

106 CODED DATA FIELD: TEXTUAL RESOURCE - FORM OF ITEM

Field Definition

This field contains coded data relating to the form of ~~an item~~ textual unmediated resources (i.e., no mediation device is required to use or perceive the textual content of the resource).

Occurrence

Optional. Not repeatable.

Indicators

Indicator 1: blank (not defined)

Indicator 2: blank (not defined)

Subfield

\$a Form of ~~resource~~ ~~item~~: Coded Data:Medium Designator

A one character code indicates the physical medium of the ~~resource~~ ~~item~~. The following codes are used:

d = large print

e = newspaper format

f = Braille or Moon script

g = microprint

h = hand-written

i = multimedia (e.g. a resource ~~an item in regular print with a microfiche supplement~~)—
(*obsolete*)

This code is replaced by field 182 Coded Data Field - Media type, \$a/0 code "m"= "multiple media".

j = mini-print

r = regular print

s = electronic (*obsolete*)

This code is replaced by field 182 Coded Data Field - Media type, \$a/0 code "b"= "electronic". ~~To be used when resource Item is intended for manipulation by a computer. The resource item may reside in a carrier accessed either directly or remotely, in some cases requiring the use of peripheral devices attached to the computer. This code is not used for items that do not necessarily require the use of a computer (e.g. music compact discs, videodiscs).~~

t = microform (*obsolete*)

This code is replaced by field 182 Coded Data Field - Media type, \$a/0 code "c"= "microform".

z = other form of material

Notes on Field Contents

Where the textual material is regular print, the field may contain code 'r' or be omitted altogether.

Related fields

RECORD LABEL, character position 6, Type of Record

1-- CODED DATA FIELDS for other types of materials

182 CODED DATA FIELD - MEDIA TYPE

~~130 CODED DATA FIELD: MICROFORMS: PHYSICAL ATTRIBUTES~~

~~135 CODED DATA FIELD: ELECTRONIC RESOURCES~~

~~200 TITLE AND STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY subfield \$b, General Material Designation~~

451 OTHER EDITION IN SAME MEDIUM

452 EDITION IN A DIFFERENT MEDIUM

Used to link the current record to the original physical medium of the item.

~~500 UNIFORM TITLE subfield \$b, General Material Designation~~

Examples

EX 1: 106 ##\$ae

The item is a newspaper presented in a newspaper format.

~~EX 2: 106 ##\$as~~

~~The item is a remotely accessed electronic resource.~~

~~EX 3: 106 ##\$at~~

~~The item is a microform.~~