

Classical images – Greek

Piscis austrinus



Odysseus with the Cyclops
Laconian cup, 565-60 BC
Paris, BnF



Plate with fish
from Capua, 4th C BC
Capua, Castello Aragonese museum

Classical images – Roman

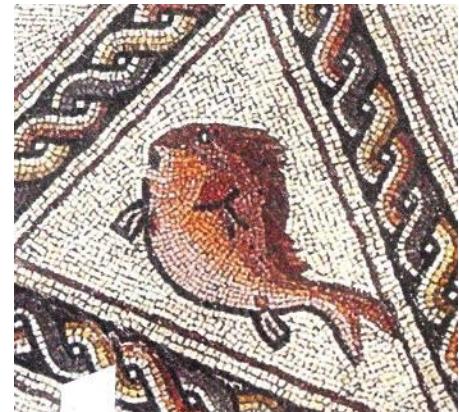
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Fish
Floor mosaic, mid-4th C
Aquileia



Monstrous Fish
Floor mosaic from Lod, Israel, c. 300 AD
Berlin, Antiken Samml.



Fat-bellied Fish
Floor mosaic
Paris, Mus du Louvre.



Fish
Floor mosaic
Rome, Palazzo Massimo



Classical images – Roman

Piscis austrinus



Fish
6th C
Brooklyn Museum



Fish
Floor mosaic
Rome Palazzo Massimo



Perch (?) and Moray eel
Roman, c. 300 AD
Lod, Israel © Carole Raddato



Two fush
Treviso
© Flaviu Boerescu

Classical images – Roman



Floor mosaic
from Pompeii, House of the Dancing Faun, 100 BC
Naples, Mus Archeologico

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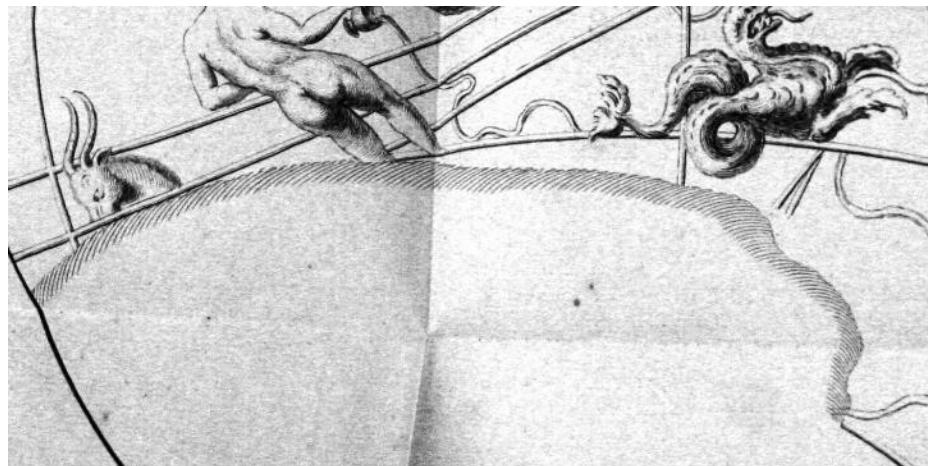
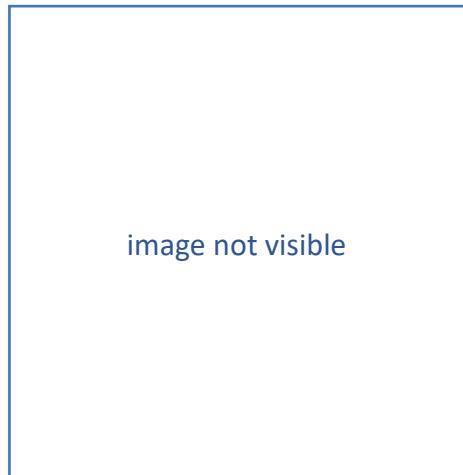
Qasr, Libya, p. 24



Floor mosaic
Libya

Classical globes

Piscis austrinus



Naples, Farnese Atlas

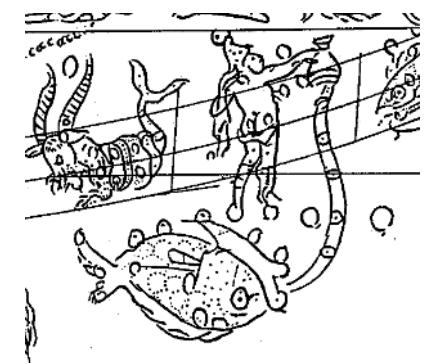
Bentley's Manilius



Paris, Kugel Globe
n.b. – swims to right



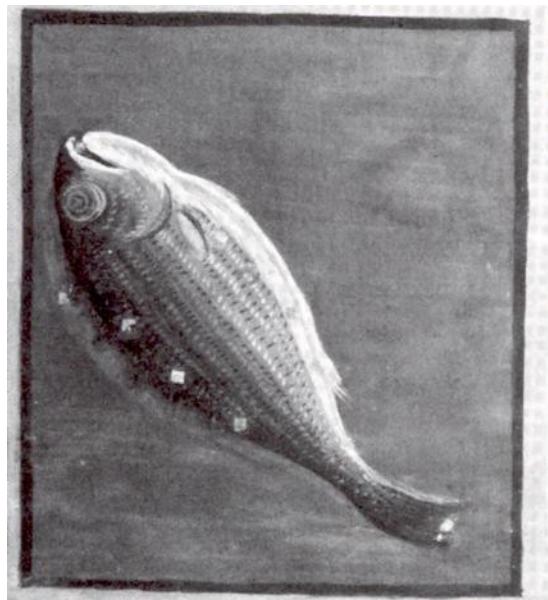
Mainz globe
(Kunzl)
n.b.: - upside down, receiving stream of Aqr



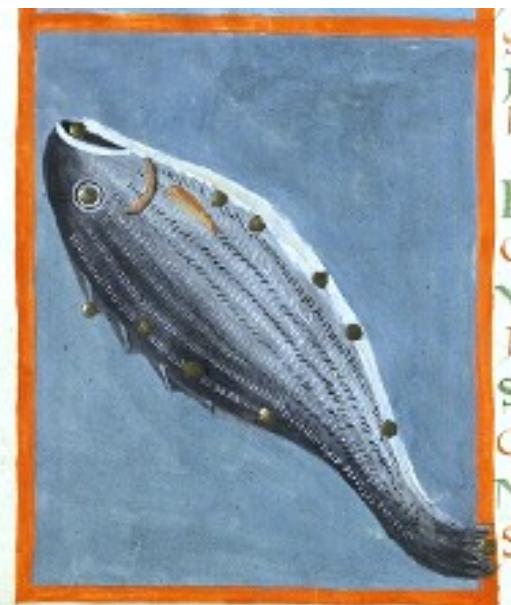
(drawing ©

Germanicus mss

I. = z stemma



Leiden, Univbibl
Voss lat 4° 79
n.b. – upside-down, head to left



Boulogne-sur-Mer, Bibl. Mun.
Ms 188
same



vs. planisphere – upright, receiving Aqr's stream

Piscis austrinus



Bern, Burgerbibl,
Ms 88



vs. planisphere – same

Germanicus mss

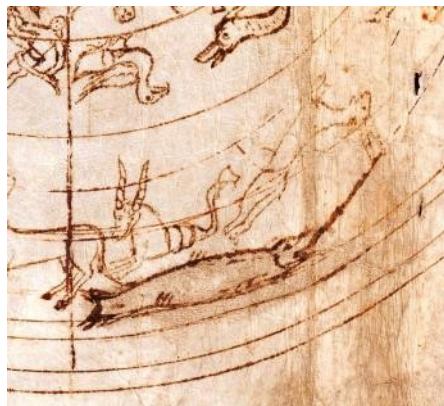
II and III. = O stemma (O¹ or v)

II.



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Basle, OBU
Ms AN.IV . 18



vs. planisphere
n.b. – stream

III.



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Aberystwyth, NLW
Ms 735 C
n.b. – band with round dots and ‘ribbons’



vs. schema
same

Piscis austrinus



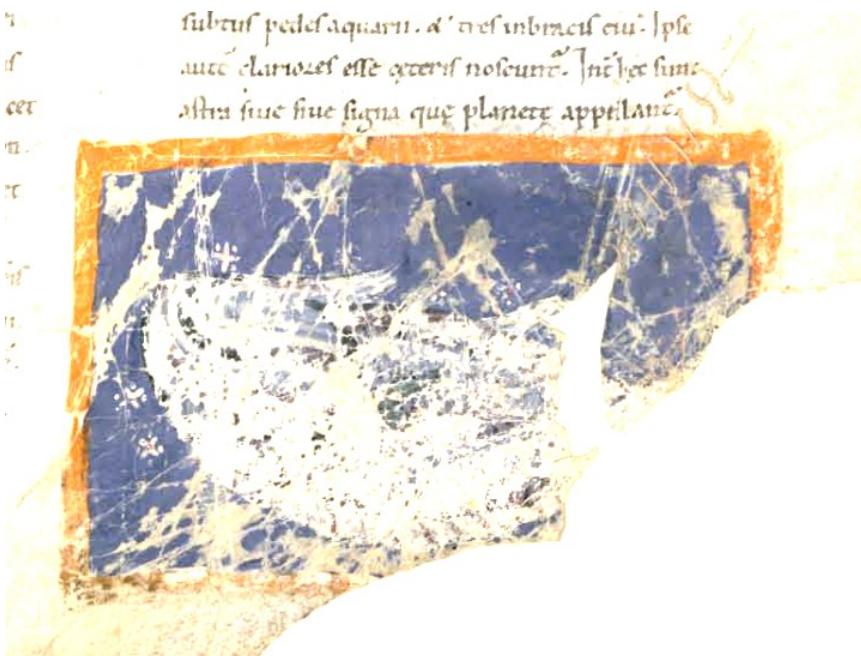
vs. planisphere
n.b. – stream from Aqr



vs. winter hemisphere
stream from Aqr

Germanicus mss

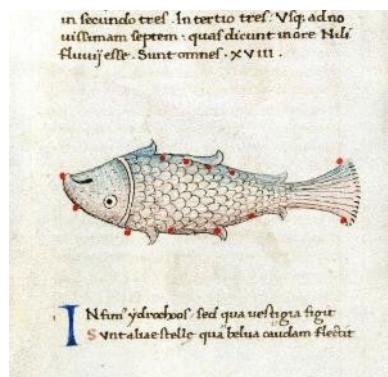
IV. = O stemma (O² or μ)



Madrid, Bib nac
Ms 19 (16)
n.b. – upside-down, head to left

Piscis austrinus

Va. = O stemma (O² or μ = Siciliensis)



Cologny, Bib Bodmer
Cod lat 7
n.b. – same



NY, Pierpont Morgan Libr
Ms M 389
same

Vb.

terrestris vocat. habetque stellas in
primo flexu in huius tres. In tertio
in usq. ad novissimum viii. quas dicit
in ore rati flumij esse. Sunt omnes xviii.



