

Torrossa Full Text Platform

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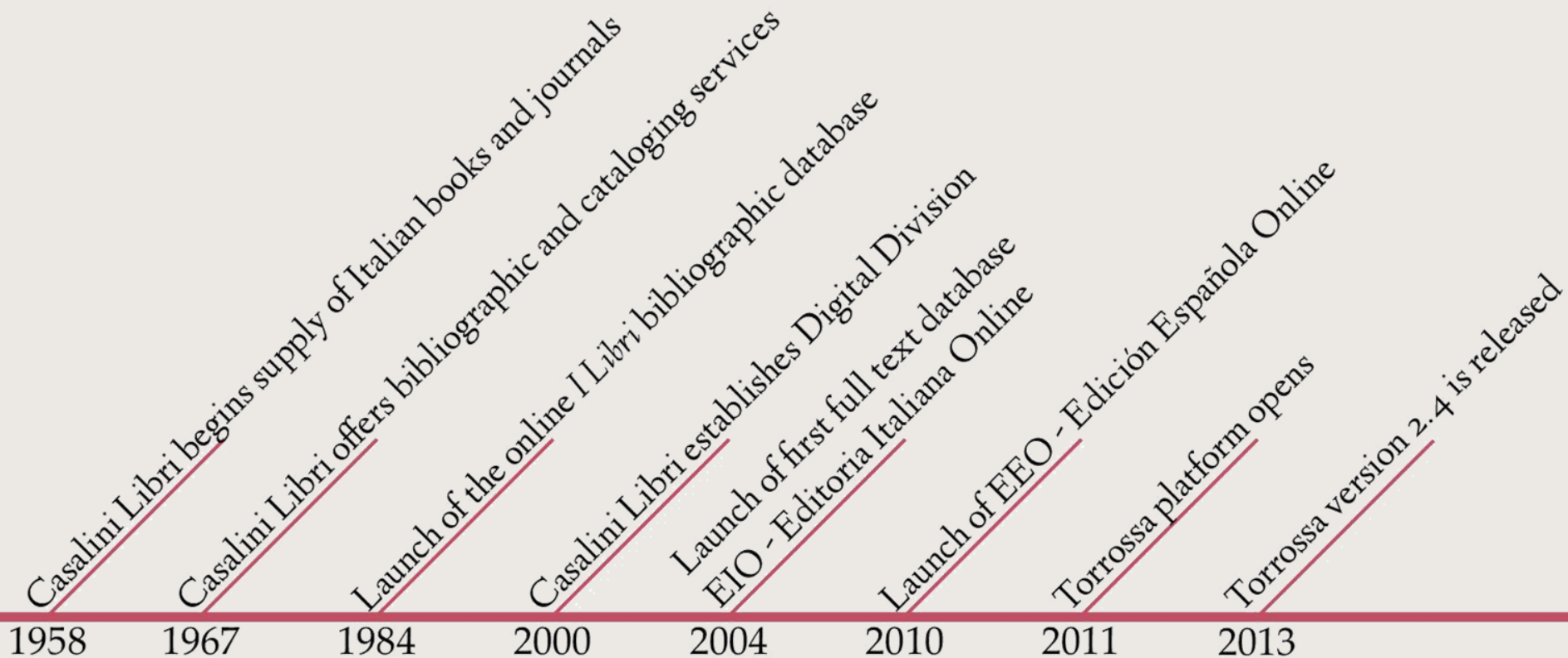
Aggregating scholarly journals and monographs in Italy, France, Spain and Portugal

