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- COPYRIGHT INFRASTRUCTURE TASK FORCE

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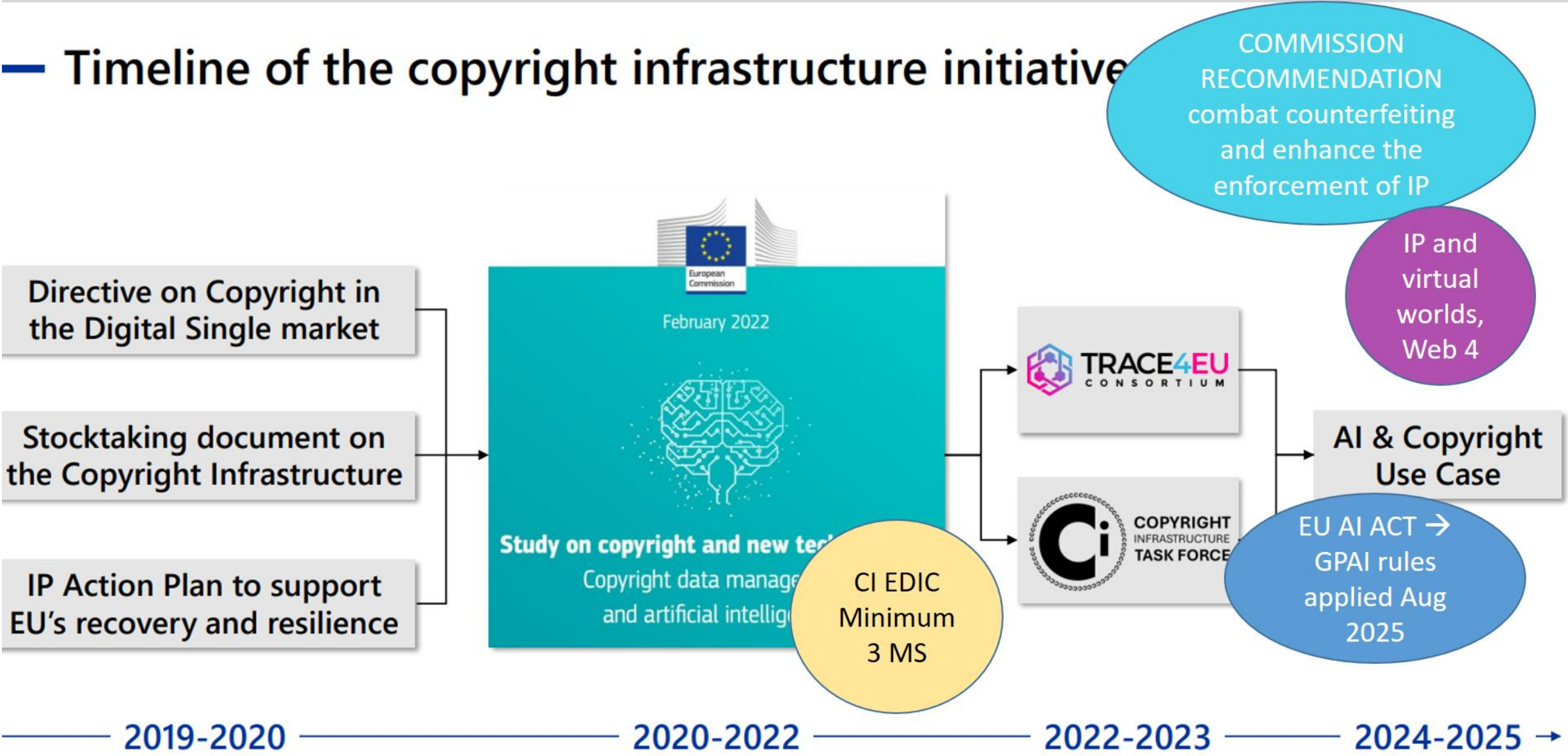
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UPDATE OF IN-PERSON MEET-UP 19

September

- State of Play after last Commission period → impact new Commission
- First Project (piloting elements of the prospective use case)
- Next steps to keep momentum → a home for the CITF

— Timeline of the copyright infrastructure initiative



It is not about

- Developing standards
- Building a registry
- Developing a prototype

It is about

Fostering the emergence and adoption of open standards

Exploring how standards and emerging technologies will facilitate the exchange of interoperable trusted data

Bridging the legal layer (where rights are defined and their management regulated) with the technical layer (where prototypes and systems are built) of the copyright infrastructure

Copyright Infrastructure Task Force

- CITF is a **network of EU member states (not a consortium)** representatives led so far by Finland
 - Aims to define the Open Rights Data Framework
 - Ensuring **interoperability and trust of copyright data**
- In June 2024
 - Finland, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania
 - Germany, Spain, Italy, France, Belgium, Hungary, Czechia, Portugal, Slovenia and also Norway, Iceland and Commission and EUIPO observ
- **Commission recommends participating in the work**
- **This work needs a “home” i.e. a more long term solution**

Short-term

- Make a use case deploying EBSI (European Blockchain Service Infrastructure) on the machine readable opt-out from TDM (Art. 4)
 - First project November 2024-May 2025

Mid-term

- Validating aspects of the of components of the AI and Copyright use case
 - 2030 – interoperability & trustworthiness
 - NB! Need a strong framework for the work on EU level

Long-term

- author self-sovereign identity...
 - 2040?
 - at minimum; ISNI linked with **EU digital identity**
 - **Will the EU be able to harness the benefits of new technologies?**

”Home” for the Copyright Infrastructure Task Force

ALTERNATIVES

CITF hosted by the EUIPO Observatory (Dedicated Network)

Contact Committee mandated by the Information Society Directive 2001/29/EC

A working group established by the Commission (like for coordination of Europeana)