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#### Abstract

This document summarizes different formats of the CINDA file that are in use at the IAEA Nuclear Data Section.

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#### CINDA Formats

For CINDA coding rules see the CINDA Coding Manual issued by NDCC Saclay (now NEA Data Bank), of which copies are available from NDS.

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The CCDN/NDS Interface Format as agreed in 1972, which contains all the details for the NEA-DB Book Tape Format (item 4 above).

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CINDA listings sent out to customers of NDS are produced in different ways:

CINDA retrievals based on the complete CINDA file are retrieved from the transmission format (item 2 above) from which the Edited transmission format (item 3 above) or any other output format can be produced. In the latter case headings are provided so that the meaning of the columns is evident.

For standing requests for CINDA retrievals, e.g. for the participants of the actinides CRP, retrievals are made from the Edited Book Tape (item 5 above) which provides speedy transmission of the newest information twice a year to the requestors.

CINDA Dictionaries containing the explanations of the codes used for Quantity, Lab and Reference can be obtained from NDS. They are included in the report IAEA-NDS-2 (also available on microfiche from the IAEA INIS Microfiche Service) and in the CINDA books. Other codes used in CINDA are explained on the reverse side of the NDS CINDA entry form (see page 2).

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NA 023	SCT	Scattering	NND		F	PG	Fiss Prod 7
AL 027	SNE	Nonelastic	NNT			PB	Fiss Prod $\beta$
P 031	ABS	Absorption	NNA			NFY	Fiss Yield
SC 045	RIA	Res Integral		(,)		RS	Frag Spectra
V 051	NG	$(n,\gamma)$				CHG	Frag Charge
MN055	RIG	Res Int Capt				RES	Reson Params
CØ 059	SNG	Spect (n, $\gamma$ )				STF	Strnth Fnctn
AS 075	DNG	Inelastic $\gamma$				DL	Lvi Density
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H BNZ Benzene				should be e			3,
H MTH Methane							
H PFN Paraffin	Operatio	on:					
H PHL Phenyls	<del></del>	<del></del>		Navy blast			
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# CINDA Transmission Format

Four times a year NDS receives from NEA-DB the complete CINDA File in the following CINDA Transmission Format:

Record	length:	104
Pos.	Length	
1	(1)	Exchange Flag (can be ignored)
2-4	(3)	Lab
5-7	(3)	Z of nuclide
8-10	(3)	A of nuclide
11-12	(2)	Quantity: numerical sorting value
13-15	(3)	Block-Number
16-21	(6)	Serial-Number
22-25	(4)	En-min (input format 14+7 means 1.4E+7eV)
26-29	(4)	En-max
30-31	(2)	Energy Flag (can be ignored)
32-37	(6)	Date of last update
38-39	(2)	Element Symbol
40-42	(3)	Quantity: mnemonic code
43	(1)	Compiler Symbol
44	(1)	Hierarchy: numerical sorting value (the mnemonic code is not stored)
45	(1)	Work-type
46	(1)	Area of Lab (1=NNDC, 2=NEA-DB, 3=NDS, 4=CJD) Note: the country is not stored.
47	(1)	Data Flag
48	(1)	Ref-type
49-62	(14)	Reference
63-64	(2)	Ref-year
65-66	(2)	Ref-month
67	(1)	Author Flag (indicates that first word of next field is an author's name)
68-103	(36)	Author and Comments
104	(1)	Filler (can be ignored)

The file is <u>sorted</u> by: Lab, Z, A, Q, Block-Number, Serial Number. Note: the hierarchy is not included in the sort-key, so that the line sequence within a block differs from that appearing in the book.

At NDS, the CINDA Transmission Format is converted to the  $\underline{\text{Edited CINDA}}$  Transmission Format:

Record length:		120
Pos.	Length	
1-3	(3)	Z of nuclide
5-6	(2)	Element symbol
8-10	(3)	A of nuclide
12-14	(3)	Quantity: mnemonic code
16-18	(3)	Lab
20-22	(3)	Block-Number
24	(1)	Compiler Symbol
26	(1)	Hierarchy: numerical sorting value
28	(1)	Work-type
30-35	(6)	Serial-Number
37-40	(4)	En-min
42-45	(4)	En-max
47	(1)	Ref-type
49-62	(14)	Reference
64-65	(2)	Ref-month
66-67	(2)	Ref-year
69-104	(36)	Author and Comments
106	(1)	Data Flag
108	(1)	Area of Lab
109-111	(3)	blank field (reserved for eventual insertion of country code, which could be created from the lab code by table look-up)
113-118	(6)	Date of last update
120	(1)	Author Flag

Blocks are separated by a blank line: records belonging to the same block are identical in "Z-A-Q-Lab-Blocknr." that is pos. 2-15 in the unedited format resp. 1-22 in the edited format.

