

# TMview

A presentation to the CarPI 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 a single place* for trade marks from *the national register* of all participating offices.



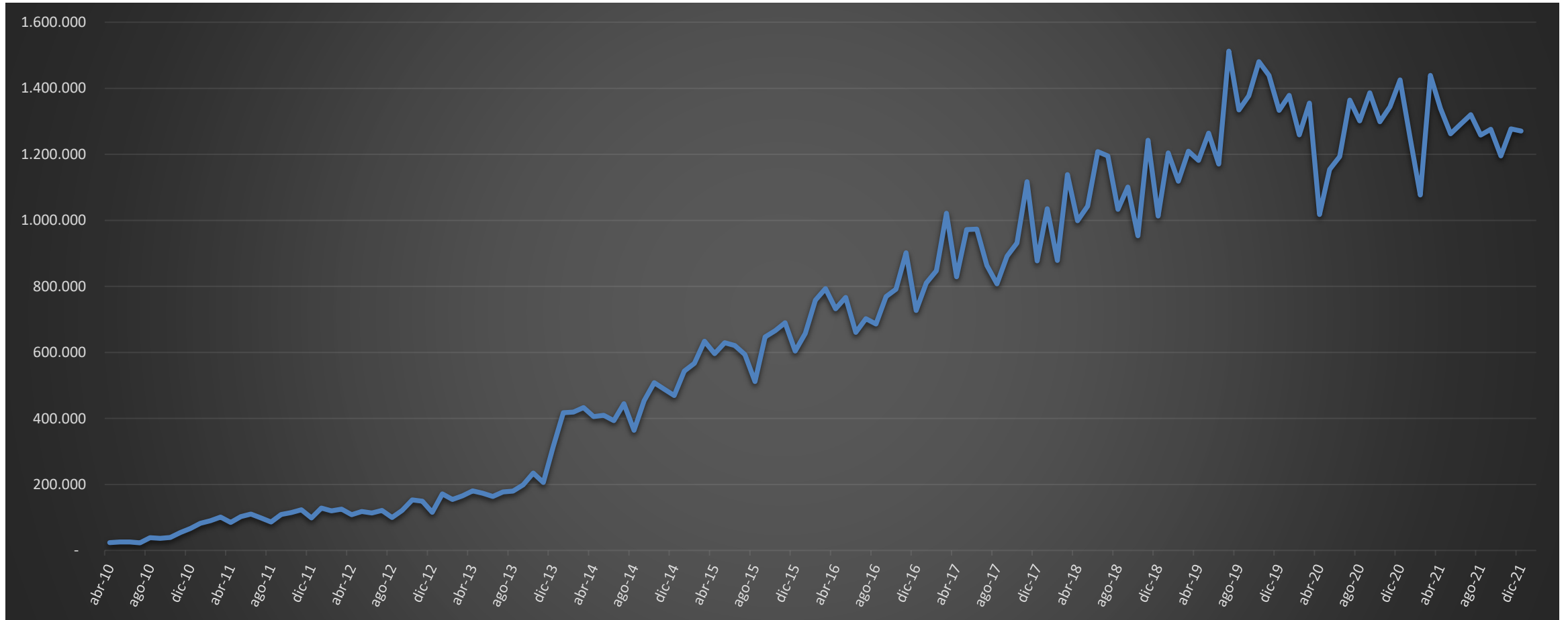
## TMview / DESIGNview - Disclaimer

- The general purpose of TMview/DESIGNview is to provide a single access point for information concerning trade mark and design registrations and for consultation purposes only.
- Under no circumstances shall the information be seen as constituting professional or legal advice.
- The information provided by the participating offices is displayed as received, without any kind of guarantee.
- EUIPO strives to keep the information up-to-date and accurate. However, EUIPO cannot guarantee the accuracy and completeness of the information available in TMview/DESIGNview.
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## TMview benefits & key features

