
License Agreement

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Preamble

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The invalidity of any provision of this License Agreement as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction shall in no way invalidate any other provision hereof.

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Schedule 3: List of Participating Institutions and Contractually Defined Users

1. Participating Institutions

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German national, regional and state libraries

German academic specialist libraries mainly financed by public funding

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Licensing institution IP Ranges

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3. Non institutional Access

Individuals who are authorized by the Licensee for access to the Licensed Material via Secure Authentication are deemed to be Authorised Users. Non institutional access of individuals shall be permitted via individual authentication subject to a requirement of residence in Germany.

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