

## MIDDLE EAST & CENTRAL ASIA CLASSMARKS

### ISLAM AND MIDDLE EAST IN WESTERN LANGUAGES

N -- Islam  
NB -- Middle East  
NC -- Arabian Peninsula  
NCA -- Sinai Peninsula  
NE -- Egypt  
NEA -- Suez Canal  
NG -- Yemen  
NH -- Southern Yemen  
NH -- Aden  
A  
NJ -- United Arab Emirates  
NJA -- Oman  
NJB -- Muscat  
NK -- Arabian Gulf Region  
NKA -- Qatar  
NKB -- Bahrain  
NKC -- Kuwait  
NL -- Saudi Arabia  
NM -- Socotra  
NM -- Red Sea  
A  
NN -- Jordan  
NO -- Lebanon  
NP -- Syria  
NQ -- Iraq  
NR -- Arabs  
NS -- Turkey  
NSA -- Balkans  
NSB -- Albania  
NSC -- Yugoslavia  
NSD -- Bulgaria  
NSE -- Hungary  
NSF -- Rumania  
NT -- Iran  
NTA -- Iranian Azerbaijan  
NU -- Kurdistan  
NUA -- Iraqi Kurdistan  
NUB -- Iranian Kurdistan  
NUC -- Turkish Kurdistan  
NV -- Iranian Peoples  
NX -- Spain (Andalus)  
NXA -- Gibraltar

### CENTRAL ASIA IN WESTERN LANGUAGES

O -- Caucasia  
OA -- Ciscaucasia  
OAA -- Adyge  
OAB -- Chechen-Ingushia  
OAC -- Daghestan  
OAD -- Kabardino-Balkaria  
OAE -- Karachai-Cherkessia  
OAF -- North Ossetia  
OB -- Transcaucasia  
OC -- Armenia  
OCA -- Abkhazia  
OCB -- Adjara  
OCC -- South Ossetia  
OD -- Azerbaijan  
ODA -- Nakhichevan  
OG -- Georgia  
OH -- Caucasian peoples  
OHA -- Armenians  
OJ -- Crimea  
OL -- Ancient Central Asia  
OM -- Islamic Central Asia  
OMA -- Golden Horde  
ON -- Afghanistan  
OP -- Modern Central Asia  
OQ -- Kyrgyzstan  
OQA -- Kazakhstan  
OR -- Turkmenistan  
OS -- Tajikistan  
OT -- Uzbekistan  
OTA -- Karakalpak Region  
OU -- Bashkiria  
OUA -- Chuvashia  
OUB -- Tatarstan  
OW -- Tuvan Region  
OWA -- Yakutia  
OX -- Turkic peoples  
  
QJ -- Israel/Palestine  
QJA -- Palestine (Gaza and West Bank)

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### ARABIC LANGUAGE MATERIAL

P -- Arabic  
 PA -- Arabic Dialects  
 PAA -- Egyptian  
 PAB -- Iraqi  
 PAC -- Jordanian  
 PAD -- Judæo-Arabic  
 PAE -- Lebanese  
 PAF -- North-African  
 PAG -- Algerian  
 PAH -- Libyan  
 PAI -- Moroccan  
 PAJ -- Tunisian  
 PAK -- Chadian  
 PAN -- Palestinian  
 PAO -- Saudi Arabian  
 PAP -- Sudanese  
 PAQ -- Syrian  
 PAR -- Gulf Arabic  
 PAS -- Yemeni  
 PAT -- Spanish Arabic  
 PB -- Epigraphic Arabian  
     languages(Sabaeen)  
 PBA -- South Arabian languages

### INDO-EUROPEAN LANGUAGES

PE -- Armenian  
 PF -- Tocharian

### CAUCASIAN LANGUAGES

PG -- Caucasian languages  
 PH -- North Caucasian languages  
 PHA -- Abkhaz  
 PHB -- Agul  
 PHC -- Andi  
 PHD -- Archi  
 PHE -- Avar  
 PHF -- Chechen  
 PHG -- Circassian  
 PHH -- Dargwa  
 PHI -- Dido  
 PHJ -- Ingush  
 PHK -- Kabardian  
 PHL -- Kazi-Kumuk  
 PH -- Khinalugh  
 M  
 PHN -- Lesgian  
 PHO -- Tabassaran  
 PHP -- Tsova-Tush  
 PHQ -- Ubykh  
 PHR -- Udi  
 PHS -- Akhvakh  
 PHT -- Chamalal  
 PHU -- Karata  
 PHV -- Rutul  
 PJ -- South Caucasian languages  
 PJA -- Georgian  
 PJB -- Laz  
 PJC -- Mingrelian  
 PJD -- Svanetian

