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**Wiktionary**  
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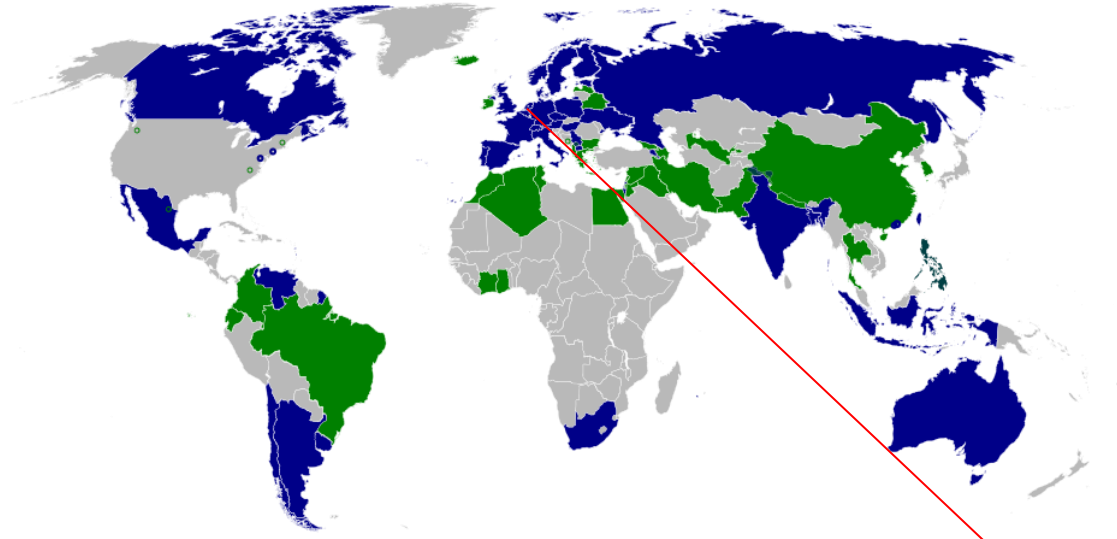


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**FOUNDATION**

- Non-profit organisation
- Founded in 2003
- Headquarter in San Francisco
- ~280 employees (Google: 57,100, Facebook: 10.000)
- Revenue: \$81M (Alphabet: \$90 billion, Facebook: \$27.6 billion)
- Donations 2015-16: \$77M by 5+ million readers



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## Wikimedia Nederland

- Founded in 2006
- Office since 2011
- Supports Wikimedia volunteer community
- Contacts with galleries, libraries, archives, museums & educational institutions



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## What is Wikipedia?



- Free encyclopedia that anyone can edit
- Started in 2001 as an experiment by Larry Sanger and Jimmy Wales
- Largest and most-widely used reference work in the world
- 295 language versions
- Top 10 website worldwide

- [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main\\_Page](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page)



## Some statistics English Wikipedia



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- 5.3+ million article pages (EN WP)
- 254 million daily page views (EN WP)
- 800 new articles each day (EN WP)
- 875 million edits (EN WP)
- 30.2 million registered users
- 137,700 active users (1+ edits by registered users over last 30 days)





## Five pillars of Wikipedia



Encyclopedic



Neutral point of view



Free content

ASSUME GOOD FAITH.

