

TERMS OF REFERENCE	
Type of the Committee	Standing Committee
Name of the Committee	Digital Economy Économie numérique Digitale Volkswirtschaft
Responsible Reporter	Linda Lecomte Assistant Reporter General L.Lecomte@aippi.org
Scope of work	<p>To monitor, comment and advise AIPPI on policy and legal frameworks relating to the Digital Economy, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IP and related rights in the fields of data ownership and exploitation and digitally-driven business models with specific emphasis on matters that strain current concepts of IP protection; • considerations relating to data ownership may include the interface between data ownership and data protection (privacy) but the SCDE will not focus on data protection (privacy) as such; <p>(the Field).</p> <p>To advise the Bureau of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • developments in the Field meriting an AIPPI position, including any further study or analysis necessary or desirable to determine an AIPPI position; • possible avenues for cooperation with GOs and other NGOs in the Field. <p>To identify, select and provide to the Bureau key documentation relevant to the Field.</p> <p>To serve as a resource for AIPPI when positions relevant to the Field are conveyed by AIPPI, including, in the absence of an existing AIPPI position, to formulate a position if requested by the Bureau.</p> <p>At the request of the Bureau, submit or represent, or instruct other AIPPI representatives, as to AIPPI's</p>

	<p>position in international fora, including meetings of WIPO, WTO and other meetings of GOs and NGOs.</p> <p>To co-ordinate with other AIPPI committees as specified below.</p>
<p>Required coordination with other Standing Committees</p>	<p>This Standing Committee will interface closely with the</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Standing Committee on Copyright Standing Committee on Patents Standing Committee on Trade Secrets Standing Committee on IT and Internet <p>In its work.</p>