

# COMIC BOOKS & GRAPHIC NOVELS

A SELECTION  
OF FRENCH TITLES  
2016



## Promoting French publishing all over the world

For almost 140 years, BIEF has been promoting French publishers' creations on the international scene with the vocation of facilitating and developing exchange between French and foreign professionals in the publishing industry.

This catalogue presents 17 publishing houses and more than 70 titles. It is intended as both a working and reference tool for all those interested in comic books and graphic novels published in France, especially foreign publishers keen to build their list of translations and/or adaptations in this sector, as well as booksellers and librarians.

We hope this catalogue will encourage them to discover the variety and high quality of comic book publishing in France, so fortifying existing links with their French counterparts.



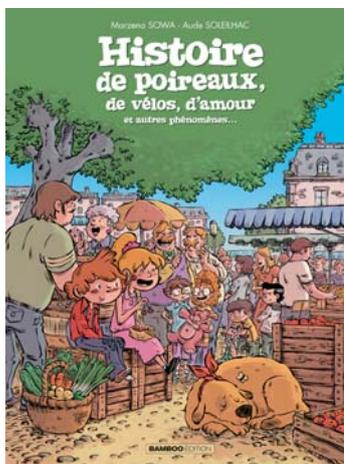
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Since it was created in 1997 by Olivier Sulpice, Bamboo Édition has been endeavouring to renew the “one-page gag” genre in a series with popular themes such as: Jobs (“Teachers”, “Cops”), Sports (“Rugby players”), Girls (“Sisters”, “Dance studio”). The authors nurture a sense of humour intended for a wide public, from 7 to 77. This formula has made Bamboo a reference in the world of funny comic strips. The “Grand Angle” series are realistic comics that play on diversity and emotion: stories with a touch of poetry, politically committed but unbiased, real and moving testimonies, captivating thrillers. In short, from a frisson of pleasure to inner revolt, emotion guaranteed as the pages turn!

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## Stories about Leeks, Bicycles, Love and Other Phenomena Histoire de poireaux, de vélos, d’amour et autres phénomènes...

Marzena Sowa & Aude Soleilhac,  
Bamboo, Collection “Story”,  
2015

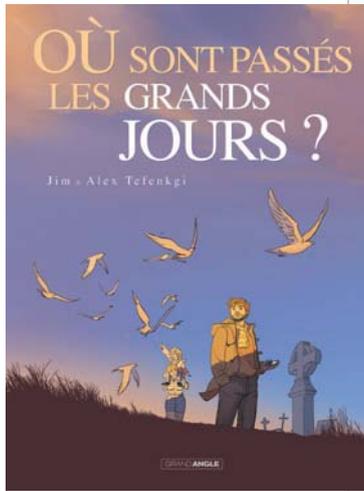
Vincent, eleven, loves to go to the market with his parents who are vegetable producers, more to be among his friends than to sell leeks. He also secretly loves Marie, the florist’s daughter, and he dreams of offering her a potato in the shape of a heart. He also dreams of long bike rides but first, he’d better get a bike. In the warm atmosphere of the stalls, all these stories of leeks, bikes, love and other phenomena come together to create a tender, nostalgic portrayal of childhood.

Fiction

Age 10+

72 pages • 22 × 29,6 cm • 15,90 €

EAN 9782818933787



**Where Did the Good Times Go? Vol. 1**

**Où sont passés les grands jours?, vol. 1**

Jim & Alexandre Tefenkgi, Bamboo, Collection "Grand Angle", 2014

It's the story of Fred, who killed himself. He was the best friend of Hugo, Étienne, and Jean-Marc. But none of that is important now. It's also the story of a phone number, Fred's, which Hugo can't bring himself to delete from his phone list. In any case, not without making one last call. It's also the story of three gifts, left posthumously by Fred, which progressively change all their lives. Finally, it's the story of the passing of time, of slight perceptions, of those impressions that you keep to yourself, silently. Until, one day, everything explodes...

Fiction

Adults, YA, Teenagers

70 pages • 22 × 29,6 cm • 16,90 €

EAN 9782818925522



**12 rue Royale**

Hervé Richez & Efix, Bamboo, Collection "Grand Angle", 2015

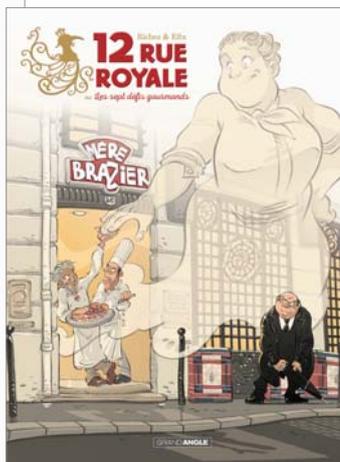
Because he is ready to do anything to expand his establishment, Mathieu Viannay, head chef of the famous restaurant in Lyon "La mère Brasier", has just accepted the challenge laid down by the landlord next door: to fulfil, thanks to the sheer power of his art, the seven gastronomic tasks of Hercules...

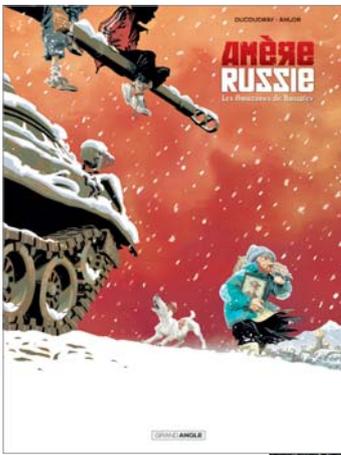
Graphic Novel

Adults, YA, Teenagers

110 pages • 22 × 29,6 cm • 18,90 €

EAN 9782818934524





## Bitter Russia, Vol. 1

### Amère Russie, vol. 1

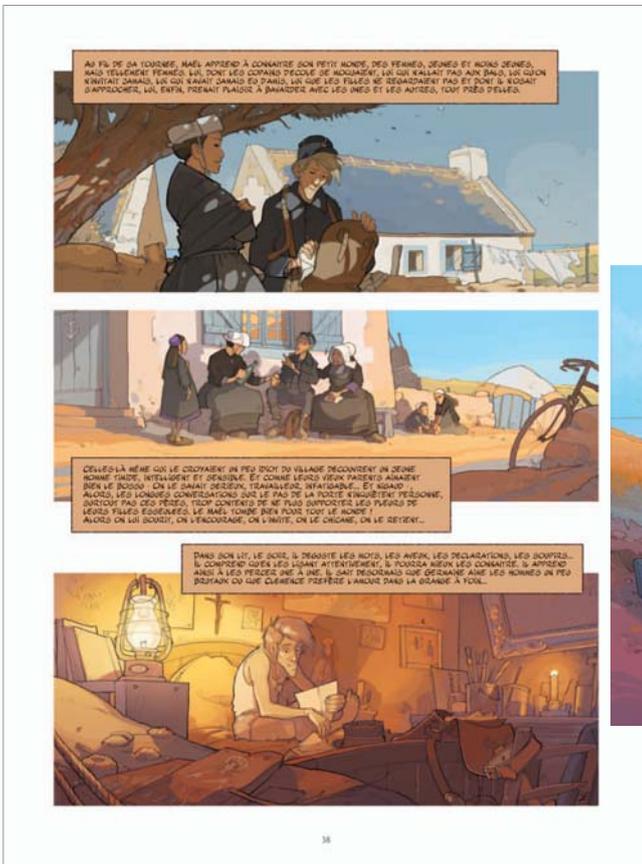
Aurélien Ducoudray & Anlor,  
Bamboo,  
Collection “Grand Angle”,  
2014

In the mid-90s, a Russian mother whose soldier-son is on a mission in enemy territory learns that the leader of the Chechen army has agreed to release prisoners if their mothers come and fetch them. It's the beginning of the harsh, touching saga of this mother –accompanied by her little dog Milza, a comic and moving “underlying theme”– through a hostile Chechen territory devastated by war.

Contemporary History  
Adults, YA, Teenagers

48 pages • 24,2 × 31,6 cm • 13,90 €  
EAN 9782818931134

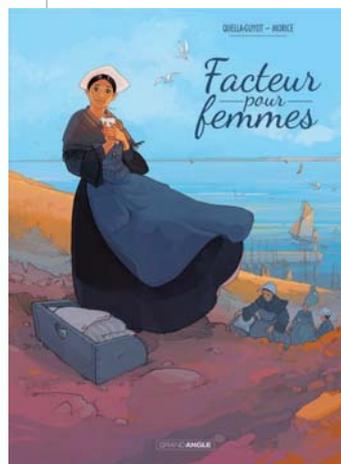
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## A Ladies' Postman

### Facteur pour femmes

Didier Quella-Guyot  
& Sébastien Morice,  
Bamboo, Collection  
“Grand Angle”, 2015



1914, on a Breton island, the rather introvert and handicapped Maël is not mobilized and becomes a postman. He understands quickly that being the only man on the island has some advantages. Because the women can't read, he has to read the letters aloud... He also picks up the mail, reads it before sending it, and so gets to know this loyal and captive audience better and better. From conquest to conquest, Maël acquires a faithful group of loving women. But when the war “threatens” to end, the soldiers who escaped the slaughter are about to come back home and morality must be preserved at all costs...

Graphic Novel, History  
Adults, YA, Teenagers

112 pages • 22 × 29,6 cm • 18,90 €  
EAN 9782818934135

# Casterman

Year of creation: 1780  
Titles in catalogue: 3 000  
Titles published annually: 250

## Emblematic titles or series

Tintin, Hergé:  
translated into over 108 languages

Corto Maltese, Hugo Pratt:  
translated into over 20 languages

Les Cités Obscures,  
Benoit Peeters & François Schuiten:  
translated into over 17 languages

C'était la guerre des tranchées, Tardi:  
translated into over 10 languages

La Trilogie Nikopol, Bilal:  
translated into over 15 languages



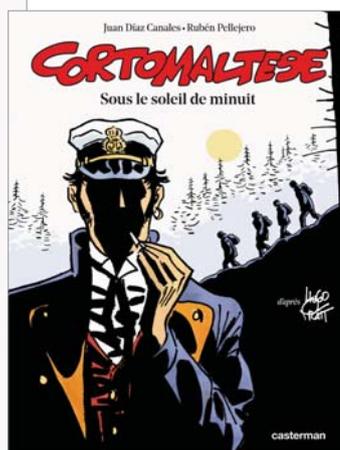
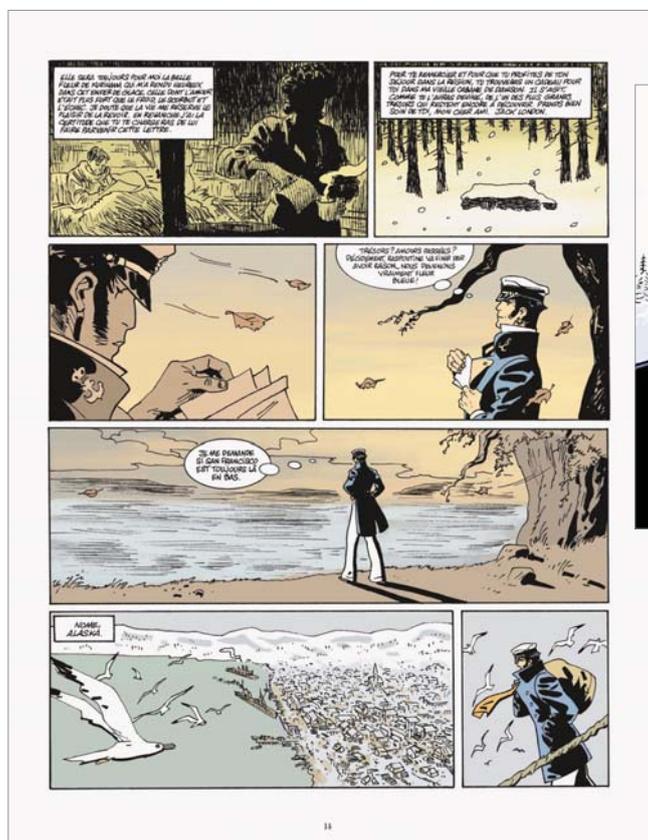
Founded in 1780, Casterman, a Belgian publishing house, started publishing comics in 1930! Since the publication of the first Tintin, which is still the pride of its prestigious catalogue, Casterman has remained faithful to its initial approach: to make quality books available to everyone, and publish artists such as Tardi, Hugo Pratt or François Schuiten and Benoit Peeters. Casterman also publishes picture books, children's books with novelties and well-loved characters from Ernest & Celestine to Émilie and Martine.

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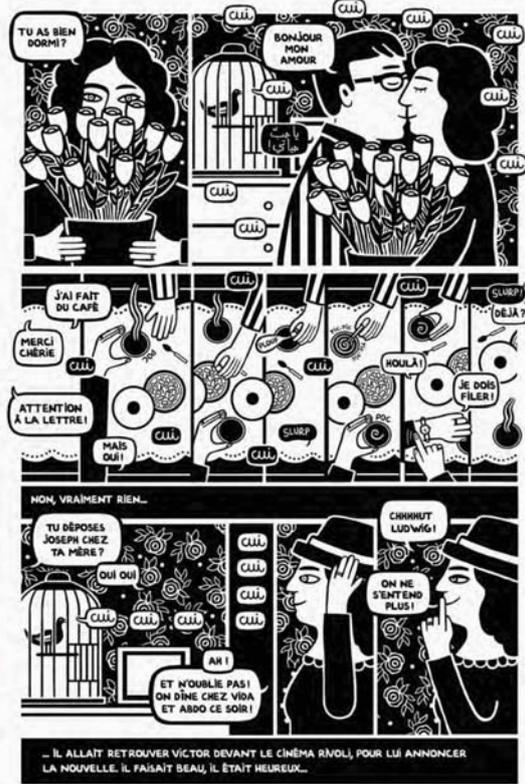
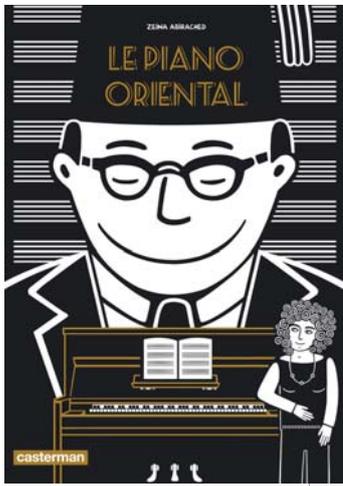


## Corto Maltese, Vol. 13 Under the Midnight Sun

Corto Maltese, vol. 13  
Sous le soleil de minuit  
Rubén Pellejero, Hugo Pratt  
& Juan Díaz Canales,  
Casterman,  
Collection "Corto Maltese",  
2015

A faithful yet modern rerun of a contemporary legend. Pellejero takes over all Hugo Pratt's graphic codes while adding his own personality to the story through the landscapes, secondary characters and colouring. The new scenario imagined by Canales reuses all the familiar features of Pratt's stories (treasure hunt, genuine historical facts, loyalty towards friends, etc.). The powerful dialogues will delight fans and appeal to the uninitiated.

Adventures  
Teenagers, Adults  
88 pages • 22,5 x 30 cm • 16 €  
EAN 9782203092112



## The Oriental Piano

### Le piano oriental

Zeina Abirached,  
Casterman, 2015

In *The Oriental Piano*, Zeina Abirached writes and draws about her grandfather. He worked as a civil servant, or at least he pretended to; because in reality he spent all his working time on inventing a very special piano. She captures Lebanon at peace in the 60's, before the civil war tore the country apart over two decades. A poetic metaphor of the encounter of two cultures.

