

## Historical Periods of Islam; Hadith: Draft for Comment by August 1, 2010

### 297.09 History, geographic treatment, biography

### 297.125 Hadith (Traditions) [formerly 297.124]

We have been working with the Arabic DDC translation team based at Bibliotheca Alexandrina ([http://www.bibalex.org/Home/Default\\_EN.aspx](http://www.bibalex.org/Home/Default_EN.aspx)) on expansions and revisions to 297 for Islam. Most of the changes will not be ready in time to affect DDC 23 (scheduled to be published in mid-2011); instead, most will be exposed in connection with the separate publication of the *200 Religion Class* and in WebDewey.

One area in which we have been working with the translation team (especially with Ossama Mahmoud and Iman Khairy) is an expansion for Hadith (Traditions), now at 297.124. Since there is no way to expand for Hadith in 297.124 without immediate reuse of numbers, we propose to relocate Hadith to **297.125 Hadith (Traditions)**. Because of the relocation, we believe that the expansion should be included in DDC 23 if possible.

We have also been working with the Arabic translation team on revising the historical periods for Islam as a religion under **297.09 History, geographic treatment, biography**, making them more specific to the history of Islam in much the same way as we did in DDC 22 for the history of Judaism under 296.09 Historical, geographic, persons treatment. The focus is on historical periods important in religious history; caliphates primarily important for political history are not used to structure the proposed development. We would like to introduce the revised development under 297.09 in DDC 23 so that the new history periods can be used with the new development for Hadith.

Notes on the draft for 297.09 and 297.125 that appears following these preliminary comments:

- The new caption for **T1—09 History, geographic treatment, biography** in DDC 23 is shown in the draft schedule: “History, geographic treatment, biography” instead of “Historical, geographic, persons treatment.” See this Dewey blog entry for explanation (<http://ddc.typepad.com/025431/2008/08/since-late-2005.html>). (Note: Additional changes have been made elsewhere in the referenced draft schedules since 2008.)
- At 297.1254–297.1259 Texts of Hadith are instructions to add from subdivisions of 297.122 Koran. The relevant subdivisions of 297.122 are given in the appendix.
- Relative Index entries are marked with the following internal codes: P (proposed new print/electronic entry), E (proposed new electronic-only entry), and N (electronic-only entry). Entries without codes are current print/electronic entries.

We seek comments on the draft:

- Does the proposed draft provide a general framework for the historical periods of Islam as a religion and for Hadith that can be used for organization of and access to diverse collections throughout the world?
- Can you help us improve the English descriptions for Arabic terms?
- If the proposed schedule is included in DDC 23, would your library use the full numbers for Hadith?

- Do the Relative Index entries provide appropriate access to the development?

Please send your comments by August 1, 2010.

- You may send your comment directly to *025.431: The Dewey blog*  
(<http://www.ddc.typepad.com/>)
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- .09           History, geographic treatment, biography  
                   Notation from Table 1 as modified below  
                   Class here religious aspects of Islamic fundamentalism  
                   Class political science aspects of Islam, of Islamic fundamentalism in 320  
                   *For religious aspects of Islamic fundamentalism in a specific sect or reform movement, see 297.8*  
                   *See also 909.09767 for Islamic civilization*  
                   *See Manual at 320.557 vs. 297.09, 297.272, 322.1*
- .090 1           To 632, Period of Prophethood  
                   From Adam to Muḥammad  
                   Including 500–632 [*formerly* 297.09021]  
                   *For prophetic career of Muḥammad the Prophet, see 297.635*
- [.090 12–.090 15]   To 499  
                   Numbers discontinued; class in 297.0901
- .090 2           632–1499
- .090 21           632–1204  
                   500–632 relocated to 297.0901
- .090 212           Period of Four Rightly-Guided Caliphs, 632–660  
                   Class here 7th century, Rashidun Caliphate  
                   *For 600–632, see 297.0901; for 660–699, see 297.090213*
- .090 213           Period of Naissance, 660–718
- .090 214           Period of Recording and Emergence of Islamic Schools of Thought, 718–912  
                   Class here 8th–9th centuries  
                   *For 700–718, see 297.090213*
- .090 215           Period of Comprehensive Works, 912–1204  
                   Including 10th–12th centuries
- .090 22           1204–1499  
                   Including 14th century, 1300–1399 [*formerly* 297.09023]; 15th century, 1400–1499 [*formerly* 297.09024]  
                   Class here period of Explanations and Briefs, 1204–1495
- [.090 23]           14th century, 1300–1399  
                   Relocated to 297.09022
- [.090 24]           15th century, 1400–1499  
                   Relocated to 297.09022

