Swiss National Library Catalogues

- **Helveticat**
  Helveticat is the online catalogue of the Swiss National Library (NL). Helveticat lists all monographs and the current newspapers and journals in the NL. Helveticat does not cover the information of the Subject Catalogue prior to 1998. The ceased newspapers and journals as well as some special and specific collections are fully covered in other catalogues.

- **HelveticArchives**
  HelveticArchives is the online database maintaining the archival collections of the NL, i.e. the collections of the Prints and Drawings Department and of the Swiss Literary Archives SLA. HelveticArchives also includes ISplus (Archives, Libraries and Museums) containing a wide range of information on Swiss heritage institutions, as well as the "Index of manuscript collections held in libraries and archives in Switzerland".

- **Subject catalogue prior to 1998 (in French)**
  Subject catalogue on digitalized cards (Coris) of publications before 1998 (monographs, microforms, publications of corporations and associations, periodicals maps and atlases). The catalogue consists of the following four parts: subject catalogue - decimal classification (DDC), index of persons, index of places, maps and atlases.

- **Bible catalogue**
  Catalogue of the Karl J. Lüthi Bible Collection

- **Biographic catalogue of articles from serial publications**
  Index of articles about Swiss personalities, classified alphabetically by personal names. Systematic collection since 1913. Contains references of the Swiss Bibliography of History (since 1913) and the Bibliography scientiae naturalis Helvetica (since 1925). As from 2000 online access in BSH.

- **Biographic Catalogue of newspaper articles**
  Index of newspaper articles about Swiss personalities, classified alphabetically by family names. Systematic collection since 1931. There are articles already cited as from 1900. Updating of this catalogue ceased in 2012; it is now available in HelveticArchives, the database of archival fonds of the NL.

- **Catalogue of family names**
  Index articles published in serial publications and monographs with genealogical content. In alphabetical order of family names.

- **Catalogue of genealogical plates**
  Ancestor plates, dynasties, family chains; genealogical trees and plates held by the Prints and Drawings Department. Three parts: alphabetical catalogue of the authors; systematic catalogue of the family names; location catalogue (call numbers).

- **Catalogue of official publications**
  Monographs published by public sector bodies (Confederation, cantons, municipalities, churches, etc.) are listed in part in Helveticat.
- **Catalogue of official serial publications**
  Serial publications by public sector bodies (Swiss confederation, cantons, municipalities, churches etc.).

- **Catalogue of publications by corporations and associations ("V-Katalog")**
  This card catalogue contains rules, regulations, protocols, reports, catalogues, brochures, commemorative brochures and other publications from associations and corporations, companies, industries, schools as well as cantonal or local cultural institutions in Switzerland. The collection has a yearly growth of approx. 8000 documents. Some of the publications in this collection are indexed in Helveticat (in particular, exhibition catalogues and commemorative publications (Festschriften)).

- **Catalogues of manuscripts**
  Manuscript collections of the Swiss Literary Archives (SLA). Online consultation for the principal collections and archives held at the SLA. Inventories and microfiches at the SLA. (level 4)

- **e-Helvetica Access**
  e-Helvetica Access gives you access to the digital collections of the Swiss National Library (NL). In addition to websites of historical importance, you will find books, periodicals, theses and official publications that have been published in electronic form. You will also find printed publications that have been scanned. Please note that access to certain publications is restricted for copyright reasons.

- **Geographical catalogue of articles from serial publications**
  Articles published since 1913 on villages, towns, regions, districts, cantons, lakes and rivers, geological formations, caves etc., classified alphabetically by geographical names. Contains references from the Swiss bibliography of History (since 1913) and from the Bibliography scientiae naturalis Helvetica (since 1925).

- **Heraldic catalogue**
  Index of family coats of arms published in reference works. Maintained up to 1980.

- **Keyword index for serials catalogue**
  Alphabetical index of keywords in titles of serial publications, updated until about 1980, with cross-references and NL call numbers.

- **NL-Serials card catalogue (P-Katalog)**
  All serials catalogued before June 2005: newspapers, magazines, series, annual publications (except publications of corporations and associations and carnival programme). As of June 2005, new titles are only catalogued in Helveticat.

- **Offprints Catalogue**
  Catalogue of offprints from Swiss and foreign periodicals (from 1951).

- **Swiss Poster Collection**
  This collection comprises posters created by Swiss and foreign artists. It presents a picture of Swiss and European culture from the end of the 19th century to the present day covering a wide range of areas (tourism, exhibitions, advertising, cultural activities, sport, politics, etc.). The posters described in
the catalogue are drawn from a number of Swiss institutions, including those of the Swiss National Library (NL).