
"Update Inventory" skips portfolios - why?

- **Product:** Alma
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Question

Testing an "Update Inventory" import profile in order to update portfolios - portfolios are skipped with the error "portfolios skipped (profile not allowing)". Why doesn't the profile update the portfolios?

Answer

There isn't a match between the portfolio type definition in the import profile, and the actual portfolios type. Update Inventory will show this error in these conditions:

- If the existing portfolio is a **standalone** portfolio and the Update Inventory profile is configured with the option **Part of an electronic collection** (in the Inventory Information tab).
- If the existing portfolio is **part of an electronic collection** and the Update Inventory profile is configured with the option **Standalone** (in the Inventory Information tab).

Note: When **Part of an electronic collection** is selected and the profile is run on portfolios linked to that collection, new portfolios could be added to that collection and PO line.

Additional Information

Click here for more about "[Managing Import Profiles](#)".

Other tips mentioned in: "[Update Inventory](#)" [doesn't update item barcodes, proxy information, etc.](#)

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