TMview

A presentation to the CarIPI offices of the benefits and functionalities

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An overview of the centralised online tools of EUIPN

Search and Classification Tools

TMview

DesignView

TMclass

DesignClass

CENTRALISED TOOLS: IP office takes advantage of the existing application hosted at EUIPO to integrate its data.

✓ **No data exchange agreement is needed.**

✓ **No license agreement is needed.**

What is TMview?

TMview is a *free online tool* which allows any Internet user to search *in one place only* for trade marks from the *trade mark systems* of all participating offices.
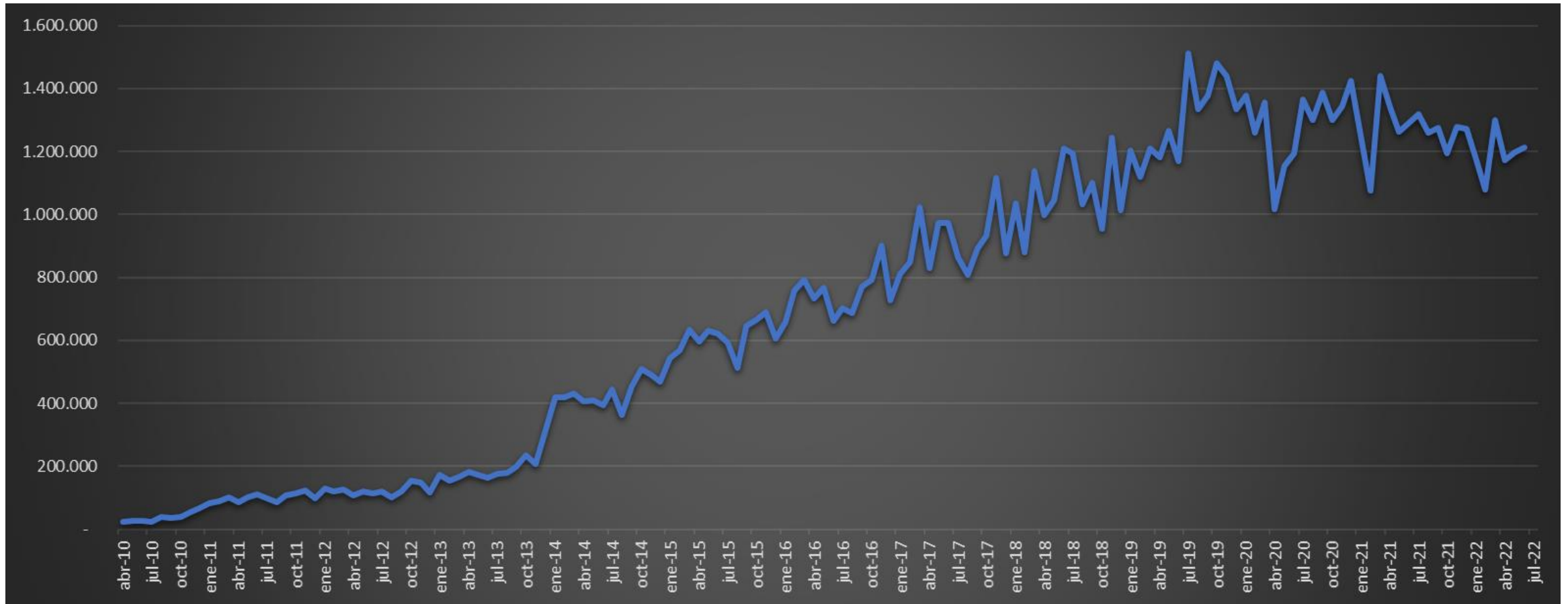
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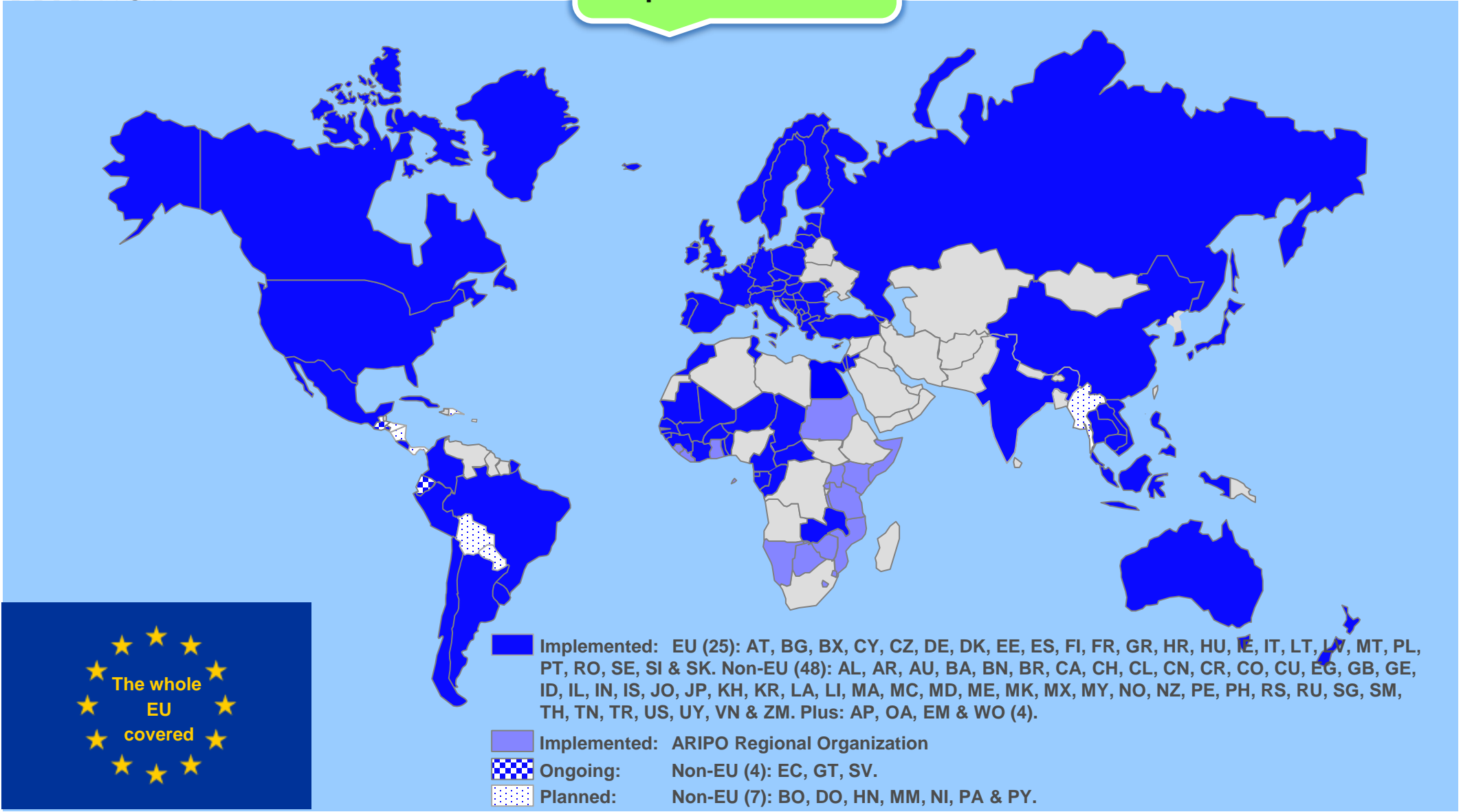
TMview benefits & key features

