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## Overdue fines not created on Lost items although long overdue

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### Problem Symptoms:

Overdue fines are not created on Lost items although long overdue

Table ./xxx50/tab/tab100 has  
LATE-RET-FINE-WHEN-LOST=Y

### Cause:

Configuration change

### Resolution:

no change required.

See additional information for explanation.

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## Additional Information

Option LATE-RET-FINE-WHEN-LOST=Y was only implemented earlier this year.

That means, for lost late returns earlier than this date the return fine was not created.

See also explanation from tab100 header:

! N = When an item is declared lost, do not charge any overdue fines that  
! have been accrued up to this point of time. Do charge the lost-item  
! charges according to the regular tab34 definitions. If the item is later  
! returned, refund the lost-item charges according to the regular  
! LOST-LOAN-CREDIT-METHOD and REFUND-RATE tab100 variables policy.  
! In addition, create overdue fines at this point for the entire overdue period,  
! including the period of time in which the item was declared lost.

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