

The Digital Marmor Parium

Materiality of ancient Greek fragmentary historiography

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1. The *Digital Marmor Parium* project
2. Digital Philology and Epigraphy
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1.

The Digital Marmor Parium project

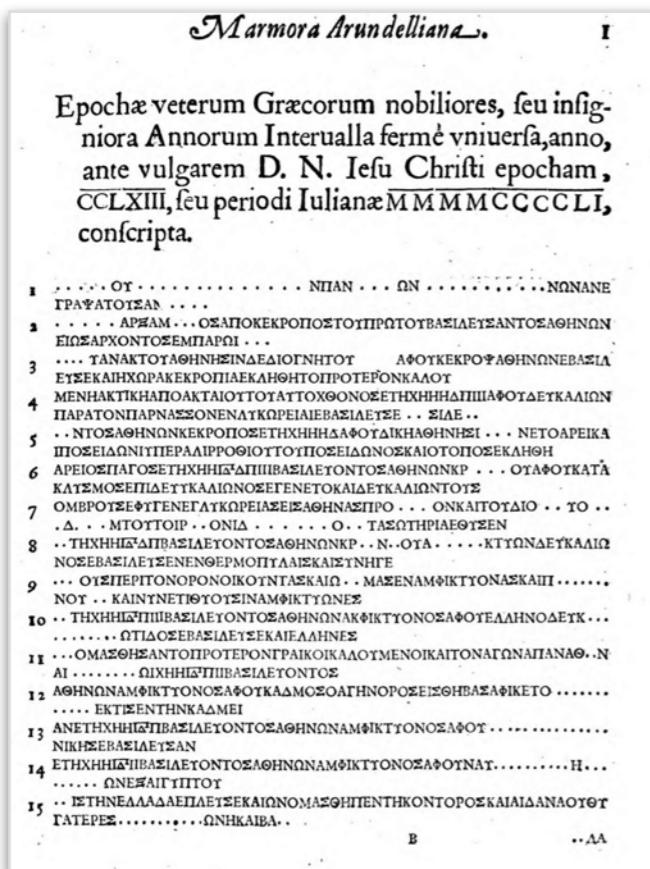
Marmor Parium

- Hellenistic chronicle on marble
- list of events: 1581/80 - 299/98 BC
- Panhellenic history with a focus on Athens
- double chronology:
 - number of years elapsing from 264/63 BC (acrophonic numerals)
 - name of Athenian king or archon
- the author of the text is unknown

Marmor Parium

- the date of composition/publication is unknown
(264/63 *terminus post quem*)
- the ultimate purpose of the document is unknown
- the original location is unknown
- chronological issues:
 - use of different sources based on different lists of archons
 - shift from an exclusive to an inclusive counting

the stone



Fragment A

(ll. 1-93)

A(a)

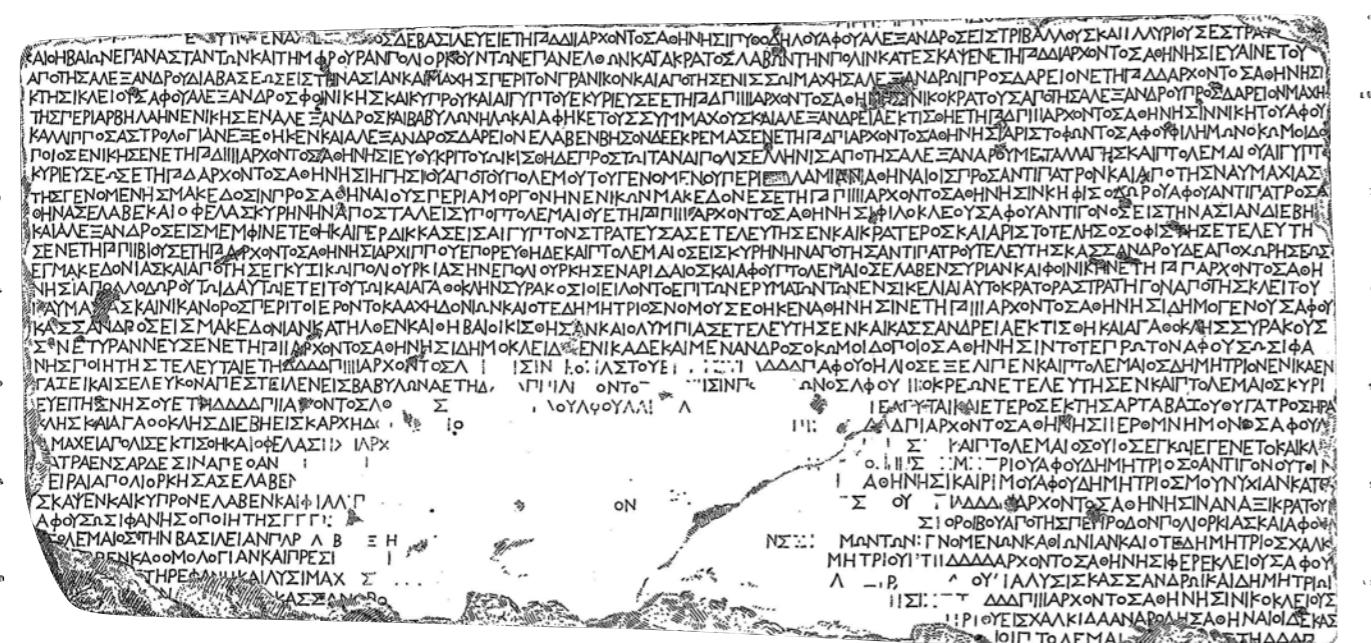
- bought in Smyrna in 1627 by Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel
 - published by John Selden in *Marmora Arundelliana* (London 1628)
 - upper part (ll. 1-45) lost during the turmoils under Charles I



