shall be set to 0 for DVD Read-Only disks.

**3.6.4 Copyright Management Information of Implementation Use field**

The Copyright Management Information shall be specified in the Implementation Use Extended Attribute, which is recorded in the Extended Attributes field of the File Entry for each file. The Implementation Identifier field of the Implementation Use Extended Attribute shall be set to:

"\*UDF DVD CGMS Info"

The Implementation Use field of this Implementation Use Extended Attribute shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 32.

**Table 32: Copyright Management Information of Implementation Use field**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	2	Header Checksum	LB16
2	1	CGMS Information	byte
3	1	Data Structure Type	Uint8
4	4	Protection System Information	bytes

**(RBP 0) Header Checksum**

This field represents a 16-bit checksum of the Implementation Use Extended Attribute header as specified in UDF 3.3.4.5.

**(RBP 2) CGMS Information**

This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 33.

**Table 33: CGMS Information field**

Bit	Description	Contents
0-3	Reserved	ZEROs
4-5	CGMS	0, 1, 2, or 3
6	Reserved	ZERO
7	Copyrighted Material	ZERO or ONE

**(Bit 0-3) Reserved**

All bits shall be set to ZERO.

**(Bit 4-5) CGMS**

When the Copyrighted Material bit is set to ONE, the CGMS (Copyright Generation Management System) field shall be interpreted as a 2-bit unsigned binary number as follows:

- 3: No copying is permitted
- 2: One generation of copies may be made
- 1: Condition is not be used
- 0: Copying is permitted without restriction

When the Copyrighted Material bit is set to ZERO, this field shall be reserved.

**(Bit 6) Reserved**

This bit shall be set to ZERO.

**(Bit 7) Copyrighted Material**

ONE: This file contains Copyrighted Material (including Audio/Video Object data).

ZERO: This file contains no Copyrighted Material.

**(RBP 3) Data Structure Type**

This field shall be specified to identify the data structure of Protection System Information field. The type specified in this field shall be interpreted as shown in table 34.

**Table 34: Data Structure Interpretation**

Type	Interpretation
0	The Protection System Information field shall be defined as shown in table 35.
1-255	Reserved

**(RBP 4) Protection System Information**

This field shall be specified to identify the protection system for copyright management. For Data Structure Type 0, this field shall be defined as shown in table 35.

**Table 35: Protection System Information field for Data Structure Type 0**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Protection System Type	Uint8
1	3	Reserved	00h bytes

**(RBP 0) Protection System Type**

The value of this field is defined as follows:

0: This file has no specific data structure for protection system.

1: This file has a specific data structure for protection system 1.

All other values are reserved for future standardisation.

**(RBP 1) Reserved**

This field shall be recorded as all 00h bytes.

**3.7 ECMA-119 Directory Structure and Path Table**

A directory shall be recorded as a file containing a set of records each of which identifies a File Segment or another directory.

A Directory Record shall contain information to locate a File Segment, information to locate any Extended Attribute Record, the identification of the file, and certain attributes of the file and the File Segment.

The first or only Directory Record recorded in a logical sector shall begin at the first byte of the logical sector. Each subsequent Directory Record recorded in that logical sector shall begin at the byte immediately following the last byte of the preceding Directory Record in that logical sector. Each Directory Record shall end in the logical sector in which it begins. Unused byte positions after the last Directory Record in a logical sector shall be set to 00h.

A Path Table recorded on a volume shall contain a set of records describing a directory hierarchy. For each directory in the directory hierarchy other than the root directory, the Path Table shall contain a record which identifies the directory, its parent directory and its location. The records in a Path Table shall be numbered starting from 1. The first record in the Path Table shall identify the root directory and its location.

A Path Table shall be either a Type L Path Table or a Type M Path Table.

In a Type L Path Table, a numerical value shall be recorded according to LB16 if represented as a 16-bit number and according to LB32 if represented as a 32-bit number.

In a Type M Path Table, a numerical value shall be recorded according to MB16 if represented as a 16-bit number and according to MB32 if represented as a 32-bit number.

An example of the ECMA-119 Directory Structure and the Path Table is shown in table 36.

