

Jurisdiction over different “Types” of Patents, once UPC has come into force – The Default Position

Unitary Patent
enforceable across all
UPC member states

Jurisdiction
of the UPC



Portfolio of nationally validated patents in **UPC member states** obtained through the EPO **after** the UPC has come into force



Portfolio of nationally validated patents in **UPC member states** obtained through the EPO **before** the UPC has come into force

**Joint
jurisdiction**
of the UPC
OR national
courts



Portfolio of nationally validated patents in **non-UPC member states** obtained through the EPO



Portfolio of national patents obtained through national patent offices

Jurisdiction of the
relevant **national
courts**