A(b)

- surviving part of A (ll. 46-93) preserved in Oxford since 1667
 - today displayed in Oxford, Ashmolean Museum

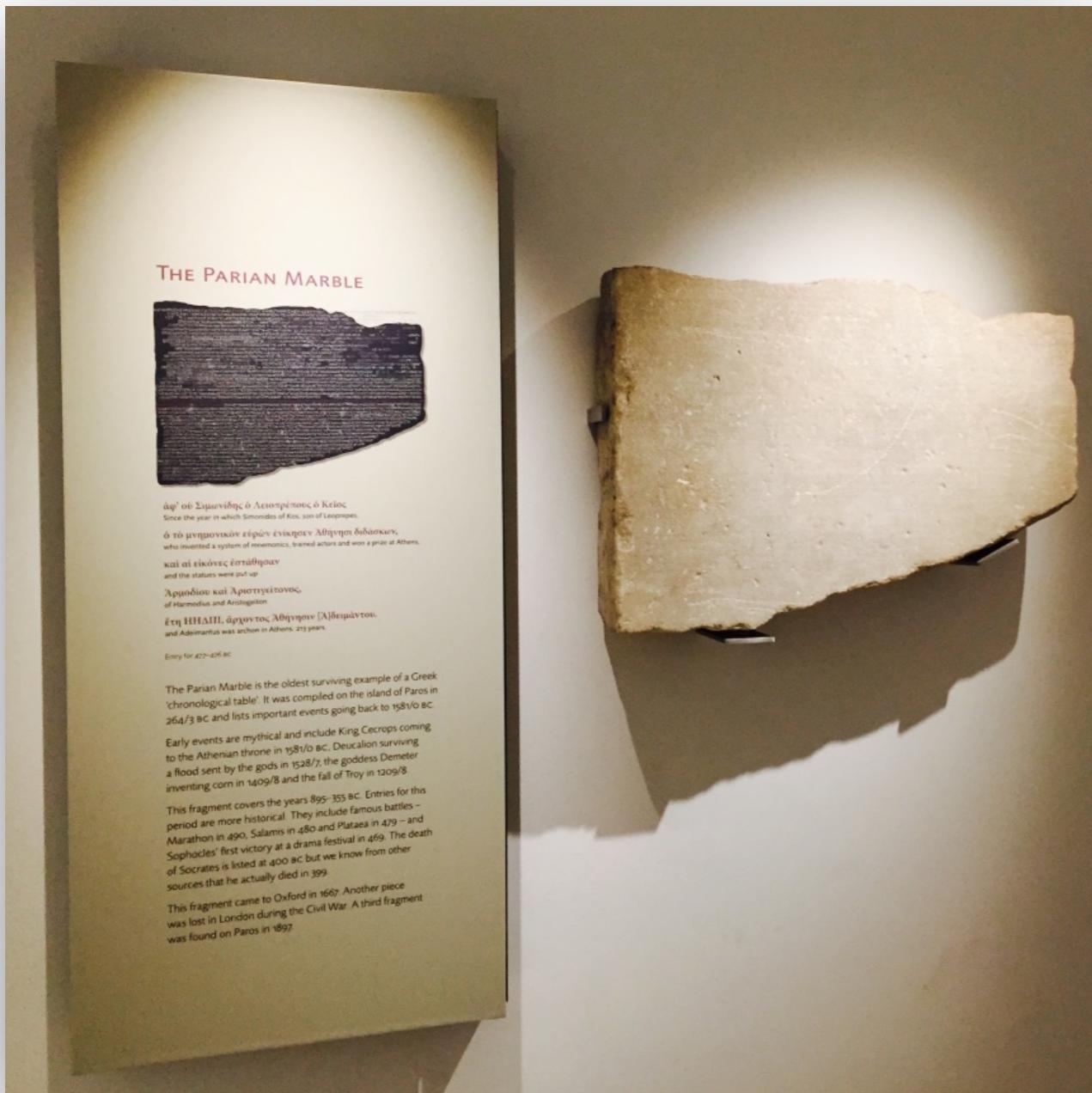
the stone



Fragment B (ll. 1-34)

- discovered in Paros in 1897
- published by Krispi and Wilhelm in 1897
- today displayed in the Archaeological Museum of Paros

the stone



Fragment A
Oxford, Ashmolean Museum
(2015)

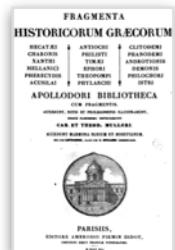


Fragment B
Paros, Archaeological Museum
(2015)

editions



CIG 2374 (fr. A = ll. 1-93) (1843)



