

# Dwelling—age, housing assistance total years N[NN]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Age of dwelling
Synonymous names:	Age of dwelling
METEOR identifier:	270143
Registration status:	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Superseded 10/02/2006
Definition:	The age of a dwelling in whole years

## Data element concept attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	<a href="#">Dwelling—age</a>
METEOR identifier:	269599
Registration status:	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 01/03/2005
Definition:	The age of a dwelling.
Context:	For maintenance reasons and stock management.
Object class:	<a href="#">Dwelling</a>
Property:	<a href="#">Age</a>

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Housing Data Development Committee
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## Value domain attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	<a href="#">Housing assistance total years N[NN]</a>
METEOR identifier:	270724
Registration status:	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Superseded 10/02/2006
Definition:	The total number of years.

### Representational attributes

Representation class:	Total
Data type:	String
Format:	N[NN]
Maximum character length:	3

	Value	Meaning
Supplementary values:	000	Less than one year
	998	Relevant data not available from the jurisdiction
	999	Unknown

Unit of measure: Year

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** Record the age in single years (if aged under one year, record as 000).  
  
Dwelling age is calculated using the date on which construction was completed, regardless of when it was purchased or occupied.  
  
If year of construction is known (but the full date is not) use the date 01/01 of the construction year to estimate age.  
  
If age (or date of construction) is unknown or not stated, and cannot be estimated, use code 999.

**Collection methods:** This metadata item can be derived from Dwelling—construction completion date, DDMMYYYY.

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Has been superseded by [Dwelling—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Retired 01/05/2013  
  
Is formed using [Dwelling—construction completion date, DDMMYYYY](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Retired 01/05/2013