The OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging service allows libraries to access WorldCat to search and retrieve MARC records for cataloging, edit records in their local systems, and set holding information in WorldCat.

- Get started
  - [No image available](https://help.oclc.org/Metadata_Services/Z3950_Cataloging)
  - Get started with the OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging service.
    - About Z39.50 Cataloging
    - Configuration guide for OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging
    - Get started with OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging

- Use Z39.50 Cataloging
  - [No image available](https://help.oclc.org/Metadata_Services/Z3950_Cataloging)
  - Find search tips and steps for database update implementation.
    - Database update implementation for OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging: Extended Service Definition
    - Search tips for OCLC Z39.50 Authorities
    - Search tips for OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging

- Troubleshooting
  - [No image available](https://help.oclc.org/Metadata_Services/Z3950_Cataloging)
  - Find frequently asked questions (FAQ) and troubleshooting steps (Troubleshooting).
    - Can I access authority files with this service?
    - Can I display holdings information for individual items?
    - Can I edit/delete full records?
    - Can I use CJK or other non-Latin alphabet software?
    - Can my library use RCON and search-only authorizations?
    - Does this service provide access to other OCLC databases?
    - For authentication it says that "The service patron password is the password that must be used".
    - How does OCLC Z39.50 Cataloging compare to OCLC Connexion?
    - How do member libraries delete holdings?
    - How do member libraries set holdings?
    - Unable to download single bibliographic record from Z39.50 cataloging to Alma
What are the URL addresses for Z39.50 access?