

AFO 431 – Borrower maintenance

431.1 Introduction

Using AFO 431, you can maintain the administration of the borrowers of your library. The primary options of the borrower administration are the entry, modification and deletion of borrower records. Within the borrower administration, the membership fee is collected and a number of relevant options are given, such as registration of deposits and duplicate membership cards, printing borrower labels and viewing the loan history and status of a borrower.

These options often depend on the configuration of your system. Some parameters are also dependent on the settings chosen when setting up your system.

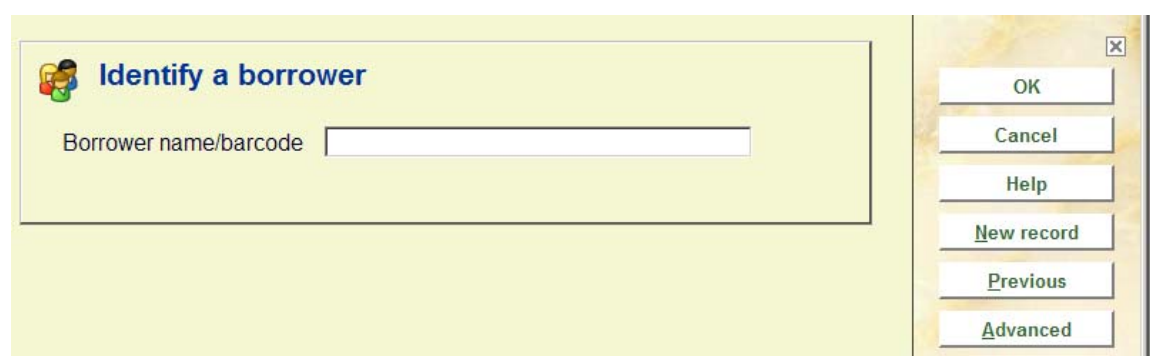
Please note!

On all options available in the borrower administration, a password security can be installed. As a result, selective access can be given to certain fields or activities. If you are not authorised for a certain activity, the system will display an error message.

In this Help file we assume you are authorised to perform all functions.

431.2 Add a new borrower

After choosing this option the following search form will be displayed:



The screenshot shows a web-based search form titled "Identify a borrower". The form contains a text input field for "Borrower name/barcode". To the right of the input field is a vertical column of buttons: "OK", "Cancel", "Help", "New record", "Previous", and "Advanced". The "New record" button is highlighted with a blue background, indicating it is the selected option.

Click on **New record**, After which the following form will be displayed:



Borrower's barcode : Enter a unique number (barcode) here. A barcode can be scanned or typed in.

Note

If the number is already in use, the system will display an error message. You will have to assign a different number.

Automatic: Choose this option to have the system assign a (barcode) number for the borrower.

Note

When you have multiple custom barcode formats, it is not possible to have the system automatically generate a new number.

In both cases the following entry form will be displayed:

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Enter new membership record '2008453'

Institution/Location

Name

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name prefix

Prefix/title

Suffix/title

Date of birth

Gender

Line 1

Line 2

Line 3

Line 4

Line 5

Place/city/town

County/state/province

Postcode

Country code

Phone no.

Email

Mobile no.

District

Statistical category

Loan history Yes No

Borrower category

Expiry date

Save settings

OK
Cancel
Help

Note

- Which fields are displayed here depends on the parameter settings in AFO 482 – Circulation parameters : Borrowers – Data to be entered. The system supports more than 250 data elements, divided into 24 groups (like Identity, Address, Preferences, etc). The order of these fields is also determined by parameters.
- In some fields you can enter text, for others you must choose from a dropdown list.

- Data already entered is determined by parameter settings in AFO 482 – Circulation parameters : Borrowers – Borrower Defaults and default settings in AFO 482 – Circulation parameters : Borrowers –Borrower Definition Settings.
- The name of a borrower can consist of multiple subfields, but note that the old structure (i.e. one field for the name, containing both surname and first name) is still available.

Field	Examples
Title	Mr, Miss, Mrs, Ms, Dr, Prof..... etc
First name	John
Middle name	Philip
Prefix	van der
Last name	Velden
Suffix	III, Jr, “of that ilk”

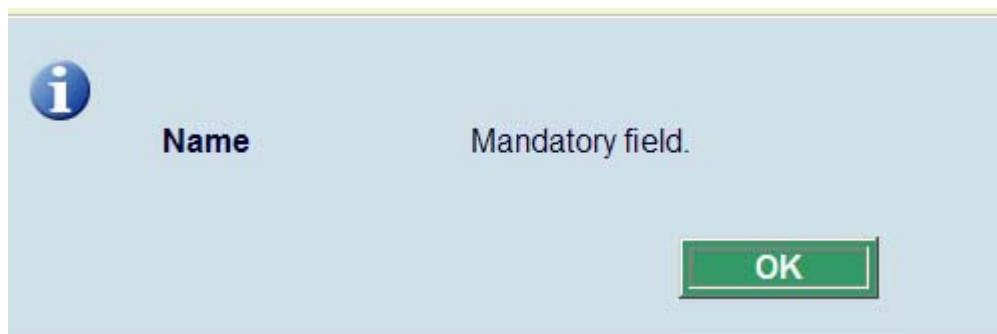
- Up to 10 addresses can be stored in each borrower record.
- For each address multiple phone numbers can be stored. Each address can also have its own email address.
- Addresses can be time dependent. This allows e.g. that notices are sent to a different address during vacation time.
- Address fields can store up to (at least) 5 lines of free form address, as well as Town/City, State/County, Country and Postcode/zipcode
- Borrower records can be linked, so that a guarantor’s identity can be stored in a borrower record. The guarantor’s address can then be used to send (e.g.) overdue notices, bills, etc. Typical examples of guarantors are: parents (children), tutors (students), commanding officers (soldiers), etc.

- All kinds of preferences can now be stored in the borrower record. These include, but are not restricted to, religion, profession, reading preferences, ethnic origin, and others..
- Up to 20 additional fields can be added to a borrower record.

The following fields are mandatory, irrespective of library defined parameters:

- barcode
- institution
- location
- name

If required the library can also designate other fields as being mandatory. When a mandatory field has not been entered, a warning is displayed:



After entering the required data and clicking **OK**, the overview screen with details of the new borrower will be displayed. If a registration fee is required, this will be shown immediately as an outstanding debt.

Note

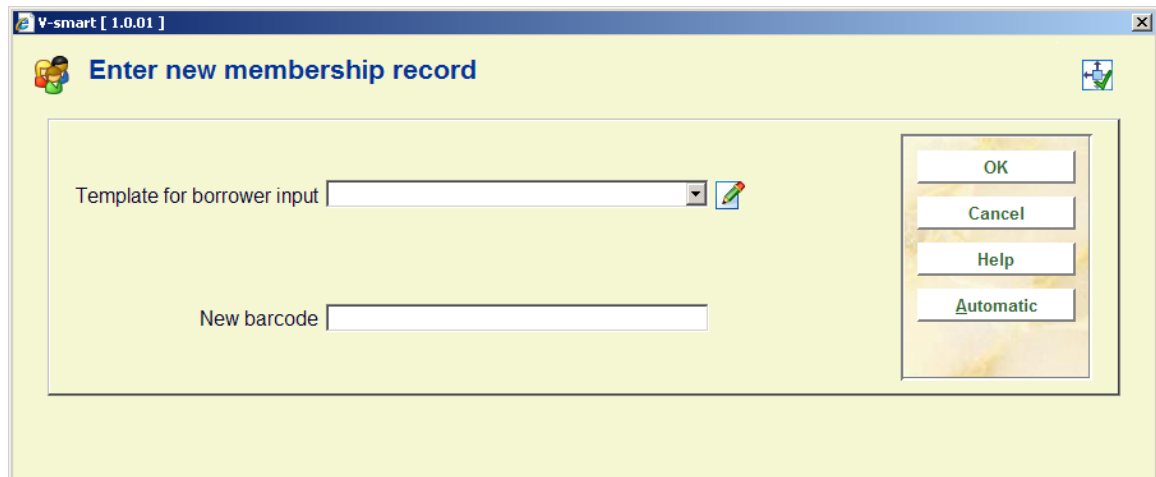
When your library has eID (Electronic Identification) enabled it is **NOT** possible to use the automatic postcode feature. This should not be a problem however, as the correct postcode is contained in the eID. See the separate [documentation on eID](#) (in the General section) for more information.

See the next sections for a description of fields and options on the overview screen.

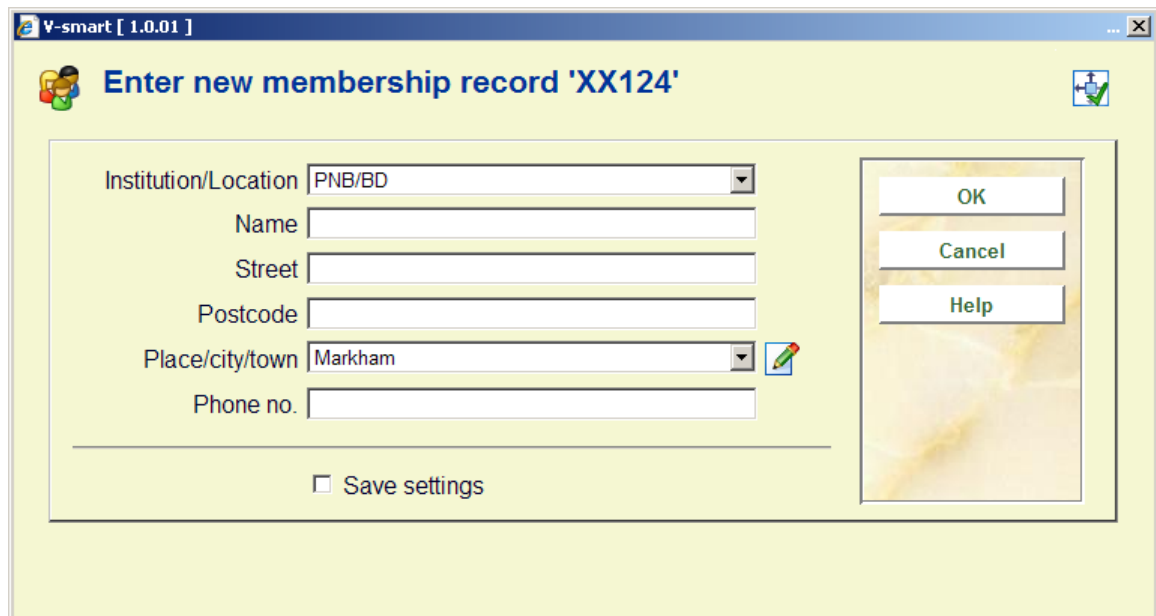
431.2.1 Templates

It is also possible to use templates to facilitate the entry of new borrowers. These templates are defined in AFO 482 – Templates for borrower input.

When templates are in use, the input form for a new borrower will look like this:



Select a template from the dropdown list. After entering a new barcode and clicking **OK**, or after selecting **Automatic**, the selected template will be displayed:



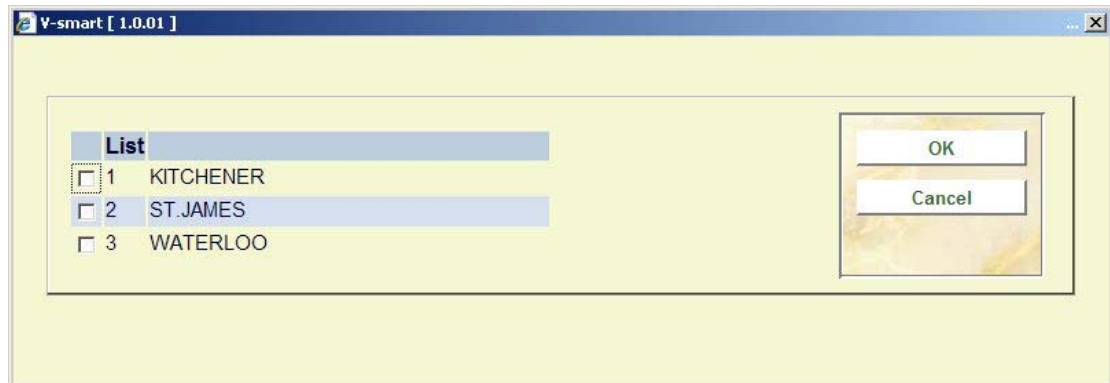
431.2.2 Postcodes

You can input a postcode in the brief entry form or template when adding a new borrower.

When the parameter **Postcode can contain multiple places** in AFO 482 – Postcode activated is ON and postcodes linked to multiple cities have been defined in AFO 482 – Postcode table, the system will check for the cities associated with the postcode entered. There is a List button available next to the Place/city/town field. Clicking on this button will bring up the list of cities associated with the post code entered:



A screenshot of a web form. On the left, there is a text input field with the placeholder text "Place/city/town". To the right of the input field is a rectangular button labeled "List".



Select a city from the list and continue entering the borrower's details.

When modifying the address details of a borrower in AFO 431, the List button will also be available next to the Place/city/town field of the borrower's Home address.

431.3 Identifying a borrower

Borrowers can be identified by a system number which is the *original number*. This is added to the borrower record if you add a new borrower with the **Automatic** barcode facility. Infor recommends that you use only valid borrower card barcodes when you add new borrowers. This will be the *original barcode*. If you have to replace the borrower card then the new barcode will become the *current barcode*.

The system will recognise the original number, the original barcode and the current barcode.

When you search for a borrower you can always search by borrower barcode, or by borrower name. If you select a borrower by name, a list with borrowers will almost always be displayed. Select a borrower from this list. The **Identify a borrower** window is displayed for a Simple search in a number of Circulation AFO's:

Identify a borrower

Borrower name/barcode

OK
Cancel
Help
New record
Previous
Advanced

When you click on **Advanced**, a detailed search screen is shown. Which indexes are offered here depends on parameter settings in AFO 481 --General – Miscellaneous – Circulation workflow – Borrowers.

Identify a borrower

Borrower name/barcode

Date of birth + surname

Surname + street

Word from corporation

Postcode + surname

Postcode + house number

City + surname

Surname + city

Street + surname

Postcode + date of birth

Identification Id 1

Identification Id 2

Telephone number

Email address

OK
Cancel
Help
New record
Previous

Enter the desired search string and click **OK**. Separate each component by a vertical bar (Example: Bristol|Niblett). You must enter the first element in full but the second element can be a partial entry.

Note

When your library has eID (Electronic Identification) enabled it is also possible to identify a borrower by scanning their eID card. See the separate [documentation on eID](#) (in the General section) for more information.

When there is more than 1 match, a summary screen will be displayed:

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "V-smart [2.0.01] - Windows Internet Explorer". The interface includes a header with user information: "Id: 1.23002/4712 User: Tineke Location: PNB/BD AFO: 431". Below the header is a navigation bar with icons for back, home, help, and search. The main content area displays a table with 12 columns: Barcode, Name, Status, Location, Category, Expiry date, Current number of reservations, Last loan date, Unpaid balance, Current number of loans, and Phone. The table lists 18 borrower records, each with a checkbox in the first column. The records include names like Jansen, A.B., Jansen, A.E.M., Jansen, A.W., Jansen, B.E.M., Jansen, Betsie, Jansen, C., Jansen, C.M., Jansen, Chantal, Jansen, E., Jansen, F.G.M., Jansen, F.W.M., Jansen, H.P.M.G., Jansen, H.G., Jansen, J.H., Jansen, JHAM, Jansen, K.W., Jansen, Kim, and Jansen, L.J.N.

