

Dublin Core Cheat Sheet

Term Name: creator

Definition: An entity primarily responsible for making the resource.

Comment: Examples of a Creator include a person, an organization, or a service.

Term Name: date

Definition: A point or period of time associated with an event in the lifecycle of the resource.

Comment: Date may be used to express temporal information at any level of granularity. Recommended best practice is to use an encoding scheme, such as the W3CDTF profile of ISO 8601 [W3CDTF].

Term Name: description

Definition: An account of the resource.

Comment: Description may include but is not limited to: an abstract, a table of contents, a graphical representation, or a free-text account of the resource.

Term Name: extent

Definition: The size or duration of the resource.

Refines: Format

Term Name: hasPart	
Definition:	A related resource that is included either physically or logically in the described resource.
Refines:	Relation
Term Name: identifier	
Definition:	An unambiguous reference to the resource within a given context.
Comment:	Recommended best practice is to identify the resource by means of a string conforming to a formal identification system.
Term Name: language	
Definition:	A language of the resource.
Comment:	Recommended best practice is to use a controlled vocabulary such as RFC 4646 [RFC4646].
Term Name: medium	
Definition:	The material or physical carrier of the resource.
Refines:	Format
Term Name: publisher	
Definition:	An entity responsible for making the resource available.

Comment:	Examples of a Publisher include a person, an organization, or a service.
Term Name: rights	
Definition:	Information about rights held in and over the resource.
Comment:	Typically, rights information includes a statement about various property rights associated with the resource, including intellectual property rights.
Term Name: subject	
Definition:	The topic of the resource.
Comment:	Typically, the subject will be represented using keywords, key phrases, or classification codes. Recommended best practice is to use a controlled vocabulary.
Term Name: title	
Definition:	A name given to the resource.