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The Man on the Moon – The Odyssey of Rufus Himmelstoss # 1

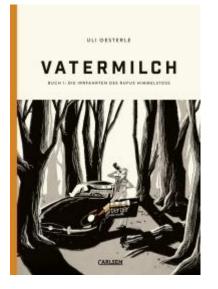
Of fathers and sons

Munich 1975: Disco, free love, cocaine and champagne binges... this is the world of Rufus Himmelstoss. For this egocentric ladies' man, excess is a way of life. While under the influence, he causes a car accident that results in the death of young mother and her two children, after which he drops off the radar and becomes homeless. Faced with a homeless shelter and a bottle of vodka, Rufus Himmelstoss makes a decision that will have wide-reaching implications. For himself. And for his son...

Complex characters, unerring dialogue, innovative image sequences and drawings that show an elegant lightness of hand: Uli Oesterle is a storyteller at the top of his game and a cartoonist with his finger on the pulse. In 'The Man on the Moon', the author proves that a graphic novel about alcoholism and responsibility can be profound, sensitive and – at the same time – incredibly entertaining.

• Uli Oesterle has won multiple awards and is one of Germany's most important graphic novelists

• the first of a four-volume series, part 2 to be published in autumn 2021



Uli Oesterle 128 pages, 20.1 x 27.1 cm 4c (b/w with special colours)

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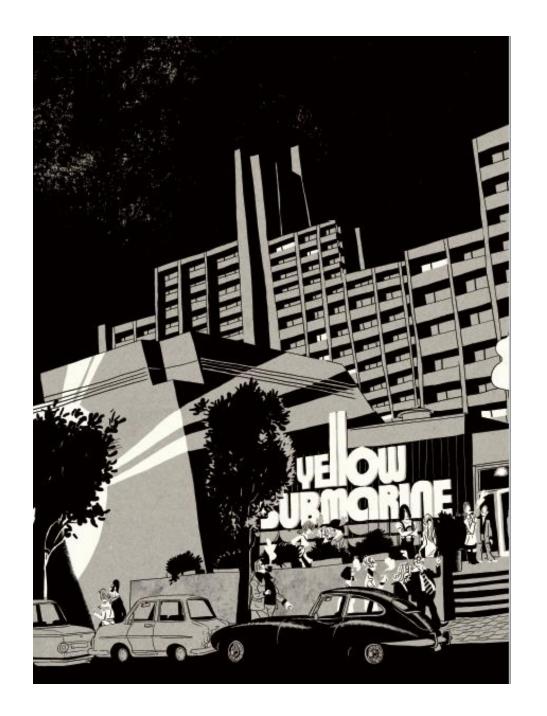












I've Got to Get This off My Chest

Feminist columns

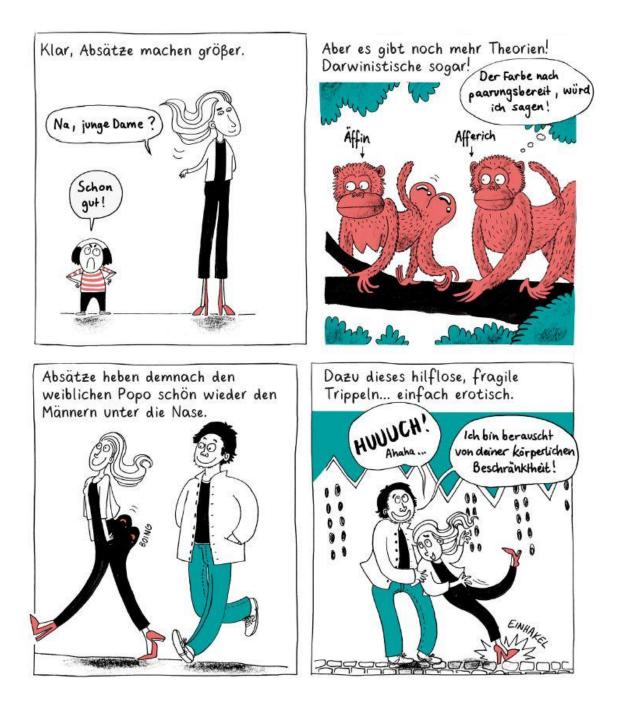
Did you know that there's no such thing as female exhibitionism in the eyes of the law? Ever noticed that the big winners of the emancipation movement were gender marketing and the pink tax?

