



Voyager 10.2 Release Notes

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Introduction

Voyager 10.2 offers customers new features that enrich existing functionality, improve services to users, and conform to the latest MARC 21 standards.

Purpose of This Document

This document lists the various enhancements and changes that are new in Voyager 10.2. You can find them listed under the following topics:

- [General](#) on page [8](#)
 - [Acquisitions](#) on page [10](#)
 - [Cataloging](#) on page [12](#)
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 - [System Administration](#) on page [18](#)
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Voyager 10.2 Documentation

The following is a list of the primary documentation for Voyager 10.2:

- The Road to Voyager 10.2
- Voyager 10.2 Release Notes
- Voyager 10.2 Installation and Upgrade Requirements
- Voyager 10.2 User's Guides

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General

This section includes the following enhancement:

- [Warning Message When Closing Clients](#)

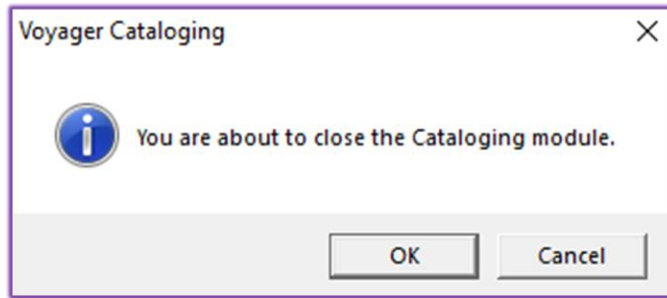
Warning Message When Closing Clients

Purpose of the Enhancement

A new preference has been added to the Voyager clients to provide an optional warning message before closing the clients.

Description

A new user preference has been added to the Voyager clients that provides a warning message to the user before the client is closed. This optional setting is controlled individually within each Voyager staff client. When the session preference is enabled, the user will see a warning message, like the one here from the Cataloging module:



The user can cancel the action, or press enter or click the OK button to close the module.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the following Voyager 10.2 User's Guides for more information:

- *Voyager 10.2 Acquisitions User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Call Slip User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Cataloging User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Circulation User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Global Data Change User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Media Scheduling User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Media System Administration User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 Reporter User's Guide*
- *Voyager 10.2 System Administration User's Guide*

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Acquisitions

This section includes the following enhancement:

- [Add Title to Quick Line Item Form](#)

Add Title to Quick Line Item Form

Purpose of the Enhancement

The purpose of this enhancement is to consistently display the title on the Quick Line Item form for purchase orders and invoices.

Description

In previous releases of Voyager, the Quick Line Item form sometimes displayed the title, and sometimes it didn't. Starting with this release, the title of the item will always be displayed on the Quick Line Item form when the form is displayed.

Quick Line Item For Purchase Orders

Prize stories : the O. Henry awards.

List Price:

PrePay Amount per copy:

Intended Location:

Number of Copies:

Link to Holdings:

Ship To:

QuickLineItem - Invoice

Prize stories : the O. Henry awards.

Price:

Number of copies:

Ledger:

Fund:

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Cataloging

This section includes the following enhancements:

- [Update MARC Code for Countries](#)
- [MARC 21 Tag Table Updates](#)
- [Headings Thesauri Updates](#)

Update MARC Code for Countries

Purpose of the Enhancement

Three new country codes were implemented in the MARC 21 tag tables and search limits in Voyager.

Description

Three new country codes have been approved for use in the MARC Code List for Countries.

In the MARC Code List for Countries, Guernsey, Isle of Man, and Jersey were previously coded as “uik”. Each of these geographical locations now has its own code.

The new codes have been added to Voyager:

- Misc folder in the Voyager clients: Limits.ini
- TagTable folder in the Voyager clients: Country.cfg
- WebVoyage configuration files: limits.xml

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to http://www.loc.gov/marc/countries/cou_changes_new.html for more information.

MARC 21 Tag Table Updates

Purpose of the Enhancement

The MARC 21 tag tables have been updated based on recent changes to the MARC standard.

