

California Community Colleges  
Management Information System  
Data Element Dictionary

**Course Data Elements**

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
<b>CB14</b>	<b>COURSE-CAN-CODE</b>	<b>X(06)</b>

This element is the California Articulation Number (CAN) code for which the course has been qualified. CAN code numbers are used to identify similar courses throughout the various systems of higher education in California, University of California, California State University, California Community Colleges, and independent colleges and universities.

CODING

Code this element with the C.A.N. code for which this course has been specifically qualified. Left justify the code number. Exclude the "CAN" portion of the code, and embedded spaces.

Example: Code the C.A.N code "CAN HIST 10" as "HIST10".

- a) If this course has not been qualified for a C.A.N. code, code this element with "YYYYYY".
- b) If this course has qualified for the C.A.N. number as a corequisite with one or more other courses, this element should be coded with the same C.A.N. code as it is for all of this course's corequisite courses.
- c) If this course is a component of a multi-course sequence of courses which share a C.A.N. "SEQ" number, report the CAN SEQ code in CB15.
- d) If this course is qualified only as SEQ, this element should be coded with "XXXXXX".

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<b>Processing Edits</b>	
FIELD CHECK	
INTEGRITY CHECK	

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**Change History**

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