

U.S. States and Canadian Provinces G 302

BACKGROUND: Like the regions and countries table, the table of American states and Canadian provinces was developed in order to encourage uniformity of Cutter numbers in all classes. It is applied to new entries in the shelflist when the form caption in the classification schedule reads **By state, A-Z**, or **By province, A-Z**, provided that there is no conflict with existing entries. This instruction sheet provides guidelines for applying the American states and Canadian provinces tables.

1. Existing Cutter numbers. If a Cutter number for a state or province has been used in the shelflist or established in the classification schedule, use that number even if it is in conflict with the number in the states and provinces table.

2. New Cutter numbers. If a Cutter number for a specific state or province is being applied for the first time in a particular class, and there is no conflict with adjacent Cutter numbers, use the Cutter number indicated in the states and provinces table. If a conflict exists with adjacent Cutter numbers, continue the existing Cutter arrangement, adjusting the new Cutter to maintain the proper arrangement.

U. S. States

Alabama	A2
Alaska	A4
Arizona.....	A6
Arkansas.....	A8
California	C2
Colorado.....	C6
Connecticut.....	C8
Delaware	D3
District of Columbia <i>see</i> Washington (D.C.)	
Florida.....	F6

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U. S. States

Georgia.....	G4
Hawaii.....	H3
Idaho	I2
Illinois	I3
Indiana	I6
Iowa.....	I8
Kansas	K2
Kentucky.....	K4
Louisiana.....	L8
Maine	M2
Maryland.....	M3
Massachusetts	M4
Michigan	M5
Minnesota.....	M6
Mississippi	M7
Missouri	M8
Montana	M9
Nebraska	N2
Nevada	N3

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New Hampshire	N4
New Jersey	N5
New Mexico	N6
New York	N7
North Carolina	N8
North Dakota	N9
Ohio	O3
Oklahoma	O5
Oregon	O7
Pennsylvania	P4
Rhode Island	R4
South Carolina	S6
South Dakota	S8
Tennessee	T2
Texas	T4
Utah	U8
Vermont	V5
Virginia	V8
Washington (D.C.)	W18

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U. S. States

Washington (State)	W2
West Virginia	W4
Wisconsin	W6
Wyoming	W8

Canadian Provinces

Alberta	A3
British Columbia	B8
Manitoba	M3
New Brunswick	N5
Newfoundland and Labrador	N6
Northwest Territories	N7
Nova Scotia	N8
Nunavut	N9
Ontario	O6
Prince Edward Island	P8
Quebec (Province)	Q3
Saskatchewan	S2
Yukon	Y8