

# Building library collections in SUVAG Polyclinic Library

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# About SUVAG Polyclinic and verbotonal method

SUVAG Polyclinic is a health and scientific institution for the rehabilitation of listening and speech, registered in the Croatian Register of Scientific Organizations. In 2021, it became scientific and teaching base of University of Rijeka. Its library has undergone significant digitalisation in recent years.

Verbotonal method is bases for work in rehabilitation and educational procedures at SUVAG. It includes specific verbotonal rehabilitation and educational procedures, verbotonal electroacoustic devices and specialized equipment and movement and musical stimulation (Bakota et al., 2022).

# Verbotonal collection

publications related to the verbotonal theory and the verbotonal method  
monographs and journals issued by the SUVAG Polyclinic project  
documentation all issues of the internal professional journal Verbotonal  
conversations (published from 1995 to 2004)

## **Building the collection...**

all published works by employees are available electronically with the  
establishment of the SUVAG digital repository in 2020 retrospectively, older  
material is also digitized and electronically published in the repository  
published on DABAR (Digital Academic Archives and Repositories) - a system  
that enables all legal entities from the Croatian academic and scientific  
community to easily establish and maintain reliable and interoperable  
institutional and thematic repositories

# Periodical Collection

printed collection of old scientific journals from bio-medicine, speech and language therapy and phonetics fields subscriptions to electronic journals by Croatian academic and scientific community

## Building the collection...

Karger journal databases access since 2021 when SUVAG became member of IALP.

# Doctoral and Master's Thesis Collection

Dissertations and scientific master's theses of SUVAG employees covering the fields of: biomedicine humanities social sciences (speech and language therapy)

## **Building the collection...**

All theses are published electronically with the establishment of the SUVAG digital repository in 2020.

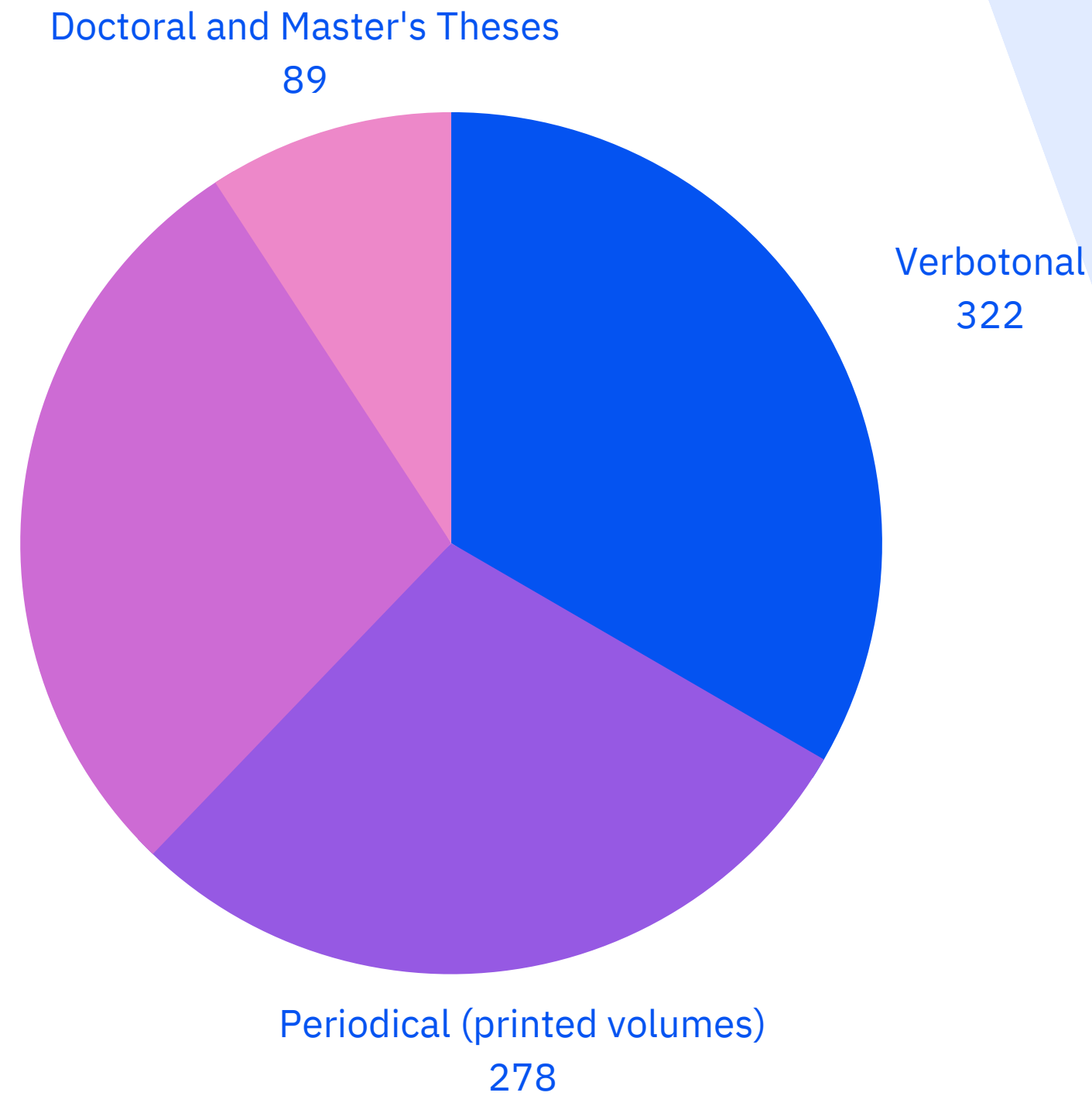
# Reference collection

- general encyclopedias
- field-specific encyclopedias
- lingual dictionaries
- handbooks
- lexicons
- Croatian frequency dictionaries

## Building the collection...

Links to the most relevant sources are available on SUVAG website since 2019.

# No. of items in each collection



# Conclusion

Through its collections, the SUVAG Polyclinic Library supports professional, scientific-teaching and research work of the institution's employees by combining:

- printed and digital sources published by SUVAG Polyclinic
- other sources available in the library
- e-sources procured for scientific and academic institutions in Croatia.

In recent years, the library offers more and more resources online and services can be obtained remotely.



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