Implementing SUSHI for COUNTER 5 in Alma

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Background

 As of January 2020, Alma is fully compliant with COUNTER release 5

The Assessment Librarian needs reports on usage data of ebooks and ejournals



What is SUSHI and COUNTER?

SUSHI protocol: Standardized Usage Statistics
 Harvesting Initiative

 COUNTER stands for Counting Online Usage of Networked Electronic Resources

Counter Release 5 (R5) vs Counter Release 4 (R4)



Planning and Timeline

- Limitation of manpower
- Limitation of time
- Divided by ebooks and ejournals
- September to November 2020 for ebooks
- March to June 2021 for ejournals
- Planner to keep track of our progress



Instructions:

- Documents
 - Managing COUNTER-Compliant Usage Data
 - GIL Wiki
- Videos from Exlibris
 - Adding SUSHI Account
 - COUNTER Release 5 Usage Data Harvesting in Alma and Alma Analytics
 - Reload Usage Data Files that Failed to Upload



Useful Documents While Adding Counter 5 Reports

- Registry of compliant publishers and vendors
- Alma SUSHI-Certified Vendors
- COUNTER Report names and explanations



Roles in Alma

- Vendor Manager
- Usage Data Operator



Example

(Taylor & Francis)

- Log in to Alma
- Acquisition
- Vendor



Purchase Order Lines

Order Without Inventory Review (PO line)

Claim

Renew

Review Deferred

Manage Trials

Manage EDI Tasks

Purchase Order (PO)

Package

Review (PO)

Approve

Delete PO

Purchase Requests

Create Purchase Request

Manage Purchase

Requests

Check Availability and

Pricing

Receiving and Invoicing

Import

Manage Import Profiles

Import

Monitor and View Imports

Resolve Import Issues

Load Usage Data

Delete Usage Data

Acquisitions Infrastructure

★ Vendors

Funds and Ledgers

Transfer Funds

Move Funds In Hierarchy

Licenses

License Template

Advanced Tools

Exchange Rates Report

Rollover Ledgers

Rollover PO Lines

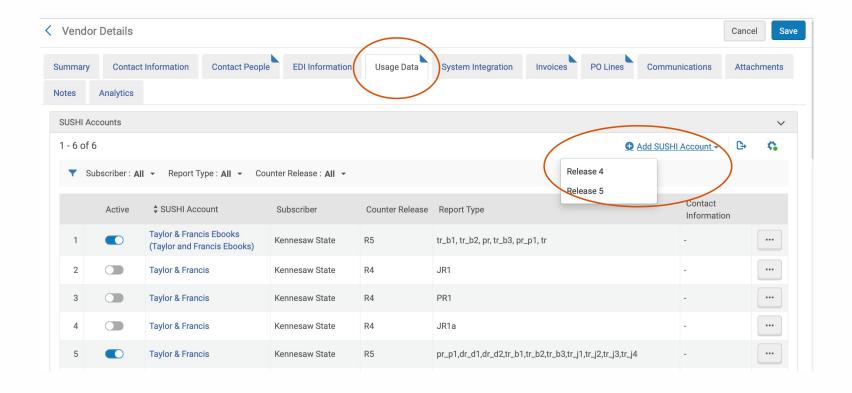
Rollover Resource Sharing

Requests

Potron Drivon Acquisition



- i. Select Vendor
- ii. Select Usage Data tab
- iii. Select Add SUSHI Account



• Find instruction from the vendor site and/or Registry of compliant publishers and vendors



COUNTER Version: 5

tandfonline.com

SUSHI Contact Name:

SUSHI Contact Email: support@tandfonline.com

Instructions:

Platform:

Server URL: http://www.tandfonline.com:80/api/soap/services/SushiService/

The highlighted fields you need to obtain from your vendor account.

