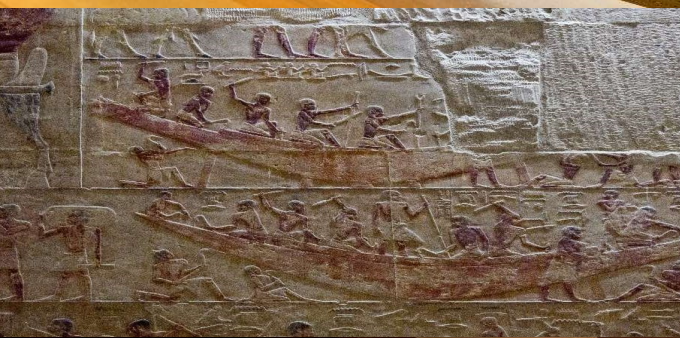




# MAN CONQUERS THE WAVES

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# A great story of navigation





## AT A GLANCE

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Available for surfaces from 500 to 1500 sqm

Up to 25 ships, reproduced or original

30 texts describing the history, 4 languages

+10 animations showing ships' construction, navigation principles, routes, environmental considerations

Up to 200 objects, documents, maps, movie, Imm scenes

85 pages catalogue







# — The periods

## Introduction

Oceans, seas, and rivers cover more than 70% of the world's surface

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## The Neolithic period and the first watercraft

Men, clinging to floating woods or to swollen skins, ventured on the water crossing the rivers before going down on rafts to see what was going on a little further for hunting and discovery; they were hungry for exploration.

## The Antiquity

Against winds and tides, it is said, very quickly man understood the importance of wind in navigation.

## The Middle Age

The navigation, while retaining its roots, turned increasingly towards the exploration of new lands and the discovery of new continents.

## The Modern Times

the technical progress, still more the footprint of man on the seas and oceans.

## The contemporary time

At that time, the large-scale sailboats, often made of steel, with 4 or 5 masts, were still being built in an attempt to compete with the progressive advent of steamboats.





## — Interesting items

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Earth 2.5 m dia, water cycle, timeline

Reproduced monoxyle pirogue, tools, illustrations

the Odyssey of Ulysses, maps, objects, movies, Greek Egyptian Roman ships

Bayeux tapestry, remarkable boats, 3D movies, animated maps, original books, facsimile, original navigation objects

Transatlantic ships, documents, the environmental aspect, maritime traffic and the impact on the sea life.



## — Various

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**Large audience, families, schools...**

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**Didactical games along the exhibition**

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**Immersive situations**

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**Pedagogical leaflet for kids and schools**

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**Environmental considerations**



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Presto nella vostra città

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