Astute, incisive and with a healthy dose of humour, the writer offers up observations on prevailing gender roles in her witty feminist columns and draws surprising conclusions that leave the reader with a lot to think about.

- feminism is a sought-after topic
- an incisive, youthful voice



Lisa Frühbeis 128 pages, 20.5 x 20.5 cm 4c

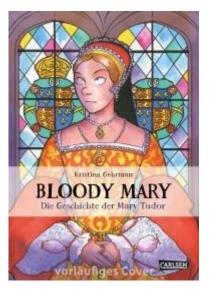


Bloody Mary – The Story of Mary Tudor

A history book from the winner of the German Children's Literature Award 2016

Kristina Gehrmann depicts the life of Mary I, starting with her childhood and the pressures and restrictions of her upbringing, through to the fearless woman she became, fighting with all her might for what she believed to be justice. Thanks to her meticulous research and a certain finesse, Gehrmann gives the reader a glimpse of who Mary Tudor was as a person.

• previous title received outstanding attention in the press, including the international press



Kristina Gehrmann 300 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm 4c

• to be published in March 2021

Beethoven

Everything you ever wanted to know about Beethoven but were afraid to ask

Through a series of flashbacks and anecdotes from a range of different perspectives, Peer Meter brings the musical genius to life, as if by magic.

Even fans of Beethoven will discover something new about the maestro and will enjoy the portrayal of Beethoven's peers.

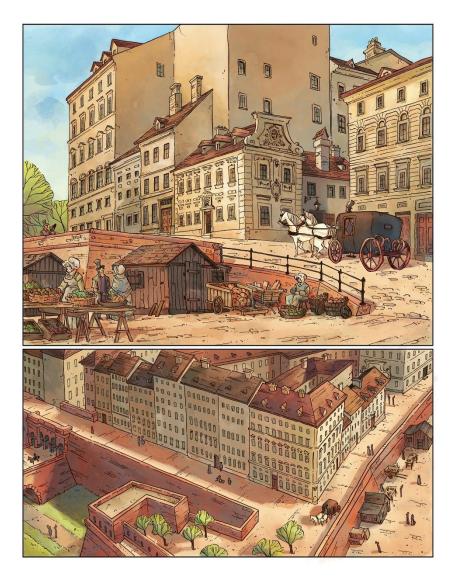
- a MUST for all Beethoven fans worldwide
- a somewhat different view of Beethoven





Per Meter Illustrated by Rem Broo 144 pages, 19.8 x 26.5 cm 4c









Nils. On Death and Anger. And on Courage.

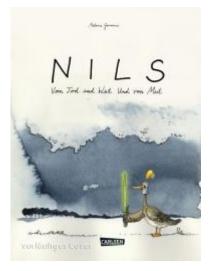
Autobiographical drama about the taboo topic of childhood death

In 2015, the author's youngest son died.

It was an unimaginable shock for the entire family, and the author found her own way of working through it: she began drawing. She started out with a blog and soon discovered how many parents were going through something similar.

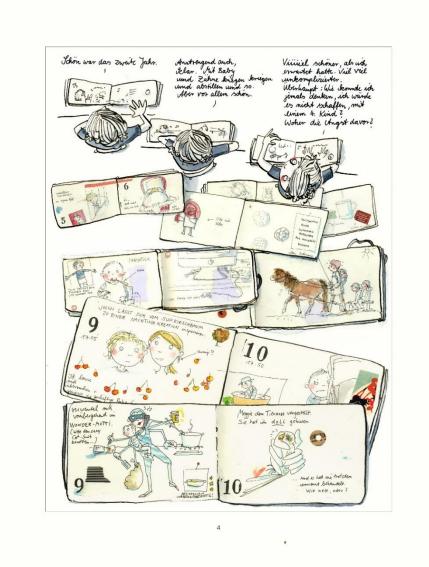
She then decided to draw the entire experience in the form of a graphic novel. The result is a book that holds space for despair and anger as well as humour and happy memories, a book that doesn't sugar-coat anything and that shows how the author found a way to live again.

