

## TWELFTH-CENTURY DECRETALS

Paschal II	Fd	Aa	Vx	Bc	Notes
1.1.125	A+TM	T	A	M	
1.3.14	A	T	A	M	
16.1.9	TM	A	A		Bc ends after C.12.
16.1.47	A	T*	A		Aa: Misplaced between cc.43 and 44.
16.7.18	A	A	A*		Vx: cc.18–19 are also duplicated in the margins of fol. 31ra.
16.7.19	A	A	A*		
18.2.18	A	A	A		
35.2–3.22	A				Vx ends in C.28.
Innocent II	Fd	Aa	Vx	Bc	Notes
35.6.8	A	A			

Intermediate stages between the first and second recensions may yet be found<sup>50</sup>. But at this point, the evidence does not suggest that the additions in Aa, Bc, Fd, or Vx contain any. It is far more likely that these additions descend from complete copies of the second recension which were diversely excerpted in order to supplement the corresponding text of the first recension.

### A Parallel Case: Justinian's *Code* and the *Epitome Codicis*

The practice of supplementing manuscripts of the shorter first recension with excerpts from the longer second recension mirrors what has long been known about the transmission of Justinian's *Code* in the eleventh and twelfth centuries<sup>51</sup>. Unlike the *Digest*, which was largely lost, many ancient and complete copies of the *Code* were known during

50) John Wei has suggested that the *De consecratione* was added later than the rest of the second recension since the relevant section is missing from the *Decretum* introduction *In prima parte agitur* in many of the oldest surviving manuscripts. WEI, Gratian the Theologian (as n. 2) p. 277–80.

51) On the medieval transmission of the *Code* up to thirteenth century, see RADING / CIARALLI, Corpus (as n. 11) p. 133–68; Emanuele CONTE, Tres Libri Codicis: La ricomparsa del testo e l'esegesi scolastica prima di Accursio (Ius Commune, Sonderhefte 46, 1990); Carmen TORT-MARTORELL, Tradición textual del Codex Iustinianus: Un estudio del Libro 2 (Ius Commune, Sonderhefte 45, 1989). Man-