Vatican, BAV
Barb lat 76
same

VI.

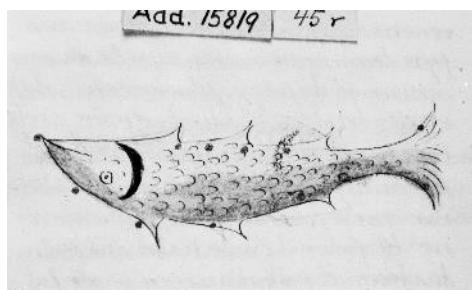


London BL

Egerton 1050

n.b. – upside-down, head to left

VII.

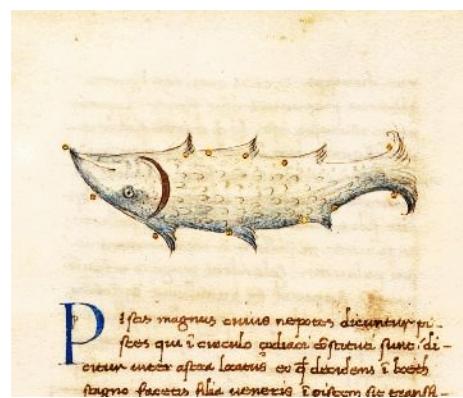


Infimus hydrochoos sed quae nigra figura
 sum alie stelle quae cauda flectit
 Quaque caput piscis media regione locate

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same

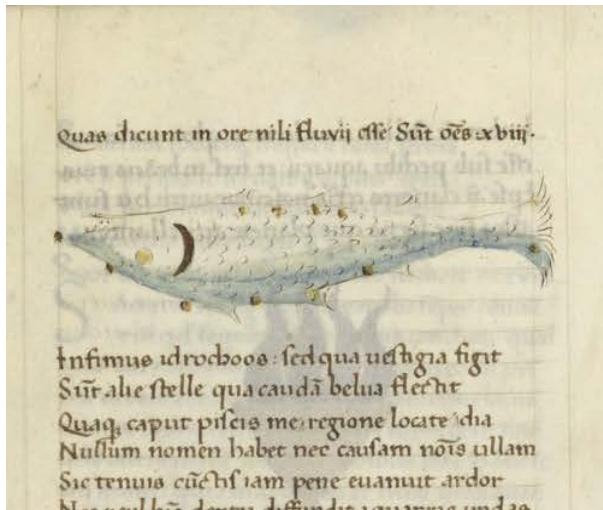


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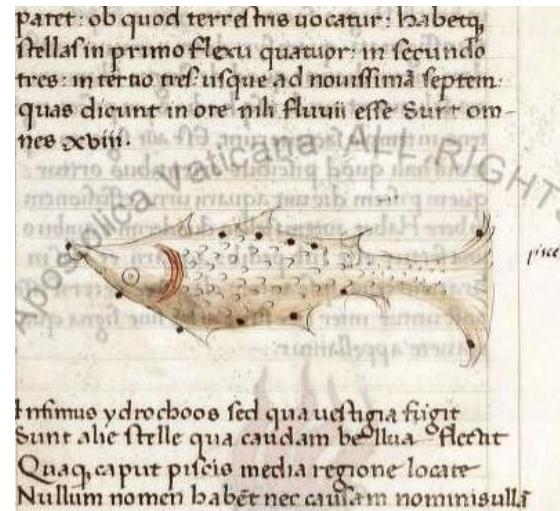
XIV D 37

same

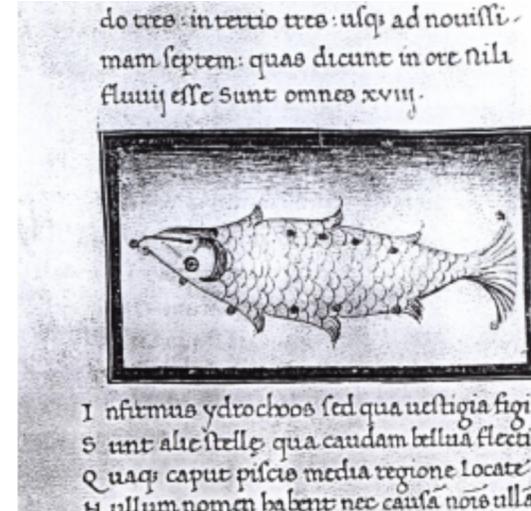
VIIIa.



Madrid Bib Nac
Ms 8282
n.b. – upside-down, head to left

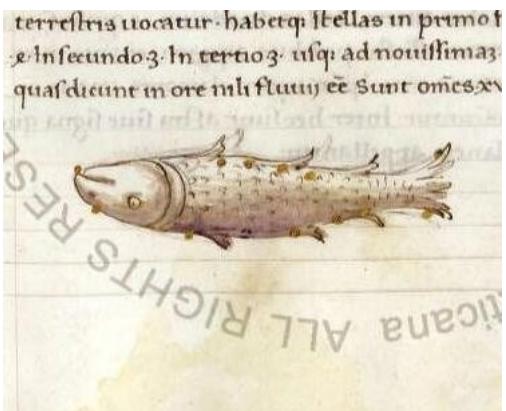


Vatican, BAV
Barb lat 77
same



Vienna, Schottenstift
Ms 51
same

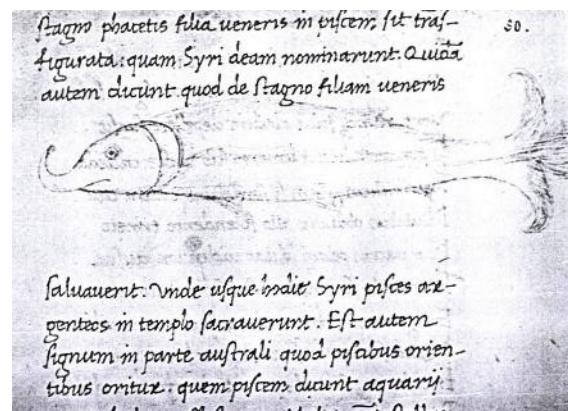
VIIIb.



VIIIc.



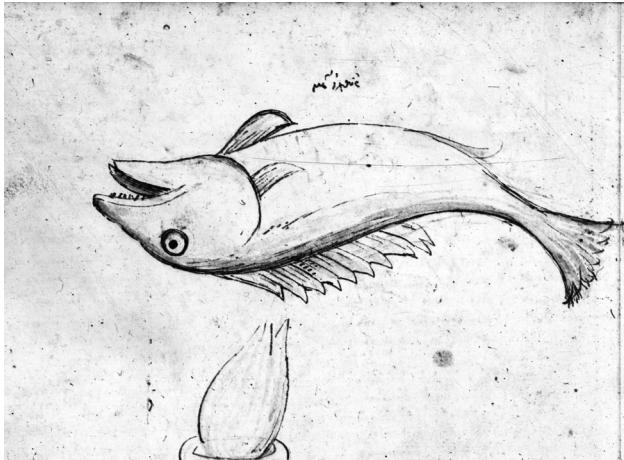
IX.



Vatican, BAV
Urb lat 1358
n.b. – upside-down, head to left

Florence, Bibl Laurenziana
Plut 89 sup 43
same

Montpellier
Ms H 452
n.b. – right side up, curled nose



Vatican BAV,
Vat grec 1087
n.b. – upside-down, head to left



planisphere
upside-down, receives Aqr stream



winter hemisphere
same

Cicero

Piscis austrinus

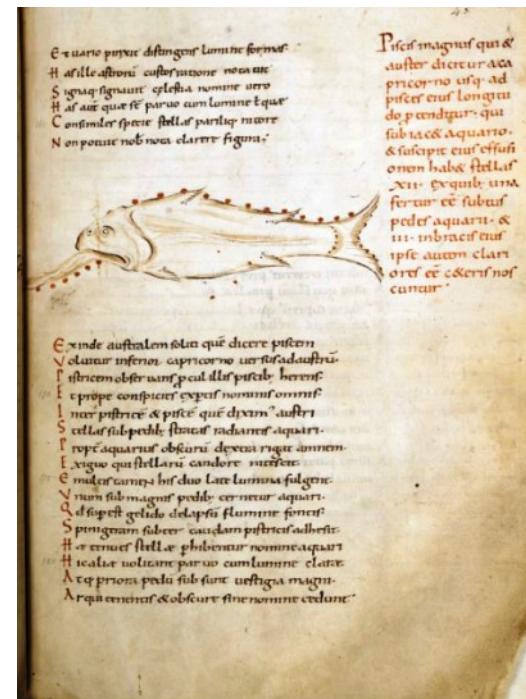


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Harley 647

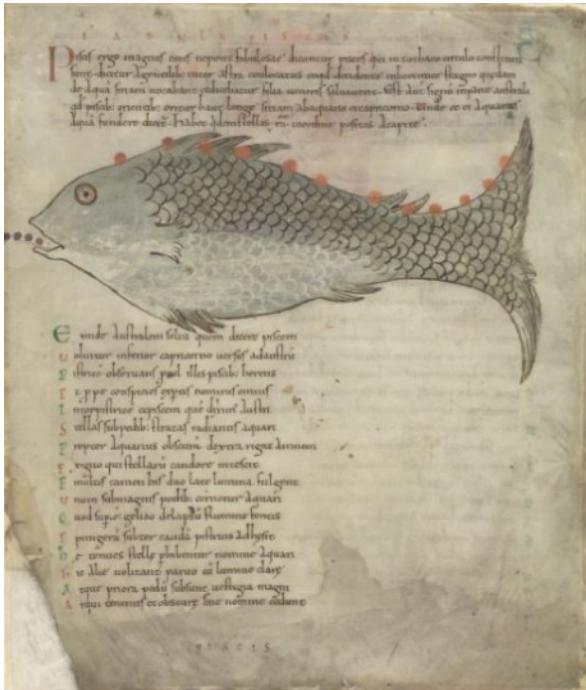
n.b. – upright, head to left, receiving stream
from Eri



