**<physLoc>**

(physical location) – Groups information about the current physical location of a bibliographic item, such as the repository in which it is located and its shelf mark(s), and its previous locations.

[3.1.4 Manifestations](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/content/metadata.html#headerManifestationList),[3.3 Manuscript Descriptions](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/content/metadata.html#"msdesc"),[8.1.6 Bibliographic Citations and References](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/content/lyricsperfdir.html#sharedBibliographicCitations)

Module

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Attributes

* [compact](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#attributes)
* [full definition](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#attributes)
* [by class](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#attributes)
* [by module](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#attributes)

Attribute herausgelöscht

[model.biblPart](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/model-classes/model.biblpart.html)Groups elements that may appear as part of a bibliographic description.

Contained by

* [compact](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#containedBy)
* [by class](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#containedBy)
* [by module](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#containedBy)

elements having physLoc as direct children

[item](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/item.html)Single instance or exemplar of a source/manifestation.

[model.biblPart](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/model-classes/model.biblpart.html)(MEI.shared) Groups elements that may appear as part of a bibliographic description.

[bibl](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/bibl.html)(bibliographic reference) – Provides a loosely-structured bibliographic citation in which the sub-components may or may not be explicitly marked.

May Contain

* [compact](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#mayContain)
* [by class](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#mayContain)
* [by module](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/physloc.html#mayContain)

direct children

[history](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/history.html)Provides a container for information about the history of a resource other than the circumstances of its creation.

[model.headLike](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/model-classes/model.headlike.html)(MEI.shared) Groups elements used to provide a heading at the start of a text division or other markup component.

[head](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/head.html)(heading) – Contains any heading, for example, the title of a section of text, or the heading of a list.

[model.identifierLike](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/model-classes/model.identifierlike.html)(MEI.shared) Groups identifier-like elements.

[identifier](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/identifier.html)An alpha-numeric string that establishes the identity of the described material.

[model.repositoryLike](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/model-classes/model.repositorylike.html)(MEI.shared) Groups elements that denote a corporate entity that holds a bibliographic item.

[repository](https://music-encoding.org/guidelines/v4/elements/repository.html)Institution, agency, or individual which holds a bibliographic item.

Remarks

This element is modelled on an element in the Encoded Archival Description (EAD) standard.