

# Series Review

Based on the Online with the CMC presentation *To be a Series or Not to be a Series*, September 19, 2019



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## Quick Review

**A series is:**

A group of related resources

**Where each resource has:**

An individual title proper

**And:**

A collective title that applies to the group as a whole

The series parts may or may not be numbered.

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## More Quick Review

### Types of series:

**Author/Title:** Individual parts are by the same creator

*Ex: Mosley, Walter. Easy Rawlins mystery*

**Title:** Individual parts are by different creators

*Ex: Latino American history*

### Series-like phrase:

Appears on a resource but is not considered a series title

*Ex: Megan Tingley books*

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## Searching the Authority File

Search series as a title (index label ti:)

Scan search:

Command Line Search  
scan ti:sunshine books

Keyword/Numeric search:

Search LC Names and Subjects

Command Line Search:  
Enter keyword, numeric, derived, or browse search here...

Keyword/Numeric Search:  
Search for: sunshine books

AND | Titles (ti)  
AND | Personal Names (pn)  
AND | Children's Subjects (sj)  
OR | LCSH (su)  
OR | Geographic Names (gg)

Show See References in Results  
 Show Also References in Results  
 Retain Search

OK Cancel Enter Digits... Clear Search Help

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## Searching the Authority File—cont.

Author/title series may be searched through the title or the author's name (can be done as a scan or keyword/numeric search)

Scan search by title:

Command Line Search

scan ti:blanche white mystery

Root Results

†† Blanche White mystery

Scan search by author:

Command Line Search

scan pn:neely, barbara

Results

Neely, Barbara  
[100]

†† Blanche White mystery [100]

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# Series Review Q & A

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## Question #1

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- b. Change to a 490, 1<sup>st</sup> indicator 0
- c. Check for a series authority record and code accordingly

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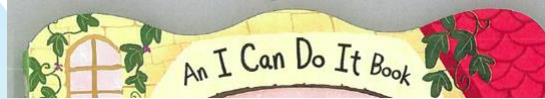
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See the series authority records below. Which series title should we use in the bib record?

a.

130	0	I can do it! book
643		New York †b Random House
644		f †5 DLC
645		t †5 DPCC †5 DLC
646		s †5 DLC
670		Balducci, Rita. Eeyore's mail surprise,

b.

130	0	I can do it book (Cottage Door Press)
370		†g Barrington (Ill.)
373		Cottage Door Press (Firm)
380		Series
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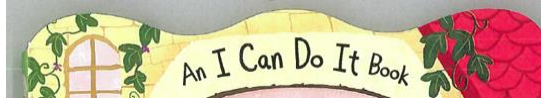
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b.

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830 \_0 I can do it book (Cottage Door Press)

c. 490 1 \_ An I can do it book.

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## Question #4

Is the series in this bib record entered correctly? Yes or No.

Bib record:

- 490 1 \$a Billy Boyle World War II mystery
- 650 0 \$aBoyle, Billy (Fictitious character)\$vFiction.
- 650 0 \$aWorld War, 1939-1945\$zAlgeria\$vFiction.
- 651 0 \$aFrance\$xPolitics and government\$y1940-1945\$vFiction.
- 655 7 \$aDetective and mystery fiction.\$2lcgft
- 655 7 \$aHistorical fiction.\$2lcgft
- 800 1 \$aBenn, James R.\$tWorld War II mystery.

Series authority record:

010		no2009087335
040		lMPL \$b eng \$c lMPL \$d lCrIF
100	1	Benn, James R. \$t Billy Boyle World War II mystery
370		\$g New York (N.Y.) \$2 naf
373		Soho Crime (New York, NY) \$2 naf
400	1	Benn, James R. \$t World War II mystery
400	1	Benn, James R. \$t Billy Boyle World War two mystery
430	0	Billy Boyle World War II mystery

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The 800 field in the bib record must match the 100 field in the series authority record.

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## Question #5

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- a. 2
- b. 4
- c. 1

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# Questions?

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