London, BL
Harley 647 – planisphere
upright, receiving stream from Aqr

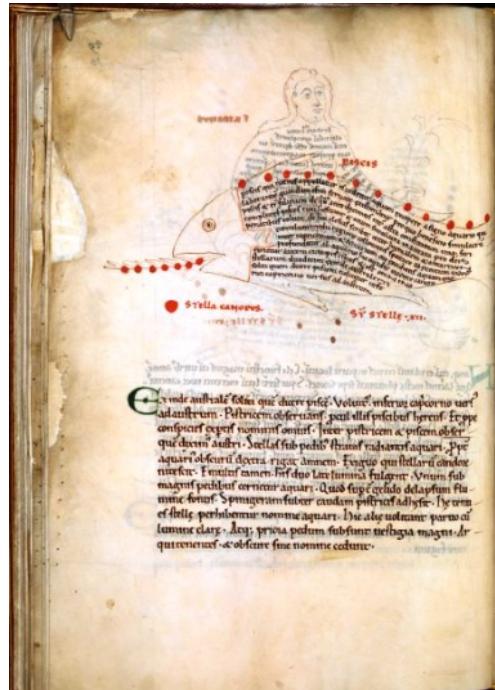


London, BL
Harley 2506
same

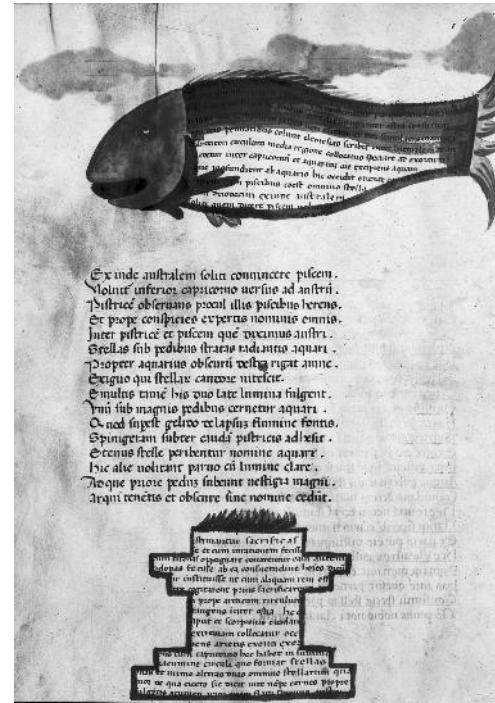


Eninde australis silea quoniam dicitur pescum
et nomen inferius caprius vero ad atlanticum
et obseruantur per illas pesci hercyni
et pro confusione caprius nomen datur
et nomen obseruantur qui dicitur latini
et vallis subiecta hercyni radicans aquam
et caprius aquarum obseruantur regio amoenissima
et regio qui hercyni nomen datur
et nomen carnis sed das lice latentes fuligine
et non fuligine potest convenire aquari
et non super gratus delapsus et flumine locatis
et purgaria subiecta nomen pescis ad atlanticum
et r. venit helle plumborum nomine aquari
et alii solitudo parvus et lumen clary
et apud proxima quod fuligine astigma magis
quam ceterum occidentem sine nomine datur

London, BL
Cotton ms Tib B.V., pars 1
same



London, BL
Cotton Ms Tib C. 1
same



Gottweig,
Stiftsbibl Ms 7
n.b. – not connected to stream

I.



Dresden, Landesbibl.
Ms D C 183 –
n.b. – upside-down, head to left



Dresden
winter hemisphere
stream



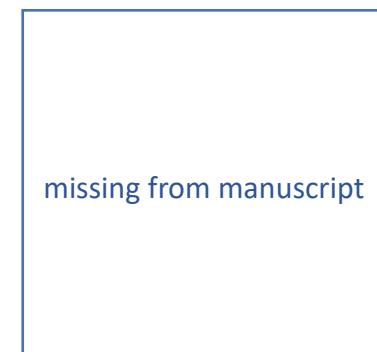
Paris BN
Lat 12957
n.b. – similar, with gaping mouth



Paris – winter hemisphere
two streams – Aqr, Psc



Prague, Univbibl
Ms IX. C. 6 (1717)
n.b. – hooked snout

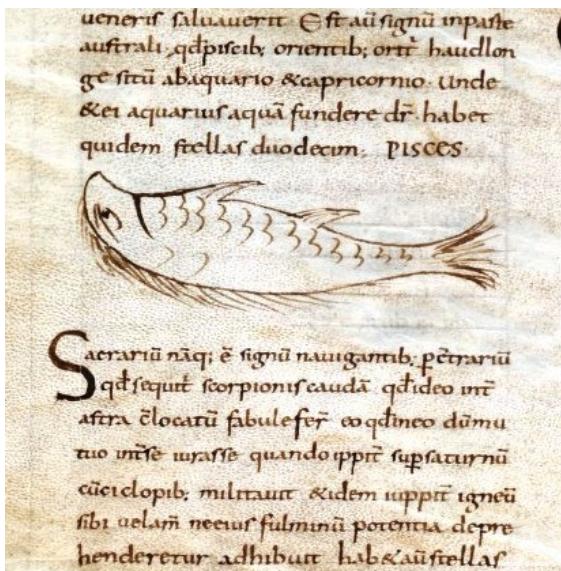


Prague – winter hemisphere

Revised Aratus Latinus

Piscis austrinus

Ia.



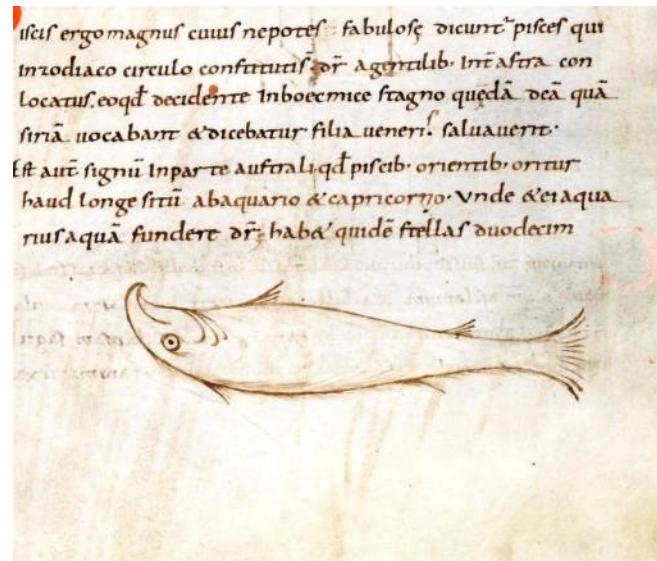
St Gallen, Stiftsbibl

Ms 902

n.b. – upside-down, head to left



winter hemisphere
cut off by edge of page



St Gallen, Stiftsbibl

Ms 250

similar, with pointed snout

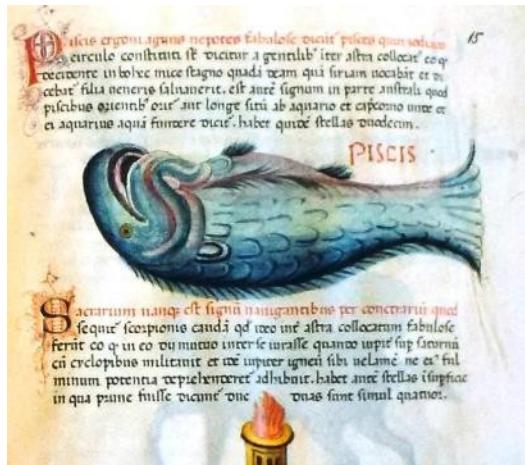


winter hemisphere
fish above stream and snaky tail

Revised Aratus Latinus

Piscis austrinus

lb.



Gottweig, Stiftsbibl.

Ms 7 (146)

n.b. – upside-down, head to left

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winter hemisphere

globe

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Siena, Bib com
Ms L. IV. 25

winter hemisphere

globe

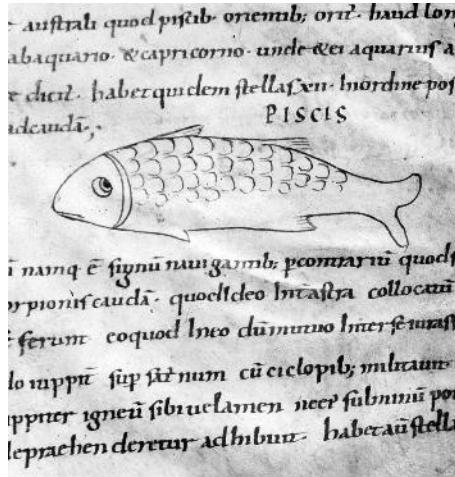
Revised Aratus Latinus

Piscis austrinus

I. (distant relative)



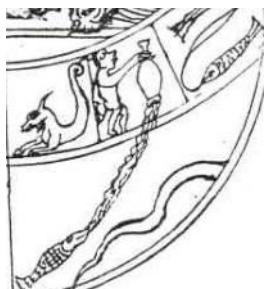
Paris BN
n.a. 1614
n.b. – upside-down, head to left



Munich, Staatsbibl.
Clm 560
n.b. – upright



Vatican, BAV
Reg lat 1324
n.b. – same



winter hemisphere
tied to Aqr, snaky tail



globe



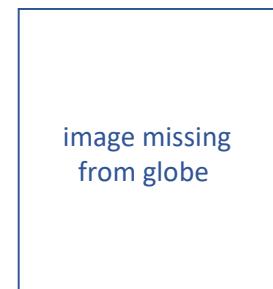
winterhemisphere



globe



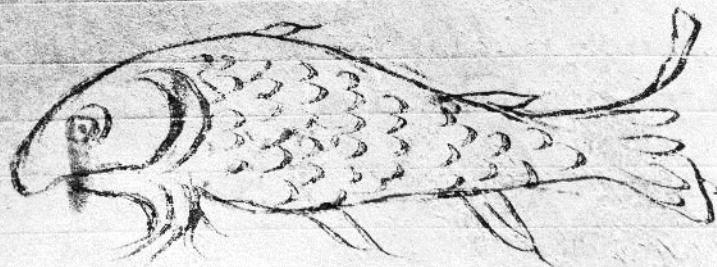
winter hemisphere
faces left, no stream



globe

II.

*longe scitum ab aquario & capricorno
aquam fundere dicitur. To ab & quid.*



Cologne, Dombibliothek

Ms 83.11

n.b. – upright, swims to left

I.



