

## Abbreviations for Daoist Textual Collections & Major Indexes

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Although the Míng-dynasty *Dào-zàng* 道藏 (Daoist Canon; dat. 1445/1607) remains the primary textual collection utilized in Daoist Studies, there are now a wide variety of “extra-canonical” and “supplemental” collections, twenty-three in total according to my current research. Readers should note that these are occasionally mischaracterized as “subsidiary.” While some of these do, in fact, gather materials from the received Daoist Canon, many represent archaeological, late imperial and modern as well as otherwise lost works. In my view, and as documented in my authoritative and definitive indexing work, they should be treated as independent, if related collections. Thus, there is a need for standardized numbering systems, even if such work is largely for an as-yet-unrealized future.

I started this work in the early 2000s, which resulted in my pioneering *Title Index to Daoist Collections* (Three Pines Press, 2002). Partially modelled on Kristofer Schipper 施舟人 (1934-2021) et al.’s *Concordance du Tao-tsang: Titres des ouvrages* (École Française d’Extrême-Orient, 1975), that publication established standardized numbering systems for the most important Daoist textual collections. Since that time, I have continued my larger indexing project. This resulted in the publication of my “Title Index to the *Zhōnghuá dào-zàng* 中華道藏 (Chinese Daoist Canon)” (*Monumenta Serica* 62 [2014]: 213-60), which is the only numbering system for that collection. More recently, I established the new series “Supplements to *Title Index to Daoist Collections*” (2022), which are now posted on my Alternate Homepage. These reference works include information on the various collections. I plan eventually to publish a corrected, updated, and revised version of the complete indexes, with the tentative title *Catalogue of Daoist Textual Collections*.

Herein I simply list proposed standardized abbreviations of the various Daoist textual collections in order to advance the field of Daoist Studies and to offer an orientation toward and glimpse into the complete body of Daoist literature. For additional guidance see the introduction to *Title Index to Daoist Collections* as well as my online “Research Guide to Daoist Studies” (2022), “Daoist Literature in Translation” (2022), and other Daoist Studies Guides, also on my Alternate Homepage.

Abbreviation	Title
CT	<i>Concordance du Tao-tsang: Titres des ouvrages</i> (1975)
DGZ	<i>Zhōngguó dàoquàn zhì cóngkān</i> 中國道觀志叢刊 (Collection of Chinese Daoist Temple Records)
DGZX	<i>Zhōngguó dàoquàn zhì cóngkān xùbiān</i> 中國道觀志叢刊續編 (Supplement to the Collection of Chinese Daoist Temple Records)
DH	<i>Dūnhuáng dàoàng</i> 敦煌道藏 (Dunhuang Daoist Canon)
DS	<i>Dàooshū jíchéng</i> 道書集成 (Collection of Daoist Books)
DZ	<i>Dàoàng</i> 道藏 (Daoist Canon). <i>Zhèngtǒng dàoàng</i> 正統道藏 (Daoist Canon of the Zhengtong Reign Period; abbrev. ZTDZ) and <i>Xù dàoàng</i> 續道藏 (Supplement to the Daoist Canon; abbrev. XDZ). Numbers correspond to CT and TIDC
GC	<i>Guǎngchéng yìzhì</i> 廣成儀制 (Ritual Compendium of the Guangcheng Tradition)
HCDZ	<i>The Taoist Canon: A Historical Companion to the Daozang</i> (2004)
HY	Harvard-Yenching. <i>Dàoàng zǐmù yǐndé</i> 道藏子目引得/Combined Indexes to the Authors and Titles of Books in Two Collections of Taoist Literature (1935)
JH	<i>Dàoàng jīnghuá</i> 道藏精華 (Essential Blossoms of the Daoist Canon)
JHL	<i>Dàoàng jīnghuá lù</i> 道藏精華錄 (Record of Essential Blossoms of the Daoist Canon)
JC	<i>Dàoàng jíchéng</i> 道藏集成 (Collection of the Daoist Canon)
JSL	<i>Dàojiā jīnshí lüè</i> 道家金石略 (Collection of Daoist Epigraphy)
JX	<i>Dàojiào wúpài dānfǎ jīngxuǎn</i> 道教五派丹法精選 (Compilation of Alchemical Methods from the Five Lineages of Daoism)
JY	<i>Dàoàng jíyào</i> 道藏輯要 (Collected Essentials of the Daoist Canon)
LZ*	<i>Lǎozǐ jíchéng</i> 老子集成 (Collection on the <i>Laozi</i> )
QJ	<i>Dàooshū quánjí</i> 道書全集 (Complete Collection of Daoist Books)
QYC	<i>Qìgōng yǎngshēng cóngshū</i> 氣功養生叢書 (Collected Works on Qigong and Nourishing Life)
STIDC	Supplements to <i>Title Index to Daoist Collections</i> (2022)
STL	<i>A Survey of Taoist Literature</i> (1987)
SY	<i>Sāndòng shíyí</i> 三洞拾遺 (Lost Works of the Three Caverns)
TIDC	<i>Title Index to Daoist Collections</i> (2002)
TK	<i>Tonkō dōkei</i> 敦煌道經 (Dunhuang Daoist Scriptures) (1978-1979)
TY	<i>Dàoàng tíyào</i> 道藏提要 (Synopsis of the Daoist Canon) (1991)
XB	<i>Dàoàng xùbiān</i> 道藏續編 (Supplementary Collection of the Daoist Canon)
XK	<i>Dàoàng yàojí xuǎnkān</i> 道藏要籍選刊 (Essential Selections from the Daoist Canon)
ZH	<i>Zhōnghuá dàoàng</i> 中華道藏 (Chinese Daoist Canon)

ZHX	<i>Zhōnghuá xù dàoàng</i> 中華續道藏 (Supplement to the Chinese Daoist Canon)
ZL	<i>Zhuāng-Lín xù dàoàng</i> 莊林續道藏 (Supplement to the Daoist Canon from the Zhuang and Lin Families)
ZW	<i>Zàngwài dàoshū</i> 藏外道書 (Daoist Books Outside the Canon)

