

Europe

Seven electronic RNB databases for books printed to 1850

1. Electronic database: ustc.ac.uk

Period covered: 1450–1650

Identity number: USTC + database number

Responsible institution: University of St Andrews

Selection criteria: all books published in the first age of print in any part of the world where printing with moveable type is known.

Contact: bookproj@st-andrews.ac.uk.

2. Electronic database: data.cerl.org/istc

Period covered: 15th century

Identity number: ISTC + database number

Responsible institution: the British Library — the Department of Printed Heritage Collections

Selection criteria: all works printed from movable type in Europe before 1501.

Contact: Karen Limper-Herz, Lead Curator, Incunabula and Sixteenth Century Printed Books in the British Library: karen.limper-herz@bl.uk.

3. Electronic database: <http://inka.uni-tuebingen.de/>

Period covered: 15th century

Identity number: INKA + database number

Responsible institution: Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen — the Department of Manuscripts/Historical Prints (Handschriftenabteilung)

Selection criteria: all works printed from movable type in Europe before 1501 held in German and Austrian collections.

Contact: Kristina Stöbener, Head of the Department of Manuscripts/Historical Prints in the University Library of Universität Tübingen: kristina.stoebener@uni-tuebingen.de .

4. Electronic database: gesamtkatalogderwiegendrucke.de/

Period covered: 15th century

Identity number: GW + database number

Responsible institution: Berlin State Library (Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin) — the subdivision Union Catalogue of Incunabula/Incunabula Collection (Referats Gesamtkatalog der Wiegendrucke/Inkunabelsammlung)

Selection criteria: all works printed from movable type in Europe before 1501.

Contact: Falk Eisermann, Head of the subdivision Union Catalogue of Incunabula/Incunabula Collection in the Berlin State Library: falk.eisermann@sbb.spk-berlin.de.

5. Electronic database: proquest.com/eeb

Period covered: before 1701

Identity number: database number

Responsible institution: ProQuest

Selection criteria: all works printed in Europe before 1701.

Contact:

6. Electronic database: proquest.com/go/eebgeo

Period covered: 1450–1700

Identity number: database number

Responsible institution: ProQuest

Selection criteria: all works printed in British Isles and Europe from 1450–1700, combining the databases of Early English Books Online and Early European Books.

Contact:

7. Electronic database: europeana.eu/en

Period covered: all periods

Identity number: database number

Responsible institution: Europeana Foundation

Selection criteria: the cultural heritage of Europe.

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