

# addressLineType

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**Scope Note:** To identify the different parts of a physical address, e.g., for public access or to contact and/or communicate with someone by postal services. Resources consulted for value terms and scope notes include:

- Encoded Archival Guide (EAG): <http://www.apex-project.eu/index.php/en/outcomes/standards/eag-2012/tag-library>
- ISDIAH chapter 5.2.1 Location and address(es), [https://www.ica.org/app/uploads/2023/12/CBPS\\_2008\\_Guidelines\\_ISDIAH\\_First-edition\\_EN.pdf](https://www.ica.org/app/uploads/2023/12/CBPS_2008_Guidelines_ISDIAH_First-edition_EN.pdf)

@addressLineType is an attribute used to specify the type of address in <addressLine>. Accepted values for @addressLineType are listed below with scope notes.

## Example

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<addressLine addressLineType="postalCode">10024</addressLine>  
<addressLine addressLineType="country">United States</country>
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## county

**Scope Note:** Second-level administrative division where a geographic location or feature is located; in a specific national context, this could be a canton, a commune, a county, a department, a district, a prefecture, a province, a subprefecture, etc.; note that a term used for a second-level administrative division in one country might be used for a first-level administrative division in another country.

## country

**Scope Note:** Country where a geographic location or feature is located.

## district

**Scope Note:** Area of a bigger city or town where a geographic location or feature is located.

## municipality

**Scope Note:** City, town, or village where a geographic location or feature is located.

## postBox

**Scope Note:** Post office box (postal box) number as part of the physical or postal address of a geographic location of feature.

## postalCode

**Scope Note:** Postal code (ZIP code) as part of the physical or postal address of a geographic location of feature.

## region

**Scope Note:** First-order administrative division where a geographic location or feature is located; in a specific national context, this could be an autonomous or administrative region, a prefecture, a province, a state etc.; note that a term used for a first-level administrative division in one country might be used for a second-level administrative division in another country.

## street

**Scope Note:** Street name and house number and/or house name as part of the physical or postal address of a geographic location or feature.