# **Date YYYYMMDD**



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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

**METEOR** identifier: 601340

Registration status: Commonwealth Department of Health, Recorded 21/10/2016

**Definition:** The day of a particular month and year, in 'year-first' format.

## Representational attributes

Representation class: Date

Data type: Date/Time YYYYMMDD Format:

Maximum character length: 8

## Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This date format allows for easy numeric sorting of dates, e.g. the date '9 June

2015' would be represented as 20150609, whereas the date '10 June 2015' would

be represented as 20150610.

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health

#### Relational attributes

**Data elements** 

implementing this value domain:

Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) prescription—record extract date,

**YYYYMMDD** 

Commonwealth Department of Health, Recorded 21/10/2016

Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) prescription—record run date,

YYYYMMDD

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