

# M stage (UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 7th ed) code X[XX]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	403722
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 07/12/2011
<b>Definition:</b>	The UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours code set representing the absence or presence of distant metastasis.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	X[XX]	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	3	
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
	997	Not applicable
	998	Unknown
	999	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Valid M codes from the current edition of the UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours.  Refer to the TNM Supplement: A commentary on uniform use, 3rd Edition for coding rules.
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Reference documents:</b>	Wittekind C et al (Editors) 2003. International Union Against Cancer (UICC): TNM supplement: A commentary on uniform use, 3rd edition. Wiley-Blackwell.
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## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Supersedes <a href="#">M stage (UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 6th edn) code XX</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 07/12/2011  Has been superseded by <a href="#">M stage (UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 8th ed) code X[XX]</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Recorded 14/06/2023
<b>Data elements implementing this value domain:</b>	<a href="#">Person with cancer—distant metastasis status, M stage (UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 7th ed) code X[XX]</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 07/12/2011

## Classification scheme attributes

**Classification scheme:** [International Union against Cancer \(UICC\) TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours 7th edition](#)

**METEOR identifier:** 403583

**Definition:** The International Union Against Cancer classification for malignant tumours.

**Registration status:** [Health](#), Superseded 16/01/2020

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## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Cancer Australia.

**Reference documents:** Sobin LH, Gospodarowicz M, Wittekind C, (editors), International Union Against Cancer (UICC). TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours. 7th ed. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell; 2010.