

# Object Summary

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## Proportional Dividers

null

### Dimensions

33 cm

null

null

### Object Type

Caliper; Compass

### Material

Brass

null

null

### Museum

Malta Maritime Museum

### Registration Number

MMM 000066

### Description

An 18th century brass proportional divider, made of two limbs, hinged together at one end and engraved with trigonometrical scales and graduated lines of sines, tangents and other geometric functions. Such instruments were used by draughtsmen, engineers and navigators. French origin.

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