- .090 3–.090 5      16th–21st centuries  
Add to base number 297.090 the numbers following —090 in notation 0903–0905 from Table 1, e.g., Islam in 20th century 297.0904
- .092      Biography  
Class interdisciplinary works on caliphs as civil and religious heads of state with the subject in 940–990, e.g., Abu Bakr 953.02092  
*For Muslims primarily associated with a specific religious activity, see 297.1–297.7; for founders of Sufi orders, see 297.48; for Muhammad the Prophet, see 297.63; for Muhammad’s family and companions (including religious biography of the first four caliphs), see 297.64; for Muslims primarily associated with a specific sect or reform movement, see 297.8*  
*See Manual at 297.092*

- [.124] Hadith (Traditions)  
Relocated to 297.125
- .125 Hadith (Traditions) [*formerly* 297.124]
- .125 012 Classification  
Do not use for muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth; class in 297.1252
- .125 09 History, geographic treatment, biography  
As modified under 297.09
- .125 1 General topics of Hadith  
Class texts of Hadith in 297.1254–297.1259
- [.125 101–.125 109] Standard subdivisions  
Do not use; class in 297.12501–297.12509
- .125 12 Hadith stories retold  
Including picture books
- .125 16 Interpretation and criticism (Exegesis)  
Class here riwayat (study of text of Hadith)
- .125 160 1 Philosophy and theory  
Class here hermeneutics, principles and methods of exegesis of Hadith
- .125 161 General introductions to Hadith  
Class here sciences of Hadith  
*For dirāyah (science of authenticity of Hadith), muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth (classification of Hadith), al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl (principles of disparagement and crediting of transmitters of Hadith), see 297.1252*
- .125 162 Asbāb wurūd al-Ḥadīth (Causes and circumstances of Hadith)
- .125 163 Al-Nāsikh wa-al-mansūkh (Abrogation of Hadith)
- .125 164 Al-Mu'talif wa-al-mukhtalif (Homographic-heterophonic terms as sources of conflicting transmitters of Hadith)
- .125 18 Nonreligious subjects treated in Hadith  
Class a religious subject treated in Hadith with the subject , e.g., Islamic ethics 297.5
- .125 180 001–.125 180 008 Standard subdivisions
- .125 180 01–.125 189 99 Specific nonreligious subjects treated in Hadith  
Add to base number 297.12518 the notation 001–999, e.g., natural sciences in Hadith 297.125185

- .125 2 Dirāyah (Science of authenticity of Hadith), muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth (Classification of Hadith), al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl  
Standard subdivisions are added for dirāyah, muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth, al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl together, for dirāyah alone, for muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth alone  
Class texts of Hadith in 297.1254–297.1259
- .125 21 Al-ṣaḥīḥ (Authentic Hadith) and al-ḥasan (Good Hadith)
- .125 213 Al-muttaṣil (Uninterrupted Hadith)  
Including al-marfū' (narration attributed to the Prophet specifically), al-mawqūf (narration attributed to a Companion of the Prophet), al-maqtū' (narration attributed to the tabi'ī, the Successors of the Companions)
- .125 22 Al-da'īf (Weak Hadith)  
Including al-mu'allaq (discontinuity in the beginning of transmission chain), al-mu'dal (two or more consecutive transmitters are dropped), al-munqati' (broken Hadith, in which the chain of transmission is disconnected at any point), and al-shadh (irregular Hadith)
- .125 222 Al-mursal (Hurried Hadith, in which transmitter between Successor and Prophet is omitted from a given chain of transmission)
- .125 225 Al-mawḍu' (Fabricated Hadith)
- .125 23 Al-mutawātir (Successive Hadith)
- .125 24 Al-āḥād (Singular narration)  
Including al-mashhūr (well-known Hadith), al-'azīz (rare Hadith), al-gharīb (uncommon Hadith)
- .125 26 Al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl (Principles of disparagement and crediting of transmitters of Hadith)
- .125 261 Ṭabaqāt al-ruwāḥ (Classes of transmitters)
- .125 262 Al-thiqāt (Trustworthy transmitters)
- .125 263 Al-ḡu'afā' (Untrustworthy transmitters)

> 297.125 4–297.125 9 Texts of Hadith

Class here texts of specific Hadith and compilations of Hadith, works about specific Hadith and compilations of Hadith

Add to each subdivision identified by \* as follows:

001–009 Standard subdivisions

01–08 Generalities

Add to 0 the numbers following 297.122 in 297.1221–297.1228, e.g., criticism 06

Class comprehensive works in 297.125

- > 297.125 4–297.125 8 Texts of Hadith of Sunnites
- Class comprehensive works in 297.125
- .125 4 \*Jawāmi‘ (Comprehensive compilations), ṣiḥāḥ (Authentic compilations), mustadrākāt  
Subdivisions are added for jawāmi‘, ṣiḥāḥ, mustadrākāt together, for jawāmi‘ alone, for ṣiḥāḥ alone
- .125 41 \*Al-Bukhārī, Muḥammad ibn Ismā‘īl
- .125 42 \*Muslim ibn al-Ḥajjāj al-Qushayrī
- .125 43 \*Al-Tirmidhī, Muḥammad ibn ‘Īsā
- .125 45 Mustadrākāt (Compilations of Hadith meeting the conditions of other compilers but not found in their books)
- .125 5 \*Sunan (Compilations according to Islamic law hierarchy), musannafat, muwaṭṭa‘āt  
Subdivisions are added for sunan, musannafat, muwaṭṭa‘āt together, for sunan alone
- .125 51 \*Abū Dā‘ūd Sulaymān ibn al-Ash‘ath al-Sijistānī
- .125 52 \*Ibn Mājah, Muḥammad ibn Yazīd
- .125 53 \*Al-Nasā‘ī, Aḥmad ibn Shu‘ayb
- .125 54 \*Al-Dārimī, ‘Abd Allāh ibn ‘Abd al-Raḥmān
- .125 56 \*Musannafat (Compilations according to topics)  
Including muṣannaf of Ibn Abī Shaybah, ‘Abd Allāh ibn Muḥammad and muṣannaf of ‘Abd al-Razzāq ibn Hammām al-Ḥimyari
- .125 58 \*Muwaṭṭa‘āt (The well-trodden path of Hadith)  
Class here Muwaṭṭa‘ of Mālik ibn Anas
- .125 6 Masānīd, aṭrāf, ma‘ājim, zawā‘id
- .125 61 \*Masānīd (Compilations arranged by first transmitter in the chain of transmission)
- .125 612 \*Ibn Ḥanbal, Aḥmad ibn Muḥammad
- .125 613 \*Al-Mawṣilī, Abū Ya‘lā Aḥmad ibn ‘Alī
- .125 62 \*Aṭrāf (Compilations of the beginnings, or the most well known words of a specific Hadith)  
Class here Mizzī, Yūsuf ibn al-Zakī ‘Abd al-Raḥmān
- .125 63 \*Ma‘ājim (Compilations arranged alphabetically according to names of the compilers’ sheikhs)  
Class here al-Ṭabarānī, Sulaymān ibn Aḥmad

\*Add as instructed under 297.1254–297.1259

- .125 64 \*Zawā'id (Compilations of Hadith found in one compilation but not another)  
Class here Haythamī, Nūr al-Dīn 'Alī ibn Abī Bakr
- .125 7 \*Mustakhrajāt (Compilations containing Hadith of other compilers with different chains of transmission) and takhrījāt (Compilations that define the degree of verification of another compilation)  
Subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading  
Class mustakhrajāt and takhrījāt of a specific work with the work, e.g., takhrījāt of ma'ājim of al-Ṭabarānī, Sulaymān ibn Aḥmad 297.12563
- .125 8 \*Al-Aḥādīth al-Qudusīyah (Sacred Hadith)  
Sayings of the Prophet Muḥammad divinely communicated to him, with appropriate chain of transmission
- .125 9 Texts of Hadith of sects other than Sunnites
- .125 92 Hadith of Shiites
- .125 921 \*Twelvers (Ithna Asharites)
- .125 921 1 \*Kulaynī, Muḥammad ibn Ya'qūb
- .125 921 2 \*Ibn Bābawayh al-Qummī, Muḥammad ibn 'Alī
- .125 921 3 \*Ṭūsī, Muḥammad ibn al-Ḥasan (Abū Ja'far)
- .125 922 \*Sevens (Ismailites)
- .125 924 \*Zaydites
- .125 93 Hadith of other sects
- .125 933 \*Ibadites

\*Add as instructed under 297.1254–297.1259



<b>A</b>	
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 56
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 163
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 24

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<b>P</b> Hasan (Hadith)	297.125 21
<b>P</b> Haythamī, Nūr al-Dīn ‘Alī ibn Abī Bakr	297.125 64
Hermeneutics	
<b>P</b> sacred books	
<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 160 1

