

# How to Catalog eBooks and eReaders in Minerva

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## Overview

### Process for cataloging an eReader containing eBooks

#### eReader

1. Find record for your ereader already in Minerva.
2. Attach an item for each of your ereader units to the appropriate bib.

#### eBook

3. Find or create an appropriate bib record for the eBook.

#### Link

4. Link the bib record for the eBook to the item record of the eReader.

#### Repeat

5. Repeat steps 3-4 for all other eBooks on the device.

**Only one item record will be created for each unit – the item with the barcode and call number of the ereader. Do not make additional item records for eBooks—you will attach the same item to all bibs on the same reader.**

## Before You Begin

It isn't necessary to create a new location for these devices, but make sure that you have Maine InfoNet staff set up loan rules using the combination of your location, itype, patron type, etc.

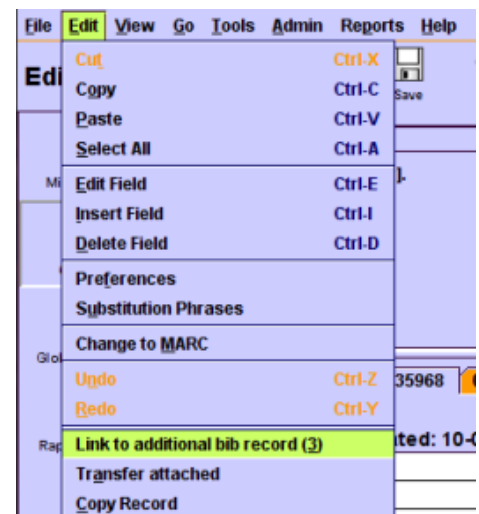
Each e-reader is an item record. It is attached to multiple bibliographic records, which describe both the device and the titles it contains.

## Adding eReaders and Their Contents to the Catalog

- 1) **Find the bib record** for your ereader device. There should be only 1 bib record in the catalog for each version of a device. See list attached for bib numbers for devices through 2012. If you need a new device cataloged, contact InfoNet staff.
- 2) **Attach an item** and **add your library location** to the bib record as usual.
  - a) e-Reader item records should include:
    - i) A **call number** that clearly identifies the specific unit. For example: "Kindle 1". So that a patron could name it exactly just from the call number.
    - ii) A **barcode**
    - iii) A **serial number** as a secondary for of ID in an x field.
    - iv) Any **message** you may want to pop up (in an m field) or **notes** you wish to include about the item (in an x field)
    - v) **itype**: whatever itype you use for readers at your library. A good choice is 171 (non-requestable equipment)
    - vi) **icode2**: "z" (non-contributing) so it does not appear in MaineCat
- 3) Still in the item, **attach to additional bib records** for all of the ebooks on that specific device. **Repeat** these steps as many times as necessary to add each additional ebook.

If an existing bib record for your eBook. doesn't exist, import or create one, following the Minerva guidelines for cataloging eBooks. (See help at end of this document)

- a) **Click** on the **Edit** menu (not the button), and select **Link to additional bib record**
- b) **Find the next additional title's bib record** to attach to. Make sure it is a correct match (as you would find any bib record).
- c) When you find the correct bib record, **click Use Bibliographic Record** or **Use Bib** button to attach.



... while still in the item record ...

- 4) Add your library location to the additional bib records so they will be scoped and display correctly for your library.
  - a) **Right Click** on each bib number down under "Also linked to Bib record(s)": and pick **Update bibliographic record**
  - b) **Edit** the bib to add your location if it is not already there
  - c) **Repeat** so that your location is in all of the relevant bibs.



