

Long-Term Data Retention TF

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What is meant by long-term?

- Is a number of years sufficient to describe what long-term is?
- Long-term=period of time which is long enough that your digital objects will face risks (format, media obsolescence, etc.)



How do we achieve retention?



- Different curation, preservation strategies based on objectives, risks, value

- Typologies of levels of care, repositories
- CTS position and discussion papers

Towards a network of TDRs?

- Trust is transitive
- CTS has implemented a virtual network
 - +170 certified repositories worldwide
 - +70 experts
 - Documented processes
- Collaboration with other initiatives

