

Ex Libris: ALMA

As published in Ex Libris Road Map highlights document, available publically [here](#), the following is a high-level overview of our planned BIBFRAME support:

- H2 2017
 - Expose MARC21 records in BIBFRAME 2.0 via publishing, API, and a UI record view
- 2018
 - BIBFRAME Record Editing – Proof of Concept for native BIBFRAME cataloging within Alma
 - Import in BIBFRAME Format resulting in a native BIBFRAME record

Once the functionality indicated in Ex Libris road map is implemented, Alma will support the same end-to-end workflows for metadata cataloged in MARC variants, DC or BIBFRAME.

From: Alma Roadmap Highlights 2017 –2018

https://knowledge.exlibrisgroup.com/@api/deki/files/53423/Alma_Roadmap_Highlight.pdf?revision=1

Import in BIBFRAME Format

Customer Value: It will be possible to import records into the Alma catalog using BIBFRAME as the exchange format.

Feature Highlights: Libraries will be able to integrate Alma's catalog with external applications using BIBFRAME APIs and Open Platform

From: Alma Roadmap Overview July 2017

https://knowledge.exlibrisgroup.com/@api/deki/files/40794/Alma_Roadmap_Overview.pdf?revision=9

Advanced Metadata Management:

Near Term: Publish/View Records in BIBFRAME format

Longer Term: Import in BIBFRAME format

Open Platform:

Longer Term: BIBFRAME Export