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Identifying and definitional attributes

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	Health!, Superseded 06/12/2016
	Early Childhood, Superseded 24/07/2018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

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

Collection and usage attributes

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.

State/territory	SA4	SA3	SA2	SA1
N	NN	NN	NNNN	NN

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

Source and reference attributes

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

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Statistical area level 1 (SA1) code (ASGS 2016) N(11)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	Health!, Superseded 20/10/2021

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[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 24/07/2018
[Health!](#), Superseded 06/12/2016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) N(11)](#)
[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 24/07/2018
[Health!](#), Superseded 06/12/2016