

On Your MARC

Instructions: Please answer the following questions about MARC as a class. Refer to the sample MARC record.

1. What is a leader? How do you count positions?
2. What is a difference between a fixed tag and a variable tag?
3. Do indicators go with fixed or variable tags?
4. Author Main Entry goes into what tag(s)?
5. Added Entries go into what tags?
6. 'Imprint' refers to what?
7. The fixed tags are important because...?
8. Do all MARC tags repeat?

Sample MARC Record

_____000 01308nam 2200349kl 450Q
_____001 qpq93001267
_____003 DLC
_____008 930707p19931992nyu110 v leng d
._____020 \$z079281715X
._____245 00 \$aOf mice and men\$h[videorecording] /\$cMetro-Goldwyn_Mayer presents a Russ Smith/Gary
Sinise production ; produced by Russ Smith and Gary Sinise ; directed by Gary Sinise.
_____260 \$aCulver City, Calif. :\$bMGM/UA Home Video, \$cc1993.
_____300 \$a1 videocassette (1 hour 50 min.) : \$bsd., col. ;\$c1/2 in.
_____538 \$aVHS Hi-fi
_____546 \$aClosed captioned for the hearing impaired.
_____500 \$aBased on the novel by John Steinbeck.
_____511 1 \$aJohn Malkovich, Gary Sinise, Casey Siemaszko, Ray Walston, Sherilyn Fenn.
_____521 8 \$aMPAA Rating : PG-13
_____506 \$For private home use only
_____655 7 \$aVideo recordings for the hearing impaired. \$21csh
_____710 2 \$a Metro-Goldwin-Mayer.
_____700 1 \$aMalkovich, John.
_____700 1 \$aSinise, Gary
_____700 1 \$aSiemaszko, Casey.
_____700 1 \$aWalton, Ray.
_____700 1 \$aFenn, Sherilyn.
_____700 1 \$Steinbeck, John, \$d1902-1968. \$tOf mice and men.