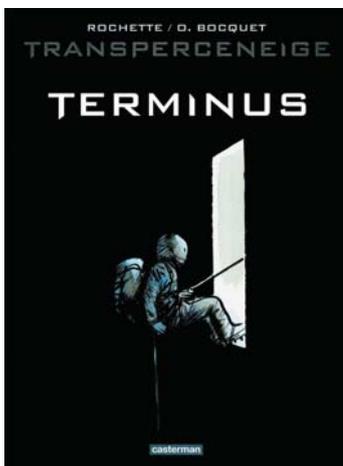
Graphic Novel

Teenagers, Adults

212 pages • 18,5 × 26 cm • 22 €

EAN 9782203092082

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## Snowpiercer, Vol. 4.

### Terminus

Transperceneige, vol. 4.

Terminus

Jean-Marc Rochette  
& Olivier Bocquet,  
Casterman, 2015

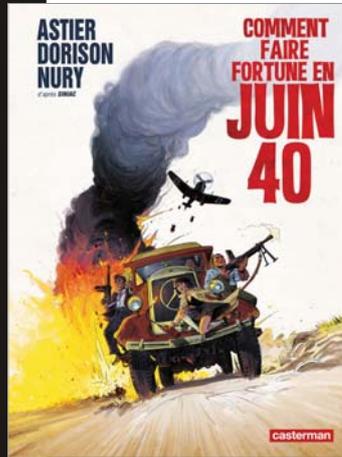
The occupants aboard the *Snowpiercer* believed themselves to be the last humans alive, yet they soon learn that they are not alone. After braving the relentless cold, they come across an underground people with their own social rules and values. They gradually get to know each other and unite, but this will trigger some questions: is humankind to live artificially underground or should they explore new ways of living?

Sci-Fi

Teenagers, Adults

232 pages • 19,4 × 26,6 cm • 25 €

EAN 9782203089419



**How to Make  
a Fortune in June 40**  
Comment faire fortune  
en juin 40

Xavier Dorison,  
Fabien Nury & Laurent Astier,  
Casterman, 2015

The Germans are approaching Paris. As a precaution, the Bank of France has transferred all its gold reserves to protect them from looting. However, they have forgotten two tons of gold. They select a team of three conveyors to transport it further South. In this chaotic context, Franck Popp and Ange Sambionetti have other plans for this gold. Together with their partners in crime, they hold up the Bank of France.

Adventures  
Teenagers, Adults  
120 pages • 21,6 × 28,8 cm • 18,95 €  
EAN 9782203091818



**Lastman, Vol. 7**  
Balak, Bastien Vivès  
& Michaël Sanlaville,  
Casterman, 2015

Lastman is based on video game codes like Streefighter. It deals with topics such as gender relationship and the difficulty of being an adult. Adrian, a young shy teen, is joining a wrestling competition. Unfortunately, his team mate doesn't show up and Adrian comes across a newcomer who agrees to replace him.

Manga-style  
Teenagers, Adults  
216 pages • 15 × 21 cm • 12,50 €  
EAN 9782203090941

# Dargaud Le Lombard

Year of creation: 1936  
Titles in catalogue: 4977  
Titles published annually:  
124 (Dargaud)/103 (Le Lombard)

## Emblematic titles or series

*Lucky Luke*: translated  
into 29 languages

*XIII*: translated into  
20 languages

*Thorgal*: translated into  
19 languages

*Yakari*: translated into  
14 languages

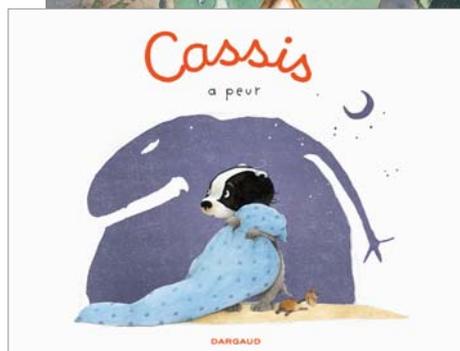
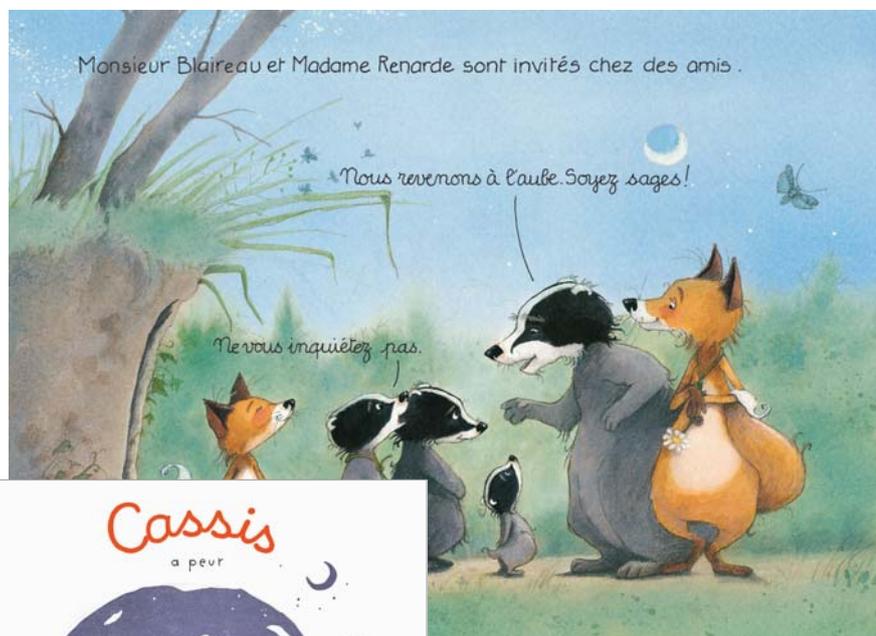
*Blake*: translated into  
11 languages.



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## "Cassis" Series

### Série "Cassis"

Brigitte Luciani & Eve Tharlet,  
Dargaud, 2014

Cassis is a new series of short volumes for young children, starring the youngest of the badger children from "Mr. Badger and Mrs. Fox". Our little badger manages to steal away while her father and Mrs. Fox aren't watching, and ends up wandering away from the burrow... but don't worry, it all ends well! This series can now be enjoyed by younger children with this series for new readers. Adorable illustrations by Eve Tharlet that children will love!

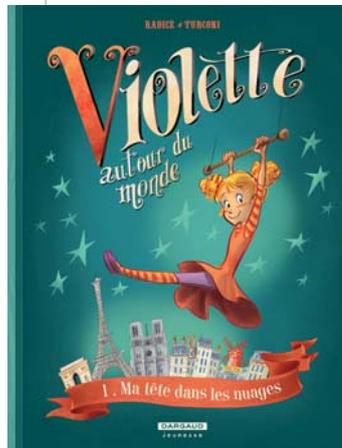
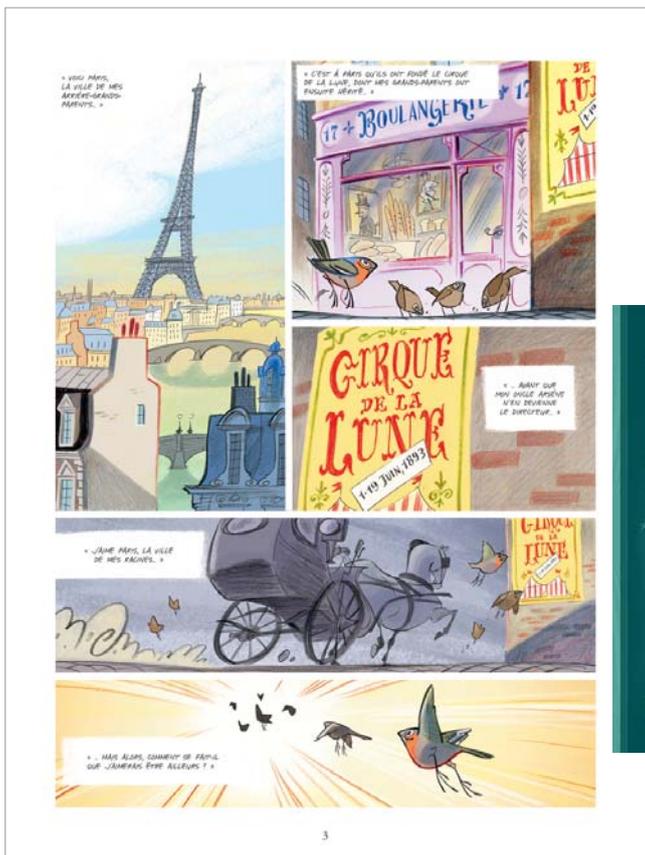
Action, Adventure, Children & Family

Age 3+

28 pages • 24,6 × 18,2 cm • 7,95 €

EANS 9782205072174 (vol. 1) /

9782205072181 (vol. 2)



**“The Viola  
Around the World” Series**  
Série “Violette  
autour du monde”

Stefano Turconi  
& Teresa Radice,  
Dargaud, 2015

A 3-part album recounting the adventures of Viola, an unusual 12-year-old girl, full of surprises. With the wandering “Moon Circus”, Viola travels the world and runs into all sorts of magic and intrigue. Astounded by the beauty of the world, Viola is sensitive to the arts compounding her daily existence. Accompanied by her animal friends, and the circus family, Viola meets some famous characters of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. A coming-of-age story celebrating art and beauty, as well as fantasy and charming humor.

Action, Adventure

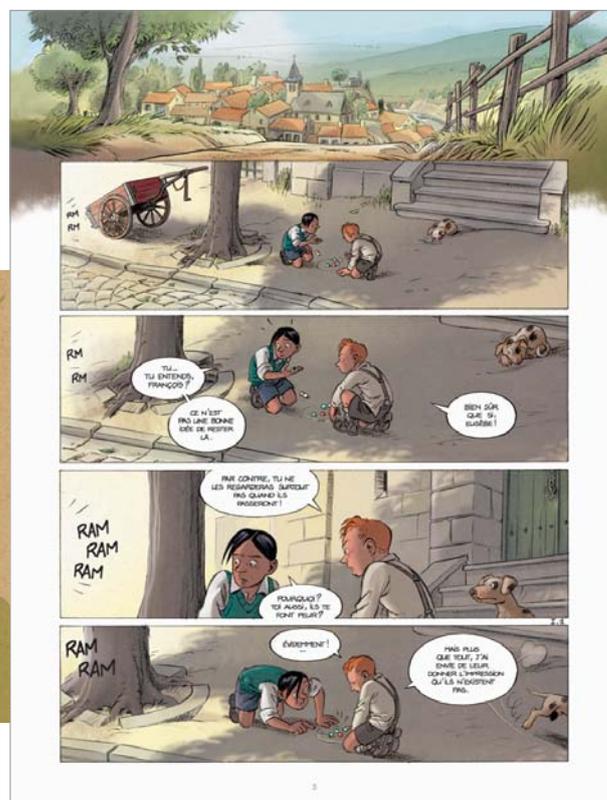
Age 9+

28 pages • 21 × 27,8 cm • 9,99 €

EANS 9782205073744 (vol. 1) /

9782205074437 (vol. 2) /

9782205074444 (vol. 3)



**The Children  
of the Resistance**  
Les enfants de la Résistance

Vincent Dugomier  
& Benoît Ers,  
Le Lombard, 2015

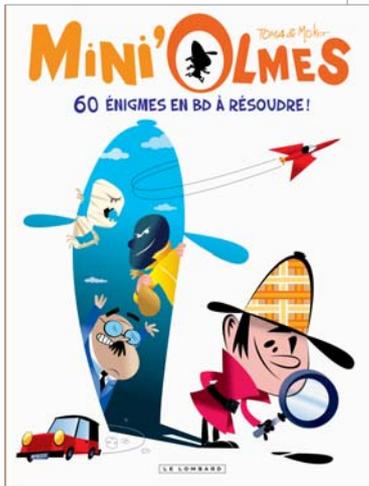
The little village of Pétain l'Écluse in the south of France is about to see its world turned upside down by the arrival of German soldiers at the start of the Second World War. Two of its young inhabitants, François and Eusèbe, watch helplessly as the enemy invades their lands. But they don't intend to take the Occupation lying down. With the help of their new friend Lisa, François and Eusèbe engage in their very own fight for freedom...

Historical Fiction, Children & Family

Age 9+

48 pages • 22,2 × 29,5 cm • 10,60 €

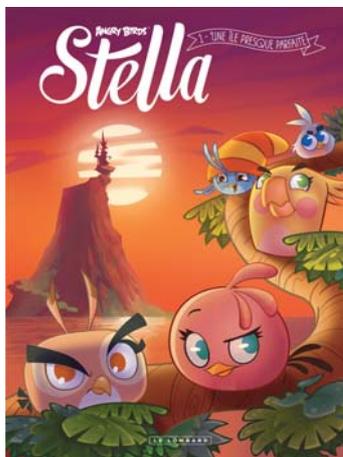
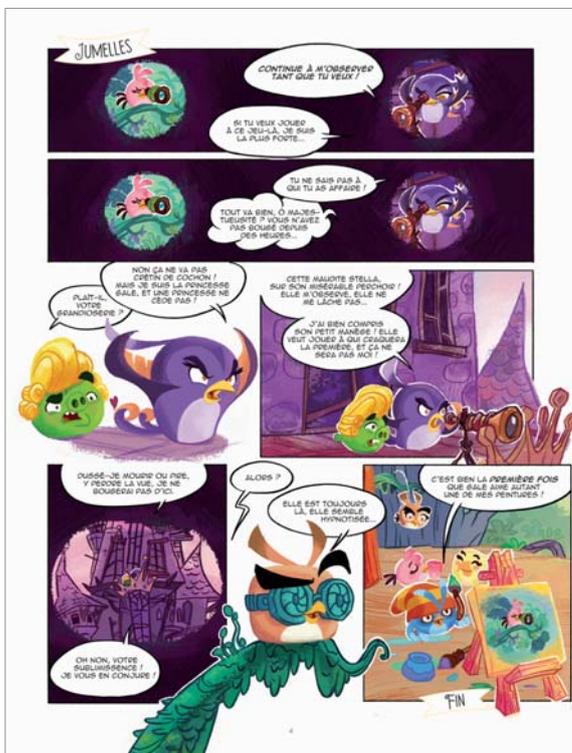
EAN 9782803635580



**60 Puzzles to Solve!**  
**Mini'Olmes :**  
**60 énigmes à résoudre !**  
 Tomas & Moko,  
 Le Lombard, 2014

The smallest of detectives who can solve all the puzzles! Educational puzzles, originally published in the Science and Life Discoveries magazine, intended for an audience aged 8-10.

Activity books, Children & Family  
 Age 8+  
 48 pages • 22,2 x 29,5 cm • 12 €  
 EAN 9782803634767



**Stella**  
 Le Lombard,  
 Collection "Lombard XP",  
 2015

The spirited and gutsy Stella is back, along with her best friends Willow, Dahlia and Poppy, for some new adventures on Golden Island. The only thing that could spoil their fun is Stella's ex-best friend, Gale, who has thought of herself as a mythical princess ever since she found the magic book that holds the location of the legendary Golden Egg. Adventures, fun and squabbles are in store for these girls who are the best of friends... most of the time!

Action, Adventure, Children & Family  
 Age 9+  
 48 pages • 22,2 x 29,5 cm • 9,99 €  
 EAN 9782803635610

## Emblematic titles or series

“Les Légendaires” Series  
(18 volumes published):  
+ 4 million copies sold

“Les Blagues de Toto” Series  
(12 volumes published):  
+ 3,5 million copies sold

“La rose écarlate” Series  
(11 volumes published):  
800 000 copies sold

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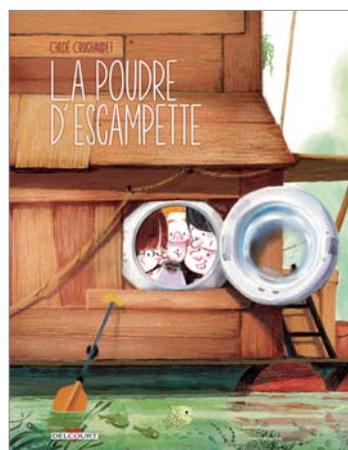
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Ranked as France’s leading independent comic book publisher, Delcourt seeks to embrace the full spectrum of creativity within the genre. Our authors hail from all over the world; our list caters to all ages, covering the entire gamut of styles from the most demanding to the most popular, and all sub-genres, fiction and non-fiction. Among our successes: the “Sillage” and “De Cape et de Crocs” series, authors such as François Bourgeon, Zep, Marc-Antoine Mathieu and Guy Delisle, graphic novels like *Mauvais genre* by Chloé Cruchaudet, *Come Prima* by Alfred, *Ma Révérence* by Lupano and Rodguen and *La Tectonique des plaques* by Margaux Motin.



