

UKRAINE

No electronic RNB database

Responsible institutions: • the Vernadsky National Library of Ukraine (NLU) – the Department of the National Bibliography; • the Yaroslav Mudryi National Library of Ukraine; • the Book Chamber of Ukraine – “legal deposit institution” which provides the retrospective (from 1917) and current bibliography of Ukraine.

Selection criteria:

- territorial criterium: all publications printed on the territory of present-day Ukraine, but also works that have issued in the areas, which are today outside the borders of Ukraine, but where Ukrainian influences were especially noticeable in the past;
- national criterium: works created by the Ukrainian authors, regardless of the language and place of publication;
- thematic criterium: all works connected to Ukraine and Ukrainians, despite of the language and place of publication;
- language criterium: all works in Ukrainian language (called also Ruthenian in the past) despite of the place of publication as well as works in Church Slavonic language which was the liturgical language used by the Orthodox Church

Information about Ukrainian publications issued before 1850 is contained in catalogues, most of which are available in printed and PDF form:

- Запаско Я., Ісаєвич Я. (1981, 1984). *Каталог стародруків виданих на Україні, кн. 1 (1574–1700), кн. 2, ч. 1 (1701–1764), ч. 2 (1765–1800). Львів*
Zapasko Ya., Isayevych Ya. (1981, 1984). Catalogue of early printed books issued in Ukraine, book 1 (1574-1700), book 2, part 1 (1701-1764), part 2. (1765-1800). Lviv

Identity number: Zapasko, Isayevych + catalogue number

The only and the most outstanding catalogue of books printed on the present-day Ukrainian territories from 1574 till 1800. Consists of 3 parts, contains 4176 bibliographic records.

The Catalogue includes descriptions of books, broadsheets, ephemera, barely periodicals, maps, music scores. Bibliographic records relying on existing copies, printed earlier bibliographic sources and on archival materials.

The extent of the bibliographic descriptions in the Catalogue is different. Some of them, based on existing copies which were verified *de visu*, contain copy specific information. Single records relying on archival information (without preserved copies) including only the name of the author (if he exists or is known), the title and eventually the place and year of the publication.

Some bibliographic records include information about printers and illustrators, authors and recipients of dedications. Every or almost every description contains bibliography and list of institutions/collections where the copies of the book are/were located.

The Catalogue is available in both paper and electronic (PDF) form:

Book 1 (1574-1700):

http://irbis-nbuv.gov.ua/cgi-bin/ua/elib.exe?Z21ID=&I21DBN=UKRLIB&P21DBN=UKRLIB&S21STN=1&S21REF=10&S21FMT=online_book&C21COM=S&S21CNR=20&S21P01=0&S21P02=0&S21P03=FF=&S21STR=00002865

Book 2, part 1 (1701-1764):

http://irbis-nbuv.gov.ua/cgi-bin/ua/elib.exe?Z21ID=&I21DBN=UKRLIB&P21DBN=UKRLIB&S21STN=1&S21REF=10&S21FMT=online_book&C21COM=S&S21CNR=20&S21P01=0&S21P02=0&S21P03=FF=&S21STR=00002879

Book 2, part 2 (1765-1800):

<http://irbis-nbuv.gov.ua/cgi-bin/ua/elib.exe?&I21DBN=UKRLIB&P21DBN=UKRLIB&S21STN=1&S21REF=10&S21FMT=fullwebr&C21COM=S&S21CNR=20&S21P01=0&S21P02=0&S21P03=I=&S21STR=%2D646530>

- Петров С. (1971). *Книги гражданського друку, видані на Україні, XVIII – перша половина XIX ст.: Каталог*. Харків
Petrov S. (1971). Books in civil script printed in Ukraine, 18th- the first half of 19th century. Kharkiv

Catalogue covers the period from 1765 to 1860. It includes descriptions of books, brochures, barely periodicals issued in the territory of Ukraine in civil script (modification of the Cyrillic script introduced by the Russian Tsar Peter the Great in the period from 1708 to 1710). Catalogue contains 1997 bibliographic records. Available in printed and PDF form: <http://www.irbis-nbu.gov.ua/everlib/item/er-0001943>

State project of creation and implementation of the National Bibliography of Ukraine is provided by a few institutions: the Vernadsky National Library of Ukraine, the Yaroslav Mudryi National Library of Ukraine and the Book Chamber of Ukraine. There are also other libraries involved in this process, which compiled National Bibliography.

➤ the Vernadsky National Library of Ukraine:

- *Україномовна книга у фондах Національної бібліотеки України імені В. І. Вернадського. 1798–1916*, у 5 т. Київ, 1996-2002.
Ukrainian-language books in the collection of the Vernadsky National Library of Ukraine 1798-1916, in 5 vol. Kyiv, 1996-2002.
- *Україномовна книга у фондах Національної бібліотеки України імені В. І. Вернадського. 1798–1923*, у 3 т. Київ 2013.
Ukrainian-language books in the collection of the Vernadsky National Library of Ukraine 1798-1923, in 3 vol. Kyiv, 2003. Extended edition, copies of all volumes in PDF format are available:

<http://irbis-nbu.gov.ua/cgi-bin/EIR/elib.exe?I21DBN=ENBUV&P21DBN=ENBUV&S21STN=1&S21REF=10&S21FMT=preitem&C21COM=S&S21SRW=dz&S21SRD=UP&S21CNR=20&S21P01=0&S21P02=0&S21P03=TOMI=&S21STR=T080500155417>

- *Міжнародний зведений каталог-репертуар української книги, 1798–1923 : наук.-бібліогр. покажч. : у 3 т. Київ : НБУВ, 2019.*
International catalogue-repertoire of the Ukrainian books, 1798-1923, in 3 vol. Kyiv, 2019.

Vol. 1: 1798-1903 – books printed from Ukrainian language in Ukraine and abroad. PDF format is available: <http://irbis-nbu.gov.ua/everlib/item/er-0003116>

➤ the National Parliamentary Library of Ukraine (now – the Yaroslav Mudryi National Library of Ukraine):

- Друкований зведений каталог україномовної книги державних бібліотек та музеїв України, 1798–1923, у 5 т. Київ, 1999-2015.
Printed common catalogue of the Ukrainian books in the funds of the state libraries and museums of Ukraine 1798-1923, in 5 vol. Kyiv 1999-2015.

Electronic database based on this Catalogue is in progress, nowadays it contains 50736 bibliographic records: <http://ukr.catalogue.nlu.org.ua/>

Vol. 1: 1808-1900 (includes bibliographic records of 1207 books) in PDF format is available: <http://irbis-nbuv.gov.ua/everlib/item/er-0003116>

➤ the Lviv National Vasyl Stefanyk Scientific Library of Ukraine:

- Репертуар української книги, 1798–1916 : матеріали до бібліографії, у 9 т. Львів, 1995-2005
Repertoire of Ukrainian books, 1798–1916: materials for bibliography, in 9 vol. Lviv 1995-2005.

Vol. 1: 1798-1870

Till 1991 the publishing production of Ukraine was recorded in foreign bibliographies, mostly Russian, Polish and Lithuanian.

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