

311 NOTES PERTAINING TO LINKING FIELDS

Field Definition and Scope

This field contains a note relating to one of the linking fields.

Subfields & Occurrence

Field/Subfield	Field/Subfield Name	Repeatability	Occurrence
311	NOTES PERTAINING TO LINKING FIELDS	R	O
a	Text of Note	NR	O

Indicators

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

Subfields Description

\$a Text of Note

Not repeatable.

Notes on Field Contents

This field contains notes which relate to data found in the 4-- LINKING ENTRY BLOCK. Data in the 4-- fields may be used to print a note. If the note that would be printed from them would not adequately indicate the relationship and the resource that is related, a note can be entered in 311 (and the indicator of the corresponding 4-- field(s) set to 0 so that a note will not be automatically generated by those fields). In particular, specific relationships between the resource being catalogued and another resource referred in field 488 can be entered here. If more than one note is to be recorded, then each is entered in a repeated field 311.

Related Fields

300 GENERAL NOTE	Although field 300 can be used instead of 311, it is recommended that 311 be used for notes relating to data in linking fields or notes relating to resource to which a link is made in a linking field.
305 NOTES PERTAINING TO EDITION AND BIBLIOGRAPHIC HISTORY	This field is used for bibliographic history notes which are not related to linking fields.
327 CONTENTS NOTE	This field is used for contents notes which are not generated by linking fields.
4-- LINKING ENTRY BLOCK	

Examples

EX 1
311 ##\$a'Produced in conjunction with the "Bloodstock breeders' annual."'
488 #0\$12001#\$aBloodstock breeders' annual
or
488 #0\$tBloodstock breeders' annual

In the resource *The stallion review* it states “Produced in conjunction with the Bloodstock breeders’ annual”. The record for *The stallion review* contains a non-specific link (field 488) to the related work *Bloodstock breeders’ annual*; thus it is necessary to make a note corresponding to the link since a specific note cannot be generated from field 488.

The note is transcribed from the resource in this example.

History

2000	Field issued/re-issued with corrections/additions.
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