University of Leeds Classification of Books
General Reference

A-2 Abbreviations; acronyms

[D] Language dictionaries]
D-2 More than one language
D-4 English: general
D-5 English: specialized, e.g.
   AME American
   DIA dialects
   JAM Jamaican
   SLA slang
   SYN synonyms

D-7 other languages Add 3 letters for language, e.g. D-7 FRE French

E-1 General encyclopaedias

[G] Regional reference works]
G-0 General; include general gazetteers
G-1 to G-9 Specific areas Divided geographically

[P] Biographical reference works]
P-0 General
P-1 to P-9 Specific areas Divided geographically
P-1 United Kingdom; Great Britain
P-1.2 England Add 3 letters for institutions, e.g. MID Middle Temple
P-2.2 France
P-2.22 to P-2.27 provincial Divided geographically
P-2.5 Italy
P-2.52 provincial Add 3 letters for province, e.g. VEN Veneto

S-1 Subject reference works
S-1 has priority over P, e.g. a dictionary of French scientists would be at S-1 SCI, not P-2.2
S-1 ART Art
S-1 BYZ Byzantium
S-1 CHR Christianity
S-1 CLA Classics
S-1 FOL Folklore; mythology; symbols
S-1 HIS History
S-1 INF Information technology
S-1 INT International relations
S-1 ISL  Islam
S-1 JEW  Judaism
S-1 LAW  Law
S-1 LIT  Literature
S-1 MED  Medicine
S-1 MID  Middle Ages
S-1 MUS  Music
S-1 NAM  Names  see also PLA
S-1 NAU  Nautical
S-1 PLA  Place-names
S-1 PRO  Proverbs
S-1 QUO  Quotations
S-1 REL  Religion  see also CHR, ISL, JEW
S-1 SCI  Science & engineering
S-1 SOC  Social sciences
S-1 THE  Theatre

**[Y Directories]**

Y-1  General
Y-2  Lists of associations
Y-5  subjects A-Bur
Y-8  Business, finance, industry
Y-9  subjects But-Ed
Y-12  Education, learning, universities: U.K.
Y-13  Education, learning, universities: rest of world
Y-14  subjects Ed-Eur
Y-18  subjects Eus-Gra
Y-21  Grants, awards, charities
Y-22  subjects Gra-Pub
Y-29  Publishing, press
Y-30  subjects Pub-Wri
Y-33  Writers, literature
Y-34  subjects Wri-Z

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