

***Codebook Dataset “Ja, ik wil!”
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Column	Name	Origin ⁱ	Type	Duplicates	Description	Values	Mandatory ⁱⁱ
A	ID_record	Data Manager	Numerical, integer	No	Consecutive ID numbers of records, added by Data Manager	1-94,837 (of which 94,303 are used)	n/a
B	Scan	Vele Handen	Random code	Yes ⁱⁱⁱ	Random codes per scan, each scan containing multiple source registration forms (see column C)	Random	n/a
C	Uuid	Vele Handen	Random code	No	Random code per entry form	Random	n/a
D	Record_uuid	Vele Handen	Random code	No	Random code per entered record after final check of both participants' entries	Random	n/a
E	Location	Participants	Text	Yes	Location where marriage was celebrated if outside Amsterdam; text noted as-is in source	Various	No
F	Cancelled	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checkbox checked by participants if original registration indicated marriage banns proclamations were not completed and/or intended marriage was cancelled (registration crossed out, 'not serviced', etc.)	0 = not cancelled (default) 1= cancelled	No, but default value if not checked
G	Remarks_registration	Participants	Free text	No	Remarks regarding pre-banns registration in general	Various	No
H	Groom_origin	Participants	Free text	Yes	Place of origin groom; spelling as-is in original source	Various; if no data in source pound mark (#)	Yes
I	Groom_origin_general	Data manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Standardized form of entry in column Groom_origin (H)	If referring to Amsterdam = [from Amsterdam] If referring to other location = [outside Amsterdam] If no data in source = [_not mentioned in source]	n/a
J	Groom_origin_current-name	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Current name of location mentioned in column Groom_origin (H)	Only processed for Amsterdam = [Amsterdam] If no data in source = [_not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	n/a
K	Groom_origin_match-Hart	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Indication of how data column Groom_origin (H) was matched with Hart (n.d.)	Only processed for Amsterdam. Unique = one-to-one match Multiple = one-to-many	n/a

						match ^{iv} Deduced = match established through additional research (also applies to abbreviations) If no data in source = [_place of origin not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	
L	Groom_origin_ISO3166-country	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	ISO-3166 country code ^v for location mentioned in column Groom_origin_current-name (J); present-day country defines code	ISO-3166 country codes. Only processed for Amsterdam = [NL] If no data in source = [_place of origin not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	n/a
M	Groom_origin_ISO3166-region	Data manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	ISO-3166 region code for location mentioned in column Groom_origin_current-name (J); present-day region defines code	ISO-3166 region codes. Only processed for Amsterdam = [NH] If no data in source = [_place of origin not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	n/a
N	Groom_religion	Participants & Data Manager	Pre-defined list & free text	Yes	Religious conviction of groom, as mentioned in source; original entries under option [Anders] have been standardized and integrated by Data Manager with pre-defined list of options	Augsburgse confessie Broedergemeente Doopsgezind Episcopaal Gereformeerd Grieks-katholiek Jansenist Joods / Israëlitisch Luthers Mennoniet ongedoopt Quakers Remonstrant Rooms Waals [_not mentioned in source]	No

