

# The biblatex-true-citepages-omit package

Correcting a limitation of citepages=omit option of biblatex styles

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## 1 Documentation

### 1.1 Goal

The citation styles of the family *verbose* of the biblatex package offer an *citepages=omit* option.

`\usepackage[bibstyle=verbose,citestyle=verbose,citepages=omit]{biblatex}`

This option is very useful: it omits the pages field when a citation is made with a pages' number. For example, the following entry

```
@article{Kaestli1993,  
  Author = {Jean-Daniel Kaestli},  
  Journal = {Apocrypha},  
  Number = {3},  
  Pages = {111-123},  
  Subtitle = {à propos d'un récent article de K. Schäferdiek},  
  Title = {Le rapport entre les deux vies latines de l'apôtre Jean},  
  Year = {1993}}
```

called with:

`\cite[112]{Kaestli1993}`

will be printed as:

Jean-Daniel Kaestli. “Le rapport entre les deux vies latines de l’apôtre Jean. à propos d’un récent article de K. Schäferdiek”. In: *Apocrypha* 3 (1993), p. 112

and not as:

Jean-Daniel Kaestli. “Le rapport entre les deux vies latines de l’apôtre Jean. à propos d’un récent article de K. Schäferdiek”. In: *Apocrypha* 3 (1993), pp. 111–123, p. 112

This option works perfectly, except if you add a text after page’s number, as you can see in the following example.

```
\cite[\pno{112}, on this point etc.]{Kaestli1993}
```

Jean-Daniel Kaestli. “Le rapport entre les deux vies latines de l’apôtre Jean. à propos d’un récent article de K. Schäferdiek”. In: *Apocrypha* 3 (1993), p. 112, on this point etc.

It seems this problem won’t be solved in the biblatex core<sup>1</sup>.

So, if you simply load the *biblatex-true-citepages-omit* package the problem will be solved.

```
\usepackage[bibstyle=verbose,citestyle=verbose]{biblatex}
\usepackage{biblatex-true-citepages-omit}
...
\cite[\pno{112}, on this point etc.]{Kaestli1993}
```

Notes that the *citepages=omit* option is automatically loaded.

Jean-Daniel Kaestli. “Le rapport entre les deux vies latines de l’apôtre Jean. à propos d’un récent article de K. Schäferdiek”. In: *Apocrypha* 3 (1993), p. 112, on this point etc.

## 1.2 Limitations

- This package works only if you start the *<postnote>* argument by the \pno or \ppno commands.
- This package must be loaded after the *biblatex-source-division* package.

## 2 Credits

This package was created for Maïeul Rouquette’s phd dissertation<sup>2</sup> in 2014. It is licensed on the *L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X Project Public License*<sup>3</sup>.

All issues can be submitted, in French or English, in the GitHub issues page<sup>4</sup>.

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<sup>1</sup>See: <https://github.com/plk/biblatex/issues/151#issuecomment-22879677>.

<sup>2</sup><http://apocryphes.hypotheses.org>.

<sup>3</sup><http://latex-project.org/lppl/lppl-1-3c.html>.

<sup>4</sup><https://github.com/maieul/biblatex-source-division/issues>.

### **3 Revision History**

#### **2.0.0 2017-06-20**

The `citepages=omit` option is automatically loaded

#### **1.3.0 2015-09-21**

As in the standard `citepages=omit`, also clear the `pagetotal` field.

#### **1.2.0 2014-08-16**

No more `\realcitepagesomitcmd` command.

Internal macros with more consistent name.

#### **1.1.1 2014-06-17**

Compatibility with the `\xspace` of `xspace` package.

#### **1.1.0 2014-06-16**

Better implementation of `\realcitepagesomitcmd`.

#### **1.0.1 2014-06-16**

Compatibility with the `\bibleverse` of `bibleref` package.

#### **1.0.0 2014-03-25**

First public release.