

California Community Colleges
Management Information System
Data Element Dictionary

Student Characteristics Derived Data Elements

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
STD8	STUDENT-LOCAL-CUMULATIVE-GPA	9V99
<p>This element indicates the cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) earned by the student at the reporting college. This is the student's cumulative GPA over as many terms as the student has been in attendance at the reporting college, including the current term reported in Term-Identifier (GI03).</p>		

ELEMENTS	
The reported / derived data elements used to derive the above element:	
SB18	STUDENT-UNITS-ATTEMPTED-LOCAL
SB20	STUDENT-TOTAL-GRADE-POINTS-LOCAL
CODING	
<p>This is a numeric field with three digits, one before and two after the implied decimal point. The decimal point itself is not included in the field.</p>	
<p>This element is derived using the following formula:</p> $SB20 / SB18 \text{ (local total grade points / local units attempted)}$	
VALUE	MEANING
000	<p>Either SB18 or SB20 were reported as spaces (group 3 allowed prior to 01/01/95) or Either SB18 or SB20 were reported as zeros.</p>

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Change History
Revision: 10/01/00 Took our Group 3's
Revision: 01/01/93 Original