Can you decode this?

069–2026–2027–1301

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Unless you understand what a TAFS is, you're blindfolded.

The Executive Branch uses these codes to track:

→ Apportionments

→ Budget execution

→ Grant and Contract transactions

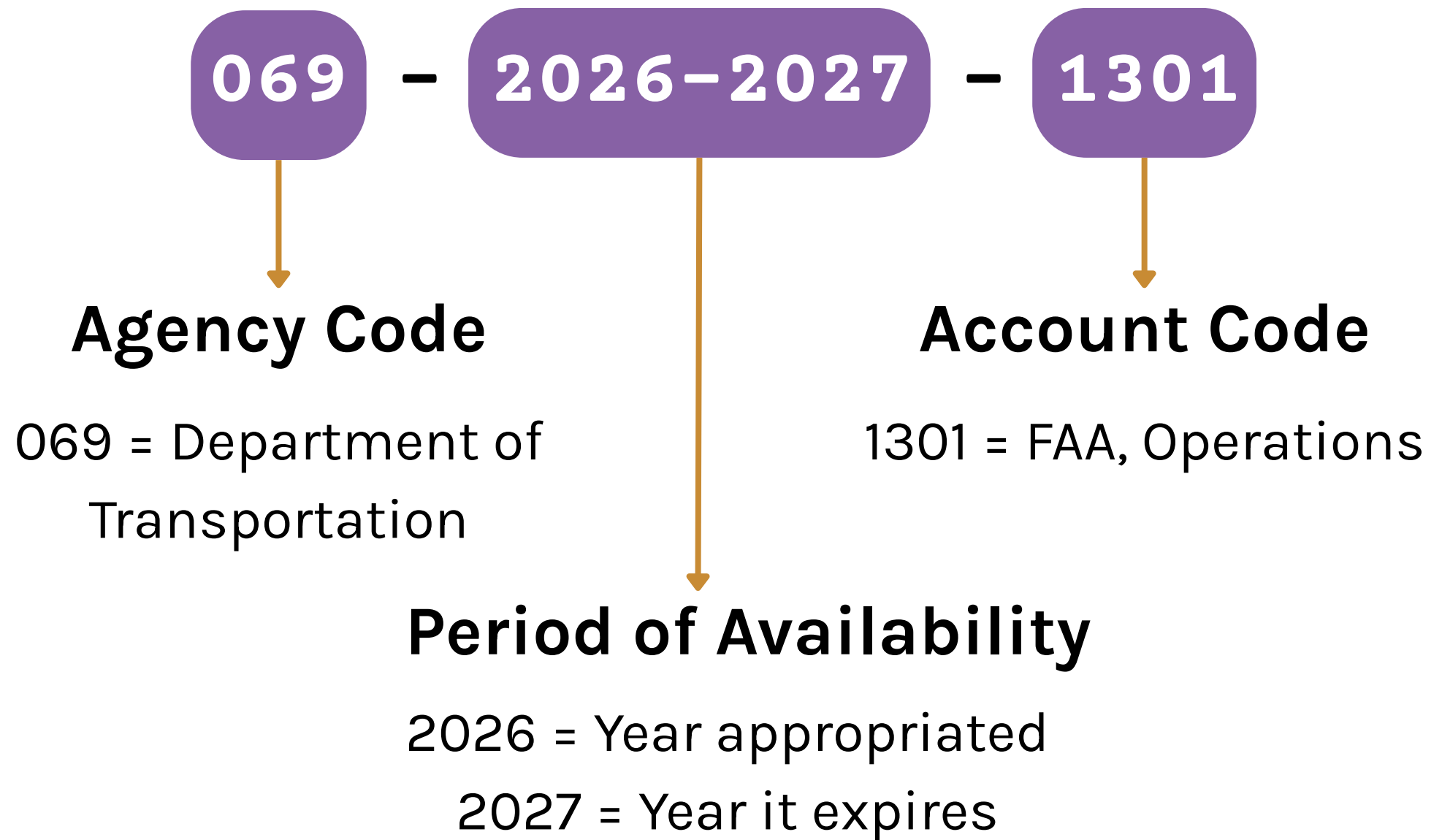# The data exists. You just can't read it.

A TAFS is a:

Treasury
Appropriation
Fund
Symbol

It's the primary key for every federal spending account.

It links an appropriations account across data sources and across fiscal years.

Anatomy of a TAFS Code

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Agency Code

069 = Department of Transportation

Period of Availability

2026 = Year appropriated

2027 = Year it expires

Account Code

1301 = FAA, Operations

Agency Code

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069 = Department of Transportation

Other common agency codes:
012 = USDA
020 = Treasury
075 = HHS
086 = HUD
097 = DOD

Account Code

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1301 = FAA Operations
(air traffic controllers, airspace ops)

Other DOT examples:
1308 = FAA Facilities & Equipment
1129 = Transit Formula Grants
8083 = Federal-Aid Highways

Period of Availability

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2026/2027 = Multi-year
(appropriated FY26, expires FY27)

Other common durations:
Single-year = 2026/2026 or /26

No-year = X
(available until spent)

Without TAFS literacy you can't:

✗ Decode what Congress rescinded

✗ Connect bills to execution data

✗ Track impoundments

✗ Identify spending delays

The blindfold stays on.

Learn how to read the code.

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