O	Groom_occupation	Participants	Free text	Yes	Occupation of groom, as mentioned in original source; spelling as-is in source; mainly only in pre-1715 registrations	Various If no data = [_occupation not mentioned in source]	Yes
P	Groom_occupation_current	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Present-day spelling of occupation mentioned in column Groom_occupation (O)	Various If no data = [_occupation not mentioned in source]	n/a
Q	Groom_occupation-hiscode	Data Manager	Numerical	Yes	HIS-code belonging to occupation mentioned in column Groom_occupation_current (P)	HIS-Codes from -1 to 99999 (Van Leeuwen, Maas, and Miles 2002) If no coding was possible = [_current-day occupational title unidentifiable.] If no data = [_occupation not mentioned in source]	n/a
R	Groom_occupation-hisclass	Data Manager	Numerical	Yes	HISCLASS-code belonging to occupation mentioned in column Groom_occupation_current (P) and Groom_occupatin-HIScode (Q)	HISCLASS-codes from -1 to 12 (Van Leeuwen and Maas 2011) If no coding was possible = [_current-day occupational title unidentifiable.] If no data = [_occupation not mentioned in source]	n/a
S	Groom_age_cleaned_yrsonly	Participants & Data Manager	Numerical, integers	Yes	Age of groom, as mentioned in original source; only registered for males not previously married; empty fields and incomplete/illegible ages marked by Data Manager	Ages between 14 and 70. If no data = [_not mentioned in source] In case of incomplete data in source = [_incomplete age in source] If age illegible in source = [_illegible in source]	Yes
T	Groom_age-estimated	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if text in source indicated that age was estimate	0 = not estimated (default) 1 = estimated	No, but default value if not checked
U	Groom_marital_status_standardized	Participants & Data Manager	Pre-defined options list	Yes	Marital status groom as mentioned in source, selected from a pre-defined list of options	Gescheiden Jong(e)man / JM Ongehuwd Weduwnaar Blanks and entries [Niet vermeld] have been replaced by Data Manager with [_not mentioned in source]	No

V	Groom_parents_deceased	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if text mentioned explicitly that groom's parents were deceased; only registered for those grooms that married for the first time	0 = no mention of parents being deceased (default) 1 = explicit mention that parents were deceased	No, but default value if not checked
W	Groom_parents_address	Participants	Free text	Yes	Address of groom's parents, as mentioned in original source	If value column Groom_parents_deceased (V) = 1, then value = [_not applicable - parents deceased_] If value column Groom_parents_deceased (V) = 0, but no address is mentioned, then value = [_not mentioned in source] In other cases, address copied as-is from original source	No
X	Groom_in-ASD-since_original	Participants	Numerical (up to 3 decimals) / Free text	Yes	Number of years groom resided in Amsterdam at moment of registration, according to source; mainly in pre-1610 registrations	If numerical value in source, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If descriptive value, copied as-is from source If no data, value [_no data in source_] added by Data Manager	No
Y	Groom_in-ASD-since_yrs	Data Manager	Numerical (up to 3 decimals)	Yes	Value of column Groom_in-ASD-since_original (X) calculated into years whenever possible	If numerical value in source, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If duration of stay was calculable from descriptive text, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If duration of stay was not calculable from descriptive text, value = [_not calculable_] If no data, value [_no data in source_]	n/a

Z	Groom_address	Participants & Data Manager	Free text	Yes	Address or town of residence of groom, as mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source If no data, value [_not mentioned in source_] added by Data Manager	Yes
AA	Groom_witness_1	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of groom's 1st witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
AB	Groom_witness_relation_1	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of groom's 1st witness, mentioned in column Groom_witness_1 (AA); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Groom_witness_1 (AA), but relation 1st witness was mentioned without witness's name	(Recht)zusterling Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halfbroer Halfzus Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader	No

						Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
AC	Groom_witness_relation_1_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 1st witness to groom in source if selected option in column Groom_witness_relation_1 (AB) was [Anders]	Various	No
AD	Groom_wn1_relation_standardized	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Standardized code for relation 1st witness to groom mentioned in column Groom_witness_relation_1 (AB) and Groom_witness_relation_1_anders (AC)	_MWN1_NOWITNESS _MWN1_UNKNOWN MWN1_ACQUAINTANCE MWN1_AUNT MWN1_BROTHER MWN1_BROTHER-IN-LAW MWN1_CITY-REPRESENTATIVE MWN1_COHABITANT MWN1_COUNTRYMEN MWN1_COUSIN MWN1_CUSTODIAN MWN1_FATHER MWN1_FATHER-IN-LAW MWN1_GODFATHER MWN1_GODMOTHER MWN1_GRANDFATHER MWN1_GRANDMOTHER MWN1_GRAND-UNCLE MWN1_GUARDIAN MWN1_HALFBROTHER MWN1_HALFSISTER MWN1_HOUSEMATE MWN1_INNKEEPER MWN1_LODGING-KEEPER MWN1_MASTER MWN1_MERCHANT MWN1_MISTRESS MWN1_MOTHER MWN1_MOTHER-IN-LAW MWN1_NEPHEW-OR-MALE-COUSIN	n/a

