SOFTWARE BASED AUTOMATION TOOLS FOR LIBRARY MANAGEMENT

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ABSTRACT

Automating the processes of acquisition, cataloguing, and circulation is a major benefit of library automation software. They are able to better service their customers because of it. It is also much simpler to discover books and keep track of the stockpile arrangement when a library management software solution is used in schools or colleges or institutions. The library's book collection will benefit from this, as librarians will be able to remove obsolete titles and replace them with newer editions, ensuring the long-term viability of the collection. In order to keep track of its assets and members, libraries depend on library management systems (LMS). A library's inventory, loans, and memberships are all managed via library management systems. These systems may occasionally be used to handle many physical locations' worth of materials. This sort of software may be utilised by libraries in both public and private educational institutions. Management systems in libraries are used by both library users and library personnel to keep track of materials acquired, catalogued, and kept in stock.

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