	Barcode	Name	Status	Location	Category	Expiry date	Current number of reservations	Last loan date	Unpaid balance	Current number of loans	Phone
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 20031234	Jansen, A.B.	Complete	PNB/CEN	EPA	01/01/2011	1	22/06/2009	EUR 75.94	1	
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 00020867	Jansen, A.E.M.	Complete	PNB/BD	MIL	20/05/2010	1	21/10/2009	EUR 0.00	5	
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 00021287	Jansen, A.W.	Complete	PNB/BD	RNV	12/06/2009	0	07/08/2009	EUR 15.45	1	
<input type="checkbox"/>	4 900011541	Jansen, B.E.M.	Blocked!, Complete	PNB/BD	EPA	11/05/2010	0	02/07/2009	EUR 88.97	2	0499 473442
<input type="checkbox"/>	5 20040014	Jansen, Betsie	Blocked!, Complete	PNB/CEN	EPA	23/11/2004	0		EUR 9.50	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	6 00010454	Jansen, C.	Complete	PNB/BD	EPA	12/03/1995	2	21/10/2009	EUR 0.00	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	7 00019547	Jansen, C.M.	Complete	PNB/BD	RNV	12/03/2000	0	31/07/2009	EUR 0.00	1	013 4680253
<input type="checkbox"/>	8 200500006	Jansen, Chantal	Blocked!, Complete	PNB/CEN	GS	01/12/2005	0	22/05/2008	EUR 62.15	2	
<input type="checkbox"/>	9 00021121	Jansen, E.	Complete	PNB/BD	RNV	12/03/2010	0	09/11/1998	EUR 0.00	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	10 900004622	Jansen, F.G.M.	Blocked!, Complete	PNB/BD	EPA	22/07/2010	1	17/06/2009	EUR 125.44	2	024 3783400
<input type="checkbox"/>	11 00007237	Jansen, F.W.M.	Complete	PNB/BD	MIL	12/03/2010	0	05/05/1997	EUR 0.00	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	12 900018804	Jansen, H.P.M.G.	Complete	PNB/BD	EPA	01/07/1998	0	29/09/2009	EUR 0.00	0	076 5713225
<input type="checkbox"/>	13 00003178	Jansen, H.G.	Complete	PNB/BD	MIL	12/03/2010	0	12/07/1991	EUR 0.00	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	14 900022888	Jansen, J.H.	Incomplete	PNB/BD	EPA	30/10/1999	0	30/10/1998	EUR 10.00	0	073 6416990
<input type="checkbox"/>	15 00001347	Jansen, JHAM	Incomplete	PNB/BD	RNV	12/03/1993	0	22/10/2009	EUR 0.00	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	16 00014845	Jansen, K.W.	Incomplete	PNB/BD	KCO	12/03/1998	0	01/10/1996	EUR 0.00	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	17 20040021	Jansen, Kim	Blocked!, Complete	PNB/CEN	EPA	28/12/2004	0		EUR 7.50	0	
<input type="checkbox"/>	18 200200214X	Jansen, L.J.N.	Complete	PNB/BD	EPA	04/09/2004	0	06/10/2009	EUR 20.99	4	

With the parameter "Borrower search summary fields (Institution level parameter)" in AFO 481 – Miscellaneous – Circulation workflow – Borrowers you can specify which columns are displayed on this screen and in which order. Therefore this screen can look different from the example above in your situation.

From this screen you can select the right borrower. The overview screen with details of the borrower is shown. See the next sections for a description of fields and options on the overview screen.

Note

It is possible to allow new borrowers to register themselves via the WebOpac. In the Preferences under User activities per Profile there is also an option "User must confirm registration". If this is set to Yes, then the new borrower will receive an email with a link which must be clicked to confirm registration.

If the borrower record is accessed via AFO 431 **before** the new borrower has confirmed the registration, a warning will appear:



When you click **Cancel**, the registration will not be accepted and the system returns to the borrower search form.

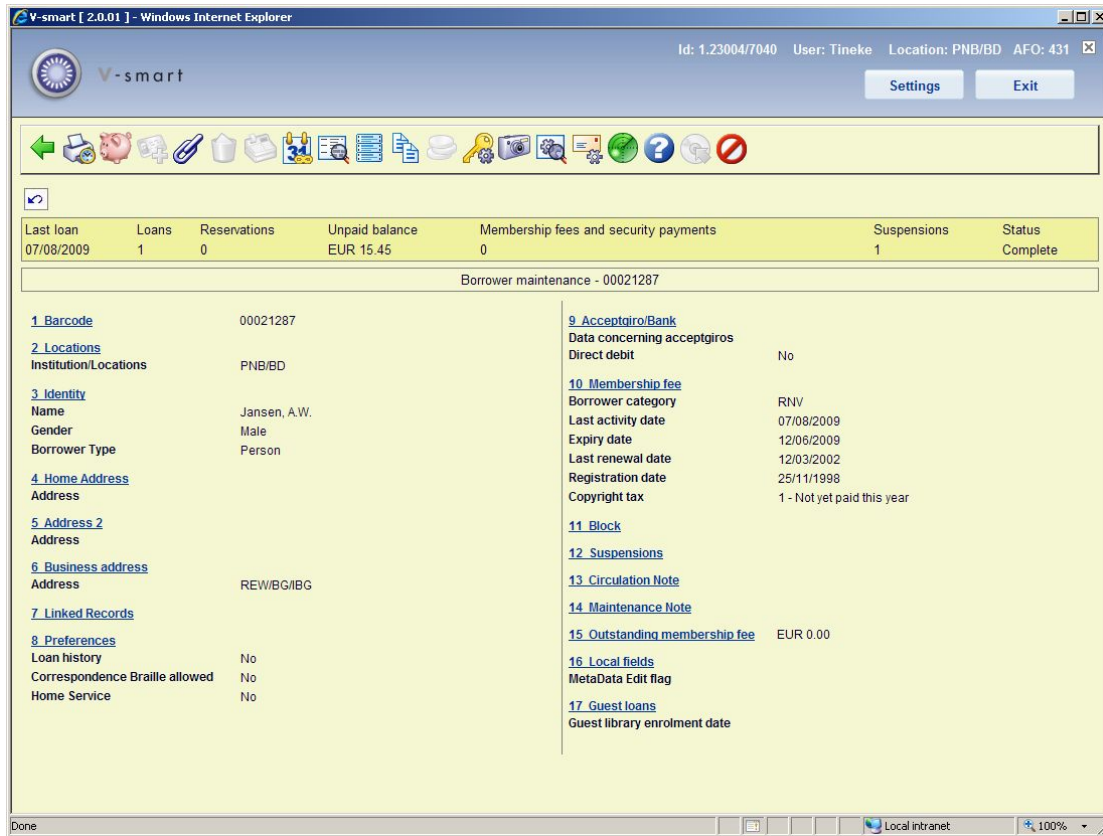
When you click **Yes**, the registration will be accepted and the system continues to the borrower screen.

When you click **No**, the registration will NOT be accepted but the system also continues to the borrower screen, where the header will show the registration has not been accepted:

Last loan	Loans	Reservations	Unpaid balance	Membership fees and security payments	Suspensions	Status
0	0	0(0)	EUR 8.00	0	0	Pending registration confirmation

431.4 Borrower overview screen

Depending on parameter settings in AFO 482 various groups and elements will be offered on this screen. Generally it looks similar to this:



The system supports more than 250 data elements, divided into 25 groups (like Identity, Address, Preferences, etc). What is displayed is defined in AFO 482 – Circulation parameters : Borrowers – Borrower Definition Settings. Which fields are displayed when modifying any of these groups/elements depends on the parameter settings in AFO 482 – Circulation parameters : Borrowers – Data to be modified.

Notes

When you use the Stack request module, stack requests will be shown under Reservations (a total number in round brackets):

Last loan	Loans	Reservations	Unpaid balance	Membership fees and security payments	Suspensions	Status
07/05/2010	1	0(2)	EUR 17.50	1	0	Blocked!, Complete

When you use the Interlibrary Loan module, ILL requests will be shown under Reservations (a total number in square brackets):

Last loan	Loans	Reservations	Unpaid balance	Membership fees and security payments	Suspensions	Status
18/08/2010	3	2(0)[4]	EUR 9.00	0	0	Complete

431.4.1 Modifying general data

Click on a group to modify the subfields of that group. When you have done so, an input form is displayed.

For example:

Locations

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Locations

Institution/Location PNB/BD

Other locations

- BACK
- BD
- BRA
- CEN
- CL

Note

OK

Cancel

Help

or

Home address

Home Address

Number

Line 1

Line 2

Line 3

Line 4

Line 5

Place/city/town

County/state/province

Postcode

Country code

Phone no.

Mobile no.

Email

Street

District

Correspondence

Department

Note

OK

Cancel

Help

431.4.2 Replace barcode

When choosing the barcode field, the following input form is displayed:

Add / modify current barcode

Current barcode

Reason for replacement

New barcode

OK

Cancel

Help

Automatic

Fields on the screen

Current barcode: data in this field is for display purposes only.

Reason for replacement: Choose a reason for replacement from the dropdown list. There may or may not be a charge associated with the reason. This depends on settings in AFO 482 – Borrower Authority Lists – Borrower barcode reasons for replacement.

New barcode: Either scan a new barcode or click on **Automatic** (see explanation in section 431.2).

The user can do two things:

- Only fill in a "Reason for replacement".
- Fill in both "Reason for replacement" and "New barcode".

Note

There is a parameter in AFO 481 - Miscellaneous - Circulation workflow - Borrowers - Prompt for barcode first when replacing barcodes (Circ institution setting).

If set, barcode displays before replacement reason when replacing a barcode in AFO 431. If not set, prompt for replacement reason before barcode when replacing barcode in AFO 431.

The replacement reasons are defined in AFO 482 - Borrower Authority Lists - "Borrower barcode replacement reasons". V-smart as per default comes with 3 replacement reasons.

Case 1: Only fill in a "Reason for replacement"

This can happen for example when the borrower card is reported lost.

This creates the same kind of behaviour as case 2 below. It behaves as a block in AFO 411, 413 etc. (see below). The main difference is that as long as the barcode is not replaced you can undo the "Reason for replacement" by choosing the last option in Reason for replacement.

Case 2: Actually replace the barcode

A replacement reason is mandatory.

Case 3: Copy Borrower

AFO 431/Button Copy uses the same form as Barcode replacement, but the Replacement Reason line is not shown

In AFO 481 / Miscellaneous - Circulation workflow - Borrowers, there are a related parameters "Do not permit re-use of replaced barcodes" and "Do not permit re-use of removed barcodes".

There are 3 possible messages when you type in a barcode that was replaced. These messages can appear in the following AFO's: AFO 411, AFO 413, AFO 414, AFO 415, AFO 416, AFO 417, AFO 418 (Per borrower view), AFO 419, AFO 421, AFO 431 and AFO 433.

(a) Replacement reason is filled but barcode not yet replaced

(b) The barcode has been replaced

(c) The borrower record was removed.

(c.1) Option "Do not permit re-use of removed barcodes" is ON. will result in a different message than when this parameter is OFF. If re-use is permitted, the following scenarios are possible after the warning message appears when entering a new borrower:

- **CANCEL** button is used: Return to barcode entry form.
- **OK** button is used & name matches: continue entering new borrower, remove entry from archive file.
- **OK** button is used & name does not match: an error message is displayed, the user is returned to the entry form

Is a message an error message or a warning?

When you are in AFO 431 and you search for an existing borrower and a valid borrower record can be found, the messages are shown as a warning and the system continues with the display of the borrower record.

In all other cases (AFO 411 etc. or when you create a new record in AFO 431) this message is an error message.

Messages when searching on name and the borrower card being replaced

When you search a borrower by name and the card is in the process of being replaced (reported lost or stolen, for example), the message that the barcode is being replaced is shown as a warning message in AFO 431 or as an error message in the other AFO's.

431.4.3 Membership fee – future borrower category

Double click on the **Membership** line. The dialog form **membership fee** is displayed:

The screenshot shows a web-based dialog box titled "Membership fee" within a window labeled "V-smart [2.0.01] -- Webpage Dialog". The dialog has a light yellow background and a blue title bar. On the left side, there are several input fields and dropdown menus: "Borrower category" (set to "MIL : Environmental Health Department"), "Last Activity Date" (13/08/2009), "Expiry date" (12/03/2010), "Last renewal date" (12/03/2002), "Membership type" (empty dropdown), "Note" (empty text box), "Registration date" (05/03/1992), "Future borrower category" (empty dropdown), and "Start date future borrower category" (empty text box). On the right side, there is a vertical stack of three buttons: "OK", "Cancel", and "Help". The bottom of the dialog shows a URL: "http://nlbawqavubis/sm200qa/ClientBody.csp?ClientId=1.23002" and a "Local intranet" icon.

It is possible to automatically update borrower categories with a new category (indicated in the borrower record) in a given month.

See the help for AFO 451 for more information on this process.

This requires that these two fields are set in the borrower record:

Future borrower category: Any valid category can be selected from the dropdown list.

Start date future borrower category: Enter a valid date in the future.

Notes

If either of these fields is defined, then the other field must also be defined.

Acceptgiro /direct debit logic:

- When direct debit / acceptgiro files are created for a given period , the system will first look at the **Start date** field, if the month / year combination of **Start date** is less than or equal to the current date, then the system will use the borrower category specified under **Future borrower category** to send the direct debit / acceptgiro
- The borrower category specified under **Future borrower category** will NOT be used for category update based on age, etc.

431.4.4 Block

Click on this line. The **Block** dialog **box** is displayed:

Fields on the screen

Registration date: This shows the date the block was applied.

Status flag: Click one of the following:

- **Unblock** to cancel a block or lost card
- **Block** to block the borrower from most circulation activities.

Note: Free text field.

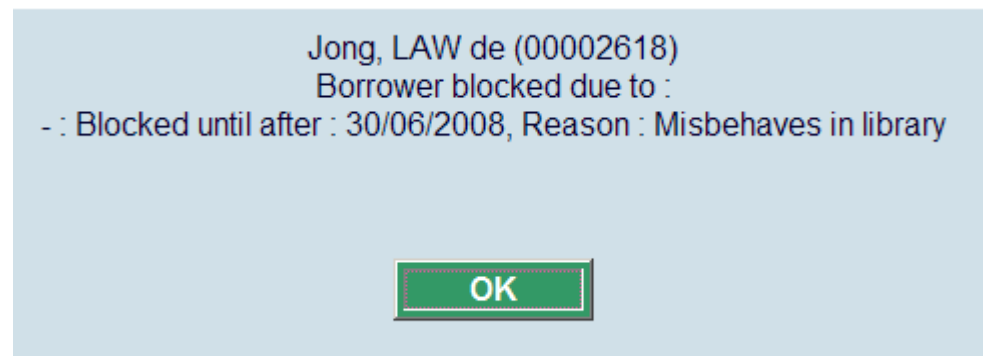
Use expiry date: If this option is **not** checked, a manual block will be placed on the borrower, that will have to be removed manually by a staff member. The **Expiry date** field will be ignored. If a date is entered into the **Expiry date** field, a special kind of manual block will be placed on the borrower's record. This block results in the borrower being blocked from all aspects of the library.

Expiry date: Enter the date (related to **Use expiry date**).

Notes

The fields **Use expiry date** and **Expiry date** must be activated in AFO 482 – Borrower definition settings, before they appear on this form.

The block will show up in various circulation AFO's (like 411, 413 etc). It will also show up under Details – Status in AFO 431:



Removal of manual block *with* expiry date: This manual block will automatically be removed the first time the borrower record is accessed in 411, 413 etc., **after** the expiry date has passed. Accessing the borrower record in AFO 431 does not automatically clear the block (but you can of course clear it manually here).

Removal of manual block *without* expiry date: This manual block can only be removed manually via AFO 431.

431.4.5 Suspensions

Borrowers can be suspended, or blacklisted, for more serious types of problem, such as owing large amounts of money. Borrowers can be suspended automatically depending on parameters set for overdue notices sent. You can suspend the borrower as part of AFO 495 Invoice control. You can also apply a manual suspension.

Click on this group:

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Suspensions

Registration date

Suspension note

Save settings

OK

Cancel

Help

Enter a message in the field '**Suspension note**' to place this borrower on the black list; remove the message as displayed to remove the borrower from the black list.

Notes

A borrower can also be automatically included in the black list. For example if the n-th reminder or the n-th accept giro is sent.

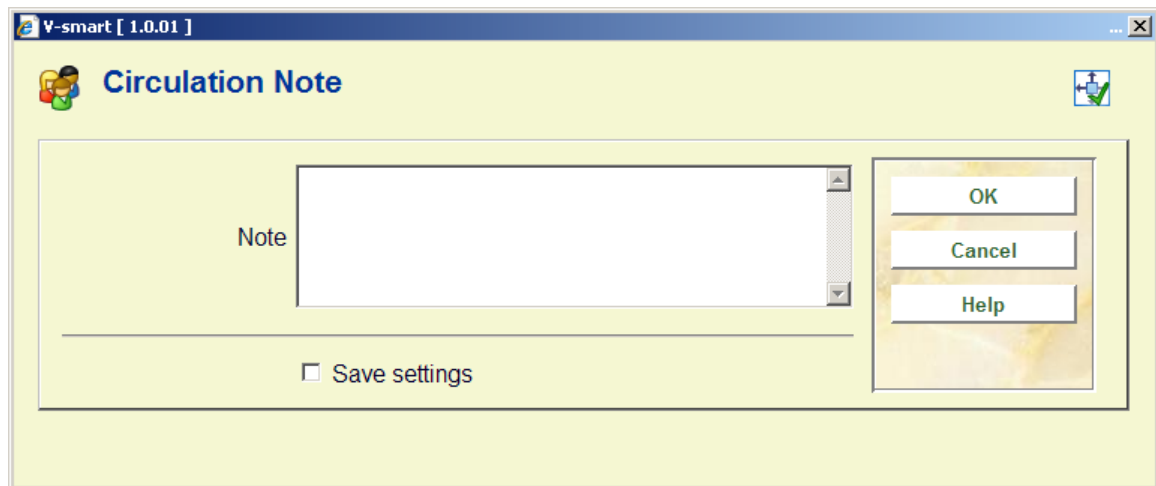
Once the invoice is paid, or any other reason for the suspension is cleared up, you can remove the suspension by clicking in the **Suspensions** group and deleting the text in the **Suspension note** text box.

