

California Community Colleges  
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Data Element Dictionary

**Student Matriculation Data Elements**

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
<b>SM05</b>	<b>STUDENT-MATRIC-ASSESSMENT-EXEMPT-STATUS</b>	<b>X(04)</b>
<p>This element indicates whether the student was directed to, or exempted from, matriculation assessment services at the college.</p>		

Coding	Meaning
<b>Student Directed To Assessment Testing Services</b>	
A	Student was directed to assessment testing services.
<b>Student Exempted From Assessment Testing Services</b>	
D	Student has completed an Associate or higher degree
O	Student exempted based on other district criteria
Y	Not applicable – see notes below.
<p>1. Up to two exemption reasons may be coded. Code unused positions with “Y”s, that is, if student was not exempted, code “AYYY”. If student was exempted based on both possession of a degree and other criteria, code “DOYY”.</p>	

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<b>Processing Edits</b>	
FIELD CHECK	Position 1: A, D, O, or Y
	Position 2 – 4: D, O, or Y
	If the first position is coded as "A", then positions 2 – 4 MUST be coded as "Y".
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INTEGRITY CHECK	<p>Orientation Exempt Status (SM04), <b>and</b>            Assessment Exempt Status (SM05), <b>and</b>            Counseling / Advising Exempt Status (SM06)  <b>must all</b> be coded with a "D" or "O" (not "AYYY")</p> <p>in order to code:</p> <p>Goals (SM01) as "YYY"            or            Major (SM02) as "YYYYYY"    or            Special Services Needs (SM03) as "Y" in the first ten positions   or            Assessment Services Other (SM09) as "YYY".</p>

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<b>Change History</b>
Revision: 07/07/06 Update Notes 1. Indicates whether a student was directed to, or exempt from, orientation services.
Revision: 05/01/94 Student Directed to Assessment Testing Services: A = Student was directed to assessment testing services.
Revision: 10/15/92 Up to two exemption reasons may be coded. Code unused positions with "Y"s. I.e., if student was not exempted, code "AYYY". If student was exempted based both on possession of a degree and on other criteria, code "DOYY". If the student is enrolled in noncredit courses only, code "YYYY".
Revision: 01/02/91 Changed name from Student-Matriculation-Placement-Assessment-Need to current name. Up to two exemption reasons may be coded. Code unused positions with "Y"s. I.e., if student was not exempted, code "AYYY". If student was exempted based both on possession of a degree and on enrollment limited to performance courses, code "DOYY". If the student is enrolled in noncredit courses only, code "YYYY".
Implement: 06/01/89