

# Errata list for The L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X Companion, Second Edition

## (4. printing)

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  series = {Tools and Techniques for Computer Typesetting},
  publisher = {Addison-Wesley},
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  index = {yes},
  isbn = {0-201-36299-6},
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2005/10	Daniel Alonso i Alemany	13 suggestions
2006/04	Michael Schutte	2 suggestions
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This is (partly, ie in the footnote) due to a missing percent in the definition of `\@realcite` and `\@printbibliography` in the camel package.

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If you find further errors please report them to one of the authors, e.g.,

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