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Documentation conventions

Format and pictures	as described in column "Format" of segment details
Character type:	a :alphabetic characters n :numeric characters an :alpha-numeric characters
Size:	Fixed : all positions must be used Variable : positions may be used up to a specified maximum
Examples:	an6 = alfa-numeric lenght: 6 fixed n6 = numeric lenght: 6 fixed an35 = alfanumceric lenght: 35 variable
Status indicators	as described in column "St" of segment details
(R)equired	Indicates that the entity is required and must be sent. (This status is set by EANCOM®.)
(C)onditional	Indicates that the entity is conditional and may be sent at the discretion of the user.
(D)ependent	Indicates that the entity must be sent in certain conditions, as defined by the relevant explanatory note.
(N)ot used	Indicates that the entity is not used.
Restriction indicators	as described in column "R" of segment details
Restricted (*)	A data element marked with an asterisk (*) in the fourth column of the segment details of a message indicates that the listed codes in column five are the only codes available for use with the data element at the same level as the asterisk, in the current segment, in the current message.
Open	All data elements in which coded representation of data is possible, and in which a restricted set of code values is not indicated, are open. The available codes are listed in the Data Elements and Code Sets Directory (Part III of this manual). Code values may be given as examples or there may be a note on the format or type of code to be used.



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Branching diagram





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Branching diagram





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Segments Layout

Segment

No.: **UNH** Status: R

1

Level: 0 Max. occ.: 1

Message header

Description Message header

Description of Segment: Γ

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	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
0062	Message reference number	R an14		+389443	Senders unique message reference. Sequence number of the messages in the interchange. DE 0062 in the UNT will be identical. Sender generated. Numbers in ascending order without gaps.
S009	Message identifier	R			
0065	Message type	R an6	*	+INSDE S	INSDES = Instruction to despatch message
0052	Message version number	R an3	*	:D	D = Draft version/UN/EDIFACT Directory
0054	Message release number	R an3	*	:01B	01B = Release 2001 - B
0051	Controlling agency	R an2	*	:UN	UN = UN/CEFACT
0057	Association assigned code	R an6	*	: EAN003'	EAN00 = GS1 version control number (GS1 3 Code)

Description:

This segment is used to head, identify and specify a message.

DE's 0065, 0052, and 0054: Indicates that the message is a UNSM Instruction to Despatch message based on the EDIFACT D.01B directory.

Example:

UNH+389443+INSDES:D:01B:UN:EAN003'



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Segments Layout

Segment

No.: **BGM** Status: R

2

Level: 0 Max. occ.: 1

Beginning of message

Description Beginning of message

Description of Segment:

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	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
C002	Document/message name	R			
1001	Document name code	R an3	*	+240	240 = Delivery instructions Code 240 = A message from a party to another party who has control over ordered goods, providing instructions to despatch a consignment according to conditions specified in the message.
C106	Document/message identification	R			
1004	Document identifier	R an35		+639913	Instruction to despatch number assigned by the document sender.
1225	Message function code	R an3	*	+9'	9 = Original

Description:

This segment is used to indicate the type and function of a message and to transmit the identifying number.

All references other than the document number DE 1004 are to be put in the RFF segment.

Example:

BGM+240+639913+9'



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Segments Layout

Segment

No.: DTM Status: R

3

Level: Max. occ.: 9

1

Date/time/period

Description Date/time/period

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
C507	Date/time/period	R				
2005	Date or time or period function code qualifier	R an3	*	+137	17 63 64 76 137	 = Delivery date/time, estimated = Delivery date/time, latest = Delivery date/time, earliest = Delivery date/time, scheduled for = Document/message date/time
2380	Date or time or period value	R an35		: 2013061 5100000		
2379	Date or time or period format code	R an3	*	:204'	204	= CCYYMMDDHHMMSS

Description:

This segment is used to specify any dates applicable to the complete instruction to despatch message. DE 2005: Identification of the 'Document/message date/time' (code value 137) is mandatory in an EANCOM message.

Example:

DTM+137:20130615100000:204'



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Segments Layout

Segment

No.: 4 **FTX** Status: C Level: Max. occ.: 9

1

Free text

Free text Description

Description of Segment: Г

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
4451	Text subject code qualifier	R an3	*	+TRA	TRA	= Transportation information
4453	Free text function code	C an3		+		
C107	Text reference	С				
4441	Free text value code	R an17		+		
C108	Text literal	С				
4440	Free text value	R an51		+Transp ort informati on		
4440	Free text value	C an51		:		
4440	Free text value	C an51		:		
4440	Free text value	C an51		:		
4440	Free text value	C an51		:X'		

Description:

Example:

FTX+TRA+++Transport information'



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Segments Layout								
Group	SG1	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9	RFF-DTM				
Segment	RFF	No.: 5 Status:R	Level: 1 Max. occ.: 1	Reference				

Description Reference

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
0.000	1			слатріс	Ttomarka	
C506	Reference	R				
1153	Reference code qualifier	R an3	*	+ON	ON VN	= Order number (buyer) = Order number (supplier)
1154	Reference identifier	R an70		:135333'		

Description:

This segment is used to specify references relating to the instruction to despatch.