A completed item record for an e-Reader would look something like this:

**b28405377**

TITLE Kindle [Equipment].  
LOCATIONS sjc , fmlfi

**Summary** Record i60335993 1 Item-Level Hold 0 Bib-Level Holds

**i60335993** Last Updated: 10-09-2012 Created: 10-09-2012 Revisions: 7

COPY #	1	LCHKIN	- -	LOCATION	fmlfi
ICODE1	0	INVDA	- -	LOANRULE	0
ICODE2	z	IN LOC	0	STATUS	-
I TYPE	1	# RENEWALS	0	INTL USE	0
PRICE	\$0.00	# OVERDUE	0	COPY USE	0
OUT DATE	- - :	ODUE DATE	- -	IMESSE	
OUT LOC	0	IUSE3	0	OPACMSG	
DUE DATE	- -	RECAL DATE	- -	YTDCIRC	
PATRON#	0	TOT CHKOUT	0	LYCIRC	
LPATRON	0				

**c** 090 KINDLE C  
**b** 300000000000002  
**x** Serial Number: B00E 1492 1066 W004  
**m** DEREGISTER AND TURN OFF WIRELESS WHEN CHECKING OUT

Also linked to Bib record(s):  
b28476803, b28407702

Specific details of THIS one reader (item)


Attached to multiple bibs that describe other items as well

The summary view of an e-reader device would look something like this: with multiple libraries all attached to the single device bib.

b28405377

TITLE Kindle [equipment].

LOCATIONS sjc , fml



Summary

Record i60335981

0 Item-Level Holds

0 Bib-Level Holds

View

i ITEM

Attach New Item

Delete

Move

Select

	#	Record Number	LOCATION	BAR CODE	VOLUME
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	i59157264	sjc	31912001235992	
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	i5915729x	sjc	31912001236008	
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	i59157343	sjc	31912001236016	
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	i59157379	sjc	31912001236024	
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	i59157392	sjc	31912001236057	
<input type="checkbox"/>	6	i59157434	sjc	31912001236073	
<input type="checkbox"/>	7	i60335968	fml7d	30000000000000	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	8	i60335981	fml7d	30000000000001	
<input type="checkbox"/>	9	i60335993	fmlfi	30000000000002	
<input type="checkbox"/>	10	i60336006	fmlfi	30000000000003	

The public display of a device would look something like this (unscoped).

Title Kindle [equipment].

Publisher [Seattle, Wash. : Amazon.com, 2010]

LOCATION	CALL NO.	STATUS
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 1</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 2</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 3</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 4</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 5</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 6</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">Falmouth ML 7 Day</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE A</a>	DUE 10-09-12 LIBR USE ONLY
<a href="#">Falmouth ML 7 Day</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE B</a>	LIBR USE ONLY
<a href="#">Falmouth ML Fiction</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE C</a>	1 HOLD
<a href="#">Falmouth ML Fiction</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE D</a>	AVAILABLE

Edition Version 4.0.1.


Physical description 1 Kindle reader (graphite) ; 6.5 x 4.5 x 0.34 in. + leather cover.

Note Wireless reading device.

Wi-Fi.

Amazon's 6" diagonal E Ink display, optimized with proprietary userform and font technology. 600 x 800 pixel resolution at 167 ppi. 15-level gray.

The summary view of an ebook bib would look something like this:

**b28476803**


**AUTHOR** McClung, David.  
**TITLE** The avalanche handbook [electronic resource] / David McClung and Peter Schaerer.  
**LOCATIONS** sjc , fml


**Summary** | Record i60335968 | 0 Item-Level Holds | 1 Bib-Level Hold

View i ITEM
Attach New Item
Delete
Move
Select

	#	Record Number	LOCATION	BAR CODE	VOLUME
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	i59157264	sjc	31912001235992	
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	i5915729x	sjc	31912001236008	
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	i59157343	sjc	31912001236016	
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	i59157379	sjc	31912001236024	
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	i59157392	sjc	31912001236057	
<input type="checkbox"/>	6	i59157434	sjc	31912001236073	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7	i60335968	fml7d	30000000000000	
<input type="checkbox"/>	8	i60335993	fmlfi	30000000000002	
<input type="checkbox"/>	9	i60336006	fmlfi	30000000000003	

The public display of an ebook title would look something like this. Notice how a patron would be able to tell which specific devices have the ebook they want. Also, a patron placing a hold on this bib would be put in line for the next item/reader *available to them* with this title on it.

**Author** McClung, David.  
**Title** The avalanche handbook [electronic resource] / David McClung and Peter Schaerer.  
**Publisher** Seattle, WA : Mountaineers Books, c2006.



