

ONIX for Books codelists Issue 33

This is the consolidated list of agreed additions and updates for Issue 33 of the ONIX for Books codelists. These have been circulated for comment to the national groups, and ratified by the ONIX International Steering Committee during its meeting at the London Book Fair on 13th April 2016.

Issue 33 includes a small number of updates as normal, and also includes four new codelists (20, 228, 229, 230) that are necessary for ONIX 3.0.3, a minor update of ONIX 3.0 released simultaneously with these codelists. Following the end of 'twilight' support for ONIX 2.1-only codelists at the end of 2015, it does not include any additions for lists used *only* in 2.1, though 2.1 continues to benefit from updates to lists it *shares* with 3.0. Note that although list 20 is shared, **values in List 20 are for use only with the <Event> composite in ONIX 3.0.3** as there has never been a need to define values in this list for the <Conference> composite in ONIX 2.1.

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

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

Code	Label	Note
11	CPV	Common Procurement Vocabulary, uses to describe requirements for tender for public tendering and procurement within the EU. Code is a nine digit number (including the check digit). See http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=URISERV:l22008

List 18 – Name type code (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
06	Later name	Use only with <AlternativeName>

Included to improve discoverability where metadata for a book published under the author's former name is revised.

List 20 – Event role (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
01	Publication linked to conference	For example an academic, professional or political conference
02	Complete proceedings of conference	
03	Selected papers from conference	

Code	Label	Note
11	Publication linked to sporting event	For example a competitive match, fixture series or championship
12	Programme or guide to sporting event	
21	Publication linked to artistic event	For example a theatrical or musical event or performance, a season of events or performances, or an exhibition of art
22	Programme or guide to artistic event	
31	Publication linked to exposition	For example a commercial exposition
32	Programme or guide for exposition	

For use only within the ONIX 3.0 <Event> composite introduced with the ONIX 3.0.3 update. In theory, values 01 to 03 (only) could potentially be used with the ONIX 3.0 <Conference> composite, but this composite is deprecated – it has been replaced with the similar <Event> composite, with the intention of broadening the applicability of the composite and encouraging greater use.

Note that List 20 is NOT for use with the ONIX 2.1 <Conference> composite – there has never been a need to define conference role codes for this in 2.1.

List 21 – Edition type code (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
SIG	Signed edition	Individually autographed by the author(s)

List 27 – Subject scheme code (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
B2	Keywords (not for display)	Where multiple keywords or keyword phrases are sent in a single instance of the <SubjectHeadingText> element, it is recommended that they should be separated by semi-colons. Use B2 in preference to code 20 where it is important to show the keyword list is specifically NOT intended for display to purchasers, but is intended for use solely in indexing or by search engines

Use of code B2 should be very rare. Most keywords should continue to use the existing code 20, where the data supplier has no need or does not wish to specify that the list of words should not be displayed to purchasers. There is no implication that code 20 keywords are particularly *intended* for display – whether or not these code 20 keywords are displayed is at the discretion of the retailer, and in practice they are typically *not* displayed. However, there is no specific prohibition against display in either a trade or consumer context. Code B2 is intended only for keywords which would be useful for discoverability, but where display is undesirable for some specific reason (for example if the book is a medical or sociological text, and some keywords could be offensive if taken out of context).

Note that where both code 20 and B2 are used to provide two lists of keywords, the keyword content of *both* lists should be used for indexing and search purposes, so there is no need to repeat individual keywords in multiple lists.

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

Code	Label	Note
37	Is signed version of	<Product> is a signed copy of <RelatedProduct>. Use where signed copies are given a distinct product identifier and can be ordered separately, but are otherwise identical
38	Has signed version	<Product> is a book of which <RelatedProduct> is a signed version. Use where signed copies are given a distinct product identifier and can be ordered separately, but are otherwise identical

List 139 – ONIX retail sales outlet code (ONIX 2.1 and 3.0)

Code	Label	Note
EPC	Epic!	http://www.getepic.com
ADP	Messengeries ADP	http://www.messengeries-adp.com

List 145 – Usage constraint type code (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
01	Preview	Preview before purchase. Allows a retail customer or account holder or patron to view a proportion of the book before purchase. Also applies to borrowers making use of 'acquisition on demand' models in libraries, and to 'subscription' models where the purchase is made on behalf of the reader
04	Share	Share product across multiple concurrent devices. Allows a retail customer or account holder or patron to read the book across multiple devices linked to the same account. Also applies to readers in library borrowing and 'subscription' models
06	Lend	Lendable by the purchaser to other device owner, account holder or patron, eg 'lend-to-a-friend', library lending (where the library product has a separate product identifier from the 'consumer' product). The 'primary' copy becomes unusable while the secondary copy is 'on loan' unless a number of concurrent borrowers is also specified

List 177 – Person / organization date role (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
56	Flourished around	('Floruit'). To date the height of or most productive period during a career

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

Code	Label	Note
24	Dyslexia readability	Specialised font, character and line spacing, justification and paragraph spacing, colouring and other options provided specifically to improve readability for dyslexic readers. Details, including the name of the font, should be listed in <ProductFormFeatureDescription>

List 217 – Price identifier type (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
02	Proprietary price point identifier	Proprietary identifier uniquely identifies price amount and currency. Two unrelated products with the same price amount carry the same identifier
03	Proprietary price type identifier	Proprietary identifier uniquely identifies price type, qualifier and any constraints and conditions, but two products carrying the same identifier may carry differing price amounts, currencies
04	Proprietary price point and type identifier	Proprietary identifier identifies a unique combination of price point and type, though two unrelated products may carry the same identifier if all details of their prices are identical
05	Proprietary unique price identifier	Proprietary identifier is unique to a single price point, price type and product. No two products can carry the same identifier, even if all details of the price are identical

Codes 02–05 allow the sender to describe the nature of a proprietary identifier more precisely than with the existing code 01 ('Proprietary').

List 228 – Grant identifier type code (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
01	Proprietary	

For use within the new <FundingIdentifier> composite in ONIX 3.0.3. There is no standard for identification of particular research grants. The identifier format will always be dependent on the funding body, and should be given a name in <IDTypeName> within <FundingIdentifier>.

List 229 – Gender code, based on ISO 5218 (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
u	Unknown or unspecified	Provides positive indication that the gender is not known or is not specified by the sender for any reason
f	Female	
m	Male	

List 229 is used to specify the gender of a contributor, newly introduced in ONIX 3.0.3. Importantly, this is the gender of the *persona* (the outward public identity of the contributor), which may be fictional, and does not necessarily reflect the gender of a natural person. Thus George Eliot and Robert Galbraith are both of the male gender, even though the natural persons 'behind' those pseudonyms – Mary Evans and JK Rowling – are both female.

List 230 – Price constraint type (ONIX 3.0 only)

Code	Label	Note
06	Lend	Lendable by the purchaser to other device owner or account holder or patron, eg library lending (where the library product is not identified with a separate <ProductIdentifier> from the consumer product). The 'primary' copy becomes unusable while the secondary copy is on loan unless a number of concurrent borrowers is also specified

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Code	Label	Note
07	Time-limited license	E-publication license is time-limited. Use with code 02 from List 146 and a number of days in <PriceConstraintLimit>. The purchased copy becomes unusable when the license expires
08	Loan renewal	Maximum number of consecutive loans (eg from a library) to a single device owner, account holder or patron. Note that a limit of 1 indicates that a loan cannot be renewed

List 230 is used with the newly added <PriceConstraint> composite in ONIX 3.0.3.

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