

A Catalogue of the Blau Collection of Hebrew Books in  
Glasgow University Library

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## Introduction

Ludwig (Lajos) Blau was a Hungarian scholar and rabbi, born April 29, 1861, at Putnok, Hungary.<sup>1</sup> Blau's father, Mór, a tenant farmer, also owned a small grocery, so was sufficiently affluent to provide private tuition for his five sons. Ludwig was subsequently educated at three different yeshivas, at Putnok with Rabbi Jakob Tennenbaum, at Szilágysomlyó (now in Romania) under Rabbi Mordecai Horovitz, followed by two years in Pressburg (now Bratislava), deepening his knowledge of traditional Jewish studies in the famous yeshiva headed, at that time, by Rabbi Simche Bunim Sofer, the 'Shevet Sofer'.<sup>2</sup> Most of the Jewish chaplains in the Austro-Hungarian Army were graduates of the Pressburg Yeshiva,<sup>3</sup> and it would appear that, at some point, Blau joined their ranks (see photograph on page 8).

In 1879 he decided to leave the orthodox environment of the yeshiva and enrol in the recently established Országos Rabbiképző Intézet (National Rabbinical Seminary) in Budapest. Opened in 1877, this was a Neológ institution, providing a secularly educated clergy, promoting a moderately reformed Judaism, and encouraging assimilation into Hungarian society (Magyarization). Blau also studied philosophy and orientalia at the University of Budapest, receiving his doctorate there, cum laude, in 1887, and the rabbinical diploma in 1888.

While still a student in 1887, Blau was invited to be a teacher of the Talmud at the Seminary subsequently becoming, in 1889, professor of the Bible, the Hebrew and Aramaic languages, and Talmud. Additionally, in 1899, he became librarian and tutor in Jewish history. In 1914 Blau became the third director of the Seminary.<sup>4</sup>

For 40 years from 1891 until 1931 he was the editor of the Jewish journal, *Magyar Zsidó Szemle* (Hungarian Jewish Review),<sup>5</sup> initially with Ferenc Mezey, who conducted a publicity campaign for the recognition of Judaism as a received, or state supported religion. Mezey left the journal in 1896 when this aim was achieved, and under the sole editorship of Blau the periodical became purely scholarly. The journal was recognised as an official organ of the Rabbinical Seminary from 1927 onwards. The Hungarian language employed by the review

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<sup>1</sup> Samuel D. Löwinger, 'Ludwig Blau', in, *The rabbinical seminary of Budapest 1877-1977: a centennial volume*; edited by Moshe Carmilly-Weinberger, New York, 1986, pp.162-177.

[http://www.yivoencyclopedia.org/article.aspx/Blau\\_Lajos](http://www.yivoencyclopedia.org/article.aspx/Blau_Lajos)

<http://www.or-zse.hu/resp/olah2006/olah-debrecen2006.htm>

<sup>2</sup> In the early chapters of his autobiography, *With my own eyes* (1995), Jacob Katz (1904-98) provides a vivid description of the currents and tensions within Hungarian Judaism during his time as a yeshiva student in Pressburg and elsewhere.

<sup>3</sup> [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pressburg\\_Yeshiva\\_\(Austria-Hungary\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pressburg_Yeshiva_(Austria-Hungary))

<sup>4</sup> Kinga Frojimovics et al. *Jewish Budapest: monuments, rites, history*. Budapest, 1971, 201-8.

<sup>5</sup> [https://yivoencyclopedia.org/article.aspx/Magyar\\_Zsidó\\_Szemle](https://yivoencyclopedia.org/article.aspx/Magyar_Zsidó_Szemle)

tended to isolate Hungarian Jewish studies and obscure the full importance of Blau's scholarly output.

In 1911 he founded the Hebrew journal *Ha-Šofeh me-Ereš Hagar* (later *Ha-Šofeh le-Ḥokhmat Yisrael*) which he edited until 1931. Blau was a prolific scholar who contributed to many aspects of Jewish learning, contributing to most of the Jewish and non-Jewish scholarly journals devoted to theology and philology. His bibliography includes 887 items and in the *Zsidó Szemle* he reviewed 1,383 books. He was pioneering in his evaluation of Talmudic information on the Bible and the masorah (*Masoretische Untersuchungen*, 1891; *Zur Einleitung in die Heilige Schrift*, 1894). He was also amongst the first to consider Greek papyri in the context of halakhah (*Papyri und Talmud in gegenseitiger Beleuchtung*, 1913; 'Prosbul im Lichte der griechischen Papyri und der Rechtsgeschichte', in *Festschrift der Landesrabbinerschule*, 1927). Blau also published the letters of the famous Venetian rabbi, Leon Modena or Yehudah Aryeh mi-Modena (1571–1648) (*Leo Modenas Briefe und Schriftstücke*, 2 vols., 1905–06).

In addition to his academic work, in 1902 Blau became president of the folk-lore section of the Jewish-Hungarian Literary Society. He retired in 1932 and died in 1936.

A published catalogue of his library appeared in 1936:  
German title-page:

*Katalog der Bibliothek des verewigten Prof. Dr. Ludwig Blau, Rector der Landesrabbinerschule zu Budapest.*

Budapest, 1936. Druck der Buchdruckerei Illés Neuwald Nachf. VIII. Üllői-ut 48  
76 pp., interleaved with blank leaves.

Judaica.

I Alte Bücher. Incunabula, pp.3-9. Books of the 15th -18th centuries.

II Judaica recentiora, pp.9-61. 19th and 20th century imprints.

Zeitschriften, pp.61-4.

III Anhang, pp.65-76

Hebrew title-page:

*Reshīmat bet 'ošar ha-sefarīm 'asher haniah 'aharayv mo[reynu] ha-[rav] Dr. Yehudah 'Aryeh Blōy ze[khōr] ša[dīq] li-[vrakhah] moreh u-menahel be-vet midrash ha-rabanim be-Budapesht.*

Be-Budapesht, 5640. Nidpas be-defūs ha-'Aḥim N'evīrts. VI. Be-Rahōv Qīr'aly [i.e. Kiraly]  
18

38pp., interleaved with blank leaves.

I Hebraica. Alte Bücher, pp.3-9. Books of the 15th – 18th centuries (twelve 19th c. imprints are included in error).

II Hebraica recentiora, pp.9-23. 19th and 20th century imprints.

III Neueste hebräische Litteratur, pp.23-36. More recent publications, many with Palestinian imprints, e.g., Jerusalem, Jaffa, Tel-Aviv, Haifa.

#### IV Anhang, pp.37-8

The whole collection amounted to some 3,000 items, reflecting Blau's principal areas of research and teaching. In 1937 Glasgow University acquired part I of the Hebraica section (Alte Bücher), comprising 198 early printed items, 111 of which have 16th century publication dates. The one incunable mentioned in the printed catalogue was not included in the final purchase.

It seems that the University became aware of the availability of Blau's library through contact with the Rev. George A. F. Knight,<sup>6</sup> Church of Scotland minister at the Scottish Mission to the Jews in Budapest<sup>7</sup> from 1935 until 1940. A minute from the Library Committee meeting held on 8th May 1937 headed, 'Proposed purchase of books from the library of the late Professor Blau' reads: 'Professor Stevenson explained that he had been in communication with the Rev. G. F. Knight in Bude Pesth concerning the purchase of the section of books from the library of the late Professor Blau. Mr Knight was in treaty with Frau Dr Blau and hoped to negotiate the purchase of the wanted books for £200'. Professor William Barron Stevenson<sup>8</sup> (1869-1954) was Professor of Hebrew and Semitic Languages at the University from 1907 to 1937. At a subsequent meeting on 15th October, presumably after the books had been received, 'Professor Stevenson had desired him [i.e. the Librarian] to convey to the Library Committee the expression of his deep regret that so many of the books in the Blau Collection were in such poor condition.'

The descriptions of the collection which follow were made for the Library's main catalogue by the present writer, while employed as a graduate trainee in the Special Collections Department of Glasgow University Library (1975-6). They are arranged in date order, and derive, largely unedited, from the Library's current on-line catalogue. In addition, a more detailed bibliographic description of the twenty oldest imprints is appended.

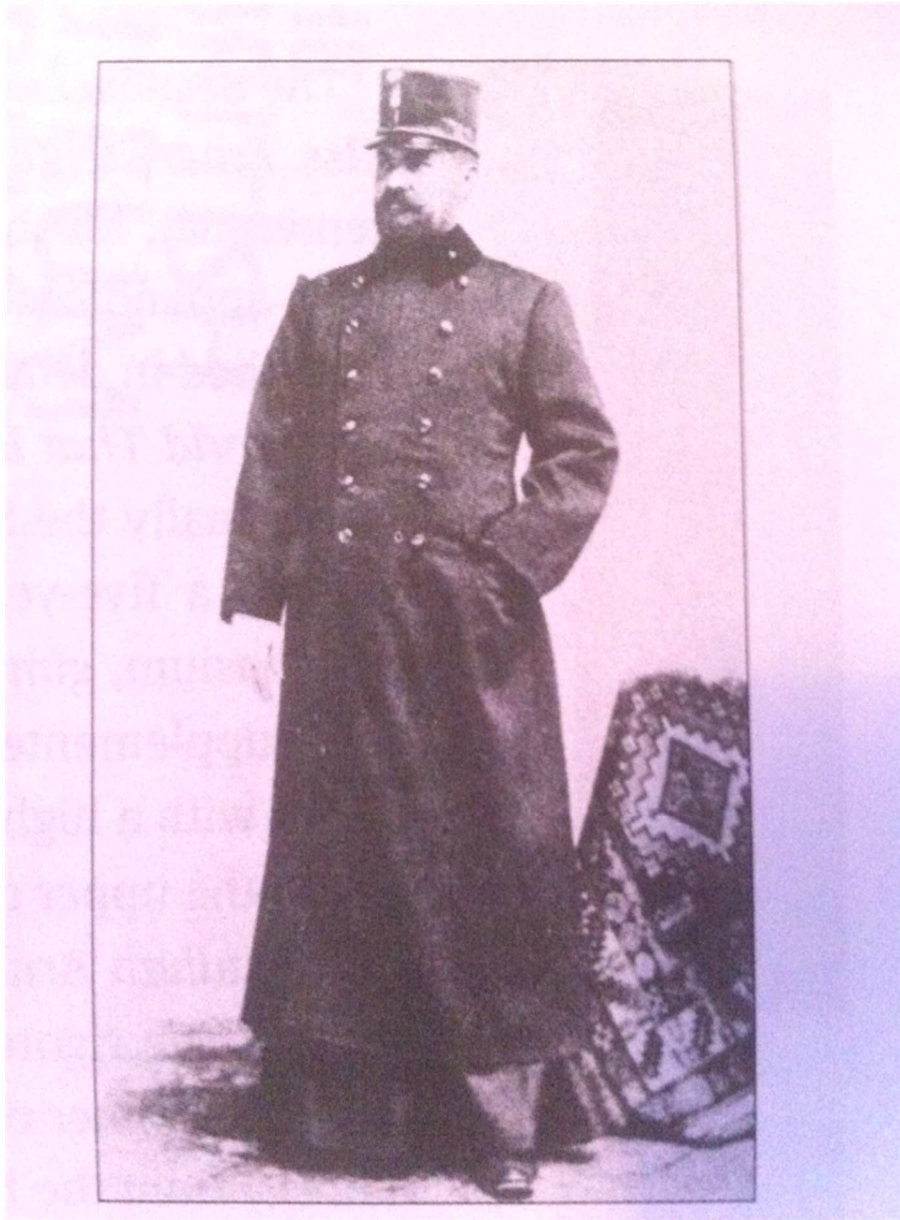
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<sup>6</sup> David McDougall, *In search of Israel: a chronicle of the Jewish missions of the Church of Scotland*, London, 1941, 160-3.

<sup>7</sup> For a more recent account of the origins and history of the Scottish Mission see, Ábrahám Kovács, *The history of the (Free) Church of Scotland's mission to the Jews in Budapest and its impact on the Reformed Church of Hungary 1841-1914*, Frankfurt am Main, 2006.

<sup>8</sup> <https://www.universitystory.gla.ac.uk/biography/?id=WH1426&type=P>



Blau in his military uniform.  
From: *Jewish Budapest: monuments, rites, history*, p.203



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Fürst = Julius Fürst, *Bibliotheca Judaica: bibliographisches Handbuch der gesamten jüdischen Literatur mit Einschluss der Schriften über Juden und Judentum und einer Geschichte der jüdischen Bibliographie nach alphabetischer Ordnung der Verfasser*. Leipzig, W. Engelmann, 1849-1863, 3 pts. In 2 v.

Steinschneider col. = Moritz Steinschneider, *Catalogus librorum hebraeorum in Bibliotheca Bodleiana*, Berlin, 1852-1860, column number.

## Catalogue

1

AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.  
TITLE [Ro'sh 'amanah, Zevah pesah, Naḥalat 'avot].  
IMPRINT [Constantinople] : [David and Samuel Naḥmias], [1505].  
DESCRIPT 117 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 14. Steinschneider col. 1080-2.

ALT AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508. Zevah pesah.  
ALT AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508. Naḥalat Avot.  
EARLY PB Istanbul [1505]  
EARLY PB T.p. wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 119.

2

TITLE [Sefer he-'arukh ha-qashar].  
IMPRINT Qoṣṭantin : [s.n.], Tammuz, 5271[1511]  
DESCRIPT 64 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE T.p. wanting. Author unknown. Colophon date.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Istanbul [1511]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 65.

3

TITLE Bible. Prophets. Hebrew. 1517.  
TITLE Nevi'im 'aḥaronim 'im ha-Targum we-'im perush RaDaQ.  
IMPRINT Viniziy'ah : Dani'el Bombergi le-Dukhus Li'andro Loridano,  
[15]17.  
DESCRIPT 180 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 183.

ALT AUTHOR Kimḥi, David, 1160?-1235?.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Prophets. Aramaic. Targum Jonathan. 1517.  
EARLY PB Venice 1517.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 135.

4

AUTHOR Ben Jehiel, Nathan, of Rome.  
TITLE Sefer he-'arukh, ḥibero ha-rav Natan bar Yeḥi'el mi-Romi ...  
IMPRINT Pizaro : Sonsino, 5277 [1517]  
DESCRIPT 178 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst III, 20. Steinschneider col. 2041.

EARLY PB Pesaro [1517]

EARLY PB Acrostic verse on t.p. indicates editor or corrector,  
cf. Steinschneider.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 114.

5

AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.

TITLE [Sefer ha-baḥar, by Elijah Levita].

IMPRINT Rome : [s.n.], 1518.

DESCRIPT 56 leaves ; 8vo.

NOTE Fürst II, 239.

NOTE Imperfect T.p. and several leaves wanting.

NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Rome 1518

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 91.

6

AUTHOR Isserlein, Israel.

TITLE Pesaqim u-khetavim shel Yisra'el.

IMPRINT Venice : Dani'el Bombergi, [1519]

DESCRIPT 54 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst II, 154. Steinschneider col. 1166.

NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1519]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 128.

7

AUTHOR Isserlein, Israel.

TITLE Sefer terumat ha-deshen, ḥibero we-yasad ha-ga'on Yisra'el 'asher  
shemo noda' be-sha'arim ... Isserlein.

IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Dani'el Bombergo, [5]279 [1519]

DESCRIPT 124 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst II, 154. Steinschneider col. 1166.

NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1519]

EARLY PB Imprint added in manuscript.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 128.

8

AUTHOR Kolon, Joseph.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot.  
TITLE Barukh Adon ..., [by] Yosef Qolon.  
IMPRINT Viniziyah : Dani'el Bombergi, 279 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1519]  
DESCRIPT 233 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 201.

EARLY PB Venice [1519]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 5.

9

AUTHOR Ben Jehiel, Asher.  
TITLE [She'elot u-teshuvot].  
IMPRINT Qonṣṭatinah : n.p., [5]282 [1522] (*now dated 5277[1517]*  
*cf. pp.87-8*)  
DESCRIPT 94 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 59. Steinschneider col. 751.  
NOTE T.p. wanting.

EARLY PB Kimḥi, Samuel, early 18th century Rabbi in Constantinople. On  
last page: Zeh ha-sefer she-li Shemu'el Qimhi.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 120.

10

AUTHOR Moses ben Jacob, of Coucy, active 13th century.  
TITLE [Sefer miṣwot gadol, by Moses ben Jacob de Coucy].  
IMPRINT [Venice] : [Daniel Bomberg], [1522]  
DESCRIPT 2 pts in 1 ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 189. Steinschneider col. 1797.

EARLY PB Part one signed 12-308; t.p. 12i and 30viii wanting. Part two  
signed 1-118; all before 5iii wanting.

EARLY PB Venice [1522]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 150.

11

AUTHOR Jacob ben Asher, ca1269- ca1340.  
TITLE Ṭurim. 3. Even ha-'ezer.  
TITLE ha-Ṭur ha-shelishi we-hu' ha-niqra' 'Even ha-ezer, 'asher ḥiber  
ha-rav rabenu Ya'aqov.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, [5]282 [1522]  
DESCRIPT 80 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst II, 15. Steinschneider col. 1183.

NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1522]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 185.

12

AUTHOR Jacob ben Asher, ca 1269 - ca 1340.

TITLE Ṭurim. 4. Ḥoshen ha-mishpat

TITLE ha-Ṭur ha-revi 'i we-hu' niqra' ḥoshen ha-mishpat, 'asher ḥiber  
ha-rav rabenu Ya'aqov.

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, [5]283 [1522]

DESCRIPT 244 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst II, 15. Steinschneider col. 1183.

NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1522]

EARLY PB Register continuous with Ṭurim pt 3. A number of passages  
obliterated by Censor.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 185.

13

TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Hebrew. 1524.

TITLE [Miqra' gedolah, with Targumin and commentaries by Rashi and  
others]; edited by Jacob ben Ḥayyim.

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 285 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1524-25]

DESCRIPT 4 v ; fol.

NOTE Steinschneider col. 11.

NOTE Register continuous. Library's set lacks vols 1 and 4.

ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Ḥayyim, Jacob.

ADD. TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Aramaic. Targum. 1524.

ADD. TITLE Rabbinic Bible, 2nd.

EARLY PB Venice 1524-25.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 166-167.

14

AUTHOR Kimḥi, David, 1160?-1235?.

TITLE Sefer ha-shorashim: we-hu' ḥeleq sheni mi-ha-mikhlol, she-ḥiber  
Dawid Qimḥi. [Edited by Yeshayah ben Eli'ezer Parnas mi-veney  
ha-Gershoni].

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 5289 [1529]

DESCRIPT 144 leaves ; fol.



NOTE Fürst II, 185. Steinschneider col. 873.

ALT AUTHOR Parnas, Isaiah ben Eliezer.

EARLY PB Venice [1529]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 171.

15

AUTHOR Ben Jehiel, Nathan, of Rome.

TITLE [Sefer he-'arukh, by Natan ben Yehi'el mi-Romi; edited by Eliezer Parnas mi-vney ha-Gersoni].

IMPRINT Venice : Daniel Bomberg, 1531-2.

DESCRIPT 246 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst III, 21. Steinschneider col. 2041.3.

NOTE Poem by Elijah Levita at foot of last page.

NOTE T.p. wanting.

ALT AUTHOR Parnas, Eliezer.

ALT AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.

EARLY PB Venice 1531-2

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 115.

16

AUTHOR Ben Solomon, Immanuel.

TITLE Sefer maḥberot 'Immanu'el. Hadpas sheni ...

IMPRINT Qosta'antina' : Eli'ezer Sonşin, 5295 [1535]

DESCRIPT 156 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst III, 352. Steinschneider col. 1057.

ADD. TITLE Works.

EARLY PB Istanbul [1535]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 73.

17

AUTHOR Ibn Yaḥya, Joseph.

TITLE Perush ḥamesh megillot, Tehillim, Mishley, Iov, Dani'el, Ezra, Divrey ha-yamim, ḥibero he-ḥakham ha-kolel ha-'elohi don Yosef ibn Yaḥya ...

IMPRINT Boloniya' : 'al yedey ha-shitufim, [5]298 [1538]

DESCRIPT 122 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst II, 4.

EARLY PB Bologna [1538]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 122.

18

AUTHOR Recanati, Menaḥem ben Benjamin.  
TITLE Pisqey halakhot mi-ha-muvhaq rabenu Menaḥem mi-Riqa'anaṭi ...  
IMPRINT Boloniya' : 'al yedey ha-shitufim, [5]298 [1538]  
DESCRIPT 62 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 136. Steinschneider col. 1737.  
  
EARLY PB Bologna [1538]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 57.