The number of times the borrower has been suspended appears in the summary header of the Borrower maintenance screen.

431.4.6 Circulation note

Select this field to register a note or comment pertaining to this borrower. Information in this field is displayed throughout the circulation module as soon as the borrower is identified.

When you select this option, an input screen will be displayed. Enter a message to register a note for this borrower:

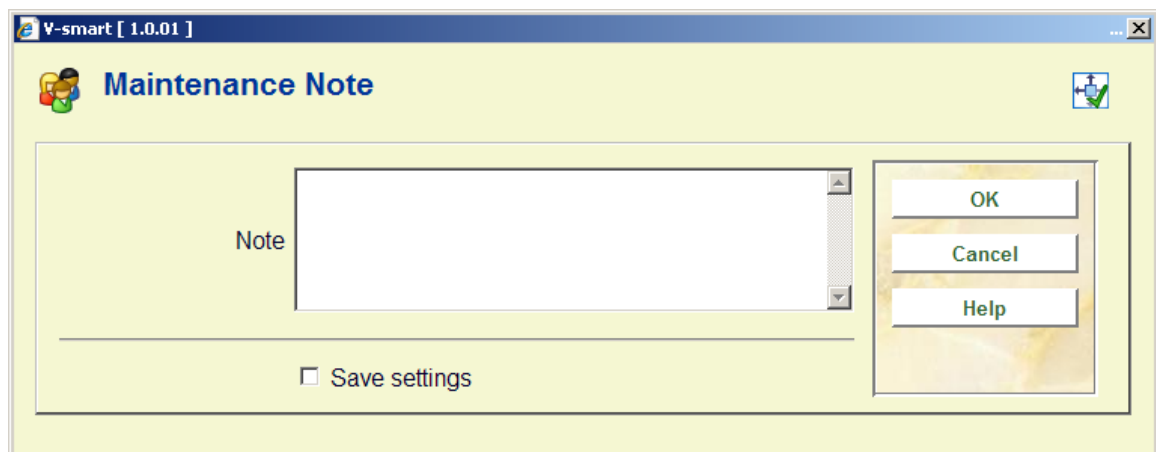


You can also enter a code as defined in AFO 482 – Acronyms for standard notes.

431.4.7 Maintenance note

Select this field to register a note or comment pertaining to this borrower. Information in this field is only displayed in AFO 431.

When you select this option, an input screen will be displayed. Enter text to register a variable message for this borrower:



You can also enter a code as defined in AFO 482 – Acronyms for standard notes.

431.4.8 Copyright tax

You can activate the field **Copyright tax** in the group **Membership fee** in AFO 482 – Borrower definition settings and make it available under **Data to be corrected**. There are various parameters related to this functionality. See the [general help](#) on this feature for more information.

431.4.9 Mobile libraries

When you use Mobile libraries (see the help of AFO 449 for more information) borrowers can be linked to a specific stop.

For this the field **Mobile stop** in the block **Locations** must be enabled in AFO 482 – Borrower definition settings and Data to be entered/corrected.

From the block **Locations** you can select a stop from the dropdown list under **Mobile stop**.

431.4.10 Local fields

The block **Local fields** contains optional fields that are fully definable by the library via AFO 482 – Borrower definition settings.

In order to be able to use them you must activate them via AFO 482 - Data to be entered/corrected.

431.4.11 Guest loans

This block contains information related to the physical guest loan functionality. See the help of AFO 447 for more information.

431.5 Options on the borrower overview screen

Depending on parameter settings in AFO 481 not all buttons may be active. All options are described below.



Contact incidents: This option takes you to the overview screen for managing borrower contacts, but *for this borrower only*. You cannot access incident information for other borrowers this way.. See the help of AFO 434 for more information on the available options.

Modify deposits: This option takes you to the deposits screen. See section 431.6.

Additional cards: To add additional cards to the borrower record. See section 431.5.1.

Links: To **view** relations with other borrower records in the database. See section 431.5.2.

Delete: To delete the borrower record The system will ask for confirmation.

A borrower cannot be deleted from the file (the option will not be displayed) if:

- the borrower still has items on loan;
- reservations are registered in the borrower's name;
- the borrower has not paid all amounts due;
- the borrower is involved in the routing of an issue of a serial;
- the borrower is involved in charging subscription fees for a serial;
- the borrower is included as a requestor on an order in the Acquisitions module

In all of these cases, the option will not be active. See also below under **Technical data** for more information.

Receive membership fee: Choose this option to pay membership fee. See section 431.5.3.

Renew membership: You can renew a borrower's membership, if the expiry date has passed. Parameters can be set to automatically renew membership under certain conditions, and for the default new expiry date.

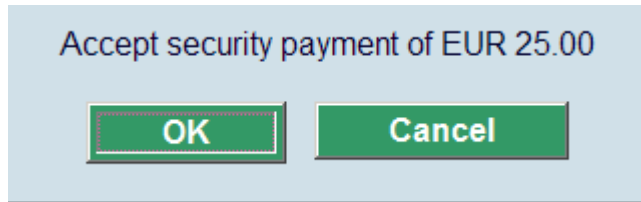
Details: Choose this option for more details on outstanding loans, reservations, debts, etc. See section 431.7.

Print label: If your system is configured you can print labels for borrower tickets. The system will switch to the standard output procedure.

It is possible to use mailmerge for printing labels, see the [general help](#) on this subject for more information. This depends on parameter settings in AFO 481 – Miscellaneous – Circulation workflow – Printing – Miscellaneous.

Copy: You can use the Copy function to copy a borrower record. This is useful if you have a borrower already registered and want to register members of the same family. The address fields will be the same, so copying the record saves time in data entry. Which fields are copied depends on parameter settings.

Receive security payment: Your system may be configured to allow a borrower to be charged a security payment, usually for the loan of equipment such as headphones for learning materials. The security payment is refunded when the item is returned. Choose this option to register a security payment. The following message is displayed:



The amount depends on parameter settings.

PIN code: Use this option to generate a PIN code for the borrower. If the borrower already has a pincode, the following screen is displayed:

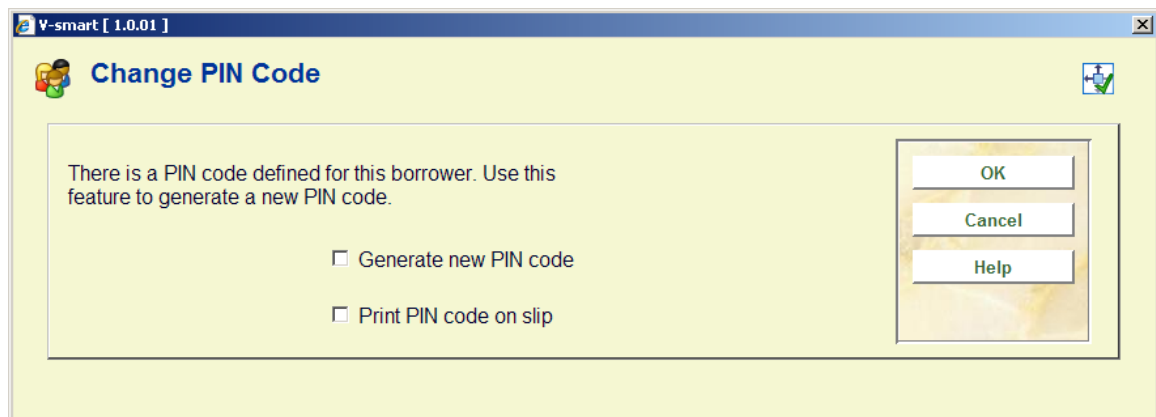


Photo: The system allows you to add one or more pictures to the borrower record. See section 431.5.4.

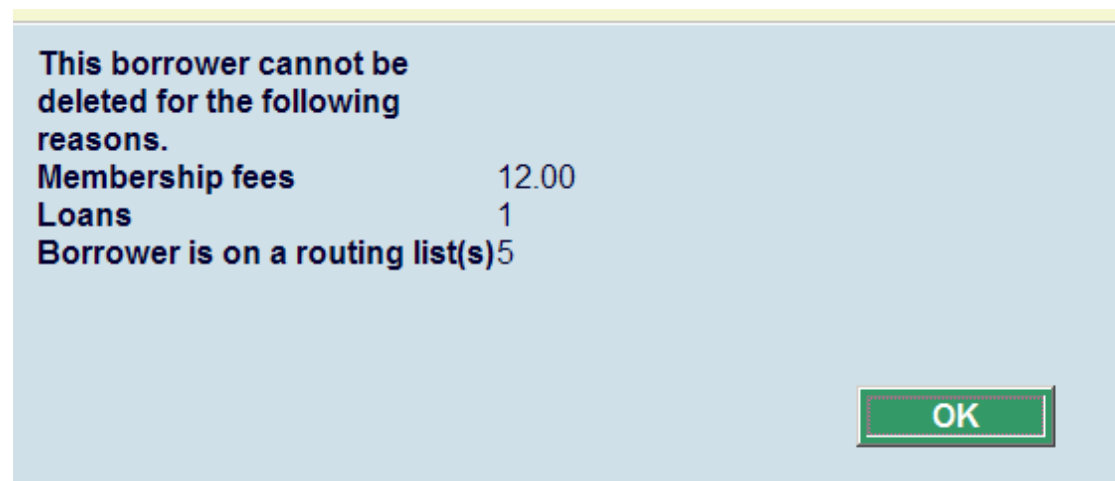
Technical data: Technical data shows you who added the borrower and when, and who last modified the record and when, and the record status:



Added Through: The field may have the following values:

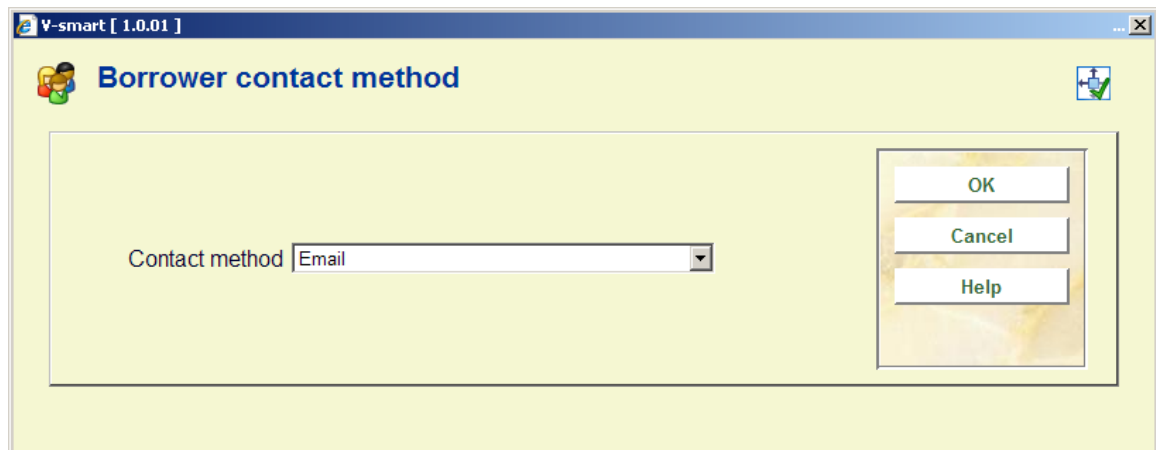
- 1 Client
- 2 WebOpac
- 3 WinCirc
- 4 Import

After clicking **OK** another screen will be displayed, showing reason why this record cannot be deleted:



See also section 431.7 – Details screen for additional information.

Contact method: Use this option to set a specific contact method for the individual borrower. After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:

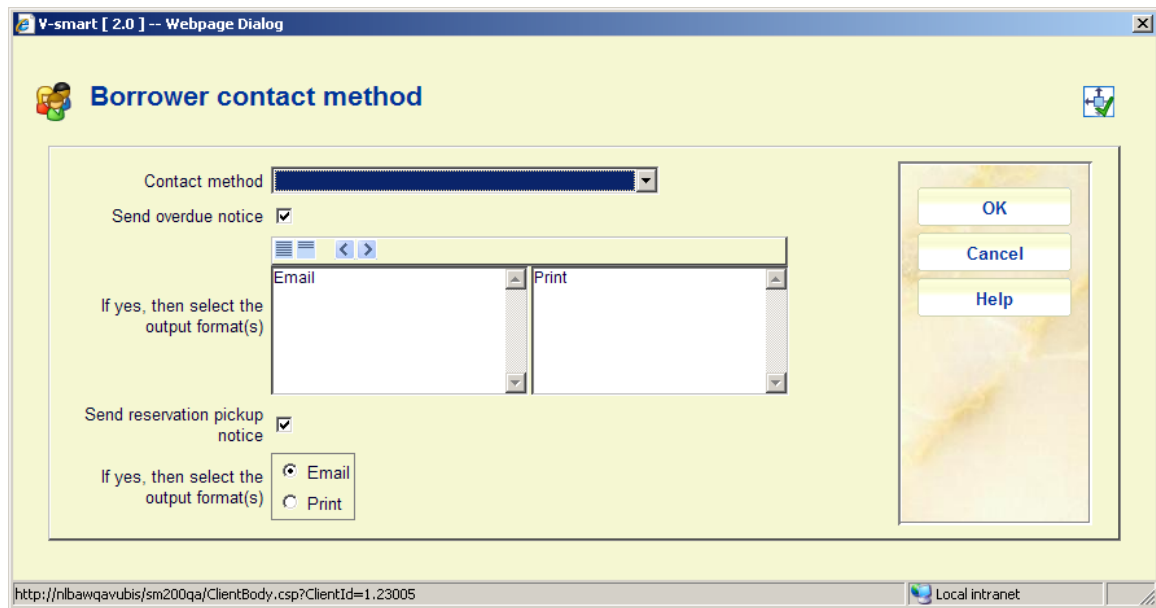


You can select an individual setting for this borrower from the dropdown list.

It is more usual however to define the contact method for a borrower according to the following hierarchy.

- Borrower category
- Loan location
- Circulation meta institution
- System as a whole

In AFO 616 – Contact methods – button Circulation you can specify whether or not borrowers are allowed to select their own output formats via the WebOpac user activities. If this is ON, the form will look different:



If multiple output formats are allowed, they are displayed in boxes (overdues in the example above). The default format(s) will already be on the right. You can move other formats as required.

If multiple output formats are NOT allowed, they are displayed as radio buttons (reservations in the example above). The default format will be checked and you can change as required.

Note

The output formats that are set here for overdues/reservations override the general contact method as set in AFO 616 – contact method or AFO 431 – contact method (first dropdown box) or AFO 481 Miscellaneous-Notification contact method.

SDI profile: The purpose of SDI (Selective Dissemination of Information) is to inform borrowers when items that may interest them become available in the library. There are several parameters that must be set up on the system to enable this functionality. Borrowers can set up their own SDI profiles in the WebOpac. See section 431.5.5.

Services: This option is part of special functionality for libraries for the blind.

Max number of loans: This allows you to specify a different Maximum number of loans for a particular borrower. If this is set, then it is used, instead of the MAX values from the borrower or item maximums.

431.5.1 Additional cards

You can issue additional cards so that a main card holder is responsible for all cards, but additional users can make use of the library facilities.

For example, you might have a department within your authority such as Social Services where the senior manager holds the main card and individual social workers have the additional cards. Items can be borrowed from the library for official business by anyone in the department, but the senior manager receives all overdue notices, invoices and other printed notices.

Additional cards: To add additional cards to the borrower record. After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "V-smart [2.0.01] -- Webpage Dialog". The main content area is titled "Add new additional card" and contains the following fields and controls:

- Additional Card Id:** A text input field.
- Additional Card Note:** A text area for notes.
- Additional Card Type:** A dropdown menu currently set to "Library card".
- Buttons:** A vertical stack of buttons on the right side: "OK", "Cancel", "Help", and "Automatic".

The status bar at the bottom of the browser shows the URL "http://nlbawqavubis/sm200qa/ClientBody.csp?ClientId=1.23002" and "Local intranet".

Enter a barcode or click on **Automatic**. The button **Automatic** assigns the next available barcode id. The note field has a maximum of 500 characters.

The field **Additional Card Type** is related to Smartcards and will be set automatically when a borrower record is created from details taken from a Smartcard. There are only 4 types of card allowed.

