

Instructions to accompany the 2023 ME UC-1 UNEMPLOYMENT CONTRIBUTIONS REPORT
2-D Bar Code Specifications

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If there is no data to put in a field then it is to be left blank/null unless otherwise stated in the VALUE column.
This is the case for all 2D barcodes.*

**** 2-D Barcode Area formed by grid coordinates 56-07 to 62-46**

Updated: 11/26/2022

Changes highlighted in yellow.

2-D Field No	FIELD NAME	Data Type	Size	Req'd Field	VALUE	Source Form and Special Requirements	
1	HEADER_VER_NUMBER	AN	2	Y	T1	FTA STANDARD	
2	VENDOR_CDE	N	4	Y	FTA Assigned	Vendor creating 2D barcode	
3	SOFTWARE_VER	AN	2	Y		Vendor provided	
4	VENDOR_CDE_ME	N	2	Y		Substitute Form Vendor Code Assigned by Maine Revenue Services	05-79,02
5	STATE_CDE	A	2	Y	ME		
6	FORM_YR_NUMBER	A	4	Y	2023		
7	FORM_CDE	AN	10	Y	MEUC1_2023	Unemployment Contribution Report	Changed Year Changed Form CDE
8	FORM_VERS_NUM	A	2	Y	01	Number advanced by vendor with each change to format of 2D barcode	
9	TP_START	N	8	Y	MMDDYYYY	Valid dates are 0101YYYY, 0401YYYY, 0701YYYY, 1001YYYY	14-57,10
10	TP_END	N	8	Y	MMDDYYYY	Valid dates are 0331YYYY, 0630YYYY, 0930YYYY, 1231YYYY	14-70,10
11	ACCOUNT_ID	AN	10	Y		ME UC-1	10-70,10
12	ENITY_ID	N	9	Y		ME UC-1	12-70,10
13	NAME	AN	35	Y		ME UC-1	09-07,22
14	EMPLOYEE_COUNT_1	N	0-5	N		ME UC-1	20-55,06

15	EMPLOYEE_COUNT_2	N	0-5	N	ME UC-1	20-64,06
16	EMPLOYEE_COUNT_3	N	0-5	N	ME UC-1	20-73,06
17	FEM_EMPLOYEE_COUNT_1	N	0-5	N	ME UC-1	22-55,06
18	FEM_EMPLOYEE_COUNT_2	N	0-5	N	ME UC-1	22-64,06
19	FEM_EMPLOYEE_COUNT_3	N	0-5	N	ME UC-1	22-73,06
20	UC_WAGES	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	25-59,15
21	EXCESS_WAGES	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	27-59,15
22	TAXABLE_WAGES	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	29-59,15
23	UC_DUE	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	31-59,15
24	CSSF_ASSESS	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	33-59,15
25	UPAF_ASSESS	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	35-59,15
26	TOTAL_CONT_CSSF	N	0-14	N	ME UC-1	38-59,15
27	PREPARER_EIN	AN	0-9	N	ME UC-1	51-70,10
28	PAYROLL_PROCESSOR	AN	0-7	N	ME UC-1	53-71,08
29	End of File	A	5	Y	*EOD*	FTA STANDARD

Instructions to accompany the 2023 ME UC-1SCH2 UNEMPLOYMENT CONTRIBUTIONS REPORT

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Check Boxes are coded as "Data Type" Numerical "N" with a blank being coded as a zero "0" and a check being coded as a one "1".

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**** 2-D Barcode Area formed by grid coordinates 54-07 to 62-36**

Updated: 11/29/2022

Changes highlighted in yellow.

SCHEDULE 2 (FORM ME UC-1) 2021

2-D Field No	FIELD NAME	Data Type	Size	Req'd Field	VALUE	Source Form and Special Requirements	Location on the Form Indicated
1	HEADER_VER_NUMBER	AN	2	Y	T1	FTA STANDARD	
2	VENDOR_CDE	N	4	Y	FTA Assigned	Vendor creating 2D barcode	
3	SOFTWARE_VER	AN	2	Y		Vendor provided	
4	VENDOR_CDE_ME	N	2	Y		Substitute Form Vendor Code Assigned by Maine Revenue Services	5-79,02
5	STATE_CDE	A	2	Y	ME		
6	FORM_YR_NUMBER	A	4	Y	2023		
7	FORM_CDE	AN	14	Y	MEUC1SCH2_2023	Unemployment Contribution Report	
8	FORM_VERS_NUM	A	2	Y	01	Number advanced by vendor with each change to format of 2D barcode	
9	TP_START	N	8	Y	MMDDYYYY	Valid dates are 0101YYYY, 0401YYYY, 0701YYYY,1001YYYY	10-54,10
10	TP_END	N	8	Y	MMDDYYYY	Valid dates are 0331YYYY, 0630YYYY, 0930YYYY, 1231YYYY	10-67,10
11	ENTITY_ID	N	9	Y		Schedule 2	10-27,10

Changed Year
Changed Form CDE

12	12a Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	18-41,11
13	13a UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	18-65,10
14	SEASONAL CHECK BOX A	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	18-78,01
15	12b Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	20-41-11
16	13b UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	20-65,10
17	SEASONAL CHECK BOX B	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	20-78,01
18	12c Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	22-41-11
19	13c UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	22-65,10
20	SEASONAL CHECK BOX C	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	22-78,01
21	12d Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	24-41,11
22	13d UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	24-65,10
23	SEASONAL CHECK BOX D	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	24-78,01
24	12e Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	26-41,11
25	13e UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	26-65,10
26	SEASONAL CHECK BOX E	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	26-78,01
27	12f Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	28-41,11
28	13f UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	28-65,10
29	SEASONAL CHECK BOX F	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	28-78,01
30	12g Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	30-41,11
31	13g UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	30-65,10
32	SEASONAL CHECK BOX G	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	30-78,01
33	12h Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	32-41,11
34	13h UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	32-65,10
35	SEASONAL CHECK BOX H	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	32-78,01
36	12i Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	34-41,11
37	13i UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	34-65,10
38	SEASONAL CHECK BOX I	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	34-78,01
39	12j Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	36-41,11
40	13j UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	36-65,10
41	SEASONAL CHECK BOX J	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	36-78,01
42	12k Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	38-41,11

43	13k UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	38-65,10
44	SEASONAL CHECK BOX K	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	38-78,01
45	12l Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	40-41,11
46	13l UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	40-65,10
47	SEASONAL CHECK BOX L	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	40-78,01
48	12m Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	42-41,11
49	13m UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	42-65,10
50	SEASONAL CHECK BOX M	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	42-78,01
51	12n Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	44-41,11
52	13n UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	44-65,10
53	SEASONAL CHECK BOX N	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	44-78,01
54	12o Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	46-41,11
55	13o UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	46-65,10
56	SEASONAL CHECK BOX O	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	46-78,01
57	12p Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	48-41,11
58	13p UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	48-65,10
59	SEASONAL CHECK BOX P	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	48-78,01
60	12q Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	50-41,11
61	13q UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	50-65,10
62	SEASONAL CHECK BOX Q	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	50-78,01
63	12r Payee SSN	N	0 or 9	N		Any populated row must have valid 9 digit SSN Schedule 2	52-41,11
64	13r UC Gross Wages Paid	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	52-65,10
65	SEASONAL CHECK BOX R	N	1	N	0 or 1	0 = Blank, 1 = Checked Schedule 2	52-78,01
66	UC Gross PG Total	N	0-14	N		Schedule 2	55-67,12
67	End of File	A	5	Y	*EOD*	FTA STANDARD	