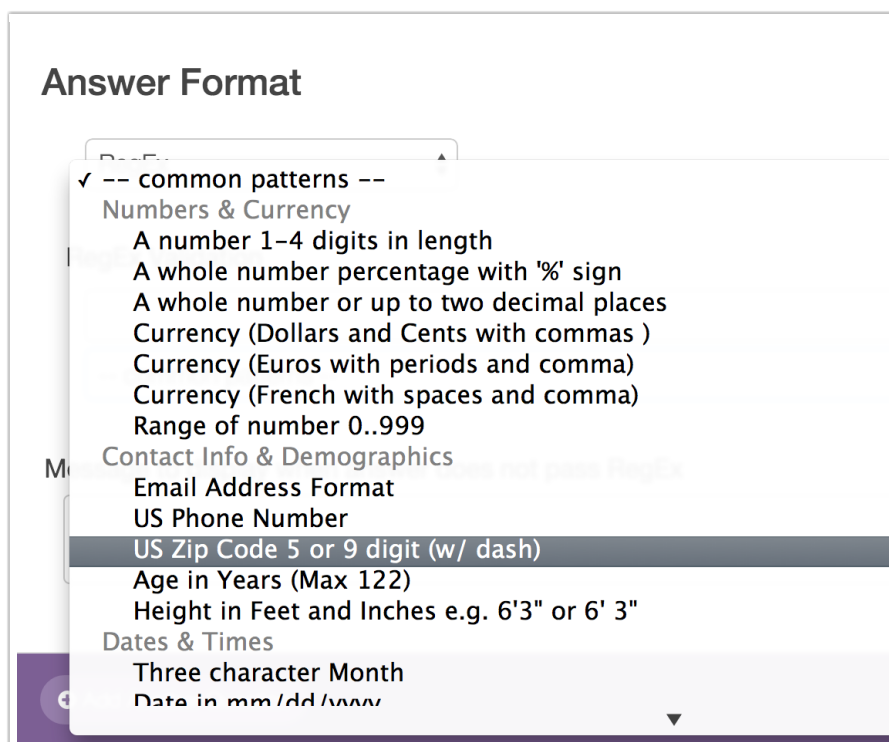


Create and Validate a Zip Code Question

Looking to collect US zip codes and validate that the entries are correct? Here's how!

1. Click **Question** at the bottom of the page where you wish to add your zip code question.
2. Select **Textbox** from the Question Type dropdown menu and enter your question text.
3. Next, head over to the **Validation** tab and select **RegEx** in the Answer Format dropdown menu.
4. In the **Common Patterns** dropdown menu that appears after selecting RegEx, select **US Zip Code 5 or 9 digit (w/ dash)**. This will populate with the RegEx Validation field with pattern that will validate that your respondents enter either a 5-digit US Zip Code or a 9-digit US Zip Code with a dash.



5. Finally, enter the message you wish to display if the survey respondent's entry does not pass your RegEx validation rules.

Answer Format

RegEx

RegEx Validation

`^\d{5}([\d]{4}){0,1}$`

-- common patterns --

Message to display when answer does not pass RegEx

Please enter your zip code in one of the following formats: 12345 or 12345-7890

FAQ

What if I wish to allow 5-digit zip codes only?

You can do this! To do so follow steps 1-3 above. Then, instead of selecting from the Common Patterns dropdown menu simply paste the below code in to the **RegEx Validation** field. Finish by entering the message you wish to display if the survey respondent's entry does not pass your RegEx validation rules.

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^\d{5}$
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Answer Format

RegEx

RegEx Validation

`^\d{5}$`

Common RegEx Patterns

-- common patterns --

Message to display when answer does not pass RegEx

Please enter your zip code like so: 12345