- **Automatic** Card barcode generated using the **Automatic** button
- **Library card** Normal use library card with barcode details entered manually
- **Nec smartcard** Nec smartcard barcode
- **Other** All other types of additional card

The the default card type will be "library card" for most sites.

The costs for additional cards are the same as for duplicate cards. They will show in the reports as Duplicate Card.

After clicking **OK** there will be an extra screen in case there are costs.

The screen is then redisplayed with an additional option to block the card:

Edit additional card: 8905

Additional Card Id: 8905

Additional Card Note

Additional Card Blocked:

Additional Card Type: Library card

Buttons: OK, Cancel, Help

URL: http://nlbawqavubis/sm200qa/ClientBody.csp?ClientId=1.23002

After clicking **OK** again, an overview screen will be shown:

V-smart [2.0.01] - Windows Internet Explorer

Id: 1.23002/4712 User: Tineke Location: PNB/BD AFO: 431

V-smart

Settings Exit

Name: Jansen, A.B.
Barcode: 20031234
Additional Cards: 1

Additional cards maintenance for borrower: 20031234

No	Card Id	Type	Status	Entered	Updated	Note
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 8905	Library card	Unblocked	26 Oct 2009	26 Oct 2009	

Local intranet 100%

Columns on the screen

Card ID: The (barcode) number of the additional card.

Type: The type of additional card.

Status: Whether the additional card is blocked or not.

Entered and **Updated:** The system will also store the entry date of the additional card details as well as the most recent action date to provide a card issue history of Smartcard Ids used by each user.

Note: The contents of the free text note field.

Options on the screen

Add new additional card: Choose this option to add another card. The procedure is described above.

Modify additional card(+): Choose a card and then this option to Block / Unblock the additional card.

Delete additional card(+): Choose a card and then this option to delete the card. The system will prompt for confirmation.

Note

You can set the maximum number of cards allowed for each borrower category in AFO 482 Additional cards per borrower.

431.5.2 Links between records

Borrower records can be linked, so that a guarantor's identity can be stored in a borrower record. The guarantor's address can then be used to send (e.g.) overdue notices, bills, etc. Typical examples of guarantors are: parents (children), tutors (students), commanding officers (soldiers), etc



If a child has the Guarantor flag set to Yes in the record, notices can be sent to the Guarantor rather than the child. The parameter that governs this is AFO 482 Borrower address priority setup. It determines which borrower address is used for each notice, and whether the guarantor's address is used. For example the library could send Overdue Notice 1 to the child's address and Overdue Notice 2 to the parent's address.

The parameter AFO 481 Main circulation parameters – Miscellaneous – Circulation workflow – Borrowers – No. of borrower relations determines how many “parent” records the child can be linked to. If set to more than one you can link a child record to more than one parent record. Note that only one parent record can be the Guarantor. If this parameter is set to more than one, then the **Links** option becomes available as an option in AFO 431.

The *Linked record* field in AFO 431 is only relevant to the child record, the *Linked from* field is only relevant to the parent record. Please note these sets must both be activated in AFO 482 – Data to be corrected.

If you decide to use the Linked records feature with Guarantor, then all the fields should be in use in AFO 482 Borrower definition settings.

You must set up an Authority list for the relationships, such as Parent of – Child of in AFO 482 Borrower authority lists – Relation type. Each relationship record must have a reciprocal record defined.

To establish a parent/child type link between records, proceed as follows:

Start from the record that is to be the 'child'. Do **NOT** use the option **Links**, but instead double click on the block **Linked records**. This will take you to the same screen as the **Links** option, but behaves differently. This way the system WILL create the reciprocal link automatically.

Options on the screen

New: Choose this option to add another link. After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:

The screenshot shows a web-based dialog box titled "Linked Records". It contains the following fields and controls:

- Guarantor flag:** Radio buttons for "Yes" and "No". The "No" option is selected.
- Note:** A text input field.
- Relation type:** A dropdown menu.
- Related borrower Id:** A text input field.
- Renew flag:** Radio buttons for "Yes" and "No". The "No" option is selected.
- Update address flag:** Radio buttons for "Yes" and "No". The "No" option is selected.

On the right side of the dialog, there is a panel with three buttons: "OK", "Cancel", and "Help". The status bar at the bottom of the window displays the URL "http://nlbawqavubis/sm200qa/ClientBody.csp?ClientId=1.23005" and "Local intranet".

Fields on the screen

Guarantor flag: specify whether or not the borrower is a guarantor for the related borrower.

Note: optionally add free text.

Relation type: select a valid relation type from the dropdown list.

Related borrower ID: enter the barcode of the borrower with whom the relation must be established.

Renew flag: if set, the option **Renew linked** will become active (in AFOs 413 and 419) for borrowers with related records.

Update address flag: if set, the system will update the current borrower's main address (defined in AFO482) to match that of the related borrower when the related borrower's main address is changed in AFO431. See section 431.5.2.1.

Modify(+): Select a linked card and choose this option to view/modify the information.

Delete(+):Select a linked card and choose this option to delete the linked record.

If you look at the Parent record it will **not** show any links from the **Links** option, even if several have been defined.

[10 Linked from](#) Parent of [Familali, Kiddo](#)

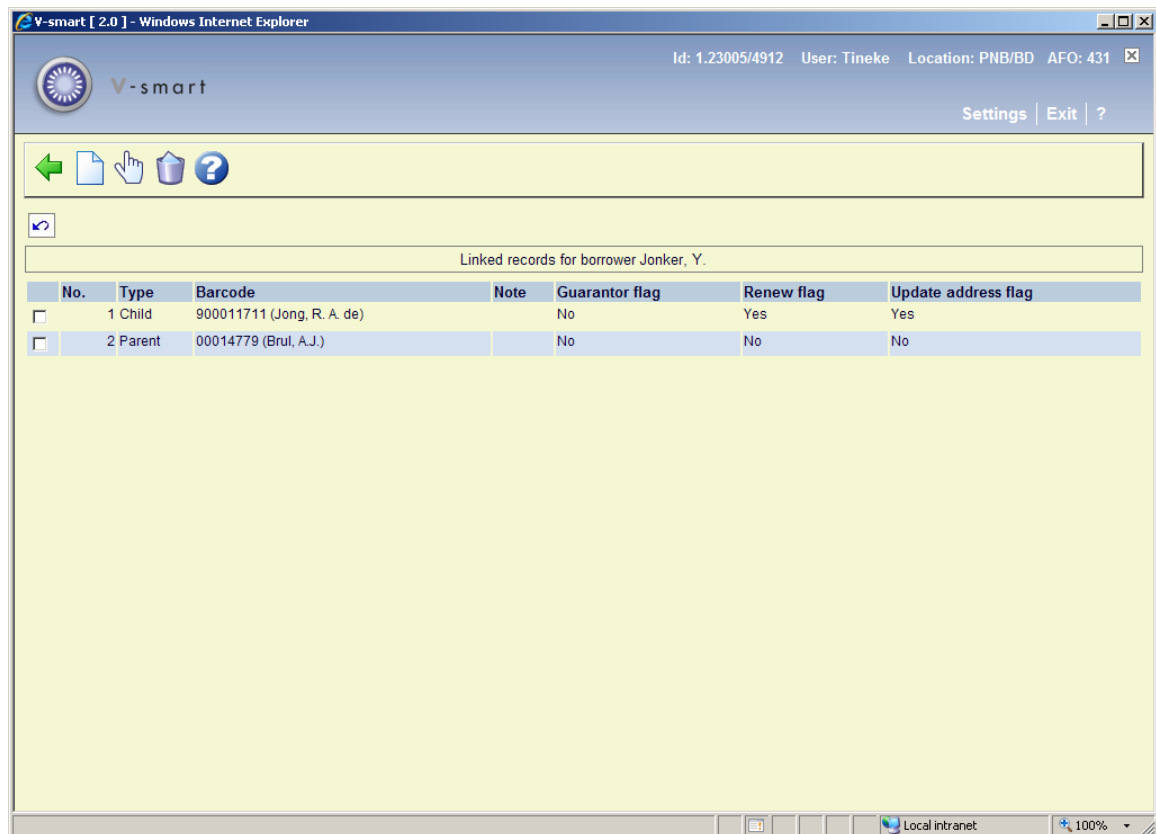
Linked records for borrower Familali, Ma						
No.	Type	Barcode	Note	Guarantor flag	Renew flag	Update address flag

But Links to records using the **Links** option **are** shown for the Child record.

[7 Linked Records](#) Child of [Familali, Ma](#)

Linked records for borrower Familali, Kiddo						
No.	Type	Barcode	Note	Guarantor flag	Renew flag	Update address flag
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 Child	8992 (Familali, Ma)		No	Yes	Yes

Links: Use this option to **view** relations with other borrower records in the database. After choosing this option the following screen will be displayed:



Notes

The system does **not** generate a reciprocal relation if you use the **New** option when coming to this screen via the **Links** option.

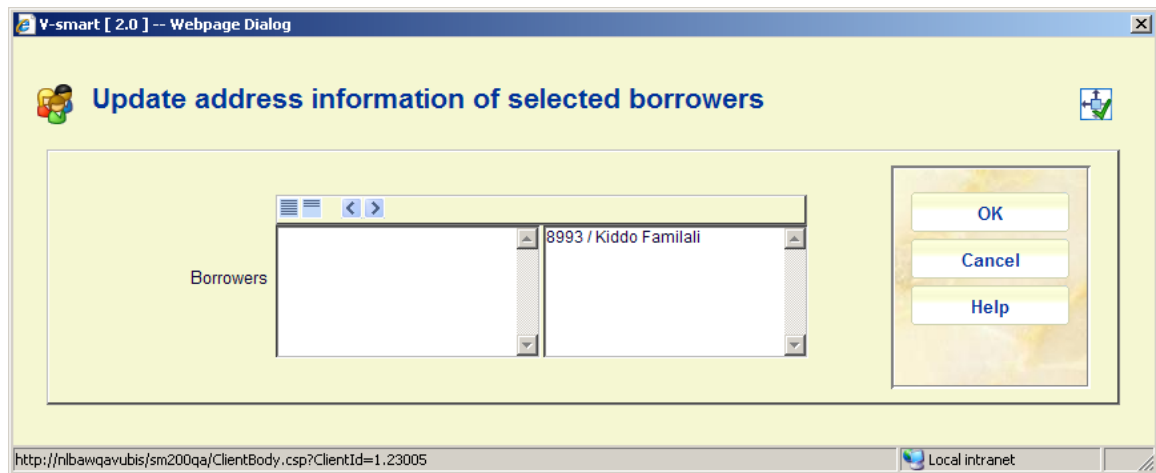
If you look at the Parent record it will **not** show any links from the **Links** option, even if several have been defined.

Borrowers can have multiple links to different records.

431.5.2.1 Updating main address of related borrowers

When the **Update address flag** is set and the address block defined as "main address" in AFO 482 – Borrower definition settings is updated, the system will attempt to update the main address of linked borrowers with the same information.

When the borrower record is saved, the system checks for linked borrowers with the Update address flag set. On leaving the updated borrower record, the following form is presented:



If you do not want to update the main address in any of the displayed borrowers, simply move the borrower to the left-hand side. When you click **OK**, the system will update the main address information in all of the selected borrowers.

Any borrowers that were moved to the left-hand side will have their Renew flag and Update address flag turned off.

When you click **Cancel**, the address information will not be updated and the Renew flag and Update address flag for borrowers on the right will remain ON.

431.5.3 Receive membership fee

Receive membership fee: Choose this option to pay membership fee. In some cases an intermediate screen with an overview of payment calculation will be displayed.

Then the payment screen is displayed:

Fields on the screen

Expiry date: Expiry date of the membership, appears as system supplied information.

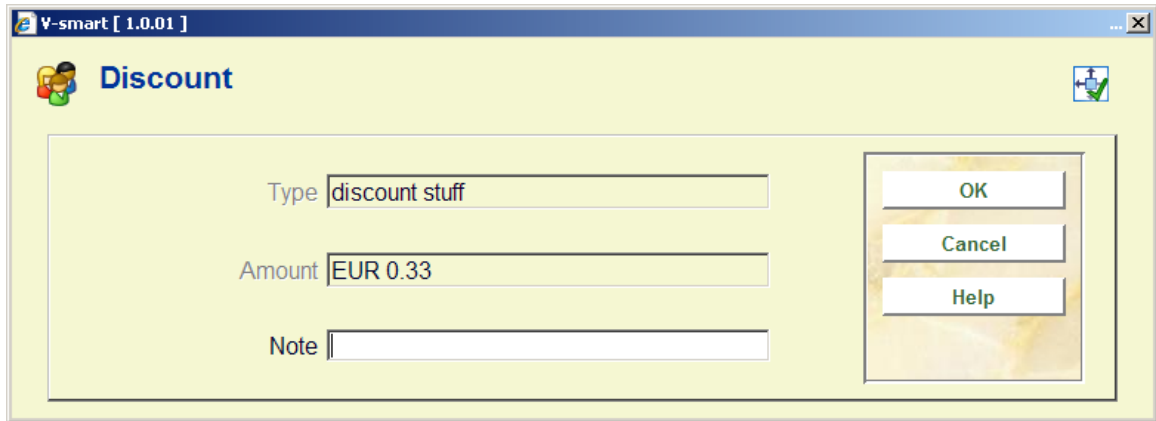
Pay: Amount owing, appears as system supplied information.

Receive payment: Select a method of payment from the Receive payment options and click **OK**:

- *Cash* - the amount shown in the Pay field will show in Cash administration as having been received in cash;
- *Waive* - the amount shown in the Pay field will show in Cash administration as having been received in waived. If you waive an amount, you will also be asked to enter the password defined in Override password(s) in the Override password field.

Note

Locally defined payment methods -additional methods of payment can be defined in Define cash codes. If you select this method you will be presented with a further window in which you can enter a note of up to 25 characters. For example:

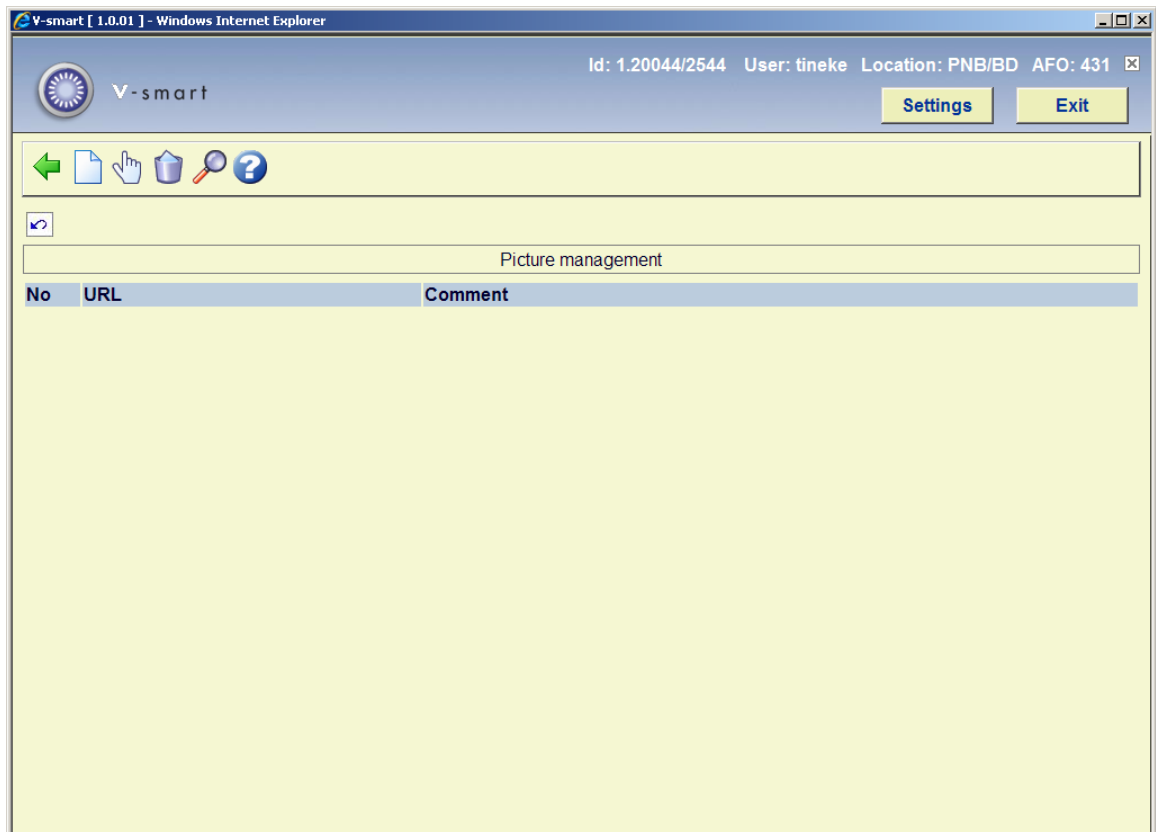


Optionally you can print a receipt for the amount paid. This takes you to the standard screen for output.

