

Weekly Dose Printing History

QUESTION: Should the numeric indicator be used when transcribing Printing History?

ANSWER: Yes

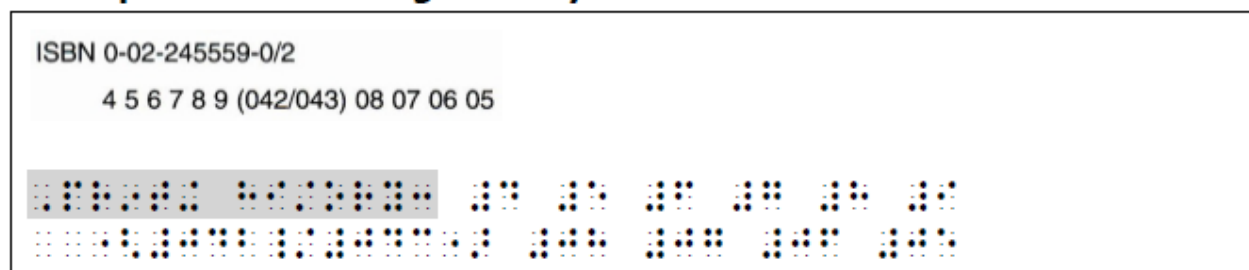
Printing History

Many books include the printing history, which is a series of numbers usually found on the back of the title page. It indicates the number and year of printing.

- Some publishers may edit the book at the time of a new printing, without changing the copyright and ISBN. Consequently, a book from a newer run may not match an earlier printing. Including the printing history is the way to definitively identify a book.
- The format of the **printing history** is an agency decision. It is recommended that print be followed. Precede the printing history letters/numbers with the identifier "Printing History:".

Example provided for Formats 2016 Section 2.6 Printing History

Example 2-6: Printing History



Source: Section 2 Transcriber-Generated Pages and Front Matter Braille Formats Principles of Print-to-Braille 2016.