



# Multijurisdictional Multilingual Legal Graph Databases as Basis for Legal Informatics Applications in the EU

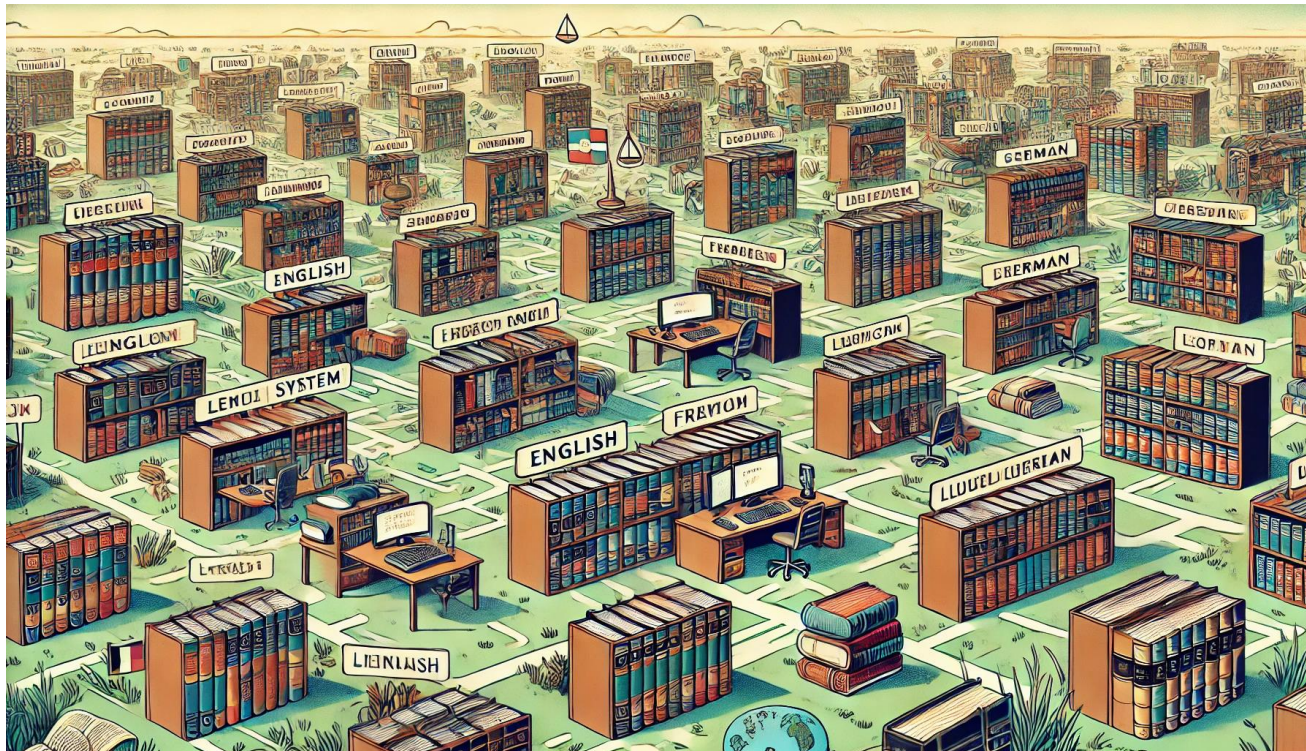
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## The European Landscape of Legal Information is quite scattered



- EU laws and judiciary
- Federal law databases
- Regional and community laws?
- Case Law?
- Single jurisdiction
- Single language

## National law of EU countries

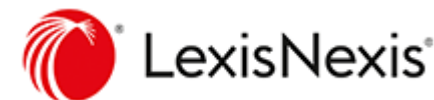
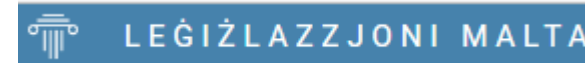
Single entry point to individual EU countries' national law databases. Choose a country from the list or the map to search for legal acts, or find out more about its legal system. You can also click the link below for a list of national law databases from non-EU countries – but the full N-Lex functionality is not available for these sites.