1.   **One platform to search trade marks from 77 participating offices.**

2.   More than 106 million trade marks.

3.   **Harmonised data layout.**

4.   User interface in 37 languages.

5.   **Available 24/7/365.**

6.   Information is updated frequently (e.g. daily or weekly) by the participating offices.

7.   **Get first hand information from the participating offices' trade mark systems.**

8.   Clear your trade mark idea before filing your trade mark application.

9.   **Monitor that nobody infringes your trade mark registration.**

10.   Trade mark examiners can use it in their daily work, e.g. when checking priority claims.

11.   **Free of charge.**

12.   Saves you time and money.

https://www.tmdn.org/tmview/#/tmview

TMview - number of searches since April 2010

June 2022: ~1.2 million

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Implementations

Implemented: EU (25): AT, BG, BX, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GR, HR, HU, IE, IT, LT, LV, MT, PL, PT, RO, SE, SI & SK. Non-EU (48): AL, AR, AU, BA, BN, BR, CA, CH, CL, CN, CR, CO, CU, EG, GB, GE, ID, IL, IN, IS, JO, JP, KH, KR, LA, LI, MA, MC, MD, ME, MK, MX, MY, NO, NZ, PE, PH, RS, RU, SG, SM, TH, TN, TR, US, UY, VN & ZM. Plus: AP, OA, EM & WO (4).

Implemented: ARIPO Regional Organization

Ongoing: Non-EU (4): EC, GT, SV.

