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The hbz (w.e.f. 1973)

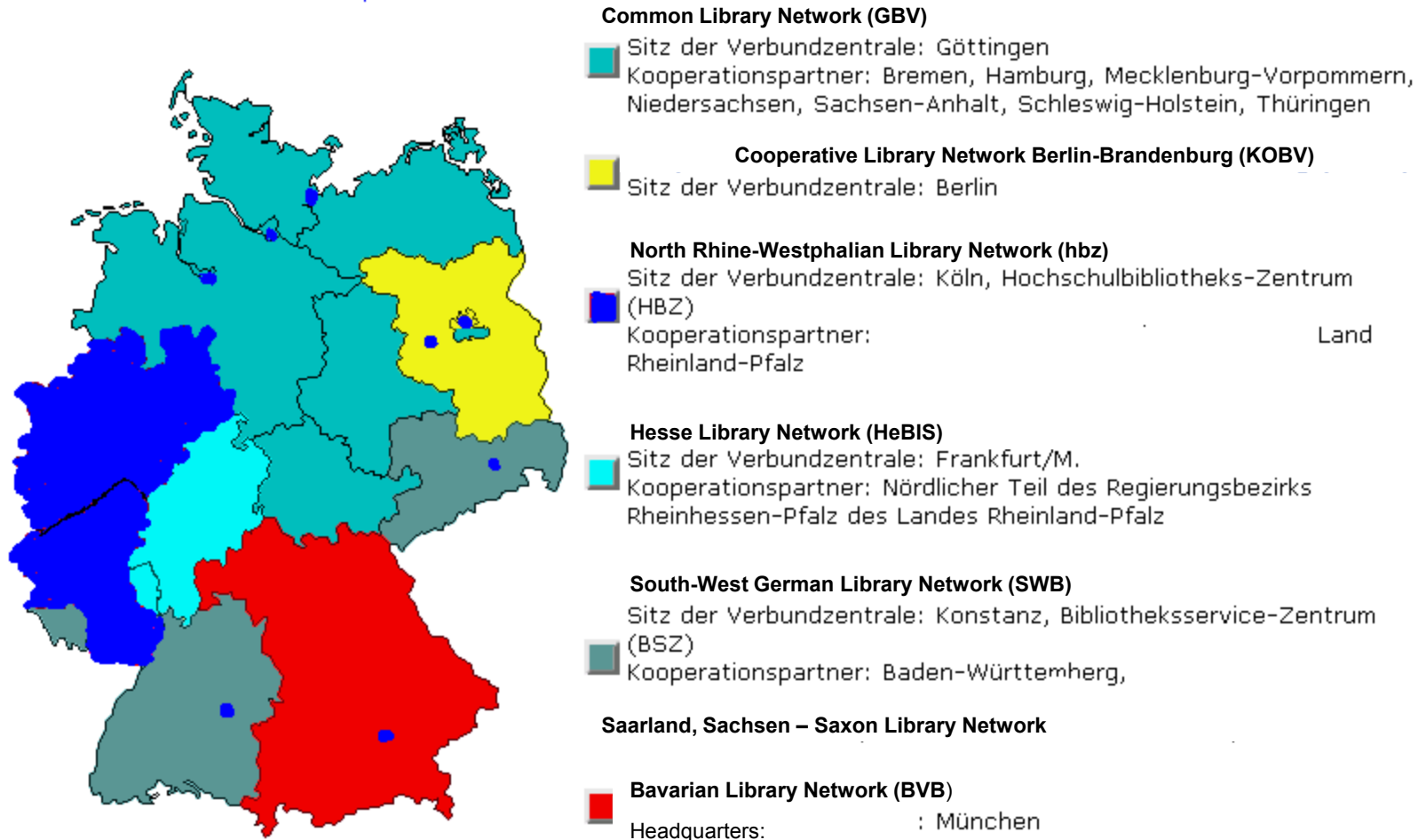
We offer

- an Online Utility and Service Centre (under the remit of the NRW Ministry of Innovation, Science and Research) providing solutions for
 - academic libraries
 - public libraries
 - and special libraries
 - in North Rhine-Westphalia and beyond

We provide

- national services (German Library Statistics, Consortium Mgt.)
- services for the region and beyond
 - regional catalogue network
 - portal and related services (DigiBib, IPS, ILL, etc.)
 - digital content (consortia, database hosting) and
 - digitisation platforms
 - digital workspace for academic publishing
 - knowledge/expertise in innovative services (e.g. LOD, semantic web)

Topography of German library networks



Co-operation scenery and examples

Inter-library co-operation and resource sharing

- regional catalogue network
- and in the context of various library services for our partner libraries

Across library networks

- library boards and working groups
- national services (ZDB, EDB, DNB)
- catalogue enrichment (exchange of resources)
- Inter-library loan/document delivery system
- strategic alliance KOBV/BVB
- first approaches in terms of joint data pools, interfaces, standards of data sets, etc.

Times of Change

→ Objectives

- Strategic repositioning of Germany library networks
 - services and service co-operation across networks/Länder

→ 2010/2011 German library system evaluation

→ 2012 DFG recommendations and ITT for

- national catalogue network
- national hub for e-resource management
- long-term storage strategy
- platform for research information

Many thanks for your kind attention!

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