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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 403722 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 07/12/2011 |
| Definition: | The UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours code set representing the absence or presence of distant metastasis. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Classification scheme: | [International Union against Cancer (UICC) TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours 7th edition](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/403583) | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | X[XX] | |
| Maximum character length: | 3 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Supplementary values: | 997 | Not applicable |
|  | 998 | Unknown |
|  | 999 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Valid M codes from the current edition of the UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours.  Refer to the TNM Supplement: A commentary on uniform use, 3rd Edition for coding rules. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Reference documents: | Wittekind C et al (Editors) 2003. International Union Against Cancer (UICC): TNM supplement: A commentary on uniform use, 3rd edition. Wiley-Blackwell. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [M stage (UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 6th edn) code XX](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/341289)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/12/2011 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person with cancer—distant metastasis status, M stage (UICC TNM Classification of Malignant Tumours, 7th ed) code X[XX]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/403720)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 07/12/2011 |