
Do we need the z403 table if we don't have ADAM?

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Description:

We have not purchased ADAM and are not considering purchasing the product.

Can we omit z403 from our bib library file_list's?

Resolution:

Though the Tables document describes the z403 as being only for ADAM, it is also used in the ALEPH edit_doc_999 for Electronic Resource links:

M - Electronic resource link

! - in effect only if the field contains

! subfield "u"

! - uses col.3 of tab_buf_z403 instead of

! cols.3,4 and 6 of edit_doc_999 for

(tab_buf_z403 generates z403 records.)

If you have type "M" entries specified in edit_doc_999 and fields for those entries containing subfield "u", it would seem that you should have a z403 table defined for the xxx01 library. In any case, its presence shouldn't hurt anything.

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