LOCATION	CALL NO.	STATUS
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 1</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 2</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 3</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 4</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 5</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">St. Joseph's College</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE 6</a>	AVAILABLE
<a href="#">Falmouth ML 7 Day</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE A</a>	DUE 10-09-12 LIBR USE ONLY
<a href="#">Falmouth ML Fiction</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE C</a>	1 HOLD
<a href="#">Falmouth ML Fiction</a>	<a href="#">KINDLE D</a>	AVAILABLE

**Edition** 3rd ed.  
 Kindle ed.  
**Note** Electronic reproduction created for storage on eBook reader device.  
 Description based on print version record.

## To Remove ebooks from your ereader item

Get the bib number of the ebook title you want to remove

Open the item you want to remove it from from the summary list of the ereader (i.e. you can't break an additional link if you're in the bib record that you want to remove).

Right click on the bib number for the ebook and click **Remove link to bibliographic record**.

You can also delete an ereader item and that will obviously break the links. You will still need to remove your location from the relevant bibs.

Summary Record i60335968 0 Item-Level Holds

i60335968 Last Updated: 10-09-2012 Crea

ICODE2	z	IN LOC
I TYPE	29	# RENEWAL
PRICE	\$0.00	# OVERDUE
OUT DATE	10-09-2012 11:35AM	ODUE DATE
OUT LOC	0	IUSE3
DUE DATE		RECAL DAT
PATRON#		TOT CHKOU
LPATRON		TOT RENEV

c 090 KINDLE A  
b 30000000000000

Also linked to Bib record(s):  
b2840533 i60335968

i6033596

Update bibliographic record  
Remove link to bibliographic record

## APPENDIX - Cataloging Electronic Books in Minerva with RDA

**Definition:** A digital version of a traditional print book designed to be read on a personal computer or an eBook reader (a software application for use on a standard-sized computer or a book-sized computer used solely as a reading device).  
Synonymous with digital book, e-book, ebook, and online book. (ODLIS)

### Rules of the Road for Cataloging Electronic Books in Minerva:

- Kindles, Ipads, NOOK's, and Rocket eReaders are cataloged as equipment, not as electronic books.
- Electronic books need their own bibliographic record because the material type of the print counterparts are different. Print books have a material type of "a PRINTED MTL" and electronic books have a material type of "x E BOOK".
- Any url links and login instructions that do not pertain to all Minerva libraries must be put in the item record.

### General Rules:

- Body of record (AACR areas 1-6; MARC 2XX, 3XX, 4XX) describes online document.
- Notes and added entries (AACR area 7; MARC 5XX, 7XX) note existence of related print version.

### What to Notice:

#### Marc Leader:

- LDR/06 = "a" language material
- Material Type = "x" E Book

#### 006: Field for Electronic Resources (additional coding for electronic/computer aspects of the resource)

- Typecode = "m" computer file electronic source
- File Type = "d" Document

#### 007: Physical Description Fixed Field (Code for the electronic aspects of the resource)

- Mat Catg = "c" Electronic Resource

#### 008: Fixed Field (Code for the continuing resource aspects of the resource)

- Form Item = "s" electronic
- Date Type = "s" single

#### 020: ISBN

- Use only the ISBN that applies to the eBook. If importing a record be sure to delete those for print and other versions.

#### 245: Title and Statement of Responsibility

- Do not use a GMD per RDA.

#### 264 | c: Single Date of Publication

- For non-serial (continuing) electronic resources subfield |c should represent the original print resource.

**300: Physical Description**

- No physical Description for remote access e-resources (internet resources)

**533: Reproduction Note**

- This note should describe the type of reproduction, place, publisher, date, notes about the reproduction.
- Electronic reproduction. |bFarmington Hills, Mi:|cGale, |d2008.|nAvailable via World Wide Web.

**538: System Requirement Note / Mode of access**

- Note special hardware/software requirements and means of access for this resource.

**776: Additional physical Form**

- Optional: add a formatted 776 “additional physical form” added entry for the physical copy.

