

Notes on Open-Access Book Production

A worked example

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1 Preparing a Manuscript

1.1 Why a Press-Specific Class

A publisher-specific class encodes house style directly, so authors do not have to reproduce it by hand (Knuth 1984). `langscibook` covers title pages, running heads and a bibliography style consistent across every book in the series.

1.2 Structure of This Example

Table 1.1 outlines the two chapters in this starter and what each demonstrates.

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Chapter	Demonstrates
1	Sectioning and a table
2	Citation and bibliography

2 Citing Sources

2.1 A Resolved Citation

The reference below is resolved by `biblatex` in `bibtex-backend` mode, which keeps the compile loop the same as a plain `book` document (Knuth 1984).

2.2 Closing Remarks

The two chapters above are enough to show a working title page, table of contents, sectioning, a table and a bibliography under `langscibook`'s `minimal` mode, which skips cover generation and does not load font files.

Bibliography

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