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EurOccupations Deliverable D01b1

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The EurOccupations Database of Occupations

This report refers to the source list, search tree and translations developed as part of the EurOccupations project. It has translations for Belgium, Germany, France, Italy, Netherlands, Poland, Spain and United Kingdom. The first version of this Database of Occupations, then called 'the extended list', and its search tree and translations were detailed in Deliverable D1b (Tijdens and Jacobs 2007). This report is an update of Deliverable D1b. The process leading to this update is described in Deliverable D1a1 (Tijdens 2009).

The EurOccupations Database of Occupations, accompanying this report, is an MS Excel file, called EUROCCUPATIONS_8_COUNTRIES-20090606-FOR FP6. Table 2 at the next page details the contents of the file.

All occupational titles in the database have a 13-digit code. Table 1 shows the break-down of this code.

Table 1 Break-down of the 13-digit code in the EurOccupations Database of Occupations

Digit	Explanatory note	Range	Explanatory note
1 - 4	ISCO-08 4 digit	100 - 9999	-
5 - 6	Follow-up code within each ISCO-08 4 digit code	0 - 99	-
7 - 8	Country-specific Follow-up code	0 - 99	Only if within a 4-digit occupation one or more country-specific occupations are added.
9 - 11	Country code 4 (Albania) -894 (Zambia)	4 - 894	ISO Country codes
12 - 13	Version code	0 - 99	Set to 0

Comments on the the EurOccupations Database of Occupations are kindly invited. Please send these to Kea Tijdens, coordinator EurOccupations project, k.g.tijdens@uva.nl. For more information and download of the file, please see www.eurooccupations.com.

Table 2 The contents of the EurOccupations Database of Occupations Excel file.

This file contains tabs:	The tab contains the columns:	Explanatory note:
source list	code source list_20090606	Codes of the source list of EurOccupations; note that the first four digits of the EurOccupations code = ISCO-4 digit code
	OccupLabel3_EN source list_20090606	Labels of the source list
search tree	sortorder	Sorting order
	code OccupLabel1_EN	Codes of the source list tier 1
	code OccupLabel2_EN	Codes of the source list tier 2
	code_20090515	Codes of the source list tier 3
	OccupLabel1_EN	Labels of the source list tier 1
	OccupLabel2_EN	Labels of the source list tier 2
	OccupLabel3_EN source list_20090606	Labels of the source list tier 3
mapping tables	code source list_20090606	Codes of the source list
	OccupLabel3_EN source list_20090606	Labels of the source list
	Country specific	0 = asked in all countries; country code = country-specific occupation
	CODE ISCO08	ISCO-08 code 4-digit
	label ISCO08	ISCO-08 label 4-digit
	2010 Standard Occupational Classification USA	SOC_US-2010 code (note that this cross over table is far from perfect)
	OCC levels	Corporate hierarchy ranging from OCC+4 to OCC-1
	Key Occ 1=yes	Key Occupation: as part of EurOccupations the job content examined
languages available	LANGUAGE * COUNTRY	Note that not all occupations are translated for all countries listed!
	SOURCE	
de_DE		
en_UK		
es_ES		
fr_BE		
fr_FR		
it_IT		
nl_BE		
nl_NL		
pl_PL		
new countries		To be used by countries who want to translate the source list
job descriptions		Please note that this list covers only a limited number of occupations and it is not checked!

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