

# New York City TLC Trip Record Data Dictionary

Feature	Description
VendorID	A code indicating the LPEP provider that provided the record.  1 = Creative Mobile Technologies, LLC. 2 = VeriFone Inc.
lpep_pickup_datetime	The date and time when the meter was engaged.
lpep_dropoff_datetime	The date and time when the meter was disengaged.
Passenger_count	The number of passengers in the vehicle. This is a driver-entered value.
Trip_distance	The elapsed trip distance in miles was reported by the taximeter.
PULocationID	TLC Taxi Zone in which the taximeter was engaged.
DOLocationID	TLC Taxi Zone in which the taximeter was disengaged.
RateCodeID	The final rate code is in effect at the end of the trip.  1 = Standard rate 2 =JFK 3 =Newark 4 =Nassau or Westchester 5 =Negotiated fare 6 =Group ride
Store_and_fwd_flag	This flag indicates whether the trip record was held in the vehicle memory before sending to the vendor, aka "store and forward," because the vehicle did not have a connection to the server.  Y = store and forward trip N = not a store and forward trip

Payment_type	<p>A numeric code signifying how the passenger paid for the trip.</p> <p>1 = Credit card  2 = Cash  3 = No charge  4 = Dispute  5 = Unknown  6 = Voided trip</p>
Fare_amount	<p>The time-and-distance fare is calculated by the meter. Extra Miscellaneous extras and surcharges. Currently, this only includes the \$0.50 and \$1 rush hour and overnight charges.</p>
MTA_tax	<p>\$0.50 MTA tax that is automatically triggered based on the metered rate in use.</p>
Improvement_surcharge	<p>\$0.30 improvement surcharge assessed on hailed trips at the flag drop. The improvement surcharge began being levied in 2015.</p>
Tip_amount	<p>This field is automatically populated for credit card tips. Cash tips are not included.</p>
Tolls_amount	<p>The total amount of all tolls paid in the trip.</p>
Total_amount	<p>The total amount charged to passengers. Does not include cash tips.</p>
Trip_type	<p>A code indicating whether the trip was a street hail or a dispatch that is automatically assigned based on the metered rate in use but can be altered by the driver.</p> <p>1 = Street-hail  2 = Dispatch</p>