						MWN1_NEXTOFKIN MWN1_NIECE-OR-FEMALE-COUSIN MWN1_OTHER MWN1_PREACHER MWN1_REPLACANT MWN1_REPLACANT-CUSTODIAN MWN1_REPLACANT-FATHER MWN1_REPLACANT-MOTHER MWN1_REPLACANT-NEXTOFKIN MWN1_REPLACANT-WEESKAMER MWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-CHURCH MWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-CITY MWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-FORMAL MWN1_SISTER MWN1_SISTER-IN-LAW MWN1_SON MWN1_STEPFATHER MWN1_STEPGODFATHER MWN1_STEPMOTHER MWN1_SUPERIOR-ARMY MWN1_SUPERIOR-NAUTICAL MWN1_SUPERIOR-REGULAR MWN1_UNCLE MWN1_WIFE	
AE	Groom_witness_2	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of groom's 2nd witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
AF	Groom_witness_relation_2	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of groom's 2nd witness, mentioned in column Groom_witness_2 (AE); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Groom_witness_2 (AE), but relation 2nd witness was mentioned without witness's name	(Recht)zusterling Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer	No

						Burgemeester / Oud- burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halfbroer Halfzus Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
AG	Groom_witness_relation_2_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 2nd witness to groom in source if selected option in column Groom_witness_relation_2 (AF) was [Anders]	Various	No
AH	Groom_witness_3	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of groom's 3rd witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
AI	Groom_witness_relation_3	Participants	Pre-defined	Yes	Relation of groom's 3rd witness,	(Recht)zusterling	No

			list		mentioned in column Groom_witness_3rd (AH); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Groom_witness_3 (AH), but relation 3rd witness was mentioned without witness's name	Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halfbroer Halfzus Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
AJ	Groom_witness_relation_3_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 3rd witness to groom in	Various	No

					source if selected option in column Groom_witness_relation_3 (AI) was [Anders]		
AK	Groom_witness_4	Data Manager	Free text	Yes	Name of groom's 4th witness, if mentioned in source	As there appeared to be no 4th witnesses on behalf of the groom, all fields have been filled with value [_no data in source_] by Data Manager	No
AL	Groom_witness_relation_4	Data Manager	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of groom's 4th witness, mentioned in column Groom_witness_4 (AK); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Groom_witness_4 (AK), but relation 4th witness was mentioned without witness's name	As there appeared to be no 4th witnesses on behalf of the groom, all fields have been filled with value [_no data in source_] by Data Manager	No
AM	Groom_witness_relation_4_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 4th witness to groom in source if selected option in column Groom_witness_relation_4 (AL) was [Anders]	As there appeared to be no 4th witnesses on behalf of the groom, all fields have been filled with value [_no data in source_] by Data Manager	No

AN	Groom_consent_relation_1	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of 1st person giving written legal consent to groom, if mentioned in source	Anders Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Grootmoeder Grootvader Moeder Moeije / muye Naaste verwanten / naaste vrienden Neef / neve Niet gespecificeerd Niet vermeld Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Schepen Vader Voogd Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	No
AO	Groom_consent_relation_1_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of relation 1st person giving written legal consent to groom, if selected value in column Groom_consent_relation_1 (AN) was [Anders]	Various	No
AP	Groom_consent1_standardized	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Standardized codes for relation 1st person giving written legal consent to groom, mentioned in column Groom_consent_relation_1 (AN) or Groom_consent_relation_1_anders (AO)	_MCG1_NODATA _MCG1_UNKNOWN MCG1_AUNT MCG1_BRIDE MCG1_BROTHER MCG1_BROTHER-IN-LAW MCG1_CUSTODIAN MCG1_DOCUMENTS MCG1_FATHER MCG1_FATHER-IN-LAW	