Mail address of the account administrator

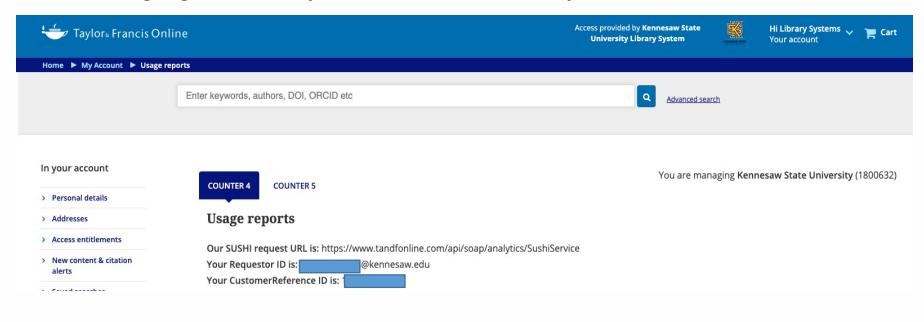
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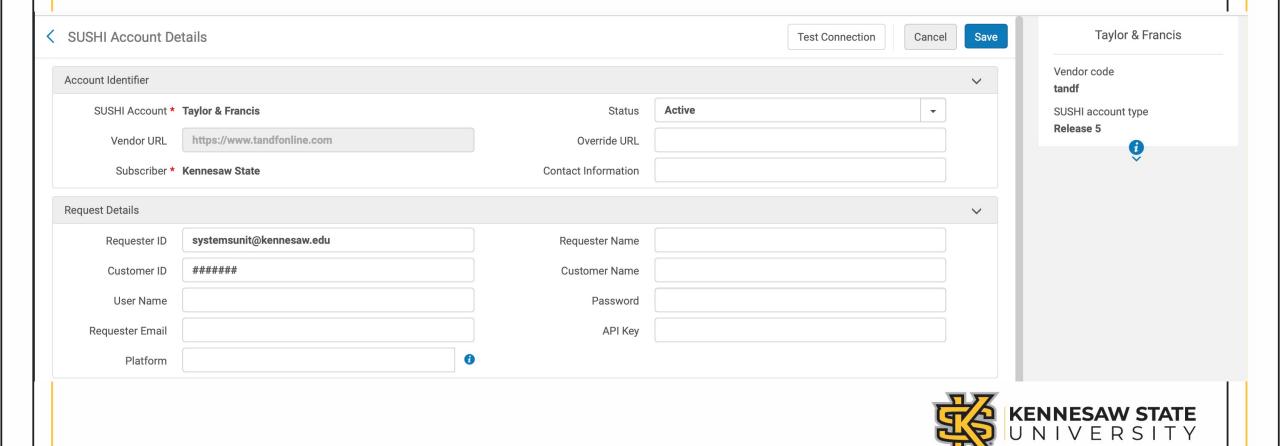
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About Customer ID:

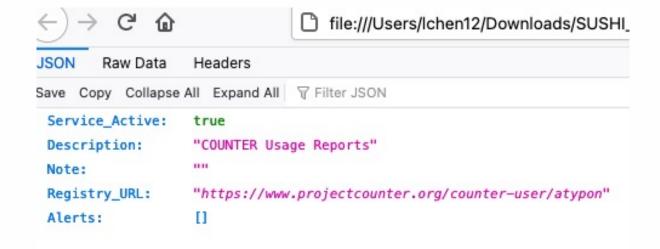
Submitted:



Enter account information. Test connection.