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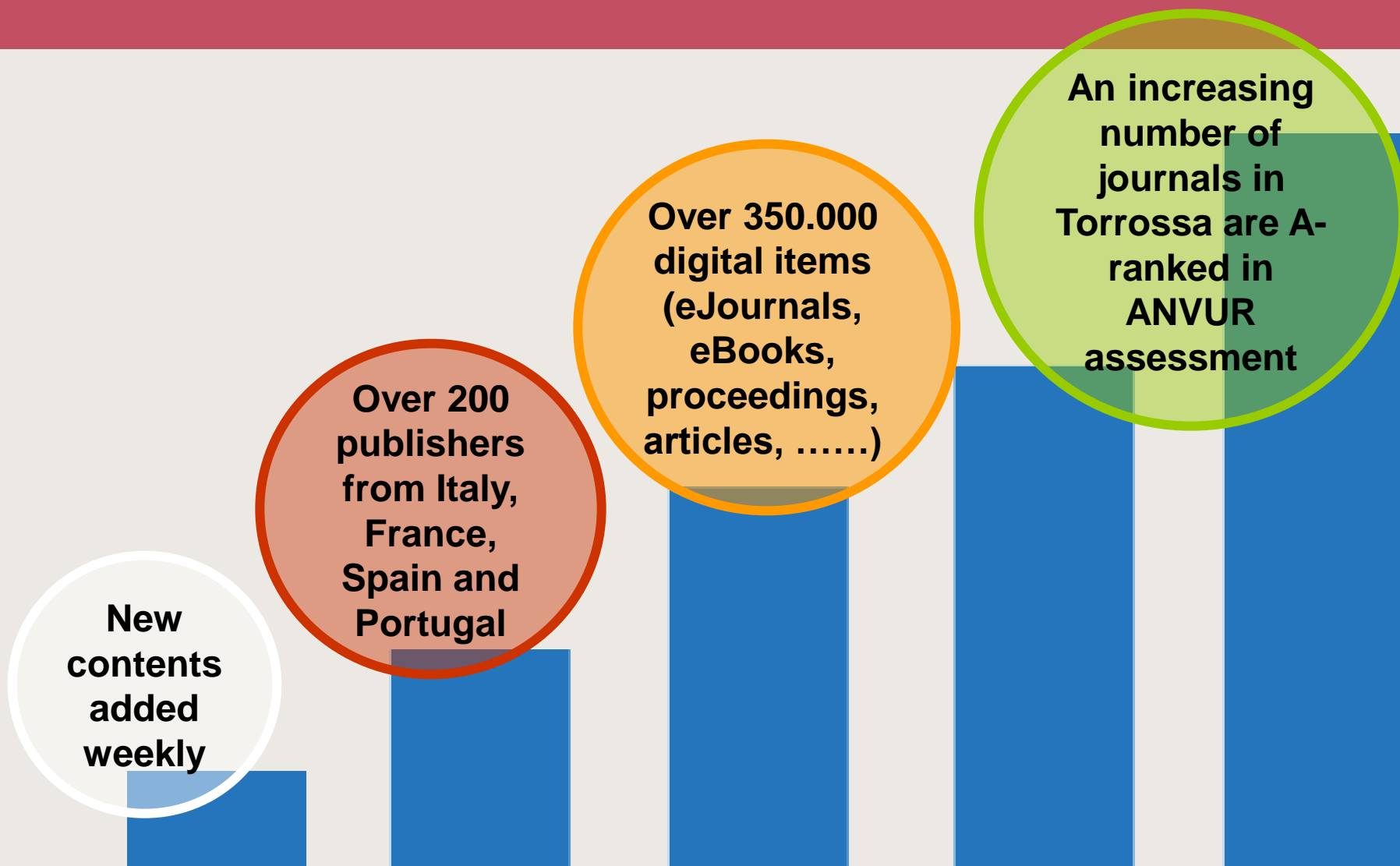
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Casalini profile and experience



Torrossa eContent



Collection development options on Torrossa

Libraries and Universities may develop their own personalized collections, selecting content of particular interest from a number of publishers, languages, and subject-based or interdisciplinary sets.

The result is a *digital library* satisfying the institution's specific requirements.

Institutions can create their custom platform.



Over 45 countries served by Casalini



Stati Uniti	Olanda	Irlanda	Danimarca
Italia	Belgio	Brasile	Ungheria
Germania	Giappone	Lussemburgo	Lettonia
Francia	Grecia	Polonia	Romania
Svizzera	Israele	Sud Africa	Nepal
Gran Bretagna	Finlandia	Cipro	Malta
Spagna	Messico	Portogallo	Croazia
Canada	Slovacchia	Corea del Sud	Isole Canarie
Cina	Russia	Repubblica Ceca	Egitto
Città del Vaticano	Hong Kong	Iran	
Australia	Nuova Zelanda	Cile	
Austria	Svezia	India	

Some of subscribers of Torrossa worldwide



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of NORTH CAROLINA
at CHAPEL HILL



