

ISNI Data Elements: Valid Values

Table 1 Elements by name			
Database	Display field	Element name	
field name	name		
<u>032A \$a</u>	970 \$a	Birth date; usage date from	
<u>019@ \$z</u>	922 \$z	City	
<u>019@ \$a</u>	922 \$a	Country	
<u>045R \$a</u>	944 \$a	Creation class	
<u>032C \$a</u>	941 \$a	Creation role	
<u>003E \$c</u>	003 \$c	Data confidence in name metadata	
<u>003Z \$I</u>	001 \$1	Data contributor codes (sources)	
<u>032A \$b</u>	970 \$b	Death date; usage date to	
<u>013@ \$a</u>	375 \$a	Gender	
<u>035A \$a</u>	925 \$a	Instrument and voice	
<u>003E \$a</u>	003 \$a	ISNI status	
<u>010@ \$a</u>	377 \$a	Language of identity	
<u>028C \$B</u>	700 \$B	Language of name	
<u>061A \$d</u>	976 \$d	Matching type	
<u>029C \$3</u>	710 \$3	Name Use Organisation	
<u>028C \$3</u>	700 \$3	Name Use Personal	
<u>019A \$a</u>	370 \$a	Nationality	
<u>003E \$b</u>	003 \$b	No ISNI yet reason	
<u>029C \$q</u>	710 \$q	Organisation type	
<u>038L \$b</u>	77A \$b	Possible merge decision	
<u>019@ \$y</u>	922 \$y	Region or state	
<u>029Z \$t</u>	951 \$T	Relationship type: organization	
<u>028Z \$t</u>	950 \$T	Relationship type: personal	
<u>007S \$I</u>	904 \$a	Resource identifier type	
<u>028C \$U</u>	700 \$7	Script	

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<u>019@ \$y</u>	922 \$y	Region or state		

922 \$z	City
379 \$a	Nationality
700 \$3	Name Use / Type of Name Personal
700 \$B	Language of name
700 \$7	Script
950 \$T	Relationship type: personal
710 \$3	Name Use Organisation
710 \$q	Organisation type
951 \$T	Relationship type: organization
970 \$a	Birth date; usage date from
970 \$b	Death date; usage date to
941 \$a	Creation role
925 \$a	Instrument and voice
77A \$b	Possible merge decision
944 \$a	Creation class
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BirthDate, deathDate, usageDateFrom, usageDateTo (970 \$a \$b: 032A \$a \$b)

ISO 8601 http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iso date format examples:

YYYY 1948 ±YYYYY -0002 (3 BC) YYYY-MM-DD 2000-12-03 YYYYMMDD 2000-12-03 YYYY-MM 2000-12 (note YYYYMM is not valid)

City (922 \$z : 019@ \$z)

UN/LOCODE whenever available; Otherwise free-text, e.g. AU HBA = Hobart http://www.unece.org/cefact/locode/service/location.htm

Country (of publication or association) (922 \$ a : 019@ \$a) Nationality (370 \$a : 019A \$a)

ISO 3166-1 2 character codes: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ISO-3166-1 alpha-2

Creation class (944 \$a: 045R \$a)

to be defined, default = cre

Data confidence in name metadata (003 \$c: 003E \$c)

90 = affirmed by party and verified by one other source (e.g. institution, publisher)

80 = affirmed by party as the identity or behind the identity

70 = direct contact with party behind identity, but party has not affirmed data

60 = indirect contact with party behind identity

50 = manually verified; no contact with party

40 = library authority record agreed by 3 or more national sources AND country of one authority equals nationality of identity

39 = library authority record agreed by 3 or more national sources

31 = trade record; no direct contact with identity

30 = library authority record agreed by 1 or 2 sources

20 = derived from other database record, seemingly correct

10 = derived from other database record, correctness unknown

09 = derived from default profile

Data contributor codes (001 \$I, 0035 \$I : 003Z \$ I, 006Z \$I, 028C \$2 etc.)

