### ST\_MailMergeOdsoFMDFieldType (Merge Field Mapping Types)

This simple types specifies the possible types used to indicate if a given mail merge field has been mapped to a column in the given external data source.

[Example: Consider the WordprocessingML below:

<w:[odso](odso.docx)>  
  …  
  <w:[fieldMapData](fieldMapData.docx)>  
    <w:[type](type.docx) w:val="dbColumn" />  
    <w:name w:val="Country" />  
    <w:[mappedName](mappedName.docx) w:val="Country or Region" />  
    <w:column w:val="9" />  
    …  
  </w:[fieldMapData](fieldMapData.docx)>  
</w:[odso](odso.docx)>

In this example, the country column within the given external data source shall be mapped to the mail merge field Country or Region, as specified by the [type](type.docx) element's val attribute being equal to dbColumn. end example]

This simple type's contents are a restriction of the [XML](XML.docx) Schema string datatype.

The following are possible enumeration values for this type:

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| Enumeration Value | Description |
| dbColumn (Field Mapping to Data Source Column) | Specifies that the mail merge field has been mapped to a column in the given external data source. |
| null (Field Not Mapped) | Specifies that the mail merge field has not been mapped to a column in the given external data source. |

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| Referenced By |
| type@val (§) |

The following [XML](XML.docx) Schema fragment defines the contents of this simple type:

<simpleType [name](name.docx)="ST\_MailMergeOdsoFMDFieldType">

<restriction base="xsd:string">

<enumeration value="null"/>

<enumeration value="dbColumn"/>

</restriction>

</simpleType>