

LINCOLN CATHEDRAL

Concordance of Window Numbers

The following concordance brings together four window-numbering systems that have been adopted at various times for Lincoln Cathedral.

The first two systems are historical and have been superseded by the most recent version of the CVMA system and the current Lincoln Cathedral workshop system. The first of the two historical systems, akin to the CVMA system, was current in the 1970s, and was used to identify only windows containing painted glass. The second was that adopted by Nigel Morgan in his CVMA (GB) volume on Lincoln Cathedral (*The Medieval Painted Glass of Lincoln Cathedral*, CVMA (GB), Occasional Paper III, London, 1983).

The CVMA system has been revised recently in order to accommodate all the windows in the cathedral visible from the interior. The chantry chapels are treated as separate units, and suffixes have been introduced to identify parts of the building not covered by a traditional application of the CVMA system (e.g., CH for the chapter house). The three lancets above the clerestory windows NXI and NXII remain unnumbered.

The Lincoln Cathedral workshop numbering includes all window openings, whether blocked or not, glazed or unglazed, and include windows not visible from the interior, such as those in the roof spaces. A system of prefixes, more developed than that used by the CVMA, is has been adopted to denote the area of the building in which the window is situated. Where a prefix consists of two or more letters and the first letter is N, S, E or W, this designates a compass point.

- EG – east ground floor
- SG – south ground floor
- NG – north ground floor
- ST – south triforium level
- NT – north triforium level
- SC – south clerestory level
- NC – north clerestory level
- ER – east roof level
- SR – south roof level
- NR – north roof level
- SW – south-west west front
- SWT – south-west tower, west front
- W – west front, central west front (the two west roof-level windows are now numbered as part of the central west front, as W3 and W4)
- NWT – north-west tower, west front
- NW – north-west west front
- CH – chapter house
- CT – central tower
- A–H – stairwells and tower stairwells
- V – Canons' Vestry
- M – muniment room
- Y – Slype, vergers kitchen and communication offices
- LG – cathedral refectory
- LF – library

<i>1970s</i>	<i>CVMA: Morgan 1983</i>	<i>CVMA: current</i>	<i>Lincoln Cathedral workshop</i>	<i>Notes</i>
I	I	I	EG1	
s2	sII	sII	SG2	
n2	nII	nII	EG3	
n3		nIII	NG1	
n4		nIV	NG2	
n5		Fleming Chantry nI	NG3	
n6		Fleming Chantry nII	NG4	
n7		Fleming Chantry nIII	NG5	
n8		nV	NG6	stained glass only in tracery
n9		nVI	NG7	
		nVII	NG8	
		nVIII	NG9	
		nIX	NG10	
		nX	NG11	
n10		nXI	NG12	
			NG12a	unglazed opening
n11		nXII	NG13	
		nXIII	NG14	
			NG14a	small panel in nearby stairwell
n12		Treasury wI	NG15	
n12		Treasury wII	NG16	
n13		Treasury wIII	NG17	
n13		Treasury wIV	NG18	
		nXIV	NG19	
		nXV	NG20	
		nXVI	NG21	
		nXVII	NG22	
n14		nXVIII	NG23	
n15		nXIX	NG24	
n16		nXX	NG25	
n17		nXXI	NG26	
n18		nXXII	NG27	
n19		nXXIII	NG28	
n20		nXXIV	NG29	
n21		nXXV	NG30	
n22	nXXVI	nXXVI	NG31	
n23	nXXVII	nXXVII	NG32	
		nXXVIII	NG33	
		nXXIX	NG34	
		nXXX	NG35	