AUVLU La Trobe University – Cultural

UNSW University of New South Wales – Education

ACCE Access Copyright - Rights Management (mostly authors) -

ICON Iconoclaste Music Québec –

CARLETON McOdrum Library, Carleton University

CKCEST China Knowledge Centre for Engineering Sciences and

Technology--

TEL The European Library - Cultural –

NTA National Library of the Netherlands - Cultural -

NLN National Library of Norway NLS National Library of Sweden NLFIN National Library of Finland BNE Nationsal Library of Spain

ODIN ORCID and DataCite Interoperability Network (ODIN) - Research -

BNF Bibliothèque nationale de France (BnF) - Cultural -

VGWO VG WORT - Rights Management -

CISAC International Confederation of Societies of Authors and

Composers - Rights

IPDA International Performers Database Association - Rights

Management, 37 member societies (performers) -

MUBZ MusicBrainz - Encyclopaedia -

CDR Dutch MusicWeb

OCLCT WorldCat Theses, OCLC - Libraries - RING Ringgold - Trade (institutions) -

OPENL Open Library (Repec and AuthorClaim)

VIAF Virtual International Authority File (VIAF) - Cultural - VIAF

GOOG Youtube

ICLA Irish Copyright Licensing Agency - Rights Management (mostly

authors) -

scholarKR National Assembly Library of Korea - Cultural (mostly researchers)

KOREA National Library of Korea - Cultural -

CEDA Centrum Dienstverlening Auteurs en aanverwante Rechten -

Rights Management (mostly authors) -

COPYRUS Copyrus - Rights Management -

CEDR Centro Español de Derechos Reprográficos - Rights Management

(mostly authors)

PROL Prolitteris - Rights Management (mostly authors) -

SWISP SwissPerform - Rights Management (mostly performers) ALCS Authors' Licensing and Collecting Society - Rights Management

(mostly authors) -

BLSA British Library Sound Archive - Cultural (performers and

composers) -

ETHOS British Library Theses - Education (researchers) -

CI Consolidated Independent Music - JNAM JISC names - Education (researchers) -

BL Research Councils UK - Education – ADS Archaeology Data Service

ACS American Chemical Society - Trade (mostly researchers) AMS American Musicological Society - Professional Society (mostly

composers)

AGLD Authors' Guild - Professional Society (authors) -

HARV Harvard University - Education -

MLA Modern Languages Association - Professional Society (mostly

authors) -

NG Numerical Gurus -

PCC Program for Cooperative Cataloging (PCC) -

PROQ Proquest Theses - Education (mostly researchers) -

SOUNDWAYS Music -

SCHU Scholar Universe - Trade (mostly researchers) -

Gender (375 \$a: 013@ \$a)

male female unknown not applicable

Instrument and voice (925 \$a: 035A \$a)

The following list is published by the Library of Congress at: http://www.loc.gov/standards/valuelist/marcmusperf.html. The IPDA also has a list that is mostly a subset of this list. The IPDA mapping are given in brackets after the description; Codes representing IPDA values only are marked in bold.

- ba Brass Horn bb Brass - Trumpet
- bc Brass Cornet
- bd Brass Trombone
- be Brass Tuba
- bf Brass Baritone
- bn Brass Unspecified
- bu Brass Unknown
- by Brass Ethnic
- bz Brass Other
- ca Choruses Mixed
- cb Choruses Women's
- cc Choruses Men's
- cd Choruses Children's
- cn Choruses Unspecified
- cu Choruses Unknown
- cy Choruses Ethnic
- ea Electronic Synthesizer
- eb Electronic Tape
- ec Electronic Computer
- ed Electronic Ondes Martinot
- en Electronic Unspecified
- eu Electronic Unknown
- ez Electronic Other
- ka Keyboard Piano
- kb Keyboard Organ
- kc Keyboard Harpsichord
- kd Keyboard Clavichord
- ke Keyboard Continuo

