

Dwelling—Australian state/territory identifier, code N

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Dwelling—Australian state/territory identifier, code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Dwelling Australian state/territory identifier
METEOR identifier:	669387
Registration status:	Housing assistance , Standard 30/08/2017
Definition:	The Australian state or territory where a dwelling can be located, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Dwelling—Australian state/territory identifier
METEOR identifier:	662889
Registration status:	Housing assistance , Standard 30/08/2017
Definition:	The Australian state or territory where a dwelling is located.
Object class:	Dwelling
Property:	Australian state/territory identifier

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Australian state/territory code N
METEOR identifier:	304682
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 03/08/2005 Housing assistance , Standard 03/08/2005 Early Childhood , Standard 21/05/2010 Homelessness , Standard 01/05/2013 Health , Superseded 20/11/2019 Indigenous , Superseded 14/07/2021 Children and Families , Superseded 03/11/2021 Youth Justice , Qualified 22/12/2022
Definition:	The code set representing Australian states and territories.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning

Permissible values:	1	New South Wales
	2	Victoria
	3	Queensland
	4	South Australia
	5	Western Australia
	6	Tasmania
	7	Northern Territory
	8	Australian Capital Territory
	9	Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The order presented here is the standard for the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS). 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).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Australian Bureau of Statistics. [Australian Standard Geographical Classification \(ASGC\). Cat No. 1216.0](#). Canberra: ABS.

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [Dwelling—Australian state/territory identifier, code N Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017
See also [Dwelling—Australian postcode code \(Postcode datafile\) {NNNN} Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Dwelling \(housing assistance\) cluster](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 19/12/2017

DSS specific information:

Code 9 'Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)' is not used by this data set.

[Dwelling \(housing assistance\) cluster](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Standard 19/12/2017

DSS specific information:

Code 9 'Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)' is not used by this data set.

[Dwelling file cluster \(Mainstream community housing\)](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017

DSS specific information:

This DSS uses abbreviated state and territory names (e.g. NSW, Vic etc.), rather than code values. It does not collect Code 9 'Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)'.

[Dwelling history \(housing assistance\) cluster](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017

DSS specific information:

Code 9 'Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)' is not used by this data set.

[Public Housing and State Owned and Managed Indigenous housing \(PH & SOMIH\) DSS 2018-](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Standard 10/05/2019

Implementation start date: 01/07/2018

DSS specific information:

This metadata item is collected 6 times, once in each of the dwelling, dwelling history, household, person, person income and waitlist files.

Code 9 (other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)) is not used by this collection.