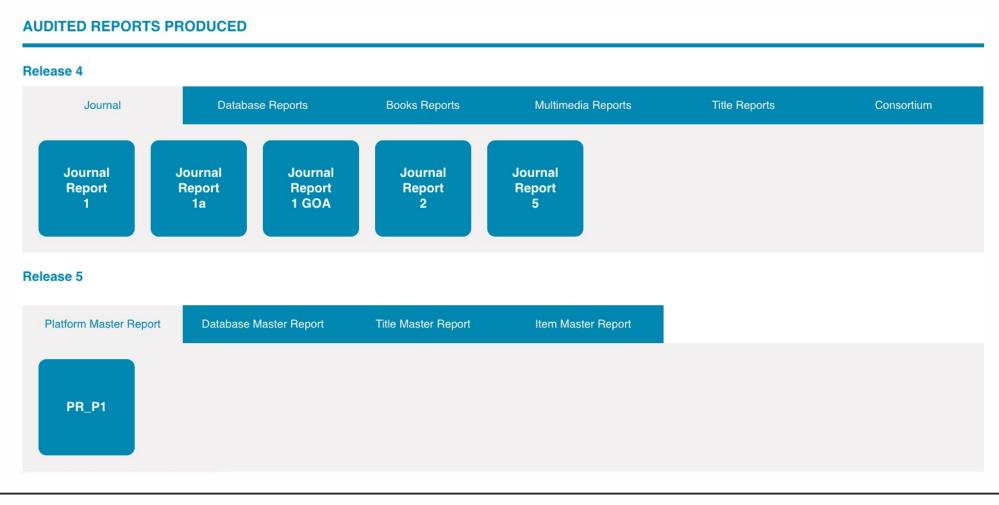
Connection Test



Open Json file; if Service_active is true then there is a valid connection. Sometimes there is a note about the service.



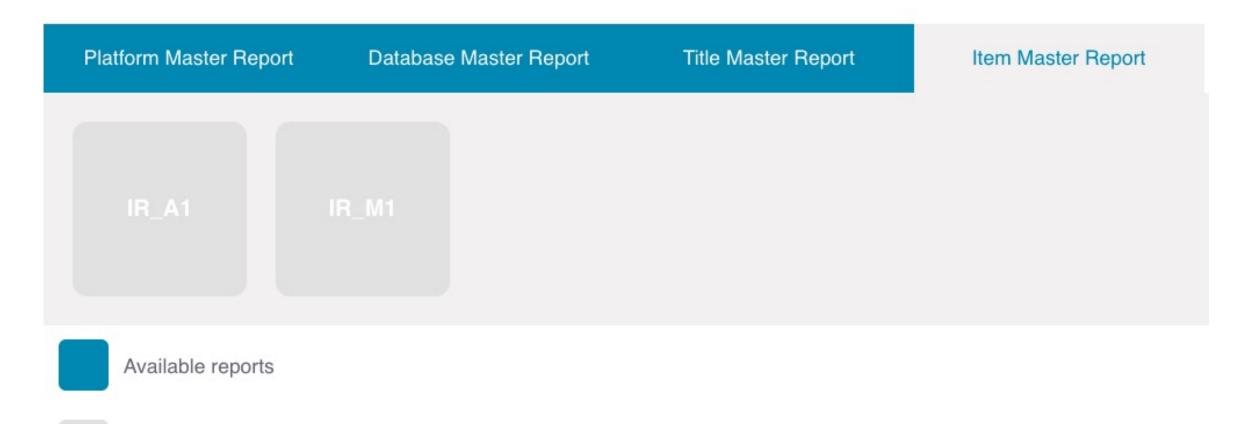
Here are the report types available for the vendor from the Project Counter registry



Release 5 Platform Master Report **Database Master Report** Title Master Report Item Master Report DR_D1 DR_D2 Release 5 Item Master Report Platform Master Report Database Master Report Title Master Report TR_J2 TR_J4 TR_B1 TR_B2 TR_B3 TR_J1 TR_J3 Available reports KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY Unavailable reports

