

Torrossa Reader App: improved, accessible and secure consultation of digital content



Casalini Libri and EDRLab release the new Torrossa Reader application, based on Radium LCP technology, to facilitate the consultation of texts in EPUB format available on the Torrossa platform.

The result of ongoing collaboration between Casalini Libri and EDRLab, the new app from Torrossa has been developed using Radium technologies, particularly Radium LCP, a simple but reliable solution for distributing protected content from EDRLab that supports different business models.

Secure, accessible and easy to use, the app guarantees efficient content protection for publishers, while offering enhanced consultation with personalisable settings for end-users and responding to the requirement for ebook accessibility that is part of the EU Accessibility Directive, coming in force in 2025.

Active in the field of digital content for academic publishing since 2000, Casalini Libri became a member of EDRLab in 2020. Head of the Casalini Libri Digital Division, Luisa Gaggini, stated, “We are greatly impressed by EDRLab efforts to contribute to an open-source and

user-friendly ebook ecosystem that handles the expectations of the various players involved, and are excited to be able to adopt the same ideology and technology for our Torrossa platform, enhancing the experience for publishers and users alike.”

The Torrossa Reader app is available for free download and compatible with desktop (Windows, MacOS, Linux) and mobile devices using both Android and iOS systems. Currently tailored for use with texts in EPUB format purchased via the Torrossa Digital Bookstore, a second phase of implementation is planned and will extend the functionalities to content distributed under institutional licence.

EDRLab is an international, non-profit development laboratory, working on the deployment of an open, interoperable and accessible digital publishing ecosystem, worldwide.