Example:

RFF+ON:135333'



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Segments I	Layout

SG1

DTM

Group

Segment

Status:C

No.: 6

Status: C

Max. occ.: 9 Level: 2 Max. occ.: 9

Date/time/period

RFF-DTM

Description Date/time/period

Description of Segment:

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	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
C507	Date/time/period	R				
	Date or time or period function code qualifier	R an3	*	+171	171	= Reference date/time
2380	Date or time or period value	R an35		: 2013051 5121528		
	Date or time or period format code	R an3		:204'	204	= CCYYMMDDHHMMSS

Description:

This segment is used to specify any dates related to the previous RFF segment.

Example:

DTM+171:20130515121528:204'



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Segments Layout

SG2

NAD

Group

Segment

Max. occ.: 9

Level:

Max. occ.: 1

1

Status:C

No.: 7

Status: R

NAD-SG3

Name and address

Description Name and address

Description of Segment:

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	Description	St Format		Example	Remarks
3035	Party function code qualifier	R an3	*	+BY	BY = Buyer DP = Delivery party LSP = Logistic Service Provider (GS1 Code) PW = Despatch party UC = Ultimate consignee SU = Supplier WH = Warehouse keeper
C082	Party identification details	D			
3039	Party identifier	R an35		+509910 4000129	Format n13
1131	Code list identification code	C an17		:	
3055	Code list responsible agency code	R an3	*	:9	9 = GS1
C058	Name and address	Ν			
3124	Name and address description	N an35		+	
C080	Party name	С			This segment group may only be used with the qualifier UC (ultimate consignee) to transmit home addresses of persons without GLN.
3036	Party name	R an35		+Frau	
3036	Party name	C an35		:Cornelia Muster	
3036	Party name	C an35		:	
	Party name	C an35		:	
	Party name	C an35		:X	
C059	Street	С			This segment group may only be used with the qualifier UC (ultimate consignee) to transmit home addresses of persons without GLN.
3042	Street and number or post office box identifier	R an35		+Ohnew ertstrass e 12	
3042	Street and number or post office box identifier	C an35		:	



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Segments Layout

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
3042	Street and number or post office box identifier	C an35		:	
3042	Street and number or post office box identifier	C an35		:X	
3164	City name	C an35		+Hinterk appelen	This field may only be used with the qualifier UC (ultimate consignee) to transmit home addresses of persons without GLN.
C819	Country sub-entity details	С			
3229	Country sub-entity name code	C an9		+	
3251	Postal identification code	C an17		+3032	This field may only be used with the qualifier UC (ultimate consignee) to transmit home addresses of persons without GLN.
3207	Country name code	C an3		+CH'	This field may only be used with the qualifier UC (ultimate consignee) to transmit home addresses of persons without GLN.

Description:

This segment is used to identify the trading partners involved in the instruction to despatch message. Identification of the supplier/third party service provider and the ordering party is mandatory in the instruction to despatch. Identification of the delivery party is mandatory at line level if the delivery party has not been previously identified in the NAD segment at heading level.

Dependency Notes:

The following composites and data elements are only used when a coded name and address can not be used. The affected composites and data elements are as follows: C080 - C059 - 3164 - C819 - 3251 - 3207

Example:

NAD+BY+5099104000129::9' NAD+SU+5412345123450::9' NAD+UC+++Frau:Cornelia Muster+Ohnewertstrasse 12+Hinterkappelen++3032+CH'



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Segments Layout								
Group	SG2	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9	NAD-SG3				
Group	SG3	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9	RFF				
Segment	RFF	No.: 8 Status:R	Level: 2 Max. occ.: 1	Reference				

Description Reference

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
C506	Reference	R				
1153	Reference code qualifier	R an3	*	+YC1	YC1	 Additional party identification (GS1 Code)
1154	Reference identifier	R an70		:395993'		· · ·

Description:

This segment is used to specify references related to the party identified in the previous NAD segment.