19

TITLE Maḥzor.  
TITLE ... ha-Maḥzor ke-fi minḥag qehilah qedushah Roma', 'im  
perush Qemḥa da-avishona' [by Yohanan Treves], we-masekhet Avot  
'im perush ... ha-RaMBaM ...  
IMPRINT Boloniya' : [s.n.], 301 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1541].  
DESCRIPT 2 v. ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 444. Steinschneider col. 1399.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Maimonides, Moses, 1135-1204. Perush 'al Avot.  
ALT AUTHOR Treves, Yohanan. Qemḥa' da-avishona'.  
EARLY PB Bologna [1541]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 112-113.

20

AUTHOR Baḥya ben Asher.  
TITLE [Perush 'al ha-Torah, by Baḥya ben Asher].  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Qorni'el Adil Qind, 304 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1544]  
DESCRIPT 233 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 76. Steinschneider col. 779.  
NOTE T.p. wanting.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1544]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 129.

21

AUTHOR Albo, Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer 'iqqarim, [by] Josef Albo Sefardi.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : [Giovanni di Fari], 304 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1544]  
DESCRIPT 168 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 32. Steinschneider col. 1444.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1544]

EARLY PB All leaves after gathering 21 wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 28.

22

AUTHOR Albo, Joseph.  
TITLE [Sefer 'iqqarim, by Yosef Albo Sefardi].  
IMPRINT [Viniṣiya'ah] : [Giovanni di Fari], [1544]  
DESCRIPT 171 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 32; Steinschneider col. 1444.  
NOTE T.p. badly obscured.  
NOTE Leaves 168-171 imperfect; 89-92 and 172-end wanting.

EARLY PB Venice [1544]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 30.

23

AUTHOR Nachmanides, Moses.  
TITLE Be'ur 'al ha-Torah, le-ha-rav ha-gadol rabenu Mosheh ben Naḥman  
Gironi.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Ma'arqo Anṭonio Yustiniy'an, 305 li-fraṭ  
qaṭan, [1545]  
DESCRIPT 157 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 1962.

EARLY PB Venice [1545]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 140.

24

TITLE Mekilta.  
TITLE Midrash ha-mekhilta' ... ḥiber rabi Yishm a'el be-middot mavo'  
ha-Talmud mukallel mevo'ar le-nagid rabi Shemu'el we-berur rabi  
'Aqiva; higgsiha oto 'ish tavunah ... Yoḥanan Treyvas.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 5305 [1545]  
DESCRIPT 37 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 76. Steinschneider col. 597.  
NOTE Item 1 of 3 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Treves, Yoḥanan.  
ALT AUTHOR Akiba Ben Joseph.  
ALT AUTHOR Ishmael Ben Elisha.  
EARLY PB Venice [1545]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 148.

25

TITLE Sifra.  
TITLE Zeh ha-sefer Sifra' ... le-higgiha oto Yoḥanan 'ish Ṭreyvas ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 5305 [1545]  
DESCRIPT 59 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 125.  
NOTE Attributed to Rav.  
NOTE Item 3 of 3 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Treves, Yoḥanan.  
ALT AUTHOR Rav.  
EARLY PB Venice [1545]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 148.

26

TITLE Sifre.  
TITLE Zeh sefer sifrey ... we-shem ha-meḥaber we-qadmato rabi Shim'eon  
ben Yoḥai be-ṭov ha-'iyyun ke-fi ha-afshar higgiha oto  
Yoḥanan mi-Ṭreyvas.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, [5]306 [1545]  
DESCRIPT 63 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 126. Steinschneider col. 628.  
NOTE Attributed to Simeon ben Yoḥai and Rav.  
NOTE Item 2 of 3 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Treves, Yoḥanan.  
ALT AUTHOR Ben Yoḥai, Simeon.  
ALT AUTHOR Rav.  
EARLY PB Venice [1545]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 148.

27

AUTHOR Maimonides, Moses, 1135-1204.  
TITLE [Iggerot u-she'elot u-teshuvot, by Moses Maimonides].  
IMPRINT [Venice] : [Marco Antonio Giustiniani], [1545?]  
DESCRIPT 94 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 312. Steinschneider col. 1903.  
NOTE T.p. wanting.

EARLY PB Venice 1545  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 157.

28

AUTHOR Baḥya ben Asher.  
TITLE Sefer kad ha-qemaḥ, she-ḥiber ha-rav rabenu Baḥya ha-dayyan.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Ma'arqo Antonio Yustiṇi'an, 306 li-fraṭ qaṭan,  
[1546]  
DESCRIPT 83 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 76. Steinschneider col. 780.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 127.

29

TITLE Petaḥ devaray; meḥubar zeh kammah shanim be-Sefard 'al ha-  
diqduq ... we-ha-ha'ataqah hi' muggahat 'im rov ha-'iyyun 'al  
yedey Eliyyah ha-Lewi ha-medaqdeq.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bomberg, 5306 [1546]  
DESCRIPT 132 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 239. Steinschneider col. 634.  
NOTE Attributed variously to Moses Kimḥi and David ben Joseph Kimḥi.  
NOTE Item 1 of 3 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.  
ALT AUTHOR Kimḥi, Moses ca 1127 – ca 1190.  
ALT AUTHOR Kimḥi, David, 1160?-1235?  
EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 15.

30

AUTHOR Ibn Ezra, Abraham ben Meïr, 1092-1167.  
TITLE Sefer mo'zney lashon ha-qodesh, she-ḥiber he-ḥakham ha-gadol  
rabi Avraham ben Me'ir ... ben 'Ezra' be-'ir Romi.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bomberg, 5306 [1546]  
DESCRIPT 42 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 255. Steinschneider col. 684.  
NOTE Item 3 of 3 bound together.  
  
EARLY PB Venice 1546  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 15.

31

AUTHOR Ibn Ezra, Abraham ben Meïr, 1092-1167.  
TITLE Sefer ṣahot ba-diqduq, she-ḥiber he-ḥakham ha-gadol rabi  
Avraham ben Me'ir ben 'Ezra'.

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dan'el Bomberg, 5306 [1546].  
DESCRIPT 62 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 255. Steinschneider col. 685.  
NOTE Item 2 of 3 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1546].  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 15.

32

AUTHOR Bozzolo, Ḥayyim Obadiah di.  
TITLE [Be'er mayyim ḥayyim, by Hayyim 'Obadiyah de-Boṣol ... ben Ya'aqov. Ḥeleq I].  
IMPRINT Sa'aloniq : [s.n.], [5]306 [1546]  
DESCRIPT 89 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 129.  
NOTE Part one entitled: 'Eṣ ḥayyim.

ALT AUTHOR Bozzolo, Ḥayyim Obadiah di. 'Eṣ Ḥayyim.  
EARLY PB Salonika [1546]  
EARLY PB T.p. wanting; author and title supplied in manuscript at head of page one.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 16.

33

AUTHOR Ben Eliezer, Tobiah.  
TITLE [Leqaḥ ṭov, by Tobiah ben Eliezer].  
IMPRINT [Venice] : [Daniel Bomberg], [1546]  
DESCRIPT 93 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 427. Steinschneider col. 2675.  
NOTE T.p. leaf 8 and last six leaves wanting.

EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 192.

34

AUTHOR Ben Eliezer, Solomon.  
TITLE 'Avodat ha-Lewi, we-hu' moreh ṣedeq me-ha-miṣwot ke-fi da'at ha-rav rabenu Mosheh bar Maymun ... u-vo zekhirat kol ha-meqomot 'asher nizkarah kal miṣwah ..., [by Shelomoh ben Eli'ezer ha-Lewi].  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Ma'arqo Anṭonia'o Yuṣṭini'an, 306 li-frat qaṭan [1546].  
DESCRIPT 28 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 224; Steinschneider col. 2311.

NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1546].  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 35.

35

TITLE [Otiyot Rabi Aqiva'].  
IMPRINT [Ri'alto] : [Ma'arqo An'onio Yustini'an], 5306[1546]  
DESCRIPT 12 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 519.  
NOTE Ascribed to Rabbi Akiba.  
NOTE Item 3 of 3 bound together.  
NOTE T.p. and first four leaves wanting.

ALT AUTHOR Akiba Ben Joseph.  
EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 76.

36

AUTHOR Ibn Ḥabib, Moses ben Shem-Tob, active 15th century.  
TITLE Nivḥar me-'osher rov Marpe' lashon: mi-kesef u-mi-zahav Darkey  
no'am ... [by] Mosheh n' Ḥabib.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, [5]306 [1546]  
DESCRIPT 24 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 153. Steinschneider col. 1786.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ḥabib, Moses ben Shem-Tob, active 15th century. Darkey  
no'am.  
EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 83.

37

AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.  
TITLE Sefer harkavah, ḥibero ha-medaqdeq ha-Ashkenazi rabi Eliyahu ha-  
Lewi ...; [edited by] Qornelio Adelkind ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 306 li-fraṭ qatan [1546]  
DESCRIPT 44 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 240. Steinschneider col. 937.

ALT AUTHOR Adelkind, Cornelius.  
EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 84.

38

AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.  
TITLE ... Pirqey Eliyahu Lewi. Shenit le-hadpiso ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 5306 [1546]  
DESCRIPT 40 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 240. Steinschneider col. 940.

EARLY PB Venice [1546]  
EARLY PB The leaves of this volume are numbered 45-84; possibly originally  
bound with leaves 1-44 of author's 'Sefer harkavah'  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 85.

39

TITLE Bible. Prophets. Hebrew. 1547.  
TITLE Nevi'im aḥaronim, 'im Targum, we-'im perush Rashi we-'im Perush  
Dawid Qimḥi ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Bombergi, 307 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1547]  
DESCRIPT 244 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 24.  
NOTE Volume three of the 3rd Rabbinic Bible.

ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Kimḥi, David, 1160?-1235?.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Prophets. Aramaic. Targum Jonathan. 1547.  
ADD. TITLE Rabbinic Bible, 3rd.  
EARLY PB Venice [1547]  
EARLY PB Margins profusely annotated in Hebrew hand.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 179.

40

AUTHOR Ben Solomon, Gershon.  
TITLE Sefer sha'ar ha-shamayin, [by Gershon bar Shelomoh].  
IMPRINT Viniṣia' : Me'ir bar Ya'aqov mi-mishpaḥat Par'ens, 307 li  
-fraṭ qaṭan [1547]  
DESCRIPT 24 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 1014.

EARLY PB Venice [1547]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 36.

41

TITLE Bible. Pentateuch. Hebrew. 1548.  
TITLE Ḥamishah ḥumshey Torah 'im Targum u-ferush RaSHI u-ferush



rabenu Mosheh ben Naḥman Gerondi, 'im perush rabi Yiṣḥaq  
Abohav 'al perusho, we-hamesh Megillot we-ha-haftarot.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dan'el Bombergi, 308 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1548]  
DESCRIPT 371, 25 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 5.

ALT AUTHOR Nachmanides, Moses.  
ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Aboab, Isaac.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Pentateuch. Aramaic. Targum Onkelos. 1548.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Five Scrolls. Hebrew. 1548.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Five Scrolls. Aramaic. Targum. 1548.  
EARLY PB Venice [1548]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 139.

42

AUTHOR Ben Abraham, Solomon, di Urbino.  
TITLE Ohel mo'ed, [by] Shelomoh ben Avraham ben Shemu'el mi-Urvino.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Ma'arqo Aṅṅoniya'o Yustiniya'o, 5308 [1548]  
DESCRIPT 118 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 461; Steinschneider col. 2391.

EARLY PB Venice [1548]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 20.

43

AUTHOR Ben Abraham, Solomon, di Urbino.  
TITLE 'Ohel mo'ed, [by] Shelomoh ben Avraham ben Shemu'el mi-Urvino ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Ma'arqu Aṅṅoni'ao Yustini'an, 5308 [1548]  
DESCRIPT 118 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 461. Steinschneider col. 2391.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1548]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 65.

44

AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.  
TITLE Ma'yaney ha-yeshu'ah, she-ḥiber ha-sar wa-gadol bi-Ysra'el ha-  
'adon ... Yiṣḥaq Abravan'el.  
IMPRINT [Ferrara] : [Samuel ibn Askarah Zarfati], Shevaṭ, [5]311 [1551]  
DESCRIPT 142 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 12. Steinschneider col. 1080.

EARLY PB Last leaf wanting. At foot of t.p., in Hebrew 'printed in Constantinople' written in manuscript. Ownership inscription on verso of t.p. in Latin dated 'Martij 1556'. Other inscriptions in Hebrew.  
EARLY PB Ferrara [1551]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 10.

45

AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.  
TITLE Ma'yaney ha-yeshu'ah, [by] Yiṣḥaq Avravan'el.  
IMPRINT [Ferrara] : [Samuel ibn Askarah Zarfati], [1551]  
DESCRIPT 142 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 12.

EARLY PB First 30 leaves wanting.  
EARLY PB Ferrara [1551]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 11.

46

AUTHOR Kimḥi, Moses, ca 1127- ca 1190.  
TITLE Rabi Mosheh Qimḥi ha-medaqdeq ha-gadol ḥiber zeh ha-sefer we -hu' ma'at ha-kammut we-rov ha-'eykhut Mahalakh sheviley ha-da'at, im perush rabi Eliyahu Lewi.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Dani'el ben Qorneliyo Adelqind, [ca 1552]  
DESCRIPT 59 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 188. Steinschneider col. 1843.

ALT AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.  
EARLY PB Venice [ca 1552]  
EARLY PB At head of t.p. is the Talmudic proverb, im eyn qemaḥ eyn Torah.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 109.

47

TITLE Le-Kol ḥefeṣ; we-hu' tiqqun sheṭarot ha-nehugim bi-veney Yisra'el ke-dat Mosheh we-be-halakhah; [edited by] Eli'ezer Melli.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Dani'el ben Qorneliyu Adilqind, 312 li-frat qaṭan [1552]  
DESCRIPT 16 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 11. Steinschneider col. 962.  
NOTE Legal texts and contracts published in honour of Judah ben Samuel Abravanel and his mother Signora Benvenita.

EARLY PB Venice [1552]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 19.

48

AUTHOR Penini, Jedaiah.  
TITLE [Behinat 'olam, by Jedaiah Penini with commentaries by Moses ibn Ḥabib and Joseph Frances].  
IMPRINT [Ferrara] : [s.n.], [5]312 [1552]  
DESCRIPT 135 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 72. Steinschneider col. 1284.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ḥabib, Moses ben Shem-Tob, active 15th century.  
ALT AUTHOR Frances, Joseph.  
ALT AUTHOR Penini, Jedaiah. ha-Memin.  
EARLY PB Wanting t.p. Bound in with Frances' commentary on Penini's 'Mem' prayer.  
EARLY PB Ferrara [1552]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 51.

49

AUTHOR Ben Jehhiel, Nathan, of Rome.  
TITLE Sefer he-'arukh: 'orekh shulḥan de-ma'ggal ṣedeq u-ve-ma'ozo meḥuzzaq kol bedeq, ḥibero ... Natan ben Yeḥi'el me-'ir Romi ...; [with Talmudic references provided by] Shemu'el Arqivolti ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Bra'aga'adih, 5413 (i.e. 5313) [1553],  
DESCRIPT 166 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 20. Steinschneider col. 2042.

ALT AUTHOR Archevolti, Samuel.  
EARLY PB Venice [1553]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 134.

50

AUTHOR Minz, Judah.  
TITLE [She'elot u-teshuvot, by Judah Minz: Seder giṭṭin wa-ḥaliṣah, by Abraham Minz: She'elot u-teshuvot, by Meir Katzenellenbogen].  
IMPRINT [Venice] : [Bragadini], [1553]  
DESCRIPT 134 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 379. Steinschneider col. 1344.

ALT AUTHOR Katzenellenbogen, Meir. She'elot u-teshuvot.  
ALT AUTHOR Minz, Abraham. Seder giṭṭin wa-ḥaliṣah.  
EARLY PB T.p. and first five leaves wanting. Leaves 1-5 being supplied in manuscript.  
EARLY PB Venice [1553]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 99.

51

AUTHOR Ben Zadok, Samuel.  
TITLE Sefer TaSHBeŞ she-ḥiber talmido shel marana' we-rabena' ha-rav  
rabi Me'ir mi-Rothenburg ... shemu'el ben Şadoq ...  
IMPRINT [Cremona] : Vişinşo Qonţi, [ca 1556-61]  
DESCRIPT 55 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 218. Steinschneider col. 2643.  
  
EARLY PB Cremona [ca 1556-61]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 90.

52

AUTHOR Ben Yequiel, Immanuel.  
TITLE Liwyat ḥen, [by] Immanu'el ben Yequiti'el.  
IMPRINT Mantovah : [Vintorini Rupellini], 1557.  
DESCRIPT 109 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 103.  
  
EARLY PB Mantua 1557.  
EARLY PB Last leaf inverted: leaves 2 and 3 wanting, part of 2 being  
supplied in MS.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 13.

53

AUTHOR Palquera, Shemtov ben Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer şarey ha-yagon, [by Shemtov ibn Palquera; with annotations  
by Saul ben Simeon].  
IMPRINT Krimoni : Vişinşo Qonţi, 317 li-fraţ qaţan [1557]  
DESCRIPT 20 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 62. Steinschneider col. 2509.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Ben Simeon, Saul.  
EARLY PB Cremona [1557]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 26.

54

AUTHOR Baḥya ben Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer ḥovot ha-levavot mi-ha-rav ha-gadol he-ḥasid rabenu  
Baḥya hadayyan Sefardi ben Yosef ḥibero belashon 'Aravi□ we-  
ha'atiqo la-lashon ha-'Ivrit he-ḥakham Yehudah ibn Tibbon.  
IMPRINT Mantovah : Me'ir ben Efraim mi-Padovah we-Ya'aqov ben Naftali  
mi-Ga'azolo, 319 li-fraţ qaţan, [1559]  
DESCRIPT 103 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst I, 76. Steinschneider col. 781.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Tibbon, Judah.

EARLY PB Mantua [1559]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 108.

55

AUTHOR Şarşah, Samuel.

TITLE Sefer meqor ḥayyim: be'ur 'al ha-Torah 'el he-ḥakham ha-kolel Shemu'el Şarşah ha-mekhunnēh be-lashon ha qodesh Ibn Sneh, ozen we-ḥeqer le-hevin mashal u-melişah divrey ḥokhmenu be-midrash-ehem ...

IMPRINT Mantovah : Me'ir ben Efraim we-Ya'aqov ben Naftali ha-Kohen, 319 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1559]

DESCRIPT 130 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst I, 142. Steinschneider col. 2498.

NOTE Supercommentary on Ibn Ezra's commentary to the Pentateuch, with extracts from many medieval exegetes.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ezra, Abraham ben Meir, 1092-1167.

EARLY PB Mantua [1559]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 149.

56

AUTHOR Isserles, Moses ben Israel, ca 1525-1572.

TITLE [Meḥir yayin, by Mosheh ben Yisra'el ha-niqra' Mosheh Isserlis].

IMPRINT Cremona : Vinşinşo Qonṭi, 1559.

DESCRIPT 24 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst II, 156.

NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

NOTE T.p. wanting.

EARLY PB Cremona 1559

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 35.

57

AUTHOR Baḥya ben Asher.

TITLE Sefer rabenu Baḥya bar Asher perush we-bi'ur 'al ha-Torah, yigleh şafoneyha, sitrah we-sodeyha be-'arba'a derakhim, midrash, peshat, sekhel, qabalah ...

IMPRINT Riva' di-Trinṭo: Yosef Oṭileng (Ottolenghi), 319 li- fraṭ qaṭan [1559]

DESCRIPT 286 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst I, 75.

EARLY PB Many passages have been obliterated by the Censor(s).

EARLY PB Riva di Trento [1559]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 93.

58

AUTHOR Ibn Leb, Joseph.

TITLE [She'elot u-teshuvot, by Joseph ibn Leb].

IMPRINT [Constantinople] : [Jaabez], [1560?]

DESCRIPT 158, [11] leaves ; fol.

NOTE Cf. Steinschneider col. 1502, 'Salomo b. Isak Levi, cujus encomium ante indicem ...'.

EARLY PB Istanbul [1560?]

EARLY PB T.p. and 14ii wanting; the latter partially supplied in manuscript.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 143.

59

TITLE Sefer yeširah.

TITLE Sefer yeširah ha-meyuḥas le-Avraham Avinu ...

IMPRINT Manṭovah : Ya'aqov Kohen mi-Ga'azolo, 1560?.

DESCRIPT 90 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst I, 27; Steinschneider col. 552?.

NOTE Both these bibliographers list an edition with five commentators while this volume has, apparently only three, Moses Boṭarell, Abraham ben David, and Moses ben Naḥman.

NOTE Work attributed variously to Abraham the Patriarch, Adam and R. Akiba.

NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Ben David, Abraham.

