

**BACKGROUND:** *The subdivision **-Tables** is used for works in tabular form that present systematic listings of results already computed, worked out, or processed, and that are to be used as reference tools to reduce the labor of computers and investigators, or to form a basis for future predictions. Works of this type are to be distinguished from those that merely present lists of unprocessed or raw data resulting from survey, experimentation, observation, etc., for which headings or subdivisions representing special kinds of statistics, measurements, observations, etc. are used. For instructions on cataloging works containing statistical data, see H 2095.*

**1. General rule.** Use the subdivision **-Tables** as a free-floating form subdivision under topical headings for works of the type described above. *Examples:*

650 #0 \$a Food \$x Caloric content \$v Tables.  
650 #0 \$a Gas lasers \$v Tables.  
650 #0 \$a Ellipsometry \$v Tables.  
650 #0 \$a Photographic surveying \$v Tables.  
650 #0 \$a Irrigation canals and flumes \$v Tables.  
650 #0 \$a Mortality \$z Latin America \$v Tables.

**2. Obsolete forms.** Other subdivisions designating tables were used in the past, including **-Tables and ready-reckoners; -Tables, calculations, etc.; -Tables, etc.; -Formulae, tables, etc.**

*LC practice:*

Do not assign these subdivisions. When they are encountered in the bibliographic database, replace them with the subdivision **-Tables**.

**3. Conversion tables.** Use the subdivision **-Conversion tables** as a free-floating form subdivision under topical headings for tables of equivalents for changing units of measure or weight into other units. *Examples:*

650 #0 \$a Temperature \$v Conversion tables.  
650 #0 \$a Time \$v Conversion tables.