

# Koha... International challenges

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#### Population Ranked 8<sup>th</sup> in the US

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- Total 97,990 sq mi (253,793 km<sup>2</sup>)

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## Some global figures

Federation	Countries	Population (Millions)	Area(km <sup>2</sup> )	Official Languages
United States	52	306	9,826,630	7
European Union	25	494.8	4,422,773	23



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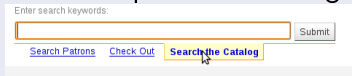
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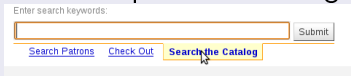
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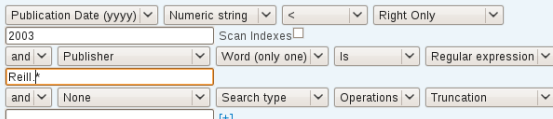
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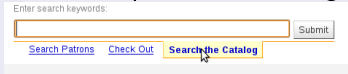
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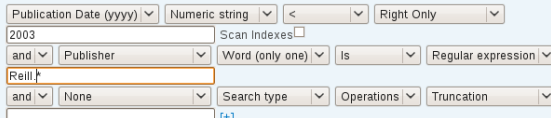
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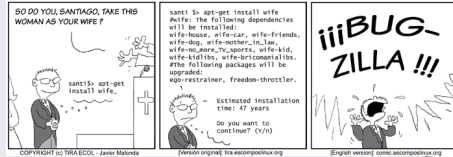


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## Geeks



## Coders skills or habits

- procedural
- passing arrays of parameters to functions
- Void return functions
- die soon in web context
- even new coder is welcome
- OOP
- passing hashes to functions
- functions returns at least a status
- error Proof application
- Strong Coding Guidelines

## History Challenges

- Some historical features are transformed owed to improved support of standards
- Itemtype can now be on biblio level or on item level
- Some data are synched between marc containers and koha tables
- late written automated tests
- lack of global coordination and mutualisation of coding efforts

# Conclusion

Koha Community Has to grow up and get organized.