FHG I, pp. 535-590 (fr. A = ll. 1-93) (1846)



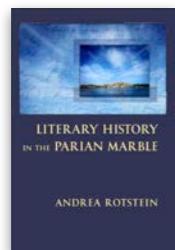
IG XII 5, 444 (frr. A and B) (1903)



F. Jacoby. *Das Marmor Parium* (1904)



FGrHist 239 (1929) + *BNJ* 239 (2016)

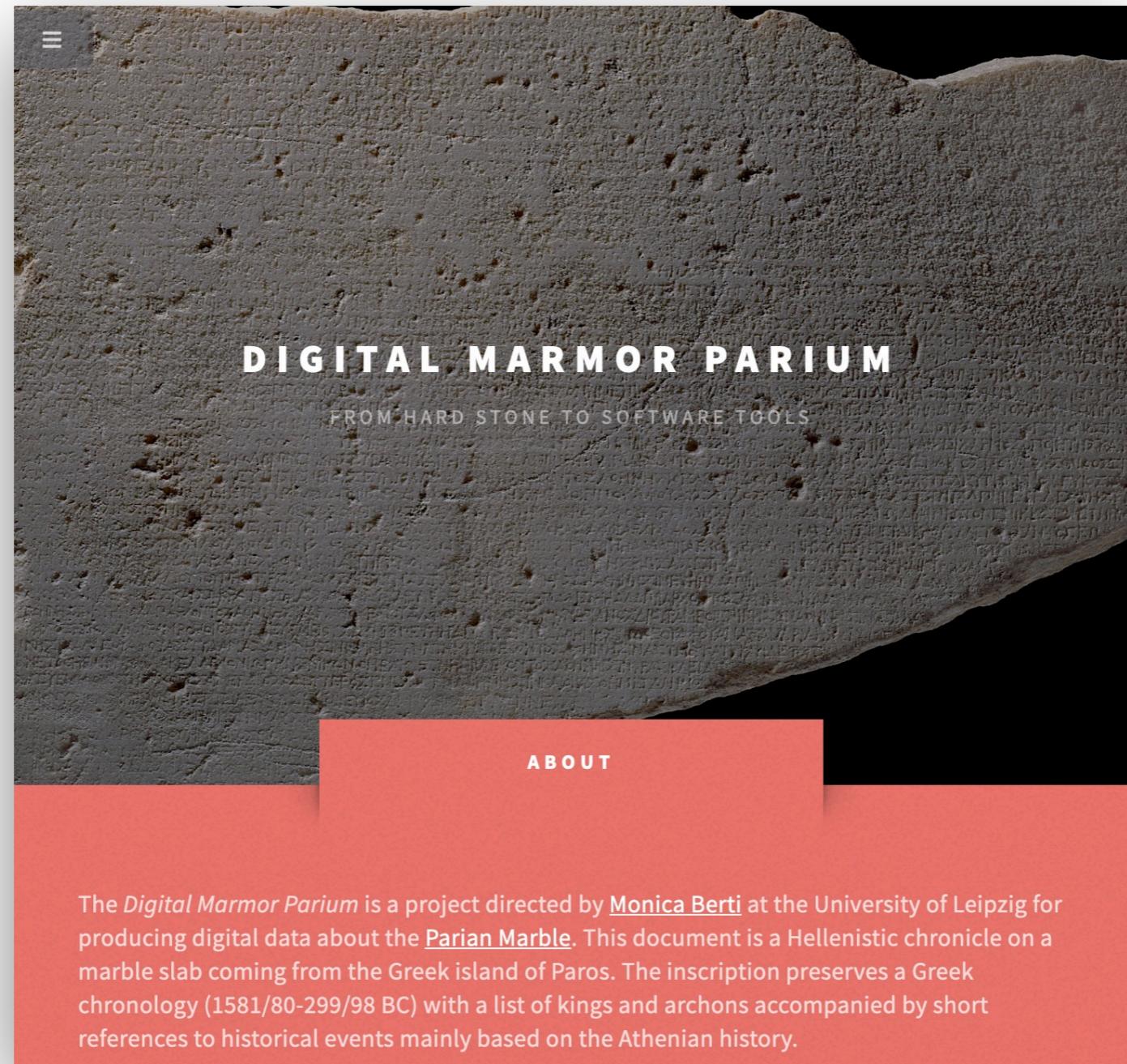


A. Rotstein. *Literary History in the Parian Marble* (2016)

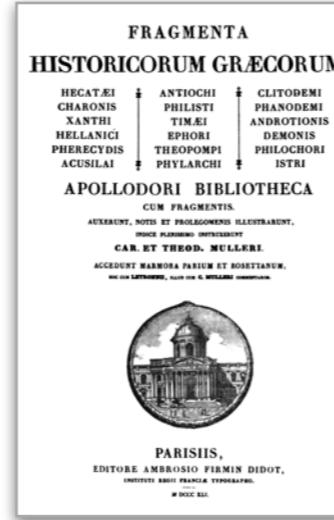
text structure

Fragment	Entries	Athenian kings/archons	Chronology	Events
A(a) lines 1-45	1-29	Cecrops, Cranaos, Amphictyon, Erichthonios, Pandion, Erechtheus, Pandion, Aegeus, Theseus, Menestheus, Demophon, Menestheus, Diognetas	ca. 1581/80 – 907-05	mythological events related to Greek kings, poetry, religion, temple foundations, ...
A(b) lines 46-93	30-80	Pherecles, Aischylos, (681/80) Lysiades, Dropides, Aristocles, Critias the first, Simon, Damasios the second, Comeus, Euthydemos, Harpactides, Lysagoras, Pythocritos, Phainippides the second, Aristeides, Philocrates, Kalliades, Xanthippos, Timosthenes, Adeimantos, Chares Apsephion, Theagenides, Euthippos, Callias the first, Diphilos, Astyphilos, Euctemon, Antigenes, Callias the first, Mikon, Laches, Aristocrates, Pytheus, Callias, Asteios, Phrasicleides, Nausigenes, Cephisodoros, Agathocles, Callistrates	ca. 895-93 – 354	annual archonship, innovations in music and theatre, life of tragedians, comedians and other poets, historical events, ...
B lines 1-34	1-27	Pythodelos, Euainetos, Ctesicles, Nicocrates, Niketos, Aristophon, Euthycrites, Hegesios, Cephisodoros, Philocles, Archippos, Apollodorus, Demogenes, Democleides, Theophrastos, Polemon, Simonides, Hieromnemon, Demetrios, Cairimos, Anaxicrates, Coroibos, Euxenippus, Pherecles, Leostratos, Nicocles, Euctemon	ca. 336/35 – 299/98	historical events of the Hellenistic age, life of poets, city foundations, natural events (eclipses, earthquakes), ...

Digital Marmor Parium



<http://www.digitalmarmorparium.org>



Digital Fragmenta Historicorum Graecorum (DFHG)

Fragmenta Historicorum Graecorum (FHG) vol. I
(edition of the Marmor Parium)

<http://www.dfhg-project.org>



- Marmor Parium: fragmentary author/text
- digital representation of the Marmor Parium



