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Abbreviations

Names of ancient authors and works are abbreviated according to the standard practice used in the *Oxford Classical Dictionary*. For epigraphic collections, the abbreviations are as follows:

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| <i>AE</i> | <i>L'Année Épigraphique</i> (Paris 1888-). |
| <i>BCTH</i> | <i>Bulletin archéologique du Comité des Travaux historiques et scientifiques</i> (Paris 1883-1973). |
| <i>CIL</i> | <i>Corpus Inscriptionum Latinarum</i> (Berlin 1863-). |
| <i>CILA</i> | <i>Corpus de Inscripciones Latinas de Andalucía</i> (Sevilla 1989-). |
| <i>CLE</i> | <i>Carmina Latina Epigraphica</i> (Leipzig 1930). |
| <i>Dougga</i> | <i>Dougga, fragments d'histoire. Choix d'inscriptions latines éditées, traduites et commentées</i> (Bordeaux-Tunis 2000). |
| <i>EAOR</i> | <i>Epigrafia anfiteatrale dell'Occidente Romano</i> (Roma 1988-). |
| <i>EMarsi</i> | <i>Epigrafia della regione dei Marsi</i> (Milan 1975). |
| <i>HEp</i> | <i>Hispania Epigraphica</i> (Madrid 1989-). |
| <i>IANice</i> | <i>Inscriptions antiques de Nice-Cimiez (Cemenelum, Ager Cemenelensis)</i> (Paris 1975). |
| <i>IDRE</i> | <i>Inscriptiones Daciae Romanae. Inscriptiones extra fines Daciae repertae</i> (Bukarest 1996-). |
| <i>IEAquil</i> | <i>Itinerari epigrafici Aquileiesi</i> (Trieste 2003). |
| <i>IL Afr</i> | <i>Inscriptions latines d'Afrique (Tripolitaine, Tunisie, Maroc)</i> (Paris 1923). |
| <i>IL Alg</i> | <i>Inscriptions latines d'Algérie</i> (Paris 1922-). |
| <i>ILGN</i> | <i>Inscriptions latines de Gaule (Narbonnaise)</i> (Paris 1929). |
| <i>ILLRP</i> | <i>Inscriptiones Latinae Liberae Rei Publicae</i> (Florence 1965). |
| <i>ILMMalaga</i> | <i>Inscripciones latinas del museo de Málaga</i> (Madrid 1981). |

- ILTun* *Inscriptiones latines de la Tunisie* (Pais 1944).
- ILS* *Inscriptiones Latinae Selectae* (Berlin 1892-1916).
- IMustis* *Mustitana: Recueil des nouvelles inscriptions de Mustis, cité romaine de Tunisie* (Paris 1968).
- InscrAqu* *Inscriptiones Aquileiae, I-III* (Udine 1991-1993).
- InscrIt* *Inscriptiones Italiae* (Rome 1931-).
- IRAlmeria* *Inscripciones romanas de Almería* (Almería 1980).
- IRPCadiz* *Inscripciones romanas de la provincia de Cádiz* (Cádiz 1982).
- Pais* *Corporis inscriptionum Latinarum supplementa Italica* (Rome 1884).
- Pisaurum* Cresci Marrone, G. and G. Mennella, *Pisaurum* (Pisa 1984).
- SupIt* *Supplementa Italica* (Rome 1981-).

Note on epigraphic conventions

Inscriptions are presented without abbreviations in this book and translated in accordance with epigraphic conventions:

- (abc) expansion of abbreviated texts, insertion of missing letters
- [abc] letters or words that are missing in the original text but have been restored
-] blank of unknown length at the beginning
- [blank of unknown length at the end
- [[abc]] letters which were erased in antiquity
- <e=F> correction of the original text
- {abc} letters which were cut in error
- [---] letters of uncertain number
- / division of lines
- Sic* ! mistakes in the original text

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