





Property Data Collection User Guide

April 2024

Table of Contents

Overview	3
Data Element Table Definitions	
Property Data Collection Requirements	
Additional Elements	
Vendor Data Collection Requirements	39
Photo Requirements	41
Photo Requirements Table Definitions	42
Appendix	45

Revision History

Date	Change
October 3, 2023	Added PDA Hyperlink in the Vendor Data Collection Requirements section.
December 1, 2023	Updated Property Address instructions to include reference to USPS Standard Updated instructions for Top Floor
April 1, 2024	Updated instructions for Condo Car Storage Deficiencies – Deficiency Type, Exterior Deficiency Name, Mechanical Deficiency Name, Garage Deficiency Name, and Interior Deficiency Name
	Updated instructions for the ADU Indicator
	Removed the attic access photo requirement

Overview

To enhance data quality and consistency in property data collection, Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac (the government-sponsored Enterprises or GSEs) have worked together to develop the Uniform Property Dataset (UPD). This work responds to industry feedback requesting market standardization and fungibility and was done as part of the Uniform Mortgage Data Program® (UMDP®). The UPD, which replaces each GSE's proprietary property datasets, is separate from the Uniform Appraisal Dataset (UAD) although there are consistencies in some data elements and enumerations.

The UPD consists of all required, conditionally required, and optional data elements for GSE property data collection and supports a full interior and exterior data collection, with images of the subject property. This user guide provides instructions for individuals completing the comprehensive data collection of residential properties for property data collection process. The instructions are intended to inform the data collectors of the information that is expected to be collected for each data field.

These instructions are only designed to provide the minimum guidance necessary to complete the data collection process and do not necessarily represent a comprehensive guide to the data collection process.

Items in *Italics* are defined in the glossary of terms as part of the <u>Appendix</u> of this document.

Data Element Table Definitions

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/ Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
This column defines the data element and the instructions/requirements for the individual collecting the data. It is designed to clarify each	This column will provide any allowable values if the data element has predefined selections. If the element allows for free-form responses, an example of an	This column defines whether an element requires a photo as part of the data set.	Required – Must be provided in all instances. Conditionally Required – Must be provided if it meets the defined conditions. Optional –	This column will designate if the field is specific to Single Family, Condo, or both property types.
field to ensure that data	expected result will be shown.		May be provided if the element or system exists.	

collectors understand	Instructional – As part of
what is expected.	the data collection, there
	may be information that
	needs to be determined
	not for specific collection
	but in determining other
	features. For these items,
	an instruction-only "field"
	will be included in the
	table.

Property Data Collection Requirements

The following table provides the instructions for the collection of data for all the elements of the property.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type	
	Property-Level Data				
Property Data Collector Name					
Indicate the name of the individual who conducted the property data collection.	e.g., Jane X Smith	No	Required	Both	
If the data collector is licensed it should match what is on their license from the issuing state in which the property is located.					
Data Collector Acknowledgement					
Indicate acknowledgement and adherence to the Certifications and Limiting Conditions.	Y/N	No	Required	Both	
Data Collection Date					
Indicate the date the property data collection was performed.	yyyy-mm-dd	No	Required	Both	
Property Type					
Indicate whether the property is a Single Family <i>Dwelling</i> or a Condominium.	SF Condo	No	Required	Both	
Property Occupied					
Indicate whether the property is occupied when the data is collected.	Y/N	No	Required	Both	
Property Address					
Identify and/or verify the physical property address of the property for which the data is being collected.					
The following address elements must be included:	e.g., 123 Main St				
 Street number Street name (including predirectional indicator, suffix, post-directional indicator) City County or Parish State ZIP Code 	City, State 98765 County or Parish	Yes	Required	Both	

^{© 2024} Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
A photo of the house number as displayed at the property is required. The address may be visible on the mailbox, house, or curb; if it is not available, provide a photo of the street sign belonging to the street the property is on.				
Address to be provided in the format that conforms to address standards in USPS Publication 28, Postal Addressing Standards.				
Unit Number				
Identify and/or verify the address unit number/designator if the subject property has a unit number.				
If the data collector determines that a unit number is not available for a property known to be a condominium, the data collector must put a "-" in the unit number field. The "-" symbolizes that the data collector has verified the property address with the point of contact and was unable to identify a unit number for the given condominium <i>unit</i> . This is only likely to be necessary in a limited number of instances.	e.g., Unit 2B	Optional	Optional	Both
Provide a photo of the unit number if it is visible and displayed separately from the street address.				
	Site Data			
The total area of all encumbered parcels is prepopulated in the property data and displayed in square feet. Verify the accuracy of provided data with the point of contact, if possible.	e.g., 22000	No	Required	Single Family