Code of conduct



No firm rules

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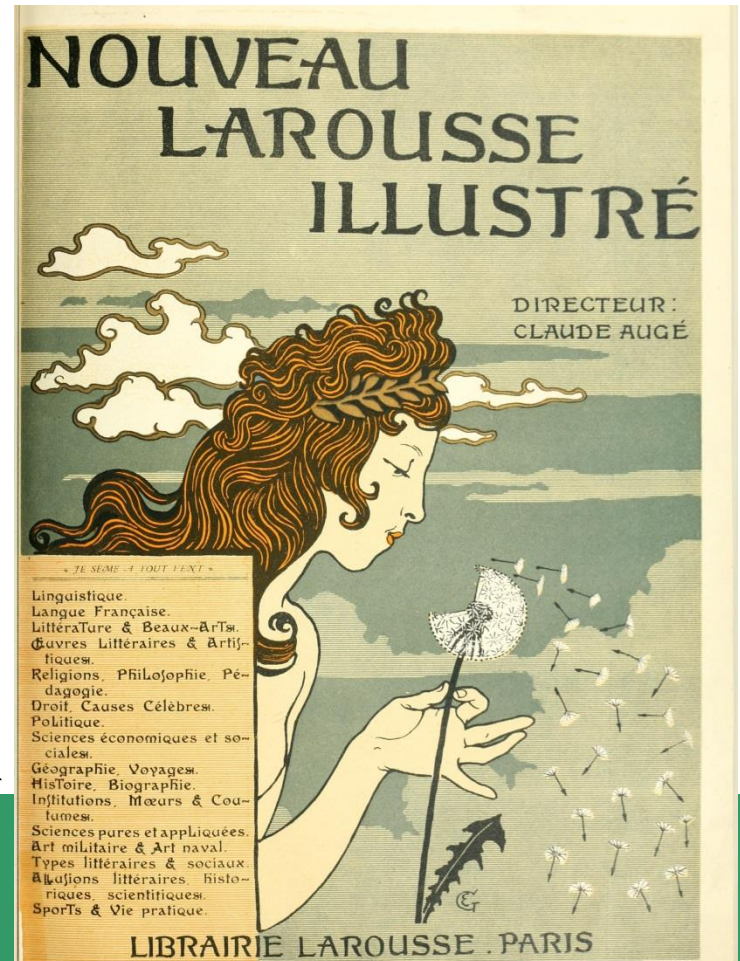


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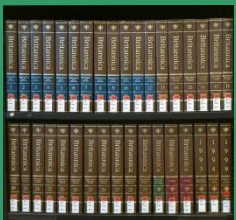


## Encyclopedic

- \* Sufficient sources: no “original research”
- \* reliable: integrity publisher/editor
- \* Sources: secondary sources preferred  
bronnen (review articles, handbooks)
- \* Independent sources: avoid press releases,  
adverts, autobiographies
- \* Even if all of the above applies, a topic can  
still be not “E-worthy”



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## No original research



## Verifiability



The screenshot shows a Wikipedia article page for "Citation". At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs for "article", "discussion", "modify", "history", "protect", "delete", "move", "watch", "!", "sch", and "find". The user "Kylu" is logged in, and the date is "Thu, 02 Aug 2007 06:5". The article title is "Citation" and it is described as "From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia". A prominent blue box in the center of the page contains the following text: "This article does not cite any references or sources. Please help improve this article by adding citations to reliable sources. (help, get involved!) Unverifiable material may be challenged and removed. This article has been tagged since June 2007." Below this box, there is a paragraph of text: "For Wikipedia's citation policies, see [Wikipedia:Citing sources](#) and [Wikipedia:Citing Wikipedia](#). For other uses, see [Citation \(disambiguation\)](#)". The main body of the article begins with a definition: "A **citation** or **bibliographic citation** is a reference to a **book**, **article**, **web page**, or other published item with sufficient detail to identify the item uniquely. Unpublished writings or speeches such as [working papers](#) and personal communications, are also sometimes cited. Citations are provided in [scholarly works](#), [bibliographies](#), and [indexes](#). The word *citation* may also refer to the act of citing a work, that is, providing a reference to the work in the form of a bibliographic citation." The next paragraph states: "Citations are used in scholarly works to give credit to or acknowledge the influence of previous works, or to refer to authorities. Citations permit readers to put claims to the test by consulting earlier works. Authors often engage earlier work directly, explaining why they agree with, or differ from, earlier views. Ideally, sources are [primary](#) (first-hand) and recent."





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# Wikipedia is not...