**856: Electronic location and access**

- URL and note should be placed in item record for Minerva records.
- 856 4 0 |zLibrary Access |uhttp://www.loc.gov



## AACR2 Example of an eBook Record as Contained on an eReader

LANG	eng	CAT DATE	08-13-2011	INITIALS -	E Books
SKIP	4	MAT TYPE	x	COUNTRY	nyu
LOCATION	multi	INPUT LIBR	-		Language material
MARC Leader	#####	cam	22#####	a 4500	
LOCATIONS	asc ,asd ,fml				Computer file/Electronic Resource
o	001		464268230		
y	003		OCOLC		
y	005		20110113021927.0		Document
y	006		m	d	
y	007		cz gn    a		Electronic Resource
y	008		091109s2009 nyu s 000 1 eng d		Electronic
o	019		435437678		
i	020		9780307272300 (ebook)		Single known date/probable date
y	035		(OCOLC)464268230 z(OCOLC)435437678		
y	040		TEFOD cTEFOD dTEFOD dORE dDMM dNDD dIAD dJNFFON		
y	041	1	eng hswe		
y	043		e-sw---		
y	050	1 4	PT9876.22.A6933 bF5713 2009eb		
y	082	0 4	839.73/8 222		
a	100	1	Larsson, Stieg,  d1954-2004.		
u	240	1 0	Flickan som lekte med elden.  lEnglish		
t	245	1 4	The girl who played with fire /  cStieg Larsson ; translated from the Swedish by Reg Keeland.		
p	264	1	New York :  bAlfred A. Knopf,  c2009.		
n	500		Electronic reproduction created for storage on eBook reader device.		
n	500		Description based on print version record.		
n	520		On the eve of publisher Mikael Blomkvist's story about sex trafficking between Eastern Europe and Sweden, two investigating reporters are murdered. And even more shocking for Mikael Blomkvist: the fingerprints found on the murder weapon belong to Lisbeth Salander--the troubled, wise-beyond-her-years genius hacker who came to his aid years before.		
d	650	0	Human trafficking  vFiction.		
d	650	0	Journalists  zSweden  zStockholm  vFiction.		
d	650	0	Computer hackers  zSweden  zStockholm  vFiction.		
d	650	0	Murder  xInvestigation  vFiction.		
d	651	0	Stockholm (Sweden)  vFiction.		
d	655	7	Suspense fiction.  2lcsh		
d	655	0	Electronic books.		
b	700	1	Keeland, Reg,  d1943-		
q	776	0 8	iPrint version:  aLarsson, Stieg, 1954-2004.  sFlickan som lekte med elden. English.  tgirl who played with fire.  b1st U.S. ed.  dNew York : Alfred A. Knopf, 2009  z9780307269980  w(DLC) 2009014053  w(OCOLC)262433336		
y	929		fml		Additional Physical Form entry, describing the physical book.

For non-serial electronic resources, subfield |c should represent the original print resource.

## eReader Bib records for Attaching

b2869594x	Kindle
b28696001	Kindle 2
b28696153	Kindle 3
b28696177	Kindle 4
b28696232	Kindle 5
b28696074	Kindle Dx
b28696104	Kindle Dx Graphite
b28696335	Kindle Fire
b28793651	Kindle Fire Hd
b2879364x	Kindle Fire Hd 8.9
b28696153	Kindle Keyboard
b28696268	Kindle Paperwhite
b28696207	Kindle Touch
b28804624	Kobo Ereader
b28804491	Kobo Glo
b28804466	Kobo Mini
b28804429	Kobo Touch
b28804260	Nook
b28804296	Nook Color
b28804399	Nook Hd
b28804284	Nook Simple Touch
b28804375	Nook Tablet
b28793833	Sony Reader Daily Edition 2009
b28793924	Sony Reader Daily Edition 2010
b28793882	Sony Reader Pocket Edition 2009
b28793973	Sony Reader Pocket Edition 2010
b28793882	Sony Reader Prs 300
b28793973	Sony Reader Prs 350
b2879378x	Sony Reader Prs 500
b28793808	Sony Reader Prs 505
b28793857	Sony Reader Prs 600
b28793948	Sony Reader Prs 650
b28793821	Sony Reader Prs 700
b28793833	Sony Reader Prs 900
b28793924	Sony Reader Prs 950
b2879400x	Sony Reader Prs T1
b28794023	Sony Reader Prs T2
b28793857	Sony Reader Touch Edition 2009
b28793948	Sony Reader Touch Edition 2010

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