

ONIX for Books

Additions and Changes for Codelists Issue 16

This is the complete list of changes introduced in Issue 16 of the ONIX for Books codelists, published January 2012. Because of the introduction of two new codelists for Collection sequence type and Product contact role, this is the earliest issue of the codelists that can be used with certain new data elements introduced in ONIX 3.0 revision 1.

Within the tables, **additions are in red**, **changes and clarifications in blue** and unchanged codes or text are in black.

List 9 – Product classification type code (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
09	CPA	Statistical Classification of Products by Activity in the European Economic Community, see http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/ramon/nomenclatures/index.cfm?TargetUrl=LST_NOM_DTL&StrNom=CPA_2008 . Up to six digits, with one or two periods. For example, printed children's books are "58.11.13".

List 18 – Person/organization name type (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
05	Transliterated form of primary name	Use only within <AlternativeName>, when the primary name type is unspecified.

This code allows transliterated forms of a contributor names to be provided, in association with the new *textscript* attribute specified in revision 1 of ONIX for Books 3.0. The example shows how a Latin transliteration of a name may be provided, where on the book, the name is given only in Korean Hangul:

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<Contributor>
  <ContributorRole>A01</ContributorRole>
  <PersonName>다니엘 돔샤이트-베르크</PersonName>
  <AlternativeName>
    <NameType>05</NameType>
    <PersonName textscript="Latn">Daniel Domscheit-Berg</PersonName>
  </AlternativeName>
</Contributor>
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Transliterated forms of names with *specified* name types can of course be provided by including an additional <AlternativeName> composite with the same nametype and the appropriate script code.

The code can also be used with ONIX 2.1, with or without the *transliteration* attribute (if without, the nature of the script would have to be determined by inspection of the data).

List 21 – Edition type (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
ACT	Acting edition	Version of a play or script intended for use of those directly involved in a production, usually including full stage directions in addition to the text of the script.

Lists 26 and 27 – Subject scheme (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

These lists are defined as containing two decimal digits, and have exhausted 90% of the available codes 00–99. To open additional code capacity, the ONIX International Steering Committee has agreed that the data format of the codes will be changed to ‘two alphanumeric characters’. Codes containing letters (eg A0–A9) will be required at some future date, but will not be issued earlier than July 2012.

List 44 – Name code type (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
23	VAT Identity Number	Identifier for a business organization for VAT purposes, eg within the EU's VIES system. See http://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/vies/faqvies.do for EU VAT ID formats, which vary from country to country. Generally these consist of a two-letter country code followed by the 8–12 digits of the national VAT ID. Some countries include one or two letters within their VAT ID. See http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/VAT_identification_number for non-EU countries that maintain similar identifiers. Spaces, dashes etc should be omitted.

As an example, EDItEUR's VAT Identity number is GB660455343, although it is conventionally printed as GB 660 4553 43. One oddity is that Greek IDs use EL instead of the ISO country code GR.

List 73 – Website role (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
23	Author's blog	For example, a Blogger or Tumblr URL, a Wordpress website or other blog URL.
41	Social network URL for specific work	For example, a Facebook, Google+ or Twitter URL for the product or work.
42	Contributor's social network URL	For example, a Facebook, Google+ or Twitter page.
43	Publisher's social network URL	For example, a Facebook, Google+ or Twitter page.

The differentiation between blog and social networking clearly involves some judgement – social networking emphasises subscription ('following', 'friending') and real-time communications to a greater degree than blogging.

List 92 – Supplier identifier type (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
23	VAT Identity Number	Identifier for a business organization for VAT purposes, eg within the EU's VIES system. See http://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/vies/faqvies.do for EU VAT ID formats, which vary from country to country. Generally these consist of a two-letter country code followed by the 8–12 digits of the national VAT ID. Some countries include one or two letters within their VAT ID. See http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/VAT_identification_number for non-EU countries that maintain similar identifiers. Spaces, dashes etc should be omitted.

List 121 – Script code (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
Khoj	Khojki	
Tirh	Tiruta	

Codes added to maintain compatibility with the underlying ISO 15924 scheme.

List 139 – ONIX Sales outlet IDs (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
ANB	Anobii	
BIL	Bilbary	
BSH	Bookish	
CHD	Christianbook.com	
EBC	Ebooks Corp	
ECH	eChristian	
ELB	Elib.se	
EMP	Empik	
FNC	Fnac	
GOO	Google Books	
GOS	GoSpoken	
KNO	Kno Inc	
KBO	Kobo	
KOO	Koorong	
MAT	Matras	
MMS	Media Markt/Saturn	Also known as Media World.
OLF	OLF	
RCL	ReadCloud	
RET	Rethink	
SNY	Sony	

List 155 – Content date role (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
24	From... Until date	Combines From date and Until date to define a period (both dates are inclusive). Use with for example dateformat 06.

List 163 – Publishing date role (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
23	Review embargo date	Date from which reviews of a product may be published eg in newspapers and magazines or online. Provided to the book trade for information only: newspapers and magazines are not expected to be recipients of ONIX metadata.

List 173 – Price date role (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
24	From... Until date	Combines From date and Until date to define a period (both dates are inclusive). Use with for example dateformat 06.

This and the identical addition to List 155 streamline the delivery of collateral content or a price that is only valid for a specific period – special promotional material or a temporary ‘special offer’ price. A date using this role must use *dateformat* code 06 (or similar) to specify a *period* rather than a single date, thus replacing two separate dates with roles From... and To....

List 178 – Supporting resource file format (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
E115	XPS	XML Paper Specification.

List 196 – E-publication accessibility (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
01	LIA compliance scheme	Further details on degree or grade of compliance may be provided in <ProductFormFeatureDescription>.

Note that for a product claiming compliance with the Libri Italiani Accessibili (LIA) scheme, separate codes for each particular aspect of accessibility should still be provided explicitly – for example provision of alternative descriptions for images and detailed navigation – even when they are implied by compliance with the LIA scheme.

List 197 – Collection sequence type (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
01	Proprietary	A short explanatory label for the sequence should be provided in <CollectionSequenceTypeName>.
02	Title order	Order as specified by the title, eg by volume or part number sequence, provided for confirmation.
03	Publication order	Order of publication of products within the collection.
04	Temporal/narrative order	Order defined by a continuing narrative or temporal sequence within products in the collection. Applicable to either fiction or to non-fiction (eg within a collection of history textbooks).
05	Original publication order	Original publication order, for a republished collection or collected works originally published outside a collection.

This is a new codelist to support the <CollectionSequence> composite introduced in ONIX 3.0 rev.1.

List 198 – Product contact role (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
01	Accessibility request contact	For example, for requests to supply mutable digital files for conversion to other formats.
02	Promotional contact	

This is a new codelist to support the <ProductContact> composite introduced in ONIX 3.0 rev.1.

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