### IRANIAN LANGUAGES

PL -- Iranian languages

PLA -- Old Persian  
 PLB -- Avestan  
 PLC -- Western Middle Iranian  
 PLD -- Soghdian  
 PLE -- Khawrezmian  
 PLF -- Khotanese  
 PLG -- Bactrian  
 PM -- Modern Persian  
 PMA -- Dari  
 PMB -- Tadjik  
 PMC -- Judæo-Persian  
 PMD -- Persian dialects of Iran  
 PN -- Other modern Iranian languages  
 PNA -- Balochi  
 PNB -- Kurdish  
 PNC -- Ossetic  
 PND -- Pashto  
 PNE -- Yaghnobi  
 PNF -- Pamir languages  
 PNG -- Ishkashmi  
 PNH -- Shughni  
 PNI -- Yazghulami  
 PNJ -- Yighda  
 PNK -- Wakhi

### TURKIC LANGUAGES

PP -- Turkic languages  
 PPA -- Old Turkic  
 PPB -- Old and Middle Uighur  
 PPC -- Orkhon & Yenesei inscriptions  
 PQ -- Middle Turkic  
 PQA -- Koman  
 PQB -- Kipchak  
 PQC -- Armeno-Kipchak  
 PQD -- Mamluk-Kipchak  
 PR -- Modern Turkic  
 PRA -- Modern Turkish  
 PRB -- Azerbaijani  
 PRC -- Karachai-Balkar  
 PRD -- Kumyk  
 PRE -- Nogai  
 PRF -- Karaim  
 PRG -- Gagauz  
 PU -- Turki  
 PUA -- Turkmen  
 PUB -- Chagatai  
 PUC -- Uzbek  
 PUD -- Uighur  
 PUE -- Kirghiz  
 PUF -- Kazakh  
 PUG -- Karakalpak  
 PV -- Altaic Languages  
 PVA -- Altai/Oirot  
 PVB -- Shor  
 PVC -- Khakas  
 PVD -- Tuvianian  
 PVE -- Yakut  
 PW -- Volga River Region (Russia)  
 PWA -- Bashkir  
 PWB -- Chuvash  
 PWC -- Tatar  
 PWD -- Crimean Tatar

## THE MIDDLE EAST & CENTRAL ASIA COLLECTIONS MAIN HOLDINGS:

**Arabic language material (shelf mark P) and Islam & Middle East (shelf mark N to NXB).**

### **Persian language material (shelf mark PM) and Iran (shelf mark NT)**

The Section also specialises in works in Persian from Iran and works on Iran in all languages. Books on Iran include Ancient Iran and a section on all aspects of Zoroastrianism and other Iranian religions. (For the Parsis in India see the South Asia Section.)

Other important collections are the Ancient Iranian languages, like Avestan and Pahlavi, and the modern Iranian languages, like Kurdish, Pashto, and Balochi.

### **Turkish language material (shelf mark PRA) and Turkey (shelf mark NS)**

The third largest part of the section is the Turkish language material, and the materials on modern Turkey and the Ottoman Empire in Western languages are also extensive.

The section also contains significant collections of non-Islamic languages, literatures and cultures. Largest of these are the **Armenian (shelf mark PE)** and **Georgian (shelf mark PJA)** collections.

For books on :

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| <b>PALESTINE AND PALESTINIANS</b> _____ | see <b>QJ and QJA</b> | } Located in the ANCIENT<br>NEAR EAST, SEMITICS AND<br>JUDAICA Section |
| <b>BYZANTINE EMPIRE</b> _____           | see <b>QT</b>         |  |
| <b>CRETE</b> _____                      | see <b>QUA</b>        |  |
| <b>CYPRUS</b> _____                     | see <b>QUB</b>        |  |
| <b>MALTA</b> _____                      | see <b>QUC</b>        |  |
| <b>RHODES</b> _____                     | see <b>QUD</b>        |  |
| <b>CHIOS</b> _____                      | see <b>QUE</b>        |  |

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**ISLAMIC ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY** \_\_\_\_\_ see the ART & ARCHITECTURE Section