



Moving forward with **BREPOLiS Latin**

- **Library of Latin Texts**
- **Monumenta Germaniae Historica**
- **Aristoteles Latinus Database**
- **Archive of Celtic-Latin Literature**
- **Database of Latin Dictionaries**

With BREPOLiS Latin, the rich heritage of Latin literature—from the earliest literary compositions to contemporary writings—is right at your fingertips. The full-text databases now benefit from a **fundamental update**, including an improved data structure and a more user-friendly interface.

We're excited to announce a major update to three of our Latin full-text databases in particular: the **Archive of Celtic-Latin Literature** (ACLL), the **Aristoteles Latinus Database** (ALD), and the **Monumenta Germaniae Historica** (eMGH). These enhancements bring the same innovations in data structure, interface, and accessibility that users already enjoy in the **Library of Latin Texts** (LLT).

Why these updates matter?

Our goal is simple: make research on Latin literature in all its aspects faster, easier, and more intuitive. By restructuring the databases, we have:

- Simplified navigation across these large corpora of texts;
- Enhanced search functionality with new filters and perspectives;
- Added direct links to authoritative (online) resources for deeper exploration;
- Simultaneous searching across the entire corpus of Latin texts via the *BREPOLiS Cross-Database Searchtool*

The *Database of Latin Dictionaries*

The *Database of Latin Dictionaries* further enriches this environment by allowing users to move seamlessly between lexical consultation and full-text analysis. In addition, a redesigned DLD interface is planned for the second half of 2026.



SPECIAL OFFER

Extended Trial Offer: 16 months of access for the price of 6

Subscribers to LLT /LLT+ can activate an extended trial to these databases as early as September 1st 2026 through the end of 2027 at a price approximately 50% lower than the default subscription rate:

- Subscribers to LLT: Upgrade to LLT+ (including *Database of Latin Dictionaries*), or to any combination with ACLL, ALD, or eMGH, or to BREPOLiS Latin (incl. ACLL, ALD, eMGH, CDS and DLD)
- Subscribers to LLT+: Upgrade to any combination with ACLL, ALD, or eMGH, or to BREPOLiS Latin (incl. ACLL, ALD, eMGH, CDS and DLD)

Cross-Database Searchtool for free in 2027

We are pleased to offer you free access to the *Cross-Database Searchtool* (CDS), an interface that allows you to search the LLT simultaneously with the ALD, the ACLL, and the eMGH. Normally, the CDS requires an additional subscription except for subscribers to the BREPOLiS Latin bundle. Free access only applies to the Latin full-text databases you subscribe to.

Please note that this special offer applies only to new subscriptions (no renewals) and to institutional customers. From 2028 onwards, the regular subscription prices apply if you wish to renew.

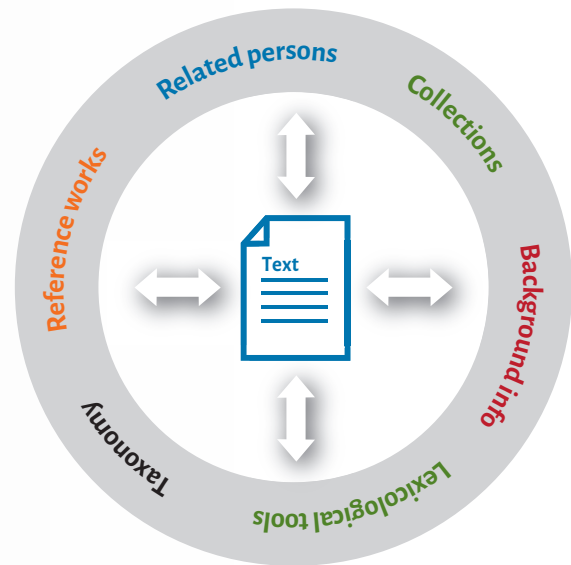


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Brepols Online Databases

A new data model

Each BREPOLiS Latin database benefits from the new data model that assigns each work to a collection (e.g. Genesis, part of the Old Testament), to one or more persons (e.g. Plato's *Timaeus* as translated by Cicero), to a reference work by means of an identifier (e.g. CPL 4), and to a style, genre, topic, and area of origin.



A new interface & a new way of searching

The new interface is easier to navigate and aligns with current accessibility standards. Together with the new data model (see above), it offers more options than ever before to construct your own corpus while performing your search. You can now also apply filters to the result list: by person, work, century, and taxonomy (genre, topic, area of origin).

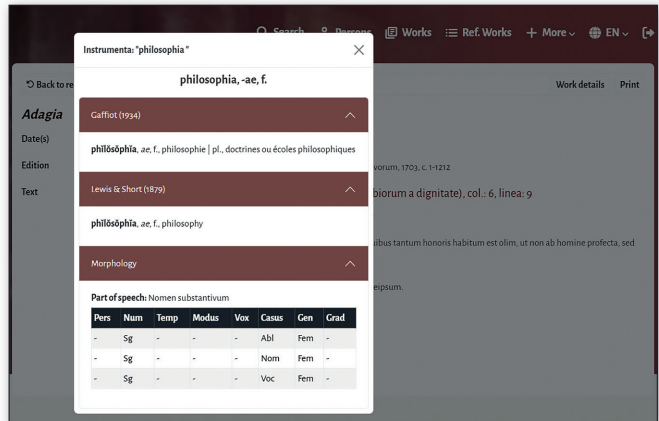
Example of a search screen for text with separate search fields (person, taxonomy, century...). Search fields can be combined using Boolean operators.

