WorldShare Record Manager

WorldShare Record Manager allows you to create new and enrich existing items in WorldCat with efficient, record-at-a-time metadata management for your physical and electronic materials using either a MARC 21 editor or a Text View editor. Plus, with Record Manager, you can set and delete WorldCat holdings and export bibliographic records.

Get started

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Record Manager preferences

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- Working with records

Search

https://help.oclc.org/Metadata_Services/WorldShare_Record_Manager

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Record Manager provides a variety of methods to search and browse WorldCat holdings. You can also set your search preferences to suppress authority and bibliographic search scopes and indexes.

- Advanced
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• Authority records

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Record Manager supports the following authority records: Library of Congress, Medical Subject Headings (MeSH), Dutch (NTA), Māori, and German (GND).

- Work with authority records
- Export authority records
- Record Manager Authorities Guide
- Keyboard shortcuts for authority records

• Bibliographic records

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Record Manager allows you to create new and enrich existing items in WorldCat using either a MARC 21 editor or a Text View editor.

- MARC 21 view
- Export MARC 21 records
- Text view
- Bulk actions

• Constant data

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With Record Manager, create constant data records for bibliographic and local holdings records to develop and maintain standards for use in all bibliographic or local holdings records, certain collections, or specific types of resources.

- Bibliographic
- Local holdings records
• **Field strings**

  When you are editing a MARC 21 WorldCat record or LBD information, you can save frequently used variable field information as a string that can be copied to other fields.

• **Labels**

  You can create spine labels from information in an MARC 21 WorldCat bibliographic record or a local holdings records. Your list of labels is only viewable by you and not by other users in your institution.
  
  - Add records to a label print list
  - Delete records from label print list
  - Edit a spine label
  - Preview labels
  - Print labels
  - Select starting position for a label print job

• **Local bibliographic data**

  Using local bibliographic data (LBD), you can add local information to a bibliographic record that is specific to your institution’s title; however, other institutions will not be able to see that information in the MARC 21 WorldCat record and your users will only see your institution’s LBD.
  
  - Bulk actions for local bibliographic data
  - Work with local bibliographic data

• **Local holdings records**

  Using Record Manager, you can create and edit WorldCat local holdings records (LHRs). LHRs provide information about your item-specific holdings as well as lending and reproduction policies.
  
  - Work with local holdings records

• **Text strings**

  When you are editing a MARC 21 WorldCat record or local bibliographic data information, you can save frequently used variable information as a string that can be copied to other fields.

• **Reference**

  Additional resources for WorldShare Record Manager.

  [https://help.oclc.org/Metadata_Services/WorldShare_Record_Manager](https://help.oclc.org/Metadata_Services/WorldShare_Record_Manager)
• Brief guidelines for editing and replacing WorldCat master records
• Differences in searching for WorldCat records: Connexion versus WorldShare
• Record Manager setup worksheet for Connexion browser users
• Searching WorldCat indexes: Quick reference
• Working with local bibliographic data

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Find training on WorldShare Record Manager.

◦ Live classes
◦ Editing bibliographic data in WorldShare Record Manager
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• Troubleshooting

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Find frequently asked questions (FAQ) and troubleshooting steps (Troubleshooting).

◦ After I set a WorldCat holding in Record Manager, when can it be viewed in other applications?
A Printbook displays as an Online record, how can I resolve this problem?
Can I delete a WorldCat bibliographic record?
Can Local Bibliographic Data be moved between records?
How can I change the default Label type in Record Manager?
How can I control NTA headings in WorldShare Record Manager?
How do I add Record Manager to my WorldShare account?
How do I get textual holdings information to show in the Holdings Summary?
How do I send a bibliographic record change request?
How do we delete holdings for a closed library?
How do we get our records into WorldCat?
How to remove duplicate item barcodes safely
How to resolve printer label creep?
How to restore an item that was accidentally withdrawn
If I start a record in Record Manager, can I finish editing it in Connexion browser or Connexion?
Is it possible to undo a merge of inappropriately merged records?
I am getting an error message when I try to edit a record in the bibliographic saved in-progress file
I am getting an error message when I try to search for records in the bibliographic saved in-progress file
I cannot submit a Record Change Request. What should I do?
I can't update pcc bibliographic record.
I have had problems using the WorldCat Bibliographic and Authority Record Change Request form to report duplicate errors.
I keep getting a Bib Read Failed Unexpectedly. How can I fix it?
I need the authorities roles added to my WorldShare account
My Online record displays in WorldCat Discovery as Print. How can I resolve this problem?
The Label Print List is showing two labels for each record
The LHR display in Record Manager is not displaying the item's ILL lending status.
The same record is displaying twice in WorldShare Record Manager
We deleted LHRs. This action removed holdings from our collection even though we have holdings set on the titles in the Knowledge Base.
What are the OCLC cataloging rules for full-level records related to ELvl "M" and local data?
When editing the Item Details of a Local Holding Record I get an error in relation to not being able to find the specified holding item
When I try to edit a bib, I get an "unauthorized" message. Is there a reason I can't fix this record?
Why am I getting a validation error on the 040 tag?
Why am I seeing the wrong Local holding code come up in the 049 tag in Record Manager?
Why didn't Record Manager automatically set a WorldCat holding when I added my record?
Why do I see a second copy prefix in my LHR display in Record Manager?
Why is my Holding Code changing when I derive a record?

- Why is the publication information not populating in my record when I switch from MARC 21 view to Text View?

- Will batch deleting a merged OCN that is now in the 019 tag delete my holding on the record that was kept?

- Will my user preferences from Connexion Browser automatically carry over to Record Manager?