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## ORA-01033: ORACLE initialization or shutdown in progress

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### Problem Symptoms:

Oracle ran out of space, we added storage and reboot but s+ get the following message:

### ERROR:

ORA-01033: ORACLE initialization or shutdown in progress

Process ID: 0

Session ID: 0 Serial number: 0

The following message appears in oracle logs:

Errors in file /exlibris/app/oracle/diag/rdbms/dps3/dps3/trace/dps3\_ora\_6721.trc:

ORA-10873: file 1 needs to be either taken out of backup mode or media recovered

ORA-01110: data file 1: '/exlibris1/oradata/dps3/dps3\_system01.dbf'

ORA-10873 signalled during: ALTER DATABASE OPEN...

### Cause:

Oracle was restarted during backup

### Resolution:

In sqlplus:

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alter database end backup;
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alter database open;
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