U.S. Congressional Serial Set

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Scope

U.S. Congressional Serial Set
• Started with the 1st Session, 15th Congress.
• Numbered House & Senate Documents and Reports bound by session.

Collaboration
• Partnership with the Law Library of Congress.
• Volumes from the 15th through the 103rd Congresses.
• Initial public release: September 28, 2021.
Collaboration Roles

Law Library of Congress

- Manage the digitization of volumes.

GPO

- Create metadata (MARC and other).
- Design and maintain the govinfo collection.
- Acquire replacement volumes.
Demo
Demo - Search

Basic Search
• Flag > Filter by Serial Set collection
• Women and juries collection:serialset congress:69
• collection:serialset agency:commerce

Advanced Search
• Congressional Serial Set
• Examples of Fields: Title, Citation, SuDoc Number, Chamber, Congress, Document Type, Document Number, Serial Set Volume No., Full Serial Set Volume, President, Subject Topic, and Subject Geographic
  • Full Serial Set Volume > Yes
  Add Criteria
  Serial Set Volume No. > 8685
  • Sudoc Class Number > C 21

Citation
• Congressional Serial Set / CDOC / CRPT
  • House Document > 69th Congress (1925-1927) > 258
  • Court of Claims Report > 34th Congress (1855-1856) > 12
Demo - Browse

Serial Set
• govinfo.gov/app/collection/serialset
  • 69th Congress > Volume 8685 > page 2, 69-1514
  • 34th Congress > Volume 871 > 34-12
  • Entire Publication, Individual Documents

Congressional Reports
• govinfo.gov/app/collection/crpt
  • 34th Congress > Court of Claims > C. C. Rept. 34-12

Congressional Documents
• govinfo.gov/app/collection/cdoc
  • 69th Congress > H. Doc. > 200-299 > H. Doc. 69-258
Questions?