431.5.4 Photo

Photo: The system allows you to add one or more pictures to the borrower record. If a borrower is selected that has a picture linked to that record, the picture is shown in a floating window in AFO 431 (Borrower administration).

After choosing this option an overview screen will be displayed:



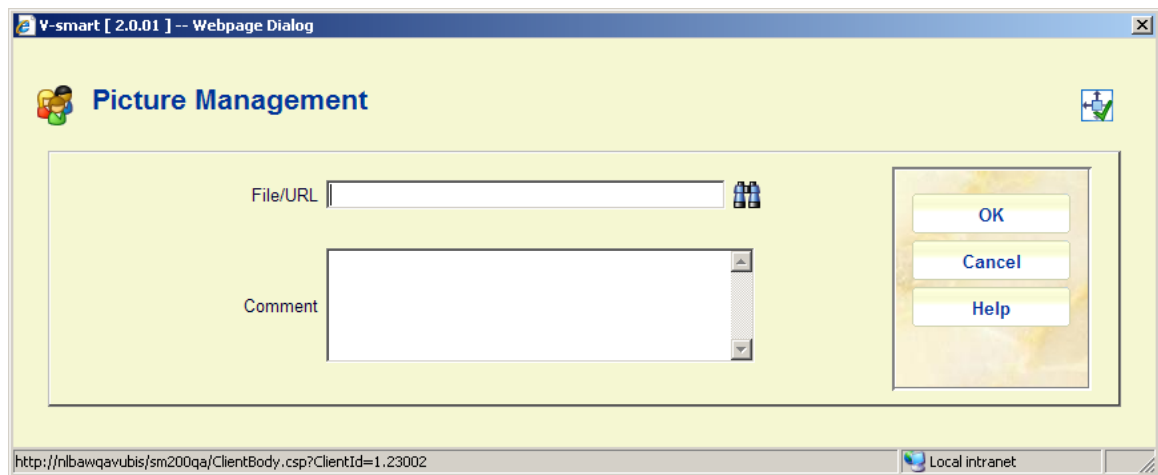
Options on the screen:

Select(+): Select a photo and choose this option to modify the details.

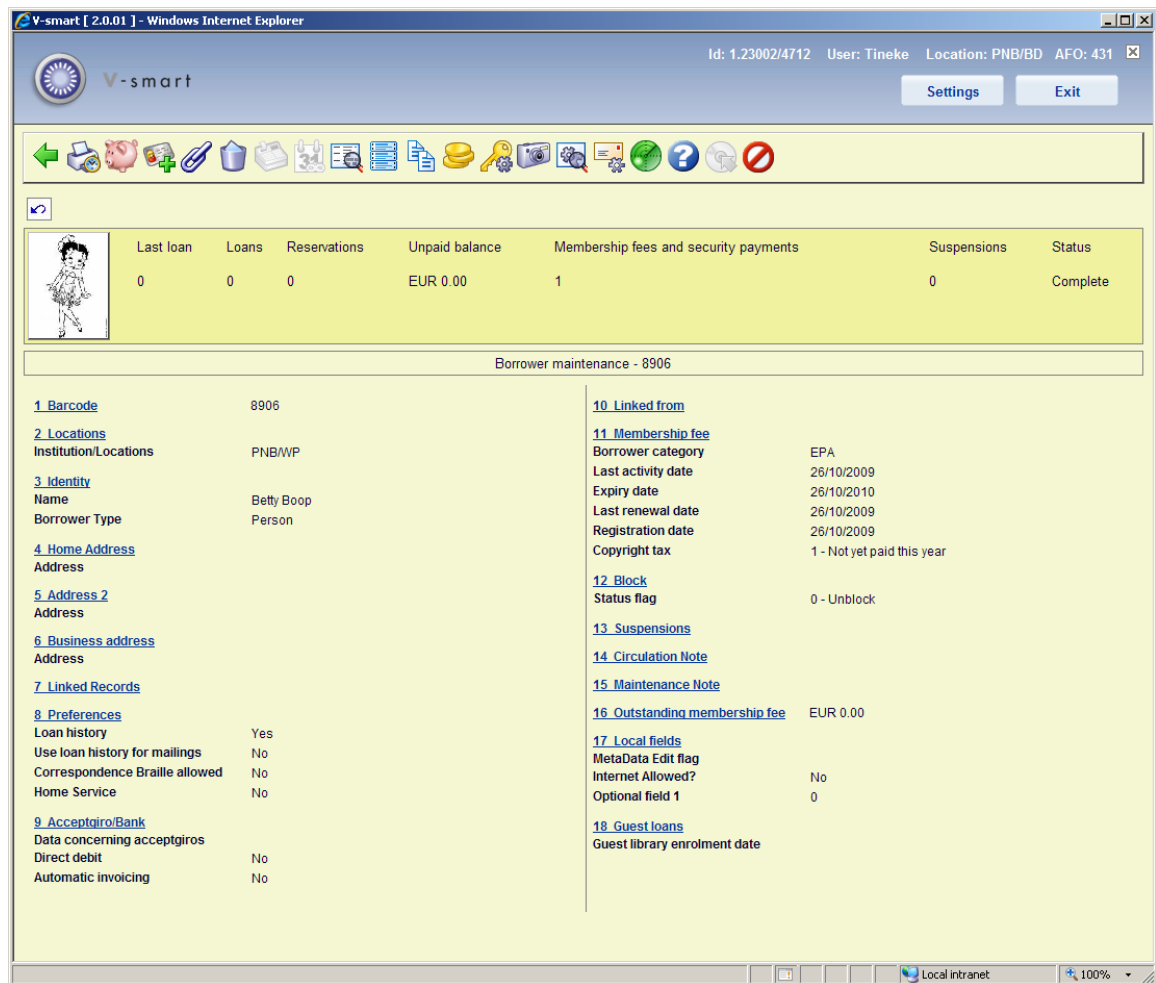
Delete(+):Select a photo and choose this option to delete it.

Display: When this is activated the floating thumbnail preview will be updated if any changes where made.

New: After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:



If you selected a borrower who has a picture linked to his borrower record, the system will automatically show the picture(s) when the main borrower screen in AFO 431 is accessed.



It is possible that multiple pictures are attached to an individual borrower record.

The picture can be shown in the original size by clicking on the picture.

Note

Depending on the setting of the parameter in AFO 481 - Miscellaneous - Circulation workflow - Printing- Miscellaneous: "Remove picture link after borrower label printed", the system will remove the borrower picture link from the borrower record after the borrower label is printed. This is valid *only* for mailmerge type labels.

431.5.5 SDI

After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:

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SDI Profile for 200200048X

Profile list ID

Remove profile list ID

Email address

Email enabled

Language

OK

Cancel

Help

Fields on the screen

Profile List Id: This is the id of the profile list used by the borrower. This can not be edited here.

Remove profile List Id: If selected, then the borrower's profile list and all associated profiles, queries and results will be deleted when this dialog is closed.

Email address: This is the email address that SDI notification emails are to be sent to.

Email enabled: Email notification is enabled for this borrower.

Language: This is the language SDI notification emails are to be sent in.

In order to determine whether a user is allowed to use SDI, the following criteria are checked (in order):

- User personally blocked or black list
- Borrower category
- Institution / location
- Institution
- System wide

If the user passes all of those tests, then they are allowed to use SDI.

431.6 Deposits

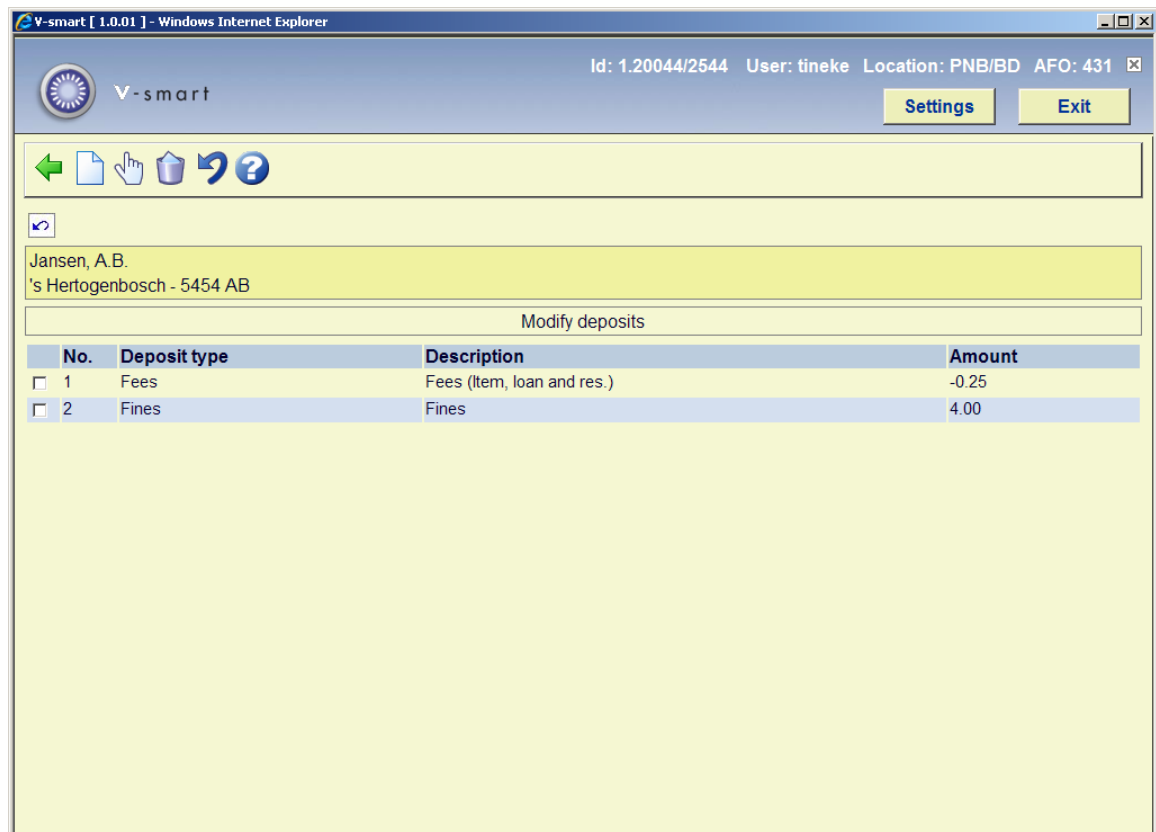
In general, this functionality requires the library to define one or more types of deposits that may be used by borrowers of the library. Within a type of deposit, the library then defines which types of charges the deposit can pay for (i.e. only loan fees). Additional parameters can then be defined for each deposit type at the borrower category level for min/max levels for deposit amounts, etc. A borrower can then add money to his/her deposits. Payments which were traditionally done through an exchange of cash may then be replaced by paying outstanding amounts owing out of the money a borrower already has on deposit with the library.

This is dependant on parameter settings in AFO 481 – Circulation parameters : General - Deposits.

If the library wants to allow it, the deposit can be negative (i.e. you can be in debt to the library, i.e. the deposit can turn from credit to debit, if the library-defined rules allow it).

After choosing this option and the borrower has a deposit, an overview screen will be displayed.

When you choose the “Modify deposit” icon, a screen displays containing a protected window containing the borrower’s name and address and a list (grid) of deposits that the borrower currently has including the deposit’s code, brief description and current amount.



Options on the screen

Add deposit: Choose this option to add a new deposit. See section 417.6.1.

View/modify deposit(+): This option is used to increase the amount of the deposit. You can only add money to deposits whose usage restrictions contain the current institution/location within their scope. For example, a borrower at PNB/BD can add money to his deposit that has usage restriction of PNB/* but cannot add money to his deposit that has usage restriction of TST/BR1. The borrower would have to physically go to TST/BR1 to add money to the second deposit.

If you are not allowed to add money to the deposit, the system displays a message.

Delete deposit(+): Use the delete icon to delete the selected deposit. A deposit can be deleted only if the deposit balance is 0 or less than zero.

Refund deposit: Choose this option to (partially) refund the deposit. See section 4.17.6.2.

431.6.1 New deposit

After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:

Choose a valid deposit type. These codes are defined in AFO 481 – Deposits – Deposit codes. Next, an input screen is displayed:

Fields on the screen

Deposit code, Description and Current amount on deposit are protected fields.

Amount to add: The amount to add field must be greater than the amount defined as the minimum amount of positive deposit change and must be greater than the minimum total amount of deposit (these amounts are defined in AFO 481 – Deposit codes).

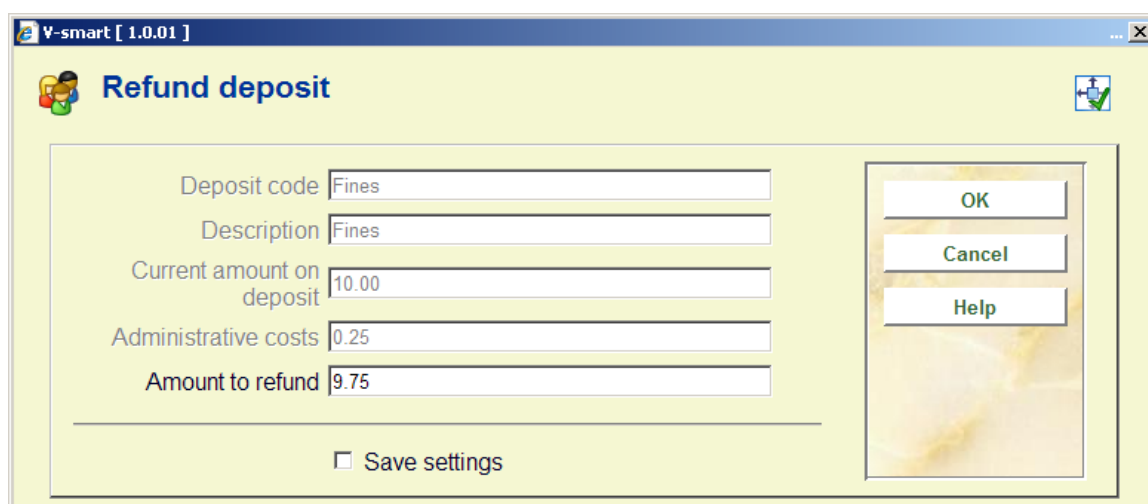
Borrower who pays deposit: This field may be protected, may be limited to a list of related borrowers (with the specific relation type(s) defined in the deposit code record) or the borrower may be displayed along with a search button.

Payment code: Choose a payment code from the dropdown list. These codes are defined in AFO 481 – Deposits – Valid payment types.

431.6.2 Refund deposit

The ability to refund cash from deposit accounts is a restricted function. In AFO611 – Passwords – Login restrictions – Borrowers and Loans (continued), there is an option, Refund deposits, that restricts users from using the Refund option on the Modify deposits screen. If you attempt to refund and you are a restricted user, a warning message is shown.

If you are allowed to refund and the deposit is still valid for your borrower category and if, within the usage restriction scope of the deposit, there is at least one institution/location set-up for your borrower category that is in-use and the usage restrictions contain the current institution/location, a form displays containing the following fields:



V-smart [1.0.01]

Refund deposit

Deposit code

Description

Current amount on deposit

Administrative costs

Amount to refund

Save settings

OK

Cancel

Help

Fields on the screen

Deposit code, **Description** and **Current amount on deposit** are protected fields.

Administrative costs: protected. Defaults to the amount defined in the Deposit code record. It is never more than "Current amount on deposit".

Amount to refund: free text. Automatically defaults to the (current amount – administrative charge). This is the maximum amount that the borrower can get back. If the Allow partial refunds flag is not set in the Deposit code, this is the only acceptable amount for the borrower to get back.

Note

If the deposit is no longer defined or is not in-use for the borrower category, all of the money is refunded back to the borrower. The deposit is removed from the borrower's list of deposits.

Note

You are only able to refund money from deposits whose usage restrictions contain the current institution/location within their scope. For example, a borrower at PNB/BD can get money refunded from his deposit that has usage restriction of PNB/* but cannot refund money from his deposit that has usage restriction of TST/BR1. The borrower has to physically go to TST/BR1 to refund money out of the second deposit.

431.7 Details screen

Details: Choose this option for more details on outstanding loans, reservations, debts, etc.

After choosing this option an overview screen will be displayed:

The screenshot shows the V-smart [2.0.01] - Windows Internet Explorer interface. The top navigation bar includes the V-smart logo, user information (Id: 1.23002/4712, User: Tineke, Location: PNB/BD, AFO: 431), and buttons for Settings and Exit. Below the navigation bar is a toolbar with various icons. The main content area displays borrower details for Jansen, A.E.M. and a table of history/borrower status.

