

Suomen Asiakastieto Oy

Integration Interfaces

Population Information

brief level



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1. About services available in APIs

Services contain one company, group or person information at one response. Services are available through integration interfaces SOAP, XML/JSON REST and HTML/PDF with some limitations. More detail about limitations and detailed API descriptions from Suomen Asiakastieto Oy.

This document describes services in the XML/JSON based APIs i.e. SOAP and XML/JSON REST.

2. General

This document describes data options for elements with fixed or several values.

A -field is alphanumeric, data is in left side of the field filled with blanks. Field is filled with blanks if data is missing.

N -field is numeric.

eN -field is edited number, data is in right side of the field filled with blanks (no leading zeros). Data is edited to presentation mode, decimal delimiter is comma and thousands delimiter is dot (999.999.999,9).

aN -field is numeric if there is a value. Field can be empty if there is no data.

Character set follows standard UTF-8

Reading example:

[0-9]{8}= Eight digits from 0 to 9.

DATE is format YYYY-MM-DD.

3. Consumer Service

3.1 Header information for each response

Field	Description	Type	Max length
consumerResponse			
responseHeader			
languageCode	ISO 639, FI = Finnish SV = Swedish EN = English	A	2
timeStamp			
date	YYYY-MM-DD	A	10
time	HH:MM:SS	A	8
responseStatus	0= ok, 1= error	N	3
currencyCode	EUR	A	3

3.2 Error Message

Present if there has been error in the execution of the service or communication, Examples: invalid user id, problem in communications, personal id number wrong or not present. For a list of possible error codes please contact Suomen Asiakastieto.

Field	Description	Type	Max length
errorMessage			
errorCode			
errorText			

3.3 Population Information, brief

The brief level of population information contains

- The brief level of Population information contains:
- identity number
- present first names
- present last name
- municipality of residence
- person's permanent address (Only one permanent address is possible.)
- person's post address (domestic and abroad)
- data on the possible date of death

Field	Description	Type	Max length
populationInformation			

populationRegisterStatus	000=Person found 001=Person not found 002=ID is passive	A	3
populationRegisterStatusText		A	75
<i>personData</i>			
<i>personIdentificationData</i>			
personId	personId ddmmyyXnnnc, X-> century of birth '+'=1800, '-'=1900, 'A'=2000	A	11
name			
<i>populationRegisterName</i>			
lastName		A	100
firstName		A	100
<i>domicileData</i>			
code	follows list from Population Register Centre added with codes 198 no domicile in Finland, ei kotikuntaa Suomessa 199 unknown, tuntematon 200 domicile abroad , Ulkomaat	A	3
text		A	100
dateOfDeath			
<i>addressData</i>			
count	Number of addresses	A	1
<i>addressRow</i>			

code	Type of addresses: 01 = permanent address in Finland 05 = post address in Finland 06 = permanent address in abroad 10 = post address in abroad	A	2
text		A	75
address			
street		A	110
zip	N/A if foreign address	A	5
town	If address is foreign address the town returns zip, town, state name (e.g. 42443 STOCKHOLM, Ruotsi)	A	80
startDate		A	10

3.4 Note; Address field is empty

Person has not informed his / her current address to the Population Information Register

Address startDate and address endDate

01 = permanent address in Finland

start date (cannot be end date)

02 = former address in Finland

start date, end date

03 = temporary address in Finland

start date, end date

04 = former temporary address in Finland	start date, end date
05 = Post address in Finland	start date, end date
06 = permanent address in abroad	start date (cannot be end date)
07 = former address in abroad	start date, end date
08 = temporary address in abroad	start date, end date
09 = former temporary address in abroad	start date, end date
10 = Post address in abroad	start date, end date

- permanent i.e. current address (whether domestic 01 or foreign 06) cannot have an end date, because it is always the valid one. In theory it is possible that there is no start date either, if the address is very old (started before 1970's).
- in practice, temporary (still valid) addresses (03 and 08) always have the start date. If the end date is missing, the temporary address will be valid for the time being. If these have the end date, it concerns a fixed-period temporary address, the end date of which is known. In this case the end date will be in the future.
- the same is valid for postal addresses (05 and 10 as for the temporary addresses above