						MCG1_GODMOTHER MCG1_GRANDFATHER MCG1_GRANDMOTHER MCG1_JUDICIAL MCG1_MEDIC MCG1_MOTHER MCG1_MWN1_SISTER MCG1_NEPHEW-OR-MALE- COUSIN MCG1_NEXTOFKIN MCG1_ORPHANAGE MCG1_REPRESENTATIVE- CHURCH MCG1_REPRESENTATIVE- CITY MCG1_SUPERIOR-MILITARY MCG1_UNCLE MCG1_WEESKAMER	
AQ	Groom_consent_relation_2	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation to groom of 2nd person giving written legal consent, if mentioned in source	Anders Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud- burgemeester Grootmoeder Grootvader Moeder Moeije / muye Naaste verwanten / naaste vrienden Neef / neve Niet gespecificeerd Niet vermeld Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Schen Vader Voogd Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	No
AR	Groom_consent_relation_2_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of relation 2nd person giving written legal	Various	No

					consent to groom, if selected value in column Groom_consent_relation_2 (AQ) was [Anders]		
AS	Groom_consent_relation_3	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of 3rd person giving written legal consent to groom, if mentioned in source	Anders Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Grootmoeder Grootvader Moeder Moeije / muye Naaste verwanten / naaste vrienden Neef / neve Niet gespecificeerd Niet vermeld Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Schepen Vader Voogd Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	No
AT	Groom_consent_relation_3_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of relation 3rd person giving written legal consent to groom, if selected value in column Groom_consent_relation_3 (AS) was [Anders]	Various	No
AU	Groom_town-proclamation	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of town where groom was living or had recently lived and where marriage banns also had to be proclaimed	Text copied as-is from source	No
AV	Groom_orphans-chamber-satisfaction	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if registration in source mentioned groom had to make arrangements with municipal orphans' chamber; only applicable in case of remarrying widowers or	0 = no mention (default) 1 = mention of required arrangement with municipal orphans' chamber	No, but default value if unchecked

					divorcees with children from their previous marriage		
AW	Groom_signature	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if groom signed registration with full first name and/or full last name	0 = no signature (default) 1 = signed by groom with at least full first name or full last name	No, but default value if unchecked
AX	Remarks_groom	Participants	Free text	Yes	Remarks specifically concerning groom	Various	No
AY	Bride_origin	Participants	Free text	Yes	Place of origin bride; spelling as-is in original source	Various; in case of no data in source pound mark (#)	Yes
AZ	Bride_origin_general	Data manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Standardized form of entry in column Bride_origin (AY)	If referring to Amsterdam = [from Amsterdam] If referring to other location = [outside Amsterdam] If no data in source = [_not mentioned in source]	
BA	Bride_origin_current-name	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Current name of location mentioned in column Bride_origin (AY)	Only processed for Amsterdam = [Amsterdam] If no data in source = [_not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	
BB	Bride_origin_match-Hart	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Indication about how data column Bride-origin (AY) matched with Hart (n.d.)	Only processed for Amsterdam. Unique = one-to-one match Multiple = one-to-many match ^{vi} Deduced = match established through additional research (also applies to abbreviations) If no data in source = [_place of origin not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	
BC	Bride_origin_ISO3166-country	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	ISO-3166 country code ^{vii} for location mentioned in column Bride_origin_current-name (BA); present-day country defines code	ISO-3166 country codes. Only processed for Amsterdam = [NL] If no data in source = [_place of origin not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	
BD	Bride_origin_ISO3166-region	Data manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	ISO-3166 region code for location mentioned in column	ISO-3166 region codes. Only processed for	