UNIVERSITEIT VAN AMSTERDAM

BSB Bayerische
StaatsBibliothek



New York
Public
Library



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CATTOLICA
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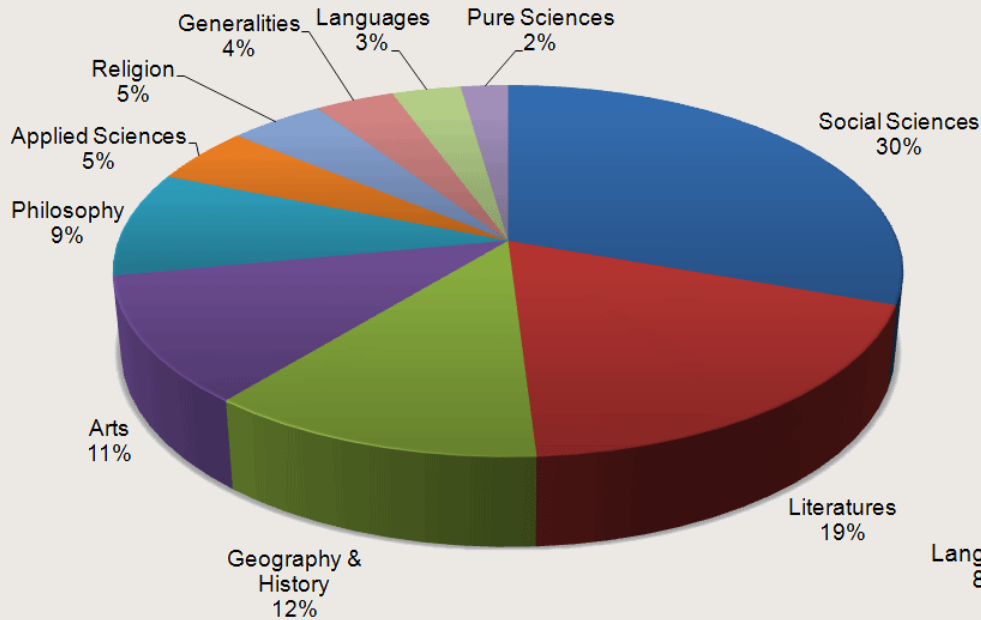
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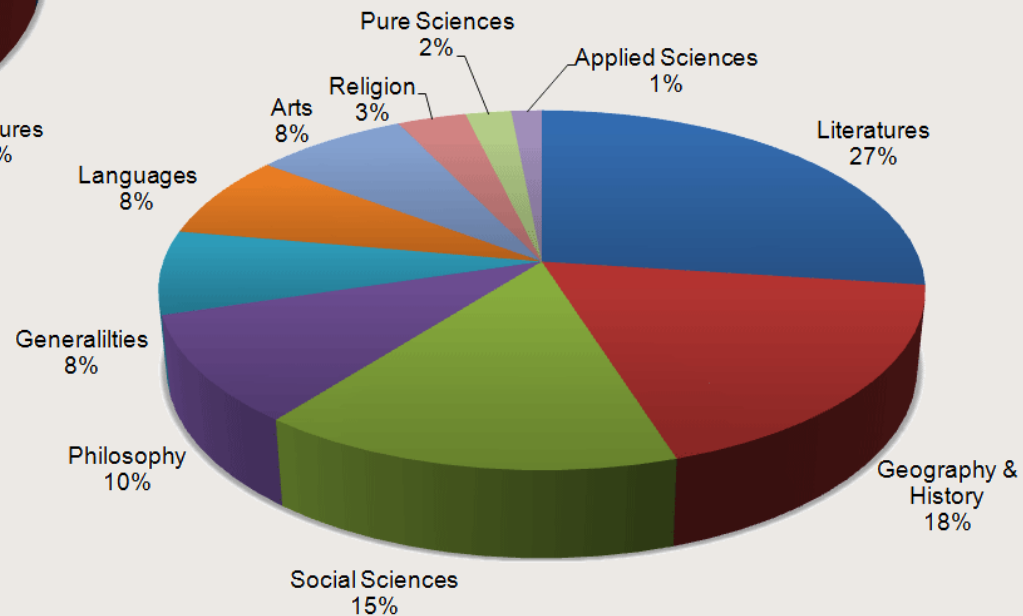