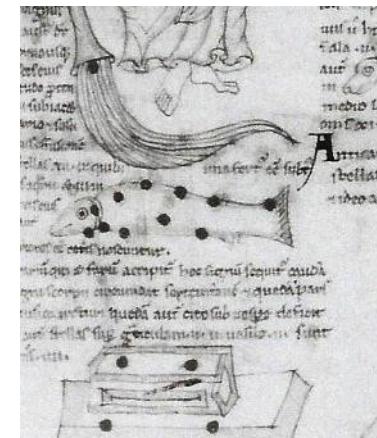
Oxford, Bodleian Library
Laud misc 644
n.b. – upright, faces left



Venice, Bibl Marciana
Ms VIII, 22
same

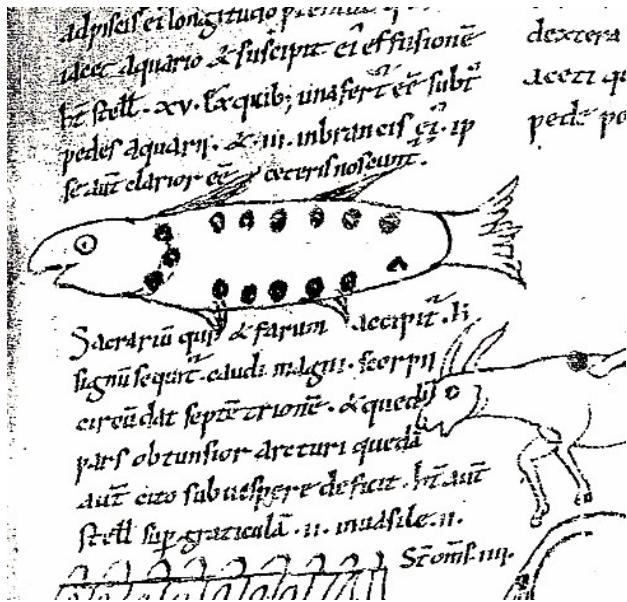


Padua, Bibl Antoniona
Ms Anton 27
same



Paris BN
lat. 14754
same

la.



Dijon

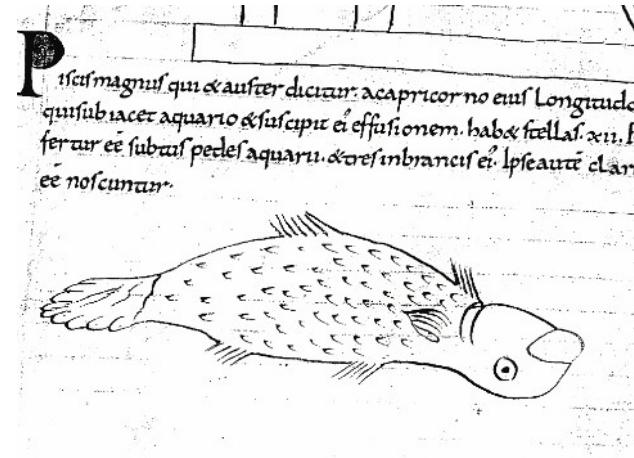
Bib mun, Ms 488

n.b. – upright, swims to left

IIa.



Paris, BN
Lat 5543
n.b. – upside down, head to right, object in mouth



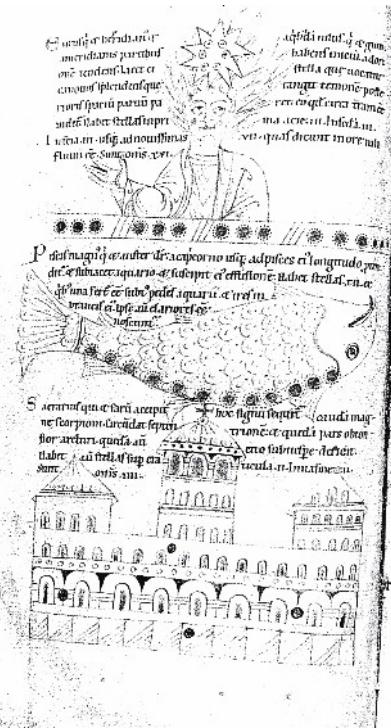
aclarium qui & farum dicitur. hoc signum sequitur caudam maiorem ad septentrionem. & quaedam pars obtusior arcuatur. tabu spere deficit. habet stellarum super craticulam. ii. in uasile. ii. iunct omnes. iiiii.

Paris, BN
Lat 5239
same

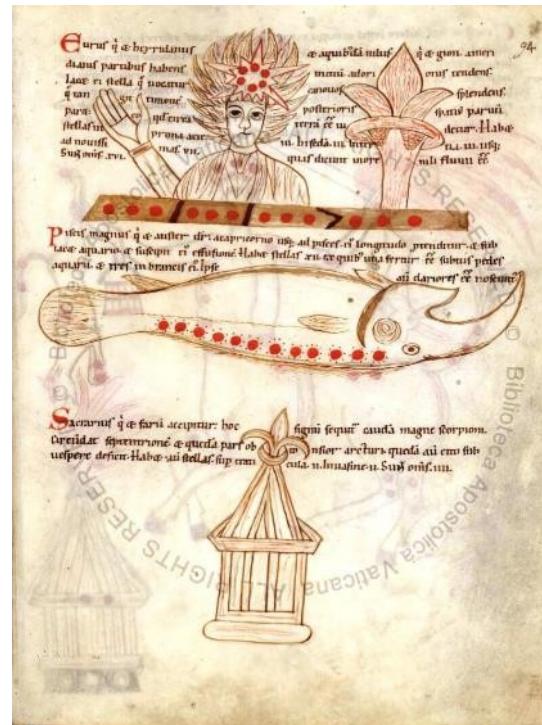
ps-Bede, De signis caeli

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IIb.



Klosterneuburg,
Stiftskirche, Ms 685
n.b. – upside-down, head to right



Vatican, BAV
Vat lat 643
same, with pointed snout



Zwettl, Stiftskirche
Ms 296
same

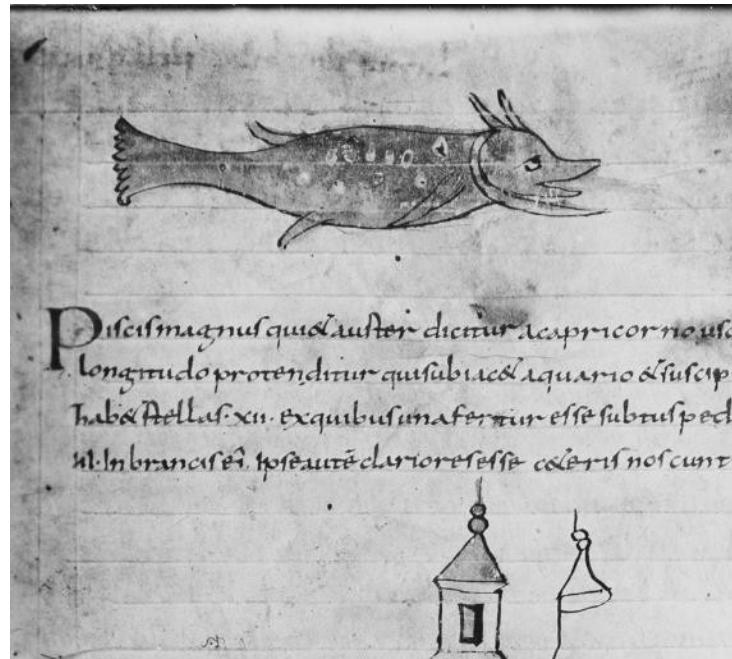
III.



Laon

Bib mun, Ms 422

n.b. – upright, swims to right, with 2 dorsal fins

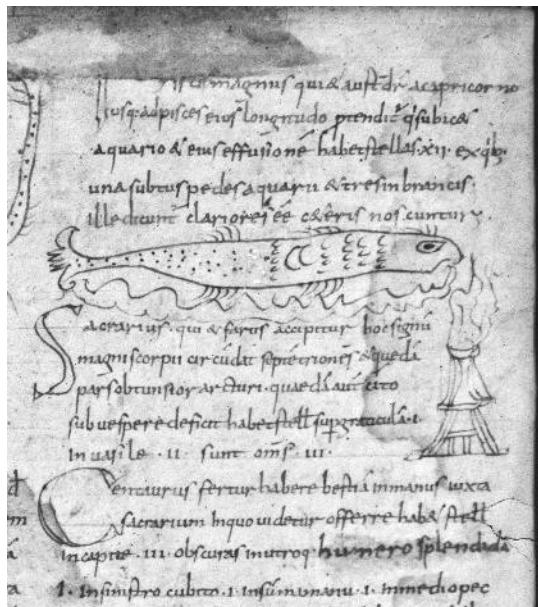


Rouen,

Bibl mun, 26

similar, with 'horns'

