



## A SUMMARY OF THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS CLASSIFICATION SCHEME

### A—General Works

AC—Collections  
AE—Encyclopedias  
AG—General Reference Works  
AI—Indexes  
AY—Yearbooks, Almanacs, Directories  
AZ—General History of Knowledge  
and Learning

### B—Philosophy, Psychology, Religion

BC—Logic  
BD—Metaphysics, Philosophy  
BF—Psychology  
BH—Aesthetics  
BJ—Ethics  
BL—Religions, Mythology  
BM—Judaism  
BP—Islam  
BR—Christianity  
BS—Bible  
BT, BV—Theology  
BX—Special Sects & Denominations

### C—History—Auxiliary Sciences

CB—History of Civilization  
CJ—Numismatics (Coin Collecting)  
CS—Genealogy  
CT—Biography

### D—History (except American)

DA—Great Britain  
DB—Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary  
DC—France  
DD—Germany  
DG—Italy  
DK—Russia, Poland, Finland  
DP—Spain, Portugal  
DS—Asia  
DT—Africa  
DU—Australia & Oceanic

### E, F—America

E 11-143—America (general)  
E 31-50—North America (general)  
E 51-91—Indians of North America  
E 151-770—United States (general)  
F 1-975—United States (states & local)  
F 1001-1140—Canada  
F 1201-3899—Latin America

### G—Geography, Anthropology, Sports

G—Voyages & Travels  
GB—Physical Geography  
GC—Oceanography  
GN—Anthropology, Ethnology,  
Ethnography  
GR—Folklore  
GT—Manners & Customs, Costume  
GV—Sports, Games, Dancing

### H—Social Sciences

HA—Statistics  
HB-HC—Economics  
HD—Organization & Management  
HE—Transportation & Communication  
HF—Commerce, Business, Marketing,  
Accounting, Advertising, Real Estate  
HG—Finance  
HM—Sociology  
HQ—Sexual Life, Family, Marriage,  
Women, Men  
HT—Communities, Classes, Races  
HV—Social Pathology, Crime, Drug  
Abuse  
HX—Socialism, Communism,  
Anarchism

### J—Political Science

JA—General Works  
JC—Political Theory  
JF-JX—Constitutional History &  
Administration

### K—Law

KF—Law of the United States  
KFC—California Law

### L—Education

LA—History of Education  
LB—Theory & Practice of Teaching  
LC—Special Aspects of Education

### M—Music

M 5-1450—Instrumental Music  
M 1495-2199—Vocal Music  
ML—Literature of Music  
MT—Musical Instruction

N—Fine Arts

N—Visual Arts (general)  
NA—Architecture  
NB—Sculpture  
NC—Drawing, Design  
ND—Painting  
NE—Print Media  
NK—Art Applied to Industry,  
Decoration & Ornamentation

P—Language and Literature

P—Philology & Linguistics,  
Communication, Mass Media  
PA—Greek & Latin  
PC—Romantic Languages (Italian,  
French, Spanish, Portuguese, etc.)  
PD—Germanic Languages (German,  
Scandinavian, etc.)  
PE—English  
PG—Slavic Languages (Russian, etc.)  
PJ-PL—Asian, African, Oceanic  
Language & Literature  
PN—Performing Arts, Drama, Poetry,  
Essays, Journalism  
PQ—Romanic Literature  
PR—English Literature  
PS—American Literature  
PT—Germanic Literature  
PZ—Juvenile Literature

Q—Science

QA—Mathematics & Computer Science  
QB—Astronomy  
QC—Physics  
QD—Chemistry  
QE—Geology  
QH—Natural History  
QK—Botany

QL—Zoology

QM—Human Anatomy

QP—Physiology

QR—Microbiology

R—Medicine

RA—Public Health

RB—Pathology

RC—Internal Medicine

RD—Surgery

RJ—Pediatrics

RM—Therapeutics, Nutrition,  
Pharmacology

RT—Nursing

RV-RZ—Other Systems of Medicine

S—Agriculture

SB—Plant Culture

SF—Animal Culture

T—Technology

TA—Engineering

TH—Building engineering, Fire Science

TK—Electrical Engineering, Electronics

TL—Motor Vehicles, Aeronautics,  
Astronautics

TR—Photography

TS—Manufacturing

TT—Handicrafts

TX—Home Economics, Cookery, Hotel  
& Restaurant Service

U—Military Science

V—Naval Science

Z—Bibliography, Printing, Library Science