

HUMDRUM BIBLIOGRAPHIC CODES

Most codes are three characters long, prepended by "!!!" and end with a colon (:), followed by optional space and then the value for the code:

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!!!KEY: Value
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The KEY is usually uppercase for officially designated codes, and lowercase for user-defined codes.

For code descriptions go to: dactyl.som.ohio-state.edu/Humdrum/guide.append1.html

Most common bibliographic codes:

COM	Composer
CDT	Composer's dates
OTL	Title
ENC	Music encoder
END	Initial encoding date

=== A = analysis related codes

ACO	Analytic Collection
AFR	Form designation
AGN	Genre designation
AGN	Genre designation
AIN	Instrumentation
AMD	Mode designation
AMT	Metric Classification
ARE	Geographical Region
ARL	Geographical location of origin
AST	Style, period, or type of work designation
ASW	Associated work

=== C = composer related codes

CNT	Nationality
COA	Attributed composer
COC	Composer(s) corporate name
COL	Stage name
COS	Suspected composer

=== E = edition related codes

EED	Electronic Editor
EEV	Electronic edition version
EFL	File number
EMD	Document modification description
EST	Encoding status

GCO	Collection
GNM	Group number

=== L = lyricist related codes

LAR	Arranger
LDT	Lyric Date
LIB	Librettist
LOR	Orchestrator
LYR	Lyricist

=== M = performance related codes

MCN	Name of the conductor of the performance
MLC	Place of performance
MPD	Date of first performance
MPN	Performer's name
MPS	Suspected performer
MRD	Date of performance

=== O = work (opus) related codes

OAC	Act number
OCL	Collector
OCO	Commission
OCY	Country of composition

ODE	Dedication
ODT	Date of composition
OKY	Key
OMD	Movement designation
OMV	Movement number
ONB	Free format note
ONM	Number
OPC	City of composition
OPR	Title of parent work
OPS	Opus number
OPT	Parent work
OSC	Scene number
OTA	Alternative title
OTP	Popular title
OVM	Volume

=== P = publication related codes

PC#	Publisher's cat. #
PDT	Date first published
PPG	Page
PPG	Publication page
PPP	Place first published
PPR	First publisher
PUB	Publication status

=== R = user related codes

RDF	User-defined signifiers
RDT	Date encoded
RLN	ASCII language setting
RNB	Encoding note
RWG	Representation warning
RWG	Warning

=== S = scholarly related codes

SCA	Full cat. name
SCT	Scholarly cat. num.
SMA	Acknowledgement of manuscript access
SML	Manuscript location
SMS	Manuscript source name

TRN	Translator of text
TXL	Language of the encoded text
TXO	Original language of text

URL	URL
VTs	Checksum validation number

XDE	Translaged title (in German)
XEN	Translated title (in English)
XFR	Translaged title (in French)
XNI	Translaged title (in Japanese)

see also the @ formation:

!!!OTL@DAN:	title in Danish
!!!OTL@CHI:	title in Chinese

and the @@ formation:

!!!OTL@@NOR:	original title in Norwegian
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=== Y = copyright related codes

YEC	Copyright notice
YED	Last Edited
YEM	Copyright message
YEN	Country of copyright
YEP	Publisher of electronic edition
YER	Date electronic edition released
YOE	Editor of printed source
YOO	Original document owner
YOR	Original document
YOY	Original copyright year