UVLT Data Code Book

The UVLT data include individual-level and town-level variables. These variables are described below.

1. **UVLT individual-level data**

**Contact ID**: Unique ID for each contact entry in our database.

**Town ID** : Unique ID number given to each of the 45 towns in our service area. Towns outside of the service area but still in Vermont and New Hampshire are given a value of 63 and 61 respectively. All other New England States are given a unique value of their own. Please reference table for specific values.

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| Town # |  |
| 1 | Bath |
| 2 | Bradford |
| 3 | Canaan |
| 4 | Cavendish |
| 5 | Charlestown |
| 6 | Chelsea |
| 7 | Claremont |
| 8 | Corinth |
| 9 | Cornish |
| 10 | Croydon |
| 11 | Dorchester |
| 12 | Enfield |
| 13 | Fairlee |
| 14 | Grafton |
| 15 | Grantham |
| 16 | Hanover |
| 17 | Hartford |
| 18 | Hartland |
| 19 | Haverhill |
| 20 | Lebanon |
| 21 | Lyme |
| 22 | Newbury |
| 23 | Newport |
| 24 | Norwich |
| 25 | Orange |
| 26 | Orford |
| 27 | Piermont |
| 28 | Plainfield |
| 29 | Pomfret |
| 30 | Reading |
| 31 | Royalton |
| 32 | Ryegate |
| 33 | Sharon |
| 34 | Springfield |
| 35 | Strafford |
| 36 | Thetford |
| 37 | Topsham |
| 38 | Tunbridge |
| 39 | Unity |
| 40 | Vershire |
| 41 | Weathersfield |
| 42 | West Fairlee |
| 43 | West Windsor |
| 44 | Windsor |
| 45 | Woodstock |
| 60 | All Other Towns Outside New England |
| 61 | All Other Towns NH |
| 62 | All Other Towns MA |
| 63 | All Other Towns VT |
| 64 | All Other Towns CT |
| 65 | All Other Towns ME |

**Conserved Owner:** This variable indicates whether or not the respondent owns conserved land (1=yes; 0=no)

**Land Owner Town ID**: This field represents owners of conserved land (e.g., if Conserved Owner variable =1). If a person owns a conserved piece of property the number in this field corresponds to the town their conserved land is in. Sometimes this number is the same as where they reside. Sometimes they will reside out of state (so for instance have a 62 as their town designation, but they own conserved land within the 45 towns we serve).

**Deceased Date:** This is the year at which the contact passed away. We have included this so if an activity such as donations or event attendance abruptly ceased we can attribute the cause to death. We have included both a column with the date and a y/n column where 1 represents deceased.

**U** : Unrestricted Donations. These are major donors, grants, businesses, and all other unrestricted gifts.

**U\_Tot\_Amt:** Unrestricted donations totaled over the donors entire history with UVLT.

**U\_Tot\_Cnt:** Total number of times a donor has given unrestricted to UVLT.

**U-2000-01 – U-2018-19**: Each of these columns represent a fiscal year, which runs from July 1st to June 30th. The numbers in these columns represent to total dollar amount of unrestricted donations given in that fiscal year.

**R** : Restricted donations. These donations have been earmarked for a particular purpose that they must be used for.

**R\_Tot\_Amt**: Restricted donations totaled over the donors entire history with UVLT.

**R\_Tot\_Cnt**: Total number of times a donor has given restricted giftsto UVLT.

**R-2000-01 – R-2019-20:** Each of these columns represent a fiscal year, which runs from July 1st to June 30th. The numbers in these columns represent to total dollar amount of restricted donations given in that fiscal year. There are no donations in the U-2019-20 column yet because that fiscal year hasn’t happened yet.

**V:** Volunteers. These folks have volunteered with UVLT in some way.

**V\_Tot\_Cnt**: Total number of times a person has volunteered with UVLT

**V-2000-01 – V-2019-20:** Each of these columns represent a fiscal year, which runs from July 1st to June 30th. The numbers in these columns represent the number of times a person volunteered in that year.

**E:** Event attendance

**E\_Tot\_Cnt**: Total number of times a person has come to a UVLT event.

**E-2000-01 – E-2019-20:** Each of these columns represent a fiscal year, which runs from July 1st to June 30th. The numbers in these columns represent the number of times a person attended a UVLT event in that year.

1. **Town-Level Data (town level data only for each of the 45 towns in the UVLT service area)**

**Conservation Statistics (Data from the UVLT)**

**Nprojects:** Number of conserved properties that the UVLT has in the town

**NAcres:** Number of conserved acres that the UVLT has in the town

**Nmembers:** Number of UVLT donors in the town

**Sociodemographic Information of towns serviced by the UVLT (From the 2010 U.S. Census—see the data information file for more details)**

**MedianHHIncome:** Median Household Income in the town

**MeanHHIncome:** Mean Household Income in the town

**PercBAplus:** Percent of residents age 25+ that have a 4 year College Degree or higher

**PercAge55Plus:** Percent of residents that are age 55 or above