

.5 Interreligious relations

Class here relations between three or more religions

A work on relations between two religions is classed with the religion of the author's viewpoint, e.g., a work on relations between Christianity and Islam from a Christian viewpoint 261.27, a work on relations between Christianity and Islam from a Muslim viewpoint 297.283. In case of doubt, class with the religion coming later in 290, e.g., a work on relations between Christianity and Islam from an undetermined viewpoint 297.283

.51 Relations of religions with irreligion

Class here relations of religions with atheism

.52 Relations with Christianity

Use this number only for building other numbers, e.g., relations of Buddhism with Christianity 294.3352; never use it by itself

.53 Relations with classical religion (Greek and Roman religion) and Germanic religion

Use this number only for building other numbers, e.g., relations of Zoroastrianism with Greek religion 295.153; never use it by itself

.54–.59 Relations with other religions

Add to base number 201.5 the numbers following 29 in 294–299, e.g., relations with Hinduism 201.545

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