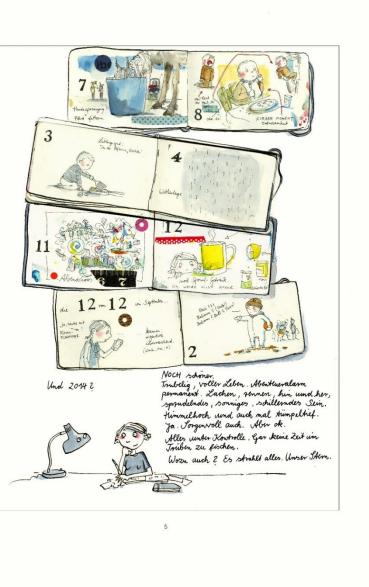
- coming to terms with bereavement
- an authentic and strong voice that finds a way to live again

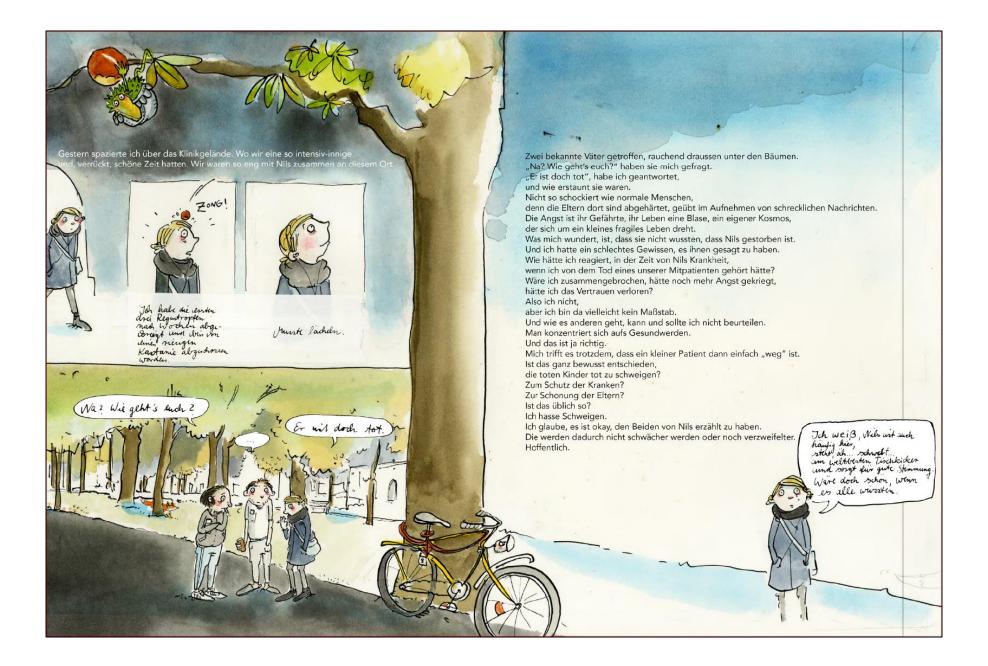


Melanie Garanin 200 pages, 19.8 x 26.5 cm

Alles dreht sich um ihn. Jeder Tag ust erfüllt von größtem Glück und riesiger Dankbaskit. Echt. Warum durften Wh ligentlich früher nicht mit Waffen spielen, Mama ? Nils grøptes Glück ust es ubrigens, sich bis an die Zähne zu bewaffnen.







Alan C. Wilder vol. 1

Comic fun aimed at 8+ readers

The gift of perceiving spirits, poltergeists, and demons is not for the faint of heart! And ever since Alan took over the firm of Wilder Ltd. after his father's death, he's been a little nervous about upholding its reputation – the company offers "assistance with all kinds of supernatural phenomena." His very first case leads Alan to the ominous bridge of the eerie Lady Overtoun...

With Alan C. Wilder, the authors have created an intrepid and witty youthful ghost hunter whose adventures would intimidate even the most seasoned paranormal investigator.

A second volume is already planned!



Patrick Wirbeleit, Ulf K. 200 pages, 19.8 x 26.5 cm





Alan C. Wilder Ltd. Die Protokolle des Übersinnlichen







Normalerweise können Menschen Geister weder sehen, noch hören.



Dies ist eine ungewöhnlich starke Erscheinung.

Trotzdem scheint Mrs Devlin den Geist hören zu können.



Ich muss den Geist ablenken, damit ...

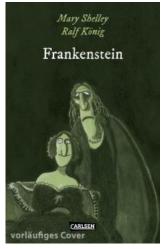


Frankenstein after Mary Shelley

Frankenstein – but funny

Ralf König is Germany's grand master of humour. He has been publishing one comedy book after another for decades. The reason for the success of his books is not only their humour, but also their complexity.

