

Experience from using ARROW

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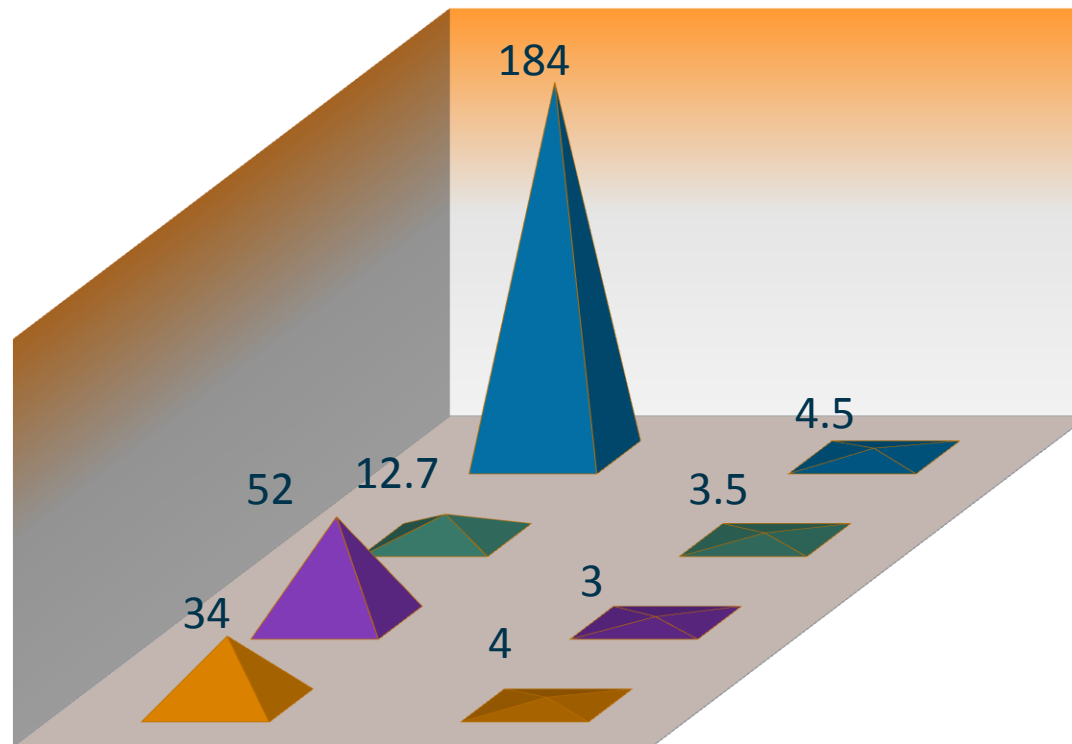
National Pilots

- German pilot up and running
- French pilot up and running
- Spanish pilot up and running
- UK pilot up and running

Times saved using ARROW in pilots. Search for author, publisher, work, status

Time saved using ARROW in hours; 63 – 102 records

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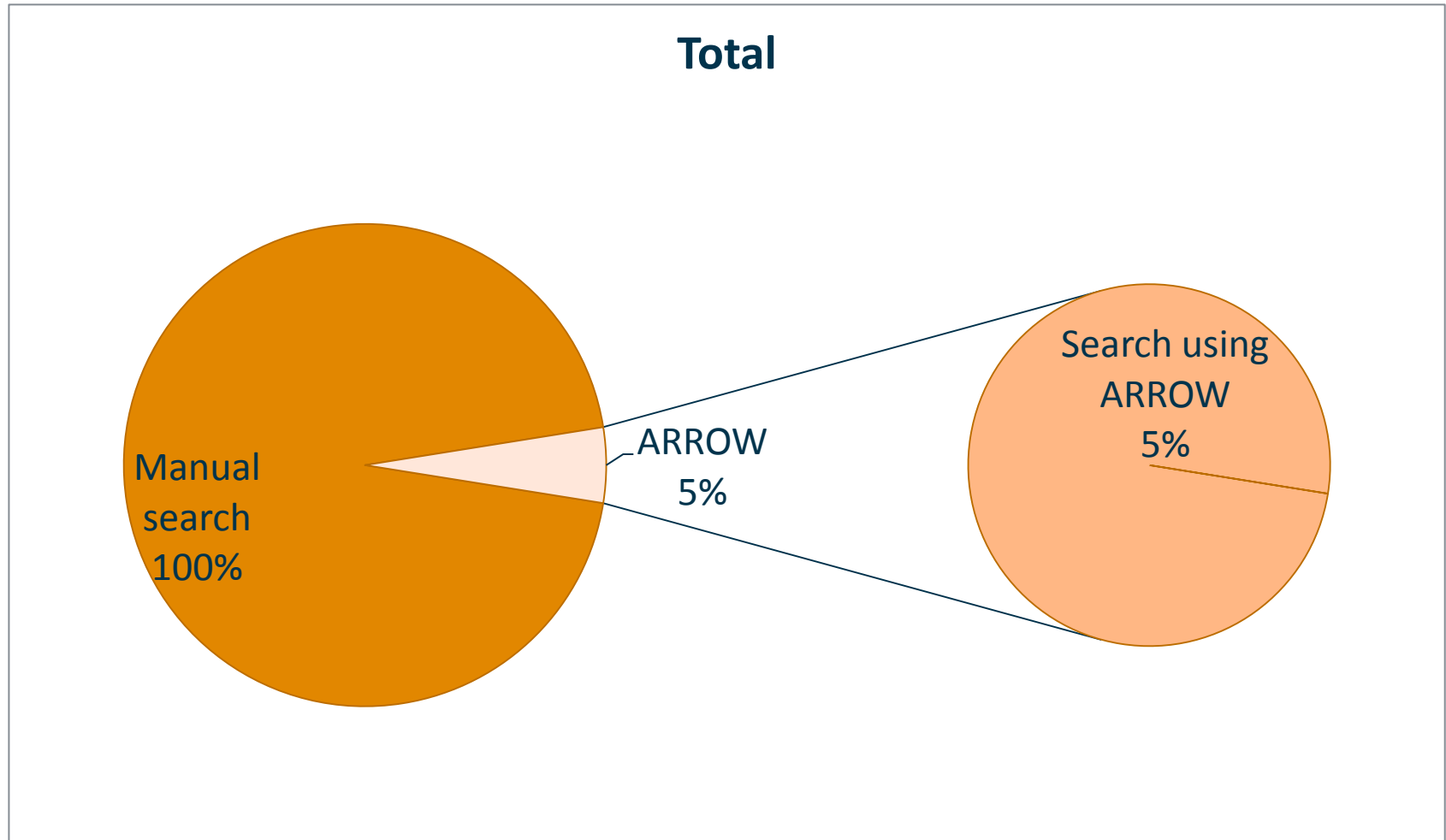
Manual

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Time and cost benefits by using ARROW

- Substantial time and cost benefits by using ARROW have been proved when compared to the traditional manual search for copyright information
- Such benefits were revealed by the system validation carried out in pilot countries under the leadership of the University Library of Innsbruck (UIBK)
- Time savings varied from 72% in the Spanish pilot to 97% in the UK
- In large digitisation projects time savings at this level represent substantial cost reductions - for libraries as well as others who need to retrieve copyright information on books

Benefit from using ARROW=in average 5% of manual search time in pilots



FURTHER INFORMATION

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