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Primary sources are cited in as abbreviated a form as will allow readers to locate passages readily in the Latin texts and English translations. In many instances, references are only by standard internal divisions. Where a more precise location is needed, page numbers in the Latin editions are included in parentheses. (For the critical editions of Ockham, the series and volume numbers are omitted in such references. They are listed in Section II of the Introduction.) References to translations are normally given only when references to the Latin are not enough. (For a list of translations keyed to the editions, see the Introduction, Section II.) A dagger (†) in a reference to the Latin indicates that, although the question or section referred to has been translated in part, the particular passage being cited is not translated. Other references in the notes are in abbreviated form, by author and date. For full publication information, see the Bibliography.

‘Resp.’ in a reference refers to an author’s response to a question, and ‘ad’ to the reply to an objection.

The following abbreviations refer to individual writings and collections cited in the chapter notes. (For the political writings, the abbreviations conform to the list in OPol IV.xiii–xviii.) Numbers in parentheses following the abbreviations refer to items listed in the Introduction, Section II.

OCKHAM’S WRITINGS

OPol = *Opera politica*, in Ockham 1956–97.
OTh = *Opera theoligica*, in Ockham 1967–88.

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(The editors’ introduction to volumes of OPh and OTh have page numbers marked by asterisks.)

Act. virt. = Utrum voluntas possit habere actum virtuosum respectu aliquid objecti respectu cuius est error in intellectu. (19)

AP = An princeps pro suo succursa, scilicet guerres, possit recipere bona ecclesiarum, etiam invito papa. (40) Cited by chapter.


CB = Tractatus contra Benedictum. (45) Cited by book and chapter.


Connex. = De connexione virtutum. (18) Cited by article and line.

De fine = De causaletate finis. (5)

Dial. = Dialogus. (49) Cited by part, book, and chapter. Part III is divided into two tracts, cited as III-1 and III-2, and then into books and chapters.

Epist. = Epistola ad frates minores. (43)

Expos. Elench. = Expositio super libros Elenchorum. (28)

Expos. Perih. = Expositio in librum Perihermenias Aristotelis. (26)


IPP = De imperatorum et pontificum potestate. (48)

OND = Opus nonaginta dierum. (42) Cited by chapter and, where necessary, line numbers. Line numbers restart with each chapter.

OQ = Octo quaestiones de potestate papae. (39) Cited by question, chapter and, where appropriate, line numbers.


Proom. et Porph. = Expositio in libros artis logicae, prooemium et expositio in librum Porphyri de Praedicabilibus. (24)


Quant. = Tractatus de quantitate. (21)
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Quodl. = Quodlibeta septem. (20) Cited by quodlibet and question.

Sent. = In libros Sententiarum. (1) The abbreviation ‘Sent.’ is used here for both the Scriptum (on Book I) and the Reportatio (on Books II-IV). References are to book and then, for the Scriptum, to the Prologue or distinction and question numbers; for the Reportatio, to book and question. When a distinction in the Scriptum has a single question, the question number is sometimes omitted in references.

SL = Summulae. (23) Cited by part and chapter number. Part III has four subparts, III-1 through III-4.

OTHER

PL = Migne 1844–64.
ST = Thomas Aquinas, Summatheologiae. Cited by part, question, and article. IaIIae = first part of the second part; IaIIae = second part of the second part.