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## A Raft to Elsewhere La poudre d'escampette

Chloé Cruchaudet,  
Delcourt,  
Collection “Jeunesse”,  
2015

Paul Dubreuil and his parents have just moved to a city which has a river running through it. He goes out to explore for the first time, and his dog Paulette drags him to the edge of the river, where they see a strange raft on top of which a crew of children is preparing to cast off. Their destination: “elsewhere”, that mythic place just beyond the reach of all the parents... So when the kids learn that Paul has just arrived from “elsewhere”, they decide to invite him to join them on the raft, and just like that – he sets off with the extravagant crew of the “Ship”!

Children & Family, First Readers  
Age 6-9  
24 pages • 27,2 × 35,6 cm • 14,50 €  
EAN 9782756075839



## All Super-Heroes

### Tous super-héros

Lilian Thuram,  
Jean-Christophe Camus  
& Benjamin Chaud, Préface  
Lionel Messi. Delcourt,  
Collection "Jeunesse",  
2016

What they like best at school is having fun together in the playground. But when the teacher asks them to play a role in the "Kingdom Game", the pupils give it all they've got! With the six totally arbitrary and blatantly unfair rules of the game, the teacher is aiming to prepare them for life in society. She's hoping they'll refuse injustice and defend equal rights in their own words... Could it be possible to change our attitudes to others by learning the principle of equality at a very young age?

Children & Family, Tolerance

Age 7-12

32 pages • 22,6 × 29,8 cm • 9,95 €

EAN 9782756075693

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## Guide to a Super Me!

### Le guide du Supermoi!

Hélène Bruller  
& Charles Berberian,  
Delcourt,  
Collection "Jeunesse",  
2015

A guide to personal development for children and their parents, by the writer of *Guide du zizi sexuel*, magnificently illustrated by Berberian: be the best you can be! This guide gives children answers to their most important questions in simple, direct terms they can easily understand. It tells them about anger, sadness, judging, feelings of guilt, responsibility, respect, becoming an adult, the conscious and the unconscious, emotions, how others see us, aging, death and the rights of children... an important tool in teaching children about living in our society.

Illustrated Guide

Age 8-14

144 pages • 19,6 × 24,7 cm • 19,99 €

EAN 9782756064659



## Pieter and the Lokken

### Pieter et le Lokken

Olivier Ka & Olivier Suptot,  
Delcourt,  
Collection "Jeunesse",  
2015

An enlightening, wonderful story that tells the adventure of Pieter, son of the hunter of Lokken, who endangers his entire village because of his naivety and disobedience. In Pieter's village, the birds have been gone for a long time because of the Lokken. The larvae of these fantastic beings are charming, and yet it is at this stage of their lives that they must be killed, before they transform themselves into destructive monsters. But Pieter falls under the spell of one of the chimeras, which confers upon him some incredible and very dangerous powers...

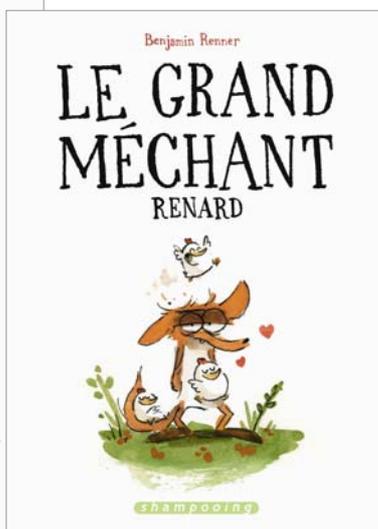
First Readers, Tale

Age 6-9

24 pages • 27,2 × 35,6 cm • 14,50 €

EAN 9782756076355

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## The Big Bad Fox

### Le grand méchant renard

Benjamin Renner,  
Delcourt,  
Collection "Shampooing",  
2015

A poetic and funny story by the filmmaker who made *Ernest et Célestine*. Awarded the 2015 *Journal de Mickey* Readers' Award. An undersized, skinny fox is regularly mocked by his prey because he is too small to devour them. Humiliated, he is looking for a way to become more cruel. He gets the idea of stealing some eggs and raising chickens, then, since the chicks are so small and inoffensive –surely they would be afraid of him and then he would be able to devour them once they were little bigger! So he gets the plan rolling, but at the moment of truth, the reaction of his little captives is not exactly what he was expecting...

Graphic Novel, Humor

Age 7-77

192 pages • 16,5 × 23 cm • 16,95 €

EAN 9782756051246

# Denoël Graphic

Year of creation: 2005  
Titles in catalogue: around 50  
Titles published annually: 2-4

## Emblematic titles or series

*Suite française* by Emmanuel Moynet  
Rights sold: Canada, Spain, Germany, Korea and The Netherlands

*Moi, assassin* by Antonio Altarriba and Kéko. Rights sold: Spain, Germany, Italy, The Netherlands, Croatia and Brazil

*Sukkwan Island*  
by Ugo Bienvenu. Rights sold: Spain and The Netherlands

*L'art de voler* by Antonio Altarriba and Kim. Rights sold: UK, Spain, Korea, Italy, Germany, Turkey, Brazil and Portugal

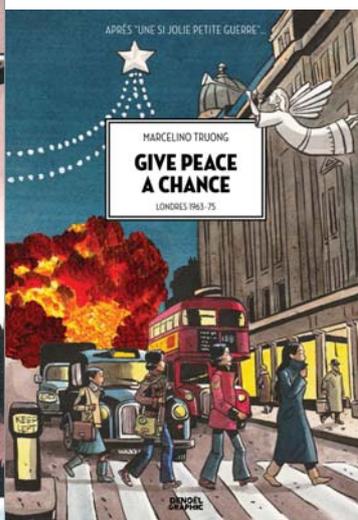
*Une si jolie petite guerre*  
by Marcelino Truong. Rights sold: Brazil, Germany, Spain and Canada



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## Give Peace a Chance

Marcelino Truong,  
Denoël Graphic, 2015

In this sequel to *Une si jolie petite guerre*, the author once again strikes a perfect balance between family chronicle and history in the making, through the voice of the "defeated". Forced to leave Vietnam for London 1963, Marco and his siblings grow up in a world full of contradictions, torn between peace-loving hedonism, London in the swinging sixties, and a strong attachment to a wounded Vietnam, whose conflict is over-simplified in the media. This is first and foremost a wonderful *Bildungsroman*.

Autobiographical Graphic Novel  
Adults

272 pages • 17 × 23 cm • 24,90 €  
EAN 9782207117941

## The Broken Wing

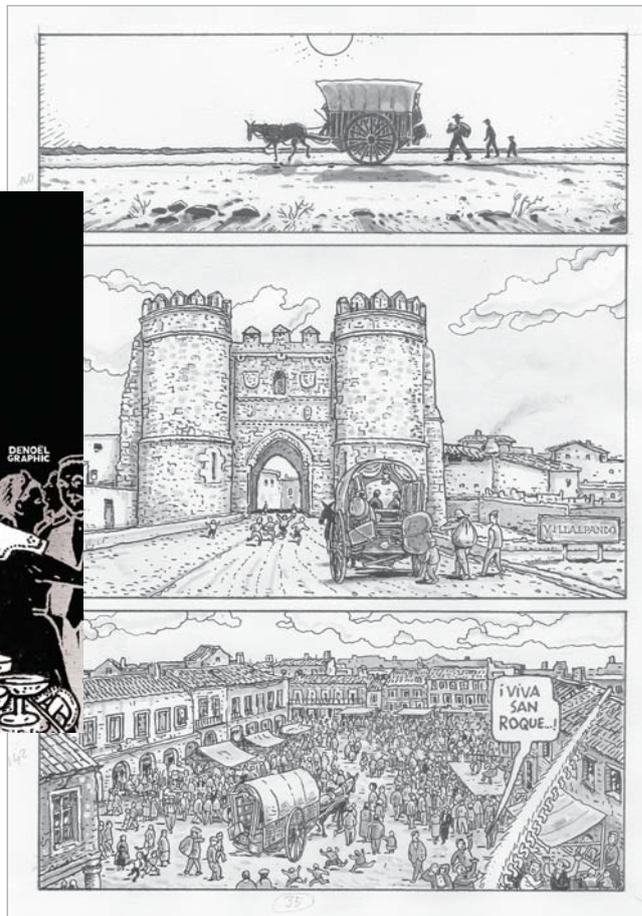
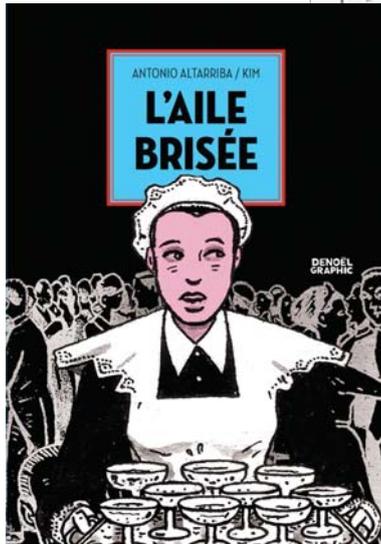
### L'aile brisée

Antonio Altarriba,  
Denoël Graphic, 2016

After *L'Art de voler*, the heartrending biography of his father, Altarriba turns to the status of women in 20<sup>th</sup> century Spain, through the story of his mother, Petra, who killed her own mother at birth and saw her whole life impaired by this tragedy. Abused and brutalized, Petra hides a deep-rooted disgust of men under a congenial appearance. On her deathbed, Altarriba will discover the impossible secret of his mother's "broken wing", painfully echoing his father's unfulfilled desire to fly.

Autobiographical Graphic Novel  
Adults

240 pages • 16 × 23 cm • 23,50 €  
EAN 9782207123645



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## I, Murderer

### Moi, assassin

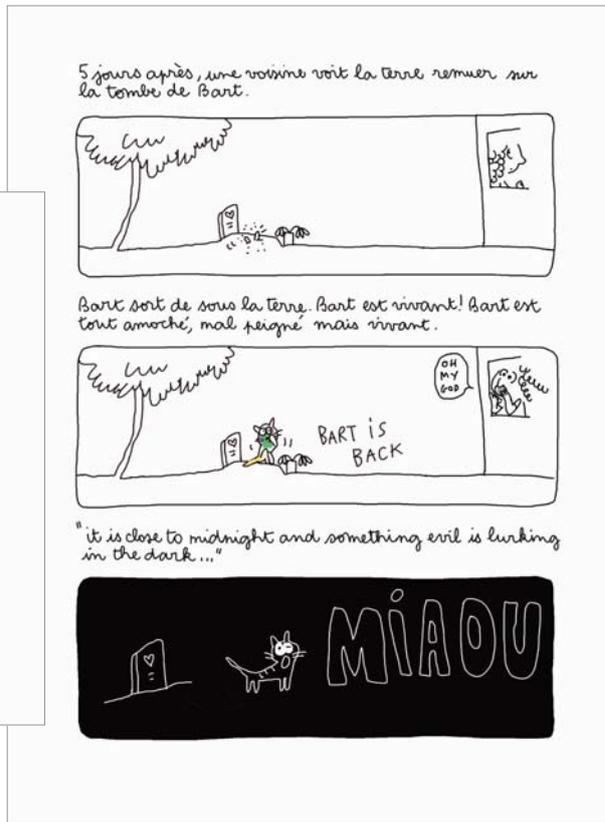
Antonio Altarriba,  
Denoël Graphic, 2014

An unsettling journey into the heart of human perversion, combining acumen, an icy sense of humour and a ruthless satire of academics. Patricia Highsmith meets David Lodge in this dark comedy. The serial killer, Enrique, is an Art History teacher with a secret passion: assassination as an art form. He is totally above suspicion until, suddenly, he finds himself involved in the murder of one of his main rivals. A crime he has nothing to do with. How is he going to hide his 34 past murders?

Dark Comedy, Thriller  
Adults

136 pages • 21 × 27 cm • 19,90 €  
EAN 9782207116883





## Bart is Back

Soledad Bravi,  
Denoël Graphic, 2016

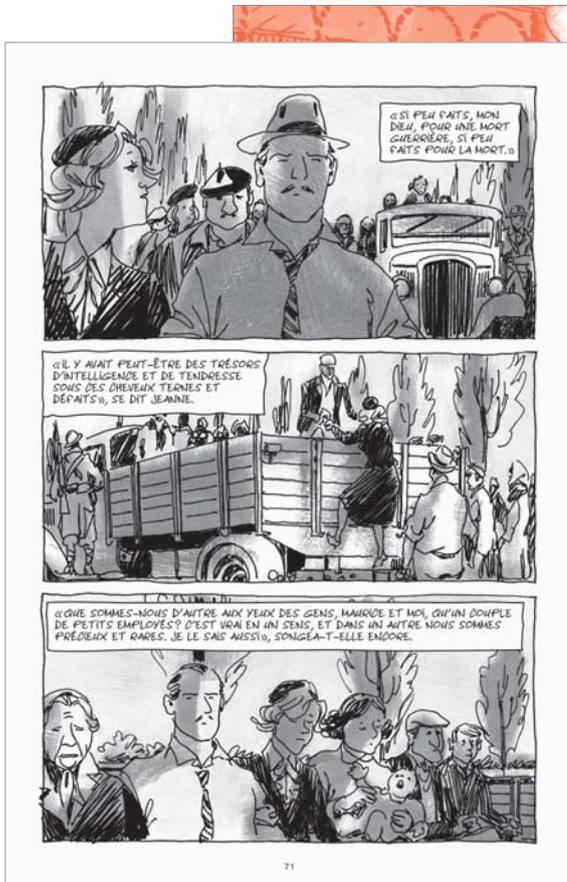
With *Bart is Back*, Soledad Bravi brings a new edge to her charming work. The epic of the nine lives of Bart, the not-so-cute and indestructible zombie cat, was inspired by a real event in Florida 2015, where a cat, buried for days, suddenly got out of his grave. Bravi imagines his fate as a constant longing for freedom perpetually contradicted by the realities of the world. It is violent and lucid, and closes with a sort of happy end. A deliciously satirical tale combining quick wit and depth.

Humor

Adults, YA

128 pages • 16 × 22 cm • 20 €

EAN 9782207131978



## Suite française.

### Tempête en juin

Emmanuel Moynot,  
Denoël Graphic, 2015

With Emmanuel Moynot, renowned for his acerbic wit, this epic novel about the Great Debacle and the massive exodus of June 1940 takes on a new visual dimension. Like in a film by Jean Renoir or Robert Altman, characters, paths and destinies interlace in a world of sheer terror. The unforgettable characters imagined by Irène Némirovsky finally take a human shape: Corbin the banker, the Michaud couple, the Pérican tribe, and all the others – the losers, villains and heroes of the French Defeat.

