

FAQs on Voyager MFHDs

Below is list of important facts that will be useful in making decisions of how an institution wants to record their holdings using Voyager and OCLC.

1. Voyager currently does not support ANSI/NISO's *Holdings statements for bibliographic items* standard ([1] of the bibliography).
2. Because of 1. above, the +ed. cannot be used in the 853 field of the Voyager holdings record. It can be used in OCLC LDRs.
3. Because of 1. above, the (*) cannot be used in the 853 field of the Voyager Holdings record when a title lacks an enumerative caption. It can be used in OCLC LDRs.
4. Subfield z (\$z) of the 863-865 (public note) does not display in the Voyager system.
5. First level chronology (\$i) does not display in the 865 (Index). Only the first level enumeration will display in Voyager.
6. Cataloger supplied months and seasons recorded in the 853 and indicated by square brackets (i.e., [01] for the month of January) will not generate appropriate label in the Voyager OPAC display.
7. When the first level of Enumeration/Chronology is the year and the second level consists of parts or volumes, the caption does not appear in Voyager OPAC display.
8. The 1st level chronology does not display when used in conjunction with 1st level enumeration.
9. Combined chronology in the second and third levels enumeration of the 853/863 does not show the second half of the combination in the Public Display. For example:

853	0	0	\$8 1 ‡a v. \$b no. \$i (year) \$j (month)
863	4	0	\$8 1.1 \$a 79-93 \$b 2-6 \$i 1977-1992 \$j 11/12-07/08

Public Display:

Volumes Owned: v. 79, no. 2 - v. 93, no. 6 (1977:Nov. - 1992:July)