

Statistical area level 1 (SA1) code (ASGS 2011) N(11)

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Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 455781 |
| Registration status: | Community Services (retired) , Standard 06/12/2011 Health! , Superseded 06/12/2016 Early Childhood , Superseded 24/07/2018 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the smallest unit for the release of Census data. |
| Context: | For the 2011 Edition of the Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS), Statistical area level 1 (SA1) closely reflect local government area (LGA) boundaries. |

Representational attributes

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| Classification scheme: | Australian Statistical Geography Standard 2011 |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | N(11) |
| Maximum character length: | 11 |

Collection and usage attributes

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| Guide for use: | SA1 coding structure: SA1s are identified by an 11-digit fully hierarchical code. The SA1 identifier is a 2-digit code, assigned within an SA2. |
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| State/territory | SA4 | SA3 | SA2 | SA1 |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| N | NN | NN | NNNN | NN |

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| Comments: | There are approximately 55,000 SA1s. In aggregate, they cover the whole of Australia without gaps or overlaps. |
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Source and reference attributes

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| Origin: | 1270.0.55.001 - Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS): Volume 1 - Main Structure and Greater Capital City Statistical Areas, July 2011 http://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/DetailsPage/1270.0.55.001July%202011?OpenDocument |
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Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by Statistical area level 1 (SA1) code (ASGS 2016) N(11) Early Childhood , Standard 24/07/2018 Health! , Superseded 20/10/2021 |
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**Data elements
implementing this value
domain:**

[Address—statistical area, level 1 \(SA1\) code \(ASGS 2011\) N\(11\)](#)

[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 06/12/2011

[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 24/07/2018

[Health!](#), Superseded 06/12/2016

[Person—area of usual residence, statistical area level 1 \(SA1\) code \(ASGS 2011\)
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[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 24/07/2018

[Health!](#), Superseded 06/12/2016