Borrower Details:

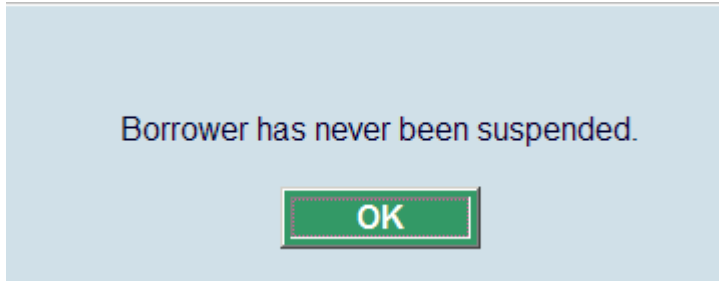
- Borrower: Jansen, A.E.M.
- Address: [Redacted]
- Last loan: 21/10/2009
- Total no. of loans: 23
- Loans this year: 11
- Total no. of reservations: 1
- Total overdues sent: 16, 3, 0, 0
- Abnormal transactions: AbnormalReturns : 1
- Smart card payments: 0

History / borrower status

Code	Category	Value
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Suspensions	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Loans	5
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Reservations	1
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	Unpaid balance	EUR 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 5	Membership fees and security payments	1
<input type="checkbox"/> 6	Status	-
<input type="checkbox"/> 7	WebOpac status	-
<input type="checkbox"/> 8	Telephone messaging status	-
<input type="checkbox"/> 9	SelfCheck status	-
<input type="checkbox"/> 10	Current special loan statuses	
<input type="checkbox"/> 11	Invoices	
<input type="checkbox"/> 12	Routing lists	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 13	Purchase orders	0

You can click on the lines in the bottom half of the screen to call up the underlying information. This roughly corresponds to the buttons on the toolbar at the top of the screen.

For example, click on **Suspensions**:



For **Current loan statuses** and **Invoices** see 431.7.1.

Notes

When you use the Stack request module, stack requests will be shown under Reservations:
 In the header: Total no. of reservations: This is total number of reservations and the total number of Stack requests, Reservation request, Deleted, and Expired.
 Line 3: Reservations: The totals here are only Current number of Reservations and only total number of Stack requests counts based on the parameter in AFO 815 – System wide options
 - **How many days back to show request summary in 431.**

Total no. of reservations	3 (Requests:3; Expired:2)	
Total overdues sent	0, 0, 0, 0	
Abnormal transactions		
Smart card payments	0	
History / borrower status		
Code	Category	Value
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Suspensions	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Loans	1
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Reservations	0 (Requests:2; Expired:2]

When you use the Interlibrary Loan request module, ILL requests will be shown under Reservations:
 In the header: Total no. of reservations: This is ONLY the total number of reservations and does NOT include ILL requests.
 Line 3: Reservations: The totals here are only Current number of Reservations and only total number of ILL requests:

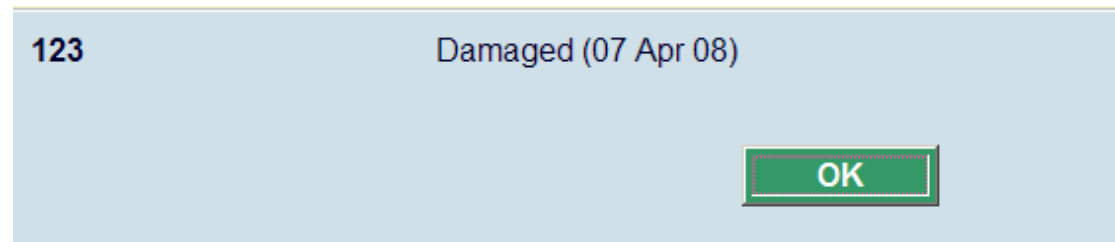
Total no. of reservations	1	
Total overdues sent	3, 0, 0, 0	
Abnormal transactions		
Smart card payments	0	
History / borrower status		
Code	Category	Value
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Suspensions	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Loans	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Reservations	1 ILL: 1

Options on the screen

Loan fee history for loan fee counter: This is similar to the **List items on loan** option (see below), but will only list those items loaned under the Loan fee counter functionality.

Output: This takes you to the standard form for output.

Previous barcodes: When you choose this option a window will pop up displaying the previous barcodes plus reasons for replacement (only available if a barcode has been replaced at least once).



Suspensions: Only active if the borrower is suspended.

Loans: this option takes you to the standard renewal screen as in AFO 413. See the Help for that AFO for more information on. From this screen you can also add or change the loan status of items on loan to this borrower. See also the Help for AFO 423 for more information on loan status changes.

Reservations: If the borrower has reservations, you are taken to the list of reservations for the borrower (as in AFO 415). If the borrower is blocked, you cannot add a new reservation. If the borrower has no reservations and is blocked, the message 'Borrower has no reservations' is displayed. If the borrower has no reservations and is not blocked, the system displays the message, "Borrower has no reservations. Do you want to add a new reservation?". If you click **OK**, you are taken to the screen displaying the empty list of reservations for this borrower (AFO 415) and you can proceed with adding a new reservation. If you click **Cancel**, nothing happens.

Accept payments: this option takes you to the accept payments screen as in AFO 414. See the Help for that AFO for more information.

Membership fees and security payments: this option takes you to an overview of payments made for membership and security deposits:

V-smart [1.0.01] - Windows Internet Explorer

Id: 1.20095/3084 User: tineke Location: PNB/BD AFO: 431

V-smart Settings Exit

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Borrower Carter, Betty 03/03/1933
Address Wyevale, Ont. - N2L 3G3

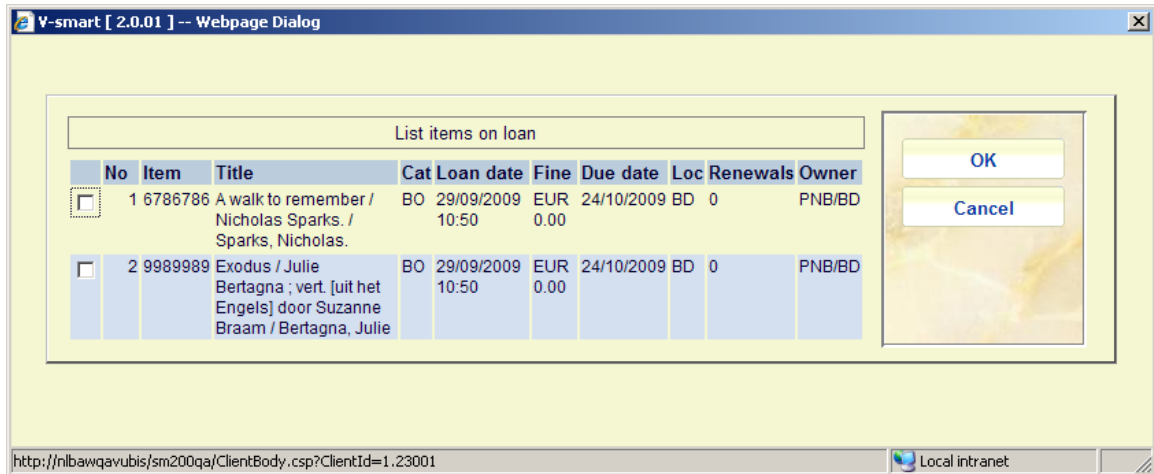
Membership fees and security payments

No.	Date	Transaction	Amount	Type	Item category	Note
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	06/05/2004	Payment Cash	+ 10.00	Membership fee		-
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	17/05/2002	Refund Cash	- 10.00	Membership fee		sfasdfsafds
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	15/04/2002	Payment Cash	+ 10.00	Membership fee		[Refunded 17/05/2002] -

If you have permission, you can refund amounts here.

Status: Only active if the borrower has one or more blocks.

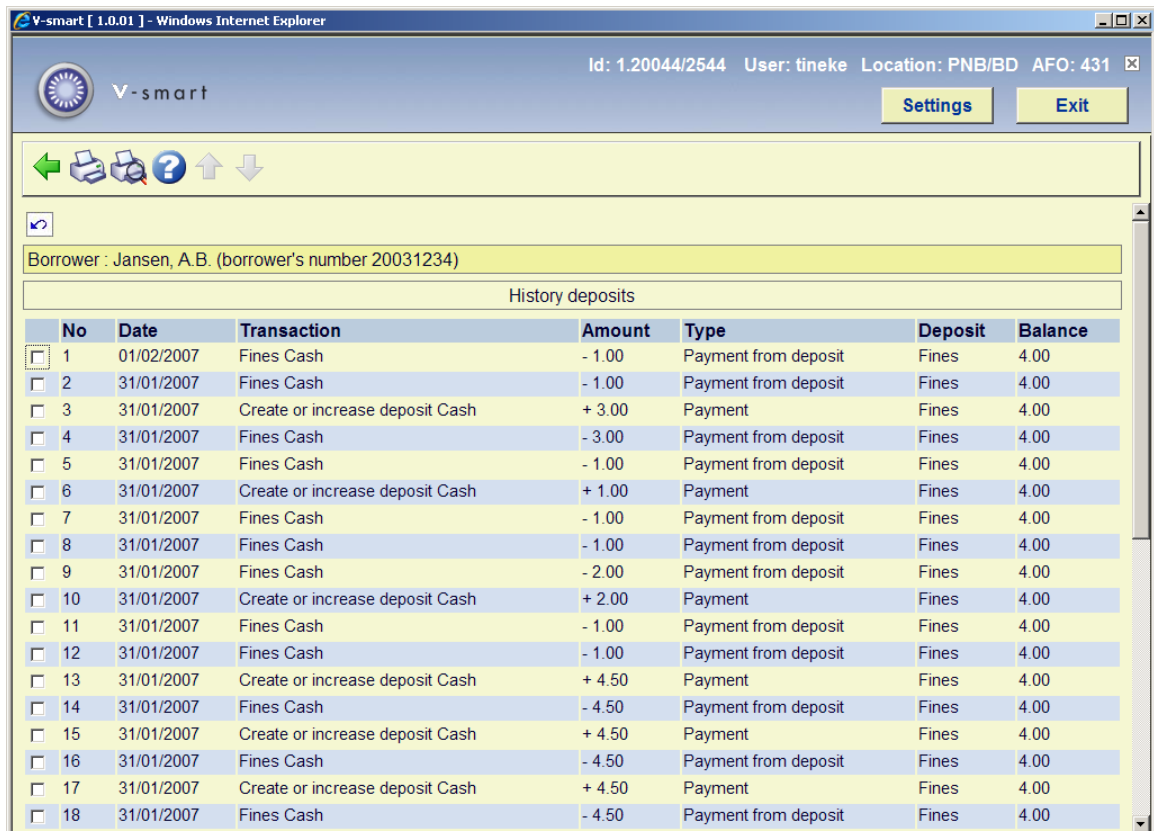
List items on loan: when you choose this option a pop-up screen with items currently on loan is displayed:



This form shows the item barcode, title, item category, loan date, fines currently due, due date location of the loan, the number of times renewed and the item's owning location (which may be different from the current managing location).

You can click on a line for more information on a particular transaction.

Deposit history: this option takes you to an overview of payments from and into the borrowers deposit account:



From this screen you can print a summary or a detailed report. The summary shows one line per transaction and is the same as on screen. The detailed report also shows additional information, such as session ID, cash register, name staff. Each line consists of: line number, date/time, transaction, amount, type, notes, session ID, cash register, name staff and balance.

Payment history: this option takes you to an overview of payments:

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "V-smart [2.0.01] - Windows Internet Explorer". The interface includes a header with user information: "Id: 1.23001/6876 User: Tineke Location: PNB/BD AFO: 431". Below the header is a navigation bar with icons for back, forward, search, and refresh. The main content area displays the "Borrower's financial history" for "Borrower : Oxley, Patrick (borrower's number 200399096X)".

No.	Date	Transaction	Amount	Type	Item category	Note
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 04/11/2009	Payment Bank transfer	+ 0.99	Sales		1 highlighter (0.99)
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 04/11/2009	Refund Cash	- 10.00	Membership fee		Error
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 04/11/2009	Payment Bank transfer	+ 5.00	Miscellaneous		Miscellaneous charge (Special invoice) [Inv-987]
<input type="checkbox"/>	4 04/11/2009	Refund [General refund]	- 1.00	Miscellaneous		Staff error (Mistake) [SE-1234]
<input type="checkbox"/>	5 15/12/2004	Payment Cash	+ 0.70	Reservations		The Magic Kingdom of Land {-N34}
<input type="checkbox"/>	6 15/12/2004	Payment Cash	+ 0.25	Loan fee	BO [16]	Reservation test dec15 / (234111)
<input type="checkbox"/>	7 23/11/2004	Payment Cash	+ 0.60	Reservations	BO [16]	Dragon Rigger / Jeffrey A. Carver (2334401)
<input type="checkbox"/>	8 08/11/2004	Payment Cash	+ 1.00	Sales		1 RAFFLE TICKET 00000150 {1.00}
<input type="checkbox"/>	9 08/11/2004	Payment Cash	+ 0.10	Reservations		12
<input type="checkbox"/>	10 08/11/2004	Payment Cash	+ 0.75	Loan fee	FS [27]	on vacation without my daugh / first statement of responsi (888)
<input type="checkbox"/>	11 28/10/2004	Waived Cash	± 1.00	Reservations		10
<input type="checkbox"/>	12 28/10/2004	Waived Cash	± 0.00	Reservations		9
<input type="checkbox"/>	13 28/10/2004	Waived Cash	± 0.60	Reservations		5
<input type="checkbox"/>	14 28/10/2004	Waived Cash	± 0.60	Reservations		4
<input type="checkbox"/>	15 28/10/2004	Waived Cash	± 0.60	Reservations		3
<input type="checkbox"/>	16 01/10/2004	Payment Cash	+ 10.00	Membership fee		-
<input type="checkbox"/>	17 01/10/2004	Payment Cash	+ 2.50	Enrolment		1 {2.5}

An explanation of some of the columns:

Transaction: The payment type (as defined in AFO 494) used.

Type: The category to which the payment belongs (e.g. sales via AFO 416, miscellaneous payments/refunds via AFO 417, membership fees via AFO 431 etc.).

Note: This column can contain:

- just a note (e.g. for refund of membership fee)
- for loan fees: the title

- for reservations: title information, as well as item barcode for an item that is available for pickup
- for sales: the article code, followed by *{price}*
- for miscellaneous payments and refunds via AFO 417: the Cash code (as defined in AFO 494), followed by *{note}*, followed by *[reference/invoice number]*

You can click on a line for more information on a particular transaction.

From here you can continue to the overview of payments made for membership and security deposits.

Loan plan history: this option goes with the Loan Plan functionality. See section 431.7.3 for more information.

Decrease Loan Plan counter: this option goes with the Loan Plan functionality. See section 431.7.3 for more information.

Transaction history: this option takes you to an overview of all transactions.

431.7.1 Other lines

The last section of lines on the details screen relate to information in various other modules of the system. Lines 10 and 11 on the borrower Details screen are more or less related.

It is possible to assign special statuses to items on loan to a borrower (see the Help on AFO's 413 and 481 for more information). See sections 431.7.1.1 en 431.7.1.2.

