Granularity

Definitions

- Granularity of a data element is the degree to which a data element is subdivided in data elements.
- Granularity of data records is the degree to which data records are subdivided data records.

Synonym(s)

Level of detail

Relation(s)

Granularity is a characteristic of a data element or data record.

Example(s)

- A name of a person can be subdivided into first name, middle name, and surname.
- The number of persons can be reported by region or by city.

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