

Opportunities for exploiting patent information

• A patent is territorial, but disclosure is global

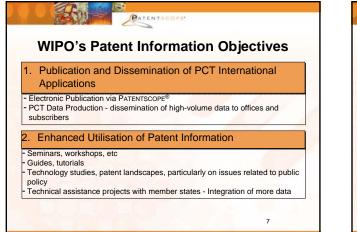
PATENTSCOPE

• Patents are limited in time

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- The scope of a patent is limited by its claims
- Patents give the owners a right to prevent others from carrying out their invention (manufacturing or marketing) but not from learning from the invention





	Patent Information
	and Technology Transfer
• lo	dentify and understa <mark>nd rele</mark> vant technologies
-	Search
-	Analysis of trends, companies, etc.
• E	valuate the IP status of technologies
_	Ownership
- 111	Geographical coverage
-	Scope of IP rights
-	Legal status (grant and maintenance)
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