## TDM and Collective Licensing

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What is the scope of a potential (collective) licensing scheme for TDM?

It's... tricky

#### TDM, art. 2(2) CDSM

'text and data mining' means any automated analytical technique aimed at analysing text and data in digital form in order to generate information which includes but is not limited to patterns, trends and correlations

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Potential Licensing Space (R18 CDSM)

#### **TDM Collective Licenses?**

#### Requirements

- Legally relevant reproduction & extraction
- Express reservation under 4(3) CDSM, incl. 'machine readable' (TDM Metadata)

#### Scope

**Acts**: Reproductions and extractions, 4(1) CDSM

Purpose: TDM, (2(2) CDSM, incl. commercial

#### Subject matter and rights:

- Database Dir.: 5(a) and 7(1)
- •InfoSoc Dir.: 2
- •Software Dir.: 4(1)(a) and (b)
- •<u>DSM Dir</u>.: 15(1)

#### **Exclusions:**

- 3 CDSM (TDM <u>scientific</u> purposes)
  - 5(1) and 5(3)(a) InfoSoc

#### Types of CRM

- Probably only voluntary, incl. CLEE (art. 12 CDSM)
- Opt out 4(3) + R.17: no compensation for both E&Ls?

### Challenges



- 1) Territoriality of voluntary CRM (MTL of little use)
- 2) Mandate art. 5(7) CRM Dir.?
- 3) Repertoire?



#### Existential (normative) question

To what extent is (or should) a (c) license (be) required for TDM?

- see Strowel & Ducato 2021 (scope vs infringement: does TDM use works as "expressive work?")

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