 Belgium	 Bulgaria	 Czech Republic
 Denmark	 Germany	 Estonia
 Greece	 Spain	 France
 Croatia	 Ireland	 Italy
 Cyprus	 Latvia	 Lithuania
 Luxembourg	 Hungary	 Malta
 Netherlands	 Austria	 Poland
 Portugal	 Romania	 Slovakia
 Slovenia	 Finland	 Sweden





# Legal Databases



# Problems

- Lack of joint basis and (free) access to legal data
- Applications are driven by local law and local language
- Applications focus on general tasks (document automation, text search)
- Lack of authentic translations of local laws
- Lack of agreement on certain concepts of law

Develop a joint legal database that makes the laws of the EU and all member states freely accessible.

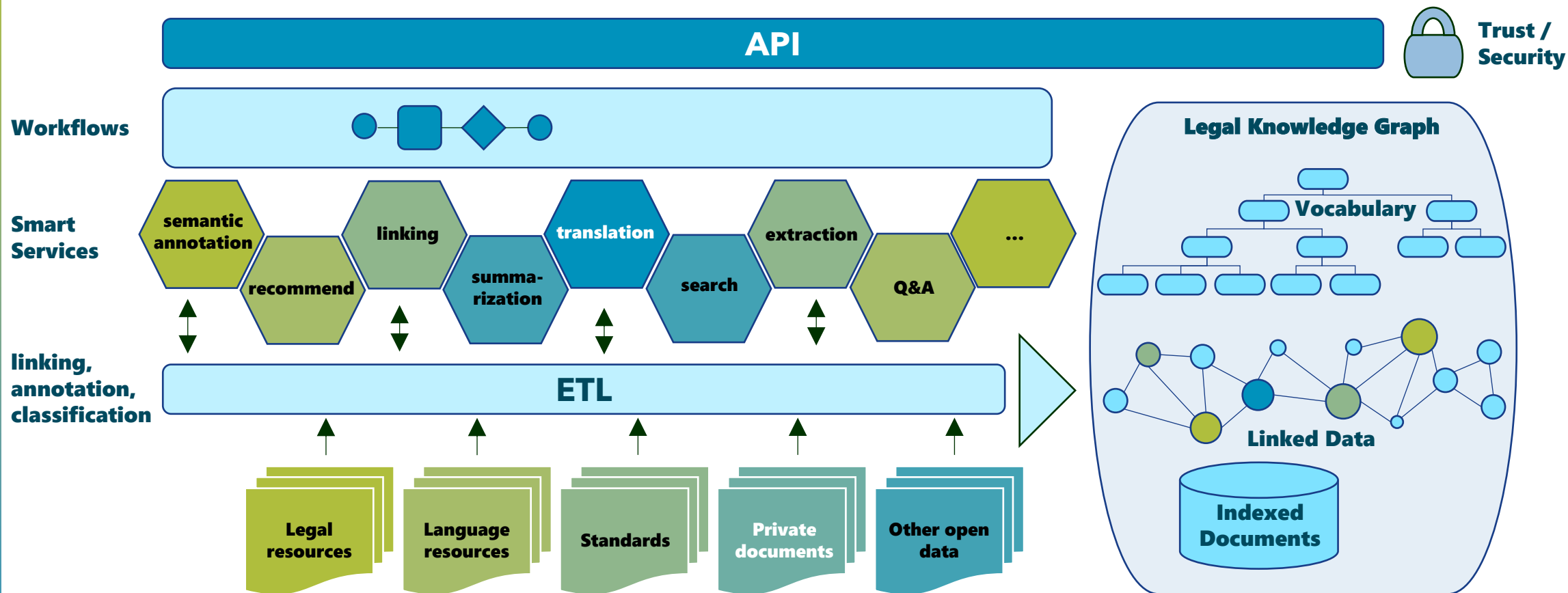


## LawThek



- Multilingual
- Multijurisdictional
- All levels of lawmakers
- All levels of Case Law

# Lynx Project





# Possible Use Cases Public & Private Sector



The Project is open for any sort of cooperation based on a free access approach

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