



# Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988

## 1988 CHAPTER 48

### PART I

#### COPYRIGHT

#### CHAPTER III

##### ACTS PERMITTED IN RELATION TO COPYRIGHT WORKS

##### *General*

#### **[<sup>F1</sup>29A Copies for text and data analysis for non-commercial research**

- (1) The making of a copy of a work by a person who has lawful access to the work does not infringe copyright in the work provided that—
  - (a) the copy is made in order that a person who has lawful access to the work may carry out a computational analysis of anything recorded in the work for the sole purpose of research for a non-commercial purpose, and
  - (b) the copy is accompanied by a sufficient acknowledgement (unless this would be impossible for reasons of practicality or otherwise).
- (2) Where a copy of a work has been made under this section, copyright in the work is infringed if—
  - (a) the copy is transferred to any other person, except where the transfer is authorised by the copyright owner, or
  - (b) the copy is used for any purpose other than that mentioned in subsection (1) (a), except where the use is authorised by the copyright owner.
- (3) If a copy made under this section is subsequently dealt with—
  - (a) it is to be treated as an infringing copy for the purposes of that dealing, and
  - (b) if that dealing infringes copyright, it is to be treated as an infringing copy for all subsequent purposes.

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988, Section 29A. (See end of Document for details)

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- (4) In subsection (3) “dealt with” means sold or let for hire, or offered or exposed for sale or hire.
- (5) To the extent that a term of a contract purports to prevent or restrict the making of a copy which, by virtue of this section, would not infringe copyright, that term is unenforceable.]

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** S. 29A inserted (1.6.2014) by [The Copyright and Rights in Performances \(Research, Education, Libraries and Archives\) Regulations 2014 \(S.I. 2014/1372\)](#), regs. 1, **3(2)**

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