2.

Digital Philology and Epigraphy



- **character encoding** for ancient Greek
- **EpiDoc XML** encoding
- digital representation of **chronological data**
- Named Entity Recognition and Annotation: **NER**
- **linguistic annotation**
- **images**



character encoding



character encoding

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Marmor Parium A 3

ΧΗΗΓΔΓΙΙΙ
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1268
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(1531/30 BC)



character encoding

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X = 1000
 H = 100
 Δ = 5
 Γ = 10
 I = 1

10144 ₩ GREEK ACROPHONIC ATTIC FIFTY

http://www.dfhg-project.org/DFHG/index.php?volume=Volumen_primum#urn:lofts:fhg.1.marmor_parium.i.3

<https://epigraphy.packhum.org/text/77668>

<https://unicode.org/charts/PDF/U10140.pdf>



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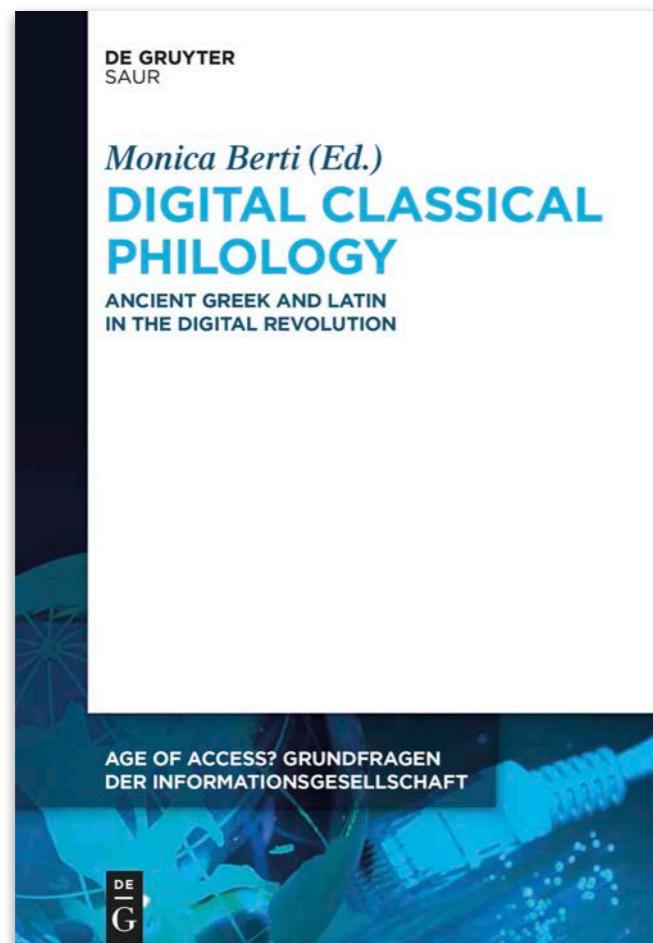
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Character Encoding of Classical Languages

Abstract: Underlying any processing and analysis of texts is the need to represent the individual characters that make up those texts. For the first few decades, scholars pioneering digital classical philology had to adopt various workaround for dealing with the various scripts of historical languages on systems that were never intended for anything but English. The Unicode Standard addresses many of the issues with character encoding across the world's writing systems, including those used by historical languages, but its practical use in digital classical philology is not without challenges. This chapter will start with a conceptual overview of character coding systems and the Unicode Standard in particular but will discuss practical issues relating to the input, interchange, processing and display of classical texts. As well as providing guidelines for interoperability in text representation, various aspects of text processing at the character level will be covered including normalisation, search, regular expressions, collation, and alignment.