**Table 36: Example of ECMA-119 Directory Structure and Path Table**

<b>LSN</b>	<b>Contents</b>	
<b>257</b>	Type L Path Table Record for Root Directory Type L Path Table Record for AUDIO_TS Type L Path Table Record for VIDEO_TS	Type L Path Table
<b>258</b>	Type M Path Table Record for Root Directory Type M Path Table Record for AUDIO_TS Type M Path Table Record for VIDEO_TS	Type M Path Table
<b>259</b>	Directory Record for Root Directory (1st) Directory Record for Root Directory (2nd) Directory Record for AUDIO_TS Directory Record for VIDEO_TS	Directory Records of Root
<b>260</b>	Directory Record for VIDEO_TS Directory Record for Parent Directory Directory Record for VIDEO_TS.BUP Directory Record for VIDEO_TS.IFO Directory Record for VIDEO_TS.VOB Directory Record for VTS_01_0.BUP Directory Record for VTS_01_0.IFO Directory Record for VTS_01_0.VOB Directory Record for VTS_01_1.VOB Directory Record for VTS_01_2.VOB	Directory Records of VIDEO_TS
<b>261</b>	Directory Record for AUDIO_TS Directory Record for Parent Directory Directory Record for ATS_01_0.BUP Directory Record for ATS_01_0.IFO Directory Record for ATS_01_1.AOB Directory Record for AUDIO_TS.BUP Directory Record for AUDIO_TS.IFO	Directory Records of AUDIO_TS

### 3.7.1 Directory Record

A Directory Record shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 37.

**Table 37: Directory Record**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Length of Directory Record (=LEN_DR)	UInt8
<b>1</b>	1	Extended Attribute Record Length	UInt8
<b>2</b>	8	Location of Extent	BB32
<b>10</b>	8	Data Length	BB32
<b>18</b>	7	Recording Date and Time (see ECMA-119 Table 9)	numerical value
<b>25</b>	1	File Flags (see ECMA-119 Table 10)	8 bits
<b>26</b>	1	File Unit Size	UInt8
<b>27</b>	1	Interleave Gap Size	UInt8
<b>28</b>	4	Volume Sequence Number	BB16 = 1 (for DVD Read-Only disk)
<b>32</b>	1	Length of File Identifier (=LEN_FI)	UInt8
<b>33</b>	LEN_FI	File Identifier	d-characters, d1-characters, SEPARATOR 1, SEPARATOR 2, 00h or 01h byte
<b>a</b>	b	Padding	00h byte
<b>c</b>	d	System Use (see 3.7.2)	bytes

a=33+LEN\_FI

b = 0 if the Length of the File Identifier field is an odd number,

b = 1 if the Length of the File Identifier field is an even number.

c = a + b

d = LEN\_DR-c

**(RBP 0) Length of Directory record**

This field shall specify as an 8-bit number the length in byte of this Directory Record.

**(RBP 1) Extended Attribute Record Length**

This field shall contain an 8-bit number which specify the assigned Extended Attribute Record length if an Extended Attribute Record is recorded.

**(RBP 2) Location of Extent**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the logical sector number of the first logical sector allocated to the extent. For DVD Read-Only disks, the logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number.

**(RBP 10) Data Length**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the data length of the File Segment.

**(RBP 18) Recording Date and Time**

This field shall indicate the date and the time of the day at which the information in the extent described by the Directory Record was recorded. The format of this field is specified in ECMA-119 table 9.

**(RBP 25) File Flags**

This field shall specify certain characteristics of the file as specified in ECMA-119 table 10.

**(RBP 26) File Unit Size**

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This number shall specify the assigned file unit size for the File Segment if the File Segment is recorded in interleaved mode. Otherwise this field shall be set to 0.

**(RBP 27) Interleave Gap Size**

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This number shall specify the assigned Interleave Gap for the File Segment if the File Segment is recorded in interleaved mode. Otherwise this field shall be set to 0.

**(RBP 28) Volume Sequence Number**

This field shall specify as a 16-bit number the ordinal number of the volume in the volume set on which the extent described by this Directory Record is recorded. For DVD Read-Only disks, this field shall be set to 1.

**(RBP 32) Length of File Identifier**

This field shall specify as a 18-bit number the length in bytes of the File Identifier field of this Directory Record.

