676 DEWEY DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION

This field contains a class number applied to the item being recorded according to the Dewey Decimal Classification.

Subfields & repeatability

FIELD/SUBFIELD			REPEATABILITY
676		Dewey Decimal Classification	r
	a	*Number*	nr
	v	*Edition*	nr
	z	*Language of edition*	nr

Indicators

Indicator values are not defined.

SUBFIELDS

676a Number

The number as taken from Dewey Decimal Classification schedules.

676v Edition

The number of the edition used from which the number in subfield a is taken. An "a" is added to the number to indicate abridged edition (see example 6).

676z Language of edition

The language in coded form of the edition from which the number in subfield a is taken.

NOTES ON FIELD CONTENTS

The number is entered in subfield a from schedules used by the agency preparing the record. The number may include prime marks (/), which indicate internationally agreed points at which the number may be truncated. The number should not include extensions used solely to assign a book-mark to an individual item.

Subfield z should be used only if the translated version contains differences from the original, e.g. when parts of the schedule have been rewritten to cover local requirements.

EXAMPLES

1.

676	⊔⊔	**a**943.0840924 **v**19
		(The class number for a book entitled "Kaiser Wilhelm II : new interpretations", a collection of biographical essays on Wilhelm II, Emperor of Germany, 1890-1917. The item is classified according to the nineteenth edition of the schedules.)

2.

676	⊔⊔	**a**823.912 **v**19
		(The class number for a book entitled "Paddington at the station", a children's storybook. The item is classified according to the nineteenth edition of the schedules.)

3.

676	⊔⊔	**a**823/.912 **v**19
		(The class number for the same work where the agency uses prime marks.)

4.

676	⊔⊔	**a**001.64/092/2 **v**19
		(The class number for a book entitled "Computer pioneers".)

5.

676	⊔⊔	**a**A823/.2 **v**19
		(The class number for a book of Australian fiction of the period 1890-1945. The use of A823.2 to distinguish it from 823.2 (which indicates British fiction of the period 1400-1558) is allowed by the schedules.)

6.

676	⊔⊔	**a**914.3 **v**11a
		(The class number taken from the eleventh abridged edition.)