

346 NOTE ON ACCRUALS AND FREQUENCY OF USE

Field Definition and Scope

Information about the foreseen additions and/or the rate of reference use of the described material.

The note may refer to the library or archive collections.

Subfields & Occurrence

Field/Subfield	Field/Subfield Name	Repeatability	Occurrence
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a	Accruals	R	O
b	Frequency of Use	R	O
5	Institution to which the Field Applies	NR	O
8	Materials Specified	NR	O

Indicators

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

Subfields Description

\$a Accruals

A rate at which the described materials are accumulating is expressed as a ratio of volume to a time period.

It may indicate the quantity and frequency of the accruals. Optional. Repeatable. ([EX 1](#), [2](#), [3](#))

\$b Frequency of Use

A measure of reference activity usually expressed as a ratio of a number of retrievals to time period, or by general terms such as active or inactive this subfield indicates the measure of reference activity, usually expressed as a ratio of a number of retrievals to time period, or by general terms such as active or inactive. Optional. Repeatable. ([EX 2](#))

\$5 Institution to which the Field Applies

Name of the institution to which field applies in the coded form if it is considered necessary by the agency which creates the record to identify specific attributes of an item.

If the subfield is used codes should be entered in accordance with the provisions of International Standard Identifier for Libraries and Related Organizations (ISIL), ISO 15511 or may contain codes from MARC Code List for Organizations, otherwise, the full name of the agency or a national code may be used.

If the institution holds more than one copy the shelfmark of the item should be added after a colon. Not repeatable.

\$8 Materials Specified

Part of the described materials to which the field applies. Not repeatable. ([EX 3](#))

Related Fields

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Examples

EX 1

346 ##\$aNo further materials are expected for this collection.

EX 2

346 ##\$aAverage semi-annual accumulation is 10 cu. ft.\$bTotal reference requests for 2010:150

EX 3

346 ##\$8Employee records\$aA5 cu. ft. annual accumulation
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History

2020	New field.
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