**(RBP 33) File Identifier**

This field shall specify an identification for the file or directory as specified in ECMA-119 9.1.11.

**(RBP a) Padding Field**

This field shall be present in the Directory Record only if the length of the File Identifier field is an even number. If present, this field shall be set to 00h byte.

**(RBP c) System Use**

The Copyright Management Information shall be recorded in the last 6 bytes of this field. If the remainder of this field present, the remainder shall be reserved for system use.

**3.7.2 Copyright Management Information of System Use field**

The Copyright Management Information shall be specified in the last 6 bytes of the System Use field of the Directory Record for each file and shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 38.

**Table 38: Copyright Management Information of System Use field**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	CGMS Information	byte
1	1	Data Structure Type	Uint8
2	4	Protection System Information	bytes

**(RBP 0) CGMS Information**

This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 39.

**Table 39: CGMS Information**

RBP	Description	Contents
0-3	Reserved	ZEROs
4-5	CGMS	0, 1, 2, or 3
6	Reserved	ZERO
7	Copyrighted Material	ZERO or ONE

**(Bit 0-3) Reserved**

All bits shall be set to ZERO.

**(Bit 4-5) CGMS**

When the Copyrighted Material bit is set to ONE, the CGMS (Copyright Generation Management System) field shall be interpreted as a 2-bit unsigned binary number as follows:

- 3: No copying is permitted
- 2: One generation of copies may be made
- 1: Condition is not be used
- 0: Copying is permitted without restriction

When the Copyrighted Material bit is set to ZERO, this field shall be reserved.

**(Bit 6) Reserved**

This bit shall be set to ZERO.

**(Bit 7) Copyrighted Material**

ONE: This file contains Copyrighted Material (including Audio/Video Object data).

ZERO: This file contains no Copyrighted Material.

**(RBP 1) Data Structure Type**

This field shall be specified to identify the data structure of Protection System Information field. The type specified in this field shall be interpreted as shown in table 40.

**Table 40: Data Structure Interpretation**

Type	Interpretation
0	The Protection System Information field shall be defined as shown in table 41.
1-255	Reserved

**(RBP 2) Protection System Information**

This field shall be specified to identify the protection system for copyright management. For Data Structure Type 0, this field shall be defined as shown in table 41.

**Table 41: Protection System Information field for Data Structure Type 0**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Protection System Type	Uin8
1	3	Reserved	00h bytes

**(RBP 0) Protection System Type**

The value of this field is defined as follows:

- 0: This file has no specific data structure for protection system.
- 1: This file has a specific data structure for protection system 1.

All other values are reserved for future standardisation.

**(RBP 1) Reserved**

This field shall be recorded as all 00h bytes.

**3.7.3 Path Table Record**

The Path Table Record shall be recorded in the format as shown in table 42.

**Table 42: Path Table Record**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Length of Directory Identifier (=LEN_DI)	UInt8
<b>1</b>	1	Extended Attribute Record Length	UInt8
<b>2</b>	4	Location of Extent	LB32 or MB32
<b>6</b>	2	Parent Directory Number	LB16 or MB16
<b>8</b>	LEN_DI	Directory Identifier	d-characters, d1-characters, 00h byte
<b>a</b>	b	Padding	00h byte

a=8+LEN\_DI

b = 0 if the Length of Directory Identifier field is an even number,

b = 1 if the Length of Directory Identifier field is an odd number.

**(RBP 0) Length of Directory Identifier**

This field shall specify as an 8-bit number the length in bytes of the Directory Identifier field of this Path Table Record.

**(RBP 1) Extended Attribute Record Length**

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This number shall specify the assigned Extended Attribute Record length if an Extended Attribute Record is recorded. Otherwise this field shall be set to 0.

**(RBP 2) Location of Extent**

This field shall specify as a 32-bit number the logical sector number of the first logical sector allocated to the extent in which the directory is recorded. For DVD Read-Only disks, the logical block number defined by ECMA-119 shall be equal to the logical sector number.

**(RBP 6) Parent Directory Number**

This field shall specify as a 16-bit number the record number in the Path Table for the parent directory of the directory.

