

0C. DVD COLLECTION

The Berio Library DVD collection consists of around 2,800 titles located on open shelves on the ground floor. In addition, there is a small collection of roughly one hundred titles, which are kept in storage and are available only upon request.

The shelving of the DVDs makes reference to four groups of characters. The first group divides the 'cinematographic' titles, identified by the acronym DVD-C, into eight main genres, which are better identified by the second group of characters and the coloured strips above the labels. The third and fourth groups of characters typically include the first three letters of the director's last name and the first three letters of the title.

The 'non-cinematographic' titles, identified only by the acronym DVD, have a more mixed composition. The second group of characters identifies the following categories: DOC refers to documentaries or in-depth analyses of specific themes; LIG indicates DVDs on topics or settings related to the Liguria region; MUS includes recordings of classical, operatic, pop or rock music concerts; TEA refers to theatre performances; TEL refers to television series or dramas; X includes publications that offer both books and video recordings together. The third and fourth groups of characters provide further details on the DVD and make reference to the first three letters of the director's and/or composer's last name, the first three letters of the title, the name of the singer or character, the season number, etc., depending on the type of content.