• has the potential to be a must-have!



Ralf König 64 pages, 12.5 x 19.5 cm

Elfriede Jelinek Nicolas Mahler

Der fremde!

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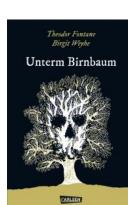
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Antigone





Sarah Khan Isabel Kreitz Den Nachfolgern im Nachtleben





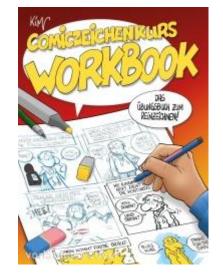
Cartoon Drawing – A Workbook

The third instalment of this successful cartoon drawing course

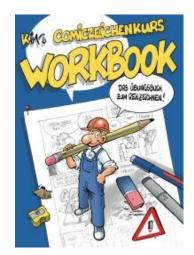
Kim Schmidt's cartoon-drawing courses have quietly found their way onto best-seller and long-seller lists.

This illustrates the demand for quality courses in cartoon drawing. While the first volume offered a general overview of cartoon drawing and the second was dedicated to drawing cartoon figures, the third and final volume is all about practical work – it walks you through the practical side of drawing. Specific instructions, line guides and transparent pages allow the reader to draw in the book itself.

- designed and created by a true expert
- three different volumes available



Kim Schmidt 72-128 pages, 22 x 29.5 cm





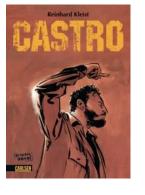
Reinhard Kleist



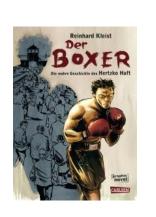
Reinhard Kleist was born in 1970 and studied Graphic Arts and Design. Since 1996 he's been living in Berlin where he shares his studio with other comic book artists. His comic books have won several awards, including the most prestigious one for German comic publications, the "Max und Moritz" award for "Cash".



Johnny Cash. I see a Darkness 224 pages, 17 x 24 cm • sold to Czech Rep., France, Italy, The Netherlands, Spain (Cast.), UK (English Worldwide)



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Knock Out! Emile

160 pages, 17.3 x

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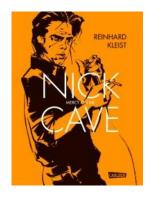
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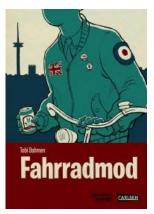


Nick Cave 328 pages, 19.8 x 26.5 cm • sold to Croatia, Czech Rep., Denmark, France, Greece, Italy, The Netherlands, Portugal, Russia, Spain (Cast.), Serbia, Slovak Rep., Slovenia, Turkey, UK (English Worldwide)



Tobi Dahmen

Tobi Dahmen (born 1971) studied Visual Communications in Düsseldorf. He now lives in Utrecht, and works as a comic artist, and illustrator for magazines, marketing campaigns, web campaigns. He was awarded with the ICOM Award for the best shortcomic in 2007, and with the Reddot Award for a corporate design in 2011. His graphic novel "Getting Grand. Memories of a Smalltown Mod" was published in 2015, and stirred a lot of interest.



Getting Grand. Memories of a Smalltown Mod 480 pages 17.3 x 24.5 cm • sold to The Netherlands & Serbia



Arne Jysch (born 1973) studied Design & Animation both in Hamburg and Potsdam. "Wave and Smile" had been his first comic book at Carlsen. "The Wet Fish" had been becoming a true best-seller.



The Wet Fish After Volker Kutscher's ,Babylon Berlin' 216 pages, 20 x 26.5 cm • sold to Czech Rep., France, Italy, The

France, Italy, The Netherlands, Poland, Turkey, UK (English Worldwide)



Olivia Vieweg studied Visual Communication in Weimar. Beside writing comic books, she illustrates cartoon books, novels for young adults and gift books. ,The last Days of the World' received many awards and even become a movie in 2019.

Olivia Vieweg



The last Days of the World 288 pages, 17.5 x 24.5 cm • sold to USA (English Worldwide)

Uli Oesterle



Uli Oesterle was born in Karlsruhe in 1966 and has professional training in the graphic arts. Since the early 1990s, he has been a freelance illustrator, graphic artist, and comic book author. He lives and works in Munich.



