**Subfield $3 spec**

MARC subfield $3, Materials specified

- Appears in 74 fields (6/2016)

- Specifies an attribute of a resource but that attribute applies to only part of the resource,  and “material specified” tells you which part.

- It is a word, or phrase, or date, or enumeration. Examples: correspondence, diaries, horse, dup. neg., case files

It seems to be used

To indicate what part of an archival collection – diaries, records, notebook, annual report,

To indicate part of composite resources like kits, statues, studies, works containing multiple other works – puzzles, horse, enrollment study data, 3rd work

To indicate dates or enumerations when attribute like a certain imprint applied, used especially with serials -- 1980, 1927-42, 1-19, (1930-49)

To identify preservation information – deacidified copy, dup. neg.

Define property bf:appliesTo and class bf:AppliesTo.

Examples:

Have a resource R, which consists of parts, R1, R2, R3. If they are all separately addressable by URI, and you have a note that applies only to R2 and R3.

<resource>   bf:note [ a  bf:Note  ;

                        rdfs:label   “text of note”  ;

                       bf:appliesTo URI or [rdfs:label …] for R2  ;

                        bf:appliesTo   URI or [rdfs:label …] for R3  ] .

Do not have  URIs for parts but a note applies only to the foreword:

<resource>   bf:note [ a  bf:Note  ;

                        rdfs:label   “foreword by Thelma Plews”  ;

                       bf:appliesTo   [rdfs:label  “foreword” ] .

This will only work for an object property (like note).

If you have an “informal” note like bf:duration, e.g. bf:duration “10 minutes”, then put it into a note:

<resource>   bf:note [ a  bf:Note  ;

                        bf:duration   “10 minutes”  ;

                       bf:appliesTo   [rdfs:label  “first movement” ] .

**Examples from MARC:**

**037 - SOURCE OF ACQUISITION**

Examples:

037 ##$3-2013$bPortico

037 3#$32014$bOxford University Press

*bf:acquisitionSource (changed to an object property).*

*bf:acquisitionSource*

*[ a bf:AcquisitionSource ;*

*rdfs:label “Portico” ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label  “-2013” ] ] .*

*bf:acquisitionSource*

*[ a bf:AcquisitionSource ;*

*rdfs:label “Oxford University press” ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label  “2014” ] ] .*

**260 - PUBLICATION, DISTRIBUTION, ETC. (IMPRINT)**

Information to differentiate the multiple statements of the described materials to which the field applies.

Examples:

260 2#$31980-May 1993$aLondon :$bVogue

260 3#$3June 1993-$aLondon :$bElle

260 2#$32000?-2002$aNew York :$bColumbia University Press

*bf:provisionActivity [*

*a bf;Distribution ;*

*bf:agent [rdfs:label “Vogue”] ;*

*bf:place [rdfs:label “London” ] ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label  “1980-May 1993” ] ] .*

*bf:provisionActivity [*

*a bf;Distribution ;*

*bf:agent [rdfs:label “Elle” ] ;*

*bf:place [rdfs:label “London” ] ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label  “3June 1993-” ] ] .*

*bf:provisionActivity [*

*a bf;Distribution ;*

*bf:agent [rdfs:label “Columbia University Press” ] ;*

*bf:place [rdfs:label “New York” ] ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label  “2000?-2002” ] ].*

**300 - PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION**

Example:

300 ##$3poems$a1$fpage ;$c108 cm. x 34.5 cm

Example says extent=1, unit=page, dimensions= 108 cm. x 34.5 cm, and this is applicable to poems

<instance> bf:extent [

a bf:Extent ;

rdfs:value “1” ;

bf:unit [rdf:label “page” ] ;

bf:dimensions “108 cm. x 34.5 cm” ;

bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label “poems” ] ] .

**337 - MEDIA TYPE**

Eample:

337 ##$aunmediated$2rdamedia$3liner notes

*<resource> bf:media [*

*a bf:Media ;*

*rdfs:label “unmediated” ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label “liner notes” ]] .*

**351 - ORGANIZATION AND ARRANGEMENT OF MATERIALS**

Example:

351 ##$3Diaries and notebooks$aOrganized into four series: I. Youth, 1846-1852. II. Early Career,1853-1865. III. Political Life, 1866-1895. IV. Retirement, 1896-1903;$bChronological arrangement.

*bf:arrangement [*

*a bf:Arrangement ;*

*bf:pattern “Chronological arrangement” ;*

*bf:organization “Organized into four series: I. Youth, 1846-1852.*

*II. Early Career,1853-1865. III. Political Life, 1866-1895.*

*IV. Retirement, 1896-1903” ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label “Diaries and notebooks” ] ] .*

**490 - SERIES STATEMENT**

*Example*

*490 1#$31972/73-1975-76: $aResearch report / National Education Association Research*

*<resource> bf:note [*

*a bf:Note ;*

*bf:seriesStatement “Research report / National Education Association Research” ;*

*bf:appliesTo [rdfs:label “1972/73-1975-76” ] ] .*