Soap-box,  
Promotion



Newspaper

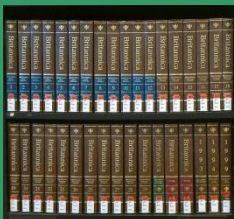


Crystal ball



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Scientific journal



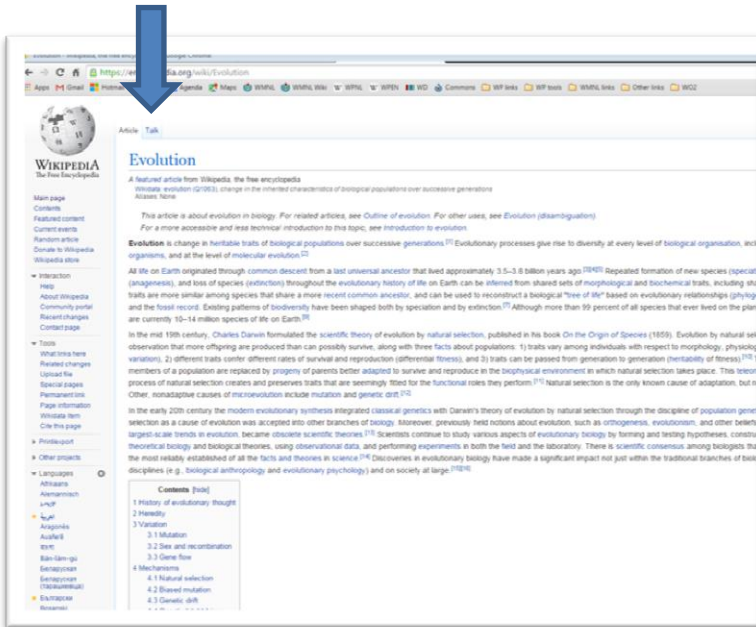


## Neutral point of view (NPOV)

- Verifiable
- Accurately represent points of view
- No trivia
- Cite sources



# NPOV: discussion...



WP tools WMNL links Other links WO2

**Evolution**, this should not be changed without broad

evolution"

theory of evolution is...?"

**Archives**

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Threads older than 30 days may be archived by MiszaBot I.

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## Evolution







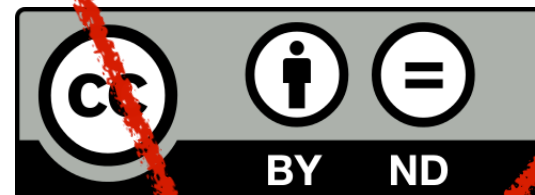
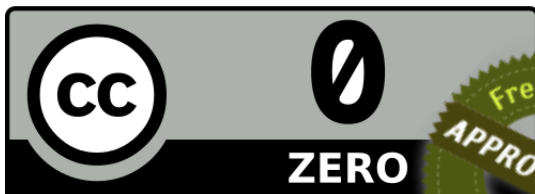
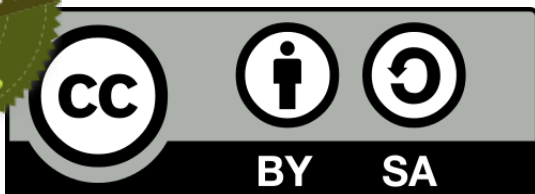
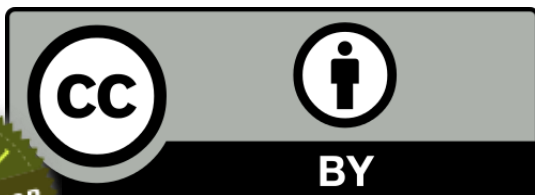
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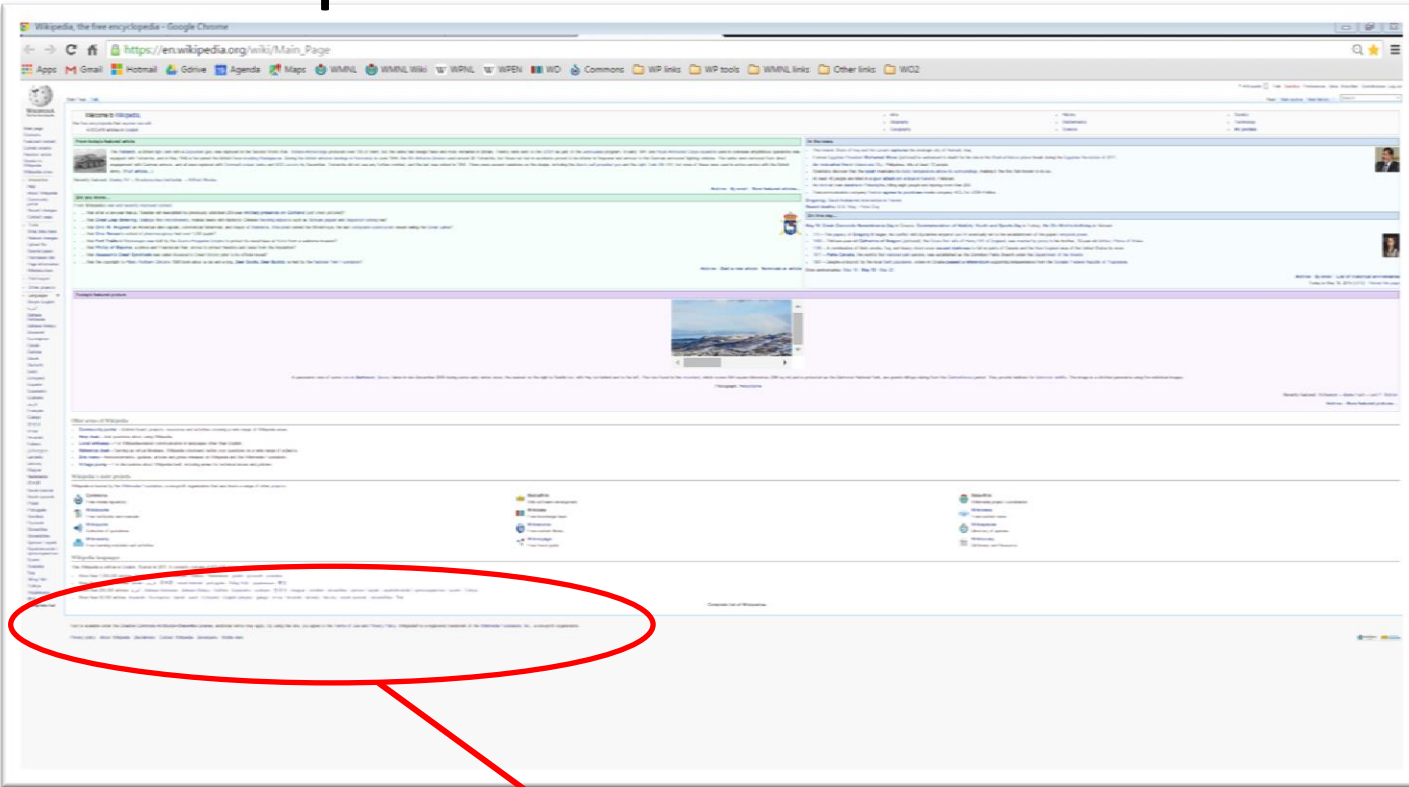




