

Parallel Sessions B
B3 - Steps Towards the Electronic Library

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Impact of Bibliographic Management Tools

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A growing number of full-text online journals provide easy download formats for citation management in personal databases. Will this feature promote the use of the reference in future publications? To what extent can we expect a growing use of book references if bibliographic references can be downloaded from the library catalogue into the personal filing systems? And what about the use of book chapters? In december 2001/january 2002 a new catalogue system will be implemented for this institute, with both browser interface for access as well as Z39.50 compliancy towards the bibliographic management tool. A comparison and evaluation will be made of different access modes and user preferences.

This project depends on the succesful and timely implementation of the new catalogue system. Submission of this presentation is therefore with reservation.