

# XML Update

**XML Update** is the means to update a part of object configuration en masse by XML files.

**XML instruction** defines which part of object configuration will be changed.

**XML filter** decides which objects will be changed.

XML Update can be started:

- in D2000 CNF select the item **Objects \ XML Update** from the main menu, it opens a standard dialog box to select the files - **XML instructions**, whereas **XML filters** will be searched in the same folder
- from process **D2000 Event Handler** by ESL function **%XML\_UpdateObjects**

If XML Update runs on the client process and **XML Repository** is in active status or **Automatic XML Export after object save** is checked off the export will be transferred to directory intended for an automatic export.

The setting of **import parameters** influences a result of **XML Update**:

Parameter	Update form client process	ESL function
<b>DB_ASYNC</b>	OFF	ON or set
<b>UID_STRICT</b>	ON	ON or set
<b>UID_USEXML</b>	OFF	OFF or set
<b>IGNR_CHECK</b>	OFF	OFF or set
<b>UPD_VARS</b>	ON	ON or set
<b>GROUP_ADD</b>	ON	ON or set

**Note:**

If **UID\_STRICT=OFF** or **UID\_USEXML=ON** is not important at XML Update because the objects from configuration have been already changed according to a filter. The object name or UID is not changed.



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