The screenshot shows the BREPOLiS search interface. At the top, there is a 'Search' section with a 'For text' label and a search input field containing the placeholder 'word, phrase or complex query'. Below this, there are three filter fields: 'person' (with a dropdown menu showing 'AND' and 'person'), 'taxonomy' (with a dropdown menu showing 'AND' and 'taxonomy'), and 'century' (with a dropdown menu showing 'AND' and 'century'). Each filter field has a corresponding search icon and a trash icon. Below the filter fields, there is a 'SEARCH' button, a 'FUZZY' button, a 'CLEAR' button, and an 'ADD FILTER' button. To the right of these buttons, there is a slider control with a range from 0 to 21 and a '21' label. Further right, there is an 'Advanced mode' toggle switch. Below the search section, there is a section labeled 'For a person, work, clavis number ...' with a search input field containing the placeholder 'Augustinus or Biblia or CPL-3'. At the bottom, there is an 'Explore' section with three buttons: 'All persons >', 'All works >', and 'Studies and reference works >'.

Separate search field for person, work, clavis number...

Instrumenta pop-up

Clicking on a Latin word now shows the *Instrumenta* pop-up with suggestions for translations and morphological analyses. This tool is directly linked to the *Database of Latin Dictionaries*.



Example of a direct link from the *Instrumenta* pop-up to the *Database of Latin Dictionaries* for further lexicographical research.

- Antiquitas
 - Forcellini et al. – Lexicon totius latinitatis
 - Forcellini et al. – Onomasticon
 - Gaffiot – Dictionnaire latin-français
 - Lewis & Short – A Latin Dictionary
 - Articles
 - A → canthārites vinum
 - Canthārōlēthros → densātio
 - densātīvus → glēchon
 - glēchōnites → Lēmānnus
 - lēmbūlus → ōpinātus
 - ōpinātus → pseudāpostōlus
 - ōpinātus → Pallādus
 - Pallantēum → pauperasco
 - paupercūlus → perfinger
 - per-fixus → pertritus
 - per-tritus → pinso
 - per-tritus → pervigillum

Lewis & Short > philōsōphīa (philōsōphīae)

Linked lemmas: **philosophia, -ae, f.**

† **philōsōphīa**, ae, f., = φιλοσοφία, philosophy.

I. Lit.: nec quicquam aliud est philosophia, si interpretari velis, quam studium sapientiae, Cic. Off. 2, 2, 5: omnia quae in philosophiā tractantur, id. Tusc. 5, 1, 1; id. Ac. 1, 2, 4: ars est enim philosophia vitae, id. Fin. 3, 1, 2; id. de Or 1, 15, 67; Sen. Ep. 89, 2 et saep.: videte ne quis vos decipiat per philosophiam, Vulg. Col. 2, 8.

II. Transf.

A. A philosophical subject or question: circulus, in quo de philosophiā sermo habetur, Nep. Epam. 3, 3.

B. In plur.: **philōsōphīae**, ārum, f., philosophical systems or sects: exercitatio propria duarum philosophiarum (i. e. Academicorum et Peripateticorum), Cic. de Or. 3, 27, 107; Gell. 4, 1, 13; 5, 3, 8.

Latin lemmas & Vocabulary list

Latin lemmas are not only available in the *Database of Latin Dictionaries* but can also be used in full-text queries, by typing an ampersand (&) in front of any Latin form in the main search field. A Vocabulary list—i.e. a list of all unique word-forms—is available for each Person, Text, and Collection of the BREPOLIS Latin databases.

Example of occurrence of word-forms of the lemma “Philosophia” in Erasmus’s *Adagia*.

< Back		Details	Full text	Print
Vocabulary of: Adagia Desiderius Erasmus				
Search for:	&philosophia			
Word		Occurrence		
philosophia		17		
philosophiae		58		
philosophiam		22		

More updates

- ▶ The *Library of Latin Texts* (LLT) has been updated. After the database’s major overhaul of July 2025, its second semestrial content update has also been completed. The addition of 42 new works brings the total number of words in the database to over 170 million. A detailed list of the texts added to the database is available on <https://about.brepolis.net>.
- ▶ The latest update of the *Database of Latin Dictionaries* (DLD) includes the *Lexicon etymologicum* by Giovanni Alessio (Napoli, 1976), a supplement to existing Latin and Romance etymological dictionaries, including the REW (Meyer-Lübke) already available in the database.
- ▶ New MARC records for LLT, eMGH, ACLL, and ALD can now be downloaded directly within the application.