Graphic Novel

Adults

216 pages • 16 × 23 cm • 23,50 €

EAN 9782207118177

## Emblematic titles or series

*Spirou*: translated into 20 languages

*Largo Winch*: translated into 17 languages

*Gaston*: translated into 15 languages

*Marsupilami*: translated into 11 languages

*Cédric*: translated into 10 languages



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## Hairball, Vol. 18

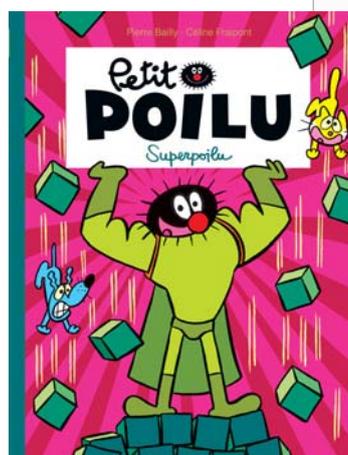
### Petit Poilu, vol. 18

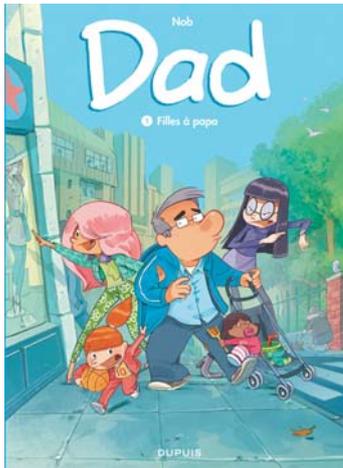
Céline Fraipont & Pierre Bailly, Dupuis, Collection "Puceron", 2015

Petit Poilu is an adorable little hairy creature whose life is filled with adventures. Every day is a new occasion to discover extraordinary universes. In this volume, Petit Poilu plunges into the world of an incredible, strong and brawny hero, Superarnak. In this new environment, he will learn that things are not always as they seem and that the hero might not be who he claims to be.

Action, Adventure, Children & Family  
Age 2+

32 pages • 20 × 26,5 cm • 9,50 €  
EAN 9782800163697





## Dad, Vol. 1

Nob,  
Dupuis, 2015

Dad tells the story of a single unemployed house father who realizes that he can take care of his four daughters –the highbrow Pandora, the fiery Ondine, the mischievous Roxane and Bébérénice, the youngest– while still enjoying his own youth. This story shows the daily life, which is not always easy, of a modern family with a touch of irony. The series is perfect for family reading as everyone can easily identify with the characters.

Humor, Children & Family

Age 9+

48 pages • 21,8 × 30 cm • 9,90 €

EAN 9782800163451

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## In Search of the Blue Carrot

À la recherche  
de la carotte bleue

Sébastien Telleschi,  
Dupuis,  
Collection “Little Urban”,  
2015

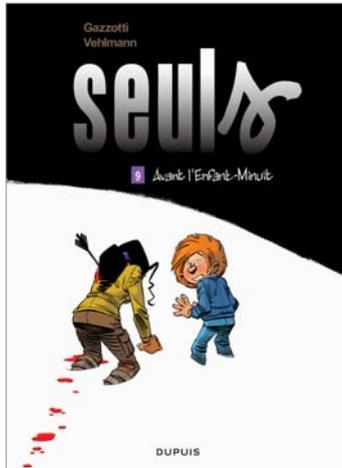
In a burrow where rabbits and mice live together, an obsession has taken over the inhabitants: to find the Blue Carrot! The Blue Carrot is a precious, legendary and unique Carrot that everyone wants to find even if no one seems to remember where it has been hidden. As the story unfolds, young and older readers can plunge into the quest and look for the missing Carrot.

Illustrated Activity Book

Age 6+

28 pages • 33,6 × 43,4 cm • 18,50 €

EAN 9782374080017



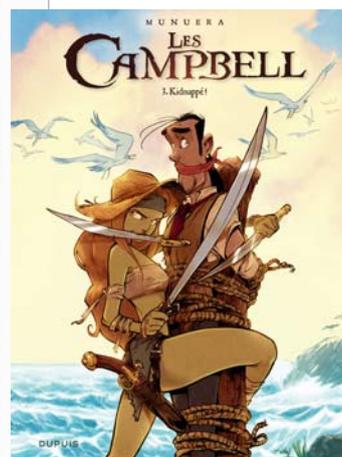
**Alone, Vol. 9**

**Seuls, vol. 9**

Fabien Vehlmann,  
Bruno Gazzotti,  
Dupuis, 2015

There are five of them... but they are alone! Five children wake up one morning to find that all the city's inhabitants have mysteriously disappeared. They find themselves left to their own devices in a big empty city and are going to have to learn how to manage... ALONE! This time, four of them will be stuck in a winter cottage because of the snow, and tensions among them begin to appear. Besides, Dodji fears he may be the "Midnight-Child", the child Chosen by Evil, and decides to investigate, alone. How will the children deal with the separation and the coming danger?

Action, Adventure, Children & Family  
Age 9+  
48 pages • 21,8 x 30 cm • 10,60 €  
EAN 9782800160948



**The Campbells, Vol. 3**

**Les Campbells, vol. 3**

José Luis Munuera,  
Dupuis, 2015

The Campbells: the family whose lifestyle is piracy. After the murder of his wife, Campbell had to stop his activities to care for and bring up his two daughters, Icata and Geneva. In this volume, Campbell has to deal with the ghosts of his past. He is kidnapped and held captive by Turco, an old acquaintance, but his daughters do everything they can to find him. A real cocktail of humour, piracy and adventure.

Action, Adventure, Children & Family  
Age 9+  
56 pages • 24 x 32 cm • 13,95 €  
EAN 9782800163543

# Futuropolis

Year of creation: 2005  
Titles in catalogue: 300  
Titles published annually: 30

## Emblematic titles or series

“The Louvre” Series  
(Bilal, Taniguchi, de Crécy...)

The Initiates (*Les Ignorants*),  
by Etienne Davodeau

The Best of Enemies  
(*Les Meilleurs ennemis*),  
by Jean-pierre Filiu & David B

Mattéo, by Gibrat

West Coast Blues  
(*le Petit bleu de la Côte Ouest*),  
by Manchette & Tardi

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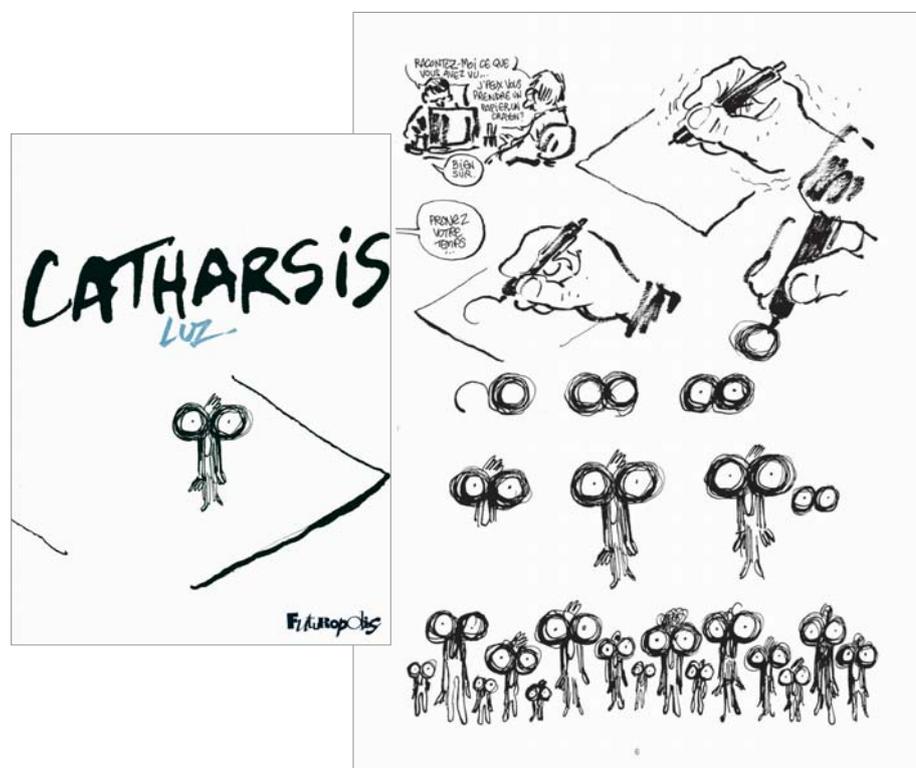
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## Catharsis

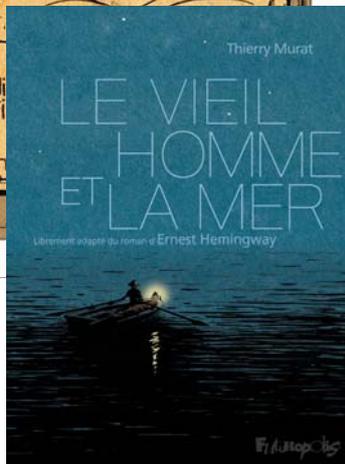
Luz,  
Futuropolis, 2015

On January 7, 2015, Luz lost not only friends in the attack on *Charlie Hebdo*, but also his desire to draw. At first there was tragedy, pain, rage, grief. And then, little by little, Luz’s need to draw returned –not the desire to bear witness, but to bare himself, free himself. From this came *Catharsis*, a book from the therapeutic process where, in brief vignettes, Luz shares what his life has been like since the day it was turned upside down. An instant classic.

Graphic Novel  
For Grown-Ups  
128 pages • 19,5 × 26,5 cm • 14,50 €  
EAN 9782754812757



Ici, lorsque que vous êtes fini, plus bon à rien, on dit que vous êtes « calao ».  
C'est qui est la pire des insultes pour dire que la chance vous a abandonné.



Mais ici, on dit aussi que c'est au moment où la nuit est la plus noire  
que va se lever le jour...



## The Old Man and the Sea

### Le vieil homme et la mer

Thierry Murat, based on Ernest Hemingway's story, Futuropolis, 2014

Published in 1952, *The Old Man and the Sea* won the prestigious Pulitzer Prize, and paved the way for Hemingway's Nobel win for his body of work a year later. Thierry Murat has elegantly adapted this masterpiece with images that transcend the writer's words while respecting his style and rhythm.

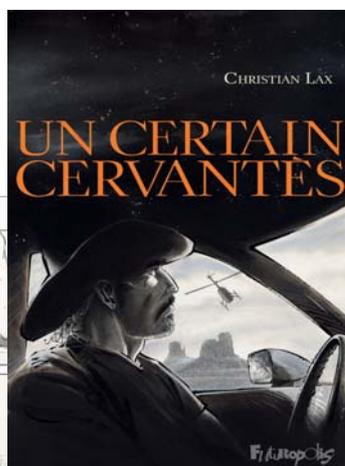
Graphic Novel

For Teens & Grown-Ups

128 pages • 19,5 × 26,5 cm • 19 €

EAN 9782754809481

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## A Certain Cervantes

### Un certain Cervantès

Christian Lax,  
Futuropolis, 2015

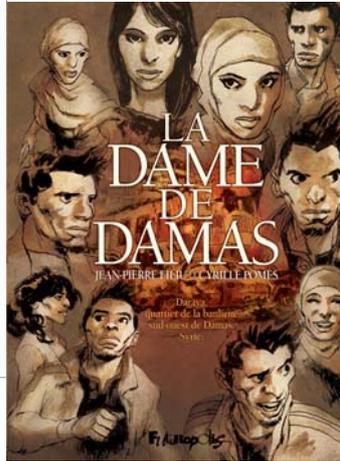
Back from Afghanistan, where he left an arm, Mike Cervantes discovers *Don Quixote*, the novel by his famous namesake, and it proves a revelation! The book by Miguel de Cervantès inspires Mike to become a new Don Quixote, taking up arms against all modern day inquisitions—economic, political, intellectual, and religious—while fighting injustice in all its forms... Joyous and despairing, tender and violent, tragic and funny, *A Certain Cervantes* is an ambitious graphic adventure of unusual evocative force.

Graphic Novel

For Grown-Ups

208 pages • 19,5 × 26,5 cm • 26 €

EAN 9782754809818



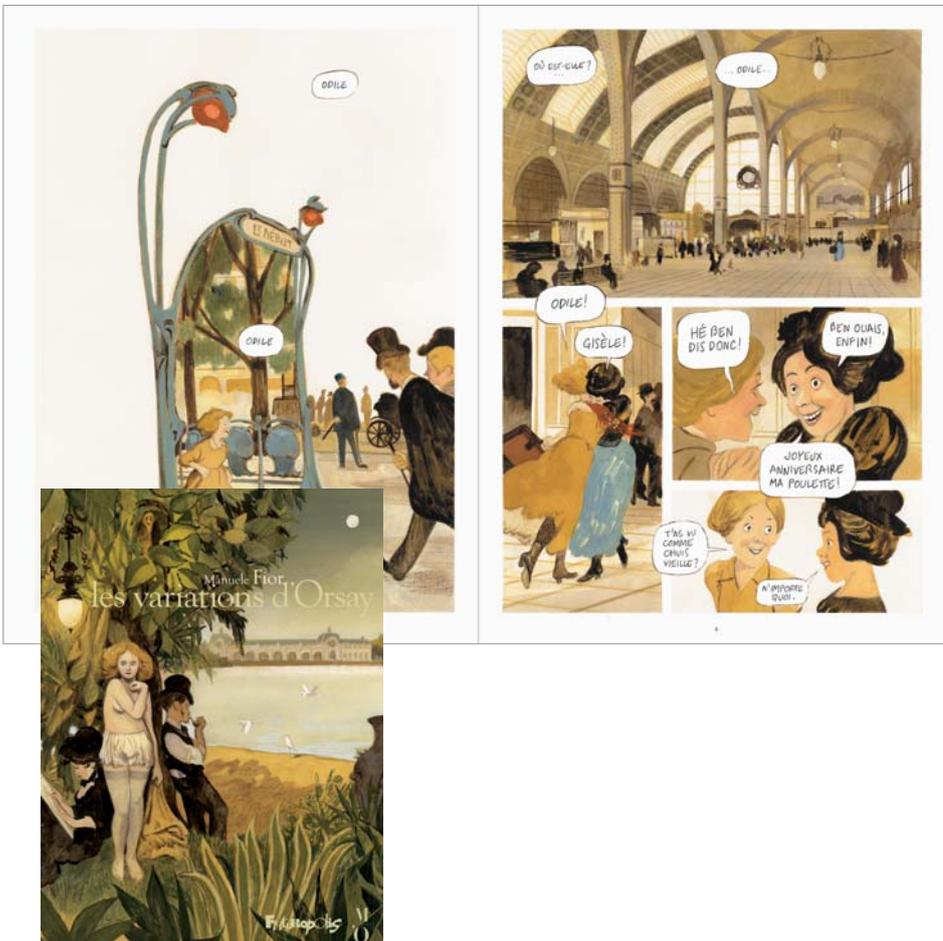
## The Lady of Damascus

### La dame de Damas

Jean-Pierre Filiu  
& Cyrille Pomès,  
Futuropolis, 2015

Filiu and Pomès bring to life a 21<sup>st</sup> century “Romeo and Juliet” in this story of ordinary men and women locked in a daily struggle with atrocities. Their tale blends fictional characters with figures of the revolution, taking us deep into the everyday lives of Syrians caught up in the cyclone of civil war, trying to live and love despite the leaden burden of the regime –and despite of the “white death”, the day Bashar’s armies bomb several Damascus neighborhoods with chemical weapons...

Graphic Novel  
For Grown-Ups  
104 pages • 21,5 × 29 cm • 18 €  
EAN 9782754811118



## The Orsay Variations

### Les variations d'Orsay

Manuele Fior,  
Futuropolis, 2015

In his wanderings through the Musée d'Orsay, Fior lingers over certain works of art, giving life to the characters that inhabit them, or relating authentic scenes from the lives of the artists who made them. He follows the traces of young Edgar Degas to his first meeting with Ingres, or Monet imagining that he will paint the Gare St Lazare. While reproducing the paintings as faithfully as possible and respecting the artists' individual styles, Fior opens eras and conventions, bringing both Impressionist masterpieces and neglected works back to life...