ALT AUTHOR Boṭarell, Moses.

ALT AUTHOR Nachmanides, Moses.

ALT AUTHOR Akiba Ben Joseph.

EARLY PB Mantua 1560?

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 7.

60

AUTHOR Gersonides.

TITLE To'aliiyot ha-R[av] L[evi] b[en] G[ershon] avanim yeqarot be-middot gazit 'al ha-Torah u-nevi'im.

IMPRINT Rivah di Trinṭo : Yosef Otling, 320 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1560]

DESCRIPT 67 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 82; Steinschneider col. 1612.  
NOTE Excerpts from his larger commentary on the Pentateuch.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Riva di Trento [1560]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 7.

61

AUTHOR Kimḥi, Moses, ca 1127- ca 1190.  
TITLE Mahalakh sheviley ha-da'at: diquq Mosheh ben Yosef Qimḥi ... 'im perush ha-medaqdeq rabi Eliyahu Lewi ha-bahur.  
IMPRINT Mantovah : Me'ir ben Efraim, 323 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1563]  
DESCRIPT 64 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 188? Steinschneider col. 1843.

ALT AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.  
EARLY PB Mantua [1563]  
EARLY PB Interleaved copy with partial Latin translation in a fine 16th-century hand.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 103.

62

AUTHOR Aboab, Isaac.  
TITLE [Menorat ha-ma'or, by Isaac Aboab].  
IMPRINT Mantovah : Filotarsi we-Qalida'ani Filoponi, 323 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1563]  
DESCRIPT 116 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst 1, 4. Steinschneider.  
NOTE T.p. and leaves 5-10 wanting.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Mantua [1563]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 123.

63

AUTHOR Ibn Gabbai, Meir.  
TITLE Derekh 'emunah, be-derekh teshuvah she'elah 'al derekh ha-qabalah ... ha-ga'on ha-mufla' Me'ir ben Gaba'i.  
IMPRINT Padu'ah : Lorinṣo Pasqua'to, 5323 [1563]  
DESCRIPT 28 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 311. Steinschneider col. 1698.  
NOTE Item 2 of 3 bound together.

EARLY PB Padua [1563]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 76.

64

TITLE Bible. Isaiah. Hebrew. 1568.  
TITLE [Hebrew text of Isaiah and part of Jeremiah].  
IMPRINT [Paris] : [R. Stephanus], [1564-1566]  
DESCRIPT 64 leaves ; 12mo.  
NOTE Imperfect, t.p. wanting. Jeremiah text only chaps 1-3, the rest wanting.

ADD. TITLE Bible. Jeremiah. Hebrew. 1568.  
EARLY PB Paris [1564-1566]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 1.

65

TITLE Midrash ha-ne'elem. Ruth.  
TITLE Midrash ha-ne'elam 'al megillat Rut.  
IMPRINT Vinisi'ah : Qristofelo di Zaneṭi, [1566?]  
DESCRIPT 22 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Fürst III, 335. Steinschneider col. 543.  
NOTE Attributed to Simeon ben Yohai.  
NOTE Several leaves wanting.  
NOTE Item 1 of 3 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Yoḥai, Simeon.  
EARLY PB Venice [1566?]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 76.

66

AUTHOR Sforno, Obadiah.  
TITLE Be'ur 'al ha-Torah, 'asher ḥiber azen wa-ḥeqer ha-ga'on ha-shalem ha-elohi ... 'Obadiyah Sforno abir ha-rof'im ... [edited by] Shelomoh ben Avraham Luṣa'aṭo.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Zo'an Grifo, 327 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1567]  
DESCRIPT 92 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 319. Steinschneider col. 2076.  
NOTE Contains also Sforno's treatise on the intention of the law: Kavvanot ha-Torah, leaves 87-92.

ALT AUTHOR Sforno, Obadiah. Kavvanot ha-Torah.  
ALT AUTHOR Luzzato, Solomon ben Abraham.  
EARLY PB Venice [1567]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 31.



67

TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Hebrew. 1568.  
TITLE [Miqrā' gedolah, with Targumim and commentaries by Rashi and others].  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Yo'an di-Ga'arah im ha-'otiyot 'asher hayu mi-ha-Bombergi, 5328 [1568]  
DESCRIPT 4 v ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 36.  
NOTE This is a reprint of the 3rd Rabbinic Bible.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Aramaic. Targum. 1568.  
ADD. TITLE Rabbinic Bible, 4th.  
EARLY PB Venice 1568.  
EARLY PB Foliation and register continuous. Library's set lacks vols. 3 and 4.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 164-165.

68

TITLE Bible. Pentateuch. Hebrew. 1568.  
TITLE ... ha-Ḥumash 'im Targum, perush Rashi we-I[bn], 'E[zra'] ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Yo'an diGa'arah 'im ha-'otiyot 'asher hayu mi-ha-Bombergi, 5328 [1568]  
DESCRIPT 228 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 36.  
NOTE Volume one of the 4th Rabbinic Bible.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ezra, Abraham ben Meir, 1092-1167.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Pentateuch. Aramaic. Targum Onkelos. 1568.  
ADD. TITLE Rabbinic Bible, 4th.  
EARLY PB Venice [1568]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 168.

69

AUTHOR Molco, Solomon.  
TITLE Sefer ha-mefo'ar, le-he-ḥakham ha-shalem ha-qadosh rabenu Shelomoh Molkho.  
IMPRINT [Cracow] : [Prossnitz], [1570]  
DESCRIPT 34 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 387; Steinschneider col. 2375?.  
  
EARLY PB Cracow [1570]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 34.

70

AUTHOR Almosnino, Moses.  
TITLE Yedey Mosheh, we-hu' perush ḥamesh megillot 'asher ḥiber he-  
ḥakhm ha-shalem ha-kolel Mosheh Almosnino.  
IMPRINT Sa'aloniqi : Yosef Ya 'abeṣ, [5]332 [1572]  
DESCRIPT 250 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 40. Steinschneider col. 1772.

ADD. TITLE Bible. Five Scrolls. Hebrew. 1572.  
EARLY PB Salonika [1572]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 98.

71

AUTHOR Arama, Isaac ben Moses.  
TITLE 'Aqedat Yiṣṣḥaq ... [by Isaac 'Arama].  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'arah, 5333 [1573]  
DESCRIPT 308, 12 leaves ; fol.

EARLY PB Venice [1573]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 163.

72

AUTHOR Mizraḥi, Elijah.  
TITLE Sefer ha-Mizraḥi.  
TITLE Eliyahu Mizraḥi hofi'a wa-hizriaḥ shimsho be-havanat divrey ha-  
nesher ha-gadol RaSHI ...  
IMPRINT Vineṣia' : Aluiza' Bra'agadin, 334 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1574]  
DESCRIPT 266 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 381. Steinschneider col. 947.

ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac. Perush 'al ha-Torah.  
EARLY PB Venice [1574]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 137.

73

AUTHOR Rossi, Azariah ben Moses dei, ca 1511- ca  
1578.  
TITLE Zeh ha-sefer me'or 'eynayim, [by] 'Azariah min ha-Adumi ...  
IMPRINT Mantovah, 334 [1574]  
DESCRIPT 148 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 172; Steinschneider col. 747.  
NOTE Contains translation of the Letter of Aristeas.  
NOTE First leaf of gathering 19 imperfect.

ADD. TITLE Aristeas Philokratei. Hebrew.  
EARLY PB Mantua [1574]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 37.

74

AUTHOR Ben Isaac, Abraham Shalom.  
TITLE Sefer neveh shalom ..., she-ḥiber Avraham Shalom ben Yiṣḥaq.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Nidpas 'im 'otiyot ha-Bombergi be-bet Zu'an di  
Ga'ara', 5335 [1575]  
DESCRIPT 228 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 10; Steinschneider col. 709.  
NOTE An acrostic poem spelling out the name Meir ben Asher follows the preface.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Asher, Meir.  
EARLY PB Venice [1575]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 33.

75

AUTHOR Trani, Moses ben Joseph di.  
TITLE Sefer bet Elohim, she-ḥiber we-tiqqen he-ḥakham ha-shalem ...  
Mosheh ben Yosef mi-Tra'ani.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiah : Zu'ani di-Ga'arah, 5336, [1576]  
DESCRIPT 1 v. 136 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 441. Steinschneider col. 2007.  
NOTE An index is appended at the end. Contains all of the author's Perush  
perek shirah.

ALT AUTHOR Trani, Moses ben Joseph di. Perush perek shirah.  
EARLY PB Venice 1576.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 124.

76

AUTHOR Gallico, Elisha.  
TITLE Be'ur sefer Qohelet, le-ḥakham ha-shalem ha-ga'on Elisha'  
Ga'aliqo, resh metivta' be-ṣefat.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'arah, 5338 [1578]  
DESCRIPT 144 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 314. Steinschneider col. 968.

EARLY PB Venice [1578]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 97.

77

AUTHOR Norzi, Raphael ben Gabriel.  
TITLE Sefer marpe' la-nefesh ..., 'al yedey 'ish tam wa-yashar ...  
Rapha'el mi-Norši ben Gabri'el.  
IMPRINT Vinišia'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'arah, 5339 [1579]  
DESCRIPT 40 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 40.

EARLY PB Venice [1579]  
EARLY PB Leaves 1-15 wanting. Close trimming of bottom margin has removed  
catchwords, signatures, and on certain pages, sections of the  
last line.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 39.

78

AUTHOR Vidas, Elijah ben Moses de.  
TITLE Sefer re'shit ḥokhmah, 'asher ḥiber ... Eliyahu ben Mosheh di  
Vida'as ...  
IMPRINT Vinišia'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 5339 [1579]  
DESCRIPT 421 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 477. Steinschneider col. 950.  
NOTE Contains five chapters from Alnakawa's work Menorat ha-ma' or  
with the collective title, Menorat zahav kulah, plus two short  
collections of ethical sayings.

ALT AUTHOR Alnakawa, Israel. Menorat zahav kulah.  
ALT AUTHOR Ḥupat Eliyahu Raba' or 'Olam.  
EARLY PB Venice [1579]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 43.

79

AUTHOR Zacuto, Abraham ben Samuel, ca 1450-  
TITLE Sefer yuḥasin, 'asher izzen we-ḥiber we-tiqqen we-qibeš ha-  
filosof shalem be-limudim ... Avraham zakhut ha-mekhunch  
Za'aquto ... 'im haggahot she-'asah Mosheh Isserles.  
IMPRINT Qra'aqa' : [s.n.], 340 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1580-1]  
DESCRIPT 168 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 200. Steinschneider col. 707.  
NOTE Contains chap. 18, section 4 of Yesod 'olam by Yišḥaq ha-  
Yisra'eli.

ALT AUTHOR Israeli, Isaac ben Joseph. Yesod 'olam.  
ALT AUTHOR Isserles, Moses ben Israel, ca1525-1572. Darkhe  
Mosheh.  
EARLY PB Komisji Rządowej Wyznań Religijnych i Oświecenia Publicznego

(Cenzura Xsiąg Żydowskich) Poland. Bookstamp.  
EARLY PB Cracow 1580-1581.  
EARLY PB Provenance: Various early inscriptions in Hebrew [unread]; 19<sup>th</sup>-  
century book stamp of the censor of the Government Commission  
for religious denominations and public education: 'Cenzura Xiąg  
Żydowskich Kom[isji] Rząd[owej] Wyzn[añ] Relig[ijnych] [i]  
Oś[wiecenia] Publ[icznego]' ; unidentified 19<sup>th</sup>-century  
bookstamp: 'Warszawa'  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 59.

80

AUTHOR Seder 'Olam.  
TITLE Seder 'olam raba' we-Seder 'olam zuta' we-Megillat ta'anit.  
IMPRINT Basili'ah : Ambrosi'ao Frobini'ao, 340 li fraṭ qaṭan [1580]  
DESCRIPT 130 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Attributed to Yose ben Halaphta, we-Seder ha-qabalah le-A[raham b[en]  
D[awid]  
NOTE Fürst II, 107.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Ben David, Abraham.  
ALT AUTHOR Ben Ḥalaphta, Yose.  
EARLY PB Basel [1580]  
EARLY PB Text of Seder ha-qabalah incomplete.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 91.

81

AUTHOR Judah, he-ḥasid.  
TITLE Sefer ha-ḥasidim ..., ḥibero Yehudah [he-ḥasid].  
IMPRINT Basili'ah : Ambrosi'ao Frobini'ao, [5]341 [1581]  
DESCRIPT 116 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 169. Steinschneider col. 1324.  
NOTE T.p. imperfect.

EARLY PB Basel [1581]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 52.

82

AUTHOR Ashkenazi, Eliezer.  
TITLE Ma'asey ha-Shem, she-ḥiber he-ḥakham ... Eli'ezer Ashkenazi ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'arah, 343 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1583]  
DESCRIPT 197 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 62. Steinschneider col. 954.

EARLY PB Venice [1583]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 146.

83

AUTHOR Uceda, Samuel di.  
TITLE Sefer midrash Shemu'el we-hu' be'ur 'al pirqey. Avot mi-he-  
hakham hashalem ... Shemu'el di Ozeydah. Nidpas shenit.  
IMPRINT Viniši'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 5345 [1585]  
DESCRIPT 252 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 44. Steinschneider col. 2493.

EARLY PB Venice [1585]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 46.

84

AUTHOR Samigo, Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer miqra'ey qodesh, [by] Yosef Samigoh.  
IMPRINT Vinišia'ah : Zo'an di Ga'ara ba-'otiyot ha-Bombergi, 5346 [1586]  
DESCRIPT 116 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 231; Steinschneider col. 1523.

EARLY PB Venice [1586]  
EARLY PB Leaf or leaves of preface wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 22.

85

AUTHOR Pomis, David de.  
TITLE Zeh sefer ha-niqra' be-shem Şemaḥ Dawid'al 'asher ḥibero be  
-vaḥaruto ha-yashish we-ha-ne'elah Dawid rofe' muvhaq we-  
filosof me-'ir Spoleto ... bo hişmiaḥ we-perash be'ur hetav  
be-qişur be-sheloshah lashonot kol shoresh millah ...  
IMPRINT Venetiis : Apud Ioannem de Gara, 1587.  
DESCRIPT 62, 238 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 111. Steinschneider col. 885.  
NOTE Title also in Italian and Latin: Dittionario novo ...; Lexicon  
novum hebraicum ...

EARLY PB Venice 1587.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 126.

86

AUTHOR Aschenburg, Simeon.  
TITLE Sefer deveq tov, ħiber be-maħberet aħad min ha-ħavurah  
qedushah ... ha-ga'on Shim'eon Oshenburg ha-Lewi, we-hu'  
be'ur 'al perush Rashi mi-ħameshah ħomshey Torah ...  
IMPRINT Vinišiya'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'ara', 348 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1588]  
DESCRIPT 131 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 56. Steinschneider col. 2599.  
NOTE Last leaf wanting. Leaves 126-130 imperfect.

SUBJECT Solomon ben Isaac, called Rashi. Perush 'al ha-Torah.  
EARLY PB Venice [1588]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 77.

87

AUTHOR Moscato, Judah ben Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer nefusot Yehudah: derushim le-kol ħafšeyhem niqbašu ba'u  
mi-yad doresh tov le-'amo ... Yehudah Yosef Mosqa'ato.  
IMPRINT Vinišiya'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 349 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1589]  
DESCRIPT 239 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 392. Steinschneider col. 1363.

EARLY PB Venice [1589]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 9.

88

AUTHOR Judah, ha-Levi, ca 1075 – 1141  
TITLE Sefer ha-Kuzari, yesado he-ħakham he-ħaver Yišħaq ha-Sanagari  
'asher qiddesh shem ha-shamayim be-vikuħo ha-yashar, ħibero  
be-lashon 'Aravi he-ħakham ... Yehudah ha-Lewi; we-ha'atiq oto  
he-ħakham Yehudah n' Tibbon ... 'el lashon ha-qodesh ...  
Yehudah Mosqa'ato, 'asher bi'er et devareyhem ...  
IMPRINT Vinišiya'ah : Zu'an de-Ga'arah, [5]351 [1591]  
DESCRIPT 299 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 37. Steinschneider col. 1340.  
NOTE Both bibliographers give date as 1594; i.e. reading, alef; shin;  
mem; chet; he; whereas our volume has a distinct penultimate  
'he'.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Tibbon, Judah ben Saul, 1120-1190.  
ALT AUTHOR Moscato, Judah ben Joseph. Kol Yehudah.  
EARLY PB Venice [1591]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 14.

89

AUTHOR Bahya ben Asher.  
TITLE [Perush 'al ha-Torah, by Bahya ben Asher].  
IMPRINT Cracow : Isaac ben Aaron, 1592-3.  
DESCRIPT 244 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 779.  
NOTE T.P. wanting; wrong t.p. attached.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Cracow 1592-3  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 138.

90

AUTHOR Treves, Naphtali.  
TITLE [Naftuley Elohim, by Naphtali Treves].  
IMPRINT Cracow : Isaac ben Aaron, 1593.  
DESCRIPT 12 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 2029.  
NOTE T.p. and all after leaf 12 wanting.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Cracow 1593  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 138.

91

AUTHOR Ibn Verga, Solomon, 1460-1554.  
TITLE Sefer she'erit Yosef, ḥibero he-ḥakham ha-shalem ... Yosef 'n  
Virga'.  
IMPRINT Manṭovah : Be-bet Toma'aso Ruffinilo 'al yedey Mosheh Elishma'  
ben Yisra'el, 353 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1593]  
DESCRIPT 44 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 473; Steinschneider col. 1539.  
EARLY PB Mantua [1593]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 40.

92

AUTHOR Canpanton, Isaac.  
TITLE Darkey ha-Gemara', she-'asah ha-ga'on ... Yiṣṣaq Qa'anpanton.  
IMPRINT Manṭovah : Mosheh ben Katri'el Veys Vasher, 353 li-fraṭ  
qaṭan [1593]  
DESCRIPT 12 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 140. Steinschneider col. 1098.



EARLY PB Mantua [1593]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 58.

93

AUTHOR Spira, Nathan.  
TITLE Be'urim 'al ha-eshel ha-gadol Rashi mah she-ḥiber ha-rav ha-muvhaq ha-ga'on Natan ...  
IMPRINT Vinisi'ah : Maṭe'o di-Zaneti, 353 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1593]  
DESCRIPT 180 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 373. Steinschneider col. 2048.  
NOTE Steinschneider considers this to be a spurious work attributed to Spira.

ADD. TITLE Bible. Pentateuch.  
EARLY PB Venice [1593]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 72.

94

AUTHOR Katzenelnbogen, Samuel Judah.  
TITLE Shenayim 'asar derashot mi-derashot he-ḥakham ha-kolel ... Shemu'el Yuda' ben ha-rav ha-gadol be-Yisra'el noda' shemo, Me'ir Qosen'eylenbogen ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Zuan di Ga'arah, 354 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1594]  
DESCRIPT 66 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 179.

ADD. TITLE Sermons.  
EARLY PB Venice [1594]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 38.

95

AUTHOR Porto, Abraham Menahem ben Jacob, ha-Kohen, 1520-  
TITLE Minḥah belulah : ye-hu perush 'al ḥamishah ḥumshey Torah yisdo ye-ḥibro ... R. Avraham Menahem b.k.m. R. Ya'aqov Kohen zal Rafa mi-Port ... sham balal ha-meḥaber mivḥar ha-midrashot yeha-peshatim ...  
IMPRINT Veronah : Nidpas be-vet ... Frantsiṣko De le Done, 354 [1594]  
DESCRIPT 208, [1] leaves ; 21 cm. (4to)  
NOTE Leaves printed on both sides; leaf 9 misnumbered as 5; leaf 14 not included in numbering sequence. Verso of leaf 207 [i.e. 206] bears the author's coat of arms.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 704.  
EARLY PB Verona 1594.  
EARLY PB Dalle Donne, Francesco, active 1593-1600.

EARLY PB Ms. autographs inscriptions in lower margins of 207v and 208r:  
'Clemente [R?]enat[t...?]' and 'Aless [...?] Supiore ....'.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 70.

96

AUTHOR Ashkenazi, Bezalel.  
TITLE [She'elot u-teshuvot, by Bezalel Ashkenazi].  
IMPRINT Venice : [s.n.], 5355 [1595]  
DESCRIPT 114 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 798.  
NOTE T.p. wanting.

EARLY PB Venice [1595]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 144.

97

AUTHOR Hājīz, Samuel ben Jacob.  
TITLE Sefer devar Shemu'el, we-hu' perush kol ma'amarey ... she-ba-  
sefer Eleh ha-devarim rabah, hekhinam we-gam ḥaqaram he-hakham  
ha-shalem Shemu'el ... ben Ya'aqov ben ... Shemu'el Hājīz;  
[corrected by Yisra'el Zifroni].  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'arah, 356 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1596]  
DESCRIPT 54 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 156. Steinschneider col. 2411.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Sifroni, Israel.  
EARLY PB Venice [1596]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 47.

