
Fine/fee schedule

- **Product:** Aleph
 - **Product Version:** 20, 21, 22, 23
 - **Relevant for Installation Type:** Dedicated-Direct, Direct, Local, Total Care
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Question

Is there a report (or can it be created in SQL) of the fine/fee schedule for a sublibrary's items? The information needed would include:

material (ex. Textbook)
item status (ex. 53)
time limit (ex. 4 hour)
hourly fine (ex. \$1.20 for every open hour)
daily fine (ex. \$.50)
max fine (ex. \$100.00)
replacement cost (ex. Varies or \$399.00)

Answer

1. SQL operates against Oracle tables and this data is in the Aleph (u-tree) files, not in any Oracle table.
2. Though there may be a connection between the "material" and the item status, the z30_material does not enter into fine calculation.
3. These are the tab16 columns which do:

tab16 col.

2 Item status
6 time limit (days)
9 time limit (hours)
11 daily fine*
23 max fine

*The hourly fine is obtained by dividing the daily fine by 24.

The replacement cost is in the xxx50 \$data_tab tab18.eng and tab34. Article 000043054 ("How are Lost item charges calculated? **MASTER RECORD**") (see smart link below) describes how it is calculated.

A (locally-written) script might read tab16 and output the above columns to a spreadsheet, but that doesn't seem feasible

for the replacement cost.

Additional Info / Related Articles

See also, Article "How are Lost item charges calculated? **MASTER RECORD**"

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