



### DATA FILE SPECIFICATIONS

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FIELD #	FIELD NAME	DATA TYPE	FIELD DESCRIPTION
1	ZIP_CODE	NCHAR(5)	The ZIP Code of the city designated by the USPS.
2	CITY	VARCHAR(35)	The name of the city designated by the USPS.
3	STATE	CHAR(2)	The two-letter abbreviation for the state to that particular ZIP code.
4	AREA_CODE	VARCHAR(40)	The telephone area code belonging to the particular ZIP code is located.
5	CITY_ALIAS_NAME	VARCHAR(35)	The alias name for the ZIP Code. This may be a city name, postal entity, community or a municipality name.
6	CITY_ALIAS_ABBR	VARCHAR(13)	This is a standard 13-character abbreviation for city alias name. This field is empty if names are less or equal to 13-character.
7	CITY_TYPE	CHAR(1)	The field indicates the type of locale identified in the city alias name such as Post Office, station or branch.
8	COUNTY_NAME	VARCHAR(25)	The name of the county or parish in which the 5-digit ZIP Code resides.
9	STATE_FIPS	NCHAR(2)	The FIPS code assigned to state.
10	COUNTY_FIPS	NCHAR(3)	The FIPS code assigned to given county or parish within a state.

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11	TIME_ZONE	NCHAR(2)	The time zone number represents by the hours past the Greenwich Time Zone.
12	DAY_LIGHT_SAVING	CHAR(1)	This flag indicates whether the city observe day light saving.
13	LATITUDE	NUMERIC	The geographic coordinate of a point measured in degrees north or south of the equator.
14	LONGITUDE	NUMERIC	The geographic coordinate of a point measured in degrees east or west of the Greenwich meridian.
15	ELEVATION	NUMERIC	The counties average elevation.

**1. ZIP\_CODE**

A five-digit code (00000-999999) which identifies a specific geographic delivery area. ZIP also known as "Zone Improvement Plan". ZIP Codes represent an area within a state or a single building or company with high mail volume. In very rare case, a ZIP Code shares different states boundaries.

**2. CITY**

This is the name of USPS preferred city. It is used at the last line of postal address. The name can represent a city, a postal entity, a community or a municipality name.

**3. STATE**

This field use 2-letter abbreviation to represent the name of the state or US Territory. For examples, AZ represents Arizona and CA represents California.

**4. AREA\_CODE**

The telephone area code belonging to the particular ZIP code is located.

**5. CITY\_ALIAS\_NAME**

This may be the name of a city, a postal entity, a community or a city alternate name. There may be more than one alias names for a ZIP Code.

**6. CITY\_ALIAS\_ABBR**

If the CITY\_ALIAS\_NAME is more than 13-character long, this field represents a 13-character abbreviation for the CITY\_ALIAS\_NAME. This field is empty if otherwise.

**7. CITY\_TYPE**

This field indicates the type of locale in field CITY\_ALIAS\_NAME. Refer to table for all city types.

CODE	DESCRIPTION
A	Airport Mail Facility (AMF)
B	Branch
C	Community Post Office (CPO)
D	Area Distribution Center (ASC)
E	Sectional Center Facility (SCF)
F	Delivery Distribution Center (DDC)
G	General Mailing Facility (GMF)
K	Bulk Mail Center (BMC)

M	Money Order Unit
N	Non Postal Community Name (Acceptable by USPS)
O	Non Postal Community Name (Not Acceptable by USPS)
P	Post Office
S	Station
U	Urbanization
V	Vehicle Maintenance Facility

### 8. COUNTY\_NAME

The name of the county or parish in which the 5-digit ZIP Code resides.

### 9. STATE\_FIPS

The state FIPS code. No value for military state code such as AA, AE and AP.

### 10. COUNTY\_FIPS

The FIPS code assigned to COUNTY\_NAME within a state. In Alaska, it identifies a region within the state.

### 11. TIME\_ZONE

This number represents the hours past the Greenwich Meridian Time Zone (GMT).

NUMBER	TIME_ZONE
4	Atlantic
5	Eastern
6	Central
7	Mountain
8	Pacific
9	Alaska
10	Hawaii-Aleutian
11	Samoa
13	Marshall Islands
14	Guam
15	Palau

### 12. DAY\_LIGHT\_SAVING

The flag represents whether the county observes day light saving during the summer. "Y" for YES; "N" for NO.

### 13. LATITUDE

The geographical coordinate of a centroid measured in degree north or south of the equator.

**14. LONGITUDE**

The geographical coordinate of a centroid measured in degree east or west of the Greenwich meridian.

**15. ELEVATION**

The counties average elevation.