eBooks, eJournals by discipline on Torrossa



eBooks

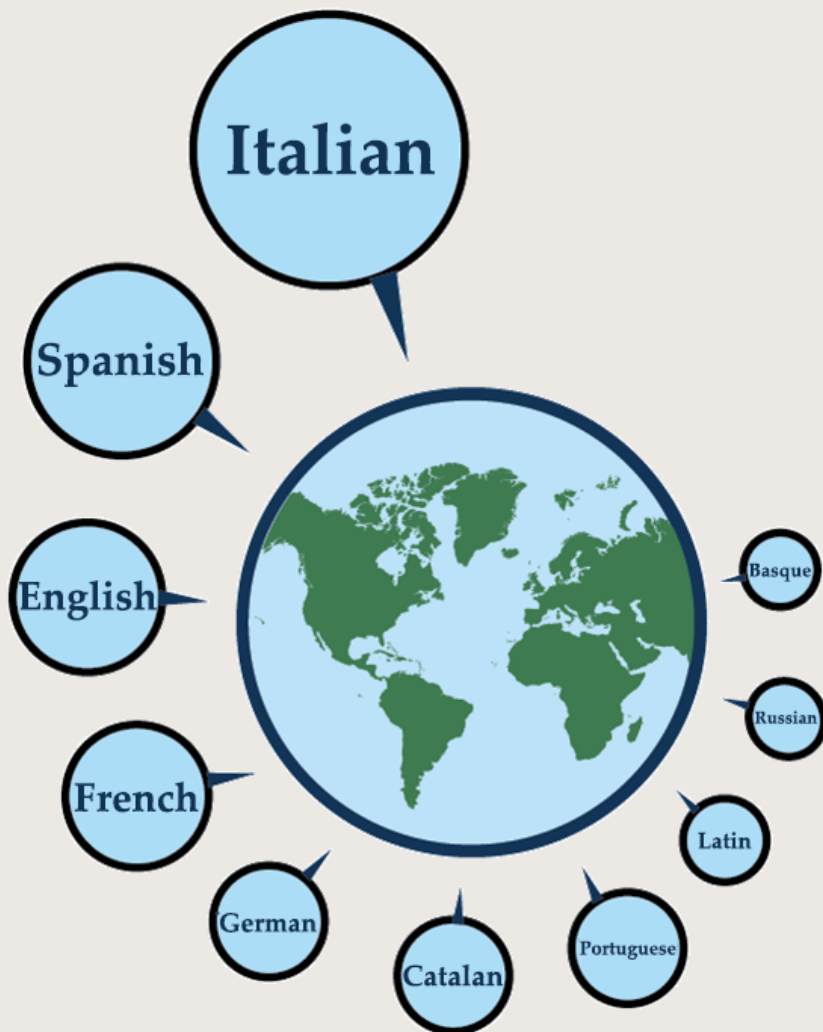
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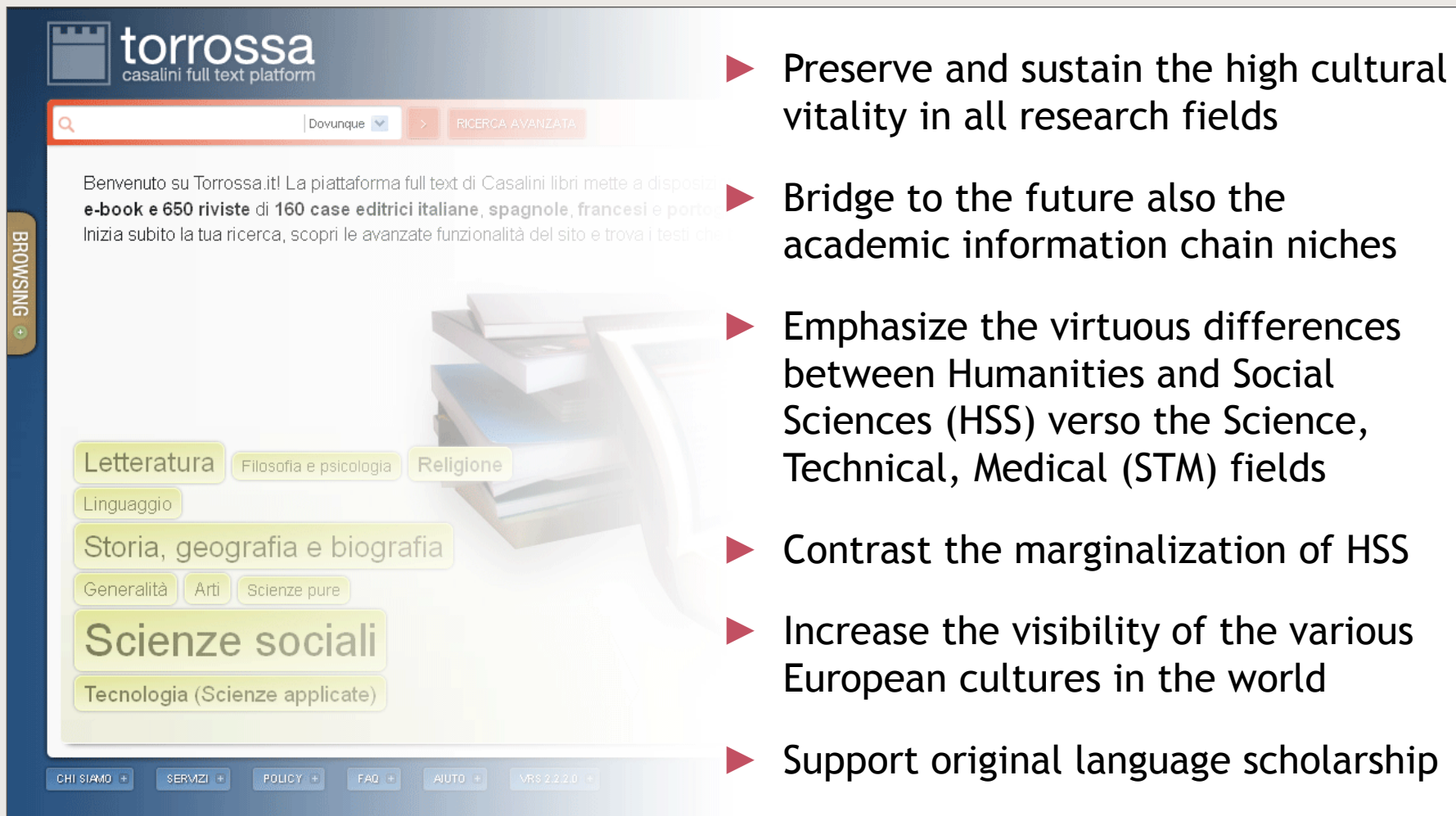
Language distribution on Torrossa