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property
Road Ownership Type	Example/Allowable values	Requireu:		Туре
Indicate the road that the subject property is accessed from as being public or private. Select "Unknown" if the data collector cannot determine whether the road is public or private.				
The point of contact may be a source of this information, if unknown.	Public, Private, Unknown	Yes	Required	Both
Verify the accuracy with the point of contact, to the extent possible.				
Provide photos of the road on which the subject property is located; one in each direction when standing in front of the <i>Dwelling</i> or condominium <i>unit</i> .				
Road Maintained Indicator				
Indicate whether the subject's access road requires repairs that impact the accessibility of the property (e.g., washed out road). If the road does not require these types of repairs, indicate "Yes" that the road is maintained. If the road requires these types of repairs, indicate "No" that it is not maintained.	Y/N	Conditionally Required	Conditionally Required	Both
If the road is "Private or "Unknown" and the road is not maintained, provide a photo of the observed condition that requires repairs.				
Year-Round Access Indicator				
Indicate whether the subject property is accessible during all seasons.				
e.g., The property is located in a rural area with no road maintenance and is not accessible during certain seasons.	Y/N	No	Required	Both
Location Description Type	Bordering Amenities Bordering Rail Stop	Conditionally Required	Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted	Photo	Conditionality	Property
	Example/Allowable Values	Required?		Туре
Indicate the location (or locations) or	Bordering Trolley Stop			
characteristic that best describes the aspects of the subject's location or characteristic.	Bordering City Bus Stop			
	Bordering Beach			
	Bordering Recreation			
If the location description type is	Gated Community			
"Bordering", provide photos of the bordering locational influence from	Ocean Front Beach			
the subject property.	Ocean Front No Beach			
	Inland Saltwater Front Beach			
If the location description type is	Inland Saltwater Front No Beach			
waterfront related, a photo is required along the waterfront, specifically	Lake Front Beach			
showing the seawall or the	Lake Front No Beach			
embankment along the water.	Seasonal Lake Front			
	River Front Canal			
	Golf Course Community			
	Bordering Golf Course			
	Residential			
	Bordering Industrial Use			
	Bordering Commercial Use			
	Bordering School			
	Bordering Vacant Land			
	Bordering Hospital			
	Bordering Restaurant			
	Bordering Hotel/Motel/Inn			
	On Cul-De-Sac Street			
	On or <i>Bordering</i> Busy Road			
	On or <i>Bordering</i> Interstate Highway			
	Air Traffic Directly Overhead			
	Bordering Park			
	Bordering Overhead Electric Power Transmission Line			
	Bordering Landfill			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Notable Odor			
	Other Adverse			
	Other Beneficial			
	Other Neutral			
Location Description Details	e.g., The subject property is			
Provide a short description for all location types selected.	located on the 9 th hole of the golf course.	No	Required	All
View Description Type	None Notable			
Indicate the view or views that best	School			
describes the subject's view. Select all that apply and select the most notable	Vacant Lot			
view first, followed by any other	Woods Treed Private			
identified views. Determine the view after completing the data collection	Hills/Foothills			
and consider the view from both ground level, and from elevated vantage points within the subject property.	Green Belt Open Space			
	Mountain			
	Mountain Range			
	Pond			
Multiple photos of the views from the	Lake			
subject property are required. Photos that clearly show the most notable	Canal			
view and any other identified view are	Ocean			
required. Provide a photo of the view from each side of the subject property.	River	Conditionally	Required	a
The photo should include	Creek	Required	Required	Single Family
landscaping, surroundings, and any additional features of interest. For	Bay			,
attached and semi-detached	Sound			
properties, photos from the unattached sides are required.	Lagoon			
unattacheu sides are required.	Marina			
	Intercostal Waterway			
	Harbor			
	Gulf			
	Wetlands			
	Bayou			
	Marsh			
	Commercial			
	Industrial			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Military Base			71
	Railroad			
	Interstate			
	Elevated Overpass			
	Pastures Fields Etc.			
	Agricultural Farm Etc.			
	Desert			
	Canyon			
	Valley			
	Countryside			
	Ravine			
	City Skyline			
	Golf Course			
	Park			
	Apartment Complex			
	Windmill Windfarm			
	Overhead Electric Power Transmission Line			
	Parking Lot			
View Quality				
Indicate the best option to further describe the selected View Description Type. This field is not required if "None Notable" was chosen.	Full		G. Aller II	
<i>Full</i> view should be selected if it is a generally unobstructed view.	Partial	No	Conditionally Required	Single Family
Partial view should be selected if it is a significantly obstructed or limited view.				,
View Description Details	e.g., The subject property has a			
Provide a description of the view for all enumerations except "None Notable".	view of the Pacific Ocean from the second floor of the property.	No	Conditionally Required	Single Family

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
Adverse Site Conditions - Adverse Type Indicate any adverse site conditions observed on the subject property. Select one or more of the items from	Contamination Failing Site Improvement Encroachments Significant Junk/Trash	Conditionally		
the list of allowable values. If there is an observation not listed, choose "Other" and provide a description of the observation. If there are none, then choose "None Observed". If an adverse site condition is noted, provide photos of the site condition.	Sinkhole Wetlands Extreme Slope Other None Observed	Required	Required	All
Adverse Site Condition Description				
Provide a description of the adverse site condition observed.	e.g., A sinkhole was noted in the backyard of the subject property.	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Property Improvement Type	Ornate Landscaping			
Indicate all improvements, amenities, property features, or structures. These features include elements attached	Irrigation System			
	Graywater System			
and detached from the structures.	Water Collection System			
If there are no improvements,	Outdoor Kitchen			
amenities, property features, or structures in addition to the <i>Dwelling</i> ,	Inground Pool			
select "None".	Above Ground Pool			
A photo of each improvement,	Inground Hot Tub			
amenity, property feature, or structure is required.	Sports Court			
io roquirou.	Sauna	Conditionally	Required	Single
	Orchard Hobby	Required	Required	Family
	Vineyard Hobby			
	Fence			
	Gazebo			
	Greenhouse			
	Tool Shed			
	Patio			
	Deck			
	Balcony			
	Uncovered Porch			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Covered Porch			- 7
	Enclosed Porch			
	Wrap Around Porch			
	Stoop			
	Firepit			
	Outdoor Fireplace			
	Carport			
	Other			
	None			
Property Improvement Description				
Provide a brief description of any indicated amenity or property feature. The description should include things such as size and detailed description of the property features.	e.g., 10 x 10 gazebo with composite decking.	No	Conditionally Required	Single Family
Waterfront Improvement Type	Seawall			
Indicate any amenities or features if	Beach			
the location description has been identified as waterfront. If there are	Pier		Conditionally Required	
no waterfront amenities select	Floating Dock			
"None".	Boat Lift	Conditionally		Single Family
A photo(s) of each identified waterfront site improvement is	Dock	Required		
required.	Boat House			
	Boat Ramp			
	Boat Slip			
	None			
Pool Concern Type	None			
Indicate if any of the concern types apply when inground pool is selected	Empty and Uncovered			Single
as a property improvement. If no	Damaged	Conditionally	Conditionally	
concerns are identified, provide select "None".	Missing Equipment	Required	Required	Family
Photo(s) of each identified concern(s)	Damaged Pool Enclosure			
is required.	Unsanitary Water			
Pool Concern Description	e.g., Large cracks were noted in		Conditionally	Single
Provide a brief description of each pool concern noted if any pool	the lining of the pool.	No	Required	Family

[@] 2024 Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
concern type other than "None" was selected.				
Non-Residential Use Type	Boarding House			
Indicate any non-residential uses identified on the subject property. Select all that apply.	Auto Shop Medical			
If the observed non-residential use is not listed, select "Other".	Salon Office			
If there are no indications of non-residential use, select "None Observed". If a non-residential use is indicated, provide at least one photo(s) that demonstrates the existence of a non-residential use.	Retail Hotel / Bed and Breakfast Food Service Agriculture Grow Room Other None Observed	Conditionally Required	Required	Single Family
Non-Residential Use Description Provide a brief description for the non- residential use of the subject property, if a non-residential use is indicated. If "Other" was selected, provide a description of the non-residential use.	e.g., The property has two barber's chairs in its converted garage and appears to be operating as a barber shop.	No	Conditionally Required	Single Family
Electrical Type Indicate the electrical service type(s) for the subject property. If more than one type is available, select all that apply. If the property has both public service as well as private service, select both public and all other electrical service types. If there is no electrical service at the property, select "No Electrical Service."	Public Solar Generator Hydroelectric Wind No Electrical Service	No	Required	Both
Off Grid Service				
If an electrical service type other than public is selected, indicate whether the service is connected to the electric grid.	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
This information may need to be obtained from the property contact.				
Sewer Type				
Indicate the type(s) of sewage disposal available for the subject property. If more than one type is available, select all that apply.	Public Septic Cesspool	No	Required	Both
This information may need to be obtained from the property contact.	None			
Water Type				
Indicate the type(s) of water source available for subject property. If more than one type is available, select all that apply.	Public Well Cistern	No	Required	Both
This information may need to be obtained from the property contact.	Hauled Water			
Gas Type				
Indicate the type of gas service available for the subject property.	Public Private	No	Required	Both
This information may need to be obtained from the property contact.	None	NO	Required	
	Building Data			
Project Name				
Identify the name of the condominium project in which the <i>unit</i> is located.	e.g., Bay Lake Towers	No	Optional	Condo
Number of Stories			Conditionally	
Identify the number of stories for the building in which the <i>unit</i> is located.	e.g., 4	No	Required	Condo
Number of Elevators				
Identify the number of elevators for the building in which the <i>unit</i> is located.	e.g., 2	No	Conditionally Required	Condo
Building Number	e.g., 2	No	Optional	Condo