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		nXXXI	NG36	free hanging panel (temporarily removed)
n24		nXXXII	NG37	contains an inserted section of stained glass
		nXXXIII	NG38	
n25		nXXXIV	NG39	
n26		nXXXV	NG40	
n27		nXXXVI	NG41	
n28		nXXXVII	NG42	
n29		nXXXVIII	NG43	
n30		nXXXIX	NG44	
n31		nXL	NG45	
n32		nXLI	NG46	
n33		nXLII	NG47	
n34		nXLIII	NG48	
		nXLIV	NG49	
		nXLV	NG50	
		nXLVI	NG51	
		nXLVII	NG52	
		nXLVIII	NG53	
		nXLIX	NG54	
n35		nL	NW13	number may change
s2	sII	sII	EG2	
s3		sIII	SG1	
s4		sIV	SG2	
s5		Russell Chantry sI	SG3	
s6		Russell Chantry sII	SG4	
s7		Russell Chantry sIII	SG5	
s8		sV	SG6	
s9		sVI	SG7	
s10		Longland Chantry sI	SG8	
s11		Longland Chantry sII	SG9	
s12		Longland Chantry sIII	SG10	
s13		sVII	SG11	
s14		sVIII	SG12	
s15		sIX	SG13	
s16		sX	SG14	
s17		sXI	SG15	
s18		sXII	SG16	
s19		sXIII	SG17	

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		Canons' Vestry eI	V1	
		Canons' Vestry eII	V2	
		Canons' Vestry sI	V3	
		Canons' Vestry sII	V4	
		Canons' Vestry wI	V5	
		Canons' Vestry wII	V6	
		Canons' Vestry wIII	V7	
		sXIV	SG18	
		sXV	SG19	
		sXVI	SG20	
s20		sXVII	SG21	
s21		sXVIII	SG22	
		sXIX	SG23	
		sXX	SG24	
		sXXI	SG25	
		sXXII	SG26	
		sXXIII	SG27	
s22		sXXIV	SG28	
s23		sXXV	SG29	
		sXXVI	SG30	
		sXXVII	SG31	
s24	sXXVIII	sXXVIII	SG32	
s25	sXXIX	sXXIX	SG33	
s26	sXXX	sXXX	SG34	
s27	sXXXI	sXXXI	SG35	
		sXXXII	SG36	
		sXXXIII	SG37	
s28		sXXXIV	SG38	
s29		sXXXV	SG39	
s30		sXXXVI	SG40	
s31		sXXXVII	SG41	
s32		sXXXVIII	SG42	
s33		sXXXIX	SG43	
s34		sXL	SG44	
s35		sXLI	SG45	
s36		sXLII	SG46	
s37		sXLIII	SG47	
s38		sXLIV	SG48	
s39		sXLV	SG49	

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s40		sXLVI	SG50	contains central medallion with stained glass
		sXLVII	SG51	
s41		sXLVIII	SG52	stained glass in tracery only
		sXLIX	SG53	
		sL	SG54	contains central medallion with stained glass
		sLI	SG55	contains central medallion with stained glass
		sLII		
w1		wI	W1	main five-light Perpendicular window
W1		WI	W2	principal west rose
			W3	plain leaded lancet at roof level
			W4	plain leaded lancet at roof level
		NtII	NT1	
		NtIII	NT2	
		NtIV	NT3	
		NtV	NT4	
		NtVI	NT5	
		NtVII	NT6	
		NtVIII	NT7	
		NtIX	NT8	
		NtX	NT9	
		NtXI	NT10	
		NtXII	NT11	
		NtXIII	NT12	
		NtXIV	NT13	
		NtXV	NT14	
		NtXVI	NT15	
		NtXVII	NT16	
n2		NtXVIII	NT17	
n3		NtXIX	NT18	
		NtXX	NT19	
		NtXXI	NT20	
		NtXXII	NT21	
		NtXXIII	NT22	
		NtXXIV	NT23	
		NtXXV	NT24	
		NtXXVI	NT25	
		NtXXVII	NT26	
		NtXXVIII	NT27	
		NtXXIX	NT28	

