

# περίπλους

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### «Περίπλους», the Navigator of Antiquity

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The compilation of navigation instructions, was called by the ancient Greeks «περίπλους» (= circum-navigation) and was used by sailors while they were sailing along the coast.

Unfortunately, only a few from these navigation guides have been preserved. The «περίπλους» books, combined with similar-Byzantine guides and the later «πορτολόνο» prove the continuous nautical tradition of our nation throughout the centuries.

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