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AND THE
LABYRINTH OF THE CONTINUUM

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Note on citations and translations

- (a) I have in every case given a form of citation sufficient for the unambiguous identification of the paper, letter or book from which it is drawn. Some titles are abridged, for which the sigla listed below provide a key. All citations also give the original source (Gerhart, Akademie *et al.*) as well as the English translation I have used. Abbreviations of the editions also appear below. A full listing of literature sources is given in the Bibliography.
- (b) Extended citations are set off from the main text by smaller type and indentation.
- (c) If an author is quoted in the body text, this is indicated by doubled quotation marks (“/”). Accordingly the use of single quotation marks serves to indicate the usual authorial highlighting.
- (d) All translations from the German, including material translated from other languages (e.g. Greek) into German, are my own.

Sigla used in the citation of Leibniz's writings:

(A) CORRESPONDENCE PARTNERS:

<i>Arnauld</i>	<i>Conring</i>	<i>Malebranche</i>
<i>Bayle</i>	<i>Des Billettes</i>	<i>Masham</i>
<i>Bernoulli</i>	<i>Des Bosses</i>	<i>Rémond</i>
<i>Bierling</i>	<i>De Volder</i>	<i>Thomasius</i>
<i>Bourguet</i>	<i>Fardella</i>	<i>Varignon</i>
<i>Burnett</i>	<i>Foucher</i>	<i>Wagner</i>
<i>Clarke</i>	<i>Huyghens</i>	

(B) ARTICLES AND PAPERS:

<i>Add. Expl.</i>	Additional Explanation of the New System
<i>Ars Magna</i>	Of an Organum or Ars Magna of Thinking
<i>Body & Force</i>	On Body and Force, against the Cartesians
<i>Chain</i>	Chain of Wonderful Demonstrations about the Universe
<i>Copern.</i>	On Copernicanism and the Discovery of Motion
<i>Crit. Thoughts</i>	Critical Thoughts on the General Part of Descartes' 'Principles'
<i>Demonstr.</i>	A Short Demonstration of a Memorable Error of Descartes
<i>Disc. Met.</i>	Discourse on Metaphysics
<i>Ess. Body</i>	Whether the Essence of Body consists in Extension
<i>Fardella</i>	Comments on Michel Angelo Fardella
<i>Freed. Poss.</i>	On Freedom and Possibility
<i>Inf. Num.</i>	Infinite Numbers
<i>Medit.</i>	Meditations on Knowledge, Truth and Ideas
<i>Met. Def.</i>	Metaphysical Definitons and Reflections
<i>Met. Found. Math.</i>	Metaphysical Foundations of Mathematics
<i>Meth. Dist.</i>	A Method of Distinguishing Real from Imaginary Phenomena
<i>Mon.</i>	Monadology
<i>Mot. abstr.</i>	<i>Theoria motus abstracti</i>
<i>Nec. Cont. Truths</i>	On Necessary and Contingent Truths
<i>Nouv. Ess.</i>	New Essays on the Human Understanding
<i>Philarète</i>	Conversation of Philarète and Ariste
<i>Phys. Nova</i>	<i>Hypothesis Physica Nova</i>
<i>Plast. Nat.</i>	Considerations on Vital Principles and Plastic Natures
<i>Pres. World</i>	On the Present World
<i>Princ. Gr.</i>	Principles of Nature and of Grace, founded on Reason
<i>Rad. Orig.</i>	On the Radical Origination of Things
<i>Refut. Spin.</i>	Refutation of Spinoza
<i>Reply</i>	Reply to Bayle
<i>Résumé</i>	Résumé of Metaphysics
<i>Spec. Discov.</i>	A Specimen of Discoveries
<i>Spec. Dyn.</i>	<i>Specimen dynamicum</i>
<i>Tent. Anag.</i>	<i>Tentamen anagogicum</i>
<i>Theod.</i>	Essays on Theodicy
<i>True Meth.</i>	On True Method in Philosophy and Theology
<i>Univ. Spirit</i>	Reflections on the Doctrine of a single Universal Spirit
<i>Univ. Syn.</i>	On Universal Synthesis and Analysis
<i>Wonders</i>	Wonders concerning the Nature of Corporeal Substances

Abbreviations used for Leibniz editions:

- A* *Sämtliche Schriften und Briefe*. Akademie Verlag, Berlin 1923-.
- CB* *Philosophische Werke in 4 Bänden* in der Zusammenstellung von Ernst Cassirer. Übersetzungen von Arthur Buchenau und Ernst Cassirer, Felix Meiner Verlag, Hamburg 1904/1996.
- Ct* *Opuscules et fragments des Leibniz*. Ed. Louis Couturat, Alcan, Paris 1903; reprinted Olms, Hildesheim 1961.
- DS* *Deutsche Schriften I & II*. Ed. G. E. Guhrauer. Reprographic reprint of 1838 edition. Georg Olms, Hildesheim 1966.
- FL* *Fragmente zur Logik*. Ausgewählt, übersetzt und erläutert von Franz Schmidt. Akademie Verlag, Berlin 1960.
- G* *Die philosophischen Schriften von G. W. Leibniz*. Edited by C. I. Gerhardt. 7 vols. Berlin 1875-90; reprinted Olms, Hildesheim 1978.
- GM* *G. W. Leibniz: Mathematische Schriften*. Edited by C. I. Gerhardt. 7 vols. Berlin & Halle 1849-63; reprinted Olms, Hildesheim 1962.
- HH* *Kleine Schriften zur Metaphysik*. Herausgegeben und übersetzt von Hans Heinz Holz. Insel Verlag, Frankfurt/M 1965.
- L* *Philosophical Papers and Letters*. Edited by Leroy E. Loemker. D. Reidel Publishing Co., Dordrecht 1969.
- LA* *The Leibniz-Arnauld Correspondence*. Edited and translated by H. T. Mason. Manchester University Press 1967.
- LC* *The Leibniz-Clarke Correspondence*. Edited by H. G. Alexander. Manchester University Press 1956.
- LoC* *The Labyrinth of the Continuum. Writings on the Continuum Problem 1672-86*. Edited and translated by Richard Arthur. Yale University Press, New Haven 2001.
- MR* *Leibniz's Monadology: An Edition for Students*. Ed. Nicholas Rescher. University of Pittsburgh Press 1991.
- NE* *New Essays on Human Understanding*. Translated by Peter Remnant and Jonathan Bennett. Cambridge University Press 1996.
- NS* *Leibniz's 'New System' and Associated Texts*. Translated and edited by R. S. Woolhouse and Richard Francks. Clarendon Press, Oxford 1997.
- P* *Philosophical Writings*. Edited by G. H. R. Parkinson. J. M. Dent & Sons, London 1973.
- SR* *De Summa Rerum. Metaphysical Papers 1675-6*. Edited and translated by G. H. R. Parkinson. Yale University Press, New Haven 1992.
- Theod.* *Theodicy. Essays on the Goodness of God, the Freedom of Man and the Origin of Evil*. Tr. E. M. Huggard. Routledge & Kegan Paul, London 1951.
- W* *Leibniz Selections*. Edited by Philip Wiener. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York 1951.