Planned: Non-EU (7): BO, DO, HN, MM, NI, PA & PY.

The whole EU covered

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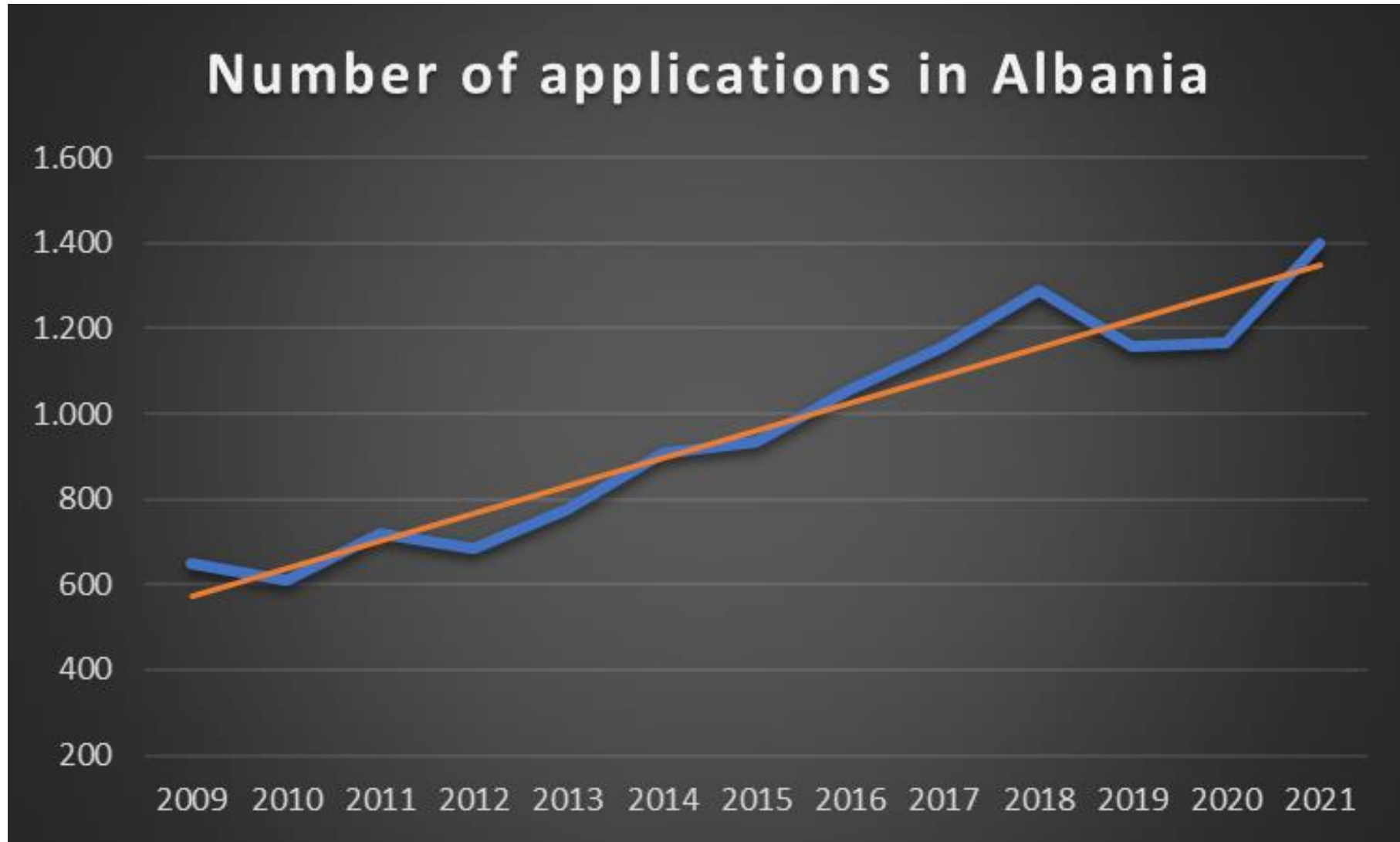