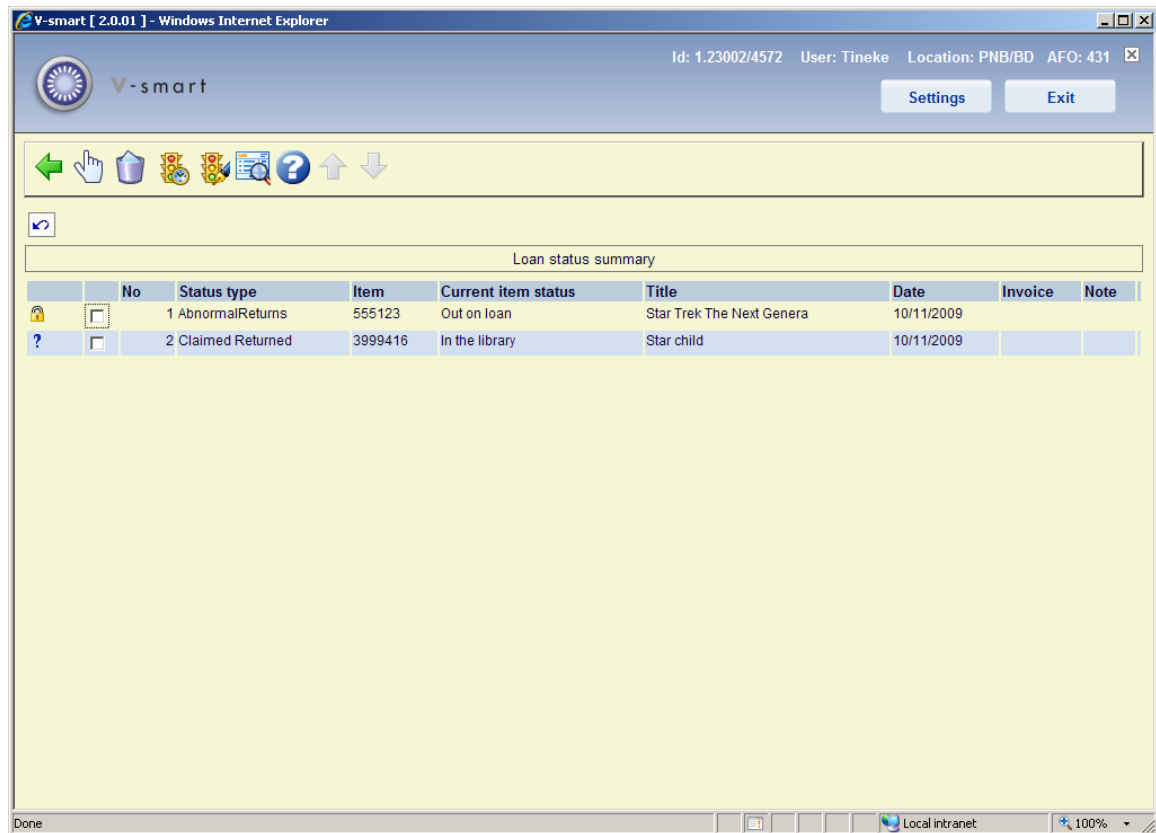
Line 12 provides information on routing lists within the serials module. See section 431.7.1.3.

Line 13 provides information on orders within the Acquisitions module. See section 431.7.1.4.

431.7.1.1 Current loan statuses

The figures in the window border show the totals of each type of loan status ever applied. Line 10 in the screen displays show the numbers of these considered to be "current" as defined by the settings for each type.

Selection of line 10 allows you to display a summary of all such transactions. After choosing line 10 an overview screen with loan status transactions is displayed:



The loan status summary display shows a grid with one line per transaction, in a manner very similar to the display of loans. Transactions will be shown in reverse date order i.e. most recent first.

This displays only the **current** setting (or if no current loan status) shows the previously saved status. (Thus for example it is possible to see that an item was returned from missing). An additional option on this grid listing allows ALL historic loan status transactions to be displayed, if they were set to be "retained".

The column Current item status shows the actual status of the item, E.g. a borrower said they had already returned the item (special loan status assigned was Claimed Returned) and since then the item has turned up. So the summary shows that the item once had this status, but it is now back on the shelf in the library.

Options on the screen

Display loan status details: select a transaction and then this option to display the details of the selected line.

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Loan status MISSING / Current

Status:

Added:

Invoice number:

Item:

Issue date:

Due date:

OK

Cancel

Help

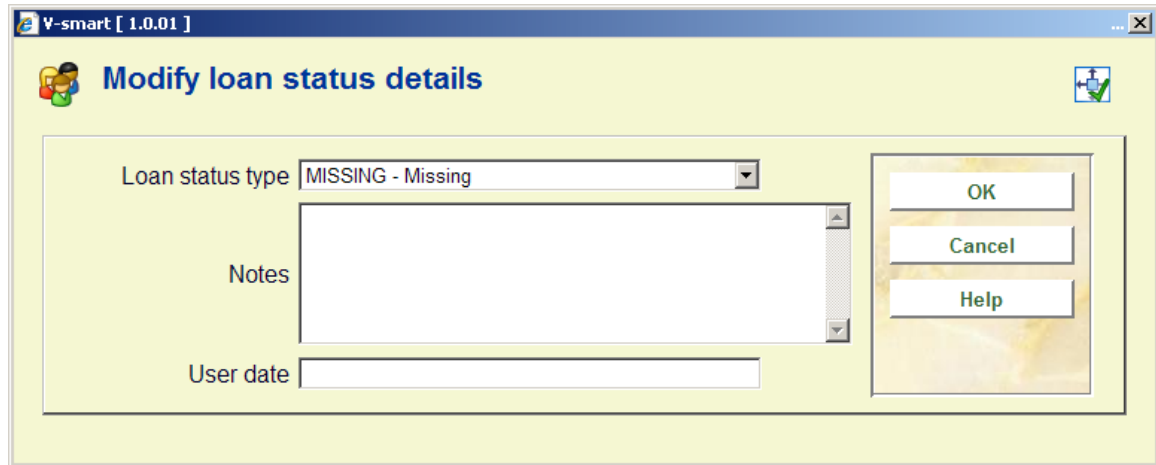
Delete: select a transaction and then this option to delete the selected line.

Display all transactions: to display all historic status changes. Items which have had a loan status set will have some of the details of the original loans together with relevant details of the loan status. When a loan status code changes, then we keep a history of these changes i.e. to track the change of claimed returned, to lost.(for example). This history will be displayed as well. Information retained and therefore displayed includes:

- Date / time set
- User who added this status setting
- Date / time (amended)
- User who amended this status setting.
- User date (textual form).
- Invoice number
- Borrower number and summary(when associated with a loan transaction)
- Overdue fine calculated
- Original loan date

- Original due date

Modify loan status details: select a transaction and then this option to modify the details of the selected line.

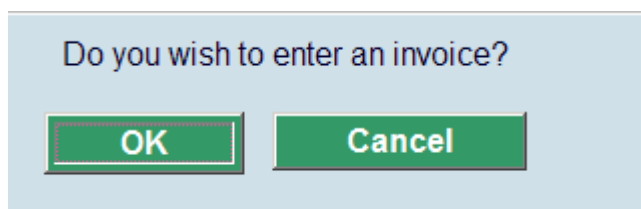


Goto invoice details: select a transaction and then this option to go to the invoice details screen for the selected line (when appropriate). This takes the user to the invoice display (if they have permissions for AFO495).

431.7.1.2 Invoices

Line 11 allows you to display a summary of invoices associated with this borrower. (Effectively this behaves as if you had used AFO495/View invoices by borrower- although line 11 is always shown, selection of this line does nothing unless you have privileges to AFO495).

It is possible to view/create invoices from line 11 in the Details display. When you choose this option in case no invoices have been created as yet, the system asks if you want to do so:

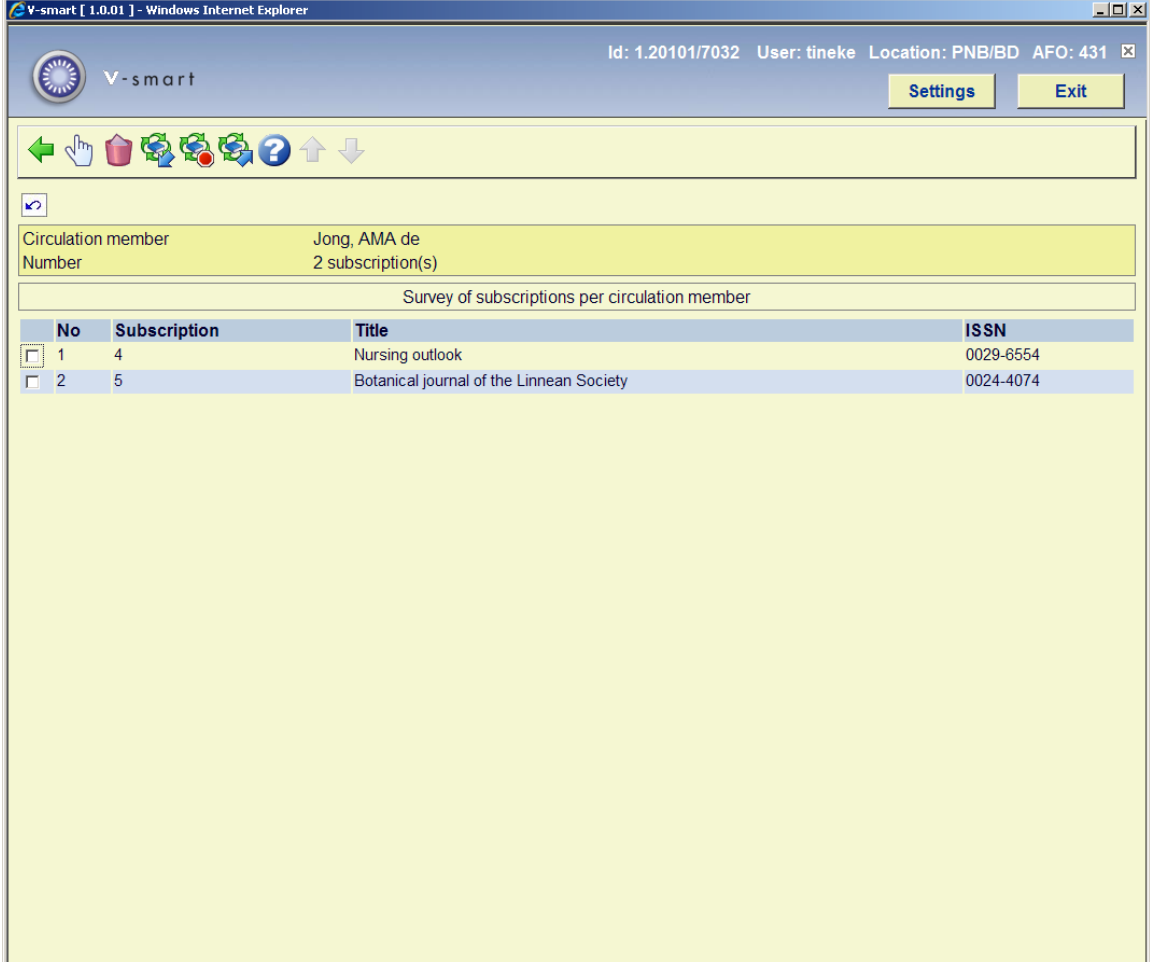


After clicking **OK** you will be taken to the AFO 495 screen (if you have permission) where a provisionary invoice has already been created.

If the borrower already has one or more invoices you will be taken to the AFO 495 screen, option View/create invoices by borrower (if you have permission).

431.7.1.3 Routing lists

It is possible to link borrower records to routing lists belonging to subscriptions within the serials module. You can view which lists the borrower is linked to by choosing line 12 from the Details screen. An overview will be presented:



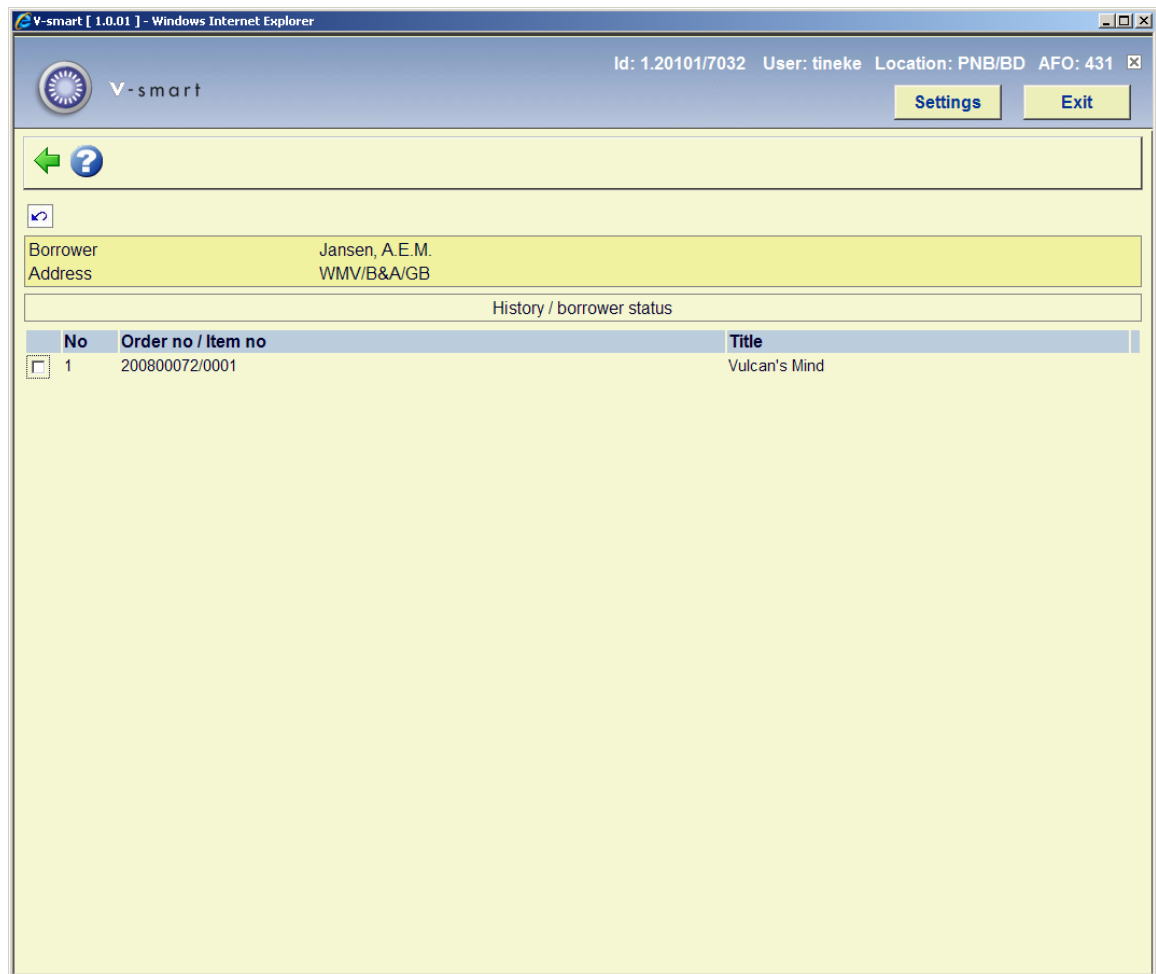
The screenshot shows the V-smart web application interface. At the top, the user is identified as 'tineke' with location 'PNB/BD' and AFO '431'. The interface includes a navigation bar with icons for back, home, search, and other functions. Below the navigation bar, the circulation member 'Jong, AMA de' is shown with '2 subscription(s)'. A table titled 'Survey of subscriptions per circulation member' displays the following data:

No	Subscription	Title	ISSN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	4	Nursing outlook	0029-6554
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	5	Botanical journal of the Linnean Society	0024-4074

By selecting a title from the list the individual details of a particular routing list can be viewed and modified.

431.7.1.4 Orders

It is possible to link borrowers as requestor to an order record within the acquisitions module. You can view which orders this borrower has requested by choosing line 13 from the Details screen. An overview will be presented:



By selecting a title from the list the individual details of a particular order can be viewed and modified.

431.7.2 Transactions

Transaction history: this option takes you to an overview of all transactions.

Transaction history allows you to view all the transactions that have involved the borrower in the V-smart Circulation module. So it shows transactions such as Loans, Returns and Renewals but also includes other transactions such as an update made to the borrower record, technical transactions and transactions that are created by overnight batch processing.

The information that is displayed is updated automatically and online, i.e. every time a borrower is involved in a circulation transaction.

Some of the information is also contained in the Payment History information.

The period during which the information is available is usually the current year and the previous year, but this might differ from system to system.

The screenshot shows the V-smart web application interface. At the top, it displays the user's session information: 'Id: 1.20002/5148', 'User: tineke', 'Location: PNB/BD', and 'AFO: 431'. Below this is a navigation bar with icons for back, forward, search, and other functions. The main content area shows a summary for the borrower 'Vandenbulken V. / Stichting Regionaal Centrum voor Welzijn' with 188 total transactions and 188 selected. Below the summary is a table of transactions with columns for No., Date, Transaction, Time, Transaction type, and Details.

