

Juv036. Juvenal, with the commentary of D. Calderinus

[Lyon], [Guillaume Le Roy?]

[1488?]

Title page: a1^r: Iuuenale cum commento.

[*sic*: Iuuenale

Colophon: none.

Collation: Super-chancery 2^o: a–b⁸ c–d⁶ e–f⁸ g–i⁶ k⁸ l–m⁶ n⁸ o⁶ p⁸, 104 leaves (p8 blank), unnumbered.

Contents: a1^r title page; a1^v blank; a2^r ‘Domitij Calderini Veronenfis fecretarij apoſtolici in commentarios iuuenalis | ad clariffimum virum iulianum Medicem Petri Cofmi filium Florentinorum [*sic*]’; on a2^v *Iuuenalis vita; Commentarii in satyras*; on a3^v ‘Iunii iuuenalis aquinatif [*sic*] Satira [*sic*] prima. | [4]emp ego auditor tātū: nūquam | ne reponam: Vexatus tociens | rauci theſeide codri. Impūe er|go [*sic*] ...’; the commentary surrounds the text on two sides; p1^v end of text; end of commentary; p2^r *explicit* of commentary; *Defensio*; p7^r end of *Defensio*; ‘Finis.’; p7^v *Registrum*; p8 blank.

Typography: 91G; 126G; spaces left for Greek words; two-line initial spaces; 47 lines of commentary; 214 (218) × 133 mm; signed \$ i–\$ iij [– a1 cdghilmo4]; no catchwords; no running titles.

Paper: Super-chancery paper (estimated sheet size 40 × 30.5 cm): largest recorded page size 28.5 × 19 cm (Yale).
52 edition sheets.

First Lyonese edition of Juvenal

First edition of Juvenal with caption title

Printed with the types of Guillaume Le Roy, Lyon (BMC viii, 239). BMC does not attempt to date the book, but a date of 1486–88 can be established as the period in which Le Roy was using type 125G in its last state and the 91 mm casting of 94G. Further, the book seems, from an examination of misprints, etc., to have been set from Juv034 (October 1487, or possibly Juv035, March 1488). A more precise date of [1488?] can therefore be proposed.

The opening three lines of Satire I are set as prose.

Hain erroneously combines this edition with a Persius in similar types which is bound with both the British Library and Beinecke Library copies.

Bibliographical references: H9687; BMC viii, 239; Goff J651; GW M15686; ISTC ij00651000.

Locations: Aurillac: BM (imperfect). Dijon: BM (2 leaves). London: British Library (*IB.41533). New Haven: Yale UL, Beinecke Library (*Zi +8509.3).
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