FUTURE PROSPECTS

Expanding the corpus:

About 600,000 additional data were digitalized from the *Biblia Patristica* archives, and the analysis of new corpora is ongoing. These data will progressively be put online.

The eventual goal is to cover the whole of Late Antiquity and the early Middle Ages.

Future functional improvements:

- development of a collaborative work site;
- automated retrieval of biblical intertextuality in texts;
 - new ways of visualising the data;
- access to patristic texts from existing numerical references.

Cahiers de BiblIndex

BIBLINDEX is also a research seminar that leads to the publication of a series. Four volumes have already been published.





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To follow the project news, see its research blog, https://biblindex-en.hypotheses.org/

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iam, et ca- γλρ θρασείς δμών και άλαζονικούς κατακάμψω τραiam cogam : χήλους, και τώ μεγίθει τῆς παιδείας κύπτειν είς oum in ser- εγτν άνγκάσω · ταις γλρ. Διλαις φυλαίς παραπληnitstes. Βοίως και τήνδε παραδώσω τὴν φυλὴν τῆ δουλεία διά τίς προβόηθείσας παρανομίας.

δ'. . Έν τη ήμέρα εχείνη ληφθήσεται έφ' ύμας Μ.1 os parabola, παραδολή; και θρηνηθήσεται θρηνος έν μέλει λεγόνentium, Mine et ante- 5 των 3 · / Ταλαιπωρία / εταλαιπωρήσαμεν.) Έντεῦθεν upra luctum και τα πρόσθεν είρημένα βάον άν τις νοήσειεν · 8 ο vocat. Ita γάρ εξπεν άνω πένθος Σειρήνων, τοῦτο ἐνταῦθα Κλ θρήνον έμμε. τη καλεί. Ως είναι δήλον, ότι κάκεί uum, juxta propheta τον έμμελη θρηνον πένθος Σειρήνων κατά τον περιit, illatis ei 👷 φερόμενον εχάλεσε μῦθον. Τούτων, φησίν, επενεγθένstras cala- των αύτη των κακών, ού θρηνήσουσι μόνον ύμας sa res ve- οί τὰ καθ' ὑμᾶ; ἀκούοντες, ἀλλὰ καὶ οἴόν τινι παρα-YOS : 60λη χεχρημένοι, έτέροις τα ύμέτερα προσοίσουσε διηγήματα. Καὶ ὑμεῖς δὲ πρός ἀλλήλους ἐρεῖτε· lo, et non (12) (12) λαού μου κατεμετρήθη εν σχοινίω, και κίζφι : agri no- C ούκ τν ό κωλύσων ' αδτόν, τού άποστρέψαι · οι άγροι non erit / ήμων διεμερίσθηταν */(ε'.) Διά τοῦτο ούχ ξσται σοι / μίζ Quoniam / βάλλων σχοινίου ἐν κλήρω. • Έπειδή γάρ, τούτων ini eorum aixualwow anaydévrow, ol περίσικοι την υπό τουaudieritis, των γεωργουμένην διενείμαντο γην, τουτο, φησίν, dicetis : ἀχούοντες, όλοφυρόμενοι και δακρύοντες ποδο ἀλλή-



Already 400,000 freely available references, from the Apostolic Fathers to John Chrysostom (Ist-vth c.)

"The sacred Scriptures grow with the one who reads them." GREGORY THE GREAT, *Hom. in Ez.* VII, 8 (SC 327, p. 245)

FROM BIBLIA PATRISTICA ... TO BIBLINDEX

1965-2000 : Biblia Patristica

Between 1975 and 2000, the 8 volumes of Biblia Patristica, Index of biblical quotations and allusions in patristic literature (CNRS Editions),

prepared by the Centre for Patristics Analysis and Documentation (CADP, Strasbourg), were published.



When the team ceased its activity in 2000, it entrusted Sources

Chrétiennes with its database and further unpublished data, two CD-ROMs and lists of unverified and handwritten references (at least 500,000).

2006 - ... : BIBLINDEX

Since 2006, Sources Chrétiennes has progressively developed **BIBLINDEX**, a database which is the heir to *Biblia Patristica*, containing to date **400,000 biblical references**, namely:

- the 270,000 entries published in *Biblia Patristica*, which cover the first three centuries, along with part of the fourth, with updates:
 - 1. Beginnings to Clement of Alexandria and Tertullian.
 - 2. The third century (except Origen).
 - 3. Origen.
 - 4. Eusebius of Caesarea, Cyril of Jerusalem, Epiphanius of Salamis.
 - 5. Basil of Caesarea, Gregory Nazianzen, Gregory of Nyssa, Amphiloque of Iconium.
 - 6. Hilary of Poitiers, Ambrose of Milan, Ambrosiaster.
 - 7. Didymus of Alexandria. Supplement, Philo of Alexandria.
- around **100,000 additional references** coming from the CD-ROM:

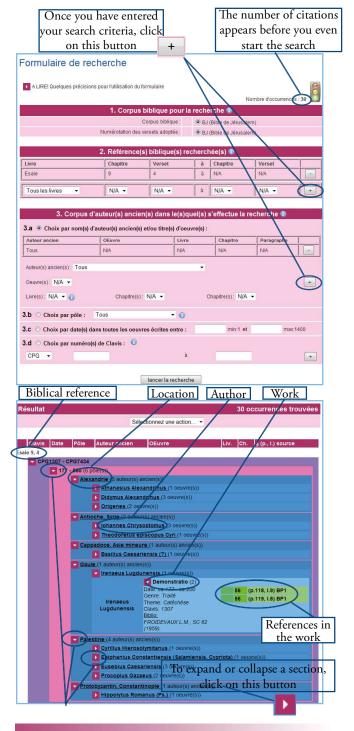
Most of the following authors' works have been included:

- Athanasius of Alexandria
- John Chrysostom
- Theodoret of Cyrus
- Procopius of Gaza
- Jerome

The database includes 12 biblical texts written in different ancient (Hebrew, Greek, Latin, Syriac) and modern languages (French, English). A correspondence parser allows to visualise them in synoptic form and to identify discrepancies in their numbering.







How to use Biblindex search form ?