Introduction

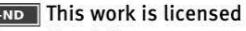
The representation of texts electronically must be grounded in the representation of individual characters in those texts and it is for this reason that character encoding is a foundational part of digital philology.

In this chapter we will look at the character encoding of classical texts with an emphasis on Unicode. I will provide a conceptual introduction and brief history to illustrate the development of those concepts. To avoid being too abstract, however, I will give examples relevant to Ancient Greek as well as demonstrate certain processing characteristics of Unicode via snippets of Python. I include discussion of things to watch out for and common pitfalls.

Preliminaries and history

The idea of encoding the letters of the alphabet using combinations of a much smaller set of symbols goes back centuries. Francis Bacon developed a secret

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EpiDoc/XML encoding



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FGrHist 239 A (ll. 62-64)
(the battle of Marathon)

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EpiDoc/XML encoding

IG XII 5, 444 (ll. 62-64)
(entry 48)

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- entry for each event

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• personal names

Ἄρ[ταφ]έ[ρνην τε τὸ]ν Δαρείου ἀδελ[φ]ι|[δοῦν

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family relationship: SNAP ontology
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<http://www.stoa.org/epidoc/gl/latest/idx-persnames.html>



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- other examples from the DMP
 - Τριπτολέμου τοῦ Κελεοῦ καὶ Νεαίρας (l. 24 - ep. 12) – name of the father and the mother
 - Κριτίου τοῦ προτέρου (l. 52 - ep. 36) – how do we encode τοῦ προτέρου?
 - τῶν πεντήκοντα Δαναίδων (l. 14 - ep. 9) – collective nouns

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- personal names

ἄρχοντος Ἀθήνησιν [τοῦ] δευτέρου [Φα]ιν[ί]π[που]

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chronology expressed by the archonship: <date> ... </date>

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<http://www.stoa.org/epidoc/gl/latest/idx-persnames.html>



- place names

<placeName>Μαραθώνι</placeName>



Pleiades ID

<https://pleiades.stoa.org>



- dates and other chronological data

(227 = 490/89)

ἢτη ΗΗΔΔΓΙΙ

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(35 years of age)

[ε][τ]ων[ν] ὡν ΔΔΔΓ

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- dates and other chronological data

office span
(21st year of kingship)

31 ἀφ' οὗ Ἀρχίας Εὐαγήτου δέκατος ὧν ἀπὸ Τημένου ἐκ
Κορίνθου ἥγαγε τὴν ἀποικίαν [καὶ ἔκτισε] Συρακού[σσας,
ἔτη — — —,] [.. βασι]λεύ[ον]τος Ἀθηνῶν Αἰσχύλου, ἔτους
είκοστοῦ καὶ ἑνός

βασιλεύοντος Ἀθηνῶν Αἰσχύλου, `<date type="office-span"
dur="P21Y">`ἔτους είκοστοῦ καὶ ἑνός`</date>`



chronological data



GODOT – Graph of Dated Objects and Texts

<https://godot.date>



chronological visualization

1581 B.C.

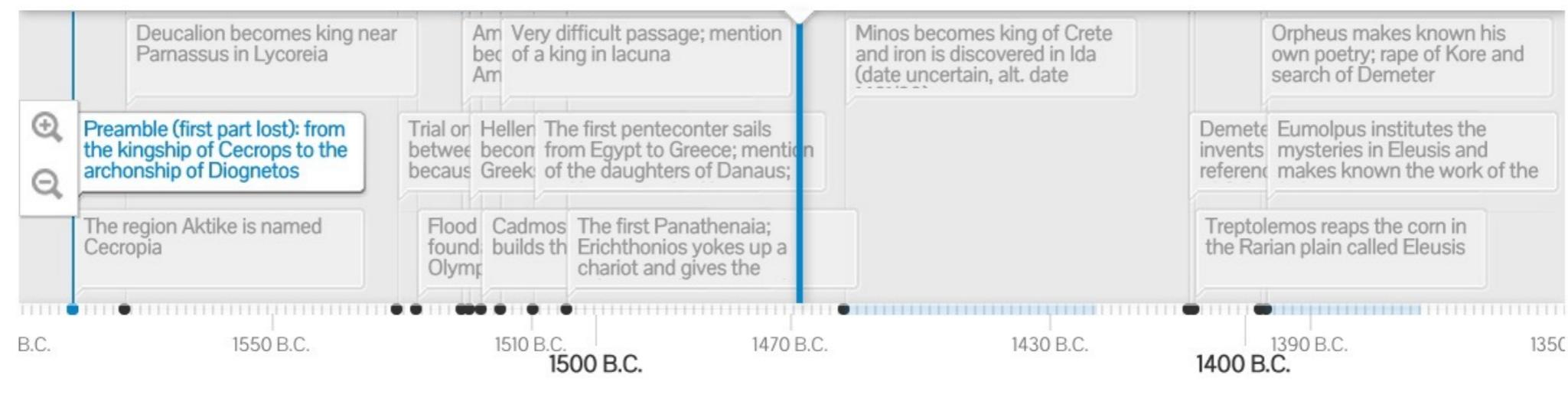
Preamble (first part lost): from the kingship of Cecrops to the archonship of Diognetus