**(RBP 8) Directory Identifier**

This field shall specify as identification for a directory.

**(RBP a) Padding**

This field shall be present in this Path Table Record only if the number in the Length of Directory Identifier field is an odd number. If present, this field shall be set to 00h byte.



**Annex A**  
(normative)

**Requirements for DVD-Video disk**

**A.1 General**

This Annex specifies requirements of parameter fields for volume and file structure on DVD-Video disks, which are defined in Part 3 VIDEO SPECIFICATIONS of DVD Specifications for Read-Only Disc. These requirements are defined to provide both for operating system independence and for a simple data structure.

**A.2 Entity Identifier of Implementation Identifier field**

The Entity ID, which is specified in the following descriptors, shall be recorded in the format as shown in table A.1:

- Implementation Identifier field of Primary Volume Descriptor
- Implementation ID field in Implementation Use field of Implementation Use Volume Descriptor
- Implementation Identifier field of Partition Descriptor
- Implementation Identifier field of Logical Volume Descriptor
- Implementation Identifier field of Logical Volume Integrity Descriptor
- Implementation Identifier field of File Entry

The Length of Implementation Use field in the File Identifier Descriptor shall be set to 0. Therefore the Implementation Use field which is specified as EntityID in the File Identifier Descriptor shall not be present.

**Table A.1 : Entity Identifier of Implementation Identifier field**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Flags	UInt8 = 0
<b>1</b>	23	Identifier	bytes = "*Developer ID" (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>24</b>	1	OS Class	UInt8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>25</b>	1	OS Identifier	UInt8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>26</b>	6	Implementation Use Area	bytes

**(RBP 1) Identifier**

This field shall be set to "\*Developer ID" which each authoring system developer shall register.

**(RBP 24) OS Class**

This field shall be set to 0, which means that OS is undefined.

**(RBP 25) OS Identifier**

This field shall be set to 0.

**(RBP 26) Implementation Use Area**

This field shall contain the implementation specific information including the Authoring Software Version of the authoring system developer.

### A.3 UDF Identifier Suffix

The UDF Identifier Suffix which is specified in UDF 2.1.5.3 is recorded in the Implementation Identifier field in the Implementation Use Volume Descriptor and the Identifier field of UDF Extended Attribute shall be recorded in the format as shown in table A.2.

**Table A.2: UDF Identifier Suffix**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	2	UDF Revision	LB16 = 0102h
<b>2</b>	1	OS Class	Uint8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>3</b>	1	OS Identifier	Uint8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>4</b>	4	Reserved	00h bytes

#### (RBP 2) OS Class

This field shall be set to 0, which means that OS is undefined.

#### (RBP 3) OS Identifier

This field shall be set to 0.

### A.4 Identifiers

The certain identifier shall be recorded in the following field. For example, the title name may be recorded.

- Volume Identifier field of Primary Volume Descriptor (UDF)
- Volume Set Identifier field of Primary Volume Descriptor (UDF)
- Logical Volume Identifier field in Implementation Use field of Implementation Use Volume Descriptor
- Logical Volume Identifier field of Logical Volume Descriptor
- Logical Volume Identifier field of File Set Descriptor
- File Set Identifier field of File Set Descriptor
- Volume Identifier field of Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)
- Volume Set Identifier field of Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)

### A.5 Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointer

Anchor Volume Descriptor Pointers shall be recorded in the specified logical sectors having the logical sector number 256 and the last logical sector number.

### A.6 Volume Set Identifier field in Primary Volume Descriptor

The Volume Set Identifier field in the Primary Volume Descriptor shall be recorded in the format as shown in table A.3.

**Table A.3: Volume Set Identifier field in Primary Volume Descriptor**

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Compression ID	UInt8 = 8
1	8	Time Value	bytes
9	8	Implementation Use	bytes
17	110	Allowed Value	bytes
127	1	Length of Characters	UInt8

**(RBP 0) Compression ID**

This field shall be set to 8 which specifies that characters of the Time Value field, the Implementation Use field and Allowed Value field shall be compressed as 8 bits per character.

**(RBP 1) Time Value**

This field shall specify character strings coded by ISO/IEC 646 of hexadecimal representation of a 32-bit time value. The 32-bit time format is defined in table A.4.

