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„Enhancement of Persistent Identifier Services - Comprehensive Method for unequivocal Resource Identification“

Why Persistent Identifiers for digital resources ?

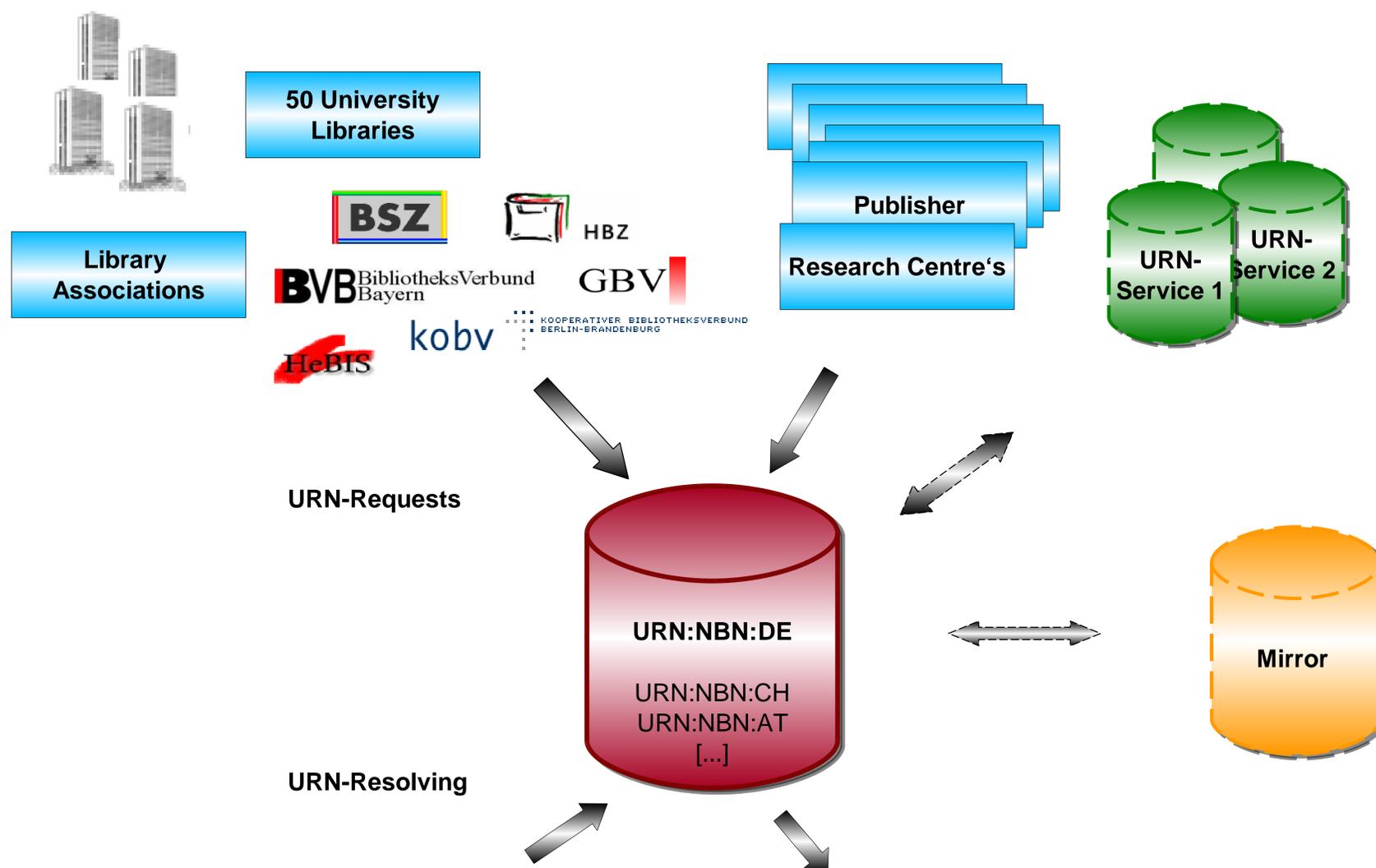
- unique, permanent identification
- reliable referencing
- long-term access



Persistent Identifiers at Die Deutsche Bibliothek

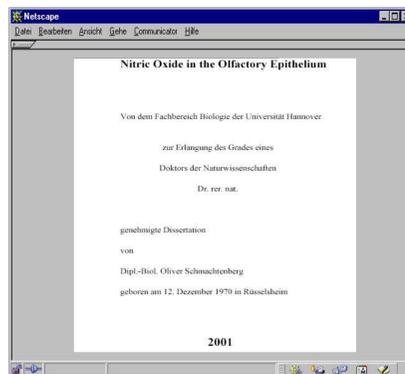
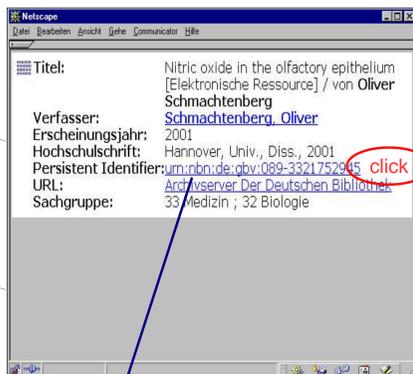
- co-operative and distributed URN management
- “National Bibliography Number” (NBN) management
- online-theses, dissertations and network publications

Model of an interregional infrastructure for several Persistent Identifiers



7.600
URNs

70.000
Accesses



<http://nbn-resolving.de/urn/resolver.pl?urn=urn:nbn:de:gbv:089-3321752945>

- Objectives**

 - Establishment of an standardised Persistent-Identifiers notation
 - Application of several Persistent-Identifier systems
 - Central information bundling regarding “Persistent Identifiers”
 - Technical enhancement and migration into a more efficient system environment