# NEA-DB Book Tape Format

The contents to be included in a CINDA book is sent by the NEA Data Bank to NDS in the following format:

Record length: 112

Block size: 3360

# Record Description

1-20	Sorting key
21-23	Z
24-26	A
27-29	Q
30-34	E-min
35-39	E-max
40-42	Lab
43	Work-type
44	Ref-type
45-58	Reference
59-62	Ref-date
63-98	Comments
99	Data flag
100-102	Block number
103	Energy flag
104-109	Entry date into file (or date of last modification)
110	Author flag
111-112	Blank

See pages Al to Al3 for all details.

# Edited CINDA Book Tape Format

This format is used at NDS for input to the photo-typesetting for CINDA book production. (It is also called "NDS Intermediate CINDA Book Tape Format").

Record	length:	112					
Pos.	Length						
1-3	(3)	Z of nuclide					
4-6	(3)	A of nuclide					
7-18	(12)	Quantity: edited as in book					

Note: Z-A-Quantity = blank indicates a secondary reference pertaining to the same work as above line.

12-23	(5)	En-min: edited			
24-28	(5)	En-max: edited			
29-31	(3)	Lab			
32-35	(4)	Work-type: edited			
36-39	(4)	Ref-type: edited			
40-57	(18)	Reference			
58-60	(3)	Ref-month			
61-62	(2)	Ref-year			
63-98	(36)	Author. Comments			
99-112	(14)	Control characters for the photo-typesetting			

# CINDA Exchange Format

For the exchange of CINDA updates between NNDC and NEA-DB the following format is used:

Format of BNL Exchange Records.

column	contents	length
1	Operation code (*)	X(1)
2-7	Serial-number	9(6)
8-12	Target (Z-A)	X(5)
13-15	Quantity code (Q)	X(3)
16-18	Laboratory code (LAB)	X(3)
19-21	Block-number	9(3)
22	Worktype code	X(1)
23-27	Emin (**)	X(5)
28-32	Emax (**)	X(5)
33	Hierarchy code	X(1)
34	Reference-type code	X(1)
35-48	Reference	X(14)
49-52	Publication date (YYMM)	9(4)
53	Author flag	X(1)
54-89	Comments	X(36)
90	Reader code	X(1)
91	Area code	x(1)
92-94	Country code	X(3)
95-100	Date of last change (YYMMDD)	9(6)

(*)	codes:	BNL	CINDA	description
		A	A	-11 b11
		A	A B	add new block add new entry to existing block
		M	М	modify existing entry
		D	D	delete entry from existing block
			K	delete all entries of one block

(\*\*) Numeric codes: m.msn for positive energy range limits
-.msn for negative resonance energies

(m: mantissa, n: exponent, s: exponent sign)

# New CCDN/NDS Interface Format for CINDA

- 1. Physical tape format.
- 2. Record format.
- 3. Details of fields within record.
- 4. Operations NDS will perform on each field.
- 5. Page format of CINDA book.
- 6. Further improvements NDS could make, given certain guarantees by CCDN.

Appendix.	Table 1	Quantities
	Table 2	Alphahetic energies
	Table 3	Work-type
	Table 4	Ref-type
	Table 5	Ref-month

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Note: Revisions of 13 Nov. 1972 are marked by line in the left-hand margin.

### New CCDN/NDS Interface Format for CINDA

## 1. Physical tape format

Record length = 112.

Blocking factor = 20 or 30 in 1980

No header or trailer labels.

No tape-mark at beginning of file.

Tape-mark at end of file.

800 B.P.I.

EBCDIC code. All characters upper-case, except for "alphabetic" energies, which will be mixed upper and lower case.

The records will be ordered as they are to be printed in the book; i.e. by Z-A-Q- main ref date. Compounds will be printed at the end, following FPROD entries.

Only those records which are to be printed will be transmitted; i.e. ZZ-entries will <u>not</u> be included; "no-book" entries will <u>not</u> be included except when they are the only line in a block.

