

040 CODEN

Field Definition and Scope

This field contains a unique, unambiguous code formerly assigned to titles of continuing resources by the International CODEN Service.

Subfields & Occurrence

Field/Subfield	Field/Subfield Name	Repeatability	Occurrence
040	CODEN	R	O
a	CODEN	NR	O
z	Erroneous CODEN	R	O

Indicators

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

Subfields Description

\$a CODEN

The six character code of which the last character is an alphanumeric digit. Not repeatable.

\$z Erroneous CODEN

A CODEN that has been identified as being erroneously applied to the resource or is otherwise invalid. It may have been allocated to two different publications and in this instance cancelled, or it may have been incorrectly printed. Repeatable.

Notes on Field Contents

CODEN is a unique six-character code for a title which was formerly assigned by the International CODEN Service to scientific and technical continuing resources.

The first five characters of the CODEN are alphabetic and based on the title of the resource, the last is an alphanumeric check digit, e.g. JACSAT for Journal of the American Chemical Society, where T is the check digit.

The CODEN is no longer assigned to new continuing resources.

Related Fields

011 ISSN	A numeric code applied to continuing resources to identify them uniquely. This field should be used in preference to CODEN.
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Examples

EX 1
040 ##\$aANPYA2
The CODEN for <i>Annalen der Physik</i> .
EX 2
040 ##\$aJPHYA7
The CODEN for <i>Journal of Physiology</i> (London).
EX 3
040 ##\$aKREBAG

The CODEN for <i>Krebsarzt</i> .