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
Identify the building number in which the <i>unit</i> is located.				
Building Design	Garden			
Identify the design style for the	Low Rise			
building in which the <i>unit</i> is located.	Mid Rise			
If none of the building designs listed apply, select "Other".	High Rise	No	Required	Condo
apply, select other.	Rowhouse/Townhouse			
	Detached			
	Other			
Building Design Description				
When Building Design is identified as "Other", provide a brief description of the building type in which the <i>unit</i> is located.	e.g., Piggyback	No	Conditionally Required	Condo
Unit Construction Status	Complete			
Indicate the construction status that	Incomplete Construction			
best describes the <i>unit</i> .	Incomplete Renovation Construction	Required	Required	Condo
Floor Number				
Indicate the specific floor of the building on which the <i>unit</i> is located.	e.g., 7	No	Required	Condo
Top Floor				
Indicate whether the <i>unit</i> is on the top floor. This applies for all condo types and should be indicated as Y when there are no units above the subject.	Y/N	No	Required	Condo
e.g., A top floor unit in a high-rise.	1/10	NO	Required	Condo
Note: A townhouse style condo with no unit above it or a detached condo should be identified as a top floor (i.e., populated with Y).				
Unit Main Entrance				
Indicate the floor of the building where the main entrance of the <i>unit</i> is located.	e.g., 4	No	Required	Condo

[@] 2024 Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
e.g., The condominium <i>unit</i> is a multistory <i>unit</i> located on floor 4 and 5. The main entrance to the condominium <i>unit</i> is located on floor 4. Indicate the numerical response "4".		•		
Unit View Description Type	None Notable			
	None Notable Vacant Lot Woods Treed Private Hills Foothills Green Belt Open Space Mountain Mountain Range Pond Lake Canal Ocean River Creek Bay Sound Lagoon Marina Intercostal Waterway Harbor Gulf Wetlands Bayou Marsh Commercial Industrial Military Base		Required	Condo
	Railroad			
	Interstate			
	Elevated Overpass			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Pastures Fields Etc.			
	Agricultural Farm Etc.			
	Desert			
	Canyon			
	Valley			
	Countryside			
	Ravine			
	City Skyline			
	Golf Course			
	Park			
	Apartment Complex			
	Windmill Windfarm			
	Overhead Electric Power Transmission Line			
	Parking Lot			
	School			
Unit View Quality				
Indicate the best option to further describe the selected view. This field is not required if "None Notable" was chosen.	Full Partial		Conditionally Required	Condo
Unit View Description Details	The subject was near to be a second			
Provide a brief description of the view for all enumerations except "None Notable".	e.g., The subject property has an unobstructed view of the Pacific Ocean.		Conditionally Required	Condo
Unit Features	Ornate Landscaping			
Indicate all features specific to the	Outdoor Kitchen			
<i>unit</i> . If there are no additional <i>unit</i> features, "None" must be selected.	Inground Pool			
If a <i>unit</i> feature is noted, provide at	Inground Hot Tub			
least one photo clearly showing that	Sauna		Required	Condo
feature. If more than one photo is necessary to clearly show the extent of	Gazebo			
the feature, provide as many photos	Patio			
as necessary.	Deck			
	Balcony			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Uncovered Porch			
	Covered Porch			
	Enclosed Porch			
	Wrap Around Porch			
	Stoop			
	Firepit			
	Outdoor Fireplace			
	Carport			
	Other			
	None			
	Sports Court			
	Above Ground Pool			
Indicate the best option to identify all permanently affixed structures. All structures must be identified. "Dwelling" should be selected for structures that include finished areas and are not one of the other specifically identified structures, such as a workshop or a barn. A photo of the front and rear of every structure on the property is required. Additionally, floor plan images are required for every structure on the property (view Photo Requirements	Dwelling Workshop Barn Pool House Stables Riding Arena Pole Building Detached Garage Other Outbuilding	Yes	Required	Single Family
section below for floor plan details). Structure Area				
Provide the total square footage for all structures on the property. This includes the finished areas, non-standard finished areas, and unfinished areas.	e.g., 2000	No	Required	Both
Contains Rooms				
Indicate whether the structure contains rooms, including the garage.	Y/N	No	Required	Both
e.g., a barn used for housing animals or storing equipment would not				

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
contain rooms associated with finished areas.				
Construction Type				
Indicate the construction type that best describes the subject property. Only one type per structure may be provided. Occasionally properties may fit more than one category or be ambiguous in some other way – if that is the case, provide the predominant or most significant construction type and as many photos as you need to identify the construction type. If the subject property is a geodesic dome or an earth berm, select these first.	Frame Masonry Log Manufactured Modular Geodesic Earth Berm 3-D Printed	No	Required	Single Family
Construction Status				
Indicate the construction status that best describes the subject property. Only one selection per structure may be provided. A property is considered incomplete if, for example, any of the following conditions exist:				
 If the roof or exterior siding is not complete One or more bathrooms within the property are not complete The kitchen is not complete (does not pertain to missing appliances) A majority of the finished area is under construction 	Complete Incomplete Construction Incomplete Renovation Construction Proposed	Conditionally Required	Required	Both
For a condominium indicate the construction status that best describes the building.				
If construction status is <i>Incomplete</i> Construction or <i>Incomplete Renovation</i> Construction, provide photos that clearly display the status and level of				