					Bride_origin_current-name (BA); present-day region defines code	Amsterdam = [NH] If no data in source = [_place of origin not mentioned in source] All other = {TBA}	
BE	Bride_religion	Participants & Data Manager	Pre-defined list & free text	Yes	Religious conviction of bride, as mentioned in source; original entries under option [Anders] have been standardized and integrated by Data Manager with pre-defined list of options	Augsburgse confessie Broedergemeente Doopsgezind Episcopaal Gereformeerd Grieks-katholiek Jansenist Joods / Israëlitisch Luthers Mennoniet ongedoopt Quakers Remonstrant Rooms Waals [_not mentioned in source]	
BF	Bride_occupation	Participants	Free text	Yes	Occupation of bride, as mentioned in original source; spelling as-is in source; mainly only in pre-1715 registrations	Various In case of no data = [_occupation not mentioned in source]	No
BG	Bride_age_cleaned_yronly	Participants & Data Manager	Numerical, integers	Yes	Age of bride, as mentioned in original source; only registered for females not previously married; empty fields and incomplete/illegible ages marked by Data Manager	Ages between 13 and 93. In case of no data = [_not mentioned in source] In case of incomplete data in source = [_incomplete age in source] In case of illegible age in source = [_illegible in source]	Yes
BH	Bride_age-estimated	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if text in source indicated that age was estimate	0 = not estimated (default) 1 = estimated	No, but default value if unchecked
BI	Bride_marital_status_standardized	Participants & Data Manager	Pre-defined options list	Yes	Marital status bride as mentioned in source, selected from a pre- defined options list	Gescheiden Jong(e)dochter / JD Ongehuwd Weduwe Blanks and entries [Niet vermeld] have been replaced	No

						by Data Manager with [_not mentioned in source]	
BJ	Bride_widowhood_original	Participants & Data Manager	Numerical/ Free text	Yes	Duration of widowhood at moment of remarrying; mostly registered in pre-1665 registrations	If numerical value in source, value = mentioned value, calculated into years (up to three decimals) If descriptive value, text copied as-is from source If blank, value [_not mentioned in source] added by Data Manager	No
BK	Bride_widowhood_yrsonly	Data Manager	Numerical	Yes	Duration of widowhood, mentioned in column bride_widowhood_original, excluding non-numerical values	If value in source numerical, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If duration of stay was calculable from descriptive text, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If duration of stay was not calculable from descriptive text, value = [_not calculable_] If no data, value [_no data in source_]	n/a
BL	Bride_parents_deceased	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if text explicitly mentioned bride's parents were deceased; only registered for first-time brides	0 = no mention of parents being deceased (default) 1 = explicit mention that parents were deceased	No, but default value if unchecked
BM	Bride_parents_address	Participants	Free text	Yes	Address of bride's parents, as mentioned in original source	If value column Bruid_ouders_overleden = 1, then value = [_not applicable - parents deceased_] If value column Bruid_ouders_overleden = 0, but no address is mentioned then value = [_not mentioned in source] In other cases, address copied as-is from original source	No
BN	Bride_in-ASD-since_original	Participants	Numerical (up to 3 decimals) / Free text	Yes	Number of years bride resided in Amsterdam at moment of registration, according to source;	In case of numerical value in source, value from source was entered in years, figure	No

					mainly in pre-1610 registrations	up to 3 decimals In case of descriptive value, copied as-is from source In case of no data, value [_no data in source_] added by Data Manager	
BO	Bride_in-ASD-since_yrs	Data Manager	Numerical (up to 3 decimals)	Yes	Value of column Bride_in-ASD-since_original (BN) calculated into years whenever possible	In case of numerical value in source, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If duration of stay was calculable from descriptive text, value from source was entered in years, figure up to 3 decimals If duration of stay was not calculable from descriptive text, value = [_not calculable_] <p>If no data, value [_no data in source_] </p>	n/a
BP	Bride_address	Participants & Data Manager	Free text	Yes	Address or town of residence of bride, as mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source In case of no data, value [_not mentioned in source] added by Data Manager	No
BQ	Bride_witness_1	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of bride's 1st witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
BR	Bride_witness_relation_1	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of bride's 1st witness, mentioned in column Bride_witness_1 (BQ); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Bride_witness_1 (BQ), but relation 1st witness was mentioned without witness's name	(Recht)zusterling Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halfbroer Halfzus	No

						Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
BS	Bride_witness_relation_1_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 1st witness to bride in source if selected option in column Bride_witness_relation_1 (BR) was [Anders]	Various	No
BT	Bride_wn1_relation_standardized	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Standardized code for relation 1st witness to bride mentioned in column Bride_witness_relation_1 (BR) and Bride_witness_relation_1_anders (BS)	_WWN1_NOWITNESS _WWN1_OTHER _WWN1_UNKNOWN WWN1_ACQUAINTANCE WWN1_AUNT WWN1_BROTHER WWN1_BROTHER-IN-LAW WWN1_COHABITANT WWN1_CUSTODIAN WWN1_DOCUMENTS WWN1_FATHER	n/a

						WWN1_FATHER-IN-LAW WWN1_FOSTERFATHER WWN1_FOSTERMOTHER WWN1_GODFATHER WWN1_GODMOTHER WWN1_GODPARENT WWN1_GRAND-AUNT WWN1_GRANDFATHER WWN1_GRANDMOTHER WWN1_GRANDMOTHER-IN-LAW WWN1_GRAND-UNCLE WWN1_GROOMS-FAMILY WWN1_GUARDIAN WWN1_HALFBROTHER WWN1_HALFSISTER WWN1_LODGING-KEEPER WWN1_MASTER WWN1_MISTRESS WWN1_MOTHER WWN1_MOTHER-IN-LAW WWN1_NEIGHBOR WWN1_NEPHEW WWN1_NEPHEW-OR-MALE-COUSIN WWN1_NEXTOFKIN WWN1_NIECE WWN1_NIECE-OR-FEMALE-COUSIN WWN1_OTHER WWN1_REPLACANT WWN1_REPLACANT-AUNT WWN1_REPLACANT-CUSTODIAN WWN1_REPLACANT-FATHER WWN1_REPLACANT-GROOM WWN1_REPLACANT-MOTHER WWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-CHURCH WWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-	
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						CITY WWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-FORMAL WWN1_REPRESENTATIVE-ORPHANAGE WWN1_SISTER WWN1_SISTER-IN-LAW WWN1_STEPBROTHER WWN1_STEPFATHER WWN1_STEPGRANDMOTHER WWN1_STEPMOTHER WWN1_STEPUNCLE WWN1_TO-CHECK WWN1_UNCLE WWN1_UNCLE-IN-LAW	
BU	Bride_witness_2	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of bride's 2nd witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
BV	Bride_witness_relation_2	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of bride's 2nd witness, mentioned in column Bride_witness_2 (BU); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Bride_witness_2 (BU), but relation 2nd witness was mentioned without witness's name	(Recht)zusterling Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halbroer Halfzus Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader	No

						Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
BW	Bride_witness_relation_2_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 2nd witness to bride in source if selected option in column Bride_witness_relation_2 (BV) was [Anders]	Various	No
BX	Bride_witness_3	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of bride's 3rd witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
BY	Bride_witness_relation_3	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of bride's 3rd witness, mentioned in column Bride_witness_3rd (BX); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Bride_witness_3 (BX), but relation 3rd witness was mentioned without witness's name	(Recht)zusterling Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halbroer Halfzus Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye	No

						Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
BZ	Bride_witness_relation_3_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 3rd witness to bride in source if selected option in column Bride_witness_relation_3 (BY) was [Anders]	Various	No
CA	Bride_witness_4	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of bride's 4th witness, if mentioned in source	Text copied as-is from source	No
CB	Bride_witness_relation_4	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of bride's 4th witness, mentioned in column Bride_witness_4 (CA); also noted if no name was mentioned in column Bride_witness_4 (CA), but relation 4th witness was mentioned without witness's name	(Recht)zusterling Anders Behuwdmoeder Behuwdoom Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Cosijn / cousijn Grootmoeder Grootvader Halfbroer	No