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Wikipedia:Consensus - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia - Google Chrome

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## Wikipedia:Consensus

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

*"WP:CON" redirects here, you may be looking for WP:Conflict of interest, Help:Edit conflict or WikiConventions/Conference.*

✔ This page documents an English Wikipedia policy, a widely accepted standard that all editors should normally follow. Changes made to it should reflect **consensus**. Shortcuts: WP:CON WP:CONS

🍌 **This page in a nutshell:** Consensus is Wikipedia's fundamental model for editorial decision-making, and is marked by addressing legitimate concerns held by editors through a process of compromise while following Wikipedia policies.

**Consensus** refers to the primary way decisions are made on Wikipedia, and it is accepted as the best method to achieve our goals. Consensus on Wikipedia does not mean unanimity (which, although an ideal result, is not always achievable); nor is it the result of a vote. Decision-making involves an effort to incorporate all editors' legitimate concerns, while respecting Wikipedia's policies and guidelines. This policy describes how consensus is understood on Wikipedia, how to determine whether it has been achieved (and how to proceed if it has not), and describes exceptions to the principle that all decisions are made by consensus.

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- 1 Achieving consensus
  - 1.1 Reaching consensus through editing
  - 1.2 Reaching consensus through discussion
  - 1.3 Consensus-building
    - 1.3.1 Consensus-building in talk pages
    - 1.3.2 Consensus-building by soliciting outside opinions
    - 1.3.3 Administrative or community intervention
    - 1.3.4 Consensus-building pitfalls and errors
- 2 Determining consensus
  - 2.1 Level of consensus
  - 2.2 No consensus
- 3 Consensus can change
- 4 Decisions not subject to consensus of editors
- 5 See also

### Achieving consensus [edit source]

Editors usually reach consensus as a natural product of editing. After someone makes a change or addition to a page, others who read it can choose either to leave the page as it is or to change it. When editors do not reach agreement by editing, discussion on the associated talk pages continues the process toward consensus.

Policy shortcut: WP:CONACHIEVE

A consensus decision takes into account all of the proper concerns raised. Ideally, it arrives with an absence of objections, but often we must settle for as wide an agreement as can be reached. When there is no wide agreement, consensus-building involves adapting the proposal to bring in dissenters without losing those who accepted the initial proposal.

