

Torrossa Reader integrates PDFs and strengthens ties with EDRLab to take online and mobile reading to the next level

A major enhancement to the Torrossa Reader app now enables users to read documents in both PDF and ePub formats: the first in a series of advancements that reaffirm Torrossa's dedication to empowering academic communities with innovative and reliable digital reading solutions.

Torrossa Digital Library is pleased to announce the release of version 3 of the Torrossa Reader app for desktop. Offering seamless reading of both PDF and ePub documents and printing options for PDF files, and supplementing mobile and web browser access options, the desktop app is compatible with Win, macOS and LINUX. This dual-format solution for document access reduces reliance on Adobe Reader and enhances user flexibility and accessible reading of digital content, allowing institutional users to access content in both formats directly through the app, to save and to export annotations.

Torrossa continues to drive innovation and champion accessibility in digital publishing, further consolidating its partnership and ongoing collaboration with EDRLab, affirmed by the recent re-election of Luisa Gaggini, Head of the Digital Division, to the EDRLab Board of Directors. The Torrossa platform is fully accessible to internationally recognised standards and aims to progressively extend the level of accessibility of the publications distributed.

Looking ahead, Torrossa is working to enhance its online reader to support an upgraded dual-format mobile version for improved consultation on tablet and smartphone (Android and iOS), as well as web browser reading for ePub files. These will further expand the platform's usability and optimize user experience, leveraging EDRLab's Radium LCP

technology to ensure key benefits for academic users, including:

Greater Flexibility: Seamless access to a wider range of digital resources and formats accommodates diverse reading preferences. **Enhanced Accessibility:** Improved support for accessible content ensures that all users can engage with academic materials more effectively.

Robust Security: Secure content delivery protects academic information and intellectual property.

User-Friendly Experience: An intuitive interface and expanded format support make it easier to discover, read, and interact with digital content.

Reflecting on these advancements, Luisa Gaggini commented, "Our commitment to innovation and accessibility is at the core of everything we do. By expanding Torrossa Reader's capabilities and deepening our collaboration with EDRLab, we are ensuring that publishers, libraries, and readers benefit from secure, flexible, and future-ready digital solutions."

With these initiatives, Torrossa reinforces its vision to lead the evolution of digital reading and underlines its commitment to investing in technologies and partnerships that empower users and deliver secure, accessible, and user-friendly digital content.