98

AUTHOR Hājīz, Samuel ben Jacob.  
TITLE Sefer mevaqqesh ha-Shem, we-hem sheloshah derashot neḥmadot 'al  
kol parshah we-parshah, hekhinam ... Shemu'el ben Ya'aqov ben  
... Shemu'el Hājīz.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Zu'an di-Garah, 356 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1596]  
DESCRIPT 258 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 155. Steinschneider col. 2412.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1596]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 47.

99

AUTHOR Adarbi, Isaac.  
TITLE Sefer divrey shalom, 'asher ħiber ... Yiṣḥaq Shemu'el Adarbi.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya' : Maṭi'ao Zaneṭi, 375 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1597]  
DESCRIPT 168 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 18. Steinschneider col. 1083.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1597]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 125.

100

AUTHOR Afalas, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer ho'il Mosheh, we-hu' le-hodi'a yaqar tife'ret ha-Torah ...  
yaṣ'u ha-devarim mi-pi he-ḥakham ha-kolel Mosheh Alfalas;  
huggah be-matun 'al yad Sheum'el Mosheh Deysos.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya' : Dan'el Zaniṭi, 357 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1597]  
DESCRIPT 145 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 34. Steinschneider col. 1769.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Deisos, Samuel Moses.  
EARLY PB Venice [1597]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 81.

101

AUTHOR Alfalas, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer wa-yiqahel Mosheh, we-hem 25 derushim neḥmadim ... himṣi'  
be-yofi sikhlo wa-libo lev ṭahor he-ḥakham ... Mosheh Alfalas.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya' : Dan'el Zaniṭi, 357 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1597]  
DESCRIPT 201, [9] leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 34. Steinschneider col. 1769.  
NOTE An index to the sermons is appended.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1597]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 81.

102

AUTHOR Ben Bezalel, Judah Löw.  
TITLE Be'er ha-golah: perush 'al ma'amarim ..., [by Judah Löw ben  
Bezalel].  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : [Mosheh ben Beṣalel], 358 li- fraṭ qaṭan [1598]  
DESCRIPT 46 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst II, 267. Steinschneider col. 1620.  
NOTE Item 2 of 3 bound together.

EARLY PB Prague [1598]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 145.  
103

AUTHOR Illescas, Jacob d'.  
TITLE Sefer imrey no'am: be'ur 'al ha-Torah ..., [by Ya'aqov  
Dileysqa'as].  
IMPRINT Qra'aqa' : Yiṣḥaq ben Aharon, 358 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1598]  
DESCRIPT 50 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 91. Steinschneider col. 1215.

EARLY PB Cracow [1598]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 71.

104

TITLE Maḥzor.  
TITLE Mahazor ke-minhag ashkenazim ... [with an introduction by  
Yiṣḥaq ben Ya'aqov Yozbel 'ish Herlesheym].  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Be-miṣwat Zu'an Bra'agadin 'al yad Zu'an di  
Ga'arah, [5]345 [1599]  
DESCRIPT 2 v. ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 375-376.  
NOTE Library set lacks vol. 2.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Jacob, Isaac, of Herlesheim.  
EARLY PB Venice [1599]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 116.

105

AUTHOR Ben Jehiel, Nathan, of Rome.  
TITLE Sefer he-'arukh: 'orekh shulḥan be-ma'ggal ṣedeq u-ve-ma'ozo  
mehuzzaq kol bedeq, ḥibero ha-rav ha-muvhaq ... Natan ben  
Yeḥi'el me-'ir R□mi ...; [wi□□alm□dic refere□ce□pr□vided  
by] Shemu'el Arqivolti. Nidpas shenit ... we-huggah be-'iyyun  
nimras 'al Yiṣḥaq ben Mosheh 'Eqendorf mi-toshevey  
Iṣtreykh.  
IMPRINT Basili'ah : Qonra'ad Valdqirkh, 5359 [1599]  
DESCRIPT 166 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 20. Steinschneider col. 2042.

ALT AUTHOR Archevolti, Samuel.  
ALT AUTHOR Eckendorf, Isaac ben Moses.  
EARLY PB Basel [1599]

EARLY PB Wanting leaves 140 and 143, which are supplied in manuscript.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 133.

106

AUTHOR Ben Bezalel, Judah Löw.  
TITLE Sefer neṣaḥ Yisra'el ... ha-ḥibur ha-zeh ḥiber Yehudah Liwa'  
bar Beṣal'el.  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Mosheh ben Beṣal'el, 359 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1599]  
DESCRIPT 63 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 267. Steinschneider col. 1621.  
NOTE Item 1 of 3 bound together.

EARLY PB Prague [1599]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 145.

107

AUTHOR Kalai, Samuel.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot.  
TITLE Sefer mishpeṭey Shemu'el ... [by] Shemu'el le-bet Qal'ai ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣiy'ah : Dani'el Za'aneṭi, 359 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1599]  
DESCRIPT 181 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 163. Steinschneider col. 2432.

EARLY PB Venice [1599]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 147.

108

AUTHOR Ben Bezalel, Judah Löw.  
TITLE Ḥibur 'or ḥadash: be'ur 'al megillat Ester, [by Judah Löw ben  
Bezalel].  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Mosheh we-Gershom ben Beṣalel, [5]360 [1600]  
DESCRIPT 60 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 266. Steinschneider col. 1620.  
NOTE Contains Author's Ner miṣwah.  
NOTE Item 3 of 3 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Bezalel, Judah Low. Ner miṣwah.  
EARLY PB Prague [1600]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 145.

109

AUTHOR Aaron ha-Lewi.  
TITLE Sefer ha-ḥinukh: yav'u bo ha-613 mišwot yesod Torat Mosheh ..., [by] Lewi Barsaloni ...  
IMPRINT Vinišī'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, [5]360 [1600]  
DESCRIPT 228 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 25. Steinschneider col. 724.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1600]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 74.

110

AUTHOR Fano, Menaḥem Azariah di  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot, [by Menaḥem Azariah di Fano]; [edited by] Yitzḥaq ben Mardekhay; [corrected by] Yitzḥaq Gerson ...  
IMPRINT [Venice], Be-vet Dani'el Zanetti, [1600]  
DESCRIPT 140 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 275; Steinschneider col. 1723.  
NOTE Hebrew inscriptions on recto of fly-leaf, and on the t.p. Latin inscriptions on front and rear end-papers. Numerous, extensive marginal notes in a contemporary Hebrew hand. Several textual corrections added in the same hand. Two leaves containing a handwritten index are bound in between f.141 and f.142.  
EARLY PB Venice [1600]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 12.

111

TITLE Bible. Prophets. Hebrew. 16th cent.  
TITLE [The later Prophets in Hebrew].  
IMPRINT [S.l.] : [s.n.], [16th cent.]  
DESCRIPT 480 leaves ; 16mo.  
  
EARLY PB T.p. wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 96.

112

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer devarim niḥumim; be'ur megillat Ekhah, le-he-ḥakham ha-shalem ... Mosheh Alsheykh ...; huggah be-'iyyun rav 'al yedey Yišḥaq Gershom.  
IMPRINT Vinišī'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 5361 [1601]

DESCRIPT 39 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 41. Steinschneider col. 1774.  
NOTE Item 3 of 4 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1601]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 41.

113

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer devarim tovim: be'ur megillat Qohelet, le-he-ḥakham ha-shalem ... Mosheh Alsheykh ...; huggah be-'iyyun rav 'al yedey Yiṣṣhaq Gershon.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 5361 [1601]  
DESCRIPT 42 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 41. Steinschneider col. 1774.  
NOTE Item 4 of 4 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1601]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 41.

114

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer 'eney Mosheh: be'ur megillat Rut, le-he-ḥakham ha-shalem ... Mosheh Alsheykh ...; huggah be-'iyyun rov al yedey he-ḥakham ḥa-shalem Yiṣṣhaq Gershon.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 5361 [1601]  
DESCRIPT 47 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 42. Steinschneider col. 1774.  
NOTE Item 2 of 4 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1601]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 41.

115

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE Mas'at Mosheh.  
TITLE Zeh sefer perush megillat Ester ha-niqra' be-feh kol ḥay tamid said sason, wa-yiqra' 'el Mosheh Mas'at Mosheh ..., [by] Mosheh Alsheykh; [corrected by Yiṣṣhaq Gershon].  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Zaneti, 5361 [1601]  
DESCRIPT 86 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 42. Steinschneider col. 1774.  
NOTE Last leaf wanting.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Venice [1601]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 74.

116

AUTHOR Ibn Adderet, Solomon.  
TITLE Sefer 'avodat ha-qodesh, [by] R[abi] S Sh[elomoh] b[en] A[dderet]: Sefer ba'aley ha-nefesh, [by] R[abi] A[vraham] b[en] D[awid], [edited by] Naftali ben ... Josef, we-hugah be- iyyun nimras 'al yad ... Yiṣḥaq Gershon.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Dani'el Za'aniti, 1602 (pref.).  
DESCRIPT 74 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 20; Steinschneider col. 2272.  
NOTE This volume also contains: Kilaley yayin nesekh, [by] Aharon ha-Lewi.

ALT AUTHOR Ben David, Abraham. Sefer ba'aley ha-nefesh.  
ALT AUTHOR Aaron ha-Lewi. Kilaley yayin nesekh.  
EARLY PB Venice 1602.  
EARLY PB Last six leaves wrongly numbered.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 18.

117

AUTHOR Archevolti, Samuel.  
TITLE Sefer 'arugat ha-bosem be-diqduq le ... Shemu'el Arqivolti ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, [5]362 [1602]  
DESCRIPT 121 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 49. Steinschneider col. 2405.

EARLY PB Venice [1602]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 32.

118

AUTHOR Ben Sherira, Ḥai.  
TITLE Sefer ha-meqaḥ we-ha-mimkar le-rabenu Ha'y Ga'on [and other works; translated from Arabic by Isaac ben Reuben, and edited by Moses Lewi Minz].  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah : 362 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1602],  
DESCRIPT 98 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 355. Steinschneider col. 1027.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Reuben, Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Minz, Moses Lewi.  
EARLY PB Venice [1602]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 25.



119

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer ḥelqat ha-meḥoqeq: be'ur sefer Iyov le-ha-'eshel ha-gadol marana' we-rabena' Mosheh Alsheikh; [edited by] Ḥayim Alsheikh.  
IMPRINT Vinisi'ah : Zu'an di-Ga'arah, 363 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1603]  
DESCRIPT 103 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 41. Steinschneider col. 1777.

ALT AUTHOR Alsheich, Ḥayyim ben Moses.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Job.  
EARLY PB Venice [1603]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 92.

120

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE [Romemot El, by Mosheh Alshaykh; edited with an introduction by Ḥayyim ben Mosheh Alshaykh].  
IMPRINT [Venice] : [Giovanni di Gara], 365 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1605]  
DESCRIPT 310 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 42. Steinschneider col. 1776.

ALT AUTHOR Alsheich, Ḥayyim ben Moses.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Psalms. Hebrew. 1605.  
EARLY PB T.p. wanting.  
EARLY PB Venice [1605]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 48.

121

AUTHOR Joseph, of Crzeminiac.  
TITLE Be'ur 'al sefer mišwot gadol, 'hibero Yosef ben ha-qadosh Mosheh mi Qremoniš; huggah be-'iyyun nimraš 'al yad he-ḥakham ha-shalem ha-mefoar Yišhaq Gershon ...  
IMPRINT Viniši'ah : Zu'an di Ga'arah, 365 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1605]  
DESCRIPT 76 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 193. Steinschneider col. 1506 1501.  
NOTE Commentary on 'Sefer mišwot gadol' of Moses of Coucy.

ALT AUTHOR Gerson, Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Moses ben Jacob, of Coucy, active 13th century. Sefer mišwot gadol.  
EARLY PB Venice [1605]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 50.

122

AUTHOR Samigo, Joseph.  
TITLE Perush derekh yamin li-Yosef bar Benyamin.  
IMPRINT [Venice] : [s.n.], [ca 1606]  
DESCRIPT 22 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 231. Steinschneider col. 1523.  
NOTE Treatise in opposition to Haqafat ha-lulav, by Menahem Azariah di Fano.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Fano, Menaḥem Azariah di.  
EARLY PB Venice [ca 1606]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 105.

123

AUTHOR Alsheich, Moses.  
TITLE Shoshannat ha-‘amaqim: ... we-hu’ be’ur megillat Shir ha  
-Shirim ... le-Mosheh Alsheykh ...; hevi’o shenit ’el ha-defus  
he-hakham ha-shalem Ḥayim Alsheykh ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi’ah : Zu’an di Ga’arah, 366 li-fraṭ qaṭan 1606.  
DESCRIPT 60 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 42. Steinschneider col. 1774.  
NOTE Item 1 of 4 bound together.  
  
EARLY PB Venice 1606.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 41.

124

AUTHOR Ibn Rei, Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer massorot, hineh na’niglu mi-safoneyhem we-hayu li-  
m’orot ... [by] Yosef ben Shemu’el aben Rey.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya’ah : Yo’ani di Ga’rah, 367 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1607]  
DESCRIPT 20 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 1520.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1607]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 6.

125

AUTHOR Ibn Hayyim, Aaron.  
TITLE Sefer lev Aharon, we-hu’ perush ‘al Nevi’im ri’shonim, ḥibero  
ha-rav ha-gadol ha-dayyan ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi’ah : Yo’ani Ga’arah, 5369 [1608]  
DESCRIPT 2 pts in 1 v ; fol.

NOTE Fürst I, 159. Steinschneider col. 749.

ADD. TITLE Midrash rabbah. Selections.

ADD. TITLE Bible. Joshua. Hebrew. 1608.

EARLY PB Venice [1608]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 169.

126

AUTHOR Meir, of Rothenburg.

TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot.

TITLE Sefer she'elot u-teshuvot ... mi-MaHaRaM ...

IMPRINT Pra'ag : Mosheh ben Beṣal'el, 368 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1608]

DESCRIPT 114 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst III, 176. Steinschneider col. 1714.

EARLY PB Prague [1608]

EARLY PB Leaves 2 and 3 wanting; cf. Steinschneider, 'a typographis  
resecata sunt'

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 184.

127

AUTHOR Jafe, Mordecai.

TITLE Sefer levush malkhut, ḥibero ha-ga' □□Marde□□ai □□qra' Yafe□; b□  
yalbish 'aromim be-'esereh levushey qadosh, be-ḥameshah ha-  
ri'shonim me-hem hu' ... samokhim 'al shulhaney he-'arukhim mi-  
sheney parnasey Yisra'el ... Yosef Qa'aro ... we-rabi Mosheh  
Iserliz ...

IMPRINT Pra'ag : Mosheh ben Beṣal'el, 369 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1609]

DESCRIPT 5 v ; fol.

NOTE Fürst I, 7. Steinschneider col. 1664.

NOTE The first five vols (or parts) here published as an entity  
constitute a commentary on the Ṭurim of Jacob ben Asher. Vols 4  
and 5 published: Prague: Moses ben Bezalel, 1623-1624.

NOTE Library's set lacks vol.3.

ALT AUTHOR Caro, Joseph.

ALT AUTHOR Jacob ben Asher, ca1269- ca1340.

ALT AUTHOR Isserles, Moses ben Israel, ca1525-1572. Darkhe  
Mosheh.

EARLY PB Prague [1609]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 172-173.

128

AUTHOR Jacob, ha-Lewi.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot, ḥiberam ha-ga'on ha-muflag ... Ya'aqov  
SaG'aL ...  
IMPRINT Ha'anva' : Phillipus Ludviq, [5]370 [1610]  
DESCRIPT 72 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Fürst II, 21.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.  
  
EARLY PB Hanau [1610]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 187.

129

AUTHOR Weil, Jacob.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot, we-halakhot sheḥiṭah u-vediqah we-  
ḥiddushey dinin, 'asher ḥiber ... Ya'aqov [v] [eyl]; ve-'od  
ḥiddushey ḥiddushin mi-Sefer agudah [by Alexander Cohen]; we-  
Nimmuqey Menaḥem Merzeburq.  
IMPRINT Ha'anva' : Filipus Ludviq, [5]370 [1610]  
DESCRIPT 92 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 499.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Cohen, Alexander. Sefer agudah.  
ALT AUTHOR Merseburg, Menahem. Nimmuqim.  
EARLY PB Hanau [1610]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 187.

130

AUTHOR Modena, Leone, 1571-1648.  
TITLE Lev ha-aryeh, yelammed adam da'at le-'azor ha-zikhron be-kol he  
-ḥokhmot we-'asqey beney adam ... 'im TaRYaG misvot 'al pi ha-  
RaMBaM ... li-Yhudah Aryeh mi-Modeyna'.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Yaqomo Sarzinah, 5372 [1612]  
DESCRIPT 23 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 383. Steinschneider col. 1350.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1612]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 56.

131

AUTHOR Lentschütz, Ephraim.  
TITLE Sefer 'amudey shesh ... [by] Shelomoh Efraim ben ... Aharon 'ish

Luntshis ...

IMPRINT Pra'ag : Moses ben Yosef Baṣal'el, 378 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1618]

DESCRIPT 32 leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst II, 229. Steinschneider col. 906.

NOTE Imperfect: lacks all after leaf 32.

NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

EARLY PB Prague [1618]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 123.

132

TITLE Bible. Hagiographa. Hebrew. 1618.

TITLE Ketuvim min ha-'eserim we-'arba'a gadol be-Yisra'el we-nod'a,  
'asher nidpas ri'shonah be-vet ha-Bombergi ... 'im Targum,  
masorah gedolah wa-qaṭanah u-ferushim we-diqduqim rabim.

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Pietro we-Lorenṣo Bra'agadin be-bet Yo'ani  
Qa'ayon, 1618.

DESCRIPT 236, 8, [25] leaves ; fol.

NOTE Steinschneider col. 70.

NOTE Volume four of fifth Rabbinic Bible: Venice: Bragadin, 1617-19.

ADD. TITLE Bible. Pentateuch. Aramaic. Targum Yerushalmi. 1618.

ADD. TITLE Rabbinic Bible, 5th.

EARLY PB Venice 1618.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 180.

133

AUTHOR Jafe, Mordecai.

TITLE Sefer levush malkhut. 5. Levush 'ir shoshan.

TITLE Sefer levush 'ir shoshan: ṭur ḥoshen ha-mishpaṭ hu' ha-levush  
ha-ḥamishi mi-levush ha-malkhut, 'asher ḥiber ha-ga'on  
Mordekhai Yafeh ...

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Pietro e Lorenzo Bragadini, [5]380 [1619]

DESCRIPT 169, [2] leaves ; fol.

NOTE Fürst II, 7. Steinschneider col. 1664.

NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Jacob ben Asher, ca1269 - ca 1340.

EARLY PB Venice [1619]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 174.

134

AUTHOR Jafe, Mordecai.

TITLE Sefer levush malkhut. 4. Levush ha-buṣ we-arggaman.

TITLE Sefer levush ha-buṣ we-arggaman: ṭur even ha-‘ezer, we-hu’ ha-levush ha-revi‘i mi-levush malkhut she-ḥiber ha-ga’on Mardekhai Yafeh ...  
IMPRINT Viniṣi’ah : Pietro e Lorenzo Bragadini, 380 li-fraṭ qāṭan [1620]  
DESCRIPT 87 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 7. Steinschneider col. 1664.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Jacob ben Asher, ca1269- ca 1340.  
EARLY PB Venice [1620]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 174.

135

AUTHOR Angel, Meir ben Abraham.  
TITLE [Masoret ha-berit ha-gadol, by Meir ben Avraham Angil].  
IMPRINT [Mantua] : [Judah Perugia], [1622]  
DESCRIPT 2 v. in 1 ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 46. Steinschneider col. 1693.  
  
EARLY PB Mantua [1622]  
EARLY PB T.p. wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 130.

136

AUTHOR Edels, Samuel.  
TITLE [Hiddushey aggadot, by Samuel Edels].  
IMPRINT Lublin : Sevi bar Avraham, 387 li-fraṭ qāṭan [1627]  
DESCRIPT 125, 44, 28, 20 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 2419.  
NOTE T.p. and first gathering wanting.  
  
EARLY PB Lublin [1627]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 141.

137

AUTHOR Jacob, ha-Lewi.  
TITLE Sefer MaHaRIL, hu’ morenu he-ḥakham ha-shalem Ya‘aqov ben Mosheh ha-Lewi, she-ḥiber we-tiqqen minhagey qehilah qedushah Ashkenaz ...  
IMPRINT Ha’anoa’ : [Hans Jacob Hene], 388 li-fraṭ qāṭan [1628]  
DESCRIPT 64 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 21.