### Reaching consensus through editing [edit source]

Conduct policies

- Civility
- Clean start
- Consensus**
- Dispute resolution
- Edit warring
- Editing policy
- Harassment
- No personal attacks
- Ownership of articles
- Sock puppetry
- Username policy
- Vandalism

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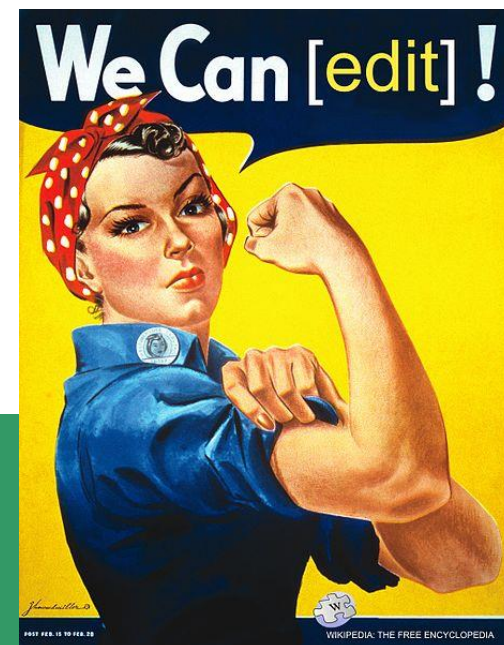
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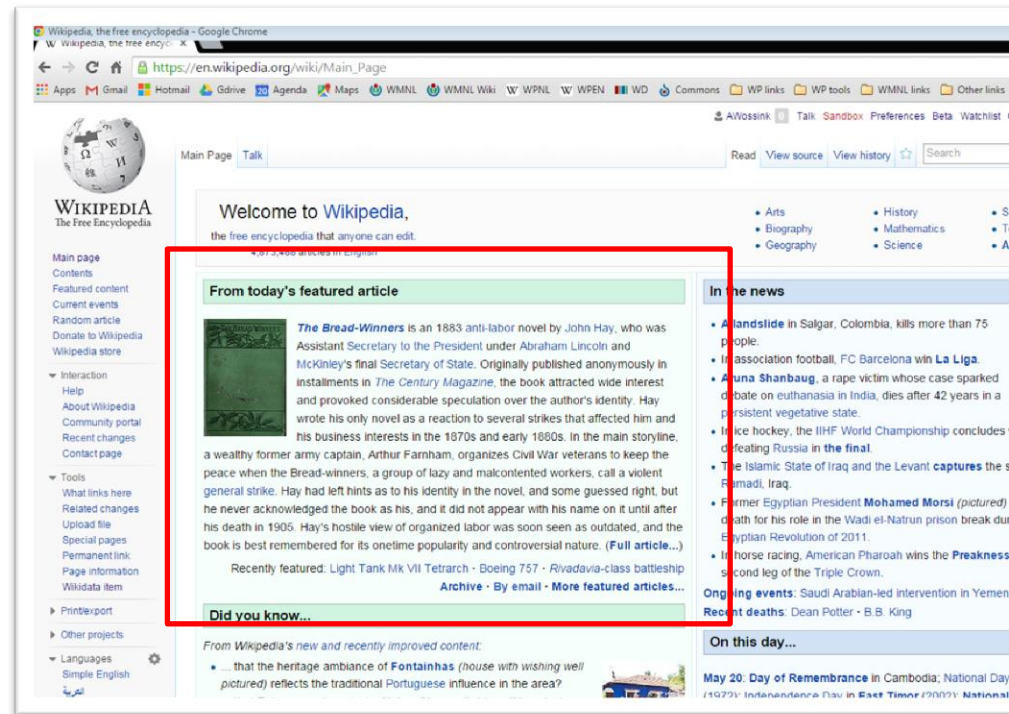
- Be bold
- Ignore all rules
- Any edit can be undone





# Quality control

- Featured Article
- Community decides
- More than layout
- "Open Peer Review"
- Hoaxes get found



## Talk:The Bread-Winners

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

- Main page
- Contents
- Featured content
- Current events
- Random article
- Donate to Wikipedia
- Wikipedia store

- Interaction
  - Help
  - About Wikipedia
  - Community portal
  - Recent changes
  - Contact page

- Tools

 **The Bread-Winners** is a **featured article**; it (or a previous version of it) has been **identified** as one of the best articles produced by the **Wikipedia community**. Even so, if you can update or improve it, please do so.

 This article is currently on Wikipedia's Main Page as **Today's featured article**.