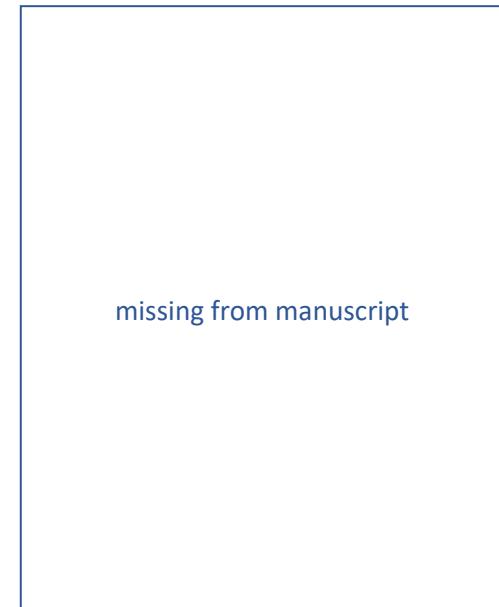
Singletons



Amiens
Bibl mun, Ms 222
n.b. – upright, faces right, with stream and Ara

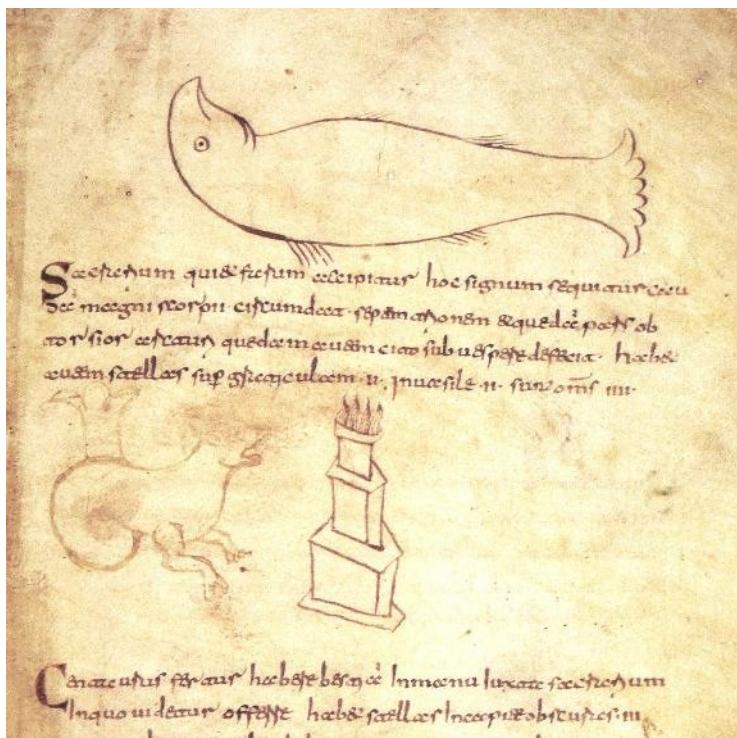


Durham, Cathedral Libr
Hunter 100
n.b.– faces left, viewed from top



Freiburg-im-Bresgau
Ms 35

Singletons



Montecassino,

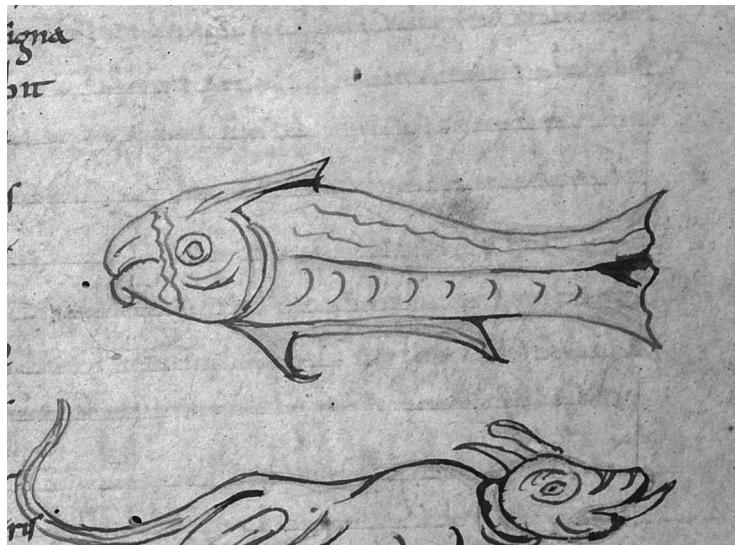
Badia, Ms 3

n.b. – upside-down, head to left

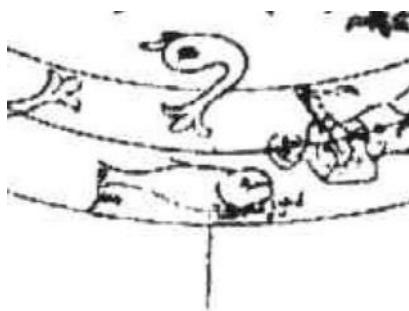
De ordine ac positione

Piscis austrinus

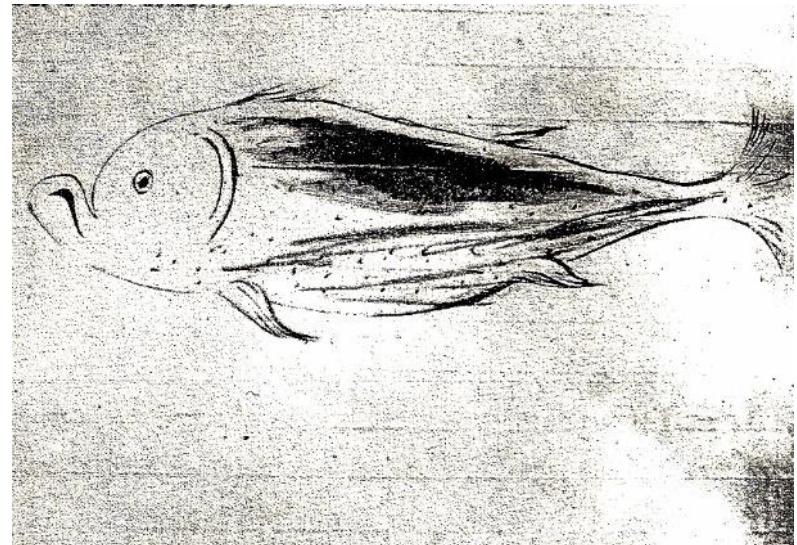
la.



Berlin, Staatsbibl
Ms lat 130 (Phill 1832)
n.b. – faces left



Berlin planisphere
n.b. – beneath Aqr, no stream



Monza, Bib capit
Ms F. 9/176 (246)
n.b. – swims to left



winter hemisphere
Ms F. 9/176 (246)
upside-down

Ia.



Madrid, Bib Nac

Ms 3307

n.b. – upright, swims to left

Ib.



Vatican BAV,

Vat lat 645

n.b. – similar, with bulbous nose

De ordine ac positione

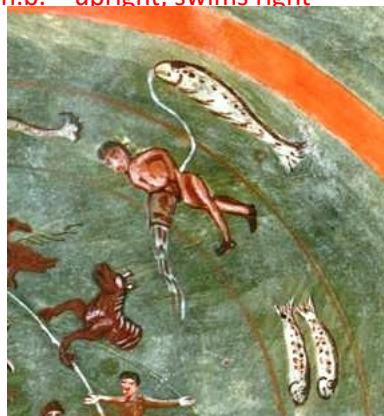
Piscis austrinus

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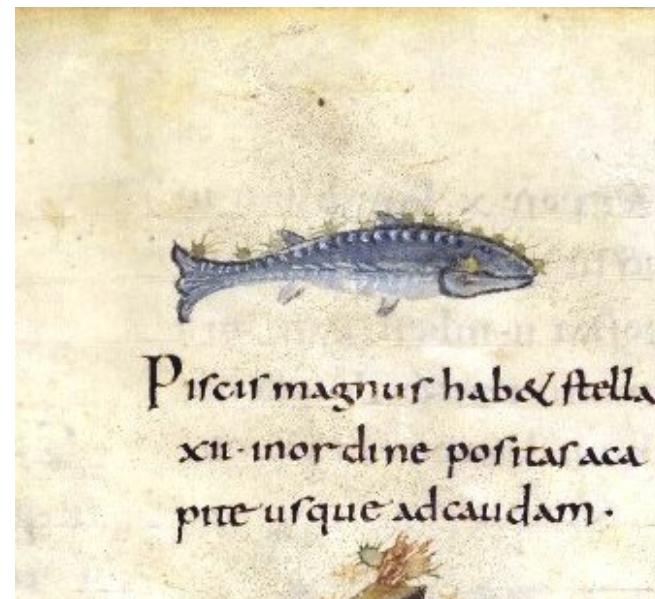
Munich, Staatsbibl. Ms clm 210

n.b. – upright, swims right



planisphere

n.b. – connected by stream to back of Aqr



Vienna, ONB

Vindob 387

similar

De ordine ac positione

Piscis austrinus

III.



Austin TX, Harry Ransom,
Univ of Texas, Ms 29
n.b. – upright, swims to left



Paris BN
lat n.a. 1614



Planisphere
connected to Aqr stream, with stream below

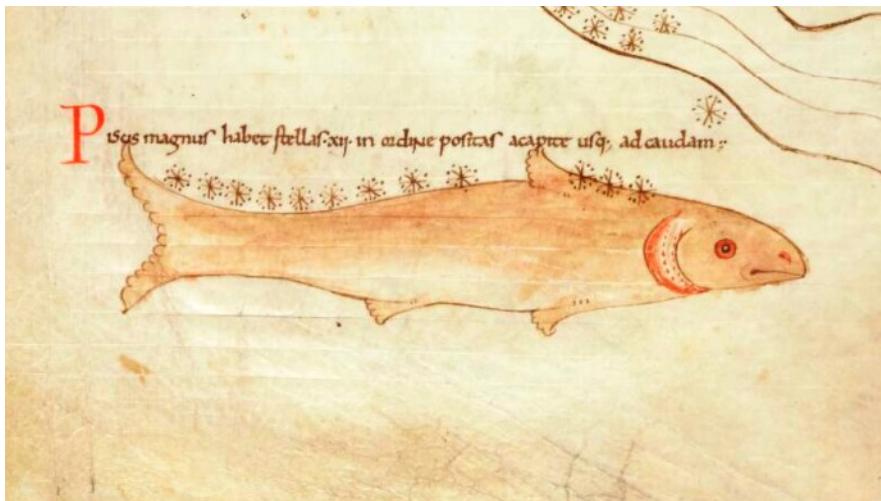


St Petersburg, Nat Libr
Ms Q v IX, no 2
n.b. – eel-like body, swims to left

De ordine ac positione

Piscis austrinus

IV.



Paris BN
lat 12117
n.b.— upright, swims to right



Vatican BAV,
Reg lat 309
similar

De ordine ac positione

Piscis austrinus

V.