Description

The MARC 21 tag tables have been updated as a result of MARC 21 Update 26 (April 2018) and MARC 21 Update 27 (November 2018).

Files Updated		
Amarc0xx.cfg	Bmarc0xx.cfg	Bmarc2xx.cfg
Bmarc3xx.cfg	Bmarc5xx.cfg	Bmarc7xx.cfg
Bmarcfix.cfg	Hmarcfix.cfg	Master.cfg
Country.cfg	Limits.ini	Limits.xml

Implementation Notes

Tag table changes were implemented for MARC 21 bibliographic, holdings, and authority records.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to <http://www.loc.gov/marc/status.html> for more information.

Headings Thesauri Updates

Purpose of the Enhancement

The HEADING_TYPE table has been updated with the latest additions and changes to thesaurus names.

Description

Additional headings thesauri have been added to the HEADING_TYPE table based on approved changes published between August 25, 2017 and March 27, 2019.

Implementation Notes

The new headings types are suppressed by default. Libraries who want to use a particular thesaurus or thesauri will need to unsuppress it via System Administration.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to <http://www.loc.gov/marc/marcginf.html> for more information.

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Circulation

This section includes the following enhancements:

- [Printing Receipts from the Charged Items Index](#)
- [Purge Circulation Transaction History by Transaction Age](#)

Printing Receipts from the Charged Items Index

Purpose of the Enhancement

A new receipt option has been added to the Charged Items Index window to print receipts only when needed.

Description

A new “Renew with Receipt” button has been added to the Charged Items Index to allow the operator to renew items and print a renewal receipt. If a receipt is not needed, the operator can renew items using the “Renew Only” button and a receipt will not be printed.

Charged Items Index

Mike Dicus Total: 4

Title	Call Number	Item Location	Item Type	Item Barcode	Due Date	Status
Algebra and trigonometry / James Stewart, Lothar Redlin, Saleem Watson.	QA152.2 .S737 2001	Main Stacks	BOOK		8/27/2019 02:00 AM	Charged 8/21/2019
Chemistry : a conceptual approach / Charles E. Mortimer.	QD31.2 .M65 1979	Main Stacks	BOOK	08265	8/27/2019 02:00 AM	Charged 8/21/2019
Chemistry [by] J. V. Quagliano and L. M. Vallarino.	QD31 .Q2 1969	Main Stacks	BOOK	00298	8/27/2019 02:00 AM	Charged 8/21/2019
Harry Potter and philosophy / edited by David Baggett, Shawn Klein, William Irwin.		Main Stacks	BOOK	666777	8/28/2019 03:00 AM	Renewed 8/20/2019

Implementation Notes

To use this option, the module or session preferences must allow the printing of due date slips. If due date slips are disabled, the “Renew with Receipt” button is disabled.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 Circulation User’s Guide* for more information.

Purge Circulation Transaction History by Transaction Age

Purpose of the Enhancement

A new option has been added to the Circulation batch jobs to purge patron information from circulation transaction history based on transaction age.

Description

A new parameter (-A) has been added to Circjob 38 (Retain Patron IDs). This new parameter allows the user to specify the number of days to retain patron IDs for circulation transactions.

<input checked="" type="radio"/> Retain Patron IDs	Please select retain patron IDs option: <input type="radio"/> By number of IDs <input checked="" type="radio"/> By number of days Number of days to retain: <input style="width: 80px;" type="text"/>
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Implementation Notes

Circjob 38 requires either -T or -A in order to function. A numeric value must be supplied as input for either parameter. This feature may also be initiated using the WebAdmin interface or via command line on the Voyager server.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 Technical User's Guide* for more information.