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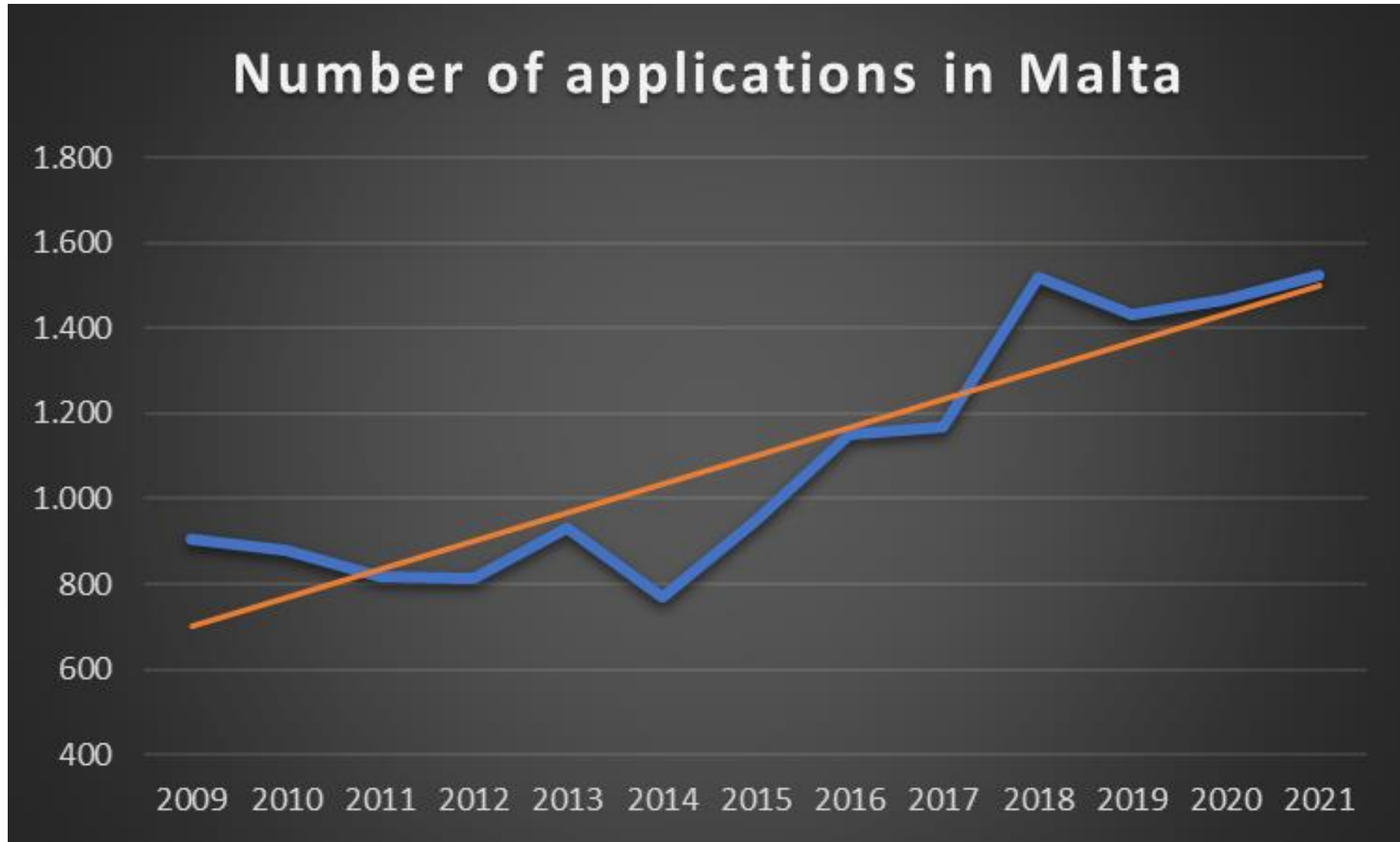
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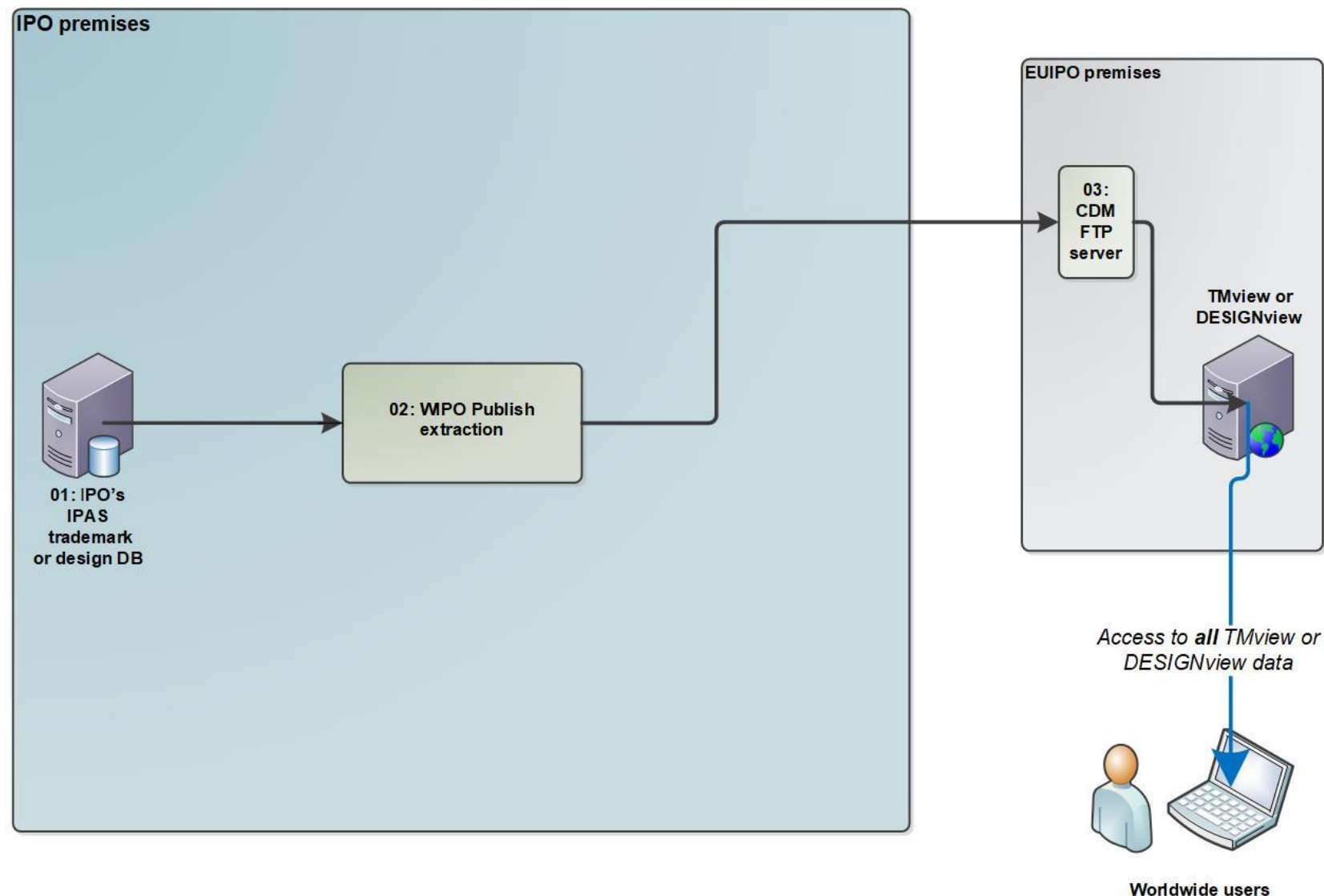