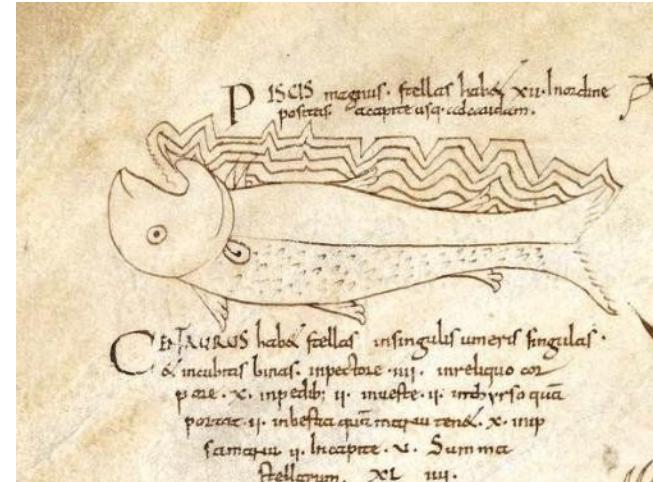
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Los Angeles, Getty Mus
Ludwig XII, 5

Singletons



Vienna, ONB
Vindob 12600
n.b. – upright, swims to right



Paris BN,
lat 8663
n.b. – upside-down with water, head to left

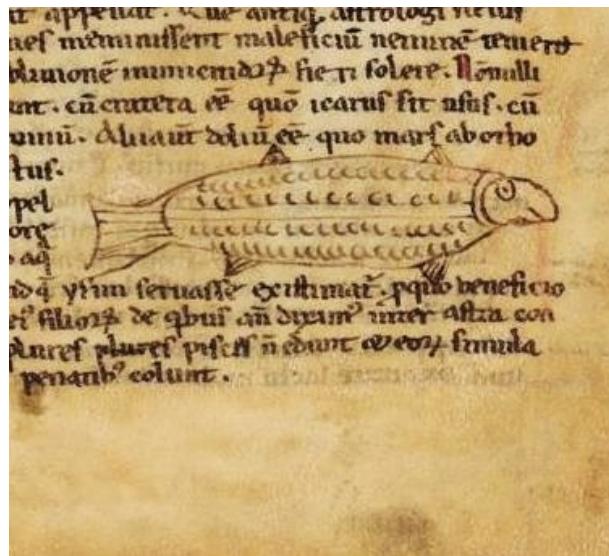


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Reykjavik
Ms 1812

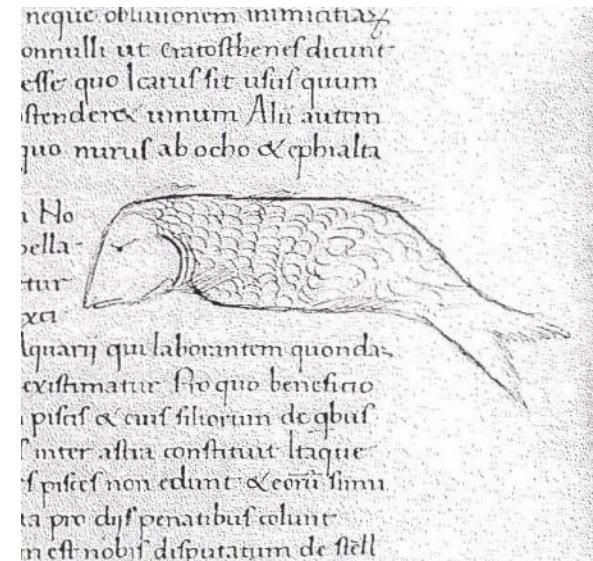
la.

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S Paul im Lavantthal
Ms 16/1 (XXV. 4. 20)

Florence, Bibl Laurenziana
Ms Plut 29.30
n.b. – upright, swims to right



Leiden, Univ-blbl
Voss 8°18
n.b. – upright, swims to left

lb.



Wolfenbüttel, Herz Aug

Ms 18. 16. Aug 4°

n.b. – upright with tusks, swims to left

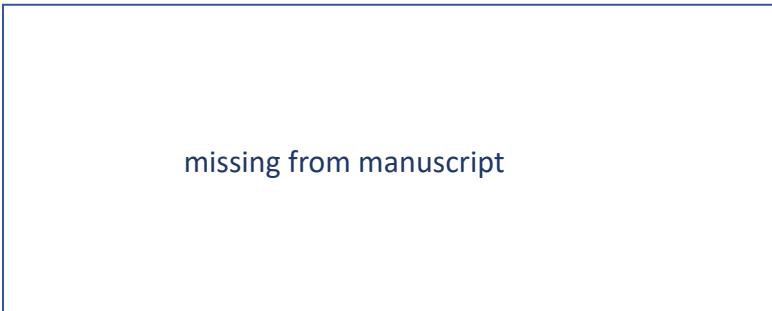


London BL

Arundel 339

same

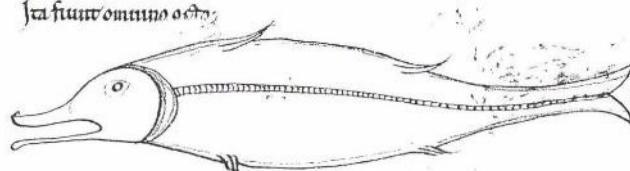
Ic. (singleton)



II. (singleton)

Supradictum hidet a capite curvatura crateris positus habet in labris stellaf
duas infra autem alia duas obscuras in medio crateris duas ad fundum duas;

Ita sicut omnino o. est.



Vienna ONB
Vindob 51

Leiden Univ-bibl
Voss lat 4° 92
n.b. – upright, swims to left

III.



Leiden Univ-bibl

Voss lat 8° 15

n.b. – upside-down, object in mouth, swims to right
(see ps. Bede Paris lat 5543 and 5239)

Vatican BAV

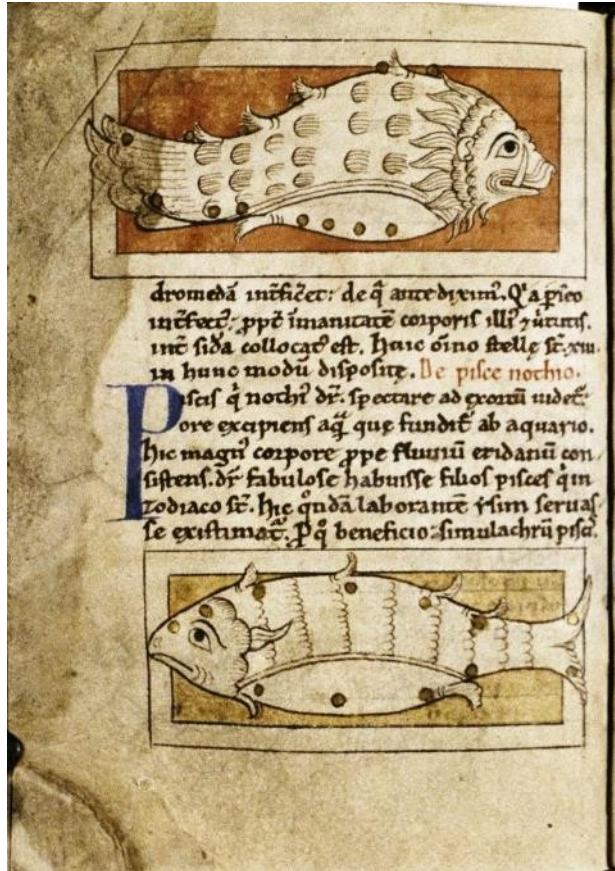
Reg lat 123

Similar, without object, but with beak(see
Klosterneuberg and Zwettl)

planisphere

Hyginus

IV.

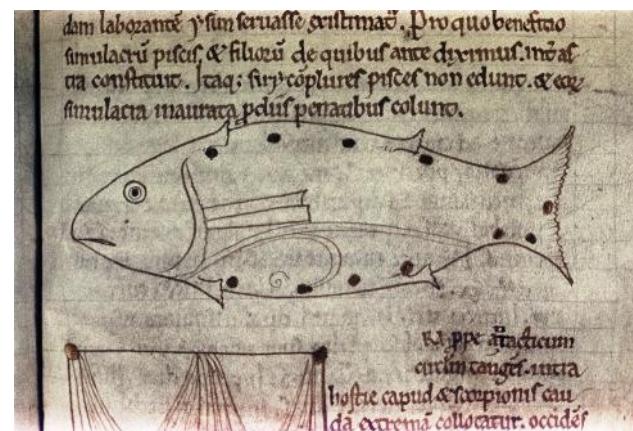
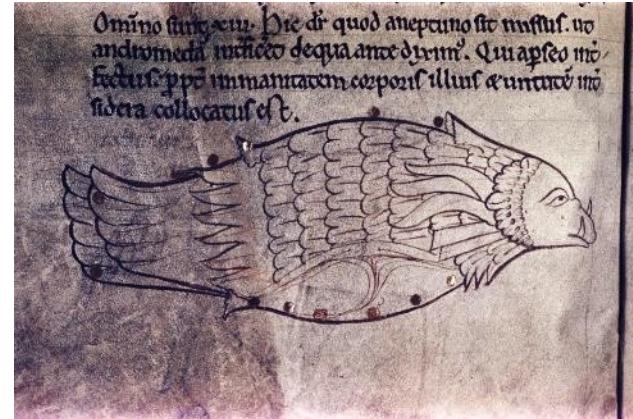


Oxford, Bodleian Libr

Bodley 614

n.b. — Cetus and PsA (Piscis Nothus); Cetus with tusks
and PsA upright and faces left

Piscis austrinus

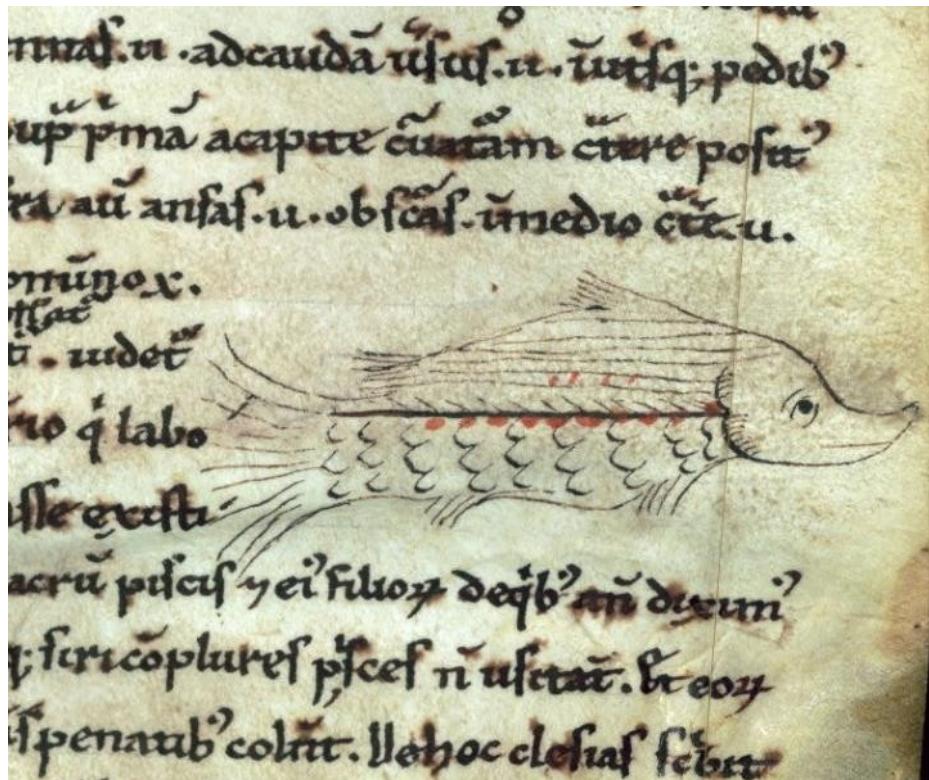


Oxford, Bodleian Libr

Digby 83 (SC 1684)

similar, but on facing pages

V. (singleton)

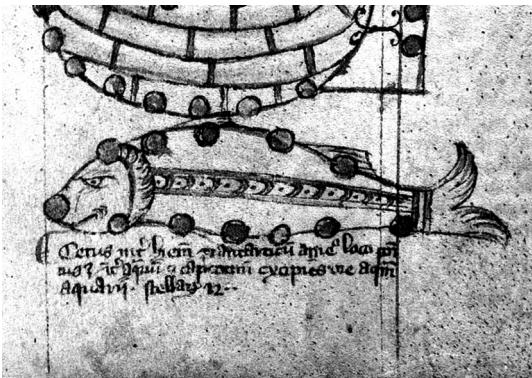


Baltimore, Walters Art Gallery

Ms 734

n.b. – upright, swims to the right

VI. (singleton)



Berlin, Staatsbibl.