**Table A.4 : 32-bit time format for DVD-Video disk**

Bit	Length	Description	Contents
0-4	5bits	Seconds divided by 2	a number between 0 and 29 inclusive
5-10	6bits	Minute	a number between 0 and 59 inclusive
11-15	5bits	Hour	a number between 0 and 23 inclusive
16-20	5bits	Day	a number between 1 and 31 inclusive
21-24	4bits	Month	a number between 1 and 12 inclusive
25-31	7bits	Year	a number relative to 1980

For example, the date and time for 14:35:50 on November 28, 1995 has the decimal number 15:11:28:14:35:25 as Year : Month : Day : Hour : Minute : Seconds divided by 2 and the value of 32-bit time format is the binary number 0001111b: 1011b: 11100b: 01110b: 100011b: 11001b and also the hexadecimal number 1F7C7479h. Then the value of the Time Value field is 31h, 46h, 37h, 43h, 37h, 34h, 37h, 39h.

**(RBP 9) Implementation Use**

This field is used for information use freely.

**(RBP 17) Allowed Value**

This field shall specify an identification of the volume set as any allowed value.

**(RBP 127) Length of Characters**

This field shall be set to the number of bytes used to record the characters in this Volume Set Identifier field.

**A.7 Logical Volume Integrity Sequence**

A Logical Volume Integrity Sequence shall be terminated by a Terminating Descriptor.

## A.8 Logical Volume Header Descriptor of Logical Volume Contents Use field

Table A.5: Logical Volume Header Descriptor of Logical Volume Contents Use field

RBP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	8	Unique ID	LB64 < 2 <sup>31</sup> -1 (for DVD-Video disk)
8	24	Reserved	00h bytes

### (RBP 0) Unique ID

This field shall specify a value that is greater than the value of the Unique ID field in any File Entry recorded on the associated logical volume. Implementations shall keep this value less than 2<sup>31</sup>-1.

## A.9 File Set Descriptor Sequence

The File Set Descriptor Sequence shall be terminated by a Terminating Descriptor.

## A.10 File Entry

Each specific file and each directory shall be recorded in only a single extent. This requirement is applied for the specific files, which are defined in Part 3 VIDEO SPECIFICATIONS including the Jacket Picture Format, the root directory and the directories for retrieving the specific file.

Table A.6: File Entry

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	16	Descriptor Tag	tag (Tag Identifier=261)
16	20	ICB Tag	icbtag (see A.11 for DVD-Video disk)
36	4	Uid	LB32
40	4	Gid	LB32
44	4	Permissions	LB32
48	2	File Link Count	LB16
50	1	Recorded Format	UInt8 = 0
51	1	Recorded Display Attributes	UInt8 = 0
52	4	Record Length	LB32 = 0
56	8	Information Length	LB64
64	8	Logical Blocks Recorded	LB64
72	12	Access Time	timestamp
84	12	Modification Time	timestamp
96	12	Attribute Time	timestamp
108	4	Checkpoint	LB32 = 1
112	16	Extended Attribute ICB	long_ad
128	32	Implementation Identifier	EntityID (see A.2 for DVD-Video disk)
160	8	Unique Id	LB64
168	4	Length of Extended Attributes (=L_EA)	LB32
172	4	Length of Allocation Descriptors	LB32 = 8 (for DVD-Video disk)
176	L-EA	Extended Attributes	bytes
a	8	Allocation Descriptors	bytes

a = L\_EA + 176

**(BP 16) ICB Tag**

The ICB Tag field is specified in A.11 ICB Tag.

**(BP 128) Implementation Identifier**

The Implementation Identifier field is specified in A.2 EntityID for Implementation Identifier.

**(BP 172) Length of Allocation Descriptors**

This field shall be set to 8. It means that only one Short Allocation Descriptor shall be recorded in the Allocation Descriptors field.

**(BP 176) Allocation Descriptors**

A Short Allocation descriptor shall be recorded in this field.

**A.11 ICB Tag**

Each specific file and each directory shall be recorded with the ICB strategy type 4. The ICB Tag shall be recorded in the format as shown in table A.7. This requirement is applied for the specific files, which are defined in Part 3 VIDEO SPECIFICATIONS including the Jacket Picture Format, the root directory and the directories for retrieving the specific file.

