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TDF community & membership: where are we going?

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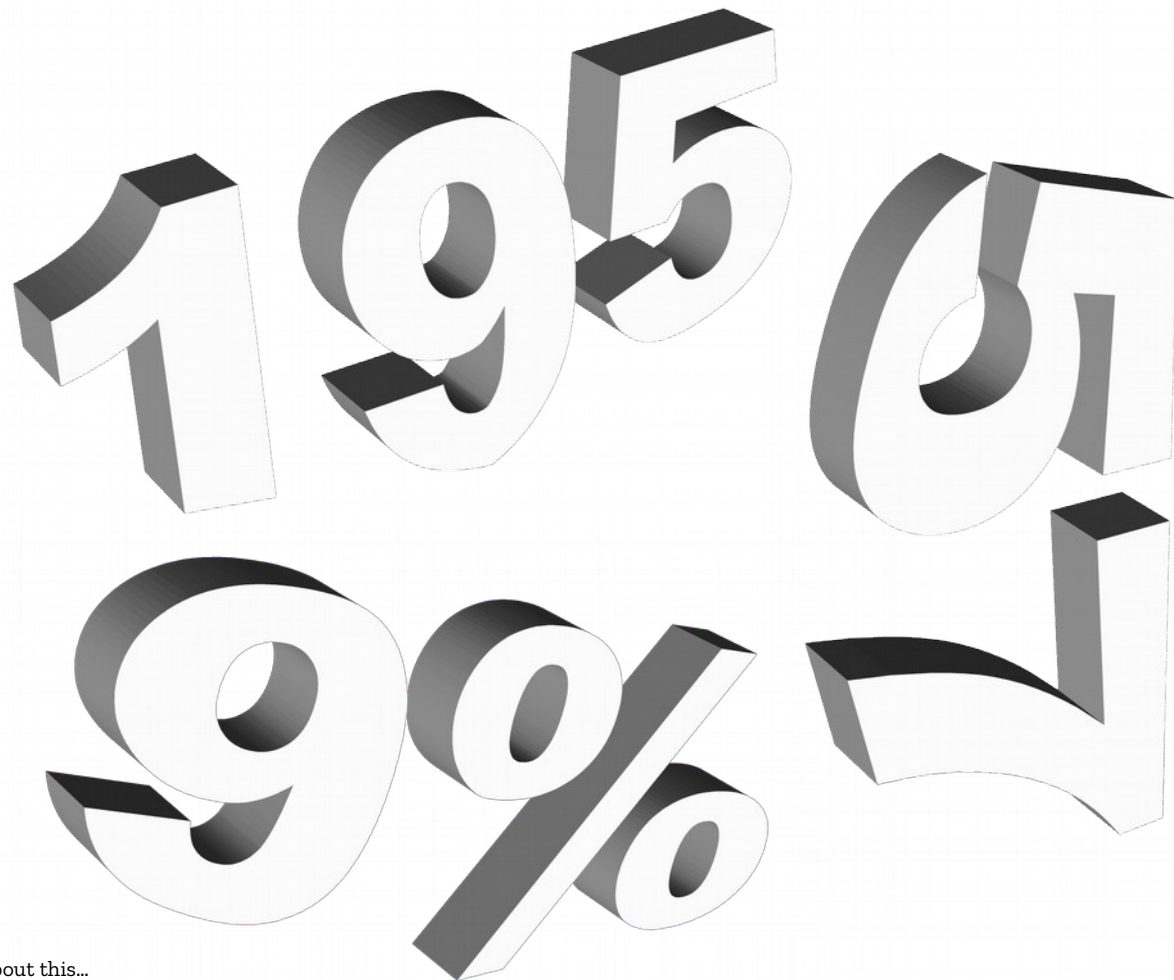
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Agenda