For the CINDA-Supplement file, if anything within a block has been altered since the previous publication, then the whole block will be transmitted, and not just the records altered or added.

The format of all records within the file is the same.

# 2. Record format

1 - 20	Sorting key
21 - 23	Z
24 - 26	<b>A</b>
27 - 29	Q ···
30 - 34	E-min
35 - 39	E-max
40 - 42	Lab
43	Work-type
44	Ref-type
45 - 58	Reference
59 - 62	Ref-date
63 - 98	Comments
99	Data flag
100 - 102	Block number
103	Energy flag
104 - 109	Entry date into file (or date of last modification)
110	Author flag
111 - 112	Blank

## 3. Details of fields within the record

Sorting key. This field is used by CCDN, but is of no use or interest to NDS.

- $\underline{Z}$ . Up to 3 digits; no leading zeroes. (Z = 126 and 127 for MANY and FPROD respectively)
- A. Up to 3 digits; no leading zeroes. (A = bbb for natural elements). For compounds only, this field will contain 3 characters. CCDN to supply a list of these codes which are used. (See Table 6)
- Q. Up to 3 character code, left adjusted.

Energy. (E-min, E-max). Numeric energies will be of the form n.n + n or bbb + n. Alphabetic energies will be up to 5 characters (upper and lower case) in either E-min or E-max, or may be considered to be concatinated across both fields. If all upper case, then not more than 4 characters in each field or 8 if concatinated. The characters are left adjusted in E-min, and if not concatinated, then in E-max also. Either or both of the two fields may be blank. The energy-flag (col. 103) specifies which type of energy-fields are in the record. (see page A5)

Work-type. 1 character code.

Ref-type. 1 character code.

Reference. 14 character code, as follows:

		T			
	Ref-type	1 . 2 . 3 . 4	. 5 . 6 . 7 . 8 .	9 . 10	11 . 12 . 13 . 14
J	(Journal)	Code	Volume	Issue	Page
С	(Conference)	Co.	de	Volume	Page
	OR	Co	de	#	Paper number
R	(Report)	Code-number (page)			
W	(Priv.Comm.)	Name			! !
	OR	Journal Code	TO BE	PU	BL
L	(Book)	<u> </u>	Code		Page

Note: - Code, Code-number and Name are alphanumeric, left adjusted.

Volume, Issue, Page are numeric, right adjusted.
 Paper number is alphanumeric, right adjusted.

B (conference automatically converted) is coded as for C (conference)

P (preprint), Q (progress report) and S (conference report) are coded as for R (report).

T (thesis, dissertation) is coded <a href="either as W">either as W</a> (private communication) or as R (report)

\* (abstract) is coded either as J (journal) or C (conference).

Ref-date. yymm. year, month, All numeric.

Comments.

36 character field.

First item in field is name of author, followed by either
'.' or '+'. (See author-flag below).

Data flag. 1 character code.

Block number. 3 digit field. No leading zeroes.

Energy-flag. l digit. Used to indicate the different types of energy-fields as follows:

<u>code</u>	meaning
0	E-min and E-max both numeric
1	E-min alphabetic, E-max numeric
2	E-min and E-max alphabetic aligned
3	E-min and E-max alphabetic concatinated
4	E-min numeric, E-max alphabetic
5	E-min and E-max both blank
6	E-min alphabetic, E-max blank
7	E-min numeric, E-max blank
8	E-min blank, E-max numeric
9	E-min blank, E-max alphabetic

(Note: these flags are different from those in internal listings!)

Entry date into file. yymmdd, 6 digits

Author-flag. 1 character. 'X' if first item, up to '.' or '+' in comments field is author's name, otherwise blank.

## 4. Operations NDS will perform on each field

Z-A. Will be expanded for headings.

Z = 126, will be printed as MANY;
A = 127, will be printed as FPROD.

Q. Codes will be expanded as in Appendix, Table 1.

Energy. (E-min, E-max)

Numerical energies printed as input.\*

Alphabetic energies printed as input, in conjuction with energy flag indicating concatination.

Lab. Printed as in input.

Work-type. Expanded as in Appendix, Table 3.

Ref-type. Expanded as in Appendix, Table 4.

