

102 COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION OR PRODUCTION

Field Definition

This field contains codes for one or more countries of publication or production of the item.

Occurrence

Optional. Not repeatable.

Indicators

Indicator 1: blank (not defined)

Indicator 2: blank (not defined)

Subfields

\$a Country of publication

Contains a code representing the country in which the item was published or produced. The codes are to be taken from the two-character codes of ISO 3166-1 (see Appendix B). Repeatable if an item is published in more than one country or in more than one locality in the same country (EX 3).

\$b Locality (non-ISO)

A code representing the locality, where a more specific code is required. Repeatable if there is more than one country code. The codes are taken from code lists other than ISO 3166-2. Details of the code list are given in subfield \$2.

\$c Locality (ISO)

A code representing the locality, where a more specific code is required. Repeatable if there is more than one country code. The codes are to be taken from ISO 3166-2.

\$2 Source of non-ISO code

The source of the code used in subfield \$b. For a list of code sources see Appendix G. Repeatable if there is more than one country code.

Notes on Field Contents

Any locality code should follow immediately after the country code to which it refers. When it is necessary to record more than one locality within the same country, it is recommended for ease of processing that the country code be repeated in each case, i.e. that each subfield \$b or \$c be preceded by a subfield \$a. It is recommended that a code be recorded for each place of publication or production present in the 210 field.

Due to the fact that in older monographic publications the name and location of the printer are given equal status to those of the publisher or distributor, the country and

locality of a printer, publisher or distributor is given here in a coded form. For older monographic publications the country or locality of publication or production is coded according to the present state of country borders.

Additional codes

- XX Country unknown (UNIMARC user-assigned code element)
ZZ International or multiple countries (i.e. more than three)

Related Fields

210 PUBLICATION, DISTRIBUTION, ETC.

This field carries the place of publication or production in textual form.

620 PLACE AND DATE ACCESS

This field carries the place of publication or production in structured textual form.

Examples

EX 1 102 ##\$aHU

The item is published in Hungary

EX 2: 102 ##\$aGB\$cSCT

The item is published in Scotland

EX 3: 102 ##\$aUS\$c\$ca\$aUS\$cny

The item is published in California and New York.

EX 4: 102 ##\$aIT

The item was published in Venice in 1485.

EX 5: 102 ##\$aAL\$b\$bx\$2local

The code used for the subdivision of Albania is a local one.

EX 6: 102 #aXX

It is not possible to determine the country of publication of the item described in the record