

# Property Sales Data File (Zone Codes and Descriptions)



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Prior to 2011, single character zone codes were used to classify the zones of properties recorded in the Register of Land Values. From 2011, the NSW Department of Planning introduced a zone code classification system containing up to three characters through the Standard Instrument Local Environment Plan (LEP).

The following tables detail the zone code formats that are contained within Property Sales Information data files and identify how the former and new LEP zone codes are linked.

<b>Zones</b>		
<b>Zone Code</b>	<b>Zone Names</b>	
A	Residential	
B	Business	
C	Sydney Commercial / Business	
D	10(a) Sustainable Mixed Use Development	
E	Employment	
I	Industrial	
M	9(a)(Mixed Residential / Business)	
N	National Parks	
O	Open Space	
P	Protection	
R	Non-Urban	
S	Special Uses	
T	North Sydney Commercial / Business	
U	Community Uses	
V	Comprehensive Centre	
W	Reserve Open Space	
X	Reserved Roads	
Y	Reserved Special Uses	
Z	Undetermined or Village	
<b>New Zone Code Classification</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Former Zone Code Classification</b>
<b>Rural Zones</b>		
RU1	Primary Production	R
RU2	Rural Landscape	R
RU3	Forestry	R
RU4	Rural Small Holdings	R
RU5	Village	A
RU6	Transition	R

<b>Residential Zones</b>		
R1	General Residential	A
R2	Low Density Residential	A
R3	Medium Density Residential	A
R4	High Density Residential	A
R5	Large Lot Residential	A
<b>Business Zones</b>		
B1	Neighbourhood Centre	B
B2	Local Centre	B
B3	Commercial Core	B
B4	Mixed Use	B
B5	Business Development	B
B6	Enterprise Corridor	B
B7	Business Park	B
<b>Industrial Zones</b>		
IN1	General Industrial	I
IN2	Light Industrial	I
IN3	Heavy Industrial	I
IN4	Working Waterfront	I
<b>Special Purpose Zones</b>		
SP1	Special Activities	S
SP2	Infrastructure	S
SP3	Tourist	S
<b>Recreation Zones</b>		
RE1	Public Recreation	O
RE2	Private Recreation	O
<b>Environment Protection Zones</b>		
E1	National Parks and Nature Reserves	R
E2	Environmental Conservation	R
E3	Environmental Management	R
E4	Environmental Living	R
<b>Waterway Zones</b>		
W1	Natural Waterways	R
W2	Recreational Waterways	O
W3	Working Waterways	I

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