

# Lay Titles File Description

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## Type

AB Abbreviations  
AC Acronyms

## Source

01 Associations [i.e., National Retail Federation, Environmental Career Centers (ECC), etc.]  
02 Incumbent Data – O\*NET Data Collection  
03 Occupational Code Assignment (OCA)  
04 SOC (i.e., SOC Index, SOC Volume 2, etc.)  
05 State Agencies  
06 US Bureau of Census (e.g., Census Index)  
07 USDOL – BLS (e.g., IT to SOC)  
08 USDOL – ETA (i.e., OPDER, OATELS, ACINET/Fu Associates, DOT, Onet Center, etc.)  
09 USDOL – User input, web applications (Code Connector, OnLine, and ACINET)  
10 Other

## **File Name: Lay\_Title\_2\_06.txt**

File Column Headings	Description Of Column Values for Each Record
SOC Code	SOC Code
SOC Title	SOC Title
O*NET-SOC Code	O*NET-SOC Code
O*NET-SOC Title	O*NET-SOC Title
Lay Title	Lay Title
Type	Type code – refer to Type legend above
Source(s)	Source Code – refer to Source legend above

This file contains seven (7) tab delimited columns as described in above table. Each record is represented by one (1) row (line of text). There are a total of 47,965 records or rows of data and 1 row of column headers in this file. There may be 1 or more sources associated with each record. There are many instances of a blank or no value in the Type column. (Note: When importing data with applications such as MS Access or MS Excel, set data types as "Text" for all columns.)

**New in February 2006:** Beginning with this release, lay titles are provided in mixed-case rather than upper-case format. Mixed-case can be easily converted to upper-case where that is preferred, but this format provides developers the flexibility to choose how the titles should be displayed in their applications.

**Data Examples:**

<b>SOC Code</b>	<b>SOC Title</b>	<b>O*NET-SOC Code</b>	<b>O*NET-SOC Title</b>	<b>Lay Title</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Source(s)</b>
15-1032	Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	15-1032.00	Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	Certified Novell Engineer (CNE)	AC	06
17-1021	Cartographers and Photogrammetrists	17-1021.00	Cartographers and Photogrammetrists	Geospatial Specialist		03
29-2099	Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	29-2099.99	Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	Technician, Brain Wave		04,06