

# Dwelling

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Object Class
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	662863
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<b>Definition:</b>	A structure or a discrete space within a structure intended for people to live in or where a person or group of people live.
<b>Context:</b>	Dwellings are the main statistical unit in the housing sector. Information on the number of occupied dwellings and tenantable and untenable vacancies in a dwelling is collected by housing providers for planning purposes. Dwellings may be owned, managed, and/or made available for use by a specific program, including head-leased stock from <a href="#">private</a> and <a href="#">government</a> sources. Dwellings include <a href="#">boarding house buildings</a> and <a href="#">boarding house units</a> .

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	<p>A structure that people actually live in is a dwelling regardless of its intended purpose, but a vacant structure is only a dwelling if intended for human residence. A dwelling may include one or more rooms used as an office or workshop provided the dwelling is in residential use.</p> <p><a href="#">Boarding house rooms</a> or beds are not identified as separate dwellings unless they are self-contained. Self-contained rooms are therefore defined as units and are counted as a separate dwelling.</p> <p>For the public rental housing and state owned and managed Indigenous housing data collections, the number of tenancy (rental) units is used as a proxy for counting the number of dwellings.</p>
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Origin:</b>	ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics) 2011. Census Dictionary, 2011. ABS cat. no. 2901.0. Canberra: ABS. Viewed 9 February 2017, <a href="http://www.abs.gov.au">http://www.abs.gov.au</a>

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Supersedes <a href="#">Dwelling</a> <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 01/03/2005 <a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Superseded 30/08/2017
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**Data Element Concepts  
implementing this Object  
Class:**

<a href="#">Dwelling—Australian state/territory identifier</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—boarding house accommodation type</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—date occupied</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—date vacated</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—geographic remoteness</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Superseded 10/05/2019
<a href="#">Dwelling—geographic remoteness</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 10/05/2019
<a href="#">Dwelling—household occupancy indicator</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—housing program type</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—major redevelopment indicator</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of bedrooms</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of days vacant</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of households</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of occupants</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of tenancies</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of tenancies at full capacity</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of tenantable vacancies</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—number of untenable vacancies</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—permanency status</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—structure type</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—tenancy management status</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—tenancy rental unit identifier</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—tenantability indicator</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—vacancy end date</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—vacancy reason</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—vacancy start date</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<a href="#">Dwelling—weekly market rent value</a>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017