Graphic Novel  
For Grown-Ups  
72 pages • 21,5 × 29 cm • 16 €  
EAN 9782754814096

# Gallimard Bande dessinée

Year of creation: 2005  
Titles in catalogue: 110  
Titles published annually: 20

## Emblematic titles or series

*Aya of Yop City*, Marguerite Aboutet, Clément Oubrerie

*Ma maman*,  
Jean Regnaud, Émile Bravo

*Aâma*, Frederick Peeters

*The Little Prince*, Johann Sfar,  
based upon Antoine de St-Exupéry

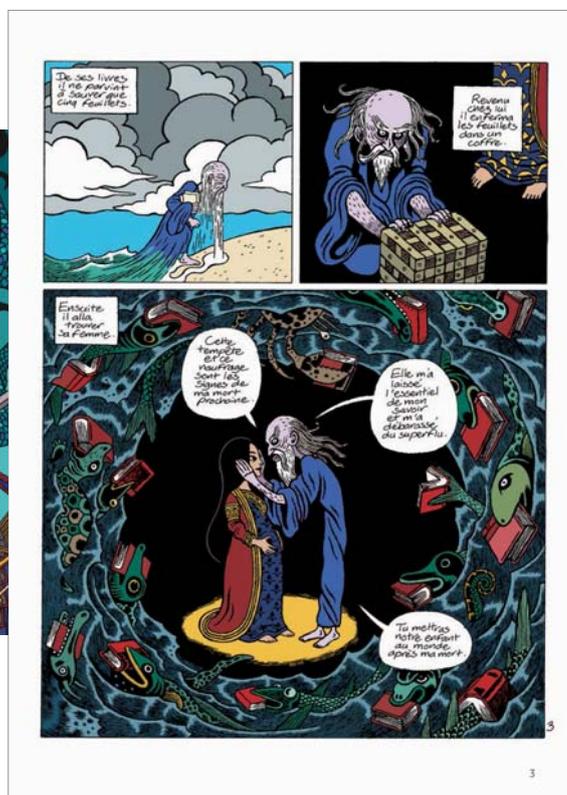
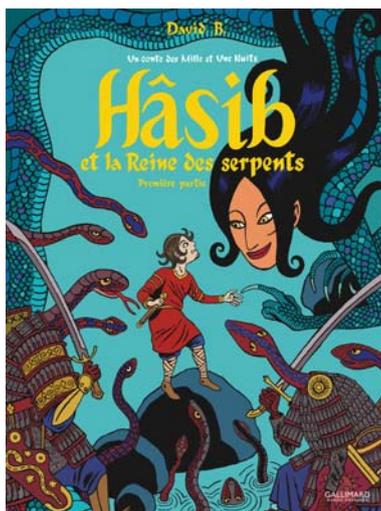
*The Stranger*, Jacques Ferrandez,  
based upon Albert Camus

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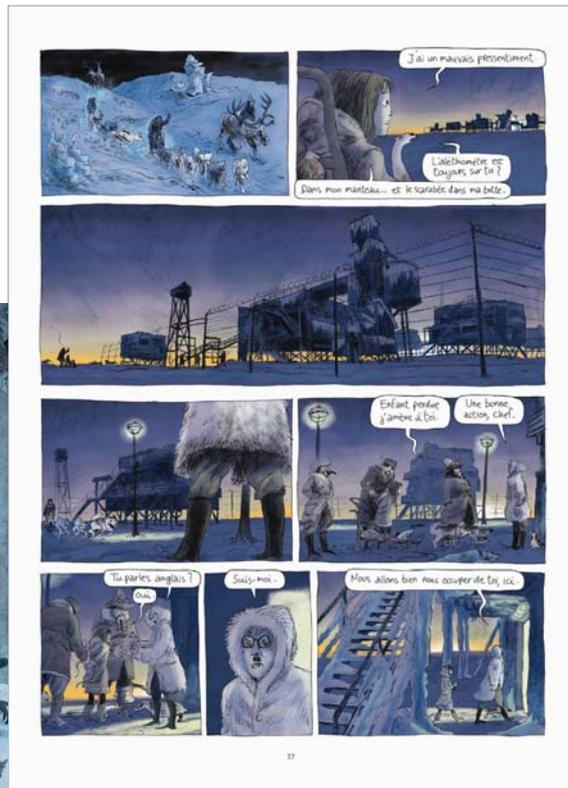
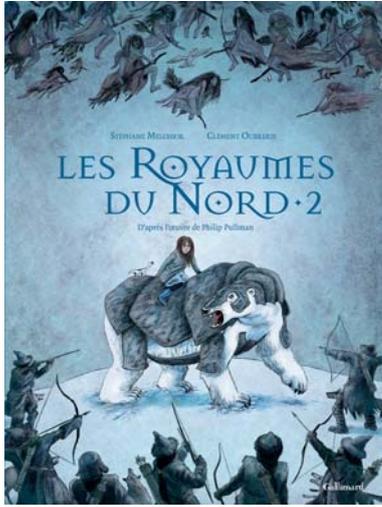
## Hasib and the Queen of the Serpents, Vol. 1

Hasib et la reine des serpents, vol. 1

David B.,  
Gallimard Bande dessinée,  
Collection “Fétiche”, 2015

A sublime adaptation of a vast epic tale. Hasib is a young woodcutter destined for great things. When his comrades, out of greed, abandon him in the middle of the woods, he meets the Queen of the Serpents. She tells him her story, a fabulous adventure full of gods and demons, princes and prophets... Intrigues intertwine in this enchanting interpretation of the classic Tale of Hasib Karîm al-Dîn, through which David B. opens a door to the wonders of the *Thousand and One Nights*.

Graphic Novel, Literary Adaptation  
Age 15 +  
64 pages • 23 × 31 cm • 19 €  
EAN 9782070631254



## Northern Lights, Vol. 2

### Les royaumes du Nord, vol. 2

Stéphane Melchior Durand & Clément Oubrerie, based on Philip Pullman's novels, Gallimard Bande dessinée, Collection "Fétiche", 2015

The masterpiece of British fantasy now in comic form! Philip Pullman's *His Dark Materials* trilogy is a worldwide bestseller, a literary masterpiece in the great tradition of J.R.R. Tolkien, C.S. Lewis and Lewis Carroll. In Pullman's own words: "I knew that the artwork would be great because I so admire Oubrerie's *Aya* comics! But it's not only the artwork, it's Melchior's story –so well adapted, so fully understood, so brilliantly laid out on the page."

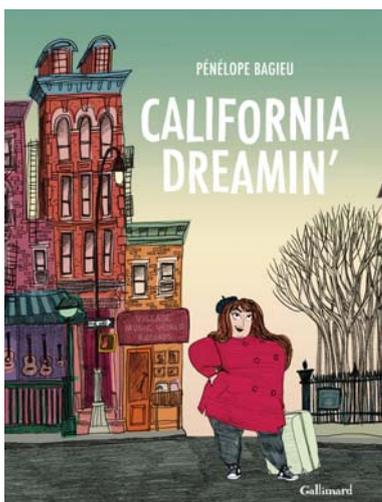
Fantasy, Adventure

Age 10+

80 pages • 23 × 31 cm • 17,80 €

EAN 9782070655748

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## California Dreamin'

Pénélope Bagieu, Gallimard Bande dessinée, 2015

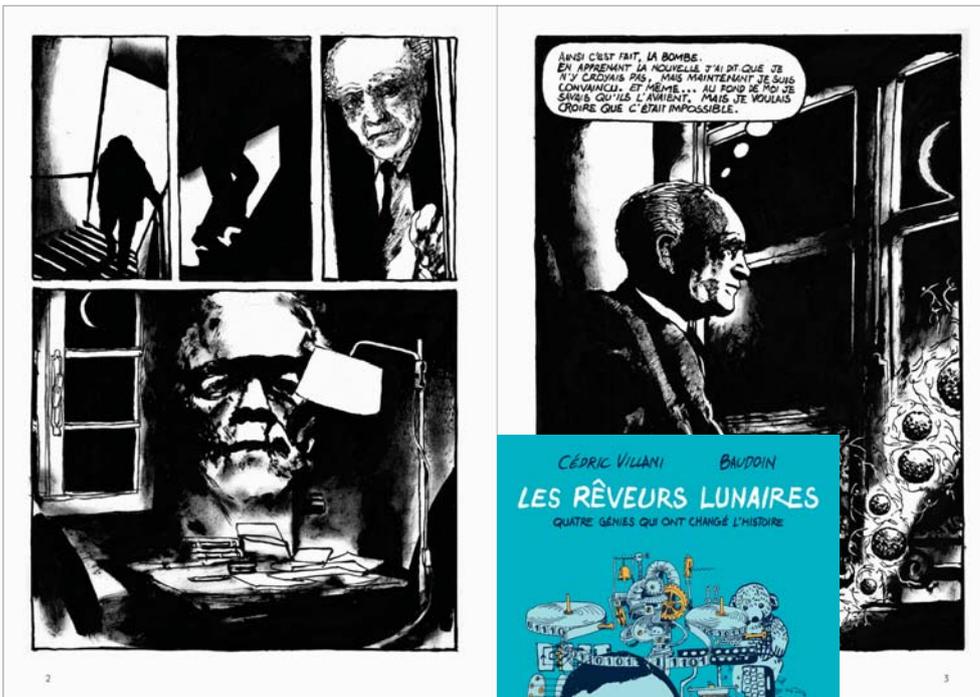
A vibrant and authentic plunge into the 1960s folk music scene. Each and every one of us has swayed in time to the chorus of "California Dreamin'", the worldwide American hit from 1965. Less well-known is the story of the group who sang it, The Mamas & The Papas. And hardly known at all is the story of one of its most charismatic members: Cass Elliot, born Ellen Cohen, a singer of unusual register and physique, who died in 1974 at the age of 32.

Graphic Novel, Biopic

Age 15+

276 pages • 19 × 26 cm • 24 €

EAN 9782070657582



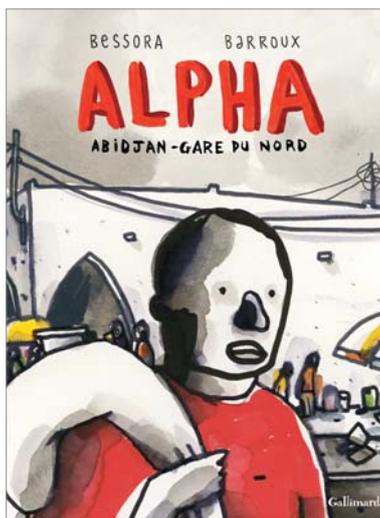
## The Lunar Dreamers

### Les rêveurs lunaires

Cédric Villani  
& Edmond Baudoin,  
Gallimard Bande dessinée,  
2015

The poetic force of Baudoin meets the mind of mathematician Villani, winner of the 2010 Fields Medal. Werner Heisenberg, Alan Turing, Leó Szilárd, and Hugh Dowding were key actors in an adventure that went far beyond them: the Second World War. Whether physicist, mathematician, or military officer, each man put his genius at the service of a bomb, a battle of the skies, cracking a secret code. How did they see themselves in the twilight of their lives? Were they proud, ashamed, bitter, or distraught?

Essay-Graphic Novel, Biopic  
Age 15 +  
192 pages • 19 × 26 cm • 22 €  
EAN 9782070665938



## Alpha

Bessora & Barroux,  
Gallimard Bande dessinée,  
2014

A tale of the suffering and disillusion of would-be immigrants, full of emotion and authenticity, never stooping to sordid sensationalism. Alpha has lived on his own in Abidjan ever since his wife and son left without a visa for the Paris. With rage in his heart, he decides to leave everything behind to try and find them again. His journey takes him down endless dusty roads, through unforgettable encounters, from dishonest human traffickers in the desert to refugee camps, in overcrowded dinghies...

Graphic Novel  
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Titles in catalogue: 500  
Titles published annually: 40

## Emblematic titles or series

*Incal*: translated into 23 languages, 1 million copies sold

*Metabarons*: translated into 21 languages, 1 million copies sold

*Bouncer*: translated into 14 languages, 350 000 copies sold

*Sanctuaire*: translated into 9 languages, 150 000 copies sold

*Je suis légion*: translated into 10 languages, 150 000 copies sold

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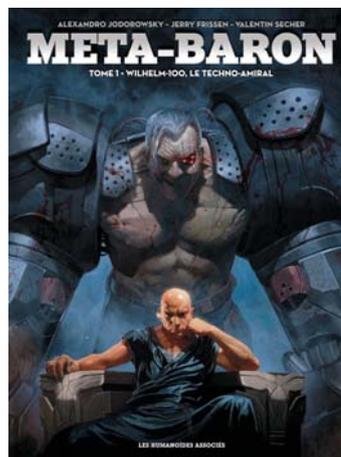
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## Metabaron – Wilhelm 100

Jerry Frissen,  
Alexandro Jodorowsky  
& Valentin Sécher,  
Les Humanoïdes Associés,  
2015

Since Metabaron destroyed the Empire, the infamous Technos-Technos has taken advantage of the chaos. After controlling Epiphyte, the fuel of interstellar travel, they have confirmed their domination over the galaxy. When they learn that Metabaron is heading to Marmola, the unique source of Epiphyte, they appeal to Wilhelm-100, the Techno-Admiral who is famous for his invincibility and cruelty. Can he stop the strongest warrior in the universe? A titanic struggle begins...

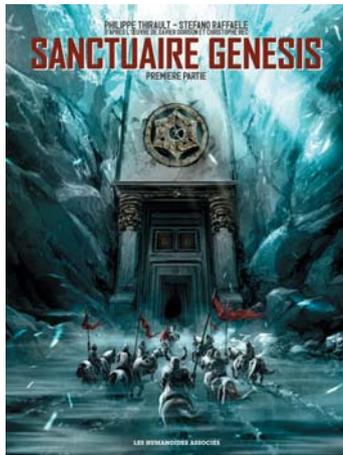


Science-Fiction

YA, Adults

56 pages • 24 × 32 cm • 14,20 €

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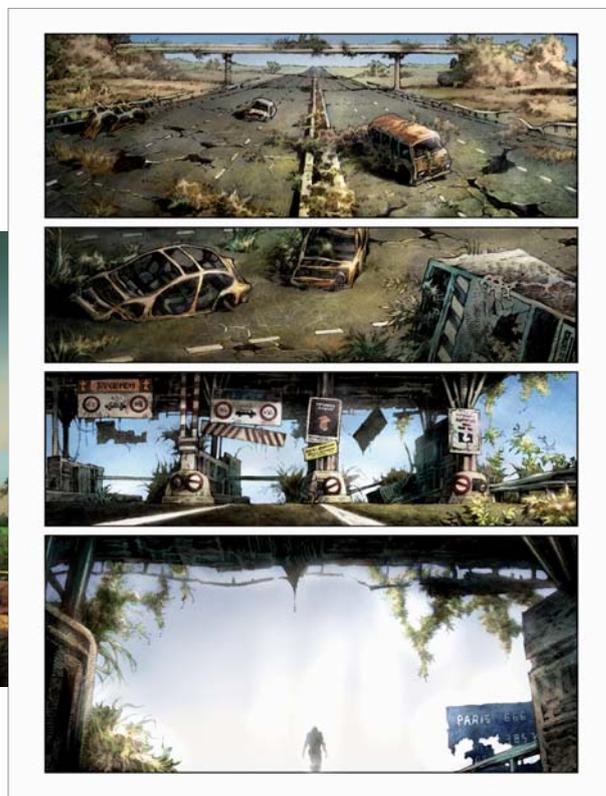
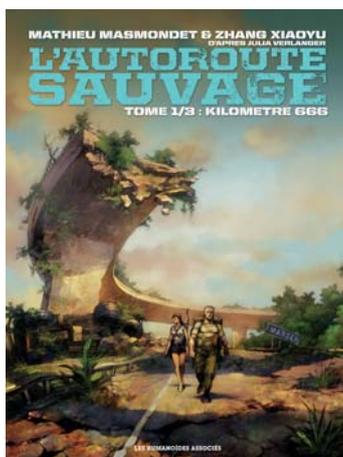
## Genesis Sanctuary, Vol. 1 Sanctuaire Genesis, vol. 1

Christophe Bec,  
Philippe Thirault &  
Stefano Raffaele,  
Les Humanoïdes Associés,  
2015

In 1934, a farmer discovered what appeared to be the entrance to a huge underground temple in the Syrian Desert of Ras Shamra. Archaeological excavations were taking place under the direction of Professor Delorme, specialist of Ugaritic culture. However, this project aroused interest and a Nazi detachment took possession of it. They used researchers to wake Moth, the evil deity they intended to use as the ultimate weapon.