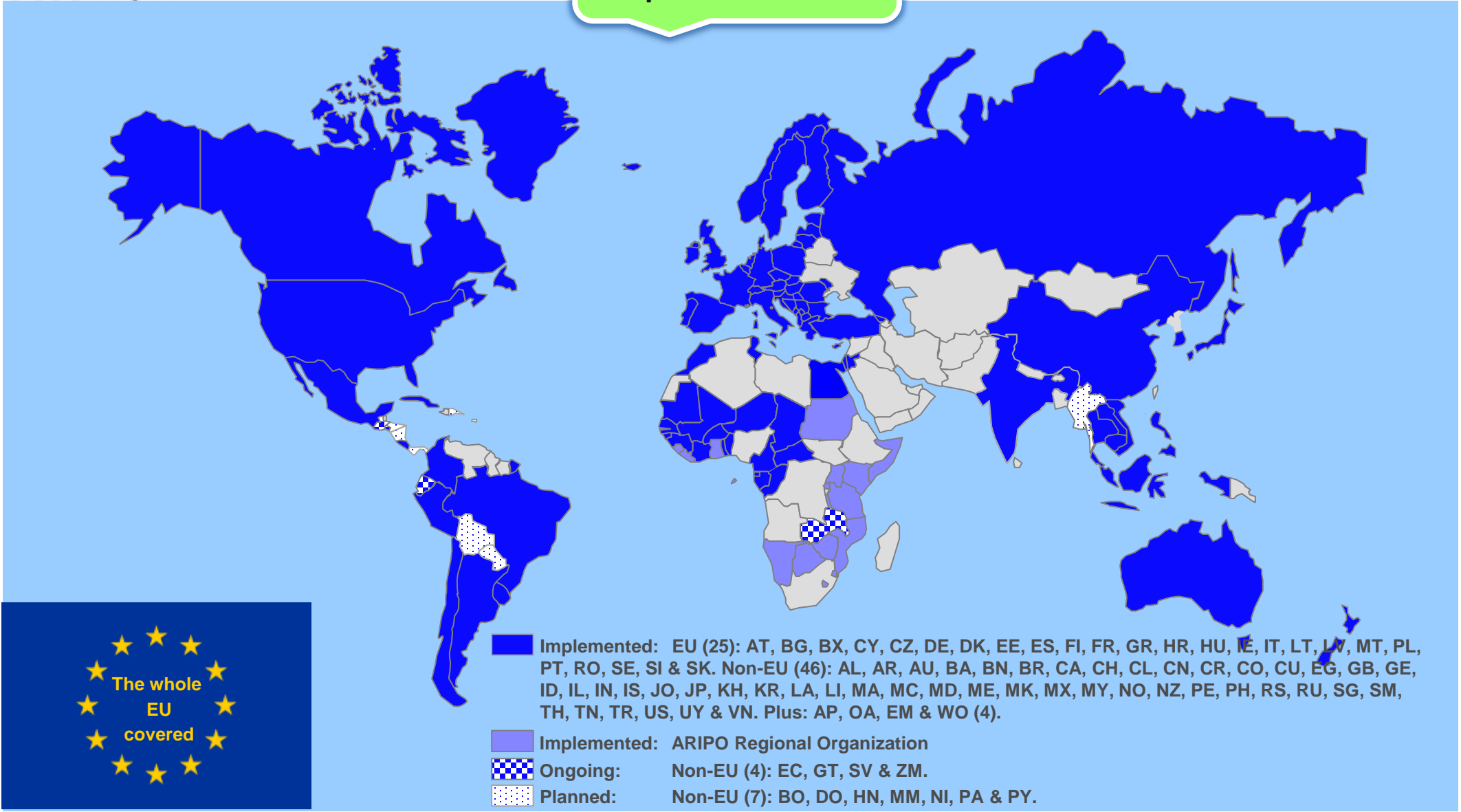
1. **A single, online tool providing a harmonized and multilingual user interface for searching trade marks from all participating offices.**
2. **More than 101 million trade marks from the official databases of 76 participating offices.**
3. **Available 24/7/365.**
4. **Information is updated frequently (e.g. daily or weekly) by the participating offices.**
5. **Get first hand information from the official trade mark registers of the participating offices.**
6. **Clear your trade mark idea before filing the trade mark application.**
7. **Monitor that nobody infringes your trade mark registration.**
8. **Trade mark examiners can use it in their daily work when dealing with for instance priority claims.**
9. **Free of charge.**
10. **Saves you time and money.**

