NOVELBRANCH

Intelligent Reserves Lending

NovelBranch is a secure cabinet equipped with RFID-enabled shelves from which students can easily check reserves out and return.

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With many students carrying full course loads, it can be difficult to get critical library material during standard hours. Extend your reach with NovelBranch! NovelBranch is a standalone unit that can be placed inside or outside the Library but still within campus buildings. Selecting a location where students can access the material at any given hour (day or night), increases the library's outreach significantly. This greater outreach also sets students up for greater success in their studies.

With its transparent door, equipped with an electronic lock, NovelBranch is opened with the presentation of a library card. Once the door is closed, a receipt is printed with the list of material taken out of NovelBranch and their due date. Returning is super easy too: present the card, open the door, place materials back on the shelf. An intuitive user interface will help guide students.
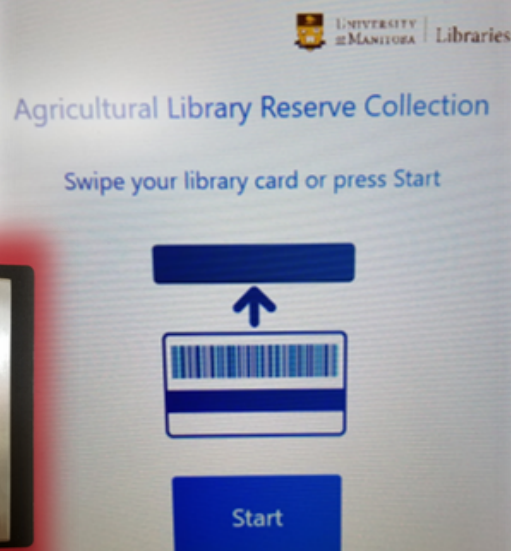
NovelBranch communicates to your ILS through SIP2 and uses RFID technology. The software has a full featured staff mode from which you can run inventory reports.

University of Manitoba's NovelBranch pictured with the custom card reader option.

Specifications

125 books, 5 shelves
12" screen
80 mm thermal printer
100-240V input voltage
503 D X 1351 W X 1920 H mm
RFID: ISO15693, 18000-3-1
RFID data models: ISO28560, Danish
Patron card: barcode, Mifare
Pin code entry: touchscreen
Network Connectivity: TCP/IP
ILS Connectivity: SIP, SIP2