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Ibadites	
<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 933
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 56
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 921 2
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<b>E</b> Hadith	297.125 921
Ithna Asharites (Islamic sect)	
<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 921
Ithna Asheris (Islamic sect)	
<b>E</b> Hadith	297.125 921

<b>J</b>		<b>R</b>	
<b>P</b> Jarḥ wa al-Ta'dīl (Hadith)	297.125 26	<b>P</b> Rashidun Caliphate	297.090 212
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<b>K</b>		<b>P</b> Riwayah	297.125 16
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 921 1	<b>S</b>	
		<b>P</b> Ṣaḥīḥ (Hadith)	297.125 21
<b>M</b>		Seveners (Islamic sect)	
<b>P</b> Ma'ājim	297.125 63	<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 922
<b>P</b> Mālik ibn Anas	297.125 58	<b>P</b> Shadh (Hadith)	297.125 22
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<b>P</b> Masānīd	297.125 61	Ṣiḥāḥ	
<b>P</b> Mashhūr (Hadith)	297.125 24	<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 4
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'Alī		<b>P</b> Ṭabaqāt al-Ruwāḥ	297.125 261
<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 613	Ṭabarānī, Sulaymān ibn Aḥmad	
Mizzī, Yūsuf ibn al-Zakī 'Abd		<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 63
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<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 62	<b>P</b> Thiqāt (Hadith)	297.125 262
<b>P</b> Mu'allaq (Hadith)	297.125 22	Tirmidhī, Muḥammad ibn 'Īsá	
<b>P</b> Mu'ḍal (Hadith)	297.125 22	Hadith	297.125 43
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<b>P</b> Mursal (Hadith)	297.125 222	<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 921 3
<b>P</b> Musannafat	297.125 56	Twelvers (Islamic sect)	
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<b>P</b> Muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth	297.125 2	<b>P</b> Zawā'id	297.125 64
Mu'talif wa-al-mukhtalif		Zaydites (Islamic sect)	
<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 164	<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 924
<b>P</b> Mutawātir (Hadith)	297.125 23		
<b>P</b> Muttaṣil (Hadith)	297.125 213		
<b>P</b> Muwaṭṭa'āt	297.125 58		
<b>N</b>			
Nasā'ī, Aḥmad ibn Shu'ayb			
Hadith	297.125 53		
Nāsikh wa-al-mansūkh			
<b>P</b> Hadith	297.125 163		

- .122 1                   Origin and authenticity  
                           Including inspiration, revelation, commentary about historic occasions  
                           on which passages were revealed; Koranic prophecy and prophecies  
                           Class compilation and recording of Koran in 297.1224042
- .122 2                   Koran stories retold  
                           Including picture books
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- >                   297.122 4–297.122 5 Texts  
                           Class comprehensive works in 297.122  
                           *For texts accompanied by commentaries, see 297.1227*
- .122 4                   Arabic texts  
                           Class here textual criticism  
                           Class Arabic texts accompanied by translations in 297.1225
- .122 404                 Special topics of Arabic texts
- .122 404 2               Compilation and recording of Koran
- .122 404 5               Recitation and readings  
                           Standard subdivisions are added for either or both topics in  
                           heading  
                           Class here art of melodic reading, tajwīd (adornment of  
                           recitation); qirāʾāt (science of the readings, which treats  
                           various renditions of the text according to different oral  
                           traditions)
- .122 5                   Translations  
                           Class here Arabic texts accompanied by translations  
                           Add to base number 297.1225 notation 1–9 from Table 6, e.g., the  
                           Koran in English 297.122521
- .122 6                   Interpretation and criticism (Exegesis)  
                           Class art of recitation in 297.1224045  
                           *For textual criticism, see 297.1224; for commentaries, see  
                           297.1227*
- .122 601                 Philosophy and theory  
                           Class here hermeneutics, principles and methods of Koranic  
                           exegesis
- .122 61                 General introductions to the Koran  
                           Including general introductions to the sciences necessary to study  
                           the Koran
- .122 67                 Historical criticism
- .122 68                 Allegorical and numerical interpretations

- .122 7                    Commentaries  
                            Criticism and interpretation arranged in textual order  
                            Class here texts accompanied by commentaries
- .122 8                    Nonreligious subjects treated in the Koran  
                            Class a religious subject treated in the Koran with the subject, e.g.,  
                            Islamic ethics 297.5
- .122 800 01–.122 800 09                    Standard subdivisions
- .122 800 1–.122 899 9                    Specific nonreligious subjects treated in the Koran  
                            Add to base number 297.1228 notation 001–999, e.g.,  
                            natural sciences in the Koran 297.12285