No.	Date	Transaction	Time	Transaction type	Details
<input type="checkbox"/>	1 22/09/2008	61261.3233	15:02	Borrower block data updated (WebOpac)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 22/09/2008	61261.3232	15:02	Borrower block data updated	
<input type="checkbox"/>	3 26/08/2008	61234.6821	15:51	Borrower card block expiry date (Self Check)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	4 26/08/2008	61234.6820	15:51	Borrower card block expiry date (Telephone messaging)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	5 26/08/2008	61234.6819	15:51	Borrower card block expiry date (WebOpac)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	6 26/08/2008	61234.6818	15:51	Borrower record modified (new or modified)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	7 26/08/2008	61234.6817	15:48	Borrower block data updated	
<input type="checkbox"/>	8 26/08/2008	61234.6816	15:48	Payment	
<input type="checkbox"/>	9 26/08/2008	61234.21	13:29	Borrower card block expiry date (Self Check)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	10 26/08/2008	61234.20	13:29	Borrower card block expiry date (Telephone messaging)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	11 26/08/2008	61234.19	13:29	Borrower card block expiry date (WebOpac)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	12 26/08/2008	61234.18	13:29	Borrower record modified (new or modified)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	13 26/08/2008	61234.17	13:29	Removal of actual barcode	
<input type="checkbox"/>	14 26/08/2008	61234.16	13:28	Borrower card block expiry date (Self Check)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	15 26/08/2008	61234.15	13:28	Borrower card block expiry date (Telephone messaging)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	16 26/08/2008	61234.14	13:28	Borrower card block expiry date (WebOpac)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	17 26/08/2008	61234.13	13:28	Borrower card block expiry date	
<input type="checkbox"/>	18 26/08/2008	61234.12	13:28	Borrower record modified (new or modified)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	19 26/08/2008	61234.11	13:20	Borrower card block expiry date (Self Check)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	20 26/08/2008	61234.10	13:20	Borrower card block expiry date (Telephone messaging)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	21 26/08/2008	61234.9	13:20	Borrower card block expiry date (WebOpac)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	22 26/08/2008	61234.8	13:20	Borrower record modified (new or modified)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	23 26/08/2008	61234.7	13:17	Borrower card block expiry date (Self Check)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	24 26/08/2008	61234.6	13:17	Borrower card block expiry date (Telephone messaging)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	25 26/08/2008	61234.5	13:17	Borrower card block expiry date (WebOpac)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	26 26/08/2008	61234.4	13:17	Borrower record modified (new or modified)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	27 18/08/2008	61226.2	11:06	Borrower notices	

For each transaction the system displays the date, the time, the transaction number and the transaction type. The Details column is reserved for future use.

Note

Each line represents a transaction as defined in the V-smart circulation context. For example if 6 items are lent to a borrower during the same Loans session, V-smart counts this as one transaction, represented by one line on the screen.

Options on the screen

View details – The system displays a pop-up window that shows the transaction details. See section 431.7.2.1.

Output – The output option is used to send the transactions to a valid device or application. The Standard output form is displayed.

Filter – The filter option is used to restrict the transactions that are displayed. See section 431.7.2.2.

Savelist – The savelist option is used to store the transactions in an existing or a new savelist of the type Circulation transactions. After the transactions have been stored in the savelist, they are available for further SSP actions in AFO 141 Savelist management.

View notice: Select a transaction of the type 'borrower notice' and then this option to view a copy of the notice sent to the borrower.
This depends on a system wide option (in AFO 483 – Mailmerge parameters – Notice sets – Notice type maintenance) that may be set for mailmerged notices to always save the individual notices. In this case, the system will save each set of notices as a unique file as defined in the ini file for the print processor that will output the notice. The file name generated will be returned from the mailmerge macro to Vubis, which in turn will add this to the transaction record. If the library chose to keep their notices then it will be possible to see the notice actually sent to the borrowers.

431.7.2.1 Transactions (details)

The system displays a pop-up window that shows the transaction details. This shows the date and time of the transaction, information on where the transaction took place, the staff user id, the borrower barcode and name, and the number of actions.

The example below shows one return transaction (1 item returned):

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No.	Criteria	Data
General information		
	Date of transaction	20/05/2008
	Number of transaction	20
	Time of transaction	14:37
	Institution	PNB
	Location	BD
	User id	tineke
	Session id	1
	Cash register	1
	Work station	nldbntbuul1.infor.com
	Transaction type	Return (12)
	Borrower id	00020867
	Name	Jansen, A.E.M.
	Barcode: Barcode	2008477
	Number of actions	1
Transaction 1		
	[Return] C-fly item	
	[Return] Date	
	[Return] Administrative costs for return at another location	0.00
	[Return] Due date	
	[Return] Fine	0.00
	[Return] Item id	801005 [New monthly july 25.] [PNB_BD Test Per]
	[Return] Reserved (0 1)	

Cancel

If the parameter "Borrower transaction history – show what was modified" in AFO 481 – Miscellaneous – Circulation transactions – Borrowers is ON, additional information will be displayed in the details of a transaction. The system will for instance show a change in borrower category with both old and new category codes:

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No.	Criteria	Data
General information		
	Date of transaction	26/10/2009
	Number of transaction	37
	Time of transaction	12:06
	Institution	PNB
	Location	BD
	User id	Tineke
	Session id	1
	Cash register	1
	Work station	nldbntbuul1.infor.com
	Transaction type	Borrower record modified (new or modified) (30.1)
	Borrower id	200500007
	Name	Jansen, Ria
	Barcode: Barcode	200500007
	Number of actions	1
Transaction 1		
	Data modified in borrower record (data)	43586_2_PNB_BD_Tineke_1_1_nldbntbuul1.infor.com-30.1-200500007-1
	Data modified in borrower record (id)	43586_2_PNB_BD_Tineke_1_1_nldbntbuul1.infor.com-30.1-200500007-1
	Membership fee: Borrower category	RNV --> EPA
	Membership fee: Expiry date	01/01/2006 --> 01/01/2010
	Outstanding membership fee: Outstanding membership fee	EUR 0.00 --> EUR 71.25

Cancel

http://nlbawqavubis/sm200qa/ClientBody.csp?ClientId=1.23003 Local intranet

General information

Label	Data	Comments
Transaction date	Date on which the transaction occurred	
Number of transaction	The number of the transaction within the Date	The combination of Date and Number make each transaction unique
Transaction time	Time at which the transaction occurred	
Institution	Institution where the transaction occurred	
Location	Location where the transaction occurred	
User id	Staff user that performed the transaction	The User id is WebOpac if the transaction was done by the borrower through the WebOpac
Session id	Cash management session id	
Cash register	Cash register that was linked to the session	

Work station	Work station id	This is the <i>logical</i> work station id, which can have many formats (e.g. ip address)
Transaction type	Transaction id type	This is a number that identifies the transaction (see below for the list of valid transaction types)
Borrower id	Id of the borrower (original barcode)	
Name	Borrower name	
Barcode	Actual barcode of the borrower	
Number of actions	Number of actions in the transaction	In case of Loans this is the number of items that were lent, in case of Returns the number of items that were returned, in case of Payments the number of debts that were paid, etc.

Transaction types

The following transaction types are valid:

<i>Transaction id</i>	<i>Transaction wording</i>
11	Loan
12	Return
13	Renewal
15	Payment
16	Reservation (new)
17	Refunds / miscellaneous payments
18	Deposit refund
19	Payment from deposit
21	Reservation modification (new expiry date)
22	Reservation (change priorities)
27	Reservation trapped through picklist/reservation messaging

27.02	Reservation trap period storage
27.1	Reservation (return via request module)
28	Automatic waiver
29	Loan status amendment
30.1	Borrower record modified (new or modified)
30.10	Storage of postage costs in borrower record
30.11	Change to 'summary info' in borrower record
30.12	Payment of contribution; update borrower record
30.13	Create an 'open' contribution fee
30.14	Create deposit info in borrower record
30.15	Circulation note deleted
30.16	Process contribution in borrower record
30.17	Storage of dates related to (automatic) invoicing
30.18	Put borrower on suspension
30.19	Update contribution data following automatic renewal of card validity
30.2	Update claim history of borrower
30.20	Modification of loan parameters in borrower record
30.21	Adjust expiry date (and pay full membership if applicable)
30.22	Adjust expiry date and recalculate membership
30.23	Borrower block data updated
30.231	<i>Borrower block data updated (WebOpac)</i>
30.232	<i>Borrower block data updated (Telephone messaging)</i>
30.233	<i>Borrower block data updated (Self Check)</i>
30.24	Increase number of renewals during loan
30.25	Change to the individual maximum of loans
30.26	Add card id

30.27	Delete card id
30.28	Update PIN code
30.29	Update photo
30.3	Registration of 'abnormally returned items'
30.30	Update index following delete of borrower record
30.31	Update index following import of borrower record
30.32	Opening a deposit
30.33	Changes to additional borrower cards
30.34	Removal of a deposit
30.35	SIP2/Netloan Library function
30.4	Payment of contribution
30.5	Remove deposit info from borrower record
30.58	Circulation note added/modified
30.59	PIN code (re)generated
30.6	Change to contribution data (in borrower record)
30.62	Web service Borrower addresses
30.63	Borrower card block with expiry date
30.631	Borrower card block with expiry date (WebOpac)
30.632	Borrower card block with expiry date (Telephone messaging)
30.633	Borrower card block with expiry date (SelfCheck)
30.7	Change to suspension history
30.8	Removal of actual barcode
30.81	Borrower card replacement reason (Card not yet replaced)
30.811	Undo borrower card replacement reason
30.9	Delete borrower record
30.10	Storage of post costs in borrower record

30.20	Modification of loan parameters in borrower record
30.30	Update index following delete of borrower record
31	Payment of contribution (coincides with type 33)
32	Delete borrower
33	Payment of contribution
35	Credit card pay accepted
36	Credit card pay submitted
37	Credit card payment
38	CardHolder payment failed
39	Credit card pay failed
40	Add renewal administration fee
41	Collection fee
42	Copyright tax code
43	Change due date
44	Floating stock
51	e-Loan
60.1	Action related to cash register
62	Statistical log
70	Request costs
71	New Stack Request
72	Request becomes active
73	Request trapped
74	Borrower notice
76	Request cancelled
77	Request completed
78	Fee for request raised

85	Payment waived
86	Waivers of contribution
88	Create open deposit
89	Remission from deposit
90	Enrolment fees
91	Payback (deposit, contribution, 'free')
95	'Book fee'
96	Administrative fees
97	Costs for new card
99	Sales (no payment)
115	Payment – Bank
133	Payment of contribution - Bank transfer
215	Payment – Acceptgiro
233	Payment of contribution - Accept giro
315	Payment – Card
333	Payment of contribution - Card
415	Payment – Account
433	Payment of contribution – Account
515	Payment – Pin
533	Payment of contribution - Pin
615	Payment – Chip
633	Payment of contribution - Chip

Action specific information

For each action information is given dependent on the type of transaction. For example for each item lent the system shows the time, item barcode, any loan fee and whether there is a

reservation for the item. The following table contains an overview of the valid transaction types.

431.7.2.2 Transactions (filter)

After choosing this option the following form will be displayed:

Filter is active: No

From date 25/05/2008

Until date 27/05/2008

Transaction type

- Action related to cash register
- Add card id
- Add renewal administration fee
- Adjust expiry date (and pay full me
- Adjust expiry date and recalculate

Institution/location

- BACK (PNB) - BACKOFFICE
- BD (PNB) - BD
- BRA (PNB) - BRA
- CEN (PNB) - CENTRAL LIBRARY
- CL (PNB) - CENTRAL LIBRARY F

Save settings

OK

Cancel

Help

Clear all

The following options are available:

- **From date** select a date from the drop-down box. Note that the display includes the date selected.
- **Until date** select a date from the drop-down box. Note that the display includes the date selected.
- **Transaction type** select one or more transaction types from the left side and use the arrow to move to the right side.
- **Institution/location** select one or more locations from the left side and use the arrow to move to the right side.

Note

You can select more than one filter at the same time. The filter is retained for your user login until you change the filter. Use the **Clear all** button to remove all the filters.

431.7.3 Loan Plan

See also the general information on [Loan Plan](#).

There are two options on the details screen of a borrower related to Loan Plan: **Loan plan history** and **Decrease Loan Plan counter**.

These options are only active when:

- Loan Plan is in use
- This borrower belongs to a Loan Plan borrower category **and** already has Loan Plan transactions.

When a borrower has a Loan Plan type subscription, the corresponding counters are shown in the protected upper part of the details screen:

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Id: 1.20103/7264 User: tineke Location: PNB/BD AFO: 431

V-smart Settings Exit

Borrower: Lono Leent, van
 Address: Amstelveen

Last loan: 30/01/2007

Total no. of loans: 2
 Loans this year: 0
 Total no. of reservations: 0
 Total overdues sent: 1, 1, 1, 1
 Abnormal transactions:
 Smart card payments: 0

Loan plan: eng1 - 5 free loans still available
 Loan plan: Tvb test (eng) - 3 free loans still available
 Loan plan: Tvb test (eng) - 0 free renewals still available
 Loan plan: eng1 - 10 loans still available
 Loan plan: Tvb test (eng) - 0 loans still available

History / borrower status

Code	Category	Value
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Suspensions	2
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Loans	1
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Reservations	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	Unpaid balance	EUR 24.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 5	Membership fees and security payments	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 6	Status	Blocked!
<input type="checkbox"/> 7	WebOpac status	Blocked!
<input type="checkbox"/> 8	Telephone messaging status	Blocked!
<input type="checkbox"/> 9	SelfCheck status	Blocked!
<input type="checkbox"/> 10	Current special loan statuses	
<input type="checkbox"/> 11	Invoices	1
<input type="checkbox"/> 12	Routing lists	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 13	Purchase orders	0

The counters are also shown when the buttons are not yet active.

431.7.3.1 Loan Plan history

After choosing the option **Loan plan history** an overview screen will pop up with a list of loans within the Loan Plan subscriptions:

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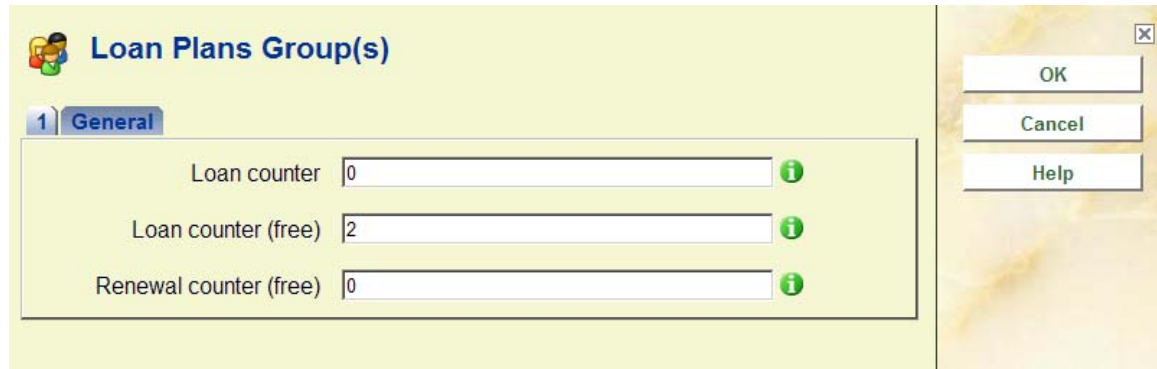
No	Date	Transaction	Due date	Object	Group	Remainder	Title	Location	Object grouping
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	30/01/2007	Loan	24/02/2007	200710001 test	5		Frances test authority in	PNB/BD	BO counter Tvb test (dut)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	30/01/2007	Loan	24/02/2007	200710002 test	0		Frances test authority in	PNB/BD	BO counter Tvb test (dut)
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	31/01/2007	Renewal	28/02/2007	200710002 test	0		Frances test authority in	PNB/BD	BO free renewal Tvb test (dut)

Cancel

This screen is for information purposes only.

431.7.3.2 Correct Loan Plan counter

After choosing the option **Decrease Loan Plan counter** a screen with the Loan Plan counters will be shown:



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Loan Plans Group(s)". It has a close button (X) in the top right corner. Below the title bar is a tab labeled "1 General". The main area contains three input fields: "Loan counter" with value "0", "Loan counter (free)" with value "2", and "Renewal counter (free)" with value "0". Each input field has a green information icon (i) to its right. On the right side of the dialog, there are three buttons: "OK", "Cancel", and "Help".

Here you can increase or decrease one or more counters. The value can not be less than 0. The value can not be higher than the maximum set in the parameters.

Examples:

When a borrower still has 10 loans to go and you set the **Loan counter** to 3, the remainder will now be 7. I.e. you have told the system 3 **more** loans have taken place than were counted.

When a borrower still has 10 loans to go and you set the **Loan counter** to 0, the remainder will now be the original maximum for the subscription. I.e. you have told the system **no** loans have taken place yet at all.

Note

The information in the counters in the protected upper part of the details screen is **not** refreshed after the adjusting the counters.

- **Document control - Change History**

Version	Date	Change description	Author
1.0	June 2008	creation	
1.1	October 2008	replaced some screen shots; new options for post code maintenance; new option transaction history; info on printing mailmerged labels	
2.0	October 2009	new option Contact events; new loan fee history option; special loan status now also shows current status; new transaction types; better info on linked records; additional info on various fields; new features additional cards; new field for future borrower category; focus for barcode replacement is now 481 parameter; columns on search screen part of 2.0 updates	
3.0	August 2010	Added info on registration confirmation; new options for renewals and address changes for related borrowers; new option to remove picture link; new display of stack request info; contact methods; textual improvements; Interlibrary Loan details; enhancement of Reservation option part of 2.0.06 updates	