EARLY PB Hanau [1628]  
EARLY PB Place of publication added in manuscript at foot of t.p.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 78.

138

AUTHOR Modena, Leone, 1571-1648.  
TITLE Bet Yehudah: tosafat 'al sefer 'En Yisra'el ..., ma'aseh yedey  
oman Yehudah Aryeh mi-Modena'.  
IMPRINT Viniši'ah : Yo'ani Vindra'amin, [5]395 [1635]  
DESCRIPT 2 pts in 1 v. ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 383. Steinschneider col. 1349.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ḥabīb, Jacob ben Solomon, 1445?-1515 or 16. 'Eyn Ya'aqov.  
EARLY PB Venice [1635]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 136.

139

AUTHOR Jacob ben Asher, ca1269- ca 1340.  
TITLE Ṭurim. 3. Even ha-'ezer.  
TITLE Even ha-'ezer 'asher ḥiber ha-rav rabenu Ya'aqov Ba'al ha-Ṭurim  
ben Asher, we'im ha-bi'ur Bet Yisra'el 'asher ḥiber ... Yosh'a  
Valq ...: Ketonet passim 'asaf we-ṣiber we-ḥiber Yosef ben  
Valq ...  
IMPRINT Lublin : Avraham Qlovitus, 398 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1638]  
DESCRIPT 210 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 15; I, 273.

ALT AUTHOR Falk, Joseph. Ketonet passim.  
ALT AUTHOR Falk, Joshua ben Alexander, ca1555-1614. Bet  
Yisra'el.  
EARLY PB Lublin [1638]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 142.

140

AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.  
TITLE Perush 'al Nevi'im aḥaronim, she-ḥiber ha-rav ha-shalem ...  
Yišḥaq Avravan'el.  
IMPRINT Amstelodami : [s.n.], 401 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1641]  
DESCRIPT 305 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 12, Steinschneider col. 1078.  
NOTE Added t.p in Latin: Commentarius celeberrimi Rabbi Ishak  
Abarbanel super Iesaiam, Ieremiam, Iehazkelem et Prophetas XII  
minores.

EARLY PB Amsterdam [1641]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 132.

141

AUTHOR Aboab, Samuel ben Abraham.  
TITLE Sefer ha-zikhronot, [by Samuel ben Abraham Aboab; edited by Isaac Yeshurun].  
IMPRINT [Prague] : [s.n.], [ca 1631-1651]  
DESCRIPT 86 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE cf. Fürst I, 5.

EARLY PB Prague [ca 1631-1651]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 64.

142

AUTHOR Manasseh ben Israel, 1604-1657.  
TITLE Sefer nishmat ḥayyim: kolel derushot yeqarim we-nisgavim 'al 'inyan ha-neshmah ha-ṭehorah ... ha-kol be-ketav 'alayv ha-shevil he-ḥakham noda' be-sha'arim shemo Menashsheh ben Yisra'el.  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Shemu'el Avrahan'el So'eiro, 412 li-fraṭ qatan [1652]  
DESCRIPT 176 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 356. Steinschneider col. 1645.

EARLY PB Amsterdam [1652]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 27.

143

AUTHOR Ben Gerson, Simḥa.  
TITLE [Sefer shemot ha-giṭṭin, by Simḥa ben Gerson].  
IMPRINT Venice : Antonio Rizzini, 1657.  
DESCRIPT 104 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 325. Steinschneider col. 2596.

EARLY PB First four leaves wanting. Wrong t.p. attached.  
EARLY PB Venice 1657  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 49.

144

AUTHOR Zevi, Tuchführer.  
TITLE Sefer naḥalat ṣevi, [by] Ṣevi ben ha-aluf ha-yashish ...



Shimshon tukh firer.  
IMPRINT Venetia : Appresso lilustrissi [sic] Sig. Gerolimo Bragadino per  
Lorenzo Pradoto, 1659.  
DESCRIPT 106 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 450.  
NOTE Contains text of Pirqey Avot, with commentary by Rashi.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.  
ADD. TITLE Aboth.  
EARLY PB Venice 1659.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 8.

145

TITLE Bible. Psalms. Hebrew. 1668.  
TITLE Sefer tehillim, mesuddar ke-fi yemey ha-shevu'ah ...  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : [s.n.], 428 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1668]  
DESCRIPT 96 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Fürst III, 456.  
NOTE Contains Ma'amadot and Qinot.  
NOTE Item 2 of 3 bound together.

EARLY PB Prague [1668]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 21.

146

AUTHOR Tyrnau, Isaac.  
TITLE Minhagim mi-kol ha-shanah ke-minhagey shel kol ha-medinot ...  
she-ḥiber ... Eyzag Tirna'.  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : [s.n.], 428 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1668]  
DESCRIPT 37 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 456. Steinschneider col. 329.  
NOTE Item 3 of 3 bound together.  
NOTE All after 10 i wanting.

EARLY PB Prague [1668]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 21.

147

TITLE [Seder tefillah].  
IMPRINT [Prague] : [s.n.], [1668]  
DESCRIPT 224 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Fürst III, 456.  
NOTE Item 1 of 3 bound together.  
NOTE T.p., all before 7iii and 8ii, iii wanting.

EARLY PB Prague [1668]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 21.

148

TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Yiddish. 1676.  
TITLE Torah Nevi'im u-Khetuvim be-lashon Ashkenazi; [translated by]  
Yiṣḥaq Bliš.  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Uri Feybus ben Aharon ha-Lewi, 436-9 li fraḡ qaṭan  
[1676-78]  
DESCRIPT 4 pts in 1 v ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 120.

ALT AUTHOR Blitz, Isaac.  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1676-78]  
EARLY PB Foliation and register continuous; each part has its own t.p.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 170.

149

AUTHOR Ben Hillel, Judah Lev.  
TITLE Sefer ḥakham lev ... by Yehudah Lev ben rav Hillel ...  
IMPRINT Firda' : Yosef ben Shelomoh Zalman Shne'ur, 453 li-fraḡ qaṭan  
[1693]  
DESCRIPT 28 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 38. Steinschneider col. 1328.  
NOTE Item 3 of 3 bound together.

EARLY PB Fürth [1693]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 62.

150

AUTHOR Ben Menahem, Moses.  
TITLE Vay-yaqhel Mosheh ..., [by] Mosheh ben Menaḥem mi-Pra'ag ...  
IMPRINT Dessau : Mosheh Dessau, [5]459 [1699]  
DESCRIPT 61 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 399. Steinschneider col. 1945.  
NOTE Contains two commentaries: Masweh Mosheh: Tiqqaney ha-pirṣufim.  
NOTE Item 1 of 3 bound together.  
NOTE Leaves 57-61 wanting.

ADD. TITLE Masweh Mosheh.  
ADD. TITLE Tiqqaney ha-pirṣufim.  
EARLY PB Dessau [1699]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 62.

151

AUTHOR Bacharach, Jair Hayyim.  
TITLE Ḥut Ya'ir ..., [by] Ya'ir Ḥayim ben ha-ga'on he-ḥasid Mosheh  
Shimshon ... de-Virmisa' ... Ḥeleq ri'shon.  
IMPRINT Vranqfurt de-Mayn : Yohanis Vust, [5]459 [1699]  
DESCRIPT 276 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 75. Steinschneider col. 823.  
  
EARLY PB Frankfurt am Main [1699]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 95.

152

AUTHOR Ben Elhanan, Joseph Issachar.  
TITLE Sefer sheloshah sarigim: be'ur maspiq le-haftarot ..., [by]  
Yosef-Yissakhar ben Elhanan.  
IMPRINT [Venice] : Nella Stampania Bragadina, [5]461 [1701]  
DESCRIPT 118 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 116. Steinschneider col. 1456.  
  
EARLY PB Venice [1701]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 107.

153

AUTHOR Holleschauer, Joḥanan ben Isaac.  
TITLE Teshuvot ha-ge'onim, nimša' bo devarim yeqarim be-'inyan qeri'at  
ha-shemot ha-gedolim we-nora'im ha-'eykh yihyeh niqra'im ...:  
Ma'aḥḥrav ...; 'asher he'elah we-hevi' la-defus ha-torani ha-  
rabani ha-rav ha-mufla' Yoḥanan ben ha-niqra' rabi Hilel me-Halishoya'.  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Immanu'el Yosef Aṭi'as, 467 li-fraṭ qatan [1707]  
DESCRIPT 18 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 405. Steinschneider col. 1397.  
NOTE Item 2 of 3 bound together.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Holleschauer, Joḥanan ben Isaac. Ma'aseh rav.  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1707]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 62.

154

AUTHOR Ben Judah, Solomon, of Hanau.  
TITLE Sefer binyan Shelomoh ..., [by] Shelomoh Zalman ben Yehudah me  
-He'na'.  
IMPRINT Fra'anqfurt de-Mayn : Maṭia'as Andre'a, [1708]  
DESCRIPT 108 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst I, 379. Steinschneider col. 2339.

EARLY PB Frankfurt am Main [1708]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 29.

155

AUTHOR Fiametta, Joseph.

TITLE 'Or boqer we-hu' sefer kolel tefillot 'erev Ro'sh ḥadash ... mi-ha-rav ha-mufla' lo' yesullah ... Yosef Fi'ameyta'.

IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Nella Stamparia Bragadina ... per Gio. de' Pauli, [5]469 [1709]

DESCRIPT 56 leaves ; 8vo.

NOTE Fürst I, 279.

EARLY PB Venice [1709]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 67.

156

TITLE Zohar.

TITLE [Sefer ha-Zohar; ascribed to Simeon bar Yoḥai, with an introduction by Isaac de Lattes].

IMPRINT [Amsterdam], 475 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1715]

DESCRIPT 251, 18 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Cf. Steinschneider col. 539.

NOTE T.p. wanting.

ALT AUTHOR Lattes, Isaac de.

EARLY PB Amsterdam [1715]

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 190.

157

AUTHOR Ottolenghi, Samuel David.

TITLE Sefer qeri'ah ne'emanah: we-hu' tamšit we-terumat sefer Ma'avar yaboq, [by] Shemu'el Dawid Otolengi ... ben Yeḥi'el ...

IMPRINT Viniṣia' : Nela Stamparia Bragadina, 475 le- fraṭ qaṭan [1715]

DESCRIPT 40 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst III, 58. Steinschneider col. 2473.

ALT AUTHOR Aaron Berachiah Ben Moses, of Modena.

EARLY PB Venice [1715]

EARLY PB Five additional leaves in manuscript prefixed to book.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 44.

158

AUTHOR Ben Jacob, Manoaḥ.  
TITLE Zeh sefer perushim we-hiddushim 'al ha-RaMBaM ...  
IMPRINT Qonstandina' : Yonah ben Ya'aqov, 470 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1718].  
DESCRIPT 56 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 322. Steinschneider col. 1654.  
  
SUBJECT Maimonides, Moses, 1135-1204.  
EARLY PB Istanbul [1718]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 54.

159

AUTHOR Abraham-Samuel, of Venice.  
TITLE Shirat dodi, [by] Avrahm Shemu'el; [ediṯed wiṯcṯimmeṯary by  
Nissim David ben Moses].  
IMPRINT Viniṯi'ah : Nella stamparia Bragadina, 479 li-fraṭ qaṭan  
[1719]  
DESCRIPT 20 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 10. Steinschneider col. 708.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Ben Moses, Nissim David.  
EARLY PB Venice [1719]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 88.

160

AUTHOR Ibn Ezra, Abraham ben Meir, 1092-1167.  
TITLE Sefer margaliyot tovah, we-hu' perush yaqar we-neḥmad le-  
perusho shel he-ḥakham ... Avraham n'Ezra' ... we-hineh  
sheloshah hemah meṯivey sa'ad ...; ṯva'le-bet ha-defus 'al  
yedey Yequti'el La'zi ...  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Yiṯḥaq di-Qordivah, [5]482 [1722]  
DESCRIPT 156 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 54. Steinschneider col. 1382.  
NOTE Contains: Meqor hayyim, by Samuel Ṣarṣah; Ohel Yosef, by Joseph  
ha-Sephardi; Megillat setarim, by Samuel Motot.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Lasi, Yequtiel.  
ALT AUTHOR Ṣarṣah, Samuel. Sefer meqor hayyim.  
ALT AUTHOR Joseph ha-Sephardi. Ohel Yosef.  
ALT AUTHOR Motot, Samuel. Megillat setarim.  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1722]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 151.

161

TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Hebrew. 1724.  
TITLE [Sefer qehilat Mosheh: we-hu' miqra' gedolah ... with Targumim and commentaries by Rashi and many others; edited by Mosheh Franqfurt].  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Mosheh Franqfurt, [484]-487 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1724-27]  
DESCRIPT 4 v ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 295. Steinschneider col. 135.  
NOTE T.p. of vol. 1 wanting.

ALT AUTHOR Solomon ben Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Frankfurt, Moses.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Aramaic. Targum. 1724.  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1724-27]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 175-178.

162

TITLE Barlaam and Joasaph. Hebrew.  
TITLE Sefer ben ha-melekh we-ha-nazir [translated by Avraham ibn Ḥasdai].  
IMPRINT Vanzbeq : Yisra'el bar Avraham, 487 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1727]  
DESCRIPT 104 leaves ; 12mo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 169. Steinschneider col. 674.  
NOTE Lacks leaves 7-12; leaves 37-42 duplicated in their place.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ḥasdai, Abraham.  
EARLY PB Wandsbeck [1727]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 80.

163

AUTHOR Emden, Jacob, 1697-1776.  
TITLE Sefer leḥem shamayim. Ḥeleq 1 ... : Quntres binyan bet ha-behirah, [by] Ya'aqov Yisra'el ben Şevi Ashkenazi.  
IMPRINT Va'anzbeq : Yisra'el ben Avraham, [5]488, [1728]  
DESCRIPT 1 v. 122 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 242.

EARLY PB Wandsbeck [1728]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 186.

164

AUTHOR Caro, Joseph.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot we-shiṭṭotayv le-ma'or ... Yosef Qa'aro be-  
diney nashim she-ke-neged ṭur Even ha-'ezer ... Nidpasu shenit  
meḥuddash.  
IMPRINT Mantoua : Yehoshu'a Mikha'el mi-Siṣi, [5]490 [1730]  
DESCRIPT 66 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 176.  
NOTE Item 3 of 4 bound together.  
  
EARLY PB Mantua [1730]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 162.

165

AUTHOR Hena, Salomon.  
TITLE Sefer yesod ha-niqqud: mosad ha-yesod 'al diqduq lashon ha-qodesh  
... we-gam ḥaqaro 'ish shemo Shelomoh ha-kohen niqra' be-sha  
'arim Zalman Hena' ...  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Mosheh Franqfurt, [5]490 [1730]  
DESCRIPT 82 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 379. Steinschneider col. 2339.  
  
EARLY PB Three leaves and a table of verbal constructions appended, in a  
contemporary hand.  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1730]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 188.

166

AUTHOR Ben Abraham, Yomṭov.  
TITLE Sefer ḥiddushey ḥullin le-ha-r[abi] Y[om] Ṭ[ov] b[en]  
A[vraham] ... [edited with introduction by Elia of Podhaje].  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Nikhdey shel Mosheh Kaz, 495 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1735]  
DESCRIPT 27 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 1407.  
NOTE Published from a manuscript found in the library of Samuel  
Oppenheim.  
NOTE Item 2 of 4 bound together.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Elia, of Podhaje.  
EARLY PB Prague [1735]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 162.

167

AUTHOR Ibn Adderet, Solomon.  
TITLE Sefer torat ha-bayt he-'arukh ..., ḥibero marana' u-rabena' hamuvhaq rabi Shelomoh Aderet, ha-bayt 'asher banah Shelomoh ... u-vo ha-bonim ha-'osim be-mala'akhah ha-'eshel ... Aharon ha-Lewi mara'ah et Bedeq ha-bayt, we-ba' ... ḥakham u-feles be-mo'zney sedeq ... u-maḥaziq kol bedeq niṣṣav 'al Mishmeret ha-bayt.  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Nikhdey shel Mosheh Kaz, 495 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1735]  
DESCRIPT 31 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 20. Steinschneider col. 1407.  
NOTE Item 1 of 4 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Adderet, Solomon. Mishmeret ha-bayt.  
ALT AUTHOR Aaron ha-Lewi. Bedeq ha-bayt.  
EARLY PB Prague [1735]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 162.

168

AUTHOR Horwitz, Hirsch.  
TITLE Sefer ga'on Şevi: ḥiddushey halakhot gedolot be-ḥarifut ... ha-meḥaber ha-ga'on Şevi Hirsh ha-Lewi ...; [edited by] Dov Be'er ha-Lewi ...  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Nikhdey shel Yuda' Baq, 497 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1736]  
DESCRIPT 73 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 409. Steinschneider col. 2752.  
NOTE Item 4 of 4 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Horwitz, Dov.  
EARLY PB Prague [1736]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 162.

169

AUTHOR Qovo, Elijah.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot.  
TITLE Sefer sheney halaqim mi-she'elot u-teshuvot 'asher ḥibero ... ha ḥeleq ha-ri'shon niqra' shemo Aderet Eliyahu ... le-rabi Eliyahu Qovo; She'elot u-teshuvot she-ḥiber ... Yehoshu'a Handa'ali weniqra' shemo Peney Yehoshu'a: Ḥiddushey ... Yiṣṣaq Almeidah ...  
IMPRINT Qoṣṣandina' : Yonah ben Ya'aqov, 499 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1739]  
DESCRIPT 2 pts in 1 v ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 207.

ALT AUTHOR Ḥandali, Joshua. She'elot u-teshuvot.



ALT AUTHOR Almeida, Isaac. Hiddushim.  
EARLY PB Istanbul [1739]  
EARLY PB Almeida's Hiddushim has its own t.p.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 155.

170

TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Hebrew. 1739.  
TITLE Sefer 'arba'ah we-'eserim: Torah, Nevi'im, Ketuvim, u-ve-gillayon yavo' perush ha-millot be-lashon Iṭa'aliya'ani.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Nella stamparia Bragadina, [5]499-[5501] [1739-41]  
DESCRIPT 2 v ; fol.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 2596.  
NOTE Contains Kelaley ha-diqduq, by Simḥa Calimani.  
NOTE Library's set lacks vol.2.

ALT AUTHOR Calimani, Simḥa. Kilaley ha-diqduq.  
EARLY PB Venice 1739-41.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 183.

171

TITLE Bible. Prophets. Hebrew. 1740.  
TITLE Nevi'im aḥaronim, Prophetæ posteriores secundum editionem Everhardi van der Hooght, cum versione latina Sebastiani Schmidii.  
IMPRINT Lipsiae : Sumptibus Wolfgangii Deer, 1740.  
DESCRIPT 705, [25] leaves ; 4to.

ALT AUTHOR Schmid, Sebastian.  
ALT AUTHOR Hooght, Everardus van der, 1642?-1716.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Prophets. Latin. Schmid. 1731.  
EARLY PB Leipzig 1740.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 131.

172

AUTHOR Ibn Ḥabib, Jacob ben Solomon, 1445?-1515 or 16.  
TITLE ... 'Eyn Ya'aqov, 'im Kutanot 'or, 'asher hayu li-fneynu sefer ma'asef le-kol aggadot we-midrashim ha-mefuzzarim be-kol shishah sedarim ...; [collected and annotated by Jacob ibn Ḥabib, with commentaries of Nachmanides and many others; edited by Isaac Fränkel].  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Hirs Lewi Rofe' Zisqind, 500 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1740]  
DESCRIPT 3 pts in 1 v. ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 151.

ALT AUTHOR Fränkel, Isaac Meir.  
ALT AUTHOR Nachmanides, Moses.  
ADD. TITLE Kutanot 'or.  
EARLY PB Amsterdam 1740.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 181.

173

AUTHOR Nissim ben Reuben.  
TITLE Sefer todah shelamim nehlaq le-sheney halaqim, ha-ḥeleq ha-ri 'shon niqra' Zivḥey todah: Kolel hidushey ha-rabi N [issim] la-masekhet Niddah ... ha-ḥeleq ha-sheni niqra' Lahmey todah: she-'elot u-teshuvot min ... Yesh'ayahu ben Yisra'el Ba'asa'an.  
IMPRINT Viniṣi'ah : Nella Stamperia Bragadina, 501 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1741]  
DESCRIPT 2 pts in 1 v ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 93; III, 37.

ALT AUTHOR Bassani, Isaiah. Lahmey todah.  
EARLY PB Venice [1741]  
EARLY PB Continuous register and pagination.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 121.