Release 5

Unavailable reports



Add reports

Cancel

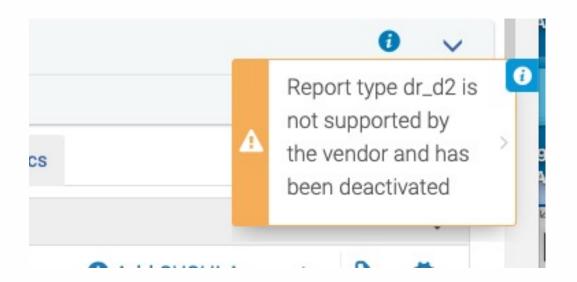
Usage Rep	ort Types			
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	Active	Report Type	Description	COUNTER Release
1		pr_p1	COUNTER 'Platform Usage' [pr_p1]	R5
2		dr_d1	COUNTER 'Database Search and Item Usage' [DR_D1]	R5
3		dr_d2	COUNTER 'Database Search and Item Usage' [DR_D2]	R5
4		tr_b1	COUNTER 'Book Requests (Excluding OA_Gold)' [TR_B1]	R5
5		tr_b2	COUNTER 'Access Denied by Book'[TR_B2]	R5
6		tr_b3	COUNTER 'Book Usage by Access Type' [TR_B3]	R5
7		tr_j1	COUNTER 'Journal Requests (Excluding OA_Gold)' [TR_J1]	R5
8		tr_j2	COUNTER 'Access Denied by Journal' [TR_J2]	R5
9		tr_j3	COUNTER 'Journal Usage by Access Type ' [TR_J3]	R5
10		tr_j4	COUNTER 'Journal Requests by YOP (Excluding OA_Gold)' [TR_J4]	R5

Make sure you save your work!



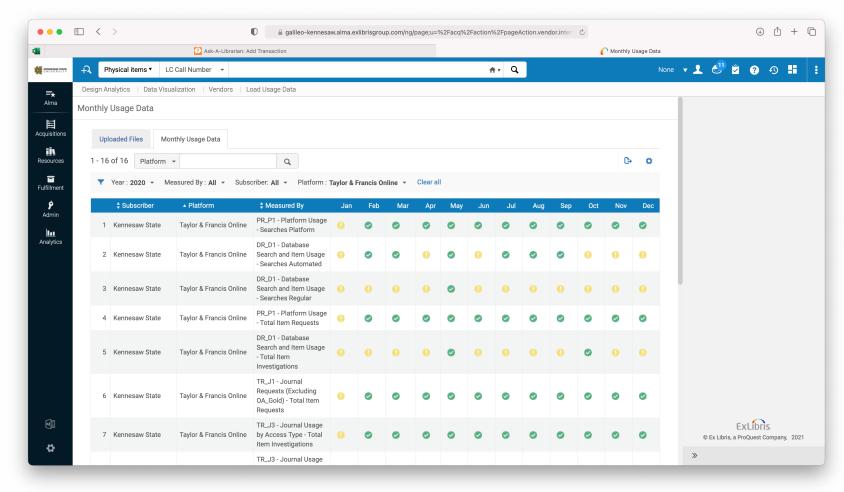
Report type is wrong

 If you put a wrong report type you may get a notice that the report is deactivated





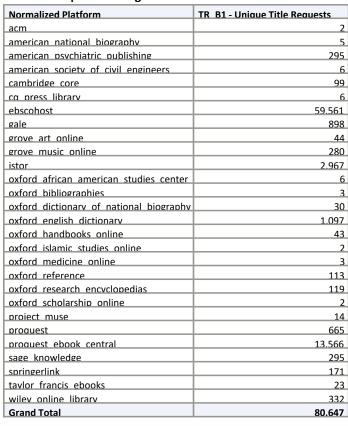
Monthly Usage Data



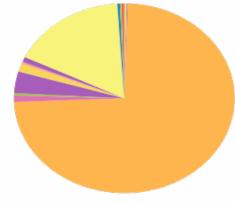


Analytics report using R5 usage data

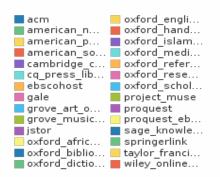
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TR B1 - Unique Title Requests



TR_B1 - Unique Title Requests





Review & Discussion

- Alma can gather usage data for you automatically after a one-time setup process.
 - Gather your resources ahead of time.
 - Conflicting information about credentials may require research, testing, and perseverance on your part.
- That data can be pulled into reports in Analytics.



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