Ms 8° 44 (Rose 962)

n.b. – upright fish appears after Navis and is described as
'Cetus'

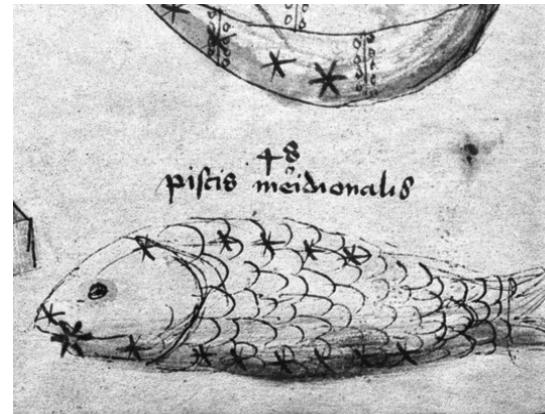
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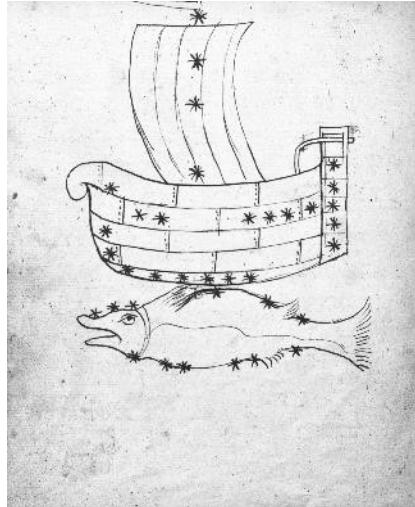
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Ms 172
curved fish to left



Munich, Staatsbibl
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upright fish to left

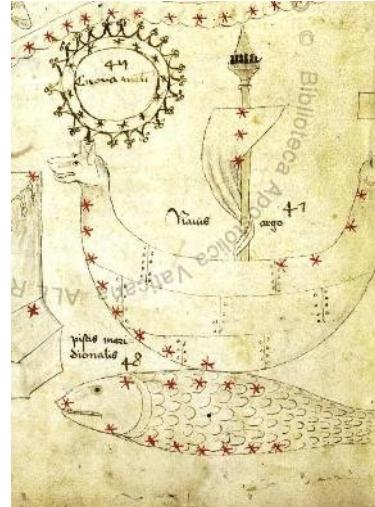
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n.b. – upright fish swims to left



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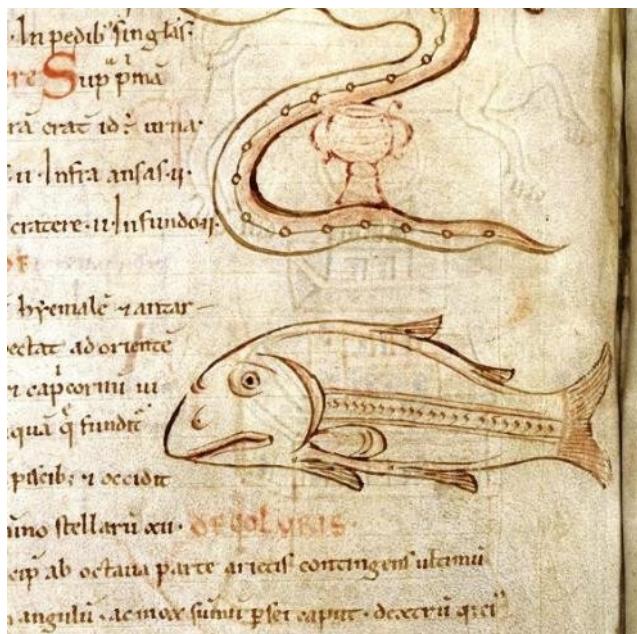


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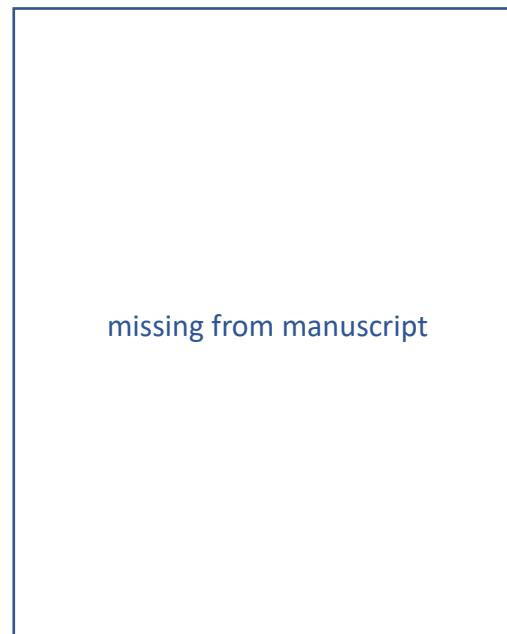
n.b. – PsA ?

VII. (singleton)



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n.b. – upright, swims to left

VIII. (singleton)



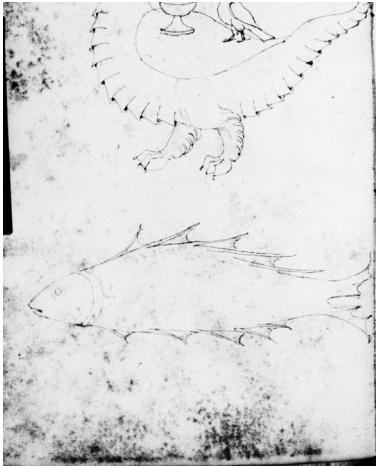
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Clm 10270

Hyginus

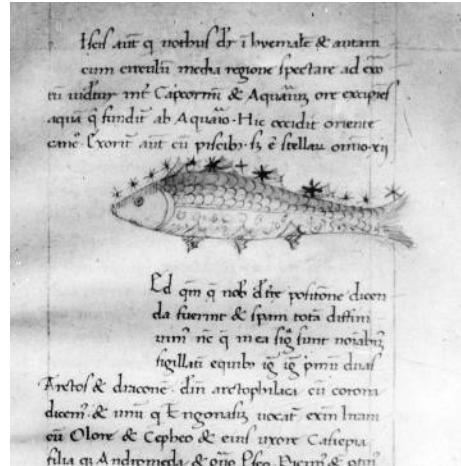
IXa.



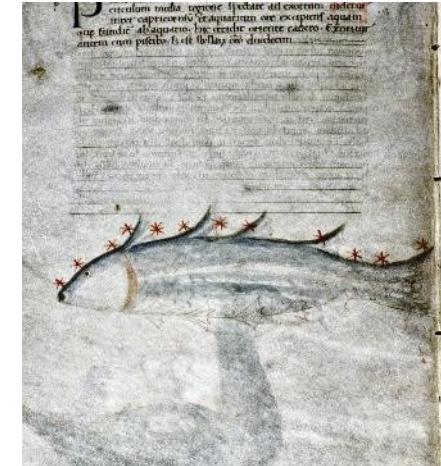
Cambridge, Fitzwilliam Mus
Ms 260
n.b. – upright, swims to left



Florence, BN
Magl XI. 141
n.b. – same, without stars



Milan, Bibl. Ambrosiana
T. 47 sup
same, with stars

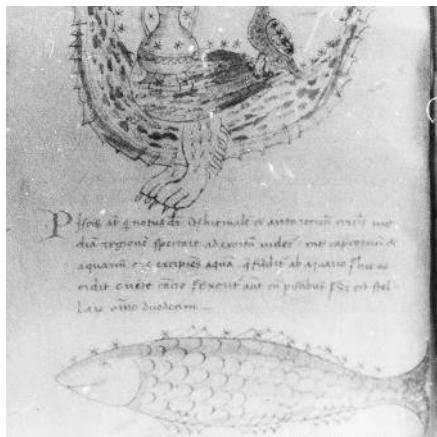


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Piscis austrinus

Hyginus

IXa (cont'd.)



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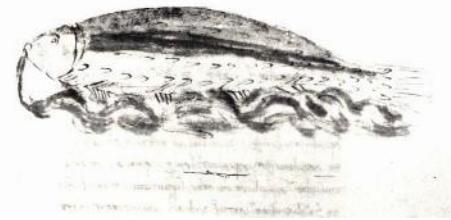


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Vat lat 3109
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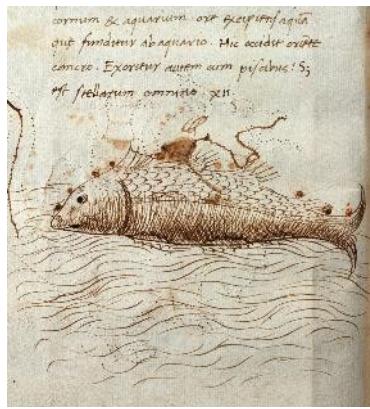
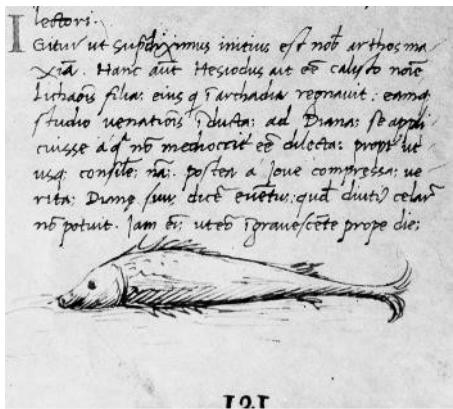
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Vat lat 3109
reversed

Piscis ari qui natal dicitur i hyemalibet et ariacum circulum medio regno posturam ad exoreum uideat inter capricornium et aquarum ore excopens aquam que effundit ab aquario his occidat orionem cancerem et rorosum cum pescibus et est bellaria omnino dunderim

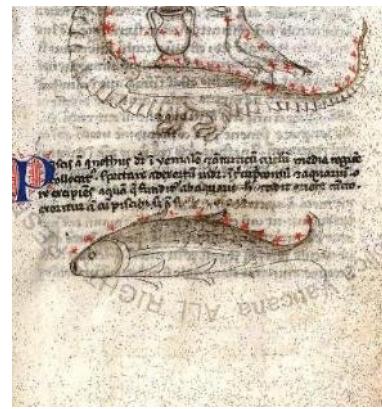


Verona, Bibl capitolare
Ms CCLXI
n.b. – upright fish swimming in stream that comes from its mouth

IXb.



