

# Conversion Table: Schema Version 1 to Version 2

Data statements were first developed and published in 2018. The schema elements from 2018 are Version 1. For details see Bender and Friedman (2018). In 2021 based on feedback from professional and community sources including a [workshop](#) held at [Language Resources and Evaluation Conference 2020](#), May 11-13, 2020, the schema elements were updated and a set of best practices developed. Together, these updated schema elements from 2021 are Version 2.

Version 1 Data Statements are valuable and useful as is. However, if you would like to update a Version 1 Data Statement to Version 2, the table and instructions below provide a road map for how to do so. As you update each schema element, please consult [A Guide for Writing Data Statements](#) for suggested best practices.

The table below contains instructions for how to convert a Version 1 to a Version 2 Data Statement. A summary of the changes are as follows:

- 7 new schema elements
- Merge 2 previous schema elements into 1 new schema element
- Reorder schema elements to better model the flow of dataset use

Version 1 Schema Element	Version 2 Schema Element	Update Instructions
	1. Header	Add
	2. Executive Summary	Add
A. Curation Rationale	3. Curation Rationale	Update
I. Provenance Appendix	4. Documentation for Source Datasets	Rename and update
B. Language Variety/Varieties	5. Language Varieties	Rename and update
C. Speaker Demographic	6. Speaker Demographic	Update
D. Annotator Demographic	7. Annotator Demographic	Update
E. Speech Situation and F. Text Characteristics	8. Speech Situation and Text Characteristics	Merge, rename, and update
	9. Preprocessing and Data Formatting	Add
G. Recording Quality	10. Capture Quality	Rename and update
	11. Limitations	Add
	12. Metadata	Add
	13. Disclosures and Ethical Review	Add
H. Other	14. Other	Update
	15. Glossary	Add