Torrossa has the following languages content distribution:

- Italian
- Spanish
- English
- French
- German
- Catalan
- Portuguese
- Latin
- Russian
- Basque



Strategic mission of Casalini



The screenshot displays the Torrossa website, a full-text platform for Casalini books. The interface includes a search bar with a dropdown menu set to 'Dovunque' and a 'RICERCA AVANZATA' button. Below the search bar, a welcome message in Italian states: 'Benvenuto su Torrossa.it! La piattaforma full text di Casalini libri mette a disposizione e-book e 650 riviste di 160 case editrici italiane, spagnole, francesi e portoghesi. Inizia subito la tua ricerca, scopri le avanzate funzionalità del sito e trova i testi che ti interessano.' A central graphic shows a stack of books with a magnifying glass over them. To the left, a 'BROWSING +' sidebar is visible. The main content area features several subject category buttons: Letteratura, Filosofia e psicologia, Religione, Linguaggio, Storia, geografia e biografia, Generalità, Arti, Scienze pure, Scienze sociali, and Tecnologia (Scienze applicate). At the bottom, a navigation bar contains links for CHI SIAMO, SERVIZI, POLICY, FAQ, AIUTO, and VR 2.2.2.0.

- ▶ Preserve and sustain the high cultural vitality in all research fields
- ▶ Bridge to the future also the academic information chain niches
- ▶ Emphasize the virtuous differences between Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS) verso the Science, Technical, Medical (STM) fields
- ▶ Contrast the marginalization of HSS
- ▶ Increase the visibility of the various European cultures in the world
- ▶ Support original language scholarship

Critical open issues in the digital chain

- V.A.T. on electronic resources, and need to have an homogeneous European approach
- Difficulties that small and medium size publishers have to face compared with the dominance of big STM players
- Weak institutional support for the Humanities and Social Sciences research disciplines
- Safeguard the cultural and language differences in the EU

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Thank you

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