IXc.

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manuscript

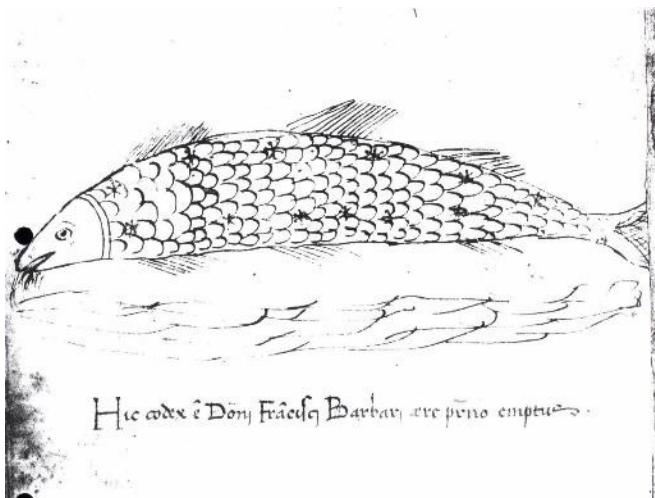
Oxford, Bodleian Library
Can misc 46
n.b. – upright fish to left

Milan, Bibl Trivulziana
N. 690 (E 83)
Similar, but swimming in water

Vatican, BAV
Vat lat 3110
same

Florence, BNC
Magl XI. 114,1

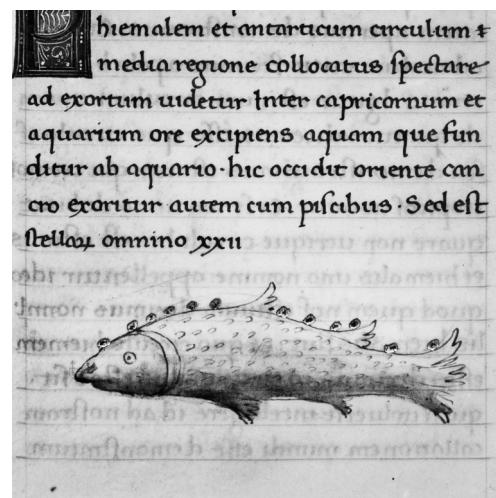
IXd. (distant singleton)



Florence, Bibl Laurenziana
Ashburnam1148

n.b. – upright fish, swimming to left in stream that comes from its mouth

IXe.



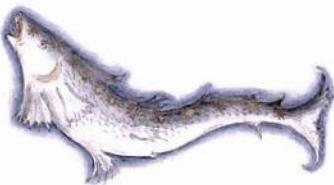
Pavia, Bibl Univ
Aldini 490
n.b. – upright fish swims to left



Vatican., BAV
Urb lat 1358
same

IXf.

Piscis autem qui noctis dicitur in hyemale et
antarcicum circulum mediæ regiōne spectare
ad exortum uidetur inter capricornum et aqua-
rium ore excipiens aquam que fundatur ab
aquario. Hic occidit oriente cancero. Exori-
autem cum pīcībus. Sed est stellarum omni-
no duodecim.



Quæ ad figuracionem siderum pertinet ad huc
finem nobis erunt dicta. Reliquæ prouimus
dicimus. Quoniam in uno sphære circulati-

New York, Public Library

Spencer Ms 28

n.b. – long-bodied, upright fish, faces
left

Iancro. Exoritur autem cum pīcībus. Sed est stellarum
omnino duodecim.



Freiberg, Andreas-Möller-Bibl.

Cl XI 4o 9

same

IXg.

Piscis autem qui noctis dicitur in biemale et
antarcicum circulum media regiōne collocari
spectare ad exortum uidetur inter capricornum
et aquarium ore excipiens aquam que fundatur
ab aquario. hic occidit oriente cancero. Exori-
autem cum pīcībus: sed est stellarum omnino 12.



De circulis celi. De circulis celi

Florence, Bib Laurenziana

Plut 89, sup 43

n.b. – upright fish swims to left in water,
with smaller fish below, attached to its
belly

X. (singleton)



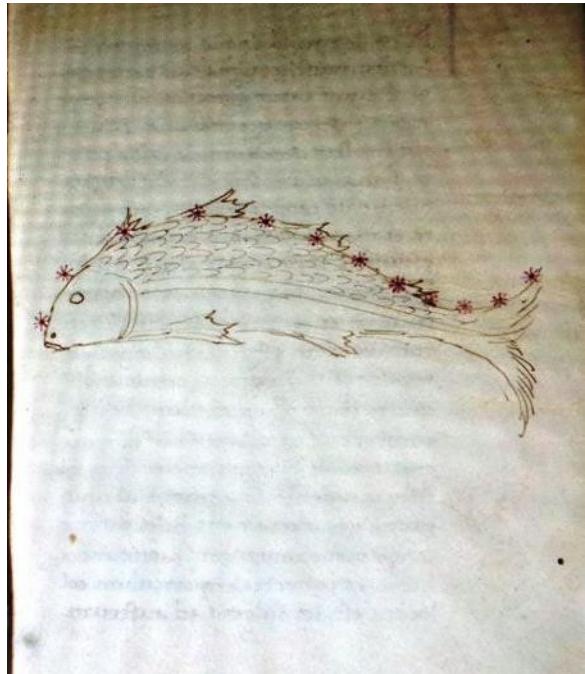
Vatican, BAV
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XI. (singleton)



Cortona, Lib del Comune
Ms 184 (256)
n.b. – upright fish to right

Hyginus - singletons



Cambrai, Bibl Mun.
Ms 933 (832)
n.b. – upright fish to left

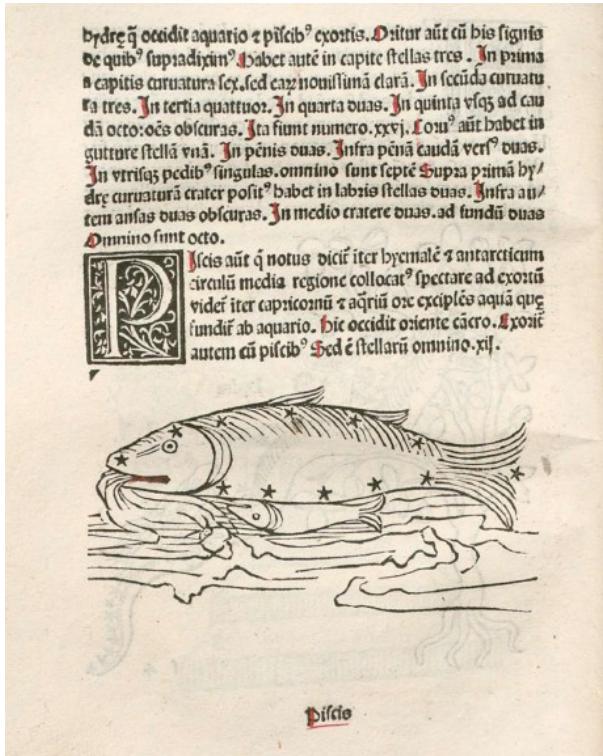
Piscis austrinus

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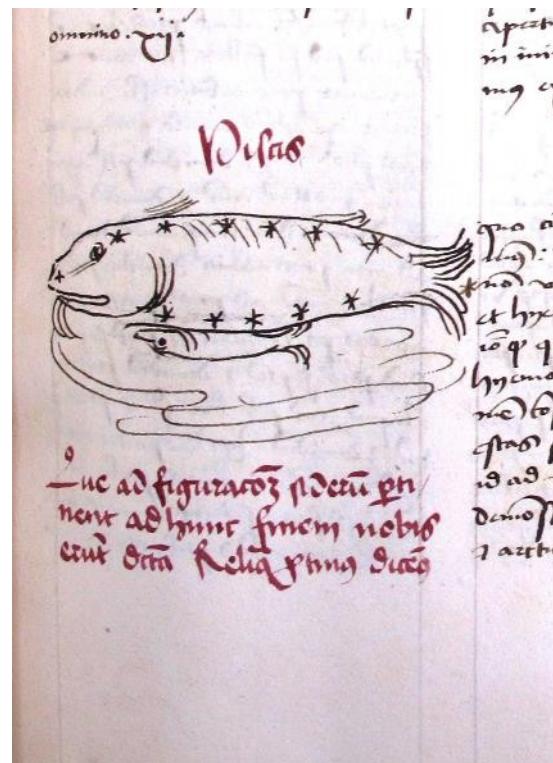
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Leiden, Univ.-bibl.
Gronovius 21

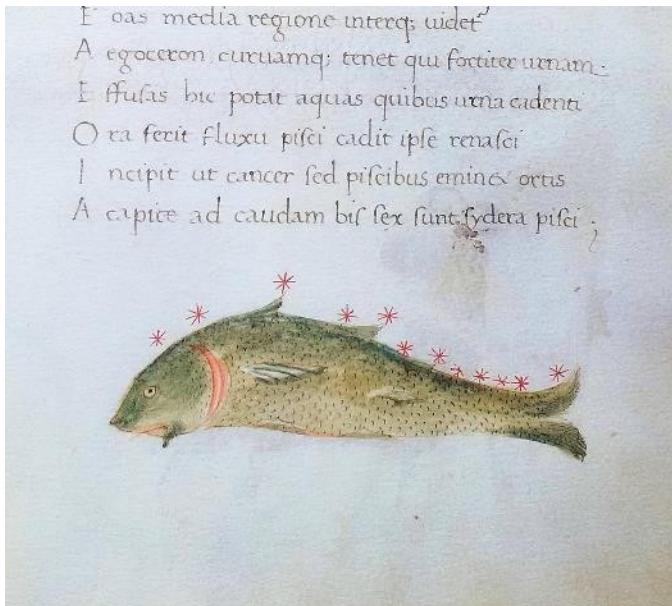


cf Michael Scot = upright fish swimming to left.
With smaller fish below and attached to its belly,
fish swims in water that comes from its mouth



