

How to Cite *Issues and Controversies* Articles in Noodletools

Many *Issues and Controversies* articles were originally magazine articles, but some are original articles written just for the database. Here's how to tell the difference between them and then cite them in Noodletools:

Scroll down to the bottom of the page to see their article citation. Remember that the **article title** is in quotation marks. Following that is either the name of the magazine it came from or the name of the database it came from. If it was originally a magazine article you will see two different items in italics: First, the name of the magazine (*Issues and Controversies On File*), then a bit later the name of the database (*Issues and Controversies*). The citation will look like this:

Citation: "Update: Gun Control." *Issues & Controversies On File*: n. pag. *Issues & Controversies*. Facts On File News Services, 8 Sept. 2006. Web. 3 Mar. 2011. <<http://www.2facts.com/article/i1100470>>.

The diagram shows callouts for the following components in the citation:

- Article Title: "Update: Gun Control."
- Magazine Title: *Issues & Controversies On File*
- Database Title: *Issues & Controversies*
- Database Publisher: Facts On File News Services
- Date of Original Publication: 8 Sept. 2006
- Publication Medium: Web
- Today's Date: 3 Mar. 2011

If this is the case, tell Noodletools you are citing a magazine that was once in print but now found in an online database. Fill in the appropriate fields that are shown above. The name of the database publisher and the URL are not needed.

However, if you only see one name in italics, then the article was written exclusively for that database and was never in print anywhere. Their citation will look like this:

Citation: "Gun Control Reform." *Issues & Controversies*. Facts On File News Services, 28 Feb. 2011. Web. 3 Mar. 2011. <<http://www.2facts.com/article/i1600110>>.

The diagram shows callouts for the following components in the citation:

- Article Title: "Gun Control Reform."
- Database Title: *Issues & Controversies*
- Database Publisher: Facts On File News Services
- Date of Original Publication: 28 Feb. 2011
- Publication Medium: Web
- Today's Date: 3 Mar. 2011

If this is the case tell Noodletools you are citing an online database, then, select "Yes, this is original content created for this database." Fill in the appropriate fields that are shown above. This time you *will* need to put in the name of the database publisher. Again, the URL is not needed.