- kf Keyboard Celeste
- kn Keyboard Unspecified (IPDA: Keyboards)
- ku Keyboard Unknown
- ky Keyboard Ethnic
- kz Keyboard Other
- mc Mechanical (IPDA: Mechanical)
- oa Larger ensemble Full orchestra
- ob Larger ensemble Chamber orch.
- oc Larger ensemble String orchestra
- od Larger ensemble Band
- oe Larger ensemble Dance orchestra
- of Larger ensemble Brass band (brass with some doubling, with or without
 - percussion)
- on Larger ensemble Unspecified
- ou Larger ensemble Unknown
- oy Larger ensemble Ethnic
- oz Larger ensemble Other
- pa Percussion Timpani
- pb Percussion Xylophone
- pc Percussion Marimba
- pd Percussion Drum
- pn Percussion Unspecified (IPDA: Percussion)
- pt Percussion Tuned (IPDA: Tuned Perc)
- pu Percussion Unknown
- py Percussion Ethnic
- pz Percussion Other
- sa Strings, bowed Violin
- sb Strings, bowed Viola
- sc Strings, bowed Violoncello
- sd Strings, bowed Double bass
- se Strings, bowed Viol
- sf Strings, bowed Viola d'amore
- sg Strings, bowed Viola da gamba
- sn Strings, bowed Unspecified (IPDA: Strings)
- su Strings, bowed Unknown
- sy Strings, bowed Ethnic
- sz Strings, bowed Other
- ta Strings, plucked Harp
- tb Strings, plucked Guitar
- tc Strings, plucked Lute
- td Strings, plucked Mandolin
- tn Strings, plucked Unspecified
- tu Strings, plucked Unknown
- ty Strings, plucked Ethnic
- tz Strings, plucked Other
- va Voices Soprano
- vb Voices Mezzo Soprano
- vc Voices Alto
- vd Voices Tenor

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Voices - Baritone
ve
νf
       Voices - Bass
       Voices - Counter tenor
vg
vh
      Voices - High voice
νi
       Voices - Medium voice
٧į
      Voices - Low voice
       Voices - Unspecified (IPDA: Vocal)
vn
vu
      Voices - Unknown
       Voices - Ethnic
vy
wa
       Woodwinds - Flute
       Woodwinds - Oboe
wb
       Woodwinds - Clarinet
wc
wd
       Woodwinds - Bassoon
       Woodwinds - Piccolo
we
       Woodwinds - English horn
wf
       Woodwinds - Bass clarinet
wg
wh
       Woodwinds - Recorder
       Woodwinds - Saxophone
wi
       Woodwinds - Unspecified (IPDA: Wind)
wn
       Woodwinds - Unknown
wu
wy
       Woodwinds - Ethnic
       Woodwinds - Other
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ISNI status (003 \$a: 003E \$a)

Unknown

Assigned Provisional Suspect

wz

zn zu

Language of the name version (700 \$B: 028C \$B) Language of the identity (377 \$a:010@ \$a)

Unspecified instruments

ISO 639-2 http://id.loc.gov/vocabulary/iso639-2 (see also http://id.loc.gov/vocabulary/iso639-2.html for the list of languages, and their codes), each having then an individual URI) (3 character code) [default is und "undetermined"

Matching type (976 \$d : 061A \$d)

name title date partial title publisher affiliations (with persons) isbn issn

linked identity (with organisations) other identifier (of resource) instrument location (country, region, city)

Name Use Organisation (710 \$3:029C \$3)

(for institutions):
legalName
acronymn
nickname
assignedName
transliteratedName
disused name
commonForm (default)

Name Use Person (700 \$3:028C \$3)

public
public and private
private
fictional character
unknown
[default is public for VIAF; unknown for other sources
legal
performing
legal and performing

No ISNI yet reason (003 \$b: 003E \$b)

No match initial database
No match of low confidence data
Low confidence match only
Too many matches
Incomplete data
Erroneous data

Organisation type (including NISO I2 Institution types) (710 \$q:029C \$q)

Academic Library

Agent

Archive or Special Collection

Association or Society

Broadcaster

Consortium or Collaborative

For Profit Corporation

Discovery Platform or Service

Distributor

Fulfillment or Subscription Agency

Funding agency

Government Agency or Department

Hospital or Health Agency

Importer

Imprint

Library

Library service

Manufacturer

Museum or Historical Society

Musical group or band

News service

Not for Profit Organization

Online Content Provider

Performing group

Photo service

Producer

Public Library

Publisher

Recording Agency

Reprint service

Research project or research group

Retailer

Rights Clearance Agency

School (K12) or School District

Service Provider

Standards body or Maintenance Organization

Subscription service

University or College

Other to be defined

Possible merge decision (77A \$b: 038L \$b)

m = merge

n = not equal

p = possible merge

u = unknown

Region or state (922 \$y : 019@ \$y)

ISO 3166-2 http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ISO 3166-2

Relationship Type

Person to Person (950 \$T: 028Z \$t)

co-author

co-performer

pseud

real name

colleague / collaborator

other identity, same person

see also from

undefined or unknown

no relation

Person relationship field within a record for an Organisation (950 \$T: 028Z \$t)

hasMember hasEmployee isRelatedTo see also from undefined or unknown contact no relation