**Table A.7: ICB Tag**

<b>BP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	4	Prior Recorded Number of Direct Entries	LB32 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>4</b>	2	Strategy Type	LB16 = 4 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>6</b>	2	Strategy Parameter	LB16 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>8</b>	2	Maximum Number of Entries	LB16 = 1 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>10</b>	1	Reserved	00h byte
<b>11</b>	1	File Type	Uin8
<b>12</b>	6	Parent ICB Location	lb_addr = all 0's (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>18</b>	2	Flags (see A.12)	LB16

**(RBP 0) Prior recorded Number of Direct Entries**

This field shall be set to 0, because the ICB hierarchy shall consist of a single ICB.

**(RBP 4) Strategy Type**

This field shall be set to 4.

**(RBP 6) Strategy Parameter**

This field shall be set to 0.

**(RBP 8)Maximum Number of Entries**

This field shall be set to 1.

**(RBP 12) Parent ICB Location**

This field shall be set to all 0's, as there shall be no parent ICB.

**(RBP 18) Flags**

This field shall be recorded in the format as shown in table A.8.

## A.12 Flags field in ICB Tag

Table A.8: Flags field in ICB Tag

Bit	Description	Contents
0-2	Type of Allocation Descriptor	0 : Short Allocation Descriptor
3	Directory Sort	ZERO : unsorted
4	Non-relocatable	ONE : Non-relocatable (for DVD-Video disk)
5	Archive	ZERO or ONE
6	Setuid	ZERO or ONE
7	Setgid	ZERO or ONE
8	Sticky	ZERO or ONE
9	Contiguous	ONE : Contiguous (for DVD-Video disk)
10	System	ZERO or ONE
11	Transformed	ZERO : not transformed
12	Multi-versions	ZERO : not Multi-versions
13-15	Reserved	ZEROs

### (Bit 4) Non-relocatable

This bit shall be set to ONE in order to guarantee the characteristic performance of these systems.

### (Bit 9) Contiguous

This bit shall be set to ONE in order to guarantee the characteristic performance of these systems.

## A.13 Copyright Management Information

The identical values of the CGMS Information field in the Copyright Management Information shall be recorded in UDF and ECMA-119 file structure in which every files compose a Video Manager or a Video Title Set.

## A.14 Boot Descriptor

No Boot Descriptor and no Boot Record shall be recorded in the UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence.

## A.15 CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set

A CD-ROM Volume Descriptor Set Sequence shall contain one Primary Volume Descriptor and one Volume Descriptor Set Terminator, and may have one Supplementary Volume Descriptor. The Primary Volume Descriptor shall be located at the logical sector number 16.

## A.16 Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)

**Table A9: Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)**

BP	Length	Field Name	Contents
0	1	Volume Descriptor Type	UInt8 = 1
1	5	Standard Identifier	bytes = "CD001"
6	1	Volume Descriptor Version	UInt8 = 1
7	1	Unused Field	00h byte
8	32	System Identifier	20h bytes (for DVD-Video disk)
40	32	Volume Identifier	d-characters
72	8	Unused Field	00h bytes
80	8	Volume Space Size	BB32
88	32	Unused Field	00h bytes
120	4	Volume Set Size	BB16 = 1
124	4	Volume Sequence Number	BB16 = 1
128	4	Logical Block Size	BB16 = 2048
132	8	Path Table Size	BB32
140	4	Location of Occurrence of Type L Path Table	LB32
144	4	Location of Optional Occurrence of Type L Path Table	LB32
148	4	Location of Occurrence of Type M Path Table	MB32
152	4	Location of Optional Occurrence of Type M Path Table	MB32
156	34	Directory Record for Root Directory (see A.17)	bytes
190	128	Volume Set Identifier	d-characters
318	128	Publisher Identifier	a-characters
446	128	Data Preparer Identifier	a-characters
574	128	Application Identifier	a-characters
702	37	Copyright File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1, SEPARATOR 2
739	37	Abstract File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1, SEPARATOR 2
776	37	Bibliographic File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1, SEPARATOR 2
813	17	Volume Creation Date and Time	Digit(s)
830	17	Volume Modification Date and Time	Digit(s)
847	17	Volume Expiration Date and Time	Digit(s)
864	17	Volume Effective Date and Time	Digit(s)
881	1	File Structure Version	UInt8 = 1
882	1	Reserved	00h byte
883	512	Application Use	not specified
1395	653	Reserved	00h bytes

### (BP 8) System Identifier

This field shall be set to all 20h bytes.

