Principles

• Forward democratic ideals
• Serve public interest / public access / public control / public preservation
• Serve the information needs of the community
• Forward the long-term institutional viability of libraries
• Promote and leverage collective action
Digital FDLP

• Federal Depository Library Program (FDLP) since 1813 (GPO since 1860)

• Embedded democratic principles

• “Oldest continuously running open source project”

• Distributed collections, services, preservation

• Tamper-evident
LOCKSS = FDLP
Digital Dissemination of Access Content Packages

Interest has been expressed by customers and partners in creating their own digital collections of content. This includes building digital collections by accepting digital files and metadata disseminated by GPO’s Federal Digital System (FDsys).

GPO will make available Access Content Packages (ACP’s) to download and store on local systems. For instance, for Federal depository libraries (FDL’s), this may assist in efforts to build digital collections at their libraries.

GPO will continue to maintain responsibility for managing Federal content within scope of the Federal Depository Library Program (FDLP), and providing free and permanent access to this information.

**LOCKSS system has permission to collect, preserve, and serve this Archival Unit.**

Nuts and Bolts

- 20 libraries (5 regional depositories)
- Coordination, communication, outreach
  - listserv for communication / monthly (bi-monthly) conference calls
  - participant-driven
- Rotating chairs every year
What’s next?

- More participants
- Expand collections
- Embed LOCKSS-USDOCS in FDsys TRAC audit
Further reading


- Several technical articles on LOCKSS at D-Lib Magazine www.dlib.org