

# Creating Prediction Patterns

There are two ways to create a prediction pattern to use in receiving issues of a serial title:

1. Create a prediction pattern from a pattern template
2. Add a new prediction pattern from scratch

The screenshot shows a software interface for managing predictions. At the top, there are four tabs: 'Manage Subscriptions', 'Manage Predictions' (which is highlighted with a red box), 'Manage Issues', and 'Manage MFHDs'. Below the tabs, there is a section labeled 'At' with a dropdown menu set to 'RDG'. To the right of this is a 'select subscription to work on' dropdown showing 'Subscription 185 at RDG (5/30/2012 - )'. Underneath these are three buttons numbered 1, 2, and 3. Button 1 is 'Add New', button 2 is 'Import from Bibliographic and/or MFHD Records', and button 3 is 'Create from Template'. A note below the buttons says 'Monthly--Chrono Only'. In the main area, there is a section titled 'Existing Prediction Patterns' with a single entry: ID 5753, Active checked, Start Date 11/20/2012, Type Basic, and a 'View Pattern' button.

Ignore the option to “Import from Bibliographic and/or MFHD Records.”

Prediction patterns can be shared within NOBLE or within your library; a number of common prediction patterns (e.g. weekly, monthly, quarterly) and unique patterns (e.g. Fortune, Forbes) are maintained by NOBLE and shared among all libraries.

## Create a pattern from a template

To choose from existing prediction pattern templates:

- Select “Create from Template” and choose a template from the menu

The screenshot shows a dropdown menu titled 'Create from Template' with a list of various prediction types. The menu is triggered by clicking the 'Create from Template' button in the top navigation bar. A red box highlights the 'Create from Template' button, and a red arrow points to the 'Quarterly--Chrono Only' option at the bottom of the list.

Type
Quarterly--Chrono Only
FERRET FANCY 2
FF
FF_weekly_regularity
Forbes_2019
Fortune_2019_Monthly
Historical Journal of Massachusetts (Jan/June)
Monthly Combined Jul/Aug & Dec/Jan (Chrono only)
Monthly Combined Jun/Jul & Dec/Jan (Chrono only)
Monthly--Chrono Only
Monthly--Combined Feb/Mar & Aug, Dec/Jan
Monthly--Enumerated
NOBLE_Monthly
<b>Quarterly--Chrono Only</b>

- Click on “Create” to apply the template. Note: In almost all cases, you should leave the “Type” as “Basic” (default).

The screenshot shows a dialog box for creating a prediction pattern. It includes fields for 'Start Date' (7/30/2024), 'Type' (set to 'Basic'), and a 'Create' button. Red arrows point to the 'Type' dropdown and the 'Create' button.

- The prediction pattern will display below. Click on “Predict New Issues” to generate issues to receive

The screenshot shows the details of a prediction pattern. It includes fields for 'Start Date' (7/30/2024), 'Type' (Basic), and a 'Predict New Issues' button. A red arrow points to the 'Predict New Issues' button.

- Then input the number of predicted issues you would like to generate and click “Save”

## Predict New Issues: Initial Values

X

**Publication date**

2024-06

**Type**

Basic



## Enumeration labels

Enumeration level 1

25

v.

Enumeration level 2

2

n.

## Chronology labels

Chronology level 1

2024

(year)

Chronology level 2

06

(month)

Prediction count

3

Save

Cancel

- The predicted issues will display on the “Manage” issues tab

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