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August 10, 2014	Peer review	Reviewed
August 21, 2014	Featured article candidate	Promoted

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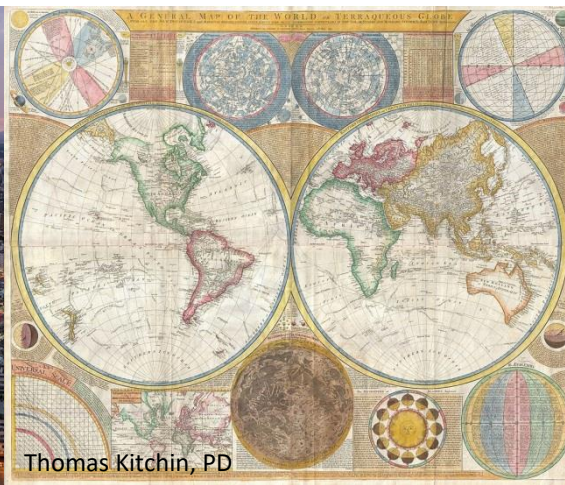


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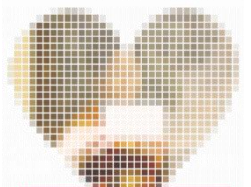
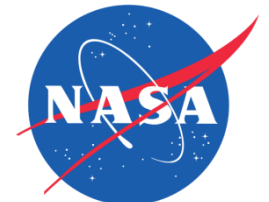


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## Wiki Loves Monuments



- 2010: only NL, 12.500 photos
- 2011: Europe (18 countries) , 5000 participants, 168,000 photos
- 2012: 35 countries, 363,000 photos
- 2013: 50+ countries, 370,000 photos
- 2014: 41 countries, 8750 participants, 308,000 photos
- 2015: 33 countries, 6200 participants, 220,000 photos
- 2016: 42 countries, 277,000 photos



# WIKISOURCE

- Repository for source text in public domain (e.g. novels)
- Scans on Commons, digital text on Wikisource
- Method: scanning, OCR, proofreading, validating
- Downloadable as ePUB, RTF, PDF, MOBI
- EN: 350.000 sources
- NL: 5600 sources

- [https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Main\\_Page](https://en.wikisource.org/wiki/Main_Page)





- “Collaboratively edited knowledge base”
- Interlanguage links
- Central storage for structured data, like Commons for media
- ~25 million items
- Queriable, machine readable
- Links to external DBs (e.g. Britannica, IMDb, National Library of Australia)

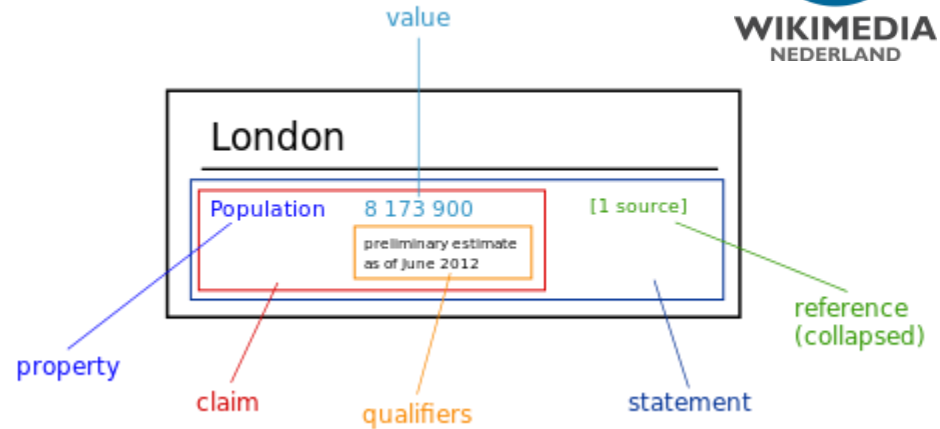
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- Item
- Unique Identifier
- Label
- Aliases
- Statements



Douglas Adams - Wikidata - Google Chrome

https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q42

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Item Discussion Read View history Search

## Douglas Adams (Q42) [edit]

English writer and humorist  
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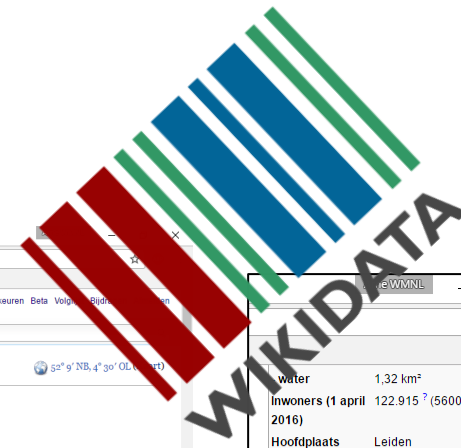
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	<span>[add]</span>



