600 PERSONAL NAME USED AS SUBJECT

Field Definition and Scope

This field contains the name of a person who is one of the subjects of the resource, in access point form, with the optional addition of extra subject information.

Subfields & Occurrence

Field/Subfield	Field/Subfield Name	Repeatability	Occurrence
600	PERSONAL NAME USED AS SUBJECT	R	O
a	Entry Element	NR	O
b	Part of Name Other than Entry Element	NR	O
c	Additions to Name Other than Dates	R	O
d	Roman Numerals	NR	O
f	Dates	NR	O
g	Expansion of Initials of Forename	NR	O
p	Affiliation/Address	NR	O
t	Title	-	Obsolete
j	Form Subdivision	R	O
x	Topical Subdivision	R	O
y	Geographical Subdivision	R	O
z	Chronological Subdivision	R	O
2	Source	NR	O
3	Authority Record Identifier or Standard Number	R	O

Indicators

Indicator	Value	Description
1	#	blank (not defined)
2		Form of Name Indicator
	0	Name entered under forename or in direct order
	1	Name entered under surname (family name, patronymic etc.)

Indicators Description

Indicator 2: Form of Name Indicator

This indicator specifies whether the name is entered under the first occurring name (forename) or a name in direct order or whether it is entered under a surname, family name, patronymic or equivalent, usually with inversion.

Value 0: Name entered under forename or in direct order

See EX 3, 4.

Value 1: Name entered under surname (family name, patronymic etc.)

See EX 1, 2, 5.

Subfields Description

$a Entry Element

The portion of the name used as the entry element in the access point; that part of the name by which the name is entered in ordered lists. This subfield must be present if the field is present. Not repeatable.

$b Part of Name Other than Entry Element

The remainder of the name, used when the entry element is a surname or family name (EX 1, 2, 5). It contains forenames and other given names. The form of name indicator should be set to 1 when this subfield is used. Not repeatable.

$c Additions to Name Other than Dates

Any additions to names (other than dates) which do not form an integral part of the name itself including titles, epithets or indications of office. Repeatable for second and subsequent occurrences of such additions.

$d Roman Numerals

Roman numerals associated with names of certain popes, royalty and ecclesiastics. If an epithet (or a further forename) is associated with the numeration, this too should be included (EX 4). The form of name indicator should be set to 0 when this subfield is used. Not repeatable.

$f Dates

The dates attached to personal names together with abbreviations or other indications of the nature of the dates. Any indications of the type of date (e.g., flourished, born, died) should also be entered in the subfield in full or abbreviated form (EX 5). All the dates for the person named in the field should be entered in $f. Not repeatable.

$g Expansion of Initials of Forename

The full form of forenames when initials are recorded in subfield $b as the preferred form and when both initials and the full form are required. Not repeatable.

$p Affiliation/Address

This subfield contains the institutional affiliation of the individual at the time the work was prepared. Not repeatable.

$t Title [Obsolete]

For author/title subject access points, use field 604.

$j Form Subdivision

A term added to the subject access point to further specify the kind(s) or genre(s) of material (EX 2). Agencies not using this subdivision should use $x instead. Repeatable.

$x Topical Subdivision

A term added to a subject access point to further specify the topic the subject access point represents (EX 3, 5). Repeatable.

$y Geographical Subdivision

A term added to a subject access point to specify a place in relation to a person which the subject access point represents (EX 5). Repeatable.

$z Chronological Subdivision

A term added to a subject access point to specify the period in time in relation to a person whom the subject access point represents. Repeatable.

$2 Source

An identification in coded form of the system or thesaurus from which the subject access point is derived. It is recommended that subfield $2 always be present in each occurrence of the field. For a list of subject sources, see Appendix A. Not repeatable.

$3 Authority Record Identifier or Standard Number

The identifier for the authority record for the access point. This subfield is for use with UNIMARC/Authorities format.

Repeatable when it is necessary for more than one Authority Record Identifier or Standard Numberto indicate each part of a access point where the indexing system uses a pre-coordinate syntax.

Notes on Field Contents

This field is intended for recording access points for personal names used as subjects. These access points are structured in the same form as the access point s for persons responsible for the content of the resource. Subfields $a, $b, $c, $d and $f follow the same form as in field 700 and further explanation of the scope and content of these subfields can be found there.

Unlike field 700, this field can contain more than the name of the person and additions to the name. Terms may be added to a subject access point to further specify it with respect to form, topic, place or time. These and the order of all the subfields follow the rules of the subject access point system or thesaurus used by the agency preparing the record.

Related Fields

601 CORPORATE BODY NAME USED AS SUBJECT	When a corporate body rather than a person is the subject, field 601 is used.
602 FAMILY NAME USED AS SUBJECT	When a family rather than a person is the subject, field 602 is used.
604 NAME AND TITLE USED AS SUBJECT	When the subject is an author/title, field 604 is used.

Examples

EX 1
600 #1$aBurroughs$bEdgar Rice$21c
EX 2
600 #1$aShakespeare$bWilliam$f564-1616$jQuotations$2lc
EX 3
600 #0$aJesus Christ$xNativity$21c
600 #0$aJesus Christ$xTrial$21c
The record for *Son of God : birth and trial of Jesus* containing two subject access points.
EX 4
600 #0$aGustavus$dII Adolphus,$cKing of Sweden$21c
EX 5
600 #1$aEinstein$bAlbert$f1879-1955$xHomes and haunts$yGermany$yBerlin$2lc

History

2000	Field issued/re-issued with corrections/additions.
2024	Text edit. Deleted duplicated subfield $j.