

To: RDA Steering Committee
From: Anne Welsh, RSC Secretary
Subject: FT2024-04: “content from type or plates”

The text below sets out the decisions taken by the RDA Steering Committee during its meeting 15-18 April 2024.

At the January 2024 Meeting of the RSC, FT2024-01 – Definition for “printer agent of”, etc. – was discussed ([RSC/Minutes/444-455](#) Item 448.1). Discussion was wide-ranging, beyond the scope of the proposal itself. When it came to voting, the Secretary asked the 4 Yes/No questions required in the Fast Track itself and also whether the RSC would like a further Fast Track to be prepared for the other issue they had raised, which was concerned with the use of the phrase “content from type or plates”. The RSC voted unanimously in favour of such a Fast Track, and an ACTION ITEM was placed on the RSC Secretary to prepare FT2024-04 on this topic ([RSC/Minutes/444-455](#) Item 448.1.3).

[RSC/FT2024-01/Decisions](#) was published on 17 February 2024 and will be implemented in the next release of the RDA Toolkit. With the implementation of RSC/FT2024-01/Decisions, each of the **printer agent** elements follows the same formula of words in the Glossary, and is a narrower term of a **manufacturer agent**:

Registry

manufacturer agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30082>)

CURIE: rdam:P30082

Label: “has manufacturer agent”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to an agent who is responsible for printing, duplicating, casting, or other method of manufacturing a published manifestation.”

printer agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30078>)

CURIE: rdam:P30078

Label: “has printer agent”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to an agent who is responsible for manufacturing a manifestation of printed text, notated music, or other content from type or plates.”

Glossary

manufacturer agent

An agent who is responsible for printing, duplicating, casting, or other method of manufacturing a published manifestation.

Inverse: **manufacturer agent of**

Use for: manufacturer

printer agent

An agent who is responsible for manufacturing a manifestation of printed text, notated music, or other content from type or plates.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer agent of**

Use for: printer of

The other elements that use the same formula of words, including “content from type or plates”

are:

printer agent of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50179>)

printer collective agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30387>)

printer collective agent of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50652>)

printer corporate body (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30416>)

printer corporate body of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50803>)

printer family (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30445>)

printer family of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50954>)

printer person (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30358>)

printer person of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50501>)

In the discussion of FT2024-04 (<RSC/Minutes/456-468> Item 461.1), the Technical Team Liaison Officer suggested wording that the RSC tacitly approved. The Secretary then asked questions based on this wording, which voting members of the RSC approved.

The following changes will, therefore, be implemented:

FT2024-04 (1): printer agent

Registry

Marked-up version

printer agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30078>)

CURIE: rdam:P30078

Label: “has printer agent”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to an agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation of ~~printed~~ that embodies text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30078>)

CURIE: rdam:P30078

Label: “has printer agent”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to an agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer agent

An agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation of printed that embodies text, notated music, or other content cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer agent of**

Use for: printer of

Clean version

printer agent

An agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer agent of**

Use for: printer of

FT2024-04 (2): printer agent of

Registry

Marked-up version

printer agent of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50179>)

CURIE: rdam:P50179

Label: “is printer agent of”

Definition: “Relates an agent to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of an agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies of printed text, notated music, or other content cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer agent of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50179>)

CURIE: rdam:P50179

Label: “is printer agent of”

Definition: “Relates an agent to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of an agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer agent of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of an agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer agent**

Use for: printer of

Clean version

printer agent of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of an agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer agent**

Use for: printer of

FT2024-04 (3a): printer collective agent

Registry

Marked-up version

printer collective agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30387>)

CURIE: rdam:P30387

Label: “has printer collective agent”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a collective agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation ~~of printed~~ that embodies text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer collective agent (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30387>)

CURIE: rdam:P30387

Label: “has printer collective agent”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a collective agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer collective agent

A collective agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation ~~of printed~~ that embodies text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer collective agent of**