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Address bar: https://nl.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leiden

Navigation: Lezen | Bewerken | Brontekst bewerken | Geschiedenis | Meer

# Leiden

Wikidata: Leiden (Q43631), plaats en gemeente in de Nederlandse provincie Zuid-Holland

**Inhoud** [verbergen]

- 1 Naamgeving
- 2 Wapen en vlag
- 3 Geschiedenis
- 4 Geografie
  - 4.1 Stadsdelen, districten en buurten
  - 4.2 Water en groen
- 5 Politiek en bestuur
  - 5.1 Gemeenteraad
  - 5.2 College van B&W
  - 5.3 College 2014-2018
  - 5.4 Eerdere colleges tot 2014
  - 5.5 Partnersteden
- 6 Religie en levensbeschouwing
- 7 Kunst en cultuur
  - 7.1 Bezienswaardigheden
  - 7.2 Musea
  - 7.3 Film, muziek, theater en kunst
  - 7.4 Kunst in de openbare ruimte
  - 7.5 Bibliotheek
- 8 Evenementen
- 9 Media

**Situering**

Provincie: Zuid-Holland  
 Coördinaten: 52° 9' NB, 4° 29' OL

**Algemeen**

Oppervlakte: 23,27 km²  
 - land: 21,95 km²  
 - water: 1,32 km²  
 Inwoners (1 april 2016): 122.915 (5600 inw./km²)  
 Hoofplaats: Leiden  
 Naam inwoners: Leidenaren

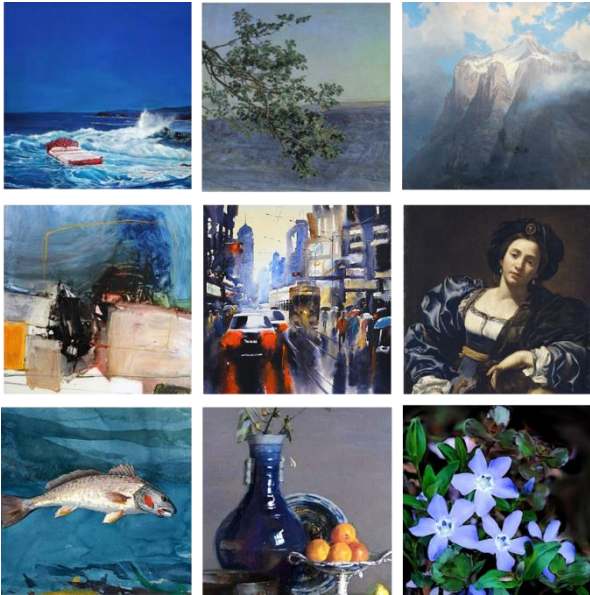
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Belangrijke verkeersaders	A4 A44 N11 N206 N445 N447
Station(s)	Leiden Centraal, - Lammenschans, De Vink
Politiek	
Burgemeester (lijst)	drs. H.J.J. (Henri) Lenferink (PvdA)
Economie	
Gemiddeld inkomen (2012)	€ 34.000 per huishouden
Gem. WOZ-waarde (2014)	€ 210.000
WW-uitkeringen (2014)	28 per 1000 inw.
Overig	
Postcode(s)	2300-2334
Netnummer(s)	071
CBS-code	0546
CBS-wijkindeling	zie wijken en buurten
Amsterdamsse code	10702
Website	www.leiden.nl

Bevolkingspiramide (2008)

