

## SECTION 8.2

### Music Subject Headings

Below is a partial list of valid Library of Congress Subject Headings (LCSH) used when cataloging music cassettes, music CDs, or other music formats. See the authority record for each heading in the local catalog or Library of Congress authority file, for specific instructions on usage, cross-references, etc. Contact the Bibliographic Unit if you have any questions.

#### Examples of Music LCSH (with MARC tags)

650 \_0 Rock music |z United States |y 1971-1980.

650 \_0 Jazz |y 21<sup>st</sup> century.

#### Valid Music Subject Headings

\*can be subdivided geographically

\*\*except for U.S., can be subdivided geographically

Bagpipe music	**Jazz	*Sacred music
*Ballets	**Jazz vocals	*Silent film music
*Band music	*Marches	Solo instrument music
**Big band music	*Military music	Sonatas
*Bluegrass music	*Motion picture music	Sonatas (Organ)
**Blues (Music)	*Motion picture soundtracks	**Soul music
*Carols	*Music	*Sounds
*Christmas music	*Musicals	*Spirituals (Songs)
*Choral music	*New Age music	String quartets
[Classical music use: Music]	**Old-time music	Stringed instrument music
*Concertos	*Operas	*Suites
*Contemporary Christian music	Operas – Excerpts	Symphonies
**Country music	*Orchestral music	*Tejano music
*Dance music	*Organ music	Television music
*Electronic music	*Overtures	*Television soundtracks
Flute music	Percussion music	Variations (Organ)
*Folk music	*Piano music	Violin music
**Folk-rock music	*Polkas	*Vocal music
*Folk songs	*Popular music	Waltzes
**Gospel music	*Punk rock music	*Weddings music
Guitar music	**Ragtime music	Wind instrument music
*Harpsichord music	**Rap (Music)	Woodwind instrument music
Holidays – Songs and music	*Reggae music	
*Hymns	**Rhythm and blues music	
*Instrumental music	*Rock music	