Income unit type code N{.N}



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 270720

Registration status: Housing assistance, Standard 01/03/2005

Definition: A code set representing the type of an income unit.

Representational attributes

Representation class:CodeData type:NumberFormat:N{.N}

Maximum character length: 2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Family
	1.1	Single with child/children aged under 16
	1.2	Couple (only)
	1.3	Couple with child/children aged under 16
	2	Single (lone person)
Supplementary values:	9	Not available, not known

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Each income unit must include at least one person aged 16 years or older. Children

aged 16 and over are considered separate income units and should be coded as

2. There may be more than one income unit per household.

Comments: It should be noted that the reference to *dependent child* in this context is guided by

the following definition: a dependent child is any person aged under 16 years

regardless of relationship with the adult.

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value

domain:

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