

## LC call numbers examples 4-6

### EXAMPLE 4 (decimal expansion and conference date)

050	0	0	#a <b>PN3433.2 #b .S34 1993</b>
110	2		#a Science Fiction Research Association. #b National Conference #d (1993 : #c Reno, Nevada)
245	1	0	#a Imaginative futures : #b proceedings of the 1993 Science Fiction Research Association Conference, June 17-19, 1993, Reno, Nevada / #c edited by Milton T. Wolf and Daryl F. Mallett.
260			#a San Bernardino, CA : #b Angel Enterprises : #b Distributed by the Borgo Press, #c c1994.
650		0	#a Science fiction #v Congresses.

#### Analysis of example 4:

- PN** The double letters for the subclass, Literature
- 343** The integral number for science fiction
- 3**
- .2** The **decimal expansion** for congresses
- .S34** The cutter for the main entry, Science Fiction Research Association. National Conference ...
- 1993** The **date of the conference** <note that the date of the conference differs from the date of publication>

**CAUTION.** The last cutter's alphabetical letter will not always map to the main entry. Three common types follow.

### EXAMPLE 5. (2nd cutter functions as "local" [more specific] geographic subarrangement)

050	0	0	#a <b>NA4415.I732 #b D835 2000</b>
100	1		#a Griffin, David J.
245	1	0	#a Leinster House, 1744-2000 : #b an architectural history /

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			‡c David J. Griffin & Caroline Pegum ; [edited by Elizabeth Mayes].
260			‡a Dublin : ‡b Irish Architectural Archive in association with the Office of Public Works, ‡c 2000.
610	2	0	‡a Leinster House (Dublin, Ireland) ‡x History.
650		0	‡a Architecture, Georgian ‡z Ireland ‡z Dublin.
650		0	‡a Mansions ‡x Remodeling for other use ‡z Ireland ‡z Dublin.
610	2	0	‡a Ireland. ‡b Oireachtas. ‡b Dáil ‡x Buildings.
650		0	‡a Dublin (Ireland) ‡x Buildings, structures, etc.

**Analysis of example 5.** Note that the "base number" cutters are both expanded without using a period.

- NA** The double letters for the subclass, Architecture
- 441** The integral number for capitol & parliament buildings for "Other countries A-Z"
- 5**
- .I73** The cutter for **Ireland** ("I73") subdivided locally ("2")
- 2**
- D83** The second cutter for the local subdivision, **Dublin**, with an additional digit ("5") to account for the main entry (Griffin)
- 5**
- 200** Publication date
- 0**

### EXAMPLE 6. Form cutter.

LC uses special tables to deal with common subarrangement patterns. The subarrangements are often form-driven. The [LC biography table](#) [1] is a very common application.

050	0	0	‡a <b>BX4705.N5 ‡b A4 1961</b>
100	1		‡a Newman, John Henry, ‡d 1801-1890.
245	1	0	‡a Letters and diaries /‡c edited, with notes and an introduction by Charles Stephen Dessain.

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260			#a London ; #a New York : #b T. Nelson, #c [1961-<1999>
600	1	0	#a Newman, John Henry, #d 1801-1890 #v Correspondence.
600	1	0	#a Newman, John Henry, #d 1801-1890 #v Diaries.
610	2	0	#a Catholic Church #z England #x Clergy #v Correspondence.
610	2	0	#a Catholic Church #z England #x Clergy #v Diaries.

### Analysis of example 6:

- BX** The double letters for the subclass, Religion: Christian Denominations
- 470** The integral number for Catholic Church--**Individual biography**
- 5** The cutter for **Newman, John Henry**
- .N5** The cutter for **Newman, John Henry**
- A4** LC biography table is applied for biography numbers for individuals in all classes unless otherwise instructed in the schedules; the table assigns A4 for collections of letters
- 196** Publication date
- 1**

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### Links

[1] [http://www.itsmarc.com/crs/mergedProjects/cutter/cutter/biography\\_table\\_cutter.htm](http://www.itsmarc.com/crs/mergedProjects/cutter/cutter/biography_table_cutter.htm)