Lung cancer surgical margin qualifier code N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 433048 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 08/05/2014 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the surgical margin closest to the invasive or in situ lung carcinoma. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[N] |
| Maximum character length: | 2 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Bronchial |
|   | 2 | Mediastinal |
|   | 3 | Vascular  |
|   | 4 | Parenchymal  |
|   | 5 | Parietal pleural  |
|   | 6 | Chest wall  |
|   | 88 | Other |
| Supplementary values: | 97 | Not applicable-surgery was not performed |
|   | 98 | Unknown whether margin involvement was present |
|   | 99  | Margin involvement present but not qualified  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | Record the code number for the surgical margin closest to the invasive or in situ carcinoma. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Cancer Australia |
| Reference documents: | College of American Pathologists (CAP) 2009. Protocol for the examination of specimens from patients with primary non-small cell carcinoma, small cell carcinoma, or carcinoid tumour of the lung. Viewed 7 June 2011,<http://www.cap.org/apps/docs/committees/cancer/cancer_protocols/2011/Lung_11protocol.pdf> |

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| Relational attributes  |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Cancer treatment—lung cancer surgical margin qualifier, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/433052)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 08/05/2014 |