

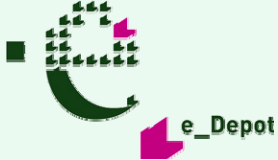
The KB e-Depot

Cooperative Agreements

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The KB's e-Depot

A trusted digital archive for long-term preservation and perpetual access of (scholarly) publications. To ensure permanent access to large quantities of digital resources in a national and international context.

Three cornerstones

1. Aimed at future access of the publications by long-term preservation and safeguarding long-term accessibility
2. Protect the authenticity and the integrity of the objects
3. national and international deposit function

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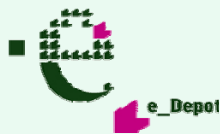


Archiving agreements

Three types of agreements

1. Individual archiving agreements with the international publishers of scholarly journals
2. General agreement with the Dutch Publishers Association, similar to the agreement the National Library had already for printed publications
3. Use of opt-out approach in Web Archiving

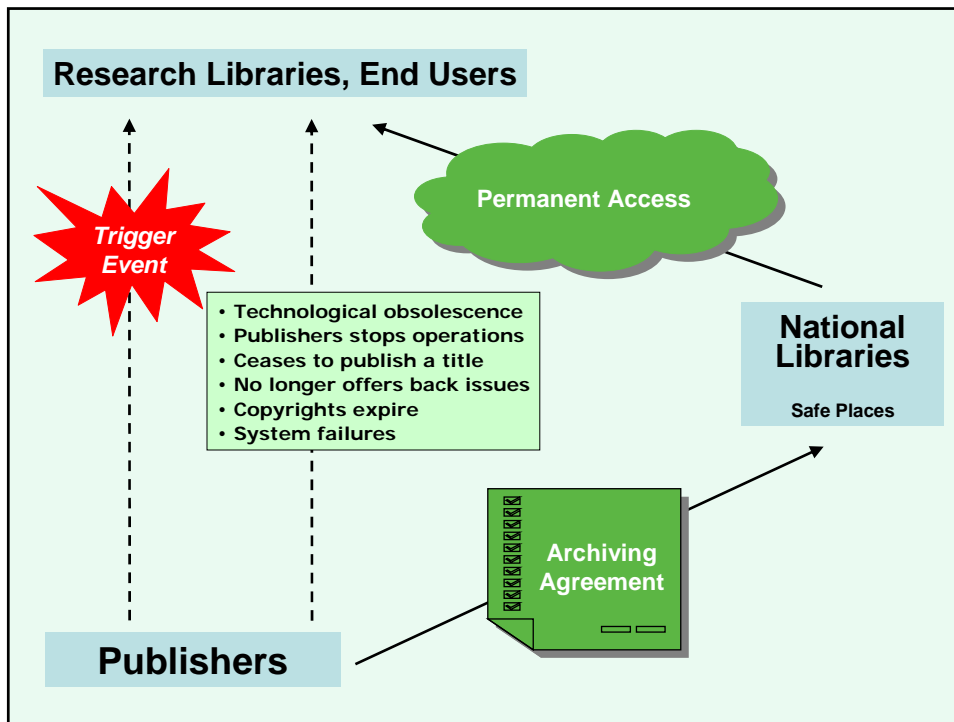

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Main principles

1. Publishers deposit free of charge
2. KB serves as trusted archive for the publisher's content. Including digital preservation research
3. Publisher agrees with limited on-site access of its content within the library and to those persons authorised by the KB
4. The E-depot serves as a guarantee to licensees of publishers worldwide

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How to proceed?

1. Set up an “insurance” network – Safe Places
2. Clear definition and arrangement on trigger events
3. Continuous research on digital preservation & preservation strategies
4. Continue with individual and general archiving agreements
5. But also explore Open Access content
6. Opt-out approach in Web Archiving
7. Extended collective licensing

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