Example:

RFF+YC1:395993'



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Segments Layout								
Group	SG6	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9	TDT				
Segment	TDT	No.: 9 Status:R	Level: 1 Max. occ.: 1	Details of transport				

Description Details of transport

Description of Segment:

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	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
8051	Transport stage code qualifier	R an3	*	+20	20 = Main-carriage transport
	Means of transport journey identifier	C an17		+405584	Reference number covering the transport.
C220	Mode of transport	D			
8067	Transport mode name code	R an3	*	+20'	20 = Rail transport 30 = Road transport

Description:

This segment is used to specify transport services required by the message sender to despatch the products.

Dependency Notes:

Data Elements 8179 and 8178 are only used when the type of transport must be specifically identified, that is, when a generic description such as road transport is unsuitable.

Example:

TDT+20+405584+20'



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Segments Layout

Group	SG10	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13
Segment	LIN	No.: 10 Status:R	Level: 1 Max. occ.: 1	Line item

Description Line item

Description of Segment:

				1	
	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
1082	Line item identifier	R an6		+1	Application generated number of the item lines within the instruction to despatch. Numbers in ascending order without gaps starting with 1.
1229	Action request/notification description code	N an3		+	
C212	Item number identification	D			
7140	Item identifier	R an35		+761234 5001159	Format n14 GTIN- this is the number of the article being despatched. Format n14
7143	Item type identification code	R an3	*	:SRV'	SRV = GS1 Global Trade Item Number

Description:

This segment is used to identify the line item for which instructions for despatch are being provided. Note: If the instruction to despatch is being provided for a full package (e.g. pallet) containing one or more products which have been allocated a serial shipping container code then only the line item number (data element 1082) should be provided in the LIN segment. The serial shipping container code to identify the full package should be specified in the GIN segment (number 21).

Note: Should it be required to provide the SSCC marked on the packaging of the article identified in the LIN segment then the GIN segment in group 13 should be used.

Instruction to despatch the product identified by the global trade item number 5412345123453.

No trade item number provided, serial shipping container code specified in the GIN segment at line level.

Dependency Notes: C829 is only used when sub-lines are required. FOR A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION ON THE USAGE OF SUB-LINES PLEASE REFER TO PART I, SECTION 4.10.

Example:

LIN+1++5412345123453:SRV'



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Segments Layout

Group

Segment

SG10 PIA

Status:C

Status: C

11

No.:

Max. occ.: 9999 Level: 2

Max. occ.: 9

LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13

Additional product id

Description Additional product id

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
4347	Product identifier code qualifier	R an3	*	+1	1 5	Additional identificationProduct identification
C212	Item number identification	R				
7140	Item identifier	R an35		+ABF56 82		
7143	Item type identification code	R an3	*	:GB'	GB	 Buyer's internal product group code
					IN	= Buyer's item number
					NB	= Batch number
					SA SRV	Supplier's article numberGS1 Global Trade Item Number

Description:

This segment is used to identify additional product codes for the current line item.

This example details the fact that GTIN 5412345000013 is available as a substitute should the product identified in the LIN segment be unavailable.

This example details the fact that the originally ordered GTIN 5412345000013 has been replaced by the GTIN provided in the LIN segment.

Example:

PIA+1+ABF5682:GB'

In this example the PIA segment is used to provide an additional identification to the trade item number provided in the LIN segment. The GTIN 5412345123453 provided in the LIN segment refers to the internal buyer's part number ABF5682.

PIA+1+ABF5682:SA'

In this example the PIA segment is used to provide an additional identification to the global trade item number (GTIN) provided in the LIN segment. The global trade item number (GTIN) 5412345123453 provided in the LIN segment refers to the internal supplier's article number ABF5682.

PIA+1+5412345123095:SRV'

In this example the GTIN of the consumer unit is provided.

PIA+5+2209953C001L:IN'

This example details the code 2209953C001L which is the buyers product identification.

PIA+5+2209953C001L:AC'

This example details the HIBC code 2209953C001L which is provided as the primary product code because no GTIN was provided in the LIN segment.



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Group

Segment

SG10 Status:C

Status: C

IMD

Level: 2 Max. occ.: 99

Max. occ.: 9999

LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13

Item description

Description Item description

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
7077	Description format code	R an3	*	+F	C F	= Code (from industry code list) = Free-form
C272	Item characteristic	Ν				
7081	Item characteristic code	N an3		+		
C273	Item description	С				
7009	Item description code	C an17	*	+CU	CU DU TU VQ	 = Consumer unit (GS1 Code) = Despatch unit (GS1 Code) = Traded unit (GS1 Code) = Variable quantity product (GS1 Code)
1131	Code list identification code	C an17		:		
3055	Code list responsible agency code	D an3	*	:9	9	= GS1
7008	Item description	C an25		:Corn Crispies		
7008	Item description	C an25		:250 gr'		

Description:

This segment is used to describe the current line item. Data element 7008 in clear text should only be used when no product code is available or when free-form descriptions are required by trading partners.