Reference. For ref-type = J, B and C, we will make sure there is one, and only one blank between the parts of those fields which are used.

e.g. input: JNE 25 1 output: JNE 25 1

input: NUC 1811 201 output: NUC 18 11 201

For ref-type = C and B, See page A9, 6a

e.g. input: 70MADURA 2 79 output: 70Madurai 2 79

input: 71KNOX 792 output: 71Knox 792

input: 70HELS # 15
output: 70Helsinki # 15

Note: After 1972 the sign "#" was changed to "§" as the sign "#" was not available on the phototypesetting machine.

<sup>\*</sup> Throughout this paper "Input" means as "appearing on interface tape".

For ref-type = \*, see Page 10, 6c.

For ref-type = W, if col. 5-14 cf ref-field is 'TO BE PUBL', then print first 4 characters field exactly as input.

For ref-type = R, P, Q, S, T, L, K, A, /, Y, D, O, 1, 2, 3, 4, Z and blank, the 14 character field is printed exactly as input.

Ref-date
The month will be expanded as in Appendix, Table 5. The total date will be printed, for example, Jan67. If mm is not in Table 5, the year only will be printed.

Comments If author-flag = 'X' then:

Locate author's name by scanning for the delimiter '.' or '+'. Put name in lower-case, except for the first letter and the first letter following a blank or a hyphen. (This takes care of names like De Volpi, Wang Long, Robertson-Smith etc.)

Print rest of comments-field in upper-case.

If author-flag unequal 'X' (i.e. = ' ') then:

Print complete field as input.

Note: If author's name (excluding the delimiter) is the same on successive lines within a block, it should not be repeated, but should be replaced by bb-bb and the rest of the comment field moved left.

<u>Data-flag:</u> Any non-blank character will be printed as +. (Meaning data available from a data centre.)

### 5. Page format of CINDA book

Page size and vertical format remain unchanged. No further reduction in print-size.

The following improvements will be made:

- 1) The date will be omitted at the top of each page. This is the date on which the file was closed for the publication, and should appear on the title page of the book.
- la) Page number will be printed at the bottom of each page.
- 1b) Z-Element-A in the heading will be printed only once in the middle of the page, instead of twice (left & right) as at present.
- 2) Compunds are printed following the FPROD entries. The first compound entry will start on a new page, but thereafter, a change of element will not start a new page, but will be treated as a new isotope, i.e. a new heading.
- 3) The heading for the energy columns will be "Energy (eV)" and the heading for the comments field will be "Author Comments".
- 4) The columns will be printed in the following order across the page: Quantity; Energy; Lab; Work-type; Ref-type; Reference; Ref-date; Comments.
- 5) All fields will be printed for the first (main) line of a block.
- 6) A 'block' is defined as records having the same Z, A, Q, Lah, block-number.

After the main line of a block:

- no line numbers will be printed;
- the Quantity and Lab columns will not be printed;
- Energies will, in general, be constant throughout a block, and will therefore only be printed if either E-min or E-max or both differ from the preceding line. However energies will always be printed for data-index lines (i.e. ref-type = D,0,1,2,3,4).
- Work-type will, in general, be constant throughout a block, and will therefore only be printed if it differs from the preceding line;
- Ref-type will be printed on every line.
- 7) 1-H-2 and 1-H-3 will be printed as 1-Deuterium-002 and 1-Tritium-003 respectively.

6. Further improvements NDS could make, given certain guarantees by CCDN.

Until such time as each of the guarantees can be made for the whole file, the improvement concerned cannot be included.

a. If CCDN can guarantee to supply NDS with a list of all the 8-character conference codes as they will appear on the interface file, for Ref-type = B and C then the following improvement can be made.

For ref-type = B and C, look up 8-character conference code in dictionary and replace it with 10-character code (EXFOR codes). Print all letters in lower-case, except for the first one following the conference-year.

This means that:

65Salzburg would be printed instead of 65Salzbu (EXFOR - 2) or 65Salzb or 65Salzbg, both of which appear in present file.

70Madison would be printed instead of 70Madiso. [Guarantee made, Aug/72 during HDL visit to CCDN]

b. If, for ref-type = W (private communication), CCDN can guarantee that the reference field will contain only

either: Name, and nothing more;

or: Journal code, followed by TO BE PUBL;

then the following action can be taken:

If col. 5-14 of ref-field is 'TO BE PUBL', then journal assumed; print first 4 characters in upper case, and 'TO BE PUBL' in lower-case. Otherwise name assumed; print ref-field in lower case, except for the first character and the first character following a blank or hyphen. (This takes care of names like de Volpi, Wang Long, Robertson-Smith). Note that name field may contain special characters.

