

# Silo Transcription and Translation

## Rapidly triage foreign language videos

Publicly available foreign language video and audio content is a critical source of context for analysts. However, most analysts are not linguists, and access to resources that can manually transcribe and translate are limited and require significant lead time.

### Machine-based transcription and translation

Silo's transcription and translation add-on capability empowers analysts to rapidly self-triage the value of a given video or A/V file. Utilizing machine-based transcription and translation within the [Silo for Research](#) platform, they're able to leverage foreign language videos to corroborate other collected information or assist in event monitoring — all while maintaining appropriate tradecraft.

### Features and benefits

#### Machine-based transcription and translation for rapid review

- Empower analysts to transcribe, translate and subtitle foreign language videos for analysis
- Access multiple outputs for review, including a translated transcription text file

#### Auto-detection of 25+ languages, manual selection for 80+

- Auto-detect language and speaker changes for video transcription
- Select English or language of choice for translated output (i.e., transcript or subtitle file)

#### Integrated into Silo for Research's collection and analysis tool suite

- Leverage Silo for Research to access and download videos using appropriate tradecraft, or upload an existing video for transcription and translation
- Securely access and share transcribed and translated outputs with Silo Drive cloud storage

#### Output videos

- Original video (.mp4)
- with native subtitles (.mp4)
- with translated subtitles (.mp4)

#### Output text

- Native transcript (.txt)
- Native subtitles (.srt)
- Translated transcript (.txt)
- Translated subtitles (.srt)