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		NtXXX	NT29	
		NtXXXI	NT30	
		NtXXXII	NT31	
		NtXXXIII	NT32	
		NtXXXIV	NT33	
		NtXXXV	NT34	
		NtXXXVI	NT35	
		NtXXXVII	NT36	
		NtXXXVIII	NT37	
		NtXXXIX	NT38	
		NtXL	NT39	
		NtXLI	NT40	
		NtXLII	NT41	
		NtXLIII	NT42	
		NtXLIV	NT43	
		NtXLV	NT44	
n4	NXXX	NtXLVI	NT45	
n5	NXXXI	NtXLVII	NT46	
n6	NXXXII	NtXLVIII	NT47	
n7	NXXXIII	NtXLIX	NT48	
n8	NXXXIV	NtL	NT49	
		NtLI	NT50	
		NtLII	NT51	
		NtLIII	NT52	
		NtLIV	NT53	
		NtLV	NT54	
		NtLVI	NT55	
		NtLVII	NT56	
		NtLVIII	NT57	
n9		NtLIX	NT58	
n10		NtLX	NT59	
		NtLXI	NT60	
		NtLXII	NT61	
		StII	ST1	
		StIII	ST2	
		StIV	ST3	
		StV	ST4	
		StVI	ST5	
		StVII	ST6	
		StVIII	ST7	
		StIX	ST8	
		StX	ST9	
		StXI	ST10	
		StXII	ST11	
		StXIII	ST12	

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		StXIV	ST13	
		StXV	ST14	
		StXVI	ST15	
		StXVII	ST16	
		StXVIII	ST17	
		StXIX	ST18	
		StXX	ST19	
s2		StXXI	ST20	
s3		StXXII	ST21	
s4		StXXIII	ST22	
		StXXIV	ST23	
		StXXV	ST24	
		StXXVI	ST25	
		StXXVII	ST26	
		StXXVIII	ST27	
		StXXIX	ST28	
		StXXX	ST29	
		StXXXI	ST30	
		StXXXII	ST31	
		StXXXIII	ST32	
		StXXXIV	ST33	
		StXXXV	ST34	
		StXXXVI	ST35	
		StXXXVII	ST36	
		StXXXVIII	ST37	
		StXXXIX	ST38	
		StXL	ST39	
		StXLI	ST40	
		StXLII	ST41	
		StXLIII	ST42	
		StXLIV	ST43	
		StXLV	ST44	
		StXLVI	ST45	
		StXLVII	ST46	
		StXLVIII	ST47	
		StXLIX	ST48	
		StL	ST49	
		StLI	ST50	
		StLII	ST51	
		StLIII	ST52	
		StLIV	ST53	
S12		(see SXXXV below)	ST54	
		StLV	ST55	
		StLVI	ST56	

<i>1970s</i>	<i>CVMA: Morgan 1983</i>	<i>CVMA: current</i>	<i>Lincoln Cathedral workshop</i>	<i>Notes</i>
		StLVII	ST57	
		StLVIII	ST58	
		StLIX	ST59	
		StLX	ST60	
		StLXI	ST61	
		StLXII	ST62	
		StLXIII	ST63	
		StLXIV	ST64	
		StLXV	ST65	
		StLXVI	ST66	
		StLXVII	ST67	
		StLXVIII	ST68	
		StLXIX	ST69	
		StXLXX	ST70	
		StXLXXI	ST71	
		NII	NC1	
		NIII	NC2	
		NIV	NC3	
		NV	NC4	
		NVI	NC5	
N2		NVII	NC6	
N3		NVIII	NC7	
N4		NIX	NC8	
N5		NX	NC9	
N6		NXI	NC10	three lancets above NXI and NXII
N7		NXII	NC11	three lancets above NXI and NXII
		NXIII	NC12	
		NXIV	NC13	
		NXV	NC14	
		NXVI	NC15	
		NXVII	NC16	
N8		NXVIII	NC17	
N9		NXIX	NC18	
N10		NXX	NC19	
N11		NXXI	NC20	
N12		NXXII	NC21	
		NXXIII	NC22	
		NXXIV	NC23	
		NXXV	NC24	
		NXXVI	NC25	
		NXXVII	NC26	
		NXXVIII	NC27	
		NXXIX	NC28	