## TMview - number of searches since April 2010

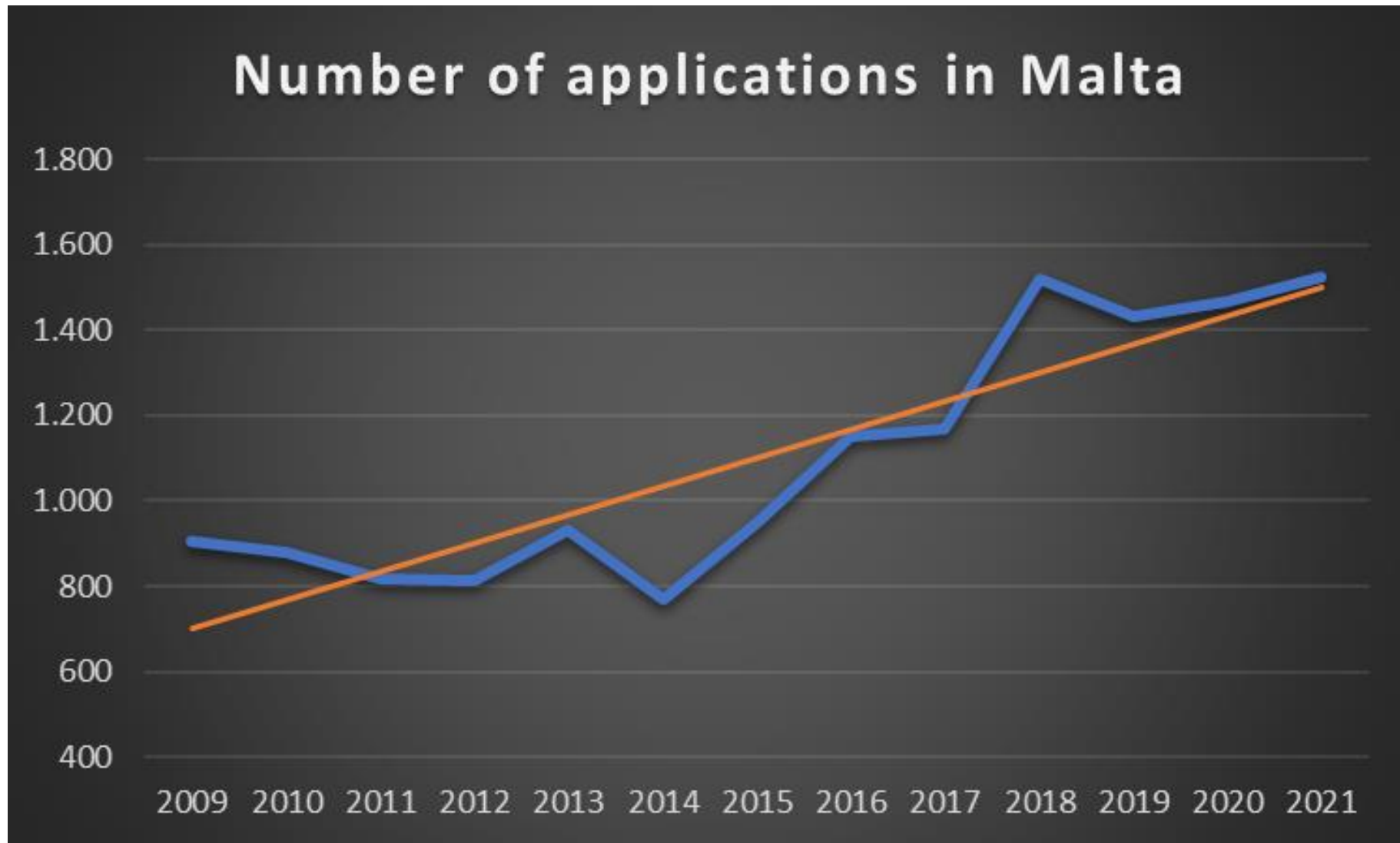


**December 2021: ~1.3 million**

**76**  
**Implementations**



Malta: IP office did not have an online search system prior to joining on 15/05/2013





