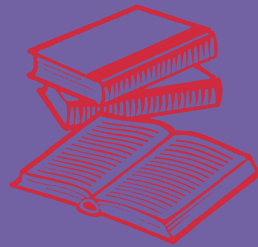# Creative Commons Licenses Compilations VS Remixes

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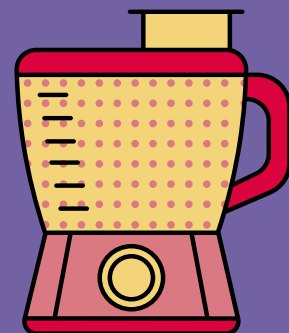
COMPILATION

Collections are a compilation of different works. While we see them all together we are able to still divide them apart.

When making a collection you are not adapting a specific work. You need to attribute all the original works that you used and you can choose a new license only for your additional contribution (if any) to the collection itself.

REMIXES/ADAPTATIONS

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ATTENTION!

- always attribute the original work in your derivative work

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