

Appendix

Export Format (Comma- or Tab-delimited)

If you export the OffLine catalog in delimited format, then OffLine will produce a structured file suitable for use by most database and spreadsheet applications. To make it easier for you to import the resulting file to another application, the format of the exported file is presented here.

The exported file consists of one record for each file in the OffLine catalog. Each record consists of 9 fields. In a comma-delimited file, each field is enclosed in double quotes, and fields are separated (delimited) with a comma. In a tab-delimited file, there are no quotes, and fields are separated by a tab character.

1.

Disk serial number, as assigned when the disk was catalogued.

Example: 226

2.

Full pathname, consisting of the disk name and any folder names, if the file is in a folder.

Example: My Program Disk:Letters:July

3.

File name

Example: Letter to Mom

4.

File description

Example: MacWrite document

5.

File creation date

Example: 7/12/90

6.

Last modification date (or version number)

7.

File size, in bytes.

Example: 28603

8.

File creator

Example: MACA

9.

File type

Example: WORD