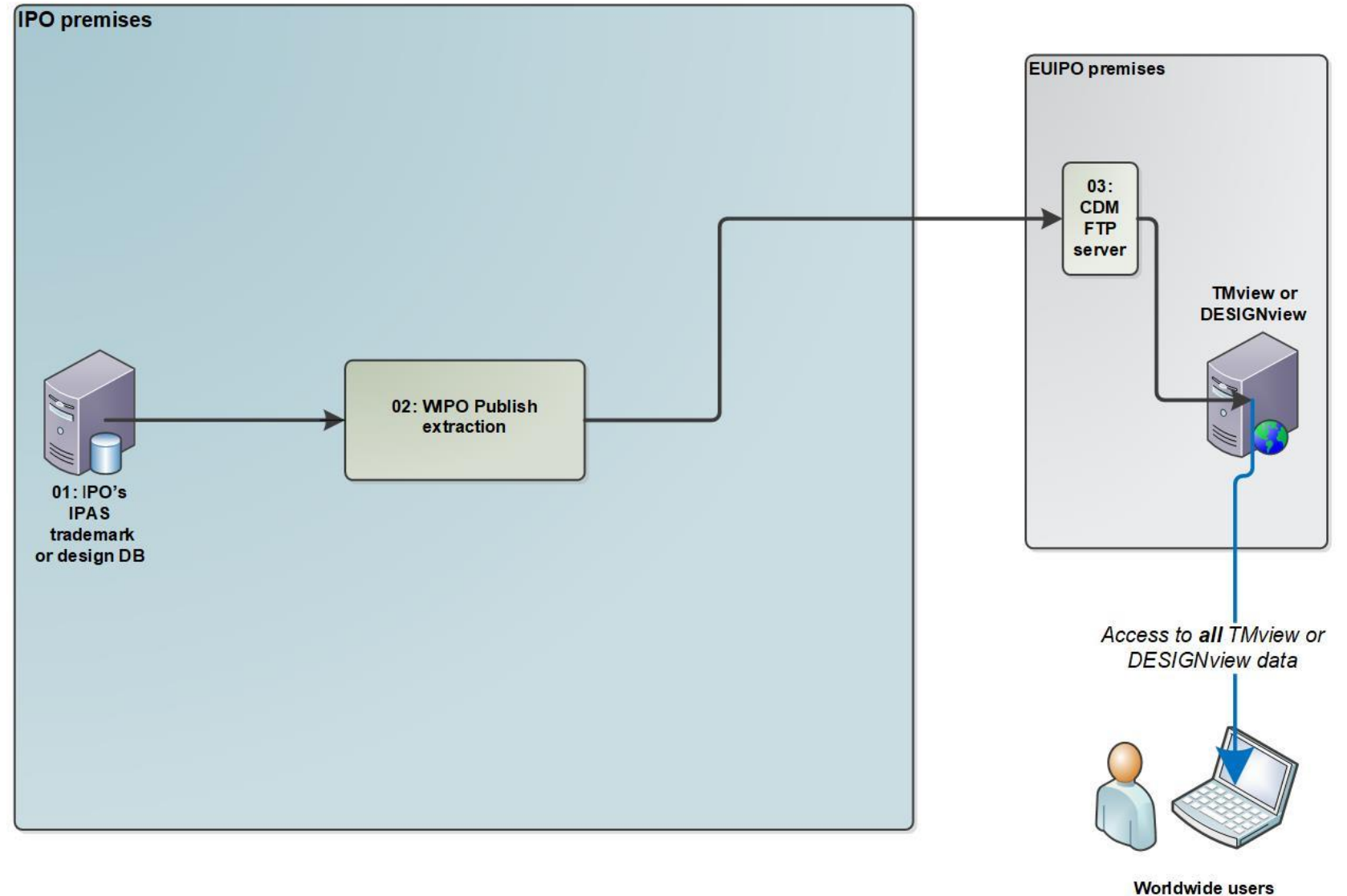
## TMview / DESIGNview - Data extraction with WIPO Publish

Technical development is reduced to a minimum:

1. IPO deploys WIPO Publish for trademark and/or designs and link it to IPAS (if not already done).

WIPO Publish takes care of:

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



## 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

## Q & A

Questions?



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