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
completion of the renovation/construction.				
Year Built				
Indicate the year the structure on the property was built.			Conditionally	
Confirm the provided year built with the property point of contact. If the exact age of the property cannot be determined, an estimate may be provided.	e.g., 1977	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Year Built Estimate	Y/N	No	Conditionally	Both
Indicate if the year built is an estimate.	Y/N	No	Required	DOUI
Attachment Type				
Indicate whether the subject property	Detached	No		
is attached or detached to another property. If the property is attached	Semi-Detached – Left		Required	Both
on one side, indicate Semi-Detached	Semi-Detached – Right Attached			
and whether it is attached on the left side or right side.	Attached			
Foundation Type	Slab			
Indicate the type of foundation for the	Crawl Space			
structure. Select all that apply.	Basement	No	Conditionally	Both
	Post and Pier	NO	Required	Botti
	Runner			
Heating Type	Central Hot Air			
Indicate all heating systems for each	Central Heat Pump			
unit. If there are multiple heat	Ductless Heat Pump			
sources, choose all that apply. If there is no heat source, "No Heat" must be	Ductless Heat			
selected.	Radiant Floor			
A photo of the heating unit(s) should be provided if readily visible,	Hot Water Radiators	Optional	Required	Both
otherwise provide a photo of the	Hot Water Baseboard			
thermostat.	Electric Baseboard			
	In-wall Heater			
	Geothermal			
	Wall Furnace			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Gas Furnace			
	Oil Furnace			
	Coal Furnace			
	No Heat			
Cooling Type	Central Air-Conditioning			
Indicate all cooling systems for each	Central Heat Pump			
unit. If there are multiple systems, chose all that apply. If there is no	Ductless Heat Pump			
cooling, "None" must be selected.	Ductless Air Conditioning			
A photo of the cooling unit(s) should	Whole House Fan	Optional	Required	Both
be provided if readily visible,	Evaporative Cooler			
otherwise provide a photo of the thermostat.	Geothermal			
	None			
Exterior Updated Component	Foundation			
ndicate which component(s) has	Roof			
been updated if there have been	Siding			
updates to the exterior of the structure. Select all that apply.	Windows			
If any exterior component(s) has been	Doors	Conditionally		
identified as having been updated, at	Walls	Required	Required	Both
least one photo(s) of the component(s) must be provided.	Fence			
component(s) must be provided.	Other			
	None Observed			
	None Observed			
Exterior Update Type				
Indicate to what degree the			Conditionally	
component(s) have been updated, if	Fully Updated	No	Required	Both
there have been updates to the exterior of the structure.	Partially Updated			
Exterior Update Timeframe				
Indicate what timeframe the updates	Less than 1 year			
to the exterior of the structure have	1 – 10 years	No	Conditionally	Both
been completed. If not known, an estimated timeframe may be	10 – 20 years		Required	
provided.	More than 20 years			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted	Photo	Conditionality	Property
	Example/Allowable Values	Required?		Туре
Exterior Update Description				
Provide a brief description of the nature of the improvements, if there have been updates to the exterior of the structure.	e.g., The garage door was replaced 16 months ago.	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Exterior Deficiency Name	Foundation			
Indicate the item or component of the	Roof			
exterior of the property that has deferred maintenance requiring repairs (e.g missing siding, boarded	Siding			
	Fascia			
up windows, hole in door, etc.). If an item or component is missing, identify	Windows			
that it is deficient. Select all that	Doors	Conditionally Required Require		
apply.	Gutters and Downspouts			Both
Typical wear and tear does not need	Eaves			
to be identified.	Chimney		Required	
If any item or component(s) has deferred maintenance requiring	Porch			
repair(s), a photo(s) must be provided.	Patio			
If possible, the photo(s) must clearly show the deficiency and severity of	Deck			
the observed condition.	Balcony			
	Entry Stairs			
	Carport			
	Driveway			
	Incomplete Landscaping			
	Exterior Walls			
	Other			
	None Observed			
Exterior Deficiency Type	Excessive Wear			
Identify the type of deficiencies	Damage			
associated with the exterior of the	Evidence of Infestation	No	Conditionally	Both
property.	Missing		Required	
	Other			
Exterior Deficiency Detail				
Indicate the details of the Deficiency	Foundation:	No	Conditionally	Both
Type for the item or component(s) selected.	Eroded Material, Cracking, Settlement, Evidence of Moisture,		Required	2001

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted	Photo	Conditionality	Property
	Example/Allowable Values	Required?		Туре
	Seepage, Infestation, Leaning or Bowing Walls, Heaving, Other			
	Exterior Walls:			
	Eroded Material, Cracking, Holes, Dry Rot, Moisture Rot, Settlement, Wind <i>Damage</i> , Missing Material, Other			
	Roof surface:			
	Eroded Material, Cracking, Tarp on Roof, Leak Evident, Missing Material, Wood Rot, Soffit <i>Damage</i> , Fascia <i>Damage</i> , Other			
	Gutters and Downspouts:			
	Eroded Material, Cracking, Missing Downspouts, Damaged, Leaking, Infestation, Improper Flow, Missing Gutter, Other			
	Windows:			
	Cracking, Missing Window Pane, Dry Rot, Broken Glass, Boarded Up, Missing Window, Exposed Wood, Storm Sash <i>Damage</i> , Thermopane <i>Damage</i> , Other			
Exterior Deficiency Severity				
Indicate if the noted deficiency to the exterior item or component impacts the safety, soundness, or structural integrity of the structure or unit.	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Exterior Deficiency Description	o a. The halcony is only partially			
Provide a brief description of each exterior item or component deficiency observed.	e.g., The balcony is only partially attached to the exterior wall of the structure.	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Mechanical Deficiency Name	Plumbing	Conditionally		5
Indicate the mechanical deficiency that exists or identify the portion or	Electrical	Required	Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
element of the structure's mechanicals that has deferred maintenance requiring repairs. (e.g., - missing mechanical unit, leaking water heater, etc.) If a mechanical item or component is missing, identify that it is deficient. Select all that apply. Typical wear and tear does not need to be identified. If any component is identified as having deferred maintenance requiring repair(s), a photo(s) must be provided. If possible, the photo(s) must show the deficiency and severity of the observed condition.	Heating Water Heater Cooling Sump Pump Other None Observed	Required:		Туре
Mechanical Deficiency Type	Excessive Wear			
Indicate the type of deficiencies associated with the mechanicals.	Damage Evidence of Leaks Missing Non-Functional Evidence of Fire Other	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Mechanical Deficiency Severity				
Indicate if the noted deficiency to the mechanical component impacts the safety, soundness, or structural integrity of the structure or <i>unit</i> .	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Mechanical Deficiency Description				
Provide a brief description of the Deficiency Type for the component that was selected.	e.g., The toilet in the primary bathroom is leaking.	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Mechanical Updated Component	Plumbing			
Indicate all components that have been updated or replaced. If there have been no updates, select "None Observed".	Electrical Heating Water Heater Cooling	Conditionally Required	Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property
	Sump Pump	Requireu:		Туре
	Other			
	None Observed			
Mechanical Update Type				
	Fully Updated		Conditionally	D. H.
Indicate if the mechanical component has been <i>Fully Updated</i> or only <i>Partially Updated</i> .	Partially Updated	No	Required	Both
Mechanical Update Timeframe	Less than 1 Year			
Indicate the timeframe the	1-5 Years		Conditionally	
improvements were made for the	5-10 Years	No	Required	Both
mechanical component.	10 or more Years		·	
Mechanical Update Description	10 of more rears			
Provide a brief description of each mechanical component update observed.	e.g., The plumbing in the primary bathroom has been updated with new faucets and sinks.	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Floor plan				
Provide a separate image(s) of the floorplan for each <i>Dwelling</i> or condominium <i>unit</i> . For each <i>Dwelling</i> or condominium <i>unit</i> , represent each level in a separate image.				
For structures that do not contain any finished areas and are not a <i>Dwelling</i> , provide an image(s) of the measurements and calculations.				
Floor plan requirements:				D. H.
 Computer generated (no hand drawn floorplans) Separate floor plan image(s) for each structure, as applicable Separate floor plan image(s) for each level of <i>Dwelling</i> or condominium <i>units</i> Separate floor plan for each level of a structure that is not a <i>Dwelling</i> or condominium 	N/A	Yes	Required	Both
unitMust include exterior walls				