174

AUTHOR Maimonides, Moses, 1135-1204.  
TITLE Mishneh Torah, hu' ha-yad ha-ḥazaqah le-ha-nesher ... Mosheh bar Maimun, 'im hassagot A[vraham] b[en] D[awid] we-perush ha-rav Maggid mishneh, we-Kesef mishneh le-ha-ga'on ... Yosef Qa'aro, we-migdal 'oz we-Haggahot maimuniyot ...  
IMPRINT Yessniṣ : Yisra'el bar Avraham, 499-501 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1739-1741].  
DESCRIPT 4 v. ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II; 295.

ALT AUTHOR Caro, Joseph. Kesef mishneh.  
ALT AUTHOR Ben David, Abraham.  
ALT AUTHOR Ben Abraham, Shemṭov. Migdal 'oz.  
ALT AUTHOR Tolosi, Vidal. Maggid mishneh.  
EARLY PB Jessnitz [1739]  
EARLY PB T.p. of vol. 1 wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 158-161.

175

TITLE Bible. Old Testament. Hebrew. 1742.

TITLE Sefer 'arba'ah we-'eserim ... we-nimša' ha-ḥibur le-shulal  
Minḥat shay, [by] Yedidiah Shelomoh mi-Norzi ... hoši' le  
-or ... Rafa'el Ḥayyim Ba'azilah.  
IMPRINT Mantovah : Rafa'el Ḥayyim mi-İtaliya', [1742-44]  
DESCRIPT 2 v ; 4to.  
NOTE Steinschneider col. 141.  
NOTE Fürst, J. Bibliotheca Judaica, III, p. 40.  
NOTE Each part has separate t.p. Library's set lacks vol.1.

ALT AUTHOR Basila, Raphael Ḥayyim.  
ALT AUTHOR Norzi, Jedidiah Solomon. Minḥat shay.  
EARLY PB Mantua 1742-44.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 189.

176

AUTHOR Nachmanides, Moses.  
TITLE Sefer shiv'ah 'enayim ... ha-PaMBan le-pereq zeh borer we-le-  
masekhet Makot, we-Sefer ha-zakhut ... we-'arba'ah hemmah  
metivey halakhot she'elot u-teshuvot ... [edited by Jacob  
London, assisted by Abraham ben Raphael Meldolah].  
IMPRINT Livorno : Avraham Meldolah, 505 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1745]  
DESCRIPT 68 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Fürst III, 4.  
NOTE Contains Quaestiones et responsa between Nissim Benveniste and  
Isaac Aboab, and others.

ALT AUTHOR Aboab, Isaac.  
ALT AUTHOR Benveniste, Nissim.  
ALT AUTHOR London, Jacob.  
ALT AUTHOR Meldola, Abraham.  
ADD. TITLE Selected works.  
EARLY PB Livorno [1745]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 106.

177

AUTHOR Conforti, David.  
TITLE Sefer qore' ha-dorot, [by David Conforti]; hevi'o le-vet ha-defus  
... David Ashkenazi.  
IMPRINT Viniši'ah : Me'ir da Za'ara', 506 lefraṭ qaṭan [1746]  
DESCRIPT 52 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 186. Steinschneider col. 858.  
ALT AUTHOR Ashkenazi, David.  
EARLY PB Venice [1746]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 45.

178

AUTHOR Ben Isaac, Jacob.  
TITLE Şe'enah u-re'enah.  
TITLE Hameshah ħumshey Torah be-lashon Ashkenaz şe-'enah u-re'enah  
banot Şiyon be-'atarah ... [by] ha-aluf he-hasid Ya'aqov ben  
ha-rav Yishaq ...  
IMPRINT Dirhen Fa'art : Ester bat Yosef, 510 li-fraţ qatan [1750]  
DESCRIPT 273 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Fürst II, 19. cf. Steinschneider col. 1216.

EARLY PB Dyrenfurt [1750]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 100.

179

AUTHOR Pardo, David.  
TITLE Sefer shoshanim le-Dawid, we-hu' ħiber nifla' 'al shita' sidrey  
Mishnah, [by] Dawid Pa'ardo.  
IMPRINT Vinişiya'ah : Me'ir da Za'ara', 512 li-fraţ qatan 1752.  
DESCRIPT 2 v ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 67. Steinschneider col. 884.

EARLY PB Venice 1752.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 101-102.

180

AUTHOR Weil, Nathaniel.  
TITLE Qorban Natani'el: sefer be'ur raħav we-neħmad 'al pisqey ha-  
RO'SH mi-seder Mo'ed we-seder Nashim, 'asher hiqriv ... Natani'el  
Veyl.  
IMPRINT Qa'arlsru'a : Yoha'anos Ludviq Ya'aqov Held, 5515 [1755]  
DESCRIPT 148, [4] leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 501.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Jehiel, Asher. Pisqey halakhot.  
EARLY PB Karlsruhe [1755]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 182.

181

AUTHOR Meisels, Meir.  
TITLE Sefer halikhot'olam ... we-asaf we-laqaţ ħiddushayv she-  
ħiddesh 'al yad ... Me'ir ben Mosheh ...  
IMPRINT Zulşba'akh : Meshullam Zalman, 516 li-fraţ qatan [1756]  
DESCRIPT 78 leaves ; 4to.

NOTE Fürst II, 347. Steinschneider col. 1707.

EARLY PB Sulzbach [1756]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 82.

182

AUTHOR Elijah, of Vilna.  
TITLE Sefer heykalot ha-Zohar, meforeshet Bre'eshit u-fequdey 'im be'ur  
... ḥasida' qadisha' Eliyahu mi'Vilna'.  
IMPRINT [Königsberg] : Ya'aqov Şevi mi-Eqlenburg, 617 li-fraṭ qaṭan  
[pref. 1757]  
DESCRIPT 78 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE cf. Bernhard Friedberg, , Bet 'eked sefarim, Antwerpen, 1928-1931, 174.

EARLY PB Königsberg [1757]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 68.

183

AUTHOR Zerariah, the Greek.  
TITLE Sefer ha-yasher 'al tokhahat wa-musar, she-ḥiber rabenu Ya'aqov  
Tam.  
IMPRINT Zulsba'akh : Meshullam Zalman, 522 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1762]  
DESCRIPT 29 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst III, 313. cf. Steinschneider col. 2588.  
NOTE Erroneously attributed to Jacob Tam.  
NOTE Item 1 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Tam, Jacob.  
EARLY PB Sulzbach [1762]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 104.

184

AUTHOR Ben David, Samuel, ha-Lewi.  
TITLE Sefer naḥalat shiv'ah, 'im haggahot mi-mahadurah batra', [by]  
Shemu'el ... ben Dawid.  
IMPRINT Berlin : Mosheh ben Mardekhay, 523 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1763]  
DESCRIPT 115 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Cf. Steinschneider col. 2419.

EARLY PB Berlin [1763]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 24.

185

AUTHOR Heilbronn, Joseph.  
TITLE Sefer mevin ḥidot: we-hu' perush 'al ha-masorah ... [by] Yosef ben Dawid ... me-'Eshva'.  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Lev Zusmans, 525 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1765]  
DESCRIPT 93 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 110. Steinschneider col. 1455.  
  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1765]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 23.

186

AUTHOR Minz, Judah.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot.  
TITLE He' lakhem zera' li-ṣedaqah pesaqim u-she'elot teshuvot ... yasdum abirey ha-ro 'im ha-ga'on Yehudah Miṣ we-ha-ga'on Me'ir mi-Padova'ah, we-bil 'adi 'el ha-seder giṭṭin we-ḥaliṣah mukham ke-shulḥan 'arukh ...  
IMPRINT Firda' : Isaq ben Lev, [5]526 [1766]  
DESCRIPT 91 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 379. Steinschneider col. 1345.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Katzenellenbogen, Meir. She'elot u-teshuvot.  
ALT AUTHOR Minz, Abraham. Seder giṭṭin wa-ḥaliṣah.  
EARLY PB Fürth [1766]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 69.

187

AUTHOR Ben Jacob-Abraham, Aaron Simeon.  
TITLE Sefer 'or ha-yashar ... [by Aharon Shim'eon ben Ya'aqov Avraham].  
IMPRINT Amsterdam : Gera'ard Yohan Ya'anson, 529 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1769]  
DESCRIPT 112 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 26.  
  
EARLY PB Amsterdam [1769]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 66.

188

AUTHOR Levita, Elijah.  
TITLE Sefer masoret ha-masoret, hiberu rabi Eliyahu ha-muvhaq ha-medaqdeq ben Asher ha-Lewi ... ha-Ashkenazi ...  
IMPRINT Zulṣba'akh : Meshullam Zalman, 531 lifraṭ qaṭan [1771]  
DESCRIPT 35 leaves ; 8vo.

NOTE Fürst II, 240. Steinschneider col. 938.

EARLY PB Sulzbach [1771]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 17.

189

TITLE Bible. Song of Solomon. Hebrew. Ladino. 1778.  
TITLE Shir ha-shirim she-nohagim li-qrot bi-yemey ha-Pesaḥ, 'im  
pitrono be-lashon Sefardi.  
IMPRINT Viniṣiya'ah : Nella stamperia Bragadina, 538 li-fraṭ qaṭan  
[1778]  
DESCRIPT 30 leaves ; 8vo.

EARLY PB Venice [1778]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 87.

190

AUTHOR Ḥalfan, Israel ben Moses.  
TITLE Sefer millin de-rabanan, hiney milley ma'aliyota' 'asher 'asaf ...  
ha-rav ha-gadol Yisra'el ben Mosheh Ḥalfan.  
IMPRINT Frankfurt de-Oder : Almanat ha-'Adon Grila', 541 li-fraṭ qaṭan  
[1781]  
DESCRIPT 48 leaves ; 4to.

EARLY PB Frankfurt an der Oder [1781]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 191.

191

AUTHOR Alammi, Solomon.  
TITLE Sefer iggeret musar ... [by] Shelomah Al'ammi.  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Dawid ben Lipman, 534 li- fraṭ qaṭan [1783]  
DESCRIPT 16 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 33.  
NOTE Confessional poem from Toledot Yishaq, by Isaac ben Joseph Caro  
appended.  
NOTE Item 2 of 2 bound together.

ALT AUTHOR Caro, Isaac ben Joseph.  
EARLY PB Prague [1783]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 104.

192

AUTHOR Allemanno, Yoḥanan.  
TITLE Sefer sha'ar ha-hesheq, [by] Yoḥanan Aliman ...; [edited by]  
Mosheh Ḥayim Barukh ...  
IMPRINT Livorno : Gio. Vinc. Falorni, 5550 [1790]  
DESCRIPT 56 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 39. Steinschneider col. 1397.  
NOTE Excerpted from his larger work on Song of Songs, Ḥesheq Shelomoh.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Baruch, Moses Ḥayyim.  
EARLY PB Livorno [1790]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 42.

193

AUTHOR Molina, Isaac de.  
TITLE She'elot u-teshuvot.  
TITLE Sefer sh'elot u-teshuvot besamim ro'sh, misparem shelosh me'ot  
tish'aim we-shenayim, 'asafam ... Yiṣḥaq di-Molina';  
heva'atim 'el ha-defus 'im qāset haggahot ... we-eqra'am be-  
shem Kese' de harsana', Sha'ul ben Ṣevi Hirsh.  
IMPRINT Berlin : Im Verlag der Jüdischen Frei-Schule, 553 li-fraṭ qaṭan  
[1793]  
DESCRIPT 110 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst I, 59. Steinschneider col. 1139.  
NOTE Contains collected responsa of Asher ben Jehiel.  
  
ALT AUTHOR Ben Jehiel, Asher. She'elot u-teshuvot.  
ALT AUTHOR Berlin, Saul. Kese' de harsana'.  
EARLY PB Berlin [1793]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 153.

194

AUTHOR Abulafia, Hezekiah David.  
TITLE Sefer ben zequnim, [by] Ḥezeqiyah Dawid Abulafio ...  
IMPRINT Livorno : Eli'ezer Sa'adon, 553 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1793]  
DESCRIPT 78 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst I, 136.  
NOTE Added t.p. in Latin: Liber cum titulus Ben zechunim, Liburni: ex  
typographia Lazzari Sahaduni, 1793. Each section has its own  
t.p. in Hebrew.  
  
EARLY PB Livorno [1793]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 53.



195

AUTHOR Meiri, Menahem.  
TITLE Sefer ḥiddushey ha-rav haMe'iri ... 'al ma'ase'ot ha'abaḥ [edited  
by Shemu'el Avraham Yishm'a'el Sanguinetti].  
IMPRINT Livorno : Yiṣḥaq Nunes Vaes we-Rafa'el Meldonah, 554 li-fraṭ  
qaṭan [1794]  
DESCRIPT 104 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst II, 346.

ALT AUTHOR Sanguinetti, Samuel Abraham.  
EARLY PB Livorno [1794]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 152.

196

AUTHOR Rimini, Moses Ḥayyim.  
TITLE Sefer maḥar ḥodesh mimeni u-me'eti hasa'ai Mosheh Ḥayyim  
Rimini ... 'al be'ur sugyot 'amuqot hovi'u ba-masekhet ro'sh  
ha-shanah ... we-be-sofo yavo' quntris ha-hassagot she-'asiti  
'al sefer maṭṭeh DaN kuzri.  
IMPRINT Firenze : Per Gaet. Cambiagi Stamp. Grand., 1794.  
DESCRIPT 43 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Furst III, 159.

ALT AUTHOR Nieto, David.  
EARLY PB Florence 1794.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 4.

197

TITLE Barlaam and Joasaph. Hebrew.  
TITLE Sefer ben ha-melekh we-ha-nazir [translated and versified by  
Avraham ha-Lewi bar Ḥasdai].  
IMPRINT [Frankfurt am Main] : [s.n.], 555 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1795]  
DESCRIPT 90 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 169. cf. Steinschneider col. 673.

ALT AUTHOR Ibn Ḥasdai, Abraham.  
EARLY PB Frankfurt am Main [1795]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 79.

198

TITLE Bible. Genesis. Hebrew. 1797.  
TITLE [Miqra' meforash, with Targum Onkelos and commentaries by  
Jedidiah Solomon Norzi and others; edited by Wolf Heidenheim].

IMPRINT Ofenb'a: Terra & Comp.; errAbraham iidd  
Stern & Comp., 557 li-fraṭ qāṭan [1797]  
DESCRIPT 352 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 369.

ALT AUTHOR Norzi, Jedidiah Solomon. Minḥat shay.  
ALT AUTHOR Heidenheim, Wolf, 1757-1832.  
ADD. TITLE Bible. Genesis. Aramaic. Targum Onkelos. 1797.  
EARLY PB Offenbach [1797]  
EARLY PB T.p. and all after leaf 352 wanting. Piece of blank paper pasted  
over names of both publishers.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 2.

199

AUTHOR Terni, Daniel.  
TITLE 'Iqqerey ha-DaT ha-lo' davar hu' liqṭey betey liqṭey 'iqqerey  
ha-dinim ... she-ba'u li-yedey yad keheh ha-ša'ir Dani'el  
Ṭerni ben Mosheh Dawid.  
IMPRINT Firensi : [s.n.], 5563-66 [1803-1806]  
DESCRIPT 2 v ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 417. Steinschneider col. 854.

EARLY PB Florence [1803]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 117-118.

200

AUTHOR Penini, Jedaiah.  
TITLE Behinat 'olam. Yiddish & Hebrew.  
TITLE Sefer behinat 'olam, [by Jedaiah Penini] 'im targum Ashkenazi  
we-bi-ur; meturgam we-mevo'ar me'et Yo'el Ben-Yosef V'ust.  
IMPRINT Dessau : Bei Herrn Moses Philippsohn und gedruckt bei Christoph  
Schlieder, 1807.  
DESCRIPT 74 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst III, 538.

ALT AUTHOR Wüst, Joel Ben-Joseph.  
EARLY PB Dessau 1807  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 89.

201

AUTHOR Caro, Joseph.  
TITLE Shulḥan 'arukh. Oraḥ ḥayyim.  
TITLE Shulḥan 'arukh miṭur Oraḥ ḥayyim, ḥibero ha-ga'on mofet ha-  
dor Yosef Qa'aro im ḥidishey dinim ... Mosheh Issereles we-'im

be'ur ha-golah wa-eshel Avraham ... Yehudah Ashkenazi ...  
IMPRINT Vin : Gearg Hera'asha'ansqi, 570 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1810]  
DESCRIPT 435 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE cf. Fürst II, 173.  
NOTE At foot of t.p. Orach Chajjim, 1810.

ALT AUTHOR Ashkenazi, Judah.  
ALT AUTHOR Isserles, Moses ben Israel, ca1525-1572. Darkhe  
Mosheh.  
EARLY PB Vienna [1810]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 63.

202

AUTHOR Nagar, Judah.  
TITLE Zeh Sefer simḥat Yehudah ... [by] 'ish ṣa'ir hu' ha-qaṭan Yehudah  
Nag'ar.  
IMPRINT Pisa' : Shemu'el Molkho, 576 li-fraṭ qaṭan, [1816]  
DESCRIPT 44 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE Fürst III, 12.  
NOTE Contains author's Ḥagey Yehudah.

ALT AUTHOR Nagar, Judah. Sefer hagey Yehudah.  
EARLY PB Pisa [1816]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 154.

203

AUTHOR Levisohn, Solomon.  
TITLE [Meḥqerey Eres, by Shelomoh Levizohan].  
IMPRINT Vin : [s.n.], 578 li-fraṭ qaṭan [pref. 1818]  
DESCRIPT 121 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Fürst II, 271. Steinschneider col. 1630.

EARLY PB Vienna [1818]  
EARLY PB Leaves 17-96 wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 86.

204

AUTHOR Worms, Aaron.  
TITLE Me'orey 'or ḥokhmey Bavel. Sefer bin nun.  
TITLE Sefer bin nun, [by Aaron Worms; edited by Ephraim Hadamard].  
IMPRINT Meṣ : Efraim Hadamar, 587 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1827]  
DESCRIPT 191 leaves ; 4to.

ALT AUTHOR Hadamard, Ephraim.

EARLY PB Mainz [1827]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 55.

205

AUTHOR Ibn Ezra, Abraham ben Meïr, 1092-1167.  
TITLE Yesod mora' [by] Avraḥam 'Ibī 'Ezra'; [wīcmmēary] Liwyaḥen [by] Zalman Shtern.  
IMPRINT [Pra'ag] : Ka'alma'an, 5590 [1830] (pref. date).  
DESCRIPT 56 leaves ; 8vo.  
NOTE Contains part of a pamphlet Maslul derekh as an appendix, and four tables of astrological diagrams.

ALT AUTHOR Stern, Zalman Gottlieb. Liwyat ḥen.

EARLY PB Prague [1830]  
EARLY PB T.p. wanting.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 3.

206

AUTHOR Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.  
TITLE Perush Avravan'el 'al sefer Moreh nebuchim le-rabenu Mosheh ben Maymun, 'asher 'ad 'atah hayah ketav yad haṭum ... hoṣe'ati le-or 'olam ani Mosheh Yisra'el ha-Lewi Landa' we-hosafti 'alayv he arot 'asher qara'ati be-shem Moreh li-ṣdaqah.  
IMPRINT Pra'ag : Mosheh ha-Lewi Landa', 5591-5592 [1831-1832].  
DESCRIPT 2 v. ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst II, 219. Steinschneider col. 1082.  
NOTE Added t.p. in Latin: Commentarium manuscriptum in Rabbi Mosis Maimonidis tractatum More Nebuchim ..., Prague: Landau, 1831-32.

SUBJECT Maimonides, Moses, 1135-1204.

ALT AUTHOR Landau, Mose Israel. Moreh li-ṣdaqah.  
EARLY PB Prague 1831.  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 60-61.

207

TITLE Sefer DA'AT zeqenim, mi-rabotenu ba'aley ha-tosafot, be'ur 'al ha-Torah ... we-sefer Minhāt Yehuda' mi-rabenu Yehuda' ben Eli'ezer ... 'im miftaḥot panimiyot be-tokho, mekhunneh be-shem 'Afar Ya'aqov me'et Ya'aqov Nunes Vaes.  
IMPRINT Ofen : Gedruckt in der königl. Universitats-Bucherei, [5]594 [1834]  
DESCRIPT 70 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst III, 41.

NOTE Edited by Aaron Kutno.  
NOTE Contains also She'erit Yosef by Joseph Kutno.

ALT AUTHOR Ben Eliezer, Judah. Sefer minḥat Yehuda'.  
ALT AUTHOR Nunes Vaes, Jacob. 'Afar Ya'aqov.  
ALT AUTHOR Kutno, Joseph. Sh'erit Yosef.  
ALT AUTHOR Kutno, Aaron.  
EARLY PB Buda [1834]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 156.

