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# Aligning CRL's digitization strategies with member needs

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# **Digitization Strategy: Drivers**

• Support research and teaching needs

• Enhance value of CRL's collections & services

• Provide open / equitable access to research collections

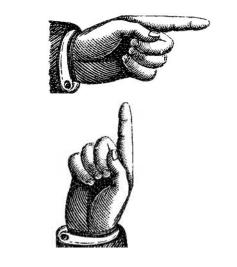


# **Digitization Strategy: Multiple Pathways**

• On-demand digitization

• Strategic digitization

Digitization partnerships

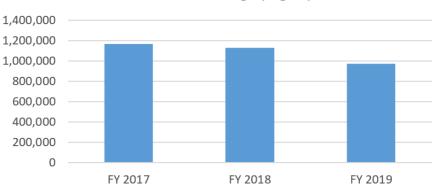






# **On Demand Digitization**

- Initiated by patron request (Interlibrary Loan – "please scan")
- Rapid turnaround (2–10 business days)
- Hosted by CRL for subsequent use



### CRL Demand Scanning - pages per FY

### Demand scanning : high-use titles



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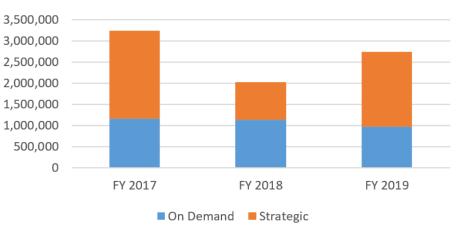


# **Strategic Digitization**

• Based on known needs of member institutions

• Focus on areas of strength

• Support community-driven initiatives



### CRL Demand/Strategic Scanning - pages per FY



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The Somaliland Protectorate gazette	1956-1959	British Somaliland
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Ruzñamah-'i rasmi-i kishvar-i Shahanshahi-i Ifan	1970-1981	Iran
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### **Strategic Partnerships**

• Support organizations aligned with CRL's mission

• Extend reach of CRL collections

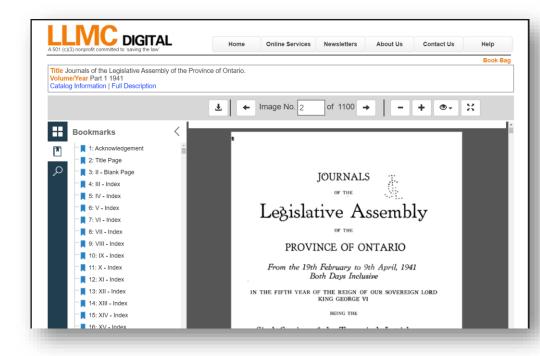
• Combine access & preservation (print retention)



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# LLMC-Digital

- Over 75 million pages converted legal and government texts
- Targeted digitization from CRL, member library collections



• Access to LLMC-Digital for all CRL libraries



# Strategic Partnerships: Principles

• Community driven

• Community sourced

• Community controlled

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# **Cooperative Digitization**

• Transcends local priorities

• Supports long-term collection objectives

• Federates costs to provide a "low barrier" to entry