



Content Operations

Dear colleagues,



As the first month of 2023 ended, I'm glad to announce that we have corrected and aligned most of the 506 fields in Alma. This will improve the indication of Open Access content, which gradually grows and impacts the library holdings and content retrieval.



We are also happy to present the latest update for the Data Excellence initiative. One of the main tracks focused on the quality of the bibliographic records in the CZ. We singled out highly activated ebook collections, that their titles had brief bibliographic records. Our goal was to enrich the bibliographic record, and thus improving retrieval, deduping and linking.

Among the enriched collections are:



- Ebook Central
- Elsevier ScienceDirect Books
- Walter De Gruyter Books
- Several Knovel Books collections
- DOAB and Oopen
- NCBI Bookshelf
- InTech Books Free

These are only part of the ebook collections we have enriched during 2022.

Here are some of the next ebook collections providers we plan to enrich: McGraw Hill, American Mathematical Society, WorldBank E library, Books24x7, and Vandenhoeck and Ruprecht.

We hope you will feel the difference, and enjoy the better metadata we are striving to deliver.

If you have any comments or feedback on this newsletter, please feel free to reach out to me directly.

Best,
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We are pleased to inform you of a new improved workflow to add peer review indications for CDI records. This project has been one of the CDI advisory group initiatives, and we are thankful for their input.

To increase the number of peer review indicators, we found reliable resources (other than Ulrich) such as Eric, Erau digitalcommons, AlMandhuma and others.

Thanks to these resources, we have added peer review indicators to more than 45 million records in CDI. Thus, improving retrieval and increasing the number of peer reviewed resources displayed for your users.

I am also pleased to present our [Q1 2023 content roadmap highlights](#) – you are welcome to get a glimpse of our plans for new content until March 2023.

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