Number of applications in Albania

TMview / DESIGNview - Data extraction with WIPO Publish

Technical development is reduced to a minimum:

1. IPO deploys WIPO Publish for trademark and/or designs with support from WIPO.
2. IPO link and map its data from IPAS to its WIPO Publish (if not already done).

WIPO Publish takes care of:

3. Reading data from IPAS.
4. Data transformation into XML and JPEG (for images).
5. Creation of zip files.
6. Automatic upload to the FTP.

IPO premises

01: IPO's IPAS trademark or design DB

02: WPO Publish extraction

EUIPO premises

03: CDM FTP server

TMview or DESIGNview

Access to *all* TMview or DESIGNview data

Worldwide users

TMview / DESIGNview - Integration steps using WIPO Publish

1. The IP Office assigns two people to the project or one person covering both profiles:
   A. One with knowledge of the business and the legal part, i.e. the trademarks and/or industrial designs regulations
   B. A technical person with knowledge of IPAS, WIPO Publish and data available.

2. Feasibility study phase
   A. Data analysis (what can technically & legally be provided)
   B. Time plan is established

3. Integration phase
   A. IPO extracts with WIPO Publish and provides EUIPO with a complete dataset for all trademarks / designs
   B. IPO configures WIPO Publish to daily extract data updates.
   C. Link between TMview / DESIGNview and the IPO's trademark / design search system (if available)
   D. Data cleansing (optional, i.e. the IPO decides)

4. Testing phase
   A. UAT (verification of data to be performed by the IPO before giving final OK to the go-live)

5. Go-live & announcements of achievement

Q & A

Questions?