

ONIX for Books codelists Issue 31

This is the consolidated list of additions and updates for Issue 31 of the ONIX for Books codelists. This has been circulated for comment to the national groups and ratified by the ONIX International Steering Committee at its meeting during the Frankfurt Book Fair.

Note that following the sunset of support for ONIX 2.1 at the end of 2014, and the subsequent one year 'twilight' support of those specific codelists that are unique to ONIX 2.1 (for example, lists 7, 10, 78), future updates of these codelists beyond the end of 2015 will only add updates to lists used with ONIX 3.0.

- **NB** an error introduced into List 339 with early versions of this document (a duplicated code for Bookshout) has been corrected. The correct code is BKS

Codelists Issue 31 additions and changes

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

List 5 – Product identifier type code (ONIX 2.1 and ONIX 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
31	BNF Control number	Numéro de la notice BnF

List 17 – Contributor role code (ONIX 2.1 and ONIX 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
C01	Compiled by	For puzzles, directories, dictionaries, statistics etc
C02	Selected by	For textual material (eg for an anthology)
C03	Non-text material selected by	eg for a collection of selected photos etc
C04	Curated by	eg for an exhibition

Note also Edited by (B01), which implies a little more involvement with commissioning or obtaining, preparation, arrangement, annotation (or potentially, modification) of the content.

List 51 – Product relation code (ONIX 2.1 and ONIX 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
36	Sales expectation	Use to give the ISBN of another book that had sales (both in terms of copy numbers and customer profile) comparable to that the publisher or distributor estimates for the product. Use in ONIX 2.1 ONLY

Note that code 36 is information for the trade only – unlike most other product relationships, it is not suitable for presentation to consumers. For an equivalent to code 36 in ONIX 3.0, see list 165.

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

Code	Label	Note
APA	Apabi	
ASB	Asia Books	
ATK	Audioteka	

AUC	Audiobooks.com	
BLA	Blackstone Audio	
BKS	Bookshout	
CEB	Ceebo	
ERD	E-Reads	
FIN	Findaway	
FSP	Fishpond	
GLO	Glose	
JBH	JB Hifi	
KOR	Kortext	
MAC	Mackin	
MAG	Magzter	
MMM	Bibliotheca	Formerly 3M CloudLibrary
MOF	Mofibo	
MYI	MyiLibrary	
RMB	RM Books	
SAF	Safari	
SBT	Shanghai Book Traders	
STT	Storytel	
TOL	Tolino	

It is important to be aware of the semantics around sales outlets used within the <SalesRestriction> composite. These are restrictions that make the product specific to particular customers or outlets *at retail*. Where the restriction is to a particular *distributor or wholesaler* (without regard to which retailers that distributor or wholesaler supplies), or to the digital equivalent (a digital distributor or a platform provider that enables multiple e-publication retailers) then that should be noted using <Supplier> (*ie* the distributor, wholesaler or platform provider should be an exclusive supplier to retail).

List 158 – Resource content type (ONIX 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
34	Publisher's catalogue	For example an PDF or other digital representation of a publisher's 'new titles' or range catalogue
35	Online advertisement panel	For example a banner ad for the product. Pixel dimensions should typically be included in <ResourceVersionFeature>
36	Online advertisement page	German "Bühnenbild"
37	Promotional event material	Eg posters, logos, banners, advertising templates for use in connection with a promotional event
38	Digital review copy	Availability of a digital review or proof copy, may be limited to authorised users or account holders

List 165 Supplier own code type (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
05	Supplier's sales expectation	Code is the ISBN of another book that had sales (both in terms of copy numbers and customer profile) comparable to that the distributor or supplier estimates for the product. <SupplierCodeValue> must be an ISBN-13 or GTIN-13
06	Publisher's sales expectation	Code is the ISBN of another book that had sales (both in terms of copy numbers and customer profile) comparable to that the publisher estimates for the product. <SupplierCodeValue> must be an ISBN-13 or GTIN-13

Sales expectations are more often 'coded' or categorised ('this is an A+ product'), for which use codes 01 and 03 in List 165. But where sales categories are not in use, publishers and suppliers may quote an ISBN that identifies a previous product with a sales profile similar to that expected for the new product. This is information for the trade only, and is not suitable for presentation to consumers.

List 171 Tax type code type (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
03	ECO	'Green' or eco-tax, levied to encourage responsible production or disposal, used only where this is identified separately from VAT or sales tax (eg French éco-participation tax)

Note that where more than one tax applies, it can be important to include <TaxableAmount>, to make it plain whether the 'second' tax is levied on the pre-tax price of the product, or the combined total of the pre-tax price and the 'first' tax.

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