Example:

IMD+C++TU::9' IMD+F++:::CORN CRISPIES:CASE'



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Group	SG10	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13
Segment		No.: 13	Level: 2	Quantity
ocyment	QTY	Status: C	Max. occ.: 9	,

Description Quantity

Description of Segment:

	Description	04 = 1	*	Evenania	Dementre
	Description	St Format	â	Example	Remarks
C186	Quantity details	R			
6063	Quantity type code qualifier	R an3	*	+113	21= Ordered quantity59= Number of consumer units in the traded unit113= Quantity to be deliveredThe use of Qualifier 113 = Quantity to be delivered is mandatory
6060	Quantity	R an35		:9	
6411	Measurement unit code	D an3	*	:KGM'	KGM = kilogram LTR = litre MTR = metre

Description:

This segment is used to specify quantity information related to the current line item.

Example:

QTY+113:400'



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Segments Layout

Group	SG10	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13
Group	SG11	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9	RFF
Segment	RFF	No.: 14 Status:R	Level: 2 Max. occ.: 1	Reference

Description Reference

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
C506	Reference	R			
1153	Reference code qualifier	R an3	*	+ON	AAK= Despatch advice numberABO= Originator's referenceLI= Line item reference numberON= Order number (buyer)PD= Promotion deal numberVN= Order number (supplier)Qualifier LI refers to the related detail order lineof the ORDERS message. The order-numbermust be submitted in the header of themessage with the qualifier ON. (see example):AAK can be used for return-deliveries.
1154	Reference identifier	R an70		: CT0515 23	
1156	Document line identifier	C an6		:123'	

Description:

This segment is used to specify any references which are for the line item only.

Example:

RFF+ON:CT051523:123' (RFF of header section) RFF+LI:123' (RFF of detail section)



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Group	SG10	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13
Group	SG13	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	PCI-GIN
Segment	PCI	No.: 15 Status:R	Level: 2 Max. occ.: 1	Package identification

Description Package identification

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
4233	Marking instructions code	R an3	*	+33E'	-	 Mark batch number Marked with serial shipping container code (GS1 Code)

Description:

This segment is used to provide markings and labels information relevant to the product identified in the LIN segment.

Example:

Example:

PCI+17+PERISHABLE FOODSTUFFS'



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Segments Layout

Group	SG10	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	LIN-PIA-IMD-QTY-SG11-SG13
Group	SG13	Status:C	Max. occ.: 9999	PCI-GIN
Segment	GIN	No.: 16 Status:R	Level: 3 Max. occ.: 9	Goods identity number

Description Goods identity number

Description of Segment:

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks	
7405	Object identification code qualifier	R an3	*	+BJ		Serial shipping container codeBatch number
C208	Identity number range	R				
7402	Object identifier	R an35		+354123 4500000 00014'		

Description:

This segment is used to provide identification numbers marked on the packaging of the current line item.

Example:

Example:

GIN+BJ+35412345000000014'



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Segments Layout

Segment

No.: UNS Status: R Level: Max. occ.: 1

0

17

Section control

Description Section control

Description of Segment: Г

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
008 [,]	Section identification	R a1	*	+S'	S = Detail/summary section separation

Description:

This segment is used to identify the break between the message detail and summary sections.

Example:

UNS+S'



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Segments Layout

Segment

No.: UNT Status: R Level: Max. occ.: 1

0

18

Message trailer

Description Message trailer

Description of Segment: Г

	Description	St Format	*	Example	Remarks
	Number of segments in the message	R n6		+18	The total number of segments in the message is detailed here.
0062	Message reference number	R an14		+389443 '	The message reference numbered detailed here should equal the one specified in the UNH segment.

Description:

This segment is used to end and check the completeness of a message.

The UNT segment is a mandatory UN/EDIFACT segment. It must always be the last segment in the message.

Example: UNT+44+389443'



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List of changes

No.	Description	Segn	nents and el	ements
01	07.01.2014: Publication version 4.1.0	1	UNH	
02	01.07.2016/4.2.0: Adding qualifier 10 (WR 16-001)	15 SG10#	PCI 1\SG13#1	4233
03	01.07.2016/4.2.0: Adding qualifier BX (WR 16-001)	16 SG10#	GIN 1\SG13#1	7405
04	01.07.2016/4.2.0: Publication of version 4.2.0	1	UNH	

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