Hector Umbra208 pages, 17.5 x 24.6 cmSold into English, Dutch, Polish,Spanish, French Italian



Heavy Headed 176 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm

Spooky Stories / Adaptations / "The Uncanny Library"



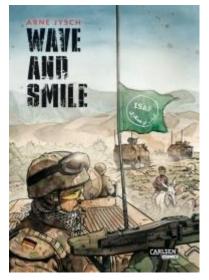
various authors & illustrators, 64 pages, 12.5 x 19.5 cm

Spooky Stories / Adaptations / "The Uncanny Library"





Crime, Spy & Anti-War



Wave & Smile Arne Jysch

200 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm



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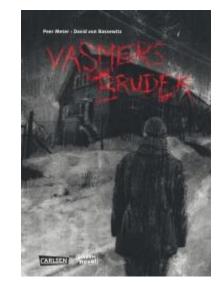
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Crime, Spy & Anti-War



Wilsberg Jörg Hartmann 112 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm

Funnies, Cartoons

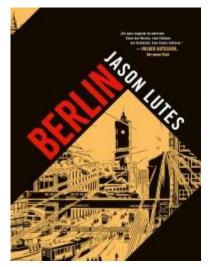




Lucky Fellow # 1 & 2 Flix 96 pages, 22.2 x 22.9 cm Beautiful Daughters Flix 128 pages, 30 x 30 cm • sold to France

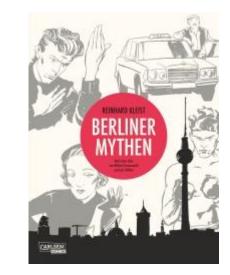
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History



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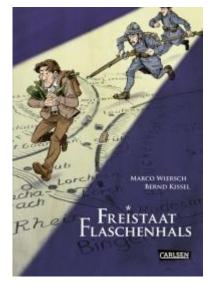
Berlin Myths Reinhard Kleist

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132 pages, 20.3 x 20.5 cmsold to Portugal



The Free State of Bottleneck Bernd Kissel & Marco Wiersch 208 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm

Novel Adaptations



Faust Flix

96 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm • sold to China



Münchhausen Bernd Kissel & Flix

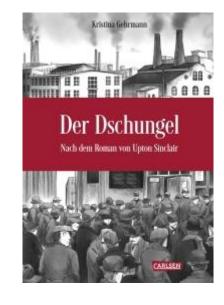
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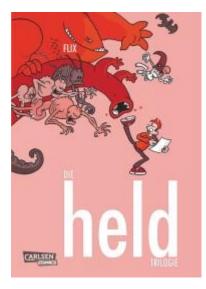
136 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm
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The Jungle Kristina Gehrmann

384 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cmsold into English Worldwide

Bio/Autobiography



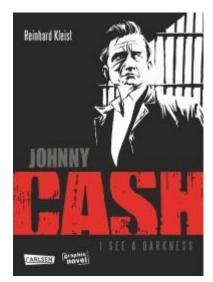
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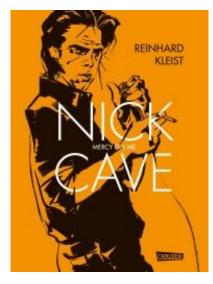
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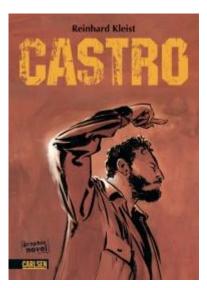
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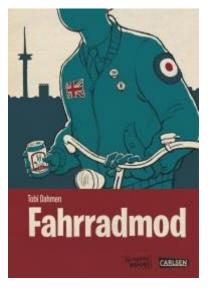
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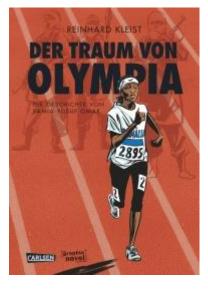
288 pages, 17.5 x 24.6 cmsold to France,UK (English Worldwide)

