

Instructional Delivery Code & Course Section Technology Changes for Spring 2026 MT Collection

Beginning with the Spring 2026 Mid-Term (MT) 20264 Academic Data Collection, changes will be made to the collection of Instructional Delivery Code and Course Section Technology data.

Instructional Delivery Code (SEC025) – Updated Valid Values

Code	Description
F	Fully at a distance - All instruction is delivered via technology. The course does not require students to travel to a classroom for instruction; however, it might require students to travel to a site to attend a course orientation or to take exams. (NOTE: This is generally equivalent to delivering more than 95 percent of sessions via technology.)
P	Predominately at a distance - Technology is used to deliver 51 percent or more of scheduled class sessions, but at least one visit to a classroom (or similar site) for instruction is required.
H	At most HALF at a distance - Technology is used to deliver 50 percent or less of scheduled class sessions, but at least one class session is replaced by technology.
Null	This will equate to Technology Enhanced In Person courses – Our reporting definitions already included Null values with Technology Enhanced values

Banner Administrative Forms and Tables: SSASECT (SSBSECT_INSM_CODE). Translation available on SOAXREF-RGTINSM.

- Discontinue valid value of ‘T – Technology Enhanced’
- Discontinue valid value of ‘E – Entirely at a Distance’
- Update description for valid value of ‘F’
- Update description for valid value and ‘P’
- Update description for valid value of ‘H’

Institutions can continue using their existing instructional delivery codes on SSASECT if they so choose but must ensure those codes are translated to appropriate updated valid values listed above on SOAXREF-RGTINSM.

Course Section Technology (SEC024) – Discontinue all Valid Values

Code	Description
21	Internet – Instruction delivered via the Internet (web delivery).
22	Special Facilities – Class sessions meet at a specific assigned space where instruction is delivered via distance education technology (i.e. two-way interactive videoconferencing)
23	Distributed Media – Instruction transmitted via satellite, cable TV, radio, CD ROM, DVD, Blu-Ray Disc, etc.

Banner Administrative Forms and Tables: SSASECT, Delivery Technology Tab, Technology Type (SSRSCCD_SCCD_CODE). Translation available on SOAXREF-RGTSCCD.

Institutions may continue populating this table, but we will no longer be requiring this data as part of academic data collection.

ITS will send out official communication regarding these changes and associated validations closer to the Spring 2026 MT collection. Institutions are also encouraged to sign up for beta testing with ITS prior to the opening of the Spring 2026 MT collection.

Thank you for providing feedback on these changes throughout the Academic Data Governance Committee approval process whether it was through this committee, Registrar meetings, or RAC communications. These changes were approved at the March 19, 2025, Academic Data Governance Committee meeting.

As always, we appreciate all you do for the Academic Data Collection. Please contact us at support@usg.edu if you have any questions.