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System Administration

This section includes the following enhancements:

- [System Administration Privileges to Change Passwords](#)
- [Warning Message When Locations Used in a Ledger](#)
- [Warning Message When Default Patron Record Dates are in the Past](#)

System Administration Privileges to Change Passwords

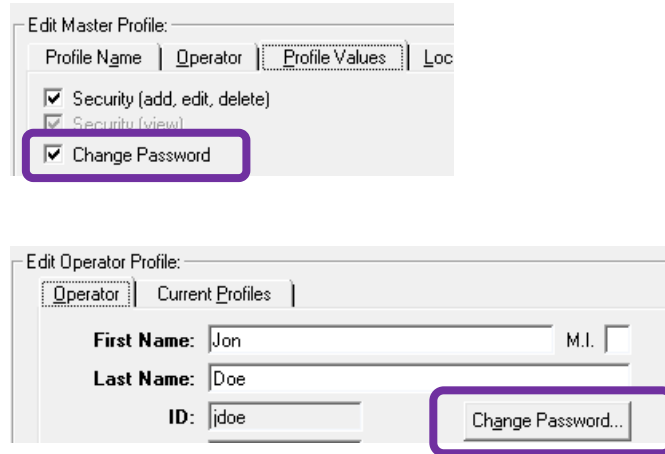
Purpose of the Enhancement

The “Change password” privilege has been separated from other user privileges in System Administration.

Description

The “Change password” operator privilege has been separated from other user privileges in order to allow libraries to create a user profile that only allows system administrators to change staff user passwords.

When displaying the profile for a staff operator, if the new “Change Password” privilege is enabled for the logged in user, the “Change Password...” button will be displayed. If the “Change Password” privilege is disabled for the logged in user, the “Change Password...” button will be hidden.



Implementation Notes

Upon upgrade, the new profile value will automatically be turned on for any "Master Profiles" that have "Security (add, edit, delete)" turned on. This preserves existing functionality in Voyager System Administration.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 System Administration User's Guide* for more information.

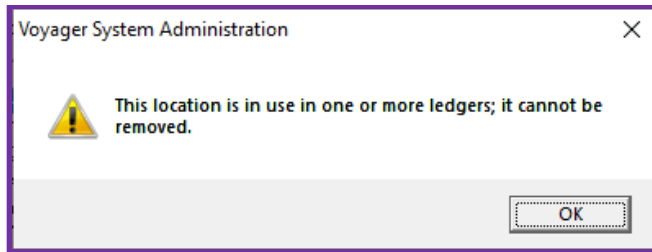
Warning Message When Locations Used in a Ledger

Purpose of the Enhancement

Voyager will display a message when a system administrator tries to remove locations from an Acquisitions Policy Group if the locations are used in a ledger.

Description

Voyager will display a message when a system administrator tries to remove locations from an Acquisitions Policy Group if the locations are used in a ledger.



Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 System Administration User's Guide* for more information.

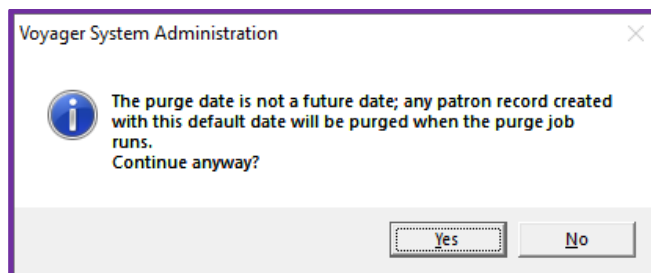
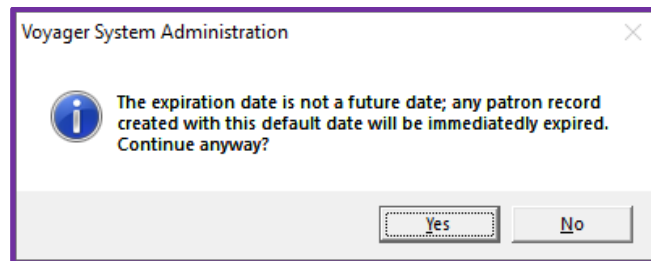
Warning Message When Default Patron Record Dates are in the Past

Purpose of the Enhancement

The system administrator will see a warning message if he sets the default patron expiration date or patron purge date to a past date.

Description

Voyager will display a warning message to the user if he sets the default patron expiration date or the default patron purge date to a date in the past.



The operator may continue to set the default date to a historical date if necessary. Default patron expiration and purge dates are used only when creating a patron record manually in the Voyager Circulation client.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 System Administration User's Guide* for more information.