Clean version

printer collective agent

A collective agent who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer collective agent of**

FT2024-04 (3b): printer corporate body

Registry

*Marked-up version***printer corporate body** (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30416>)

CURIE: rdam:P30416

Label: “has printer corporate body”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a corporate body who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation ~~of printed~~ that embodies text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

*Clean version***printer corporate body** (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30416>)

CURIE: rdam:P30416

Label: “has printer corporate body”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a corporate body who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary*Marked-up version***printer corporate body**

A corporate body who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation ~~of printed~~ that embodies text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer corporate body of**

*Clean version***printer corporate body**

A corporate body who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer corporate body of**

FT2024-04 (3c): printer family**Registry**

*Marked-up version***printer family** (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30445>)

CURIE: rdam:P30445

Label: “has printer family”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a family who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation of printed that embodies text, notated music, or other content cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

*Clean version***printer family** (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30445>)

CURIE: rdam:P30445

Label: “has printer family”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a family who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary*Marked-up version***printer family**

A family who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation of printed that embodies text, notated music, or other content cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer family of**

*Clean version***printer family**

A family who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer family of**

FT2024-04 (3d): printer person**Registry**

*Marked-up version***printer person** (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30358>)

CURIE: rdam:P30358

Label: “has printer person”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a person who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation of printed that embodies text, notated music, or other content cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

*Clean version***printer person** (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/m/P30358>)

CURIE: rdam:P30358

Label: “has printer person”

Definition: “Relates a manifestation to a person who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

*Marked-up version***printer person**

A person who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation of printed that embodies text, notated music, or other content cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer person of**

*Clean version***printer person**

A person who is responsible for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer person of**

FT2024-04 (4a): printer collective agent of

Registry

Marked-up version

printer collective agent of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50652>)

CURIE: rdam:P50652

Label: “is printer collective agent of”

Definition: “Relates a collective agent to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a collective agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer collective agent of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50652>)

CURIE: rdam:P50652

Label: “is printer collective agent of”

Definition: “Relates a collective agent to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a collective agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer collective agent of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a collective agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer collective agent**

Clean version

printer collective agent of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a collective agent for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer collective agent**

FT2024-04 (4b): printer corporate body of

Registry

Marked-up version

printer corporate body of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50803>)

CURIE: rdam:P50803

Label: “is printer corporate body of”

Definition: “Relates a corporate body to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a corporate body for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer corporate body of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50803>)

CURIE: rdam:P50803

Label: “is printer corporate body of”

Definition: “Relates a corporate body to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a corporate body for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer corporate body of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a corporate body for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content ~~from type or plates~~ using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer corporate body**

Clean version

printer corporate body of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a corporate body for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer corporate body**

FT2024-04 (4c): printer family of

Registry

Marked-up version

printer family of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50954>)

CURIE: rdam:P50954

Label: “is printer family of”

Definition: “Relates a family to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a family for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer family of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50954>)

CURIE: rdam:P50954

Label: “is printer family of”

Definition: “Relates a family to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a family for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer family of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a family for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer family**

Clean version

printer family of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a family for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer family**

FT2024-04 (4d): printer person of

Registry

Marked-up version

printer person of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50501>)

CURIE: rdam:P50501

Label: “is printer person of”

Definition: “Relates a person to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a person for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Clean version

printer person of (<http://rdaregistry.info/Elements/a/P50501>)

CURIE: rdam:P50501

Label: “is printer person of”

Definition: “Relates a person to a manifestation that involves a responsibility of a person for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.”

Glossary

Marked-up version

printer person of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a person for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies ~~of printed~~ text, notated music, ~~or other content~~ cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content from type or plates using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer person**

Clean version

printer person of

A manifestation that involves a responsibility of a person for manufacturing a printed manifestation that embodies text, notated music, cartographic image, notated movement, or still image content using a device that transfers ink or a similar medium to a surface.

Includes the manufacture of a book, newspaper, magazine, broadside, or score.

Inverse: **printer person**