

BL/LIB is a fully automated tape library system that operates in a database environment. Easy to set up and use, BL/LIB provides maximum control over your tape files with a minimum expenditure of personnel resources. BL/LIB is easy to install, provides ease and efficiency in updating, supports various methods of tape storage and retention, thoroughly monitors tape usage and storage, prevents inadvertent purging of tapes, and automatically identifies input tapes.

F E A T U R E S :

- Comprehensive, yet simple to use
- Online/instantaneous updating, inquiry, and maintenance
- Real-time logging of tapes
- Automatic logging of input tapes
- Security governed by usercode privilege parameters
- Complete editing of all data both for validity and consistency
- No inadvertent purging of tapes
- Unlimited comment capability on any tape
- Automatic retention of important system information such as job name, job number, task number, chargecode, etc.
- System implemented with the Unisys DMSII Database System
- Automatic recovery
- Automatic identification of input tapes
- Maintenance of cycle/version information
- Off-site tape tracking
- Multi Unisys system capability
- Multi hardware vendor capability
- Tape usage forecasting capability
- Unlimited growth potential
- Automatic control of tape movement
- Automatic control of tape scratching
- Automatic control of tape cleaning/replacement
- File retention by days, generations or both
- Tapes from DS-ed tasks identified
- File storage by application or serial number
- Extensive reporting capabilities
- Excellent user documentation
- Variable site parameters
- Extended file name option, up to 34 characters
- User interface via formatted screens
- Real-time support for multiple systems via BNA on TCP/IP
- Robotic support for multiple automatic tape libraries (ATL's)



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