

***Describing Archives: A Content Standard***  
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Appendix C. Table C5: *DACS* to EAD and MARC

This table, on pages 220-221 in *DACS*, contains some incomplete and erroneous mappings from *DACS* elements to those in the MARC21 format. Archivists using *DACS* should reference the following table in lieu of Table C5 in the published version of this standard.

<b><i>DACS</i></b>	<b>EAD</b>	<b>MARC</b>
<i>1. Level of description</i>	<archdesc> and <c> LEVEL attribute	351\$c
<i>2. Identity Elements</i>		
2.1.3 Local identifier	<unitid>	099
2.1.4 Repository identifier	<unitid> REPOSITORYCODE attribute	040\$a
2.1.5 Country identifier	<unitid> COUNTRYCODE attribute	The MARC21 format does not contain a straightforward mapping for this <i>DACS</i> subelement value.
2.2 Name and Location of Repository	<repository>	852, 524 (if the preferred citation indicates both the name and location of the repository)
2.3 Title	<unittitle>	245\$a
2.4 Date	<unitdate>	245\$f (\$g for bulk dates), 260\$c if recording data about formal publication
2.5 Extent	<physdesc> and subelements <extent>, <dimensions>, <genreform>, <physfacet>	300\$a and potentially other subfields
2.6 Name of creator(s)	<origination>	100, 110, or 111; 700, 710, or 711 for names in addition to that of the predominant creator
2.7 Admin/Biog history	<bioghist>	545

<i>3. Content and Structure Elements</i>		
3.1 Scope and content	<scopecontent>	520
3.2 System of arrangement	<arrangement>	351
<i>4. Access Elements</i>		
4.1 Conditions governing access	<accessrestrict>	506
4.2 Physical access	<accessrestrict>, <phystech>, <physloc>	340, 506
4.3 Technical access	<phystech>	340, 538
4.4 Conditions governing reproduction and use	<userrestrict>	540
4.5 Languages/scripts of the material	<langmaterial>	546
4.6 Finding aids	<otherfindaid>	555
<i>5. Acquisition and Appraisal Elements</i>		
5.1 Custodial history	<custodhist>	561
5.2 Immediate source of acquisition	<acqinfo>	541
5.3 Appraisal/destruction/scheduling information	<appraisal>	583
5.4 Accruals	<accruals>	584
<i>6. Related Materials Elements</i>		
6.1 Existence/location of originals	<originalsloc>	535
6.2 Existence/location of copies	<altformavail>	530
6.3 Related archival materials	<relatedmaterial> <separatedmaterial>	544
6.4 Publication note	<bibliography><p> or <bibliography><bibref>	581
7. Notes <sup>1</sup>	<odd>, <note>	500
8. Description control	<processinfo>	583
8.1.4 Rules or conventions	<descrules>	040\$e
8.1.5 Archivist and date	<processinfo><p><date>	583
9. Identifying creators	See 2.6	
10. Admin/Biographical history	See 2.7	

<sup>1</sup> Notes should only be encoded using the more generic <odd> and <note> elements (EAD) or 500 field (MARC21) when they do not correspond to a more specific EAD element or MARC21 field.