Bio/Autobiography



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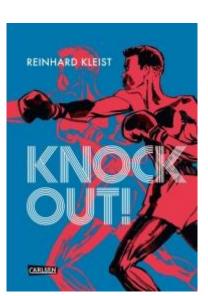
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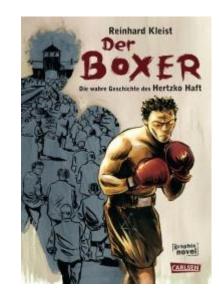
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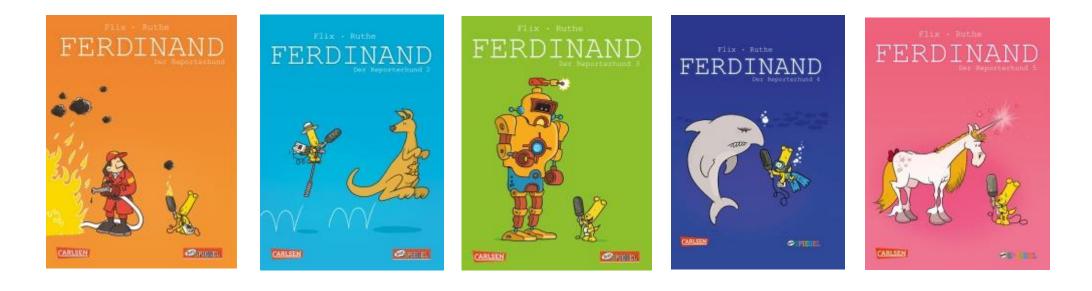
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Comics for Kids



Fernand # 1-5 Ralph Ruthe & Flix 64 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm

Comics for Kids



Alan C. Wilder Patrick Wirbeleit & Ulf. K.

96 pages, 17.3 x 24.5 cm 9+



Rico & Oscar Comics # 1-4

48 pages, 16 x 22 cm

8+

Peter Schössow & Andreas Steinhöfel

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Manga Spring & Autumn 2020

ALPHA²

A must for fans of yaoi & urban fantasy

The life of a werewolf is not easy – especially when you don't want to have anything to do with your fellow werewolves. After moving to a new town, Clive not only has to get to grips with his new local pack, he also meets werewolf Quinn in the forest – an encounter that will turn both of their lives upside down.

There are two things in particular about Quinn that provoke an extreme reaction in Clive – firstly, he is male, and secondly, he is an unmistakable alpha wolf.

- Kamineo is the up-and-coming German mangaka in the yaoi genre
- detailed drawings of animals and landscapes
- sparkling dialogue



Kamoi Kamineo 240 pages, 14.5 x 21.5 cm







Also by Kamoi Kamineo

The Liberi Project # 1-3

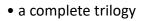
Fantasy for young people aged 12 and up

The Great War divides the world and the cruel tyrant Ankhammerad is banished to the underworld by proud warrior Seelenbinder.

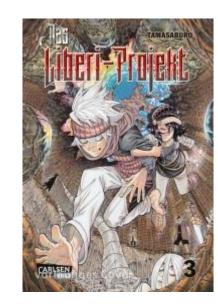
3000 years later, on Seelenbinder's Commemoration Day, Kuruna is on a school trip when she finds herself in the middle of a sandstorm. Who should rescue her but two wild fellows with supernatural abilities – Liberi, created by a megalomaniac scientist. Suddenly, Kuruna is caught up in a battle between good and evil with the secretive Liberi Project at the centre.







• with a healthy dose of teenage humour



Tamasaburo 196/208 pages, 12,5 x 18 cm

BL is Magic # 1-4

Complete 4-part yaoi comedy

Magic and daemons exist...

Rubio, who is part of a powerful black magic family, has both! Having arrived in the human world, he and his great grandfather are on a quest to find out why he – the clan's only offspring – cannot use his dark powers. Humans are irritating – especially the upstart Ati, with whom Rubio is suddenly forced to spend his time. Completely by accident, Rubio casts a spell on Ati, who not only falls head over heels in love with him, he starts to play an important part in his life too...

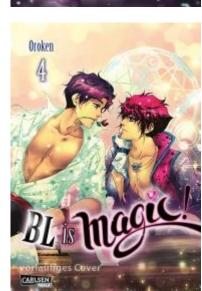
But the most irritating thing of all is the magic that's taken hold of Rubio's own feelings. What is it? That's right – it's love!

• Yaoi fun for readers aged 15 and up

Oroken 128-152 pages, 14,5 x 21 cm • # 4 will be published in March 2021



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