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
 Legible dimensions for each exterior wall Legible room labels for all rooms Calculations for each level with separate calculations for finished area, non-standard finished area, and unfinished areas Calculations for the total finished area and total area Condo Off Street Parking Available 	• •	•		
Indicate whether the subject property or building has parking or car storage available such as a garage, carport, or driveway.	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Condo
Condo Car Storage Type				
If off street parking is selected, indicate the type of car storage (e.g., garage, carport, assigned or unassigned) is available. If more than one type is available, choose all that apply. Provide photo(s) of the car storage. At a minimum these must show the exterior of the structure including the entrance door, as well as the interior. For open car storage types provide a photo of the parking area.	Attached Garage Detached Garage Built-In Garage Carport Open Unassigned Open Assigned	Conditionally Required	Conditionally Required	Condo
Condo Car Storage – Space Count				
Indicate the count of spaces for each car storage type indicated. If multiple types were indicated, assign the correct number of spaces for each type. Tandem car storage can be counted as one or more spaces if the depth of the car storage allows for two or more cars to be parked front to back.	e.g., <i>Attached Garage</i> – 3 Open Unassigned – 3 Open Assigned – 4	No	Conditionally Required	Condo
Condo Car Storage Deficiencies - Deficient item/component Indicate whether a car storage deficiency exists or identify the item or component of the car storage	None Observed Siding Windows Doors	Conditionally Required	Conditionally Required	Condo

^{© 2024} Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
(Attached Garage, Detached Garage or Built-in Garage) that has deferred maintenance requiring repairs (e.g., missing siding, boarded up windows, hole in door, etc.). If an item is missing, identify that it is deficient. Select all that apply. Typical wear and tear does not need to be identified. Provide photos of the deficient component(s) of the car storage.	Garage Door Walls Ceiling Roof Foundation Other			
Condo Car Storage Deficiencies – Deficiency Type Indicate the type of deficiencies associated with the car storage.	Excessive Wear Evidence of Infestation Missing Other	No	Conditionally Required	Condo
Condo Car Storage Deficiencies - Detail Indicate the details of the Deficiency Type identified for the item/component that was selected.	Foundation: Eroded Material, Cracking, Settlement, Evidence of Moisture, Seepage, Infestation, Leaning or Bowing Walls, Heaving, Other Exterior Walls: Eroded Material, Cracking, Holes, Dry Rot, Moisture Rot, Settlement, Missing Material, Other Roof surface: Eroded Material, Cracking, Tarp on Roof, Leak Evident, Missing Material, Wood Rot, Soffit Damage, Fascia Damage, Other Windows: Cracking, Missing Window Pane, Exposed Wood, Storm Sash Damage, Thermopane Damage, Other Ceiling/Walls:	No	Conditionally Required	Condo

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Discoloration, Missing, Crumbling, Water <i>Damage</i> , Other			
Condo Car Storage Deficiency Severity				
Indicate if the noted deficiency to the car storage component impacts the safety, soundness or structural integrity of the structure or <i>unit</i> .	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Condo
Condo Car Storage Deficiency Description	e.g., The roof of the attached		Conditionally	
Provide a description of each car storage deficiency observed.	garage has a 6 x 8 hole on one side of the roof.	No	Required	Condo
Garage Type				
Indicate the type of garage. If more than one type of garage is available, choose all that apply.	Attached Garage Detached Garage	Yes	Conditionally	Both
Provide photos of the garage. At a minimum these must show the exterior of the structure including the entrance door, as well as the interior.	Built-in Garage None	res	Required	
Garage Space Count				
Indicate the count of spaces for each garage type indicated. If multiple types were indicated, assign the correct number of spaces for each type. A tandem garage can be counted as one or more spaces if the depth of the garage allows for two or more cars to be parked front to back.	e.g., <i>Attached Garage</i> – 3 Detached Garage – 3	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Garage Space Area				
Indicate the square footage of the garage for each instance of <i>Attached Garage</i> , <i>Built-In Garage</i> or Detached Garage selected.	e.g., 600	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Garage Conversion Indicator				
When a garage is identified, indicate if it has been converted to finished area. Possible indicators of garage conversion:	Y/N	Yes	Conditionally Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted	Photo	Conditionality	Property
	Example/Allowable Values	Required?		Туре
 Garage door may have been removed or modified. Garage has been improved with finishes such as drywall, flooring, heating/cooling, etc. Converted space has permanent heating and/or cooling, especially if different from/not connected to, the heating/colling system for the rest of the dwelling. Provide photos of converted garage. At a minimum provide photos of the exterior of the garage, showing if the garage door has been changed or removed, and also provide photos of the interior of the space. Interior photos should show the level of completion of the converted space. 				
Garage Deficiency Name				
Indicate whether a garage deficiency exists or identify the item or component of the garage (Attached Garage, Detached Garage or Built-n Garage) that has deferred maintenance requiring repairs (e.g., missing siding, boarded up windows, hole in door, etc.). If an item is missing, identify that it is deficient. Select all that apply. Typical wear and tear does not need to be identified. Provide a photo(s) of the deficient component(s) of the garage.	None Observed Siding Windows Doors Garage Door Walls Ceiling Roof Foundation Other	Conditionally Required	Conditionally Required	Both
Garage Deficiency Type Indicate the type of deficiencies associated with the garage.	Excessive Wear Evidence of Infestation Missing Other	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Garage Deficiency Detail	Foundation: Eroded Material, Cracking, Settlement, Evidence of Moisture,	No	Conditionally Required	Both

