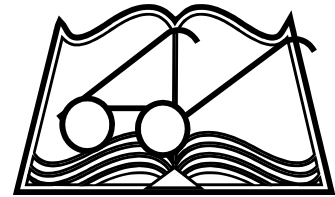


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- 050 *General Serials & Their Indexes*
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## 100s Philosophy & Psychology

- 110 *Metaphysics*
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- 150 *Psychology*
- 160 *Logic*
- 170 *Ethics (Moral Philosophy)*
- 180 *Ancient, Medieval, Oriental Philosophy*
- 190 *Modern Western Philosophy*

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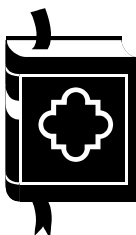
- 210 *Natural Theology*
- 220 *Bible*
- 230 *Christian Theology*
- 240 *Christian Moral & Devotional Theology*
- 250 *Christian Orders & Local Church*
- 260 *Christian Social Theology*
- 270 *Christian Church History & Geography*
- 280 *Christian Denominations & Sects*
- 290 *Other & Comparative Religions*

## 300s Social Sciences

- 310 *General Statistics*
- 320 *Political Science*
- 330 *Economics*
- 340 *Law*
- 350 *Public Administration*
- 360 *Social Services & Associations*
- 370 *Education*
- 380 *Commerce, Communications, Transport*
- 390 *Customs, Etiquette, Folklore*

## 400s Language

- 410 *Linguistics & Nonverbal Language*
- 420 *English & Old English*
- 430 *Germanic Languages - German*
- 440 *Romance Languages - French*
- 450 *Italian, Romanian, Rhaeto-Romanic*
- 460 *Spanish & Portuguese*
- 470 *Italic Languages*
- 480 *Hellenic Languages – Classical Greek*
- 490 *Other Languages*



## 500s Natural Sciences & Math

- 510 *Mathematics*
- 520 *Astronomy & Allied Sciences*
- 530 *Physics*
- 540 *Chemistry & Allied Sciences*
- 550 *Earth Sciences*
- 560 *Paleontology & Paleozoology*
- 570 *Life Sciences*
- 580 *Botanical Sciences*
- 590 *Zoological Sciences*

## 600s Technology (Applied Sciences)

- 610 *Medical Sciences & Medicines*
- 620 *Engineering & Allied Operations*
- 630 *Agriculture*
- 640 *Home Economics & Family Living*
- 650 *Management & Auxiliary Services*
- 660 *Chemical Engineering*
- 670 *Manufacturing*
- 680 *Manufacture for Specific Uses*
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## 700s The Arts

- 710 *Civic & Landscape Art*
- 720 *Architecture*
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- 770 *Photography & Photographs*
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- 850 *Italian, Romanian, Rhaeto-Romanic*
- 860 *Spanish & Portuguese*
- 870 *Italic Literatures - Latin*
- 880 *Hellenic Literatures – Classical Greek*
- 890 *Literatures of Other Languages*

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