- current situation
- missing areas (especially in Balkan countries)
- my proposals to grow community
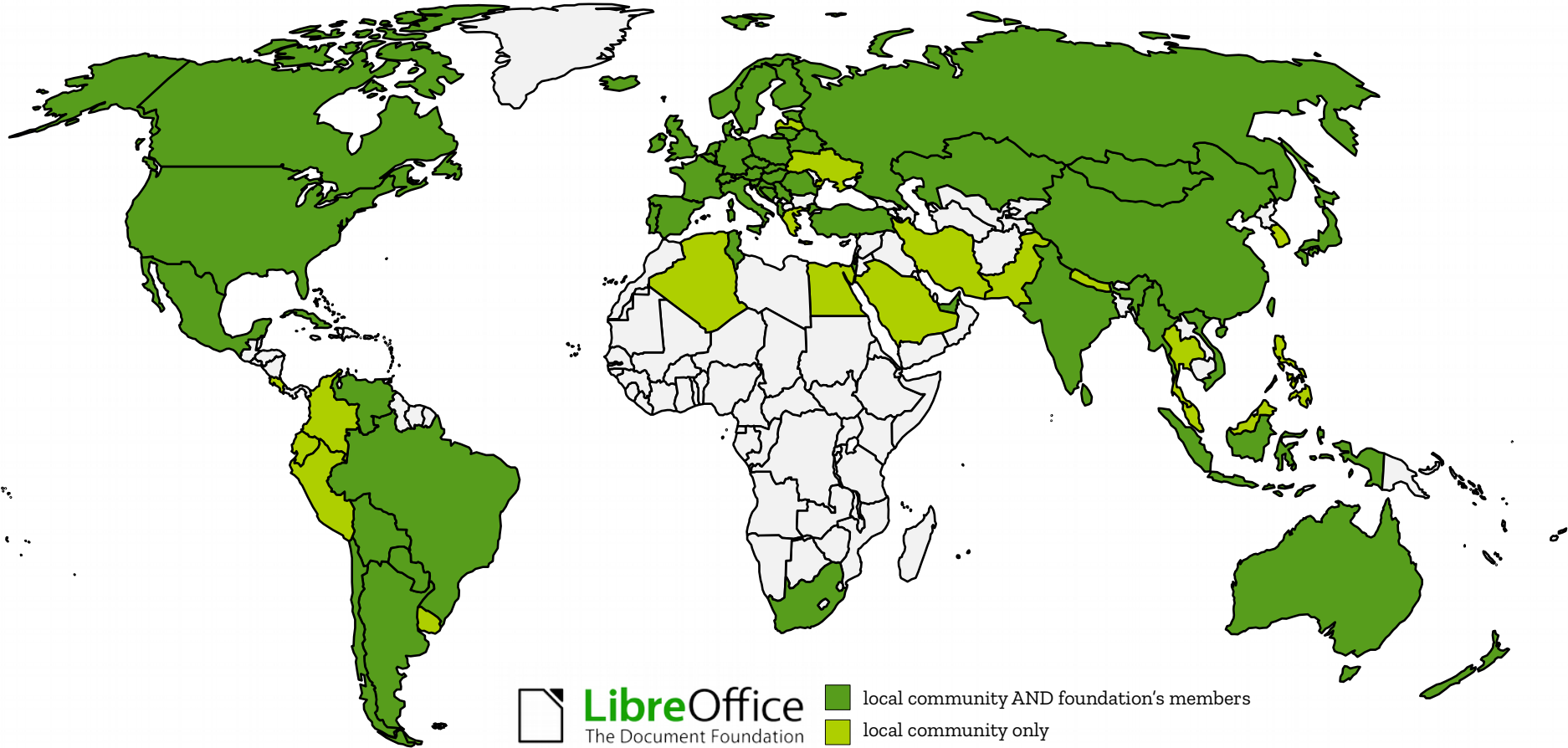- mine & your proposals for Membership Committee
- GDPR implications

- numbers:
  - 195 from 57 countries*
  - just 17 women (~9%)
- most covered countries
  - 35 from Germany
  - 19 from Italy
  - 13 from Brazil
  - 9 from France
  - 8 from India
  - 8 from Taiwan

* data as of 2018-07-17
currently we don't collect detailed info, officially. We'll talk later about this...

LO Community & TDF members

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■ local community AND foundation's members
■ local community only

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Missing areas

- **Balkans situation**
  - 6 from Albania
  - 1 from Bosnia Herzegovina
  - 1 from Romania
  - 1 from Slovenia
  - 6 from Turkey
  - 15 in TOTAL, not so bad... But can still improve!

- **missing countries**
  - Africa, rest of the world :)
  - in Balkans:
    - Bulgaria
    - Croatia
    - Greece
    - Kosovo
    - F.Y.R.O.M (Macedonia)
    - Montenegro
    - Romania
    - Serbia

Missing countries: why?

- Poor knowledge about:
  - Open Source
  - LibreOffice
  - Our community / Foundation
  - Ways to contribute
  - SW licenses
    - (in)voluntary copyright violation
      (it depends also on
      local regulations and laws)

- Thinking TDF doesn't need them

- Being too shy

- Your opinion?

How to improve this situation?

Please have your say!

my proposals to grow community

- Attend local meetings about IT and give talk

- Meet and chat with locals during
  - breaks
  - lunches and dinners

- Invite locals to join our Community (first)

- Collecting more info from members
  - Country mostly living in
  - Spoken languages

- What data would help TDF in order to optimize its aims?

- Which data would you like to reveal to TDF ?

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GDPR implications

- General Data Protection Regulation
  - our members have (and deserve) to know
    - what data about them we keep in our infrastructures
    - how long we do that
    - for what reason

Thank you!

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