[@] 2024 Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
Indicate the details of the Deficiency Type identified for the item/component that was selected.	Seepage, Infestation, Leaning or Bowing Walls, Heaving, Other	•		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	Exterior Walls:			
	Eroded Material, Cracking, Holes, Dry Rot, Moisture Rot, Settlement, Missing Material, Other			
	Roof surface:			
	Eroded Material, Cracking, Tarp on Roof, Leak Evident, Missing Material, Wood Rot, Soffit Damage, Fascia Damage, Other			
	Windows:			
	Cracking, Missing Window Pane, Exposed Wood, Storm Sash Damage, Thermopane Damage, Other			
	Ceiling/Walls: Discoloration, Missing Crumbling, Water Damage, Other			
Garage Deficiency Severity				
Indicate if the noted deficiency to the garage item/component impacts the safety, soundness, or structural integrity of the structure.	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Single Family
Garage Deficiency Description	e.g., The roof of the <i>attached</i>		Conditionally	
Provide a description of each garage deficiency observed.	garage has a 6 x 8 hole on one side of the roof.	No	Required	Single Family
	Level Data		ı	
Level Number				
Indicate each level of the building, including condominium <i>units</i> , and label them sequentially from the bottom to the top, starting with level 1, regardless if any level is identified as	e.g., 1, 2, 3	No	Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
being below grade. All responses should be in whole numbers.		-		
A separate level is identified if there is at least 3 steps (2 ft.) between another area within the structure (e.g., splitlevel design).				
Below-Grade				
Indicate for each level if it is below grade.				
A level is considered to be below- grade if any portion of it is below- ground level, regardless of the quality of finish or the window area of any room.	Y/N	No	Required	Both
Below-Grade Exits	Walkup			
Indicate the type(s) of exit(s) to/from below grade areas. Select all that apply.	Walkout Garage Cellar Door Interior	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Level Low Ceiling				
Indicate if any area of the level has a ceiling height less than 7 ft.	Y/N	No	Required	Both
Attic				
Indicate whether an attic is accessible from the level. If the attic is on the same level or directly above the level, select "Y".	Y/N	No	Required	Both
Attic Access	Attic Scuttle			
Indicate the item that best describes the type of access to the attic.	Drop Stair Permanent Stairwell Door None Observed	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Attic Access Location	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
Indicate whether the attic space is at the same level or above the specified level from which it is accessed.				
Some levels have attic access through a small door, or hatch on the same level as a finished living area.				
If the attic space is at the same level, with access through a small door or hatch, as described above, indicate "Y".				
If the attic is accessed above the level, through a ceiling access point or fixed stairs from the level above indicate "N".				
Total Area				
Provide the sum of finished areas, non-standard finished areas, and unfinished areas for each level. The area must be provided in square feet.	e.g., 2100	No	Required	Both
Finished Area				
Provide the Finished Area of each level.				
Finished area is defined as any space that is finished to the standards of the home and at least one-half of the finished square footage in that room must have a vertical ceiling height of at least 7 feet. The finished area must be provided in square feet.	e.g., 1100	No	Required	Both
Finished area that is below grade will be counted separately from those that are not below grade.				
Non-standard Finished Area				
Provide the Non-standard Finished Area of each level.				
Non-standard Finished Area is defined as any space that is finished to the same degree as the rest of the property but does not meet the ANSI standard of Finished Area due to	e.g., 500	No	Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
minimum ceiling height requirement of 7 ft.				- 770
ADU Indicator Indicate whether this structure is an Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU).	Y/N	No	Required	Single Family
	Room Data			
Room Type	Foyer			
Indicate each room on every level	Living Room			
within every building from the options provided. If an additional room type is	Dining Room			
needed, choose "Other Room".	Kitchen			
There must be photos provided for	Den			
each room. At a minimum at least two photos of each room must be	Family Room			
provided from opposite corners	Rec Room			
providing floor to ceiling coverage.	Bedroom			
Bedroom photos must provide an adequate view of all walls, ceiling, and	Full Bath			
floor.	Half Bath	Vas	Required	Doth
Bathroom photos must provide an	Laundry Room	Yes		Both
adequate view of all fixtures.	Butler's Pantry			
Kitchen photos must include all fixtures, appliances, cabinets, and	Hall			
countertops.	Library			
	Media Room			
	Office			
	Utility Room			
	Workshop			
	Other Room			
	Unfinished Basement			
"Other Room" Type Description			Conditionally	
Provide a brief description if "Other Room" is selected for room type.	e.g., Solarium	No	Required	Both
Fixture Type	Sink			
Indicate the fixture for every	Toilet	No	Conditionally	Both
bathroom, kitchen, laundry room, and butler's pantry in the structure. Select	Tub/Shower	.,,	Required	300.7
all that apply.	Walk-In Shower			

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Tub w/No Shower			.,,,,
	Freestanding Tub			
	Laundry Hookup			
	Appliance Hookup			
	Pot Filler			
	Jetted Tub			
	Rough-In			
	None Observed			
Range Oven Exists				
Indicate if there is a range or oven, or a range or oven hook up, for all kitchens identified.	Y/N	Required	Required	Both
Room Feature Type	Fireplace			
Indicate if there are any features from the list provided for each room identified. Select all that apply. If a room is noted as having a feature, a photo(s) of the feature(s) must be provided. Interior Updated Component Indicate which component(s) has been updated. Select all that apply.	Wood Stove Built-Ins Wet Bar Walk-in Closet Pantry None Flooring Plumbing Fixtures Electrical Fixtures	Conditionally Required	Required	Both
If a room has an updated component(s), a photo(s) of each component must be provided.	Cabinets Countertops Appliances Walls Ceiling Other None Observed	Conditionally Required	Required	Both
Interior Update Type	Fully Updated		Conditionally	
Indicate the degree of updating for the Interior Updated Component.	Partially Updated	No	Required	Both
Interior Update Timeframe	Less than 1 year	NI-	Conditionally	Dath
Indicate the timeframe for which updates to the room were completed.	1 – 5 years	No	Required	Both

[@] 2024 Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
If not known, an estimated timeframe	5 – 10 years			
may be provided.	10 or more years			
Interior Update Description Provide a brief description of the nature of the improvements if there have been updates to the room.	e.g., New carpet has been installed and the walls have been recently painted.	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Interior Deficiencies - Deficiency Name Indicate if any portion or element of a room has deferred maintenance and requires repair(s) (e.g., - missing plumbing fixture, missing electrical fixture with uncapped wiring, holes in walls or ceiling, etc.). Also indicate if any item is missing. Typical wear and tear does not need to be identified. If a room component is noted as having deferred maintenance requiring repair(s), a photo(s) must be provided. If possible, the photo(s) must show the deficient component and the severity of the observed condition.	Flooring Plumbing Fixtures Electrical Fixtures Cabinets Countertops Appliances Walls Ceiling Shower Tub Surround Other None Observed	Conditionally Required	Required	Both
Interior Deficiencies – Deficiency Type Indicate the type of deferred maintenance and repair(s) associated with the components of the interior of the structure. Provide all that apply.	Excessive Wear Damage Evidence of Mold Evidence of Infestation Missing Poor Functional Utility Other	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Interior Deficiency Detail Indicate the details of Deficiency Type for the component that was selected.	Flooring: Buckled, Holes, Sagging, Spongy, Infestation, Dry Rot, Discoloration, Cracks, Unfinished Section, Dampness, Other Ceiling/Walls:	No	Conditionally Required	Both

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Discoloration, Missing, Crumbling, Water <i>Damage</i> , Other			
	Tub/Surround:			
	Eroded Material			
Interior Deficiency Severity Indicate if the noted deficiency to the room component impacts the safety, soundness, or structural integrity of the structure or <i>unit</i> .	Y/N	No	Conditionally Required	Both
Interior Deficiency Description Provide a brief description of each room component deficiency observed.	e.g., The kitchen has missing cabinets/countertops.	No	Conditionally Required	Both

Additional Elements

The following elements have been added to the application programming interfaces (APIs) to simplify the transfer of data between parties. There are no additional instructions beyond what is required.