Organisation to Organisation (951 \$T:029Z \$t)

NISO 12 values:

isMemberOf

hasMember

isUnitOf

hasUnit

isSupersededBy

supersedes

isAffiliatedWith (e.g. an institution, a band)

isRelatedTo

see also from

formerName

laterName

no relation

Organisation relationship within a record for a Person (951 \$T : 029Z \$t)

isMemberOf
isAffiliatedWith
isRelatedTo
see also from
no relation
undefined or unknown

Default value: see also from

Beware that "formerName" and "isSupersededBy" do not generate a family index and thus are not supported in the "REL" command.

Beware that "HasMember" and "hasUnit" do not generate a family index and thus are not supported in the "FAM" command.

Resource identifier types (904 \$a:007S \$I)

ISBN (implied in tag 901:004A) ISSN (implied in tag 902: 005A)

ISWC

ISRC

ISAN

ISMN

DOI

OCN

LCCN (implied in tag 903: 006A)

IPD

Other Local identifier

(list may possibly expand as new major contributors are added)

Script (700 \$7:028C \$U)

ISO 15924 (UNICODE) <u>www.unicode.org/iso15924/iso15924-codes.html</u> (4 character code) [default is Latn Latin

NISO 12 cites ISO 8859

Creation Role (941 \$ a : 032C \$a)

Note that there are 2 series of valid codes, the VIAF series of 3 lower case character codes and the CISAC of 2 upper case character codes. Codes from either set are acceptable in the tab delimited format.

3 letter lower		2 letter upper		(Will also
case code (VIAF)	Code meaning	case code (CISAC)	Code meaning	match)
act	actor	, ,	<u> </u>	,
prf	performer	AC	Actor	see also CISAC IN
prg	programmer	АР	Analyst / Programmer	
arc	architect	A.T.	A 1::	
Isa	landscape architect	AT	Architect	
adp	adapter			
ann	annotator			
aut	author			see also CISAC PW
aft	author of afterword, colophon			
aqt	author in quotations or text abstracts			
сср	conceptor			
clb	collaborator			
cns	censor			
com	compiler			
срс	copyright claimant			
cph	copyright holder			
crp	correspondent	WP	Author / Poet	
csl	consultant			
csp	consultant to a project			
ctb	contributor			
cwt	commentator for written text			
dub	dubious author			
cre	creator			see also CISAC FA
dis	disertant			
edt	editor			
ins	inscriber			
ive	interviewee			
ivr	interviewer			
org	originator			

3 letter lower case code (VIAF) red res rev rpt rth rtm sad srv wam	Code meaning redactor researcher reviewer reporter research team head research team member scientific advisor surveyor writer of accompanying material	2 letter upper case code (CISAC)	Code meaning	(Will also match)
grt	graphic technician	СР	Author Computer Graphic	
art	artist			
bnd	binder			
cll	calligrapher			see also CISAC DW
cre	creator			see also CISAC WP
egr	engraver			
etr	etcher			
ilu	illuminator	FA	Author of Fine Art	
Itg	lithographer			
mte	metal engraver			
plt	platemaker			see also CISAC DW
scl	sculptor			
wdc	woodcutter			
wde	wood engraver			
aus	author of screenplay	AS	Author of sceenplay	
aud	author of dialog		/ Author of dialogue	
sce	scenarist			
trl	translator	DS	Author of subtitles	
pbl	publisher	EB	Book Publisher	
pbd	publishing director			
anm	animator	СТ	Cartoonist	see also CISAC DW
chr	choreographer	CG	Choreographer	
cst	costume designer	CD	Costume Designer	
		DA	Data architect	