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WebVoyage

This section includes the following enhancement:

- [Display Index Column in Search Results](#)

Display Index Column in Search Results

Purpose of the Enhancement

The search terms entered in the search field can now be displayed with the search results in the OPAC.

Description

In Classic WebVoyage, the search index column can be displayed in the search results as one of the display fields. This feature has now been added to the new WebVoyage UI introduced with Voyager 7.0.

Titles
 Database: My Library Catalog
 2 results found
 Left Anchored Title(all the kings men)
 [Edit Search] [Save Search]

[Print] [Export] [Add to List] → Select Page All

1 [Book Icon] **All the king's men / Warren, Robert Penn, 1905-**
All the king's men / by Robert Penn Warren.
 Southern Living Gallery,
 PS3545.A748 A7 1984b
 ✓available, Main Collection

2 [Book Icon] **All the king's men [videorecording] /**
All the king's men [videorecording] / Columbia Pictures Corporation.
 RCA/Columbia Pictures Home Video,
 A4167
 ✓available, OPAC Media Department

[Print] [Export] [Add to List] → Select Page All

Titles
 Database: My Library Catalog
 2 results found
 Left Anchored Title(大金集禮)
 [Edit Search] [Save Search]

[Print] [Export] [Add to List] → Select Page All

1 [Book Icon] **大金集禮 : [40 卷] / Zhang, Wei.**
 Da jin ji li : [40 juan] / (Jin) Zhang Wei deng zhuan. [txt n nc]
 [publisher not identified],
 D862.057 C36
 ✓available, Reserve Desk

2 [Book Icon] **大金集禮 : [40 卷] / Zhang, Wei.**
 Da jin ji li : [40 juan] / (Jin) Zhang Wei deng zhuan. [txt n nc]
 [publisher not identified],
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[Print] [Export] [Add to List] → Select Page All

Implementation Notes

In order for the search terms to be displayed in the results, “Show Index Column With Search Result” must be checked on the Search Results tab for the index in Voyager’s System Administration module.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 System Administration User’s Guide* for more information.

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Hardware/Software Requirements

This section includes the following enhancement:

- [Oracle 19](#)
- [Oracle 12c Client and ODBC Drivers](#)
- [Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7](#)
- [Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6](#)
- [Solaris Support](#)
- [Windows 7 Support](#)

Oracle 19

Description

Oracle has been upgraded to Oracle 19c.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 Installation and Upgrade Requirements* for more information.

Oracle 12c Client and ODBC Drivers

Description

As a result of the upgrade to Oracle 19, new ODBC drivers are required for this version of Voyager. A new ODBC installation package has been created for the Oracle 12c client and ODBC drivers.

This new ODBC installation package now works with MS Access, 64-bit. MS Access, 32-bit is also still supported. You should install the ODBC drivers that are compatible with your version of Microsoft Office/MS Access (32-bit or 64-bit).

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the Voyager article titled [Installation and Configuration of ODBC for Voyager \(32 or 64 bit\)](#) on the Ex Libris Knowledge Center for more information.

Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7

Description

Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.4 or later (64-bit) is required for Voyager 10.2.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to the *Voyager 10.2 Installation and Upgrade Requirements* for more information.

Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6

Description

We are unable to release this version of Voyager on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6. You must migrate Voyager to a Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.4 server or later to run this release. Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 end-of-support is 30 November 2020.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to *Supported Software and PC Requirements* for more information.

Solaris Support

Description

We are unable to release this version of Voyager on Solaris. You must migrate Voyager to a Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.4 server or later to run this release. Solaris 10 end-of-support is January 2021.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to *Supported Software and PC Requirements* for more information.

Windows 7 Support

Description

Windows 7 end-of-support is 14 January 2020. Best effort support for running Voyager clients on Windows 7 will continue after this date, but no new patches or hot fixes will be released to enable this platform. You are strongly encouraged to upgrade staff computers to Windows 10 as soon as possible.

Reference to Technical Documentation

Refer to *Supported Software and PC Requirements* for more information.