Field Name	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
Road Description	Free Text e.g., Asphalt	No	Optional	Both
Attic Floor Exists	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Heated Attic	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Heating Fuel Description	Free Text	No	Optional	Both
Driveway Surface Description	Free Text e.g., Concrete	No	Optional	Both
Alley Description	Free Text e.g., Gravel	No	Optional	Both
Alley Public	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Alley Private	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Refrigerator Exists	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Dishwasher Exists	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Garbage Disposal Exists	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Microwave Exists	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Washer/Dryer Exists	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Other Appliances Exist	Y/N	No	Optional	Both
Other Appliances Description	Free Text e.g., Wine Cooler	No	Optional	Both
Foundations Walls Description	Free Text e.g., Concrete Block	No	Optional	Both
Exterior Walls Description	Free Text e.g., Brick Veneer	No	Optional	Both
Description of Roof Surface	Free Text e.g., Standing Seam Metal	No	Optional	Both
Gutters and Downspouts Description	Free Text e.g., Aluminum	No	Optional	Both

^{© 2024} Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
Window Type Description	Free Text e.g., Vinyl Double Hung	No	Optional	Both
Description of Insulated Storm Sash	Free Text e.g., Metal	No	Optional	Both
Description of Window Screens	Free Text e.g., Fabric	No	Optional	Both
Utilities Gas Other Description	Free Text e.g., Propane	No	Optional	Both
Interior Floors Description	Free Text e.g., Carpet	No	Optional	Both
Interior Walls Description	Free Text e.g., Plaster	No	Optional	Both
Interior Trim Description	Free Text e.g., Crown	No	Optional	Both
Bathroom Floor Description	Free Text e.g., Tile	No	Optional	Both
Bathroom Wainscot Description	Free Text e.g., Tile	No	Optional	Both

Vendor Data Collection Requirements

The following table provides the instructions for the vendor-provided data for the data collection report.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Property-Level Data			
Collection Type	Onsite			
Indicate how the property data collection was	Virtual	No	Required	Both
performed.	3D Scan			
CaseFile ID				
Indicate the CaseFile obtained from DU submissions.	e.g., 1234567890	No	Optional	Both
LPA Key				
Indicate the loan identifier produced by Freddie Mac Loan Product Advisor® (LPA SM).	e.g., 123456789	No	Optional	Both
Property Data Collection Entity	e.g., Jones Data			
Company name of the entity that performed the property data collection.	Collection LLC	No	Required	Both
Property Data Collection Submitter Entity				
Name of entity submitting the final property data collected to the API.	e.g., Vendor 123	No	Required	Both
PDA HyperLink	a a www. 2daaan aan	No	Ontional	Both
Location to submit a hyperlink for 3d scans.	e.g., www.3dscan.com	No	Optional	DOUI
Property Data Collector Contact Method	Phone			
Contact information for the individual performing the property data collection.	Email	No	Required	Both
Property Data Collection Contact Detail	e.g., (123)456-7890 or			
Contact information for the individual	Jane_Smith@email.com	No	Required	Both
performing the property data collection.	Jane_Sinith@email.com			
Property Data Collector Type	Appraiser			
Name of the labor force type of the individual	Appraiser Trainee			
who conducted the property data collection.	Insurance Inspector			
	Real Estate Agent	No	Required	Both
	Notary Public			
	Smart Home Services			
	Photographer	I		1

^{© 2024} Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae. Trademarks of respective owners.

Field Name & Instruction	Formatted Example/Allowable Values	Photo Required?	Conditionality	Property Type
	Property Preservation Agent Home Inspector Homeowner Other			
Property Data Collector Type - Other Description Provide a short description of the Property Data Collector Type when "Other" has been selected.	e.g., Staff Employee	No	Conditionally Required	Both
The <i>units</i> in which the lot size is expressed. Square feet must always be selected for this field.	Square Feet	No	Required	Single Family
Confirm that the latitude and longitude has been populated in the final data submission. This is a crucial element of data collection. The latitude and longitude should be provided to the 6th digit after the decimal point.	Lat -38.903992 Long -77.035009	No	Required	Both

Photo Requirements

The Property Data Collection process places an enhanced importance on the photographs of the subject property taken by the data collector as it is possible that a summary appraisal report may need to be completed by an appraiser who did not conduct an on-site personal inspection of the property. The photos will be a vital element in making it possible for these appraisers and others to complete their work. For that reason, there are a significant number of required photos. Minimum standards for resolution, light level, and clarity have been defined to ensure that an appraiser, reviewer, or other end user is able to adequately assess the condition and quality of the subject property and its surrounding elements.

There are no limitations on the maximum number of photos provided. The following instructions provide the MINIMUM photo requirements. When in doubt, please provide more photos than the minimum required.

Overall Photo Requirements

Minimum Resolution – All images with a 4:3 aspect ratio must be at least 1280 x 960 pixels, approximately 1 megapixel. For 3:2 aspect ratio 1200 x 800 pixels, approximately 1 megapixel. For all other aspect ratios, a rule of thumb is 1 megapixel.

NOTE: Be aware that some cameras and other electronic devices automatically shrink photo size when delivering them, make sure that these minimum standards are maintained through delivery.

Minimum Light Level – Photos must be bright enough to discern the condition of the items within the photo. If there is limited lighting in the space, using a flash or low light function may be necessary to get adequate exposure. Features should never be hidden by darkness or shadows.

Clarity – Blurry photos are not acceptable. All photos must be clear enough to discern the items within the photos. Photos taken while moving, or from a shaking camera are generally unacceptable.

Labels – Each photo **must** be correctly associated with the aspect of the property it depicts. Mislabeled photos are problematic as they could lead to misleading results.

Exterior photos – These photos must be taken with enough distance from the object/structure to show surrounding elements. It is important to understand the surroundings of the structure to help assess the location of the structure, and the elements that impact that structure.

Interior Photos – These photos must be taken in such a way to clearly demonstrate the condition and quality of the elements of the structure.

Photo Requirements Table Definitions

Element Type	Required Photo(s), if applicable	
This column defines the data element that the photo(s) will reference.	This column will provide suggestions for the best way to capture all the necessary photos for each element. This is only a minimum standard. It does not define all the photos that may be provided. There are no limitations on the maximum number of photos provided.	

