NARA Digital Preservation Framework

Change history from 2021-09 version to 2021-12 version

Minor formatting changes are not included in this list.

1. Record Categories

a. No new categories added, no categories removed.

2. General changes to both the 1) Risk and Prioritization Matrix and 2) File Formats Preservation Action Plans

- a. NF00153, NF00551-NF00555, NF00784 updated format names to include "Table" for dBase Table file format variants.
- NF00106 updated format name from "Advanced Audio Encoding (AAC)
 MPEG-2 Audio" to "Advanced Audio Coding (AAC) MPEG-2 Audio"
- c. Added 18 formats with NARA IDs NF00769 NF00786.

3. Risk and Prioritization Matrix

- a. Updated year used in formulas for scoring Format Age risk factors from 2021 to 2022 (columns BC and BE).
- b. Fixed occurrences of inconsistent negative scoring (i.e., using both -1 and -2 for the same risk factor).
- c. 3 formats had their overall risk level increase:
 - i. NF00219 JPEG 2000 File Format was low, now moderate.
 - ii. NF00369 Portable Document Format (PDF) version 1.7 was low, now moderate.
 - iii. NF00665 Microsoft Excel Macro-enabled was low, now moderate.
- d. 1 format had its risk level decrease:
 - i. NF00300 Microsoft Visio Drawing 2013 was moderate, now low.

4. File Formats Preservation Action Plans

- Replaced dead links.
- b. Added links to new resources.