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		NXXX	NC29	
N13	no number	NXXXI	NC30	
		NXXXII	NC31	
		NXXXIII	NC32	
		NXXXIV	NC33	
		NXXXV	NC34	
		NXXXVI	NC35	
		NXXXVII	NC36	
		NXXXVIII	NC37	
		NXXXIX	NC38	
		NXL	NC39	
		NXLI	NC40	
		NXLII	NC41	
		NXLIII	NC42	
		NXLIV	NC43	
		NXLV	NC44	
		NXLVI	NC45	
		SII	SC1	
		SIII	SC2	
		SIV	SC3	
		SV	SC4	
		SVI	SC5	
S2		SVII	SC6	
S3		SVIII	SC7	
		SIX	SC8	
		SX	SC9	
		SXI	SC10	
		SXII	SC11	
S4		SXIII	SC12	
S5		SXIV	SC13	
S6		SXV	SC14	
		SXVI	SC15	
		SXVII	SC16	
		SXVIII	SC17	
		SXIX	SC18	
		SXX	SC19	
		SXXI	SC20	
S7		SXXII	SC21	
S8		SXXIII	SC22	
S9		SXXIV	SC23	
S10		SXXV	SC24	
S11		SXXVI	SC25	
		SXXVII	SC26	
		SXXVIII	SC27	

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		SXXIX	SC28	
		SXXX	SC29	
		SXXXI	SC30	
		SXXXII	SC31	
		SXXXIII	SC32	
		SXXXIV	SC33	
S12	no number	SXXXV	ST54	
		SXXXVI	SC34	
		SXXXVII	SC35	
		SXXXVIII	SC36	
		SXXXIX	SC37	
		SXL	SC38	
		SXLI	SC39	
S13		SXLII	SC40	
S14		SXLIII	SC41	
		SXLIV	SC42	
		SXLV	SC43	
		SXLVI	SC44	
		SXLVII	SC45	
		SXLVIII	SC46	
		SXLIX	SC47	
		SL	SC48	
WI		WI	W2	
			ER1	
			NR1	
			NR2	
			NR3	
N2, N3, N4			NR4	the three lancets above NXI and NXII
			NR5	
			NR6	
			NR7	
			NR8	
			NR9	
			NR10	
			NR11	
			NR12	
			NR13	
			NR14	
			NR15	
			NR16	
			NR17	
			NR18	
			NR19	

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			NR20	
			NR21	
			NR22	
			NR23	
			NR24	
			NR25	
			NR26	
			NR27	
			NR28	
			NR29	
			NR30	
			NR31	
			NR32	
			NR33	
			NR34	
			NR35	
			NR36	
			SR1	
			SR2	
			SR3	
			SR4	
			SR5	
			SR6	
			SR7	
			SR8	
			SR9	
			SR10	
			SR11	
			SR12	
			SR13	
			SR14	
			SR15	
			SR16	
			SR17	
			SR18	
			SR19	
			SR20	
			SR21	
			SR22	
			SR23	
			SR24	
			SR25	
			SR26	
			SR27	
			SR28	

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			SR29	
			SR30	
			SR31	
			SR32	
			SR33	
			SR34	
			SR35	
			SR36	
			SR37	
			SR38	above consistory court, not in main roof
		CHnIX	CH1	
		CHnVIII	CH2	
		CHnVII	CH3	
		CHnVI	CH4	
		CHnV	CH5	
		CHnV	CH6	
		CHnIV	CH7	
		CHnIV	CH8	
		CHnIII	CH9	
		CHnIII	CH10	
		CHnII	CH11	
		CHnII	CH12	
		CHI	CH13	
		CHI	CH14	
		CHsII	CH15	
		CHsII	CH16	
		CHsIII	CH17	
		CHsIII	CH18	
		CHsIV	CH19	
		CHsIV	CH20	
		CHsV	CH21	
		CHsV	CH22	
		CHsVI	CH23	
		CHsVII	CH24	
		CHsVIII	CH25	
		CHsIX	CH26	
		CHwI	CH27	
		CHwI	CH28	
			CH29	numbers CH29–51 may change in the future
			CH30	
			CH31	
			CH32	
			CH33	

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			CH34	
			CH35	
			CH36	
			CH37	
			CH38	
			CH39	
			CH40	
			CH41	
			CH42	
			CH43	
			CH44	
			CH45	
			CH46	
			CH47	
			CH48	
			CH49	
			CH50	
			CH51	