## A.17 Directory Record

**Table A.10: Directory Record**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Length of Directory Record (=LEN_DR)	UInt8
<b>1</b>	1	Extended Attribute Record Length	UInt8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>2</b>	8	Location of Extent	BB32
<b>10</b>	8	Data Length	BB32
<b>18</b>	7	Recording Date and Time	numerical value
<b>25</b>	1	File Flags	8 bits
<b>26</b>	1	File Unit Size	UInt8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>27</b>	1	Interleave Gap Size	UInt8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>28</b>	4	Volume Sequence Number	BB16 = 1
<b>32</b>	1	Length of File Identifier (=LEN_FI)	UInt8
<b>33</b>	LEN_FI	File Identifier	d-characters, SEPARATOR 1, SEPARATOR 2, 00h or 01h byte
<b>a</b>	b	Padding	00h byte
<b>c</b>	6	System Use	bytes

a = 33 + LEN\_FI

b = 0 if the Length of the File Identifier field is an even number,

b = 1 if the Length of the File Identifier field is an odd number.

c = a + b

### (RBP 1) Extended Attribute Record Length

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This field shall be set to 0, which means that no Extended Attribute Record is recorded.

### (RBP 26) File Unit size

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This field shall be set to 0, which means that the file section is recorded in non-interleaved mode.

### (RBP 27) Interleave Gap Size

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This field shall be set to 0, which means that the file section is recorded in non-interleaved mode.

### (RBP c) System Use

The Copyright Management Information shall be recorded in this 6-byte field.



## A.18 Path Table Record

**Table A.11 : Path Table Record**

<b>RBP</b>	<b>length</b>	<b>Field Name</b>	<b>Contents</b>
<b>0</b>	1	Length of Directory Identifier (=LEN_DI)	UInt8
<b>1</b>	1	Extended Attribute Record Length	UInt8 = 0 (for DVD-Video disk)
<b>2</b>	4	Location of Extent	LB32 or MB32
<b>6</b>	2	Parent Directory Number	LB16 or MB16
<b>8</b>	LEN_DI	Directory Identifier	d-characters, 00h byte
<b>a</b>	b	Padding	00h byte

a = 8 + LEN\_DI

b = 0 if the Length of Directory Identifier field is an even number,

b = 1 if the Length of Directory Identifier field is an odd number.

### (RBP 1) Extended Attribute Record Length

This field shall contain an 8-bit number. This field shall be set to 0 which means that no Extended Attribute Record is recorded.

## A.19 Directory and File names

The following requirements for files and directories shall be adhered to by DVD-Video disk implementations.

A directory named "VIDEO\_TS" shall be a subdirectory of the root directory.

A Video Manager Information, a Video Object Set for Video Manager Menu, a Video Manager Information for backup, a Video Title Set Information, a Video Object Set for Video Title Set Menu, and a Video Title Set Information for backup shall be recorded each in a data space of a component file of the VIDEO\_TS directory.

A Video Object Set for Titles with a size of 1GB (=2<sup>30</sup>bytes) or greater should be divided into multiple files (up to 9 files) such that the size of each file shall be less than 1GB (=2<sup>30</sup>bytes). These files shall be component files of the VIDEO\_TS directory. Allocation of these component files within a Video Object Set for Titles shall be such that each file is contiguously allocated.

The file name and directory name shall be applied according to the following rules:

### 1) Directory Name

- The fixed directory name for DVD-Video shall be "VIDEO\_TS".

### 2. File Name for Video Manager (VMG)

- The fixed file name for Video Manager Information shall be "VIDEO\_TS.IFO".
- The fixed file name for Video Object Set for VMG Menu shall be "VIDEO\_TS.VOB".
- The fixed file name for Video Manager Information for backup shall be "VIDEO\_TS.BUP".