208

AUTHOR Ḥibat Yerushalayim.  
TITLE Sefer Ḥibat Yerushalayim: ha-me'ir la-areṣ we-le-dorim ... 'al  
yeday ha-rav ha-madpis ḥakham 'adif Yisra'-el ben ... Avraham.  
IMPRINT Yerushalayim : Mosheh wi-Yhudit [Bak], 604 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1844]  
DESCRIPT 60 leaves ; 4to.  
NOTE Fürst I, 81.

ALT AUTHOR Bak, Israel.  
EARLY PB Jerusalem [1844]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 94.

209

TITLE Omer ha-shikhhah.  
TITLE Qunṭres Omer ha-shikhhah ... 'asher qibeṣ 'ish hay rav ha-pe'alim  
...  
IMPRINT [Johannisberg] : [s.n.], 621 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1861]  
DESCRIPT 18 leaves ; fol.  
NOTE cf. Bernhard Friedberg, Bet 'eked sefarim, Antwerpen, 1928-1931, 23  
EARLY PB Johannesburg [1861]  
GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 193.

210

TITLE Mishnah.  
TITLE Mishnayot, 'im perush ha-RaMBaM, rabenu 'Obadiah mi-Bertinoroh  
we-tosafot yom ṭov, [and others].  
IMPRINT Lemberg : Avraham Yishaq Menkes, 622 li-fraṭ qaṭan [1862].  
DESCRIPT 6 v. ; 4to.  
SUBJECT Maimonides, Moses, 1135-1204.  
ALT AUTHOR Bertinoro, Obadiah, ca1450-ca 1516.  
EARLY PB Lviv [1862]  
EARLY PB Library holds vols 1 and 3 only.

GUL CLASS Sp Coll Blau 110-111.

## The twenty oldest Hebrew imprints from the Blau Collection

### References in the catalogue:

Fürst = Julius Fürst, *Bibliotheca Judaica: bibliographisches Handbuch der gesamten jüdischen Literatur mit Einschluss der Schriften über Juden und Judentum und einer Geschichte der jüdischen Bibliographie nach alphabetischer Ordnung der Verfasser*. Leipzig, W. Engelmann, 1849-1863, 3 pts. in 2 v.

Steinschneider = Moritz Steinschneider, *Catalogus librorum hebraeorum in Bibliotheca Bodleiana*, Berlin, 1852-1860.

Yaari = A. Yaari, *ha-Defus ha-‘ivri be-Ḳosṭa*, Jerusalem, 1967.

Zedner = *Catalogue of the Hebrew books in the library of the British Museum*, [compiled by Joseph Zedner], London, 1867

### Transliteration of the Hebrew

*Hebraica Cataloging: a guide to AIA/LC Romanization and descriptive cataloguing*; prepared by Paul Maher is followed.

### Collational formulae

Note that while quires are signed using the letters of the Hebrew alphabet, for convenience, only their numerical values are employed in the collational formulae.

1/1

Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.

[Rosh amanah]

[Constantinople]: [David and Samuel ibn Nahmias], [1505].

[20] leaves, fol., 1<sup>8</sup> 2<sup>-3</sup>6, 29.5 x 21.5 cm., text block: 21.5 x 14.5 cm (fol. 1/2r). Library's copy imperfect, wanting three leaves. Last page blank. No foliation, no pagination, and no catchwords. So-called 'double leaf' signing, which in effect only differs from normal practice in having the elements of the signature in separate places, the Hebrew letter/number indicating the gathering at the top of the text block, while the numbering of the leaves is below. The leaves themselves, however, are numbered sequentially throughout the book, rather than separately for each gathering.

Fürst I, 14; Steinschneider, 5302, 44.; A. Yaari 3; Brad Sabin Hill. *Hebraica: manuscripts and early printed books from the Library of the Valmadonna Trust*, Valmadonna Trust Library, 1989, no. 16.

For a facsimile cf. [http://www.teachittome.com/seforim2/seforim/rosh\\_amanah.pdf](http://www.teachittome.com/seforim2/seforim/rosh_amanah.pdf)

Our copy lacks the first leaf with the laudatory poem by Judah Leon Abravanel, printed within a decorative frame, and begins at leaf 1/2r. Also wanting, leaves 1/4-5.

Bound with the author's *Zevah pesah* and *Nahalat Avot* (in a different order from Yaari 3).

This volume also lacks the special leaf with the printer's colophon mentioned by Yaari, p.61.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Constantinople (?), 16<sup>th</sup> cent., damaged, with almost half of spine missing; blind-tooled brown goatskin over pasteboards formed of printer's waste (Hebrew: see below), cut flush with the text block; endpapers a coarse laid paper; sewing is stabbed, with five cords; back flat with no bands; evidence remains of two leather clasps, hinged on the upper cover - two metal pegs of the lower clasp are all that have survived at the fore-edge on the lower cover; remains of patches of leather at the head and tail of the spine perhaps intended to strengthen the binding; covers decorated in blind with a central panel formed of seven, six-petalled, circular tools, surrounded by a serrated roll-tool and three fillets; this is framed by a mitred border of fillets and a further three rectangles, formed of separate rolls, the outer and inner both floriated and the middle serrated; spine decoration of lozenges formed by blind fillets; an early 20th cent. paper label, with the number '6' written in a blue printed frame, is pasted on the spine (this corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936). Damage to the beginning of following item, *Zevah pesah*, might suggest that this is not the first binding.

Note on the binding: the printer's waste visible on the lower board has Hebrew text (inverted): it is the right-hand column from a page from an early edition of the *Kol-Bo*, apparently the second, published at Constantinople in 1519 (Yaari 89). Only 52 lines of 53 are visible, with some text obscured or lost, from Siman 45:40. Pasted over part of this text is a scrap of paper (the remains of a larger sheet?) with fragments of writing in a highly cursive Sephardic Hebrew script of the 18<sup>th</sup>/early 19<sup>th</sup> c.(?). (See image on p.81).

Annotations: On recto of the front fly-leaf there is an unclear pencil inscription in Hebrew, and lower down, '175K/sal'. There is an illegible Hebrew inscription in violet ink at the head of fol. 1/2r.





1/2

Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508.

[Zevaḥ pesaḥ]

[Constantinople]: [David and Samuel ibn Naḥmias], [1505].

[40] leaves, fol., 1-5<sup>8</sup>, 29.5 x 21.5 cm., text block: 21.2 x 14 cm. (fol. 1/2r), our copy has only 38 leaves. Last page blank.

Fürst I, 14; Steinschneider, 5302/28; A. Ya'ari, *Bibliografyah shel hagadot Pesah*, 3.

Our copy lacks the first leaf with the laudatory poem by Judah Leon Abravanel, printed within a decorative frame, and begins at leaf 1/2r. Leaf 1/3 also wanting. Leaf 1/2 damaged at top with minimal loss of text.

Binding: see above, 1/1

Annotations: several marginal annotations in a semi-cursive Sephardic script.

Sp Coll Blau 119/2

1/3

Abravanel, Isaac, 1437-1508

[Naḥalat avot]

[Constantinople]: [David and Samuel ibn Naḥmias], [1505].

[114] leaves, fol., 1-3<sup>8</sup>, [4]<sup>8</sup>, 5-7<sup>8</sup>, 27<sup>8</sup>, 9-12<sup>8</sup>, 212<sup>10</sup> (-1 blank?, signed to leaf 5), 13<sup>10</sup> (-1 blank?, signed to leaf 5) last signed leaf numbered 58 (nun ḥet), 29.5 x 21.5 cm., textblock: 20.6 x 14.5 cm. (fol. 1/2r).

Fürst I, 14; Steinschneider 5302/39; A. Ya'ari, *Bibliografyah shel hagadot Pesah*, 3.

The verso of the first leaf has a laudatory poem of 19 lines or bayts by Judah Leon Abravanel, the son of the author, printed within a decorative frame. According to the BM Catalogue of XV century Hebrew books, this frame is attributed to the silversmith and printer Alfonso Fernández de Córdoba. It was employed in Hebrew printing at Híjar around 1486-9, and subsequently at Lisbon in 1489.

Binding: see above, 1/1

Annotations: several marginal annotations in a semi-cursive Sephardic script, in more than one hand.

Sp Coll Blau 119/3

[Sefer he-‘arukh ha-ḳatsar].

Ḳoṣṭantin (Constantinople): David and Samuel ibn Naḥmias, Tammuz, 5271[1511]  
[64] leaves, 4to, 1-16<sup>4</sup>, Library’s copy imperfect wanting the first four leaves. No foliation, no pagination, and no catchwords. Colophon date. Item 2 of 2 bound together.

Steinschneider, 6632/8; A. Yaari 16.

Our copy lacks the first leaf, containing a poem of four line or bayts. Some think the initial letters of each line, read as an acrostic (ELiYaH), may contain a clue to the author of this digest of the *Sefer he-arukh* by Nathan ben Jehiel.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Hungary (?) 19<sup>th</sup>/early 20<sup>th</sup> cent. Half-bound in brown morocco on pasteboards, covered with blueish-green marbled paper; spine has five compartments formed by a horizontal gold-tooled stamp; compartments 1,3 and possibly 4 each are decorated with an oval floriated stamp; this is obscured in compartment 4 by a paper label (early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.) bearing the number ‘146’, which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936; immediately below this label is another inscribed with the Hebrew letters tkyh, possibly a date; a title piece of red morocco is pasted onto the second compartment, with the titles *Ohel mo‘ed* and *he-‘Arukh ha-ḳatsar* tooled in gold; the edges of the text block are speckled with brown ink.

Annotations: Several marginal notes in Hebrew with occasional doodles.

Sp Coll Blau 65/2

Bible. Prophets. Hebrew. 1517

Nevi’im aḥaronim ‘im ha-Targum ye-‘im perush RaDaḲ.

Viniziy’ah: Daniyel Bombergi le-Dukhus Li’andro Lorigano, [15]17.

[180] leaves, fol., 1-22<sup>8</sup> 23<sup>4</sup>, f.21/8 bound between ff.21/1 and 21/2.

Catchwords, but no foliation or pagination.

Fürst II, 183; Steinschneider, 28.

Provenance: Ya‘aḳov Daniyel Olmo, possibly the noted Italian rabbi and poet, who lived 1690-1757. Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italy, 19<sup>th</sup> cent., half-bound in white parchment on boards, covered with a dark brown marbled paper; a title-piece of brown morocco has the lettering PROFETAE| POSTERIORES, with a roll-tooled band of fillet and palmettes above and below, all in gilt; lower down the spine is a paper label (early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.) bearing the number ‘221’, which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936; in gilt at the foot of the spine: VENEZIAE.| MDXVII.| BOMBERGI. The binder has trimmed the upper margin with

some loss of running titles. One of the two rear endpapers has been pasted down over the final, blank page, obscuring some Hebrew annotations.

Annotations: written in an Italian Hebrew hand, within the woodcut cartouche on fol. 1/2r is the name 'Ya'aqov Daniyel Olmo', 18<sup>th</sup> cent.(?). There are a few marginal comments. Several passages have been effaced by the censor, almost exclusively in *Kimḥi*'s commentary.

Sp Coll Blau 135.

4

Ben Jehiel, Nathan, of Rome.

Sefer he-'arukh, ḥibero ha-rav Natan bar Yehi'el mi-Romi ...

Pizaro (Pesaro): Sonsino, 5277 [1517], 13 Adar.

[178] leaves, fol., 1-29<sup>6</sup> 30<sup>4</sup>, 29 cm.

Foliated in Arabic numerals, ff. 176 and 178 unnumbered, some mis-numberings corrected in a contemporary hand. T.p. has a decorative woodcut border. Acrostic verse on t.p. spelling 'Barukh', may indicate editor or corrector.

Fürst III, 21; Steinschneider 6632, 2. Cf. <https://www.hebrewbooks.org/11828>

Provenance: See annotations below; on the t.p., inside the decorative frame is a round (library?) stamp bearing the letters 'C.P.S.C' around the periphery 19<sup>th</sup> cent. (?). Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italy, 18<sup>th</sup> cent. Mottled calf re-backed in 20<sup>th</sup> cent. in goatskin with title, author, Glasgow College stamp, and place and date tooled in gold. Five vertical blind-filets on upper and lower boards.

Annotations: 'allge' followed by 'all' in German Kurrentschrift is written at the top of the t.p.; a Hebrew inscription, 16<sup>th</sup> cent. (?), in a square script, on the t.p. within the decorated frame reads: 'shayyakh le-ha-aluf be-elef lo baṭil le-ht''h (?); there are two other illegible inscriptions on the t.p., one at the top left hand corner, the other, scored through, below the printed text within the decorative border; other contemporary ownership (?) inscriptions are present on the verso of the t.p. (very cursive), and in the margins of p.106 and p.173; finally, at the end of the colophon there are seven lines in Hebrew, written in a 16<sup>th</sup> cent.

Italian/Sephardic(?) script, with many words obscured or lost. Bearing the date 3 Nisan [15]17, it prohibits the removal of this book from the synagogue without permission.

Sp Coll Blau 114.

5

Levita, Elijah.

[Sefer ha-baḥur, by Elijah Levita].

[Rome: s.n., 1518]

[78] leaves, 8vo., 1-19<sup>4</sup> 20<sup>2</sup>, 14.6 cm.

Imperfect: t.p. and most leaves before f.6/3 wanting, save 2, numbered 'he 5' and 'het 8' respectively. Item 2 of 2 bound together.

Fürst II, 239; Zedner, p.226.

Provenance: Possibly Adolf Gestetner(?), fl. 1860s), notary of the Jewish Community in Raab, the German name for Győr, Hungary situated halfway between Budapest and Vienna. (see also no.14) [https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL\\_ALEPH002669450/NLI](https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL_ALEPH002669450/NLI), or Rabbi Nusen (Noson) Gestetner, also known as 'Nussan' (b. October 25, 1861, Csorna, Hungary – d. between October 11, 1920 and October 13, 1928, Győr, Hungary)

<https://www.geni.com/people/Rabbi-Nusen-Noson-Gestetner/5056996274680078141>.

Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Germany(?), 16th cent., sheepskin over pasteboards, spine damaged exposing quires sewn onto two raised bands. In the middle compartment of the spine is a paper label (early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.) bearing the number '29[0]', which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936.

Annotations: The name 'Gestetner' is written at the head of the recto of the first, rear endpaper.

Sp Coll Blau 91/2.

6

Isserlein, Israel.

Pesaḳim u-khetavim shel ... Yisra'el.

[Venice]: Daniyel Bombergi, [1519]

[54] leaves, 4to., 1-12<sup>4</sup>, 13<sup>6</sup> (lacking f.13/1 and f.13/6), 25.8 cm.

Item 2 of 2 bound together.

Fürst II, 154. Steinschneider 5459/6.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi. See no. 7 below.

Binding: British mid-20<sup>th</sup> cent., brown buckram over pasteboards, with gold title-lettering on spine.

Annotations: Several marginal Hebrew inscriptions in Italian and Spanish hands. Some passages have been obliterated by the censor, whose signature appears at foot of the last page: 'Domenico Irosolomitano 1598'

Sp Coll Blau 128/2.

Isserlein, Israel.

Sefer terumat ha-deshen, ḥibero ye-yasad ha-ga'on Yisra'el asher shemo noda' be-she'arim ... Isserlein.

Vinitsi'ah: Daniyel Bombergo, [5]279 [1519]

Place and date added in manuscript in Hebrew square script on the t.p.

[132] leaves, 4to., 1-2<sup>4</sup>,<sup>2</sup>1-2<sup>4</sup>,3-31<sup>4</sup>, each gathering is also numbered in Arabic numerals on the first leaf, 25.8 cm.

Item 1 of 2 bound together.

Fürst II, 154. Steinschneider 5459/8.

Provenance: Isack Abano (?) 16<sup>th</sup> cent. (?) German Kurrent: 'Dieses Buch ist des beschädern Isack Abano' at top right-hand of t.p.

Rabbi Pinchas Stein (active mid-19<sup>th</sup> cent.) was author of *Ḳinat Pinchas*, and a follower of Meir Eisenstaedter (Meir ben Judah Leib Eisenstädter, also known as Maharam Asch, 1780-1852). His name is written on the front endpaper and t.p. Oval stamp with text: 'Pinkac Stein, Oberrabbiner, T[ér] Sz[ent] Miklos' on upper left-hand corner of front endpaper and t.p.. Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: British, brown buckram over pasteboards, mid 20<sup>th</sup> cent.

Annotations: Several undeciphered inscriptions, in addition to the above, on the front endpaper and the t.p. Some sections of text have been obliterated (by the censor?) especially on ff. 12/3v and 12/4r. There are also occasional marginal annotations. On the penultimate page, below the colophon is the inscription: 'Gio[vanni] domenico carretto 1617'

Sp Coll Blau 128/1.

Ḳolon, Joseph.

[She'elot u-teshuvot].

Barukh Adon ..., [by] Yosef Ḳolon.

Vinizyah: Daniyel Bombergi, 279 li-fraṭ ḳaṭan [1519]

[10], 233 leaves, 4to., 1<sup>4</sup>2<sup>6</sup> 2<sup>2</sup>-58<sup>4</sup> 59<sup>6</sup> [-f.59/6], each gathering is also numbered in Arabic numerals on the first leaf, 22.5 cm.

Fürst II, 201. Steinschneider 5944/1.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: British mid-20<sup>th</sup> cent., quarter bound in maroon goatskin and buckram, over pasteboards.

Annotations: There are several early cursive Hebrew inscriptions, one on the second front endpaper, nine on the t.p. and a few more in the margins. Some of those on the t.p. seem to be ownership statements but are unable to be deciphered with confidence. Two of them provide the title and author: 'Sh[e]elot] u-t[eshuvot] mo[renu] ha-r[av] r[abbi] Yosef Ḳolon'



written in an early 19<sup>th</sup> cent.(?) Ashkenazi hand, followed by, ‘Sh[e’elot] u-t[eshuvot] m[orenu] ha-r[av] Y[osef] K[olon]’ in pencil (19<sup>th</sup>early 20<sup>th</sup> cent?)

Sp Coll Blau 5.

9

Ben Jehiel, Asher.

[She’elot u-teshuvot le-ha-Rosh].

Ḳonṣṭatinah: n.p., 33 le-‘Omer, 5277 [1517] (Colophon)

[12, 178] leaves, fol. π<sup>12</sup> [1]-[21]<sup>8</sup> [22]<sup>10</sup>. Quires unnumbered, signing to the fourth leaf and continuous throughout. No foliation, no pagination and no catchwords. F.1 is badly damaged with some text loss. Text begins on f.1v, and is divided into 108 numbered sections (*kelalim*) and further divided into *simanim*.

Fürst I, 59. Steinschneider 4455/27. Yaari 56.

This item was previously incorrectly dated 1522, hence its position in the catalogue.

Provenance: Samuel Ḳimḥi, possibly an early 18th century Rabbi in Constantinople: on last page after the printed colophon: ‘Zeh ha-sefer she-li Shemu’el Ḳimhi’ in square script.

Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Constantinople (?) late 17<sup>th</sup> cent. brown sheepskin over paste boards, bound on four raised bands forming five compartments, blind tooled with a border of triple fillets, doubled at the hinges. In the first spine compartment is a contemporary, paper title-piece, with the text: ‘sh[e’elot] u-t[eshuvot] le-ha-Rosh’, and in the fourth compartment is a paper label (early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.) bearing the number ‘71’, which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936, p.9.

Annotations: Below Samuel Ḳimḥi’s name written under the colophon are the names ‘Shemu’el Ḳimḥi Yitshak Ḳimḥi Avraham Ḳimḥi’ in a Sephardic script. At the foot of the last page: ‘Gedruckt 1517’ in brown ink. F.1r has a long (21 lines) inscription in a Sephardic cursive script, divided into three sections. The second section is headed: ‘She’elot u-teshuvot le-ha-Rosh z[ikhrono] l[i-vrakhah]’ At the head of the page in German is a pencil inscription: ‘gedruckt im Jahre 1532 in Konstantinopel’

On the front and back endpapers there is a wealth of scribbles, pen-trials, calculations, and ownership statements, none of which have been deciphered with certainty.

The place name ‘Pressburg’ (present-day Bratislava) occurs several times.

Sp Coll Blau 120.

10

Moses ben Jacob, of Coucy, active 13th century.

[Sefer mitsyot gadol, by Moses ben Jacob de Coucy].

[Venice]: [Daniel Bomberg], [1522]

2 pts in 1, fol. Part one signed 12-30<sup>8</sup>, all before f.12/1, and f.30/8 wanting. Part two signed 5-10<sup>8</sup> 11<sup>10</sup> [-f.11/10], all before f.5/3 wanting.

Fürst I, 189. Steinschneider 6453/3.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Scottish. Brown buckram, mid-20th cent.

