

# Australian state/territory code AA[A]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	639220
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired)</a> , Standard 20/06/2018
<b>Definition:</b>	A code set representing Australian states and territories.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	AA[A]
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	3

	Value	Meaning
<b>Permissible values:</b>	ACT	Australian Capital Territory
	NSW	New South Wales
	NT	Northern Territory
	QLD	Queensland
	SA	South Australia
	TAS	Tasmania
	VIC	Victoria
	WA	Western Australia
	EXT	Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)
	IOB	International Operations Branch

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	The order presented here is that used by the Australian Government Department of Social Services. Other organisations (including the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) publish data in state order based on population (that is, Western Australia before South Australia and Australian Capital Territory before Northern Territory).
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Government Department of Social Services
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## Relational attributes

<b>Data elements implementing this value domain:</b>	<a href="#">Person—area of usual residence, Australian state/territory code AA[A]</a> <a href="#">Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired)</a> , Standard 20/06/2018
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