						Halfzus Halfzuster Huisgenoot Meester / gewezen meester Moeder Moeije / muye Neef / neve Nicht Niet gespecificeerd Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Peter / Peetvader Schoonmoeder Schoonvader Slaapbaas Slaapheer (logementhouder) Slaapvrouw (logementhoudster) Snaar / snaer Stiefmoeder Stiefvader Tante Vader Voogd Vrouwe / gewezen vrouwe Zoon Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
CC	Bride_witness_relation_4_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of mentioned relation 4th witness to bride in source if selected option in column Bride_witness_relation_4 (CB) was [Anders]	Various	No
CD	Bride_consent_relation_1	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation of 1st person giving written legal consent to bride, if mentioned in source	Anders Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Grootmoeder Grootvader Moeder	No

						Moeije / muye Naaste verwanten / naaste vrienden Neef / neve Niet gespecificeerd Niet vermeld Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Schepen Vader Voogd Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
CE	Bride_consent_relation_1_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of relation 1st person giving written legal consent to bride, if selected value in column Bride_consent_relation_1 (CD) was [Anders]	Various	No
CF	Bride_consent1_standardized	Data Manager	Text (standardized)	Yes	Standardized codes for relation 1st person giving written legal consent to bride, mentioned in column Bride_consent_relation_1 (CD) or Bride_consent_relation_1_anders (CE)	_WCG1_NODATA WCG1_AUNT WCG1_BROTHER WCG1_BROTHER-IN-LAW WCG1_CUSTODIAN WCG1_DAUGHTER WCG1_DOCUMENTS WCG1_FATHER WCG1_GODMOTHER WCG1_GRANDFATHER WCG1_GRANDMOTHER WCG1_MASTER WCG1_MOTHER WCG1_NEPHEW-OR-MALE-COUSIN WCG1_NEXT-OF-KIN WCG1_REPRESENTATIVE-CHURCH WCG1_REPRESENTATIVE-CITY WCG1_REPRESENTATIVE-FORMAL WCG1_REPRESENTATIVE-JUDICIAL	n/a

						WCG1_REPRESENTATIVE-ORPHANAGE WCG1_SUPERIOR-MILITARY WCG1_UNCLE WCG1_WEESKAMER	
CG	Bride_consent_relation_2	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation to bride of 2nd person giving written legal consent, if mentioned in source	Anders Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Grootmoeder Grootvader Moeder Moeije / muye Naaste verwanten / naaste vrienden Neef / neve Niet gespecificeerd Niet vermeld Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Schepen Vader Voogd Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	No
CH	Bride_consent_relation_2_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of relation 2nd person giving written legal consent to bride, if selected value in column Bride_consent_relation_2 (CG) was [Anders]	Various	No
CI	Bride_consent_relation_3	Participants	Pre-defined list	Yes	Relation to bride of 3rd person giving written legal consent , if mentioned in source	Anders Behuwdvader Bestemoeder Bestevader Broer Burgemeester / Oud-burgemeester Grootmoeder Grootvader	No

						Moeder Moeije / muye Naaste verwanten / naaste vrienden Neef / neve Niet gespecificeerd Niet vermeld Oom Petemoei / Peetmoeder Scheper Vader Voogd Zus Zwager / swa(e)ger	
CJ	Bride_consent_relation_3_anders	Participants	Free text	Yes	Specification of relation 3rd person giving written legal consent to bride, if selected value in column Bride_consent_relation_3 (CI) was [Anders]	Various	No
CK	Bride_town-proclamation	Participants	Free text	Yes	Name of town where bride was living or had recently lived and where marriage banns also had to be proclaimed	Text copied as-is from source	No
CL	Bride_orphans-chamber-satisfaction	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if registration in source mentioned bride had to make arrangements with municipal orphans' chamber; only applicable in case of remarrying widows or divorcees with children from their previous marriage	0 = no mention (default) 1 = mention of required arrangement with municipal orphans' chamber	No, but default value if unchecked
CM	Bride_signature	Participants	Binary	Yes	Checked by participant if bride signed registration with full first name and/or full last name	0 = no signature (default) 1 = signed by bride with at least full first name or full last name	No, but default value if unchecked
CN	Remarks_bride	Participants	Free text	Yes	Remarks specifically concerning bride	Various	No
CO	Registration_date-full	SAA	Date	Yes	Date of registration marriage banns	Dates from every fifth year between 1580 and 1810, format yyyy-mm-dd	n/a
CP	Reg_year	Data Manager	Numerical, integer	Yes	Year part of date from column iregistration_date-full (CO)	Every fifth year between 1580 and 1610, format yyyy	n/a