3 letter lower case code (VIAF)	Code meaning	2 letter upper case code (CISAC)	Code meaning	(Will also match)
dsr	designer	DG	Designer	
cng	cinematographer	СМ	Director of Photography / Cinematograph	
аср	art copyist			
anm	animator			see also CISAC CT
art	graphic technician			
cll	calligrapher			see also CISAC FA
ctg	cartographer		, .	
drm	draftsman	DW	Drawer / Graphic Artist	
fac	facsimilist		Artist	
ill	illustrator			
тср	music copyist			
plt	platemaker			see also CISAC FA
rbr	rubricator			
scr	scribe			
vdg	videographer			
drt	director	RE	Film Director	see also CISAC MS/MD
dst	distributor	FD	Film Distributor	
flm	film / motion picture editor	ET	Film Editor	
bdd	designer of binding			
bjd	bookjacket designer			
bkd	book designer			
bpd	bookplate designer		6 1: 5 :	
cov	cover designer delineator	AG	Graphic Designer	
dln dsr	designer			see also
	-			CISAC DG
tyd	type designer			
pbl	publisher	EJ	Journal / Periodical / Magazine Publisher	see also CISAC EB
		10	Journalist	
lyr	lyricist	IV	Lyricist / Librattist	
lbt	librettist	LY	Lyricist / Librettist	

3 letter lower		2 letter upper		(Will also
case code (VIAF)	Code meaning	case code (CISAC)	Code meaning	match)
drt	director	MD	Multimedia director	see also CISAC MS/RE
pbl	publisher	EM	Music Publisher	see also CISAC EB
стр	composer			
cre	creator	MC	Musical Creator (Composer)	see also CISAC WP/FA/PW
arr	arranger			
pbl	publisher	EP	Newspaper Publisher	see also CISAC EB
cmm	commentator			
cnd	conductor			
dnc	dancer			
mus	musician			
nrt	narrator		Performer	
prf	performer	IN		see also CISAC AC
ppt	puppeteer			
sng	singer			
spk	speaker			
stl	story teller			
voc	vocalist			
pht	photographer	PH	Photographer	
aut	author	PW	Playwright	see also CISAC WP/FA
		PR	Press agency	
bkp	book producer			
pro	producer	PC	Producer	
spn	sponsor			
lgd	lightening		Production Designer (Set-Designer)	
std	set designer	PD		
rce	recording engineer	ST	Sound Engineer	
drt	director	MS	Stage Director	see also CISAC RE/MD
rsg	restager			

Version	Date	Comment	
1	2011-02-18	First draft	
2	2011-02-23	Reviewed by Anila Angjeli	
3	2011-03-06	Compared with NISO 12; some database field changes	
4	2011-03-08	Aligned with database changes	
5	2011-03-17	Changes to matching type (still provisional), added see	
		also from to relationship type, changed confidence in	
		association of resource to name	
6	2011-04-26	Changes requested by NISO I2: nameUsage for	
		institution; UNLOCODE for cities; InstitutionType	
7	2011-04-27	Inclusion of IPN and IPD as name and resource identifier	
		values	
8	2011-04-29	Inclusion of date formats; field values for institution	
		type	
9	2011-05-05	Inclusion ISNI status and no ISNI yet reason	
10	2011-05-31	Revised list of matching types	
11	2011-06-09	Change country codes from MARC to ISO	
12	2011-08-18	Replaced "institution affiliation" by "isAffiliatedWith".	
		Replaced "group member (e.g. band)" by	
		"isAffiliatedWith".	
		Mentioned 'see also from' as default value.	
		Added remark about family indexing.	
13	2011-11-16	Revised matching types; updated name identifier	
	2014 12 00	sources; added possible merge decision	
14	2011-12-09	Added pseud to relationship type	
15	2011-12-10	Removed 910 /021A \$Z; created TOC with bookmarks	
16	2011-12-21	Added real name to relationship type	
17	2012-01-10	Added relationship types for person to organisation and	
10	2012 05 10	organisation to person	
18	2012-05-10	Added "other identity, same person"	
19	2012-05-31	Added instrument and voice	
20	2012-06-26	Corrected role nrt to narrator (not performer)	
21	2013-02-06	Added Importer and Retailer as Organisation types	
22	2013-02-15	Updated matching type	
23	2013-04-09	Changed 950 \$t to 950 \$T and 951 \$t to 951 \$T; verified	
24	2012 00 04	relationship types	
24	2013-09-04	Added cnd conductor to role code list and new codes to	
25	2014-12-29	organisation types Organisation type — changed Hospital or Health Agency	
25	2014-12-29	Library to Hospital or Health Agency; added Research	
		project or research group	
26	2016-10-17	Changed IsMemberOf to isMemberOf	
27	2018-06-25	Added new values to Use of Name	
	2010-00-23	Auded Hew values to USE Of Ivallie	