

# UriPattern

## <uri-pattern>

### Purpose/Function

Describes a pattern to match when qualifying paths from a listing operation. Follows the [Ant](#) pattern conventions:

\* = any character up to the first path-separator

\*\* = all characters, including path-separators

### Attributes

NAME	TYPE	DEFAULT VALUE	DESCRIPTION
base	java.net.URI	(required)	the base URI for the listing; if there are includes or excludes, this should be a directory; see further <a href="#">supported schemes</a>
defaultexcludes	java.lang.Boolean	null	use the default exclude patterns (see below)
caseSensitive	java.lang.Boolean	null	matching should observe case

### Elements

TAG	TYPE	COUNT	DESCRIPTION
<include>	java.lang.String	0:N	if path matches this pattern, include it
<exclude>	java.lang.String	0:N	if path matches this pattern, exclude it
<includes>	java.util.List	0:1	list of patterns for inclusion (usually not used; multiple <include> elements is more common)
<excludes>	java.util.List	0:1	list of patterns for exclusion (usually not used; multiple <exclude> elements is more common)

### NOTES

The default exclusion patterns are:

```
// Miscellaneous typical temporary files
"**/*~", "**/#*#", "**/.#*", "**/%*%", "**/._*",

// CVS
"**/CVS", "**/CVS/**", "**/.cvsignore",

// SCCS
"**/SCCS", "**/SCCS/**",

// Visual SourceSafe
"**/vssver.scc",

// Subversion
"**/.svn", "**/.svn/**",

// Mac
"**/.DS_Store"
```

### Examples

```
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi/file.txt"/> <!-- just a single file -->
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi">
    <include>file.text</include>           <!-- equivalent to previous example -->
</uri-pattern>
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi">
    <include>docs/*</include>            <!-- all files and directory names in the docs directory, but
nothing deeper -->
</uri-pattern>
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi">
    <include>docs/**</include>          <!-- the entire docs directory -->
</uri-pattern>
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi">
    <include>*/doc/**</include>        <!-- everything in all doc directories one level down -->
</uri-pattern>
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi">
    <include>**/doc/**</include>       <!-- everything in all doc directories anywhere -->
</uri-pattern>
<uri-pattern base="file:/home/arossi">
    <include>**</include>
    <exclude>**properties**</exclude>   <!-- everything except files or directories containing 'properties'
in its name -->
</uri-pattern>
```