CQ	Reg_month	Data Manager	Numerical, integer	Yes	Month part of date from column registration_date-full (CO)	Months 1 to 12, format m for January-September, format mm for October-December	n/a
CR	Reg_day	Data Manager	Numerical, integer	Yes	Day part of date from column iregistration_date-full (CO)	Days 1 to 31, format d for days 1 to 9, format dd for days 10-31	n/a
CS	Groom	SAA	Text	Yes	Name of groom, as registered in index of names premarriage banns Amsterdam City Archives	Various, format = Last name(s) [preposition(s)], First name(s)	n/a
CT	Groom_frmr-spouse	SAA	Text	Yes	Name of previous partner groom, as registered in index on names premarriage banns Amsterdam City Archives; only for remarrying widowers and divorcees	Various, format = Last name(s) [preposition(s)], First name(s)	n/a
CU	Bride	SAA	Text	Yes	Name of bride, as registered in index on names premarriage banns Amsterdam City Archives	Various, format = Last name(s) [preposition(s)], First name(s)	n/a
CV	Bride_frmr-spouse	SAA	Text	Yes	Name of previous partner bride, as registered in index on names premarriage banns Amsterdam City Archives; only for remarrying widows and divorcees	Various, format = Last name(s) [preposition(s)], First name(s)	n/a
CW	Couple_age-gap	Data Manager	Numerical, integer	Yes	Calculated age difference between groom and bride; only possible for couples for which ages of both are known (columns S and BG)	Age from column Groom_age_cleaned_yronly (S) minus age from column Bride_age_cleaned_yronly (BG); values between -37 and 44 If age of groom and/or bride was unknown, value [_not calculable_] was entered by Data Manager	n/a
CX	Water	Data users	Binary	Yes	Checked by data users to indicate occupation groom (columns O and P) was related to water	0 = occupation groom not related to water 1 = occupation groom related to water	n/a
CY	Textile	Data users	Binary	Yes	Checked by data users to indicate occupation groom (columns O and P) was related to textile industry	0 = occupation groom not related to textile industry 1 = occupation groom related to textile industry	n/a
CZ	HISclass_rough	Data users	Numerical,	Yes	HISCLASS-code according to	Values 1-3, if occupation	n/a

			integers		'rough' classification into three categories (Van Leeuwen and Maas 2011)	unknown or unclassified, either #NULL or blanks	
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ⁱ Possible origins are:

Data Manager : added by project Data Manager while processing full dataset for storage

Data users : added columns by users of dataset

Participants : data entered by project participants

SAA : data originating from existing index Stadsarchief Amsterdam (Amsterdam City Archives) on names marriage banns registers

Vele Handen : automatically added by software of Vele Handen platform

ⁱⁱ The mandatory fields are those for which the participants were instructed to enter data for each record, even if the requested data was not in the related source registration; in the latter case, participants were instructed to enter a pound sign (#).

ⁱⁱⁱ As there were multiple (usually 6) registrations per scan, same scan codes were used for multiple entries

^{iv} Not used for Amsterdam. Code is reserved for future entries where entry in column `bruidegom_herkomst` (H) matches with several locations in Hart (n.d.) and no unique match could be established.

^v For some locations, especially in Eastern Europe, the country of the location may have changed over time. Entered is the present-day country code.

^{vi} Not used for Amsterdam. Code is reserved for future entries where entry in column `bruid_herkomst` (AY) matches with several locations in Hart (n.d.) and no unique match could be established.

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