

NDNP Structural Metadata

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Predecessors

- **Commercial Systems**
 - **Specialized for Newspapers**
 - **Proprietary**
 - **Divergent**
- **American Memory**
 - **Generalized for many formats**
 - **Non-proprietary**
 - **Robustness**

New NDNP Metadata Standard

- **New, built upon past experience**
 - **Serials Reading Room**
 - **American Memory**
- **Flat → Relational**
 - **Title**
 - **Issue**
 - **Page**
 - **Reel**

Title

- **USNP-created MARC records**
- **Corrections**
- **Expansions**

Metadata Dictionary

- Title Table
- Issue Table
- Page Table
- Reel Table

Reel

- **Physical object**
- **Conservative approach for Phase I**
- **Technical metadata for analysis**
- **Technical Targets on reels**
- **LC-provided Technical Target**

Metadata Encoding and Transmission Standard (METS)

- Why METS?
- Title METS Object
- Issue METS Object
- Reel METS Object

Title METS Object

- Title Bibliographic Data (MARC XML)
- Title Holdings Data (MARC XML)
- Internal MODS object
 - Descriptive Essay (Awardee-produced)
 - Geographic Coverage (Awardee-produced)

Issue and Reel METS Objects

- Issue METS Object
 - Issue Data
 - Page Data
- Reel METS Object
 - Reel Data
 - Target Data