

The biblatex-trad Package

Traditional bibliography styles for biblatex

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1 Introduction

The package biblatex-trad is a contribution to the great package biblatex.

It provides the implementation of the traditional bibliography styles (plain, unsrt, alpha and abbrv) as a style for biblatex.

1.1 Motivation

The package is motivated by a question at TeX-LaTeX Stack Exchange „How to emulate the traditional BibTeX styles (plain, abbrv, unsrt, alpha) as closely as possible with biblatex?“

1.2 Requirements

The usage of the styles requires biblatex 2.0 or newer.

1.3 License

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1.4 Feedback

Please use the biblatex-trad project page on GitHub to report bugs and submit feature requests.²

¹<http://www.ctan.org/tex-archive/macros/latex/base/lppl.txt>

²<https://github.com/marcodaniel/trad-biblatex>

If you do not want to report a bug or request a feature but are simply in need of assistance, you might want to consider posting your question on the `comp.text.tex` newsgroup or TeX-LaTeX Stack Exchange.³

2 Usage

`biblatex-trad` isn't a standalone package. As described in § 1 it's a small collection of styles. So you can load the styles as follows:

```
\usepackage[style=XXX]{biblatex}
```

The available styles are listed below.

`trad-plain` Implementation of the standard style `plain`

`trad-unsrt` Implementation of the standard style `unsrt`

`trad-alpha` Implementation of the standard style `alpha`

`trad-abbrev` Implementation of the standard style `abbrev`

Biber only

After loading the style you can use all options provided by the package `biblatex`.

3 Limitation

Up to know the entry types `@BOOK`, `@ARTICLE` and `@INCOLLECTION` are setup.

4 Revision History

0.2 2012-09-29

fixed missing comma after journal name if journal name has a period

make titles sentence case

removed extra *in*

removed extra `\printfield`

fixed extra comma if `@article` doesn't have a year

use package `libertine-type1` for documentation

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³<http://tex.stackexchange.com/questions/tagged/biblatex>