6-- SUBJECT ANALYSIS AND BIBLIOGRAPHICAL HISTORY BLOCK

Definition and Scope of Fields

This block contains subject data constructed according to various systems, both verbal and notational. It also contains data relating to the physical characteristics of the item and the mode of presentation of the matter in it (608), access points for the publication, performance, etc. of the item (620) and later history of the copy in hand (621). The following fields are defined:

Subject headings

- 600 Personal Name Used as Subject
- 601 Corporate Body Name Used as Subject
- 602 Family Name Used as Subject
- 604 Name and Title Used as Subject
- 605 Title Used as Subject
- 606 Topical Name Used as Subject
- 607 Geographical Name Used as Subject
- 608 Form, Genre or Physical Characteristics Heading
- 610 Uncontrolled Subject Terms
- 615 Subject Category (Provisional)
- 616 Trademark Used as Subject
- 617 Hierarchical Geographical Name Used as Subject

Bibliographical history

- 620 Place and Date of Publication, Performance, etc.
- 621 Place and Date of Provenance
- 626 Technical Details Access (Electronic Resources) (Obsolete)

Subject analysis

- 660 Geographic Area Code (GAC)
- 661 Time Period Code
- 670 PRECIS

Classification

- 675 Universal Decimal Classification (UDC)
- 676 Dewey Decimal Classification (DDC)
- 680 Library of Congress Classification
- 686 Other Class Numbers

Occurrence

Fields in the 6-- block are all optional. It is recommended that all subject data in a source record suitable for international exchange be entered in the UNIMARC record.

Notes on Field Contents

Punctuation should be entered as in the source format.