Annotations: Ownership mark (?) in brown ink on f.12/2r. Some marginal notes on fore-edge repair, f.30/7

Sp Coll Blau 150.

11

Jacob ben Asher, ca 1269- ca1340.

Ṭurim. 3. Even ha-‘ezer.

ha-Ṭur ha-shelishi ye-hu’ ha-nikra’ ’Even ha-ezer, asher ħiber ha-rav rabenu Ya‘aḳov ...

Ṭinitsi’ah: Daniyel Bombergi, Elul, [5]282 [1522] (Colophon, Tishri, [5]283).

82 leaves, 4to. 1-9<sup>8</sup> 10<sup>10</sup> register continuous with item 12.

Item 1 of 2 bound together.

Fürst II, 15. Steinschneider 5500/5.

Provenance: ‘Amram Yakiriah 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent. Italian Jew. Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italian, 16<sup>th</sup>/early 17<sup>th</sup> cent., brown morocco over pasteboards, rubbed and damaged at the head and tail, sewn on three raised bands of the spine. Decoration of both boards comprises two concentric, rectangular frames, each formed by three fillets. The outer compartment has four corner fleurons, and a four circular, floriate tools placed at the centre of each side. The inner compartment has a central, empty, oval cartouche and four corner fleurons, different from those in the outer compartment. The four spine compartments are stamped with the same fleuron as that in the outer compartment of the boards. Additionally, there are paper labels, in the second (17<sup>th</sup> cent.?), third (early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.? with numeral ‘107’), and fourth compartments. The last bearing the number ‘90’ which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936. There are traces of two clasps at the fore-edges of both boards. Watermarks: the free endpaper at the front and the three endpapers at the rear bear watermarks of two similar designs, namely, 1: a fleur-de-lis on an orb, encircled by a line which extends at the top, and terminates in a trilobe, 2: a fleur-de-lis (minus one side petal) on an orb, encircled by a line, surmounted by a trilobe. Comparable designs can be found in Gerhard Piccard, *Wasserzeichen: Lilie*, Stuttgart, 1983, no. 933 Mantova 1579; and C.M. Briquet, *Les Filigranes*, t.2, no. 7126 Vicence 1582 and Venise 1582, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Leipzig, 1923

Annotations: At the head of the t.p. is a two-line inscription in a 16<sup>th</sup> cent. Italian Hebrew hand: ‘zeh ... ħigi‘a le-ħelki ‘Amram Yakiriah ... la-manoah(?) ... Yehoyadah Ĥizikiyah ke-ħaluḳah mi-ha-sefarim ... ‘im aħi ...’.



On front paste-down the number '107' in pencil. On the recto of the front free enpaper, the Hebrew word 'alef' in a stylised, modernist script, and below that, the numbers 6016 and 6017, all in pencil (early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.)

Sp Coll Blau 185.

12

Jacob ben Asher, ca 1269- ca 1340.

Ṭurim. 4. Ḥoshen ha-mishpat.

ha-Ṭur ha-revi 'i ve-hu' nikra' ḥoshen ha-mishpat, asher ḥiber ha-rav rabenu Ya'aqov.

Vinitsi'ah: Daniyel Bombergi, Tishri, [5]283 [1522]

284 leaves, 4to. 11-35<sup>8</sup> 36<sup>4</sup> [-f.36/4] register continuous with item 11.

Item 2 of 2 bound together.

Fürst II, 15. Steinschneider 5500/5.

Provenance: 'Amram Yakiriah, a 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent. Italian Jew. Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: See item 11

Annotations: A few words have been obliterated by the censors.

After the colophon: the censor Camillo Jaghel has signed his name: 'Camillo Jaghel 1617'.

Below this, Luigi da Bologna, a converted Jew working for the Inquisition as censor (active at the end of the 16th-beginning of 17th century) has inscribed, 'Visto per mi fra Luigi da Bologna converso da S' Dom.<sup>co</sup> 1602'. See William Popper, *The Censorship of Hebrew Books* (New York: KTAV Publishing House, 1969).

<https://archive.org/details/censorshiphebre00popppgoog/page/n22>

Sp Coll Blau 185.

13

Rabbinic Bible, 2nd. 1524-25

[Mikraot gedolot, with Targumin and commentaries by Rashi and others]; edited by Jacob ben Ḥayyim.

Vinitsi'ah: Daniyel Bombergi, 285 li-fraṭ ḳaṭan [1524-25]

4 v, fol. Register continuous. Library's set lacks vols 1 and 4. Vol. 2, 40.5 cm., vol. 3, 42 cm. Prior to their acquisition by Blau, these volumes probably had separate provenances.

Steinschneider 52. Cf. <https://www.bl.uk/collection-items/the-great-rabbinic-bible>

Volume 2: Nevi'im rishonim.

The earlier prophets Joshua, Judges, Samuel, and the Kings, has the Hebrew text, the Targum Jonathan, the commentaries of Rashi, Ḳimḥi, Levi ben-Gershon, and the Masorah in the margin.

Provenance: Yitshak Kohen 16<sup>th</sup> cent. Italian/Sephardic physician(?). Neḥemyah Bakhar (Becher?) 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent.? Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italian, quarter bound in vellum and brown, marbled paper over pasteboards. Red morocco title, and place and date pieces: 'BIBLIA| RABBINICA| VOL. 2' and at foot: 'VENICE| 1525'.

Annotations: In the top margin, outside the title frame is a five-line Hebrew inscription, scored through, beginning: 'ḳinyan kaspi ani Binyamin ... [ends] le-hagut bo ani ve-zar'i ve-zer'a zar'i 'ad sof kol ha-dorot amen' On the t.p., within the curve of the architectural arch: 'Ani Neḥemyah Bakhar ḳaniti zeh ha-sefer'. Between 'Bakhar' and 'ḳaniti' is the name 'Yitshak [ib]n Y' printed in type. In a different (Italian/Sephardi 16<sup>th</sup> cent.) hand, in the space to the left of the right-hand pillar of the architectural arch: 'Yitshak [word scored through] Kohen yotser ve-rofe(?)'. Two further inscriptions (scored through) are present within the top of the ornamental title-page frame, one undeciphered (16<sup>th</sup> cent.), the other, four Hebrew letters in square script: 'y p k y'. At foot of last page are the names of two censors: 'Dominico Irosolomi.[ta]no 1597' and 'Visto per me G dom[ini]co Carretto 1619'. Cf. <https://archive.org/details/censorshiphebre00popppgoog/page/n22>  
<https://edblogs.columbia.edu/footprints/2017/12/10/guest-post-from-italy-to-dublin-through-double-censorship/>

Volume 3: Seder ha-nevi'im ha-aḥaroni[m] ...

The later prophets Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, and the twelve minor prophets, with the Hebrew text, Targum Jonathan, the commentaries of Rashi, Ḳimḥi, Ibn-Ezra on Isaiah and the Minor Prophets (Ibn Ezra's commentaries were omitted from both the Third and Fourth Rabbinic Bibles), and the Masorah in the margin.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Scottish, quarter bound brown goatskin and buckram over pasteboards, mid-20<sup>th</sup> cent. Apparently not volume three of the Fourth Rabbinic Bible (1568) as indicated on the gold-tooled spine title and date.

Annotations: Several passages obliterated in pen by the censor, especially in the commentary on Isaiah.

Sp Coll Blau 166-167.

14

Ḳimḥi, David, 1160–1235

Sefer ha-shorashim: ye-hu ḥeleḳ sheni mi-ha-mikhlol, she-ḥiber ... David Ḳimḥi. [Edited by Yeshayah ben Eli'ezer Parnas mi-vene ha-Gershoni].

Vinitsi'ah: Daniyel Bombergi, 5289 [1529]

144 leaves, fol. 1-18<sup>8</sup>, 30.5 cm. Last page blank. Part 2 only.

Fürst II, 185. Steinschneider 4821/46.

Provenance: At head of t.p. and f.18/7v, an oval blue stamp with legend: 'AD. GESTETNER RAAB'. Possibly Adolf Gestetner (fl. 1860s), notary of the Jewish Community in Raab, the German name for Győr, situated halfway between Budapest and Vienna. See also no.5. Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italian, 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent., spine damaged, sewn on five bands, stiffened paper covers, later 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> cent paper title piece: 'Shoresh | Vinitsi'ah | Bombergi'. Above this is another paper label bearing the number '25' which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936.

Annotations: At the top of the t.p. and at the foot of f.18/7r are two inscriptions in an early (16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent.) hand by a certain Menaḥem Misharon(?). On the t.p.: 'ק"ח אנ"י מנחם ב[en] ק[avod] מ[orenu] ר[abbi] שמואל ... Misharon(?). At foot of last page are the names of two censors: 'Dominico Irosolomi[ta]no 1597' and 'Visto per me Gio[vanni] dom[ini]co carretto 1619', i.e. Dominico Irosolomitano and Giovanni Domenico Carretto. See no. 13 above. Four lines on f.12/6v partially obliterated in ink by the censor. On the front pastedown are the pencil inscriptions: 'No.73', '£1.4.0.' and some Hebrew date calculations.

*Carte de visite* portrait photograph found loosely inserted between ff. 14/8v and 15/1r. Photographer: Professor Johann Reiner, Klagenfurt. Albumen print on card, 10.5 x 6 cm. Subject: unidentified male with spectacles, seated, facing left. On verso, 'Fotografie von Professor J. Reiner in Klagenfurt'.

Sp Coll Blau 171.

15

Ben Jehiel, Nathan, of Rome.

[Sefer he-'arukh, by Natan ben Yehi'el mi-Romi; edited by Eliezer Parnas mi-vene ha-Gersoni].

[Venice]: [Daniel Bomberg], [1531-2].

246 leaves, 4to., 1-31<sup>8</sup> [lacking f.1/1 and f.31/8], 24.5 cm.

T.p. wanting.

Poem by Elijah Levita at foot of last page.

Fürst III, 21. Steinschneider 6632/3.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: German/Austrian? Late 18<sup>th</sup> cent.? Quarter bound speckled calf and brown marbled paper over pasteboards, spine chipped at base, headband loose, and the lower hinge split at the bottom. Sewn on three raised bands, each framed by two gilt, horizontal 'Greek key' style roll tools, forming four spine compartments. Compartments 1, 3, and 4 each have a gilt multi-point star tool, while the second has a red leather title-piece with 'Sefer he-'arukh in gilt. Pasted over the star tool in the fourth compartment is a paper label (damaged) bearing the number '85' which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936. The first leaf (f.1/2) has been strengthened with paper pasted around bottom and side margins. Another strip of paper bearing some printed text in French (19<sup>th</sup> cent?).

Annotations: On the front paste-down: at the top left-hand corner three words in Hebrew, possibly a name; below, some faint pencil notes in Hebrew (one in ink); in ink, in the middle of the page, the inscription in a 19<sup>th</sup> cent hand: 'Venezia 1531 Bomberg'; and in faint ink above this: 'N 11.' Occasional marginal annotations in ink throughout, in early (16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent.) hands.

Sp Coll Blau 115.

16

Ben Solomon, Immanuel.

Sefer maḥbarot 'Immanu'el. Hudpas sheni ...

Ḳost'antina: Eli'ezer Sontsin, 23 Elul, 5295 [1535]. Colophon date.

156 leaves, 4to., 1-39<sup>4</sup>, 20.8 cm.

T.p. has a woodcut, architectural arch, with the name 'Sontsin' in a cartouche above the title.

Fürst III, 352. Steinschneider 5269/2. Yaari 119.

Digital copy: [https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL\\_ALEPH001379687/NLI](https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL_ALEPH001379687/NLI)

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Portuguese? Early 19<sup>th</sup> cent.? Quarter bound dark brown sheep and pink marbled paper over pasteboards. The corners are protected by pieces of vellum. Five compartments are formed by four horizontal gilt lines. The spine is topped and tailed by additional horizontal lines in combination with two, different floriate tools. A blind floriated tool is in compartments 1, 3, 4, and perhaps 5 (which is covered by a paper label bearing the number '287' which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936. Note: there the date is given as 1485). The second compartment has the text in gilt: 'HIMANUEL'. The free endpapers and the pastedowns have watermarks similar to Heawood 3737, ascribed to a Lisbon papermill: Scroll work inhabited and flanked by lions/griffins?, rampant, countermark, a star with the letters 'PICARDO' below (Cf. Edward Heawood, *Watermarks, mainly of the 17th and 18th centuries*. Hilversum, 1950).

Annotations: Several marginal annotations in a contemporary hand in the first three quires.

Sp Coll Blau 73.

17

Ibn Yahya, Joseph.

Perush Ḥamesh megillot, Tehillim, Mishle, Iyov, Daniyel, 'Ezra, Divre ha-Yamim, ḥḥo he-ḥakham ha-kolel ha-elohi don Yosef ... ibn Yahya ...

Boloniya: 'al yede ha-shitufim, [5]298 [1538]

122 leaves, fol., 1-14<sup>8</sup> 15<sup>10</sup>, [15/10v blank], 26.4 cm.

Fürst II, 4. Steinschneider 5934/1.

Digital copy: [https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL\\_ALEPH001213870/NLI](https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL_ALEPH001213870/NLI)

Provenance: Shemuel mi-Ṭerni (16<sup>th</sup> cent.?). Eghizabet Aagbanzi(?) d'Ancona. 1753.  
Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italian, 16th cent. Brown morocco over pasteboards, decorated with a central lozenge, surrounded by a frame, and further mitred frame, all formed of four fillets. Within the inner compartment there is a centre and corner design made up of 10 embossed fleuron tools. Sewn on three raised bands, creating four spine compartments, the leather of two (1 and 4) is missing, the remaining two (2 and 3) are decorated with the same fleuron tool, with 3 also having a paper label bearing the number '73' which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936, where the date is given as 1525. There are traces on the boards of an earlier paper label at the head of the spine.

Annotations: The name, 'Shemuel mi-Ṭerni (?)' is written in ink within the woodcut cartouches at the head of Shir ha-Shirim (scored through), Kohelet, Mishle (scored through), Daniyel (scored through), 'Ezra (scored through), and Divre ha-Yamim, and also on f.12/1v in Iyov.

On the verso of front endpaper, the name: 'Eghizabet Aagbanzi(?) d'Ancona. 1753'. At end, below the colophon (on 15/10r), the signature of the censor Giovanni Antonio Costanzi in Latin: 'Joan. Antonius Costantius'. Costanzi has obliterated passages and inserted text in the margins in Ekhah (f.3/7r), Mishle (f.11/7v), Danyel (ff.14/3r and 14/6r). Cf. Ariel Toaff. 'Giovanni Antonio Costanzi, Ultimo censore di libri Ebraici a Roma (1745-1756 ca.)'. *La Rassegna Mensile di Israel* terza serie, Vol. 67, No. 1/2, Minchat Yehudà: *Saggi sull'Ebraismo Italiano in memoria di Yehudà Nello Pavoncello* (Gennaio - Agosto 2001), pp. 203-214.

On f.15/10v there are some faint inscriptions in Italian, a Latin alphabet written in a single column, with some phrases, e.g. 'e sign[o]ra mia cara' 'dona maria', but mostly unclear, and above the latter, in a darker ink, a calculation converting the Hebrew date of the book to the Christian.

On the verso of the rear endpaper is the inscription in Italian, 'a San Giuseppe Capo le Case nella ...'. San Giuseppe a Capo le Case is the church of a former Carmelite monastery in Rome, opened in 1597. Written above this inscription in the same ink is the number '262'. On the same page are several words in an eastern Hebrew script, some of which are glossed with Latin terms, e.g. 'mispar Aritmetica', 'tagboret geometria', 'sifrut retorica', and 'tekhunah Astrologia'.

Sp Coll Blau 122.

18

Recanati, Menaḥem ben Benjamin.

Pisḳe halakhot mi-ha-mekubbal rabenu Menaḥem mi-Reḳanaṭi ...

Boloniya' : 'al yede ha-shitufim, [5]298 [1538]. Colophon date.

[12], 62 leaves, 4to. 1-3<sup>4</sup> 21-15<sup>4</sup> 16<sup>2</sup>, 20.4 cm.

Fürst III, 136. Steinschneider 6363/6.

Digital copy: [https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL\\_ALEPH002073116/NLI](https://www.nli.org.il/en/books/NNL_ALEPH002073116/NLI)

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Italian, 16<sup>th</sup> cent.(?), pale pink coloured paper over pasteboards. Circular paper label on upper centre of front cover (damaged). At the foot of the spine is another paper label bearing the number '274' which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936.

Annotations: On the top left-hand corner of the t.p. is a two-line (ownership?) inscription in a 16<sup>th</sup> cent. Italian/Sephardic hand: 'Tsa'irim Gavriyel ve-aḥyan ...(?).

On f.7r is a 13-line Hebrew marginal annotation in a contemporary hand.

On f.62v there is a contemporary annotation in Hebrew (undeciphered), a 2-line inscription in Italian(?) possibly containing the name Dozzini, which has been almost totally obliterated, above the latter, 'B<sup>a</sup> ioo', and two occurrences, at the top of the page and below the inscriptions, the word 'Adi' possibly an abbreviation of *ad invicem* = 'to one another'.

Sp Coll Blau 57.

19

Maḥzor. Rome.

... ha-Maḥzor ke-fi minḥag kehilah kedushah Roma, 'im perush Kemḥa de-avishona [by Yohanan Treves], ve-masekhet Avot 'im perush ... ha-RaMBaM ...

Boloniya: [s.n.], 'erev ḥag ha-sukkot [5]301 [1540]. Colophon date.

2 v., fol. Imperfect: many leaves are damaged, with occasional loss of text, and have been (often badly) repaired. T.p. has a decorative, architectural frame.

Fürst III, 444. Steinschneider 2579.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Austro-Hungarian 19<sup>th</sup> cent., quarter-bound in dark brown morocco and green marbled paper over pasteboards, spine decorated with blind-tooled fillets, creating six compartments, the third of each has the volume number, which has been added incorrectly, '1' on part 2 and '2' on part 1. A paper label at the base of each spine bears the number '67', which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936. The mis-numbering of the volumes has been corrected on these paper labels.

Annotations: Volume 1. Written on verso of front endpaper, in pencil, in a 19<sup>th</sup>/early 20<sup>th</sup> cent. Hebrew square script: 'be-sof ha-ḥeleḳ ha-sheni katuv "u-tehi hashlamato be-'erev ḥag ha-sukkot sh[anah] 301 (sh'a') poh Boloniyah"'.  
On the t.p. within the upper, blank compartment on the inner, decorative frame is inscribed the following Hebrew text: 'zeh ha-sha'ar le-h[od](?)'.

On f.1/2r in a 16<sup>th</sup> cent. Italian cursive hand a two-line Hebrew inscription begins: 'be-shemini shel ḥag ha-sukkot ...' Below this is the name 'Raffaelli'.

On f.2/8r a portion of missing text at the foot of the page has been supplied in manuscript.

Volume 2. On the recto of the front endpaper: 'Ya 'aḳov Shelomoh ben Eli'ezer ... 5638 [i.e. 1877/8]'.

On the t.p. within the lower, blank compartment on the inner, decorative frame is inscribed: 'Dio', in a 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> cent. hand.

Throughout both volumes there are sporadic signs of the censor's obliterations and corrections of text. At the foot of the penultimate page of v.2 is the name of the censor, Giovanni Dominico Carretto: 'Visto per me Gio Dominico Carretto 161(?)'.

Sp Coll Blau 112-113.

20

Bahya ben Asher.

[Perush 'al ha-Torah, by Bahya ben Asher].

Vinitsi'ah: Zuani di Fari, Korniyei Adilkind, 304 li-fraṭ ḳaṭan [1544]

243 leaves (last leaf mis-numbered '233'), fol. 1-29<sup>8</sup> 30-31<sup>6</sup> [-31/6], t.p. wanting: for an image of the t.p. cf. <https://www.hebrewbooks.org/11839>

Fürst I, 76. Steinschneider 4525/6.

Provenance: Ludwig Blau (1861-1936) Hungarian scholar and rabbi.

Binding: Austrian? Early 19<sup>th</sup> cent. brown tree calf binding, 5 spine compartments, formed by raised bands and horizontal gilt (worn) fillets, compartments 1, 3-5 inhabited by a double fleuron tool (traces of gilt), the second compartment has a light-brown leather title-piece, decorated with an acanthus gilt roll, and the Hebrew text: 'Rabenu Bahya'. A paper label pasted over compartment 5 bears the number '68', which corresponds to the number in the Blau printed catalogue of 1936.

Annotations: Occasional marginal notes in a contemporary Hebrew hand. On the front pastedown, the number '910' in pencil, 19<sup>th</sup>/early 20<sup>th</sup> cent.

Sp Coll Blau 129.

