

686 OTHER CLASSIFICATION NUMBERS

Field Definition and Scope

Class number or range of numbers (from classification systems which are not internationally used but which are widely understood published schemes) associated with an authorized access point.

The classification scheme is identified in a subfield \$2. Codes for identification of classification schemes are given in UNIMARC/Bibliographic format, Appendix A.

Subfields & Occurrence

Field/Subfield	Field/Subfield Name	Repeatability	Occurrence
686	OTHER CLASSIFICATION NUMBERS	R	O
a	Class Number, Single or Beginning of a Range	NR	O
b	Class Number, End of a Range	NR	O
c	Explanatory Terms	NR	O
2	Source	NR	O
3	Authority Record Identifier or Standard Number	NR	O
R	Real World Object URI	R	O

Indicators

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

Subfields Description

\$a Class Number, Single or Beginning of a Range

The class number taken from the classification scheme. Not repeatable.

\$b Class Number, End of a Range

The class number applied by the assigning agency. Not repeatable.

\$c Explanatory Terms

A subdivision of the class number taken from the classification scheme. Repeatable.

\$2 Source

A code for the classification scheme used in formulating the number. For a list of system codes, see UNIMARC/Bibliographic format, Appendix A. Not repeatable.

See also specification of [Control Subfield 2](#).

\$3 Authority Record Identifier or Standard Number

Link to classification format record. Not repeatable.

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

\$R Real World Object URI

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

Examples

EX 1
686 ##\$2usnlm\$aW1\$bRE359
A U.S. National Library of Medicine class number.
EX 2
686 ##\$2usnal\$a281.9\$bC81A
A U.S. National Agricultural Library class number.
EX 3
152 ##\$aRCR
200 #1\$aАбдулатипов\$bП. Г.\$gРамазан Гаджимурадович\$f1946-\$cГосударственный деятель России, доктор филос. наук, профессор
686 ##\$2rugasnti\$a10.15
686 ##\$2rubbk\$a67.99(2Poc)06\$vLBC/PL
EX 4
152 ##\$bnlr_sh
215 ##\$aЯлта\$xНародное хозяйство\$z1956
686 ##\$2rubbk\$aY03(2P-4Kpm-2Я)74\$vLBC/SL
EX 5
152 ##\$bnlr_sh
240 ##\$1210##\$aСоединенные Штаты Америки\$1230##\$aКонституция\$xИстория
686 ##\$2rubbk\$aT3(7CIIA)0-52\$cИстория\$vLBC/SL
686 ##\$2rubbk\$aX809(7CIIA)1-1\$cПраво\$vLBC/SL

History

1994	Text errata.
2024	Text edit. New subfield \$R.
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