

146 CODED DATA FIELD: MEDIUM OF PERFORMANCE

Field definition

This field gives details of the instruments and/or voices, devices and other performers which make up a musical work.

It was designed prior to the release of the *Functional Requirements for Bibliographic Records (FRBR)* and of the cataloguing rules that conform to them.

According to the *Functional Requirements for Bibliographic Records (FRBR)*, some of the information carried in this field pertains to FRBR entities other than the Manifestation. Such data should preferably be carried in linked authority records describing the relevant related entity rather than in the record describing the Manifestation.

However those data can still be carried in bibliographic records describing manifestations under certain conditions, especially when the records are/were created in a pre-FRBR or a non-FRBR context.

Occurrence

[no changes]

Indicators

[no changes]

Subfields

[no changes]

[...]