Element-Specific Photos

Element Type	Required Photo(s), if applicable
Kitchen(s)	Photo looking in from each entry
	If only one entry, provide photo from opposite wall of entry
	All appliances must be visually represented
	Photo of the refrigerator
	Photo of the range/cooktop
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
Bathroom(s)	Photo looking in from each entry
	If only one entry, provide photo from wall of entry
	All fixtures must be visible
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
Living Room(s)	Photo looking in from each entry
	If only one entry, provide photo from opposite wall of entry
	All windows must be visible
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
Fireplace(s)	Photo of fireplace
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
Bedroom(s)	Photo looking in from each entry
	Photo from opposite wall of main entry
	All windows must be visible
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
All Other Rooms	Photo looking in from each entry
	Photo from the opposite wall of the main entry
	All windows must be visible
	Any room specific feature
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable

Element Type	Required Photo(s), if applicable
Basement Exit	Photo looking at the basement exit from exterior of home, if applicable
	Photo looking at the basement exit from interior of home, if applicable
Heating Element	Exterior unit
	Interior unit – If visible
	Thermostat
	Any visible issues with unit or connection, if applicable
Cooling Element	Exterior unit
	Interior unit (window/built-in)
	Thermostat
	Any visible issues with unit or connection, if applicable
View(s)	From front doorway looking out
	From rear exit looking out
	From right side of structure looking away from home
	From left side of structure looking away from home
	Notable positive/negative influence must be visible
Water View	Any non-residential use <i>Bordering</i> the subject property, if applicable
	View of the water from the property, if applicable
Exterior Influences	Photo of any <i>Bordering</i> influence to the subject property, as seen from the subject property, if applicable
Site Improvements	Individual photo of each identified site improvement, if applicable
	Any <i>Damage</i> /needed repair to each site improvement, if applicable
Structure(s)	Photo of structure from the street looking at the front
	Photo of the right side of the structure
	Photo of the left side of the structure
	Photo of the rear of the structure
	Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
Outbuildings	Photo of front of structure (include entry point)
(No Finished Area)	Photo of rear of structure
	Photo of interior of structure
	Any <i>Damage</i> /needed repair, if applicable
Street Photos	Photo of the subject street facing left when in front of the subject property
	Photo of the subject street facing right when in front of the subject property
	Photo of any PRIVATE ROAD maintenance observations, if applicable.
	Photo of any UNKNOWN ROAD maintenance observations, if applicable
Car Storage/Garage Photos	Photo of Driveway (from sufficient distance to show entire parking area)
	Photo of the exterior of all parking structure. Car entry must be included in photo
	Photo of the interior of all parking structures. Car exit must be included in photo.

Element Type	Required Photo(s), if applicable
	Photo of open off-street parking Any Damage/needed repair, if applicable
Floor Plan	Image of floor plan for each structure
The floor plan file must be computer generated.	Image of floor plan for each level of the building. Image of floor plan for each level of the building. Floor plan must include labels for all
All exterior and interior walls must be present, and dimensions must be legible.	rooms.
Other	Photo(s) of any item not listed above that may impact the condition of the subject property or are a lender requirement.

Appendix

Glossary

Term	Definition	Associated Field(s)
Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU)	An additional independent living area that includes a kitchen, bathroom, and sleeping area. It has a separate ingress and egress from the primary <i>dwelling</i> unit. It is generally subordinate in size and location to the primary <i>dwelling</i> , and may be attached to a house, garage, or built as a stand-alone unit. Generally, it will make use of the utility connections of the primary house. Reference published guidelines by the Government Sponsored Entities (GSEs), government agencies, or other identified secondary market participants for specific guidance.	ADU Indicator
Attached Garage	An attached garage shares a common wall with a dwelling structure and has no living area above the garage.	Condo Car Storage Type Garage Type
Bordering	An influence located on or coming from a site that directly abuts the subject site or is directly across the street.	Location Description Type
Built-In Garage	Vehicle storage that is built into the footprint of a <i>dwelling</i> , under the same roofline (e.g., basement garage).	Condo Car Storage Type Garage Type
Cellar Door	Typically, an angled door covering the exterior stairwell of a basement. Sometimes referred to as a bulkhead door.	Below Grade Exit
Damage	The item in question has significant diminished appeal or usability due to atypical usage or event.	Interior Deficiencies-Deficiency Type Interior Deficiency Detail Exterior Deficiency Type Exterior Deficiency Detail Condo Car Storage Deficiencies-Detail Mechanical Deficiency Type

Term	Definition	Associated Field(s)
Dwelling	A residential living structure that embodies walls, floors, ceilings, and is suitable for year-round use.	Structure Type
Evidence of Fire	The item in question shows existence of fire residue or smoke <i>damage</i> .	Mechanical Deficiency Type
Evidence of Leaks	The item in question shows existence of the presence of water, water stains, or water damage.	Mechanical Deficiency Type
Excessive Wear	Routine repeated activities associated with the item have significantly diminished the appeal or usability of the item.	Interior Deficiencies-Deficiency Type Exterior Deficiency Type Condo Car Storage Deficiencies-Deficiency Type Garage Deficiency Type
		Mechanical Deficiency Type
Full (View)	A generally unobstructed view.	View Quality Unit View Quality
Fully Updated	Examples: - remove existing flooring and replace with new laminate flooring remove existing siding and replace with cement board remove existing cabinets and replace with new wood cabinets.	Exterior Update Type Mechanical Update Type Interior Update Type
Hall	A large entryway or gathering space, not just a corridor or passageway.	Room Type
Incomplete - Construction	Construction of an entirely new structure or expansions to existing structure(s) which are not 100% complete.	Unit Construction Status Construction Status
Incomplete - Renovation/Construction	Remodel, renovation, or refurbish of an existing structure which is not 100% complete.	Unit Construction Status Construction Status
Notable Noise	A noise that was consistently audible at the time of the site visit that might impact the appeal of the property. e.g., the property is in the flight path of an airport, next to a highway or railroad.	Location Description Type

Term	Definition	Associated Field(s)
Notable Odor	A smell that is routinely noticeable at the time of the site visit that might impact the appeal of the property.	Location Description Type
	e.g., Next to a compost farm, landfill, water filtration plant.	
Overhead Electric Power Transmission	Electric lines that supply power from power	Location Description Type
Line	generation stations to local distribution lines.	View Description Type
		Unit View Description Type
Partial (View)	A significantly obstructed or limited view.	View Quality
		Unit View Quality
Partially Updated	Examples:	Interior Improvements
	-hardwood floors with new polyurethane	Exterior Improvements
	sealant	Car Storage Improvements
	– painted the exterior siding	Exterior Update Type
	– reface the cabinets	Mechanical Update Type
Proposed – (Renovation/Construction)	Construction or renovation of a structure which has not started and the description of the construction or renovation to be completed is based on plans and specifications and/or similar documentation.	Construction Status
Semi-Detached Left	A property attached on one side. When facing the property from the street the left side is unattached.	Attachment Type
Semi-Detached Right	A property attached on one side. When facing the property from the street the right side is unattached.	Attachment Type
Significant Junk/Trash	e.g., autos, automotive components, large plumbing fixtures.	Adverse Site Conditions - Adverse Type
Unit(s)	Also known as living <i>unit(s)</i> . An independent living area with ingress/egress that does not require passing through another unit. A unit must, at a minimum, include a kitchen, bathroom, and sleeping area.	