

515 RELATED ACCESS POINT – TERRITORIAL OR GEOGRAPHICAL NAME

Field Definition and Scope

Authorized form of territorial or geographical name that is related to the access point in the 2-- field.

It is formulated in accordance with the cataloguing rules or subject system in use by the agency which created it.

Territorial names alone or only with subject subdivisions as additions are considered territorial names (fields 515); territorial names followed by a corporate subdivision are considered corporate names (fields 510).

Subfields & Occurrence

Field/Subfield	Field/Subfield Name	Repeatability	Occurrence
515	RELATED ACCESS POINT – TERRITORIAL OR GEOGRAPHICAL NAME	R	O
a	Entry Element	NR	MA
b	Intermediate Location	R	O
c	Broader Location	NR	O
d	Addition to Name or Qualifier	R	O
j	Form Subdivision	R	O
x	Topical Subdivision	R	O
y	Geographical Subdivision	R	O
z	Chronological Subdivision	R	O
0	Instruction Phrase	NR	O
2	Source	NR	O
3	Authority Record Identifier or Standard Number	NR	O
5	Relationship Control	NR	O
6	Interfield Linking Data	NR	O
7	Script of Cataloguing and Script of the Base Access Point	NR	O
8	Language of Cataloguing and Language of the Base Access Point	NR	O
R	Real World Object	O	R

Indicators

Indicator	Value	Description
1	#	blank (not defined)
2	#	blank (not defined)

Subfields Description

\$a Entry Element

Portion of the name used as the entry element in the access point; that part of the name by which the name is entered in ordered lists.

This subfield must be present when the field is present. Not repeatable.

\$b Intermediate Location

Intermediate location, such as a district, county, state, or other geographic subdivision within the broader location recorded in \$c.

Repeatable if multiple intermediate locations need to be recorded.

\$c Broader Location

Broader location of the territorial or geographical name, such as the country or continent to which the territorial or geographical name belongs.

Not repeatable.

\$d Addition to Name or Qualifier

Addition to the name of the territorial or geographical name added by the cataloguer.

Repeatable.

\$j Form Subdivision

Term added to a subject access point to further specify the kind(s) or genre(s) of material.

Agencies not using this subdivision should use \$x instead. Repeatable.

\$x Topical Subdivision

Term added to a subject access point to further specify the topic the subject access point represents.

Repeatable.

\$y Geographical Subdivision

Term added to a subject access point to specify a place in relation to the territory or geographical name that the subject access point represents.

Repeatable.

\$z Chronological Subdivision

Term added to a subject access point to specify the period in time in relation to a territory or geographical name that the subject access point represents.

Repeatable.

\$0 Instruction Phrase

See specification of [Control Subfield 0](#). Not repeatable.

\$2 Source

See specification of [Control Subfield 2](#). Not repeatable.

\$3 Authority Record Identifier or Standard Number

See specification of [Control Subfield 3](#). Not repeatable.

\$5 Relationship Control

See specification of [Control Subfield 5](#). Not repeatable.

\$6 Interfield Linking Data

See specification of [Control Subfield 6](#). Not repeatable.

\$7 Script of Cataloguing and Script of the Base Access Point

See specification of [Control Subfield 7](#). Not repeatable.

\$8 Language of Cataloguing and Language of the Base Access Point

See specification of [Control Subfield 8](#). Not repeatable.

\$R Real World Object URI

See specification of [Control Subfield 3](#). Repeatable.

Related Fields

215 AUTHORIZED ACCESS POINT – TERRITORIAL OR GEOGRAPHICAL NAME
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Examples

EX 1
215 ##\$aSri Lanka
515 ###\$aCeylon
EX 2
215 ##\$aKabwe (Zambia)
515 ###\$a\$Brokes Hill (Zambia)
EX 3
215 ##\$aШри Ланка
515 ###\$a\$Цейлон
EX 4
220 ##\$aРамессиды\$сдинастия\$f1206 – ок.1070 до н.э.
515 ##\$g\$aЕгипет Древний\$xИстория
EX 5
250 ##\$aВойна в зоне Персидского залива\$z1990 – 1991
515 ##\$g\$aИрак\$xВзаимоотношения с Кувейтом
515 ##\$g\$aКувейт\$xВзаимоотношения с Ираком
EX 6
215 ##\$7ba0yba0y\$8frefre\$aAutriche-Hongrie\$dEmpire
515 ##\$5h\$313507787\$7ba0yba0y\$8frefre\$aFrontières\$yAutriche-Hongrie\$dEmpire

History

1994	Text errata.
2023	Deleted section Note on Field Contents.
2024	Text edit. New subfield \$R.
2025	New subfields (\$b, \$c, \$d) and example (6).