### 3. File Name for Video Title Set (VTS)

- The file name for Video Title Set Information shall be "VTS\_@@\_0.IFO".
- The file name for Video Object Set for VTS Menu shall be "VTS\_@@\_0.VOB".
- The file name for Video Object Set for Title shall be "VTS\_@@\_#.VOB".
- The file name for Video Title Set Information for backup shall be "VTS\_@@\_0.BUP".
- "@@" shall be two characters of "01" - "99" to be assigned to the files of the Video Title Set number.

- "#" is assigned consecutively in the ascending order from 1 to 9 for each Video Object Set for Title.

#### **4. Compression ID in OSTA Compressed Unicode format**

- The Compression ID which is recorded in the File Identifier field of the File Identifier Descriptor shall be set to 8.
- For example, the File Identifier of VIDEO\_TS directory shall be recorded as 08h + "VIDEO\_TS" in the File Identifier field and length of this File Identifier shall be 9.

## **Annex B**

### **(informative)**

#### **How to Read UDF Volume and File Structure**

It is recommended that DVD-Video Player uses UDF File System, because of the expected shift from ECMA-119 to UDF based File System. An example of how to read a VIDEO\_TS.IFO on a DVD-Video disk is described as follows:

##### **PROCEDURE 1. Volume Recognition Sequence**

- A volume recognition area shall start logical sector 16.
- Find a NSR Descriptor in which the Standard Identifier field shall contain "NSR02".

##### **PROCEDURE 2. Anchor Point**

- Read the first Anchor Point located at logical sector 256 which specifies the location of a Main Volume Descriptor Sequence.
- If the first Anchor Point couldn't be read, read the second Anchor Point located at Last LSN.

##### **PROCEDURE 3. Volume Descriptor Sequence**

- Read the Main Volume Descriptor Sequence, if this sequence couldn't be read, a Reserve Volume Descriptor Sequence should be read.
- Find the location of a File Set Descriptor which is specified in a Logical Volume Descriptor of the sequence.
- Find the partition starting location which is specified in a Partition Descriptor of the sequence.

##### **PROCEDURE 4. File Set Descriptor**

- Read the File Set Descriptor and find the location and length of a File Entry describing a root directory.

##### **PROCEDURE 5. Root Directory File Entry**

- Read the root directory File Entry and find the attributes and location of the root directory.

##### **PROCEDURE 6. Root Directory**

- Read the root directory which is consist of File Identifier Descriptors.
- Find the File Identifier Descriptor in which a File Identifier field identifies VIDEO\_TS and a File Characteristics field specifies that the file is a directory.
- Read the File Identifier Descriptor and find the location of a File Entry describing the VIDEO\_TS directory.

##### **PROCEDURE 7. File Entry of VIDEO\_TS**

- Read the File Entry of the VIDEO\_TS directory and find the location and length of the VIDEO\_TS directory.

##### **PROCEDURE 8. VIDEO\_TS directory**

- Read the VIDEO\_TS directory, which consists of File Identifier Descriptors.
- Find the File Identifier Descriptor in which a File Identifier field identifies VIDEO\_TS.IFO and a File Characteristics field specifies that the file is not a directory.
- Read the File Identifier Descriptor and find the location of a File Entry describing the VIDEO\_TS.IFO file.

**PROCEDURE 9. File Entry of VIDEO\_TS.IFO**

- Read the File Entry of the VIDEO\_TS.IFO file and find the location of the VIDEO\_TS.IFO file.

**Annex C**  
**(informative)**

**UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence with Boot Record**

When an ECMA-119 (ISO 9660) Boot Record is used, this Boot Record shall be located in a specific logical sector with logical sector number 17 as shown in table C.1.

**Table C.1: Example of UDF Bridge Volume Recognition Sequence with Boot Record**

<b>LSN</b>	<b>Descriptors</b>
<b>16</b>	Primary Volume Descriptor (ECMA-119)
<b>17</b>	Boot Record (ECMA-119)
<b>18</b>	Volume Descriptor Set Terminator
<b>19</b>	Beginning Extended Area Descriptor
<b>20</b>	NSR Descriptor
<b>21</b>	Terminating Extended Area Descriptor



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