Fantasy, Supernatural  
YA, Adults

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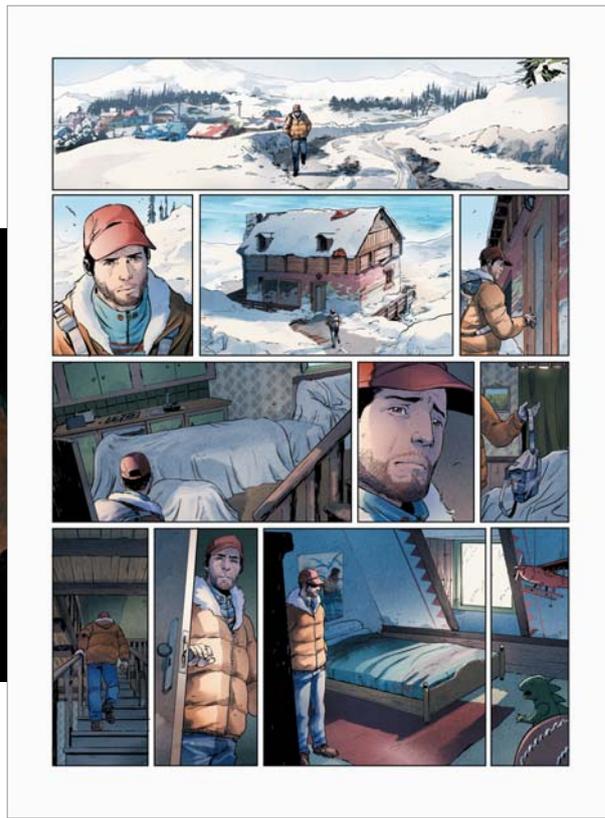
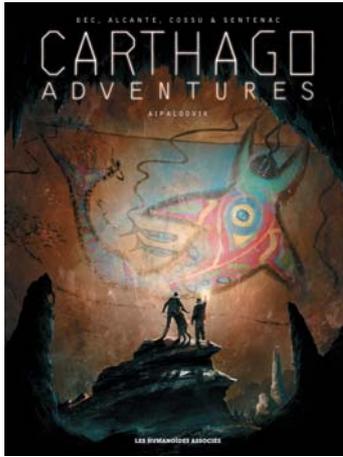
## Wild Highway, Vol. 1 L'autoroute sauvage, vol. 1

Mathieu Masmondet  
& Zhang Xiaoyu,  
Les Humanoïdes Associés, 2015

To survive the dangers of a ravaged world, Mo has chosen to travel. Alone. His path crosses that of Helen, a young woman determined to brave Paris's many dangers... Today's world is no longer. Men and women have been forced to evolve in a savage, unforgiving environment. In order to survive, some have become cannibals. Others have banded. Others have chosen a solitary route; they are known as loners. Mo is one of them; an imposing, taciturn figure who wanders France's desolate highways with the changing seasons. When he saves a young woman, Helen, from a band of vicious cannibals, he doesn't realize the turn his destiny has taken.

Science-Fiction  
YA, Adults

56 pages • 24 × 32 cm • 14,20 €  
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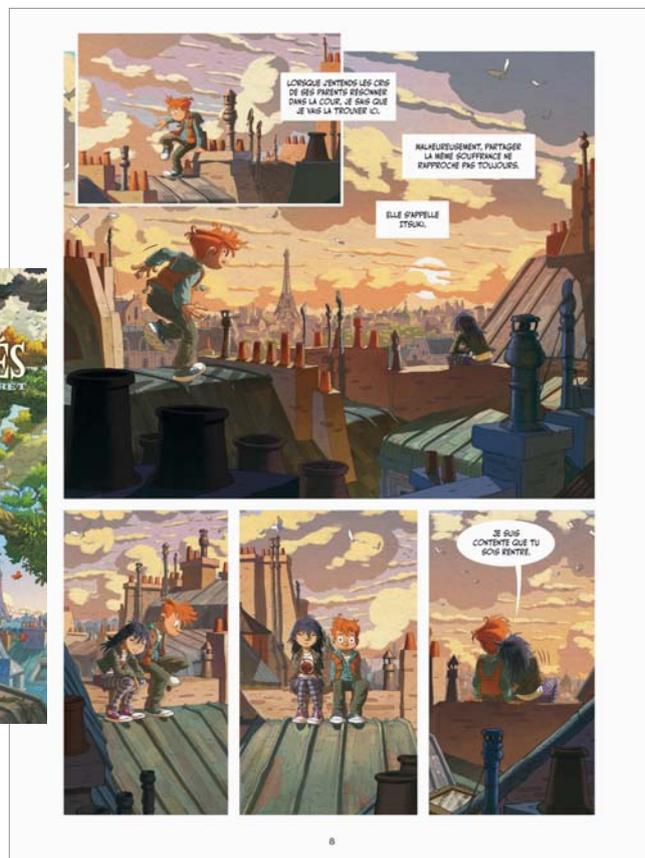
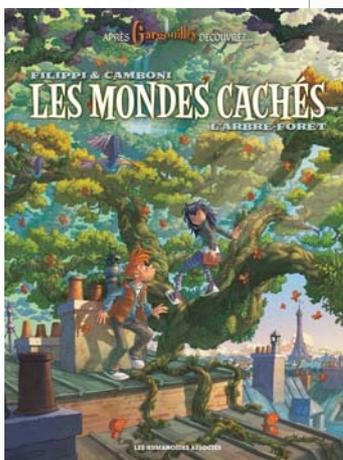


### Carthago Adventures, Vol. 3

Christophe Bec, Alcante,  
Brice Cossu & Alexis Sentenac,  
Les Humanoïdes Associés,  
2015

A series of independent one-shot stories each drawn by a different artist and featuring the characters of the hit series Carthago. Follow the Centenarian of the Carpathians and his team as they investigate the existence of the legendary Bigfoot, or dive alongside the intrepid London Donovan into the always mysterious ocean depths. Whether driven by a taste for adventure, a passion for scientific curiosity, or simply by pure obsession, join our unrelenting heroes as they chase and encounter creatures that are as mythical as they are deadly.

Adventure, Action  
YA, Adults  
68 pages • 24 × 32 • 14,20 €  
EAN 9782731652031



### Hidden Worlds

#### Les mondes cachés

Denis-Pierre Filippi,  
Silvio Camboni & Gaspard Yvan,  
Les Humanoïdes Associés,  
2015

Realizing that magic can't solve everything, Gregory decides not to make use of his magic powers. Instead of wizards and dragons, he is now facing everyday Parisian life. But when his friend Itsuki disappears in the mysterious forest, he doesn't think twice: he rushes to find her. After a breathless race against time, he finds himself in the depths of a wild and wonderful world, full of surprises; but also dangers...

Fantasy, Adventure  
Children  
56 pages • 24 × 32 cm • 13,95 €  
EAN 9782731695328

Year of creation: 1988  
Titles in catalogue: 800  
Titles published annually: 40



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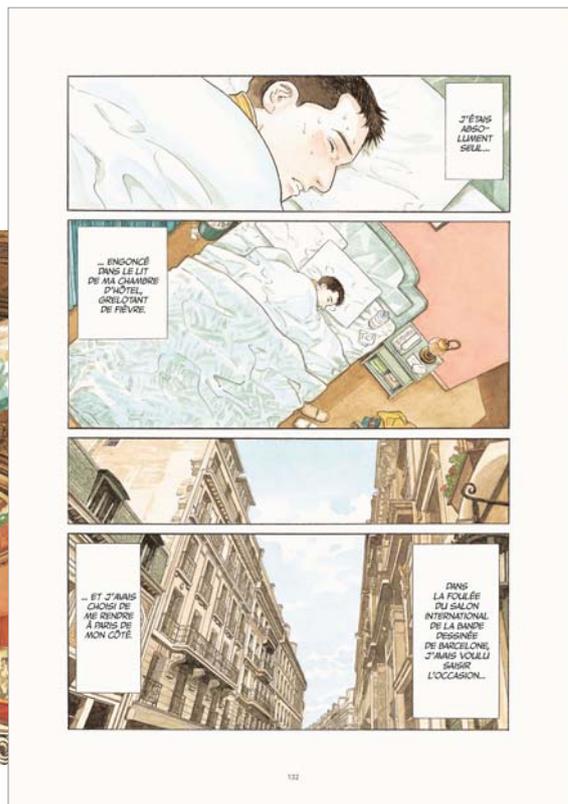
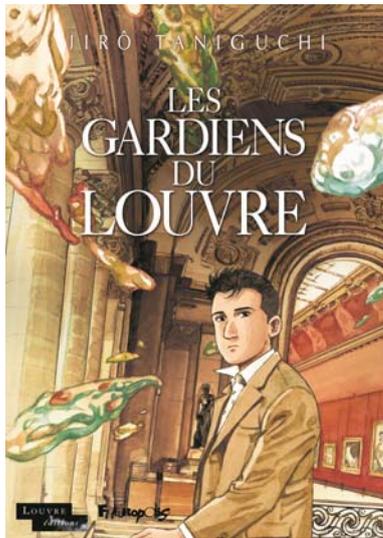
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**Louvre Island**  
**L’île Louvre**  
Florent Chavouet,  
Louvre Éditions / Futuropolis,  
2015

Florent Chavouet’s coloured pencils have transformed the Louvre into an island. With a pass obtained from the museum administration, he journeyed to this insular territory to meet its inhabitants, visitors and discover its landscapes. With his traveller’s notebook in hand, the author takes pleasure in describing this island-museum and its traditions. As he wanders through its rooms, he immerses us in the daily life of the Louvre, describing the most visited and least known places with a love for detail worthy of the great illuminated manuscripts!

112 pages • 20 × 30 cm • 20 €  
EAN 9782754810104



**The Guardians of the Louvre**  
**Les gardiens du Louvre**  
 Jirô Taniguchi,  
 Louvre éditions / Futuropolis,  
 2014

After visiting Europe in a group, a Japanese artist decides to make the journey solo to visit the museums. However, when an insidious fever confines him to his hotel room, he finds himself experiencing a sort of utter solitude. As soon as he feels a little better, he resumes his plans to wander through the Louvre's crowded galleries. He soon discovers unsuspected facets of the museum in his encounters with artists and artworks from various epochs.

160 pages • 23 × 32,5 cm • 20 €  
 EAN 9782754810159



**The Ghosts of the Louvre**  
**Les fantômes du Louvre**  
 Enki Bilal,  
 Louvre éditions / Futuropolis,  
 2012

Men, women and children who lived long ago and often died a violent death... a Roman legionary, a muse, an artist, a German officer... They roam in the Louvre, hovering around the artworks that marked and transformed their lives. Bilal has immortalized them in ephemeral beings, a host of wandering souls. He recounts their lives in biographies that skilfully blend historical fact, the creation of the artwork and dramatic imagination.

144 pages • 24 × 30 cm • 25 €  
 EAN 9782754808194

## Walking Through the Louvre

### La traversée du Louvre

David Prudhomme,  
Louvre éditions / Futuropolis,  
2012

Prudhomme is wandering through the rooms of the Louvre. He feels as though he's walking from frame to frame of a giant comic book. But all the while, he is inventing his own comic about the Museum. It's going to be a silent one! Because here, it's mostly a question of seeing, and even if all the world's languages are represented by the visitors, they pass each other in silence.

80 pages • 24 × 32 cm • 17 €  
EAN 9782754807852



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## The Museum Vaults

### Les sous-sols du Révolu

Marc-Antoine Mathieu,  
Louvre éditions / Futuropolis,  
2006

Marc-Antoine Mathieu brings us an original and surprising vision of his encounter with the Louvre. The author invites us to plunge into the underground passages of the Louvre with the Volumeur and his assistant Léonard as our guides. They stride along the corridors of the world's biggest museum taking its measurements. But how can you measure the incommensurable?

62 pages • 25 × 25,5 cm • 16,25 €  
EAN 9782754800501



# Rue de Sèvres

Year of creation: 2013  
Titles in catalogue: 60  
Titles published annually: 30

## Emblematic titles or series

*Une histoire d'hommes /  
A Story of Men* by Zep:  
60000 copies sold in France

"*Le château des étoiles /  
Castle in the Stars*" Series:  
by Alex Alice: 80000 copies  
of the first volume sold

*The Sculptor* by Scott McCloud

*Au revoir là-haut / Goodbye Up There*  
by Pierre Lemaitre  
and Christian De Metter  
(The Goncourt Prize-winning novel  
adapted into comic book)

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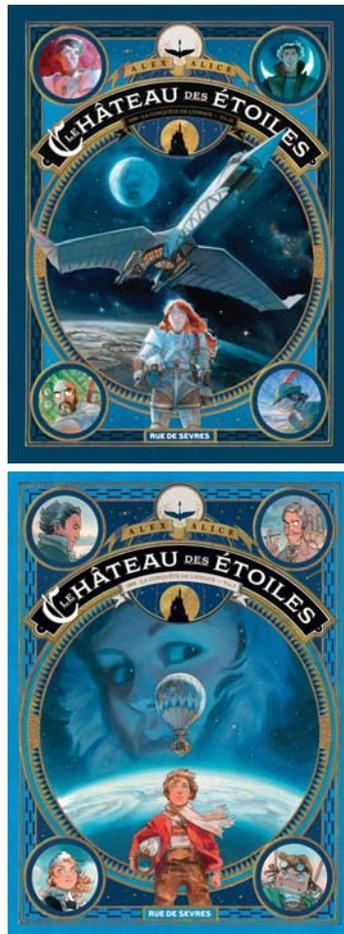
### Au revoir là-haut

Pierre Lemaitre  
& Christian De Metter  
Rue de Sèvres, 2015

Right before the end of WWI, Albert Maillard, a modest accountant, saved the life of Édouard Péricourt, who comes from a wealthy family. Albert is now trying to return to Paris. Édouard, who is disfigured, refuses to contact his family, and instead imagines a huge hoax on the nation in order to begin a new life elsewhere. Two survivors from the trenches, damaged by their experience, take revenge by operating a swindle as spectacular as it is amoral.

Graphic Novel, Literary Adaptation  
Adults

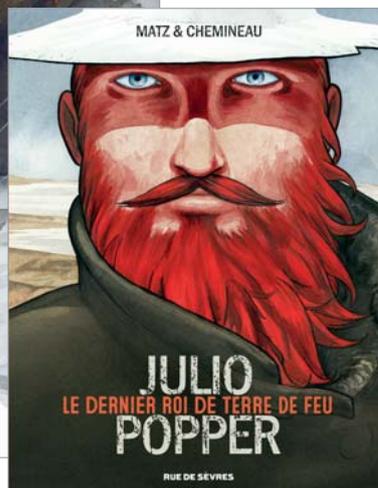
176 pages • 21 × 27,5 cm • 22,50 €  
EAN 9782369811992



**“Castle in the Stars” Series**  
**Série “Le Château des étoiles”**  
 Alex Alice,  
 Rue de Sèvres, 2015

In this second volume, our heroes, who have escaped the men from Bismarck by embarking the Ethership, are now about to prove their theory, crossing over the wall of ether to discover space and infinity. Difficulties will make their crazy dreams a reality by forcing them to land on the hidden side of the Moon. While Séraphin's father will do anything to bring them back to Earth alive, the King seems to be harboring other wishes. Meanwhile, Séraphin wants to know more about the disappearance of his mother. Will the conquest of space end with this first flight?