Portaal Nederland Leiden

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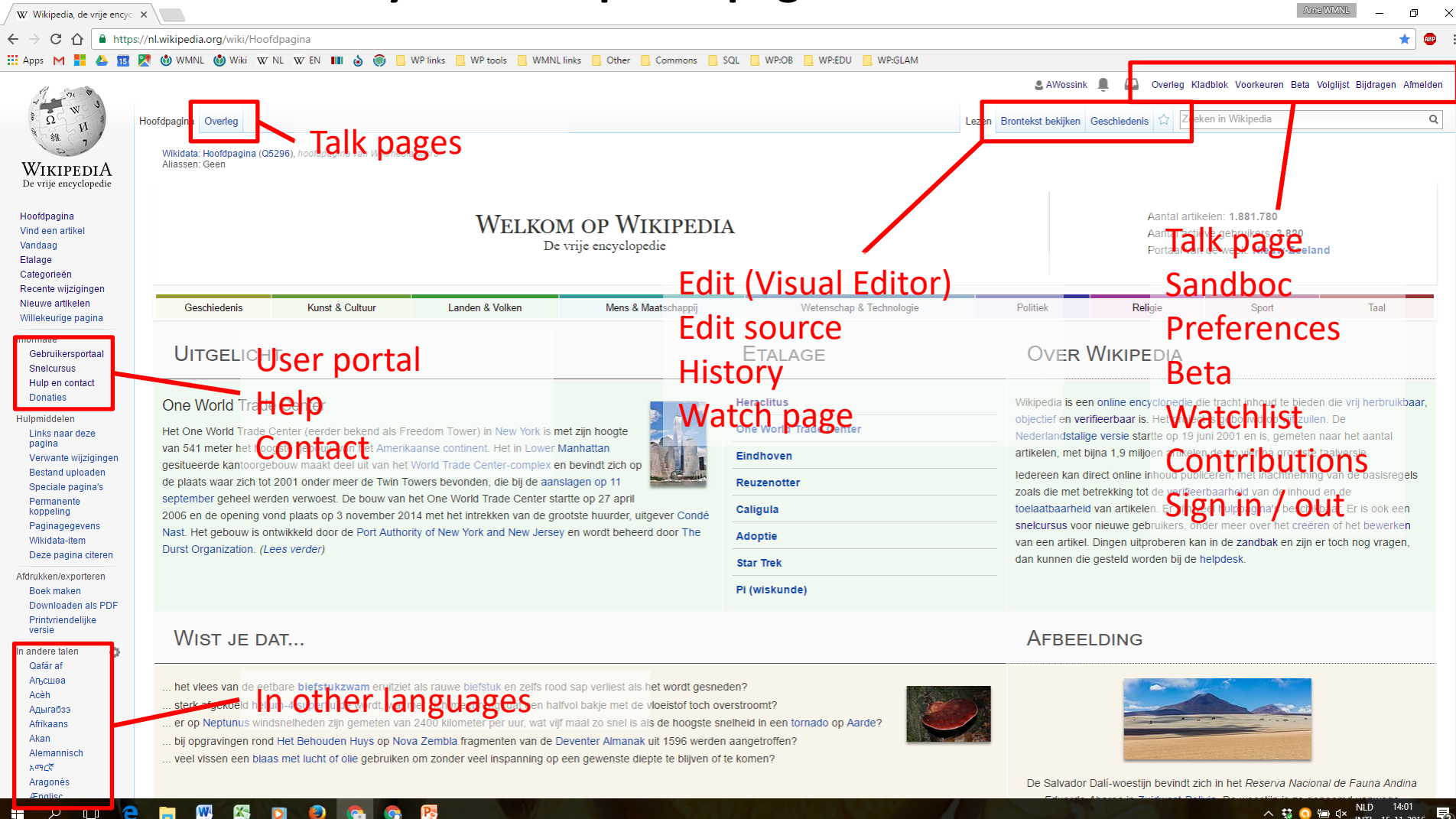


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## Sum of all paintings

- Dutch project
- Item of every “notable” painting on WD
- Based on catalogs, indexes museums, Europeana, Dimcon, etc.
- Complete works of e.g. Rembrandt and Frans Hals on WD

# Anatomy of a Wikipedia-page



The screenshot shows the Dutch Wikipedia homepage with several red boxes and arrows highlighting specific features:

- Overleg**: A red box around the 'Overleg' link in the top navigation bar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'Talk pages'.
- Brontekst bekijken**: A red box around the 'Brontekst bekijken' link in the top navigation bar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'Edit (Visual Editor)'.
- Geschiedenis**: A red box around the 'Geschiedenis' link in the top navigation bar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'Edit source'.
- Zoeken in Wikipedia**: A red box around the search bar in the top navigation bar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'History'.
- Overleg**: A red box around the 'Overleg' link in the top navigation bar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'Watch page'.
- Gebruikersportaal**: A red box around the 'Gebruikersportaal' link in the left sidebar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'User portal'.
- Snelcursus**: A red box around the 'Snelcursus' link in the left sidebar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'Help'.
- Hulp en contact**: A red box around the 'Hulp en contact' link in the left sidebar, with an arrow pointing to the text 'Contact'.
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## Questions...?



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