.....ου [.... {² nomen auctoris}]² ἐκ συγγραμμάτω]ν(?) παν[τοῖ]ων — — — — νων(?) ἀνέγραψα τοὺς ἀν— — — — —
 ἀρξάμ[εν]ος ἀπὸ Κέκροπος τοῦ πρώτου βασιλεύσαντος Ἀθηνῶν
 εἴως ἄρχοντος ἐμ Πάρῳ [μὲν {² lacuna?}]² [...]υάνακτος, Ἀθήνησιν
 δὲ Διογνήτου (Kingship of Cecrops)



1581 B.C.

The region Aktike
is named Cecropia

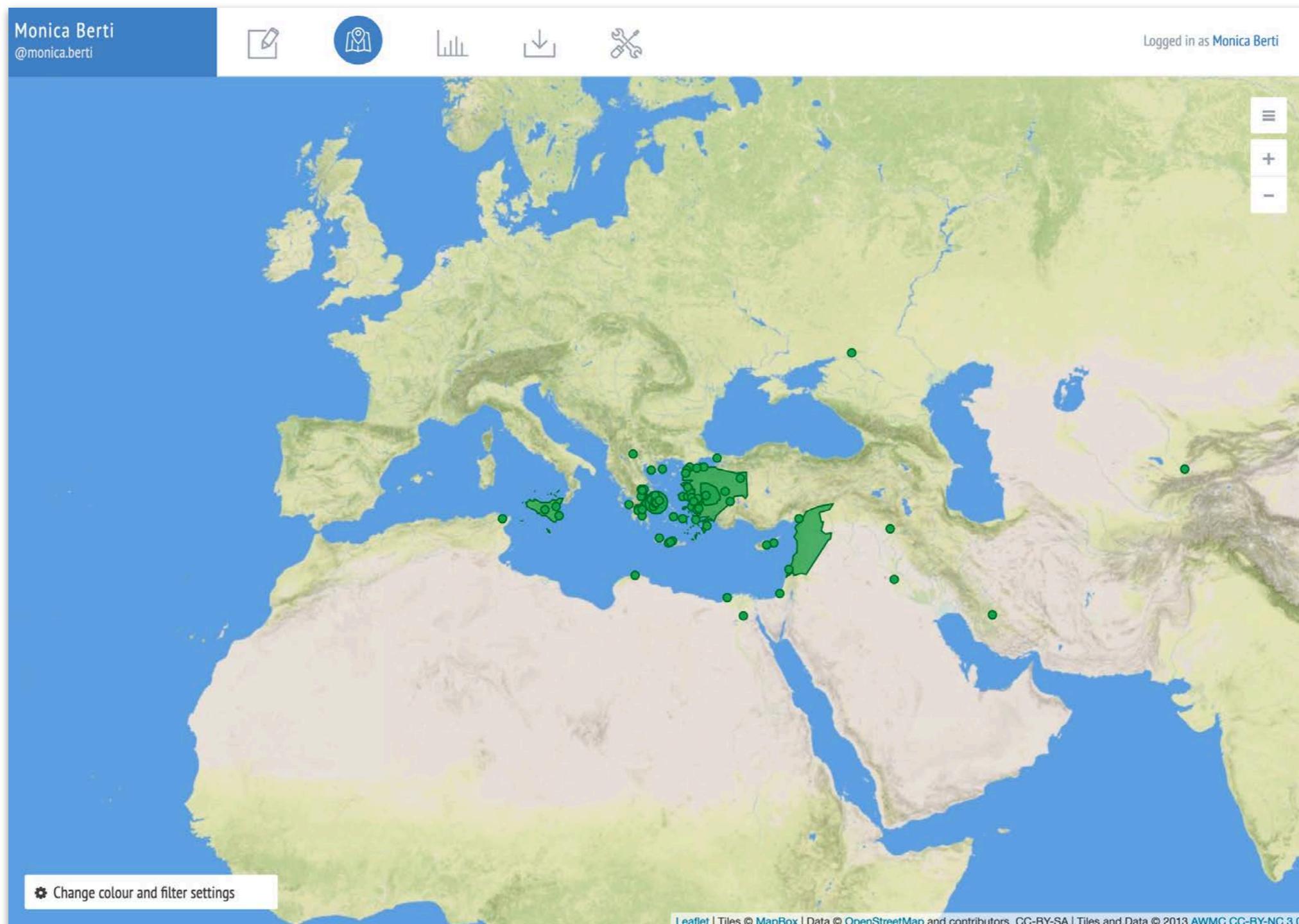




Named Entity Recognition



Named Entity Recognition





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Activity

★ Entities

Tags

Completion

256	Places tagged
252	Verified (98.44%)
4	Flagged (1.56%)



Flagged Toponyms

Toponym	# Flagged
τοῦ Διὸ[ς τοῦ] [Ολυμπίου τὸ [[εργά]δων]	1
Ἄρειος Πάγος	1
Ἄρε[ιοι] Πάγωι	1
Κυβέλοις	1