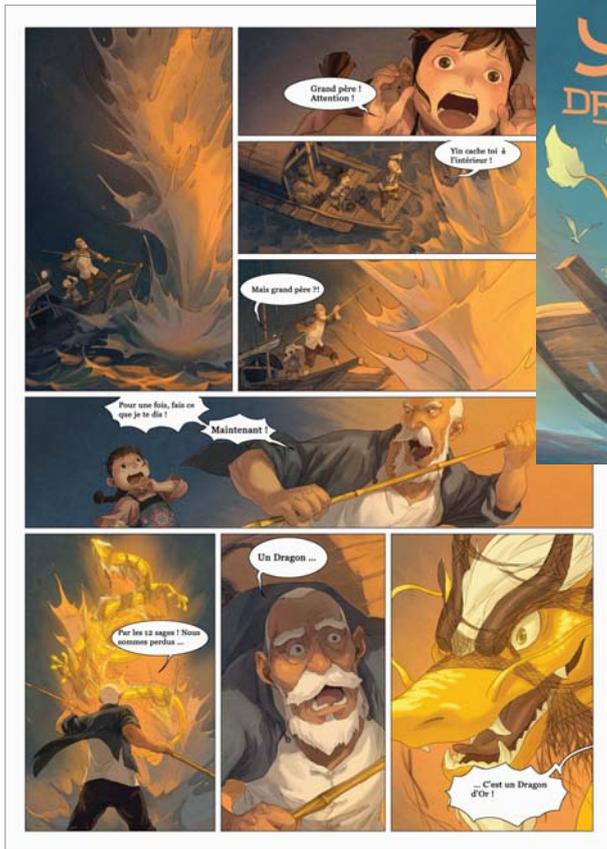
Space Adventure  
 All public  
 64 pages • 23,3 × 31,2 cm • 13,50 €  
 EAN 9782369810148



**Julio Popper, the Last King of Patagonia**  
**Julio Popper, le dernier roi de Patagonie**  
 Matz & Léonard Chemineau,  
 Rue de Sèvres, 2015

This story takes us to Argentina, where we follow Julio Popper, an engineer and adventurer with an exceptional destiny. Capable of thinking quickly and accurately and putting words into action, he had big ideas, and nothing could stop him. He liked ridiculing his enemies and was afraid of nothing and no one. He enjoyed a fight right to the finish. Born in 1857 in Romania, he died under strange circumstances at the age of 35, after making a fortune in gold from Patagonia and founding a state within a state!

Biography, Adventure  
 Adults, YA  
 104 pages • 21 × 27,5 cm • 18 €  
 EAN 9782369810698



## Yin and the Dragon

### Yin et le dragon

Richard Marazano & Yao Xu,  
Rue de Sèvres, 2016

Shanghai, 1937. The Imperial Japanese Army has taken over a large part of the Chinese coast. During these sad times, the threat of the ancient prophecy spreads: that of the invincible black dragon Gongong, who must come to destroy humans when despair and hatred reign. Yin, a little ten-year-old girl, is being raised by her fisherman grandfather, Liu. One night, when Liu is going out to sea, Yin sneaks onto the boat. Suddenly, a powerful creature is struggling in his nets: a golden dragon that is injured. Yin convinces her grandfather to hide it and take care of it. This decision will take them much farther than they had thought.

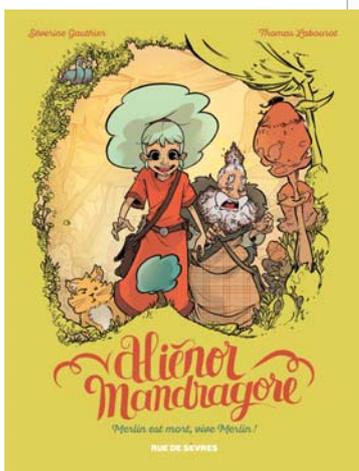
Adventure

All public

54 pages • 23,3 × 31,2 cm • 14 €

EAN 9782369811756

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## Aliénor Mandragore, Vol. 1

Séverine Gauthier  
& Thomas Labourot,  
Rue de Sèvres, 2015

The legendary wizard Merlin lives peacefully in the forest of Brocéliande with his daughter, Aliénor... Peacefully, well, we can't be so sure! Teaching his magic to Aliénor is not at all easy, especially since she doesn't seem to have any particular gift for it. Then one day they leave in search of Mandragora roots that are essential to certain magic potions. When they are pulled, these roots make a cry that kills the imprudent one unearthing them. By a miracle, Aliénor withstands the Mandragora's cries! But Merlin is killed immediately. His ghost, even more grouchy than Merlin was, can't bear being dead for very long, and this time it will be up to Aliénor to get him out of trouble.

Fantasy, Adventure  
Children

64 pages • 21 × 27,5 cm • 12 €

EAN 9782369811978

# Sarbacane

Year of creation: 2003  
Titles in catalogue: 100  
(comics and graphic novels)  
Titles published annually: 10  
(comics and graphic novels)

## Emblematic titles or series

*Hôtel Étrange*, Florian Ferrier  
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*Anna & Froga*, Anouk Ricard

*Le Carnet de Roger*,  
Florent Silloray

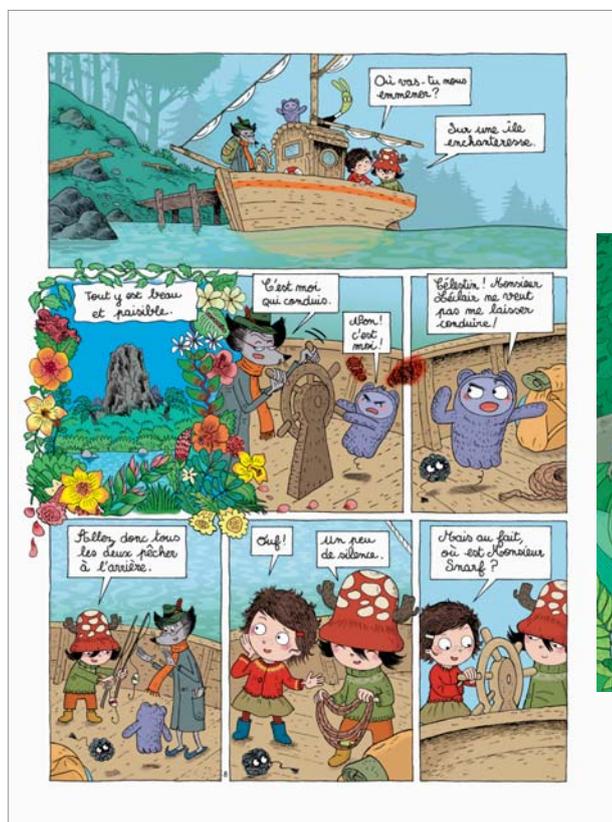
*Le Roi des scarabées*,  
Anne-Caroline Pandolfo  
& Terkel Risbjerg

*Au pays de la mémoire blanche*,  
Carl Norac, Stéphane Poulin



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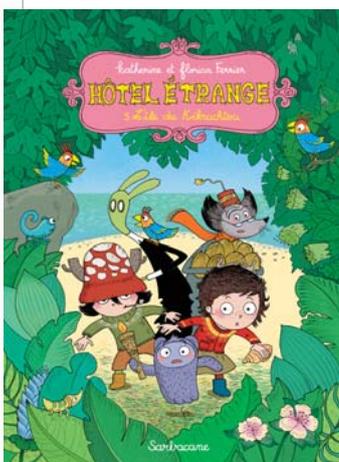
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## Hotel Strange, Vol. 5

### Hôtel étrange, vol. 5

Florent Ferrier  
& Catherine Ferrier,  
Sarbacane, 2014



Hotel Strange is located in the countryside and inhabited by a strange and lovable collection of characters: Kaki, a lazy purple fluff ball; Monsieur Snarf, a ghost and concierge; Monsieur Léclair, a bookish rat; and Marietta, a young girl. Along with their helpful neighbor Célestin, they have a variety of delightful adventures.

Fantasy, Adventure

For 6+

48 pages • 21 × 28,5 cm • 12,50 €

EAN 9782848657455



## Fanatic of the Skies

### L'enragé du ciel

Joseph Safieddine  
& Loïc Guyon,  
Sarbacane, 2015

For fans of aviation, history, and real life heroes! Discover the unbelievable life of Roger Henrard (1900-1975): virtuoso pilot, man of courage (even recklessness), a man with a heart, a ladies' man, but a faithful friend... Daredevil photographer: Henrard was the first to capture images of "Paris from above" at very low altitude, for more than two decades, from the late "20s to the 50s"! Hero: from 1939 to 1940, Henrard pulled off audacious aerial spy missions over Germany for French intelligence...

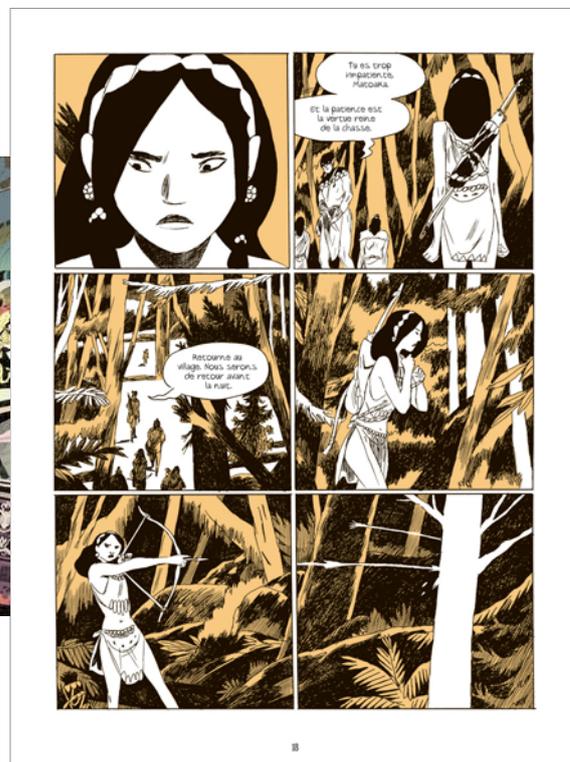
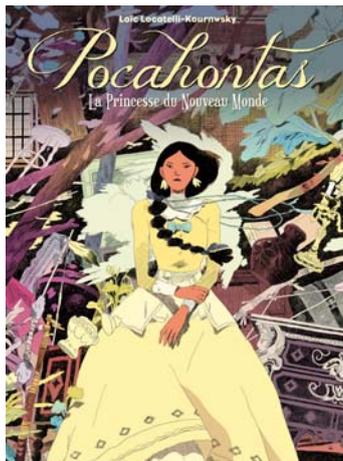
Graphic Novel

For Teens & Grown-Ups

160 pages • 21,5 × 29 cm • 24 €

EAN 9782848658285

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## Pocahontas

Loïc Locatelli-Kournwsky,  
Sarbacane, 2015

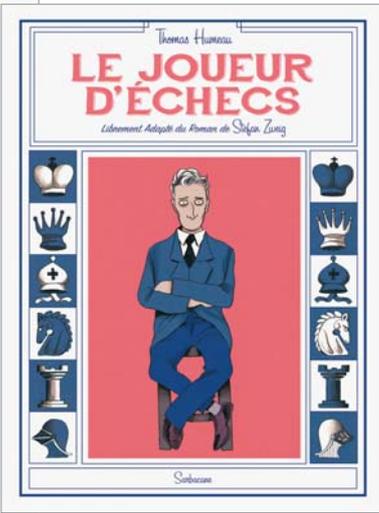
Pocahontas, the young Powhatan princess, has just married her betrothed, Kocoum, as tradition dictates. At the same moment, three British ships make landing on the Eastern seaboard. It is the year 1607, and Pocahontas' life, like that of the entire continent, is about to turn upside down. Smitten with freedom, believing in understanding between peoples, braving her father's refusal, she bonds with the coarse British colonists. A stunning true story full of nuance, far from the Disney version...

Graphic Novel

For Teens and Grown-Ups

128 pages • 21,5 × 29 cm • 19,50 €

EAN 9782848658254

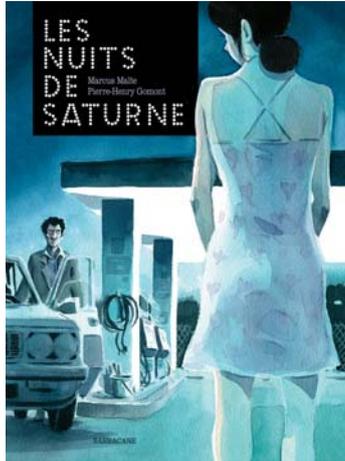


**A Chess Story**  
**Le joueur d'échecs**

Thomas Humeau,  
 Adaptation of the novel  
 of Stefan Zweig,  
 Sarbacane, 2015

On a cruise liner from New York to Buenos Aires, two chess players confront each other: Czentovic, an arrogant, taciturn orphan and remarkable tactician, since he become world champion, and Mr. B, a mysterious and charismatic Austrian aristocrat who survived the Nazi camps. An entire world divides them. This story is as intricately structured as a Chinese box. Within the confined setting of the ocean liner, two stories intertwine. Stefan Zweig's final masterpiece, freely adapted in a comic book; elegant art in perfect harmony with Zweig's style.

Graphic Novel  
 For Grown-Ups  
 128 pages • 21,5 × 29 cm • 19,50 €  
 EAN 9782848658308



**Saturn Nights**  
**Les nuits de Saturne**

Pierre-Henry Gomont,  
 adapted from the novel  
 by Marcus Malte  
*Carnage Constellation*, 2015

An exceptional thriller of great sensitivity, far from the usual genre fare. At first, it was just two people who should never have met, much less ever loved: all the odds were stacked against them. There was Césaria, a lost young man in high heels, slowly turning into a woman, working the street. And there was Milan Klovisévitch, aka Clovis, a fallen king and former robber, just out of prison: ten years in the slammer, vengeance his only sustenance. But before revenge, a chance encounter happens, and an unaccountable passion is born.

Graphic Novel  
 For Grown-Ups  
 168 pages • 20,5 × 28 cm • 22,50 €  
 EAN 9782848658247

**Emblematic titles or series**

“Trolls” Series  
 (20 volumes published):  
 + 3,5 million copies sold

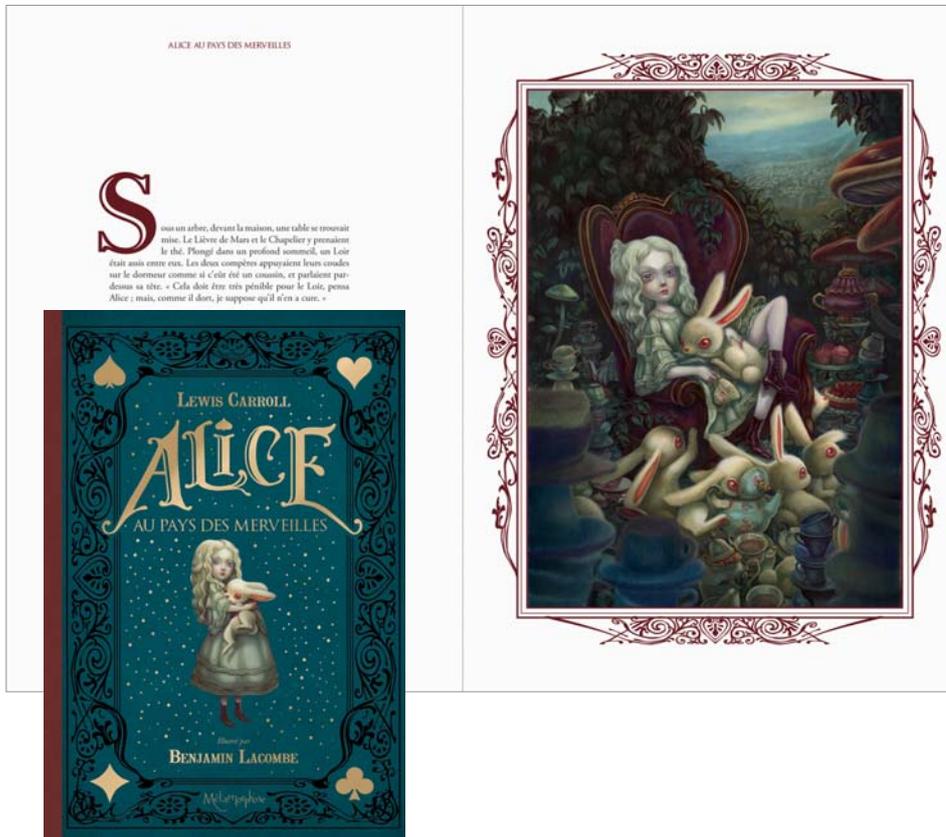
“Les p’tits Diabes” Series  
 (21 volumes published):  
 +1 million copies sold

“Les carnets de Cerise” Series  
 (3 volumes published):  
 + 350 000 copies sold



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**Alice in Wonderland**

**Alice au pays des merveilles**

Lewis Carroll,  
 Benjamin Lacombe,  
 Soleil, Collection  
 “Métamorphose”, 2015

To celebrate the book’s 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, this brand new and very fine edition offers a singular outlook: during the tale, the images become impregnated with a magical baroque fantasy. By using different techniques (gouache, oils and watercolours), Benjamin Lacombe –the leading light of the new French illustration– offers a graphic surrealistic and subversive dimension to this great classic of English literature.

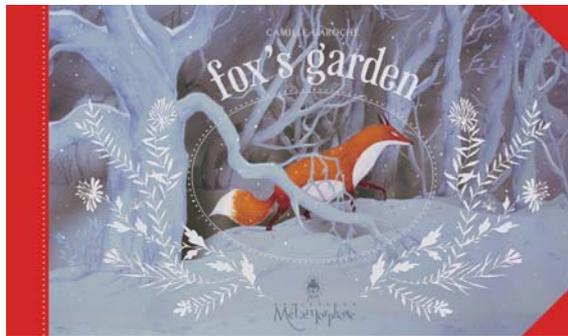
Literary Adaptation  
 All ages  
 298 pages • 20 × 28 cm • 29,95 €  
 EAN 9782302048478



**Cerise's Notepads, Vol. 3**  
**The Last of the Five Treasures**  
 Carnets de Cerise, vol. 3  
 Le dernier des cinq trésors  
 Chamblain, Neyret,  
 Soleil, Collection  
 "Métamorphose", 2014

Cerise is a little 11-year-old girl who is living alone with her mother. She dreams of becoming a novelist. Her favorite subject: people, and more specifically: adults. She likes to observe them and try to find out their secrets. This time, she is interested in Sandra... Her bookbinding studio is full of old books. But there is one that she has never repaired. Why? Did she even know that it was there? And what are the five treasures linked to the life of the young woman?

Children  
 88 pages • 22 × 29,3 cm • 15,95 €  
 EAN 9782302042988

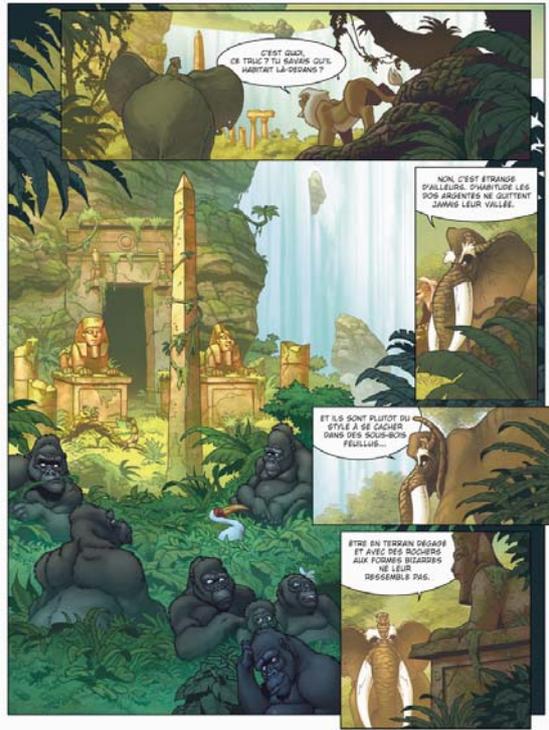
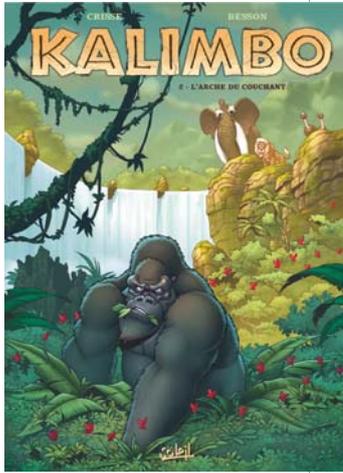


**Fox's Garden**  
 Camille Garoche,  
 Soleil, Collection  
 "Métamorphose –  
 Romans graphiques", 2015

On a cold winter's night, a vixen desperately searches for shelter in order to give birth to her cubs... The first snowflakes fall. Chased out by the villagers, the wild animal finally takes refuge in a greenhouse at the bottom of a garden. A small boy sees her from his window and decides to help her. Will she find a way of thanking him? Finely done in cut-out paper, this little jewel of a book, aimed at the very young, will also fill adult eyes with wonder! A story with no text to leave room for pure emotion.

Children  
 24 pages • 29,5 × 17,5 cm • 12,99 €  
 EAN 9782302049703





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**Kalimbo, Vol. 2**  
**The Ark of the Setting Sun**  
 Kalimbo, vol. 2  
 L'arche du couchant  
 Didier Crisse, Fred Besson,  
 Soleil, Collection  
 "Jeunesse", 2015

The threat of drought hangs over the savannah... Food is lacking, to the point where certain monkeys have started to eat meat! So as to avoid wars between clans of the same species, a young monkey, accompanied by the venerable elephant Kalimbo, goes to ask for the help and mediation of Malak, the terrifying Chief of the "silverback" gorillas... Will they be able to accomplish this vital mission? A great adventure for all readers in the heart of the savannah!

Young Readers  
 48 pages • 23,4 × 32,3 cm • 14,50 €  
 EAN 9782302043190

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**The Voyage of the Phoenix**  
**Le voyage de Phoenix**  
 Jung,  
 Soleil, Collection  
 "Quadrants", 2015

3 destinies criss-cross: Jennifer, the daughter of an American soldier who went to North Korea, is rejected by America. She devotes her life to an orphanage in Seoul. Aaron adopts a little boy and becomes so fond of him that he neglects his daughter: he becomes depressive when his son falls gravely ill. Doug, Aaron's best friend, is a soldier and has been an orphan for a long time. He's the one who pushed Aaron towards adoption. He feels responsible for what is happening.

Graphic Novel  
 320 pages • 17 × 2,5 × 24 cm • 19,99 €  
 EAN 9782302047853

# Steinkis Groupe

Year of creation: 2002  
Titles in catalogue: + 500  
Titles published annually: 115

## Emblematic titles or series

*Mistinguette*, 6 volumes (Jungle!):  
+150000 copies sold, translated  
into more than 6 languages  
for press publications, novelization  
(vol. 1 in February 2016)

*Mars & Venus*, 3 volumes  
+ 1 activity book (Jungle!): adapted  
from John Gray's best sellers,  
+150000 copies sold

*Le Retour de la Guerre contre-attaque*,  
3 volumes (Jungle!): a Star Wars  
parody, translated into Spanish

*Ko in Tel Aviv*, 2 volumes (Steinkis):  
translated into 7 languages,  
nominated for best album award  
in Angoulême 2015

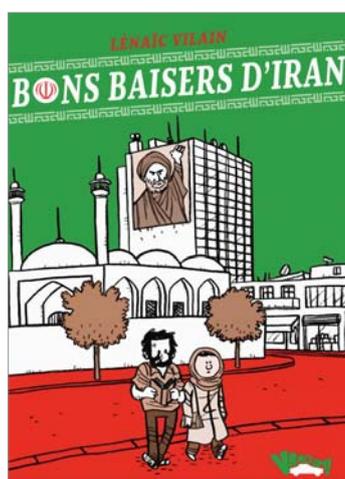
*Moi Je*, 2 volumes (Warum/Vraoum):  
translated into Spanish



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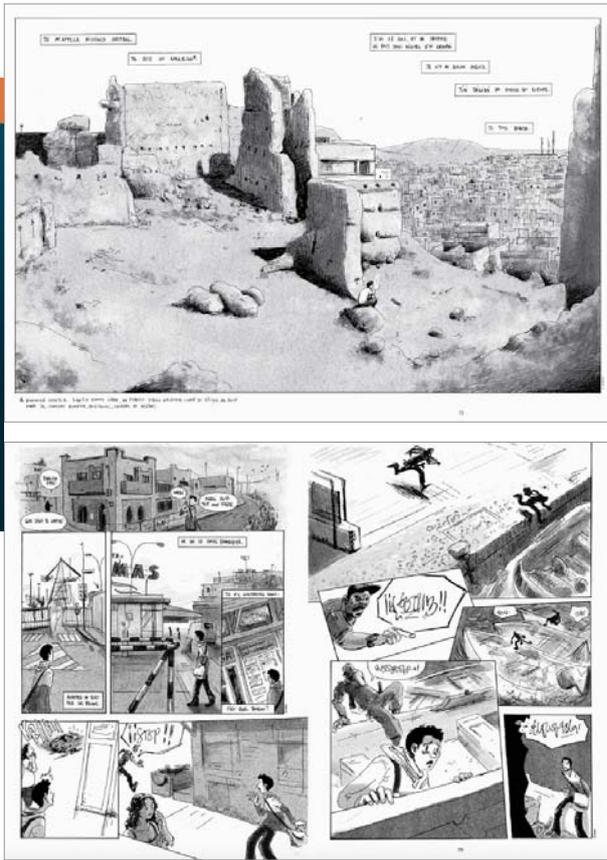
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## Kisses from Iran Bons baisers d'Iran Lénaïc Vilain, Vraoum, 2015

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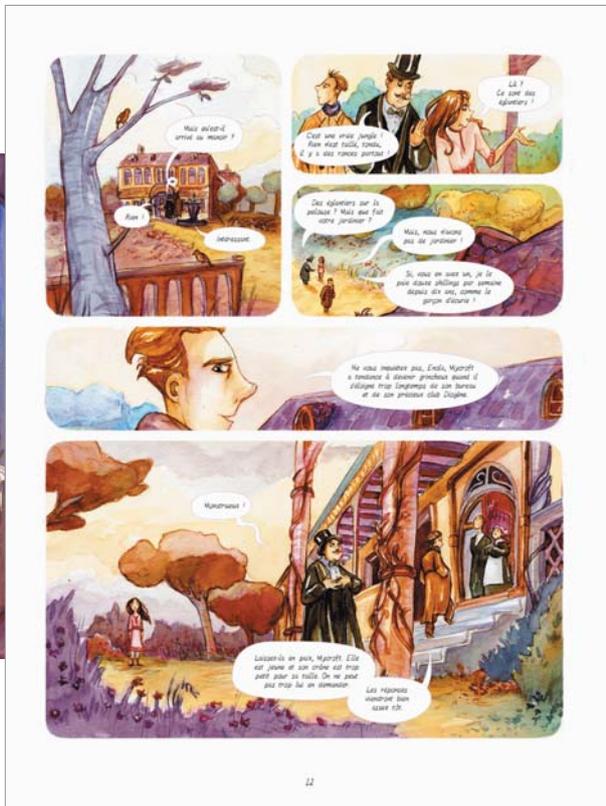
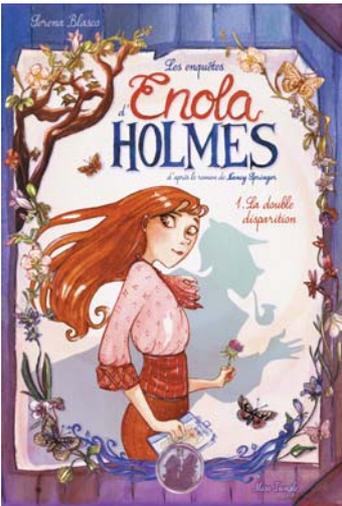
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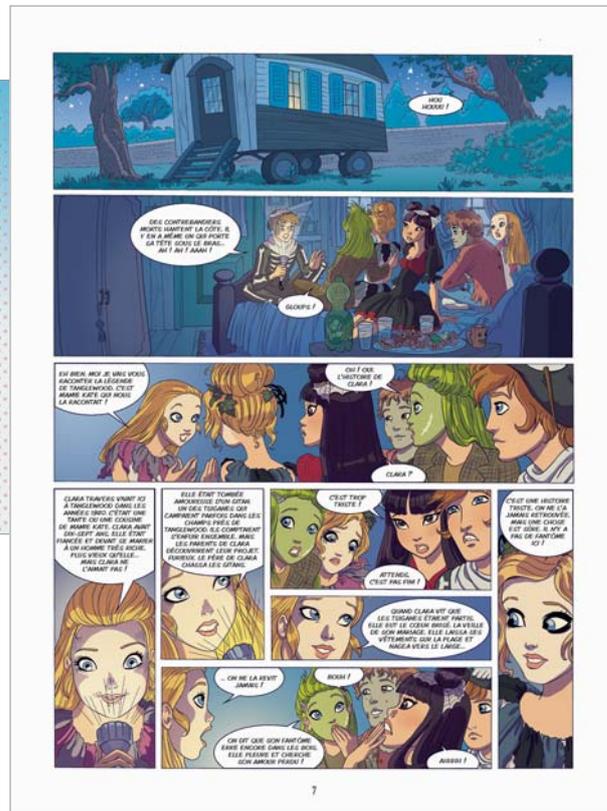
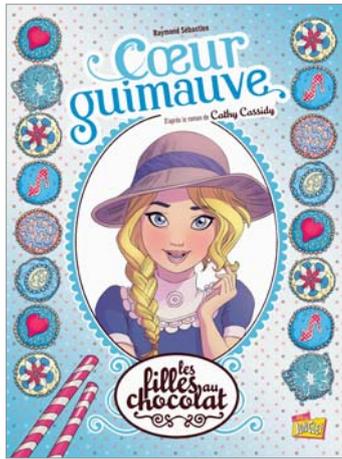
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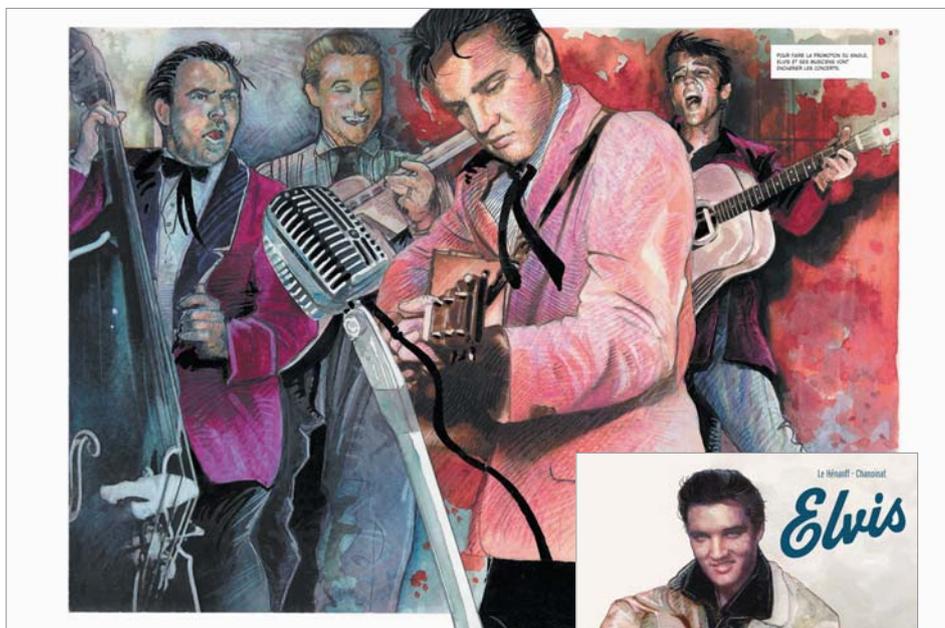
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