

Field Description	Field Abbreviation	Field Length	Field Type	Field Version
Expected length of study programme	XELSP01	1	Char	1.4.1

VALID ENTRIES

1	<5 weeks
2	=>5 weeks and <24 weeks
3	=>24 weeks and <=1 year
4	>1 year and <=2 years
5	>2 years and <=3 years
6	>3 years and <=4 years
7	>4 years and <=5 years
8	>5 years and <=6 years
9	>6 years and <20 years
A	Not known or expected length of study programme is greater or equal to 20 years

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This field is derived using Expected length of study programme (Instance.SPLENGTH) and Units of length (Instance.UNITLGTH) by converting the study programme length into weeks using the following method:

Instance.UNITLGTH = 1 (Years)
 Weeks = 52*Instance.SPLENGTH

Instance.UNITLGTH = 2 (Months)
 Years = INT(Instance.SPLENGTH /12)
 Mths = MOD(Instance.SPLENGTH,12)
 Weeks = (Years*52) + (Mths*4)

Instance.UNITLGTH = 3 (Weeks)
 Weeks = Instance.SPLENGTH

Instance.UNITLGTH = 4 (Days)
 Weeks = INT(Instance.SPLENGTH / 5)

Instance.UNITLGTH = 5 (Hours)
 Weeks = 1

then grouping is as follows:

1	<5 weeks
2	=>5 weeks and <24 weeks
3	=>24 weeks and <=52 weeks
4	>52 weeks and <=104 weeks
5	>104 weeks and <=156 weeks
6	>156 weeks and <=208 weeks
7	>208 weeks and <=260 weeks
8	>260 weeks and <=312 weeks
9	>312 weeks and <1040 weeks
A	Not known or >=1040 weeks (i.e. 20 years)

Where only one or neither of SPLENGTH or UNITLGTH is supplied (for reduced records type 03, 04, 07 and 08), provision has been made to derive this to 'Not known'.

DEPENDENT FIELDS

XMODE01

XQMODE01

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Instance. UNITLGTH	Instance. SLENGTH	WEEKS (internal value)	XELSP01
9 or null			A
not null	null		A
otherwise (and Instance. SLENGTH not null)	otherwise (and Instance. UNITLGTH not null)	<5	1
		=>5 and <24	2
		=>24 and <=52	3
		>52 and <=104	4
		>104 and <=156	5
		>156 and <=208	6
		>208 and <=260	7
		>260 and <=312	8
		>312 and <1040	9
		>=1040	A

Revision 1.3.5 2012-02-09 (Valid entry: Minor text amendment: 'years' added to Valid entry A label 'Not known or expected length of study programme is greater or equal to 20 years')

Revision 1.3.6 2013-01-09 (Minor amendment to Additional information in order to clarify the circumstances and reduced records for which null values in SLENGTH and UNITLGTH derive to 'Not known')

Revision 1.4.1 2013-09-30 (Technical specification amended to state that where Instance.UNITLGTH is either null or '9', the associated XELSP01 value derives to A, regardless of the value in Instance.SLENGTH. This aligns the specification with the function.)