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Dear CMC and Catalog Dept.,

Recently LSO began using field 993 to identify characteristics of some bib records for use in create-list inquiries.  For reference please see the AskTico document "9xx local field use" (<http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/asktico/data-definition/9xx-local-field-use>).

One of the markers used in bib field 993 is "Unlinked analytic".  It will be found in many analytic bib records where the item is not correctly linked to both parent and child records.

As we know, many analytic V/C's were not correctly linked in Gladis, and these migrated as incorrectly linked item records to Millennium (typically, the "real" item record and one or more duplicate item records).

If you fix the item linking for an analytic bib record that has a 993 with "Unlinked analytic", please remove that 993 once the item linking has been fixed.

Thank you,

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