Resolved Places

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9	6	10-12	Hellen, son of Deucalion, becomes king of Phthiotis; the Greeks are named Hellenes; the Panathenaic games ...	1257	1257	1520/19	1520/19	Amphictyon	-	Hellen
10	7	12-13	Cadmos comes to Thebes and builds the Cadmeia	1255	1255	1518/17	1518/17	Amphictyon	-	Cadmos
11	8	13-14	Very difficult passage; mention of a king in lacuna	1252	1252	1515/14	1515/14	Amphictyon	-	*different reconstruction in Jacoby
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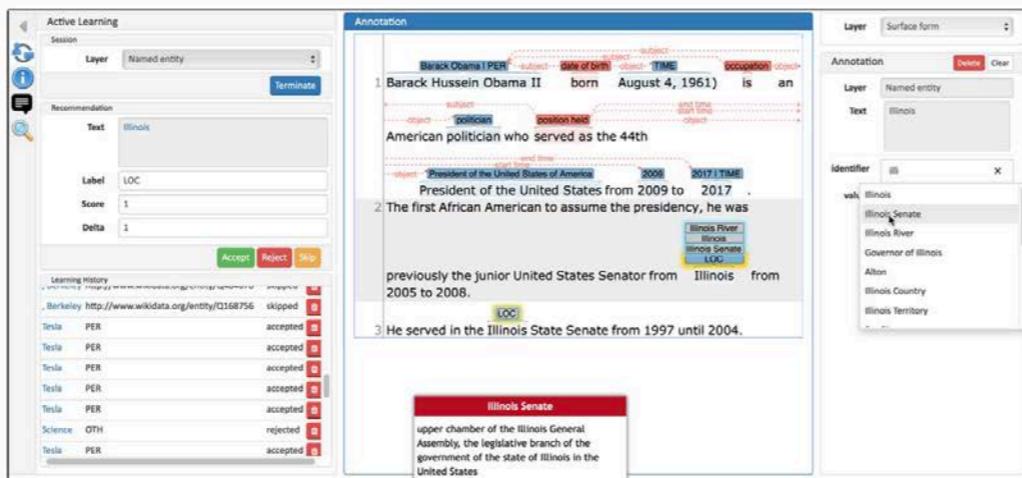


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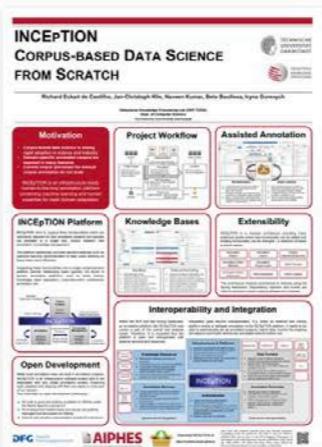
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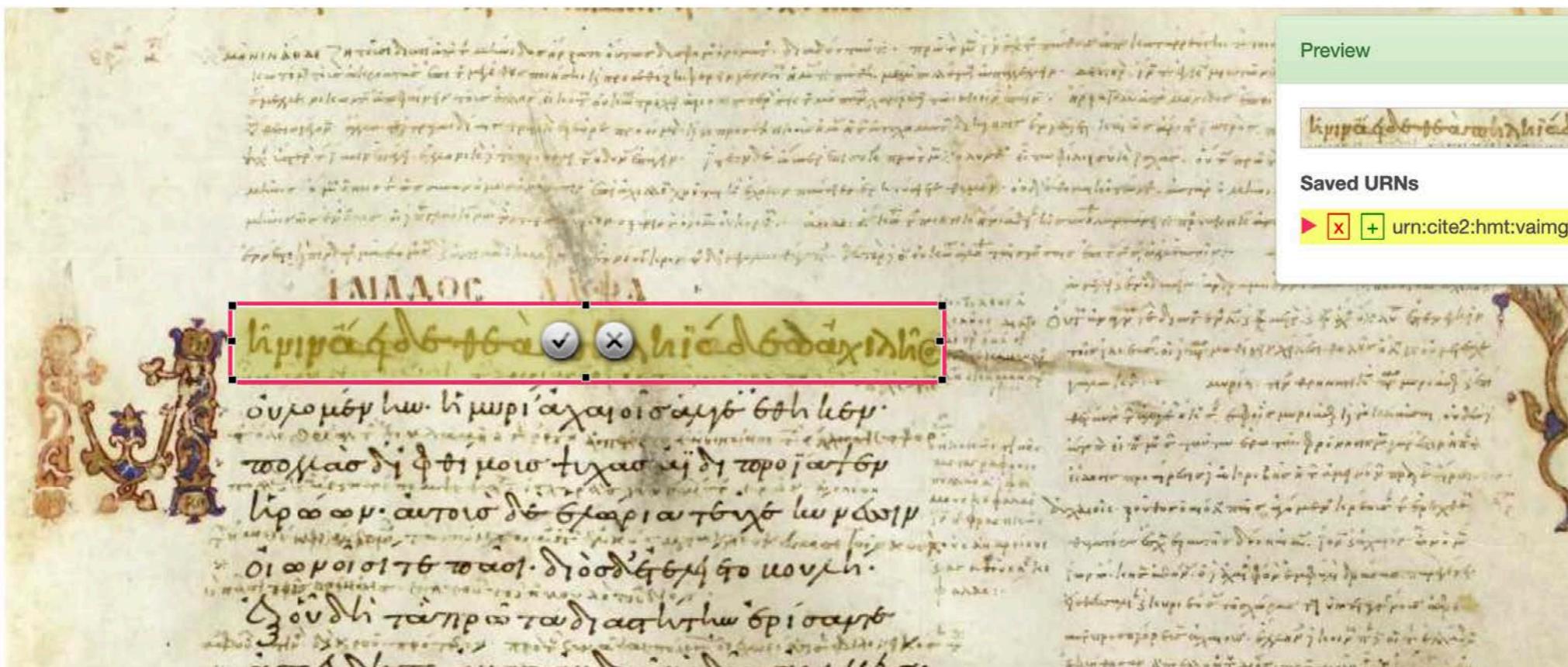