Note that, for ref-type = T (thesis, dissertation), if the ref-field is coded with a name (as for ref-type = W), it must be printed in upper-case, because there is no way of distinguishing it from a report-code, which is the other option for ref-type = T.

c. If, for ref-type = \* (abstract), CCDN can guarantee that if the ref-field is not coded as a conference, it must be coded as a journal, then the following action can be taken:

If first character of ref-field is numeric, then treat as ref-type = C; otherwise treat as ref-type = J.

[Guarantee made, Aug/72 during HDL visit to CCDN]

	Code	Expansion	Table 1
	ABS ACT* ALF CHG DEL DIN DNG ETA EVL FPB ** FPG	Absorption Activation Alpha Frag Charge Diff Elastic Diff Inelast Inelastic $\gamma$ Eta Evaluation Fiss Prod $\beta$ FProd $\gamma$ 's	
•	FRS GF GN LDL NA ND NEG NEM NF NFY	Frag Spectra Photo-Fissn (γ,n) Lvl Density (n,α) (n,d) Nonelastic γ n Emission Fission Fiss Yield (n,γ)	
I	NH NHE NNA NND NNP NNT NP NPR NT NU	(n, He 3) (n, He 3) (n, n α) (n, nd) (n, np) (n, nt) (n,p) n Production (n,t) Nu	
1	NUD NUF NXN ** N2N N3N* POL POT REM* RES RIA	Delayd Neuts Frag Neuts (n,xn) x>2 (n,2n) (n,3n) Polarization Potntal Scat Disappearanc Reson Params Res Int Abs	
	RIF RIG RIR* SCT SEL SFG SFN SIN SNE SNG STF TOT TSL	Res Int Fiss Res Int Capt Res Int Act Scattering Elastic Spect Fiss Y Spect Fiss N Tot Inelastc Nonelastic Spect (n,y) Strnth Fnctn Total Thermal Scat	

Note:  $\alpha$  and  $\gamma$  available on pi-grid. \* should no longer occur but still foreseen in NDS programs \*\* codes added after 1972

# Alphabetic Energies

Table 2

Removed. NDS performs no expansion.

	Work-type	Table 3
E T R C D	Expt Theo Revw Comp Eval ExTh	
	Ref-type	Table 4
J K	Jour	
	Jour	
C B	Conf Conf	
A A	Conf	
R R	Rept	
W	Priv	
L L	Book	
P	Prep	
Q	Prog	
S	Conf	
T	Diss	
*	Abst	
/	Abst	
Y	blank	
D	Data	
0	Data	
1	Data	
1 2 3	Data	
] 3	Data	
4	Data	
Z	blank	
blank	blank	

	Ref-month	Table 5
input	expansion	
01	Jan	
02	Feb	
03	Mar	
04	Apr	
05	May	
06	Jun	
07	Ju l	
08	Aug	
09	Sep	
10	0ct	
11	Nov	
12	Dec	

# Chemical Compounds

## Table 6

## (Table added March 1982)

numeric		alpha	betic	expansion
A	Z	<u>Z</u>	<u>A</u>	<del></del>
129	401	Н	BNZ	1 H Benzene
129	403	H	CXX	1 H Organic Compounds
129	405	Н	MTH	1 H Methane
129	407	H	PFN	1 H Paraffin
129	409	H	PHL	l H Phenyl
129	411	Н	PLE	1 H Polyethylene
129	413	Н	WTR	1 H Water
129	435	H	CMP	1 H Compounds
129	435	D	DXX	1 D Compounds
129	437	D	D20	1 D Heavy Water
129	445	T	TXX	1 T Compounds
132	417	BE	OXI	4 Be Oxide
135	419	N	AIR	7 N Air
135	421	N	AMM	7 N Ammonia Compounds
142	417	SI	OXI	14 Si Oxide
168	423	ZR	HYD	40 Zr Hydride
220	417	U	OXI	92 U Oxide

#### Others:

Z' 415 SY CMP Z Sy Compounds

with Z' = Z + 128, Sy = Element Symbol

In 1982 the headings in the book are changed from previously "1 Hydrogen BNZ" to "1 H Benzene" as in above table.

The book tape received from NEA-DB presently contains  ${\bf Z}$  in numeric form and  ${\bf A}$  in alphabetic form.