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"After my checkup, I have to order more ink and paper, go shopping, clean the house..."

The diary of a woman who becomes pregnant without the father's consent, *Baby 2000* gives a raw, grotesque –in short, gutsy– portrait of delivery and the first months of having an infant. This memoir is the first comic book by underground artist Caroline Sury, co-founder of indie publisher Le Dernier Cri. Swinging between euphoria and anxiety, it accurately depicts parenthood with Sury's chaotic, bristling drawing style. *Baby 2000* is rooted in everyday life, where the new apartment needs renovations and nurses watch soccer while their patient is in labor.