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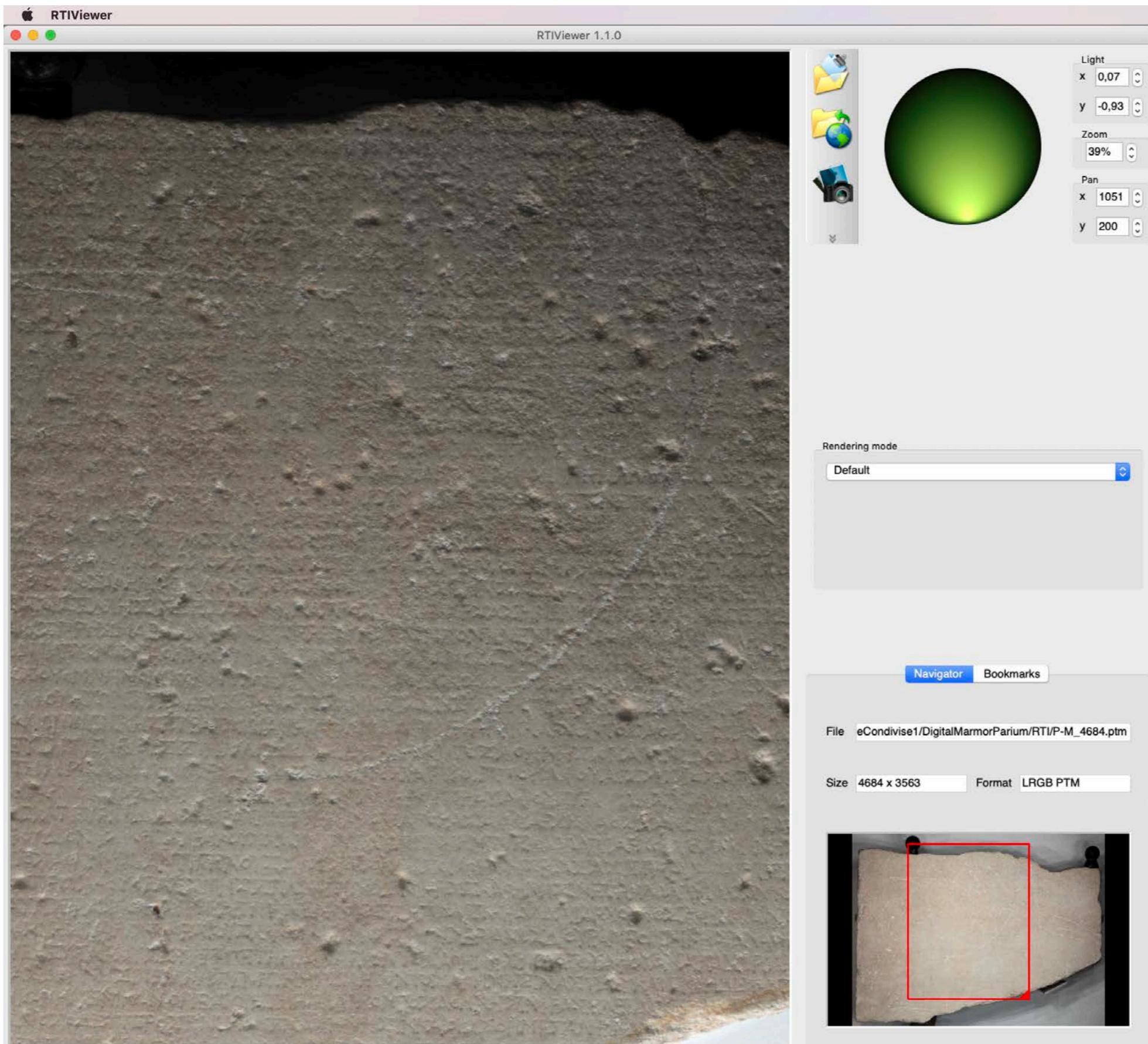
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