

**182 CODED DATA FIELD - MEDIA TYPE (New)****Field Definition**

This field contains fixed-length data specifying the media type of the resource being described.

**Occurrence**

Optional. Repeatable when more than one system code is used or when the resource consists of mixed media (e.g., a kit resource).

**Indicators**

Indicator 1: blank (not defined)

Indicator 2: ISBD display indicator

The second indicator specifies whether this field is used to generate the ISBD Area 0 for print or other displays of the record.

0 Not used to generate displays

1 Used to generate displays

# Information not provided, use when the field contains \$c.

**Subfields**

\$a ISBD Media Type Code

One character position specifying the media type that applies to the resource, according to the provisions of ISBD for this element. Optional. Not repeatable.

\$c Other Coding for Media Type

A code for a system code other than ISBD (for example, codes from *Term and Code List for RDA Media Type* (<http://www.loc.gov/standards/valuelist/rdamedia.html>), defined for use in MARC 21). Optional. Repeatable.

\$2 System code

Source of the code used in \$c. Mandatory if \$c is used. Not repeatable.

\$6 Interfield Linking Data

Data required to link the field with other fields in the record (for example, to link to field 181 – Coded data Field – Content Form) and thus to generate a display for ISBD Area 0 when the resource is of a mixed media. Repeatable.

**Notes on Field Contents**

If a textual form of the media type designation is desired use field 203, preferably in addition to field 182. In that case, indicator 2 should be set to 0 in field 182.

Codes may not correspond exactly to text display used in field 203. What is displayed by any system will be a local decision.

\$a/0 ISBD Media Type Code

One character position contains a code indicating the Media type of the resource according to the stipulations of ISBD for this element.

a = audio

b = electronic

c = microform

d = microscopic  
e = projected  
f = stereographic  
g = video  
m = multiple media  
n = unmediated  
z = other media

#### Related Fields

- 181 Coded Data – Content Form  
203 Content Form and Media Type

This field corresponds to the ISBD Content form and Media type Area. If the system cannot display information from coded data field 181 and 182, the information can be given in plain text in field 203.

#### Examples

EX 1: 181 #1\$ab4\$bcb2d##  
182 #1\$an

Coded information for specifying the Content form and the Content qualifications of a tactile map. The coded data are used to generate the ISBD Area 0 displays, along with field 181. The example represents the ISBD area 0: *Image (cartographic ; still ; 2-dimensional ; tactile) : unmediated.*

EX 2: 181 #1 \$ad4\$bbxxa##  
182 #1 \$aa

Coded information specifying the ISBD Content form and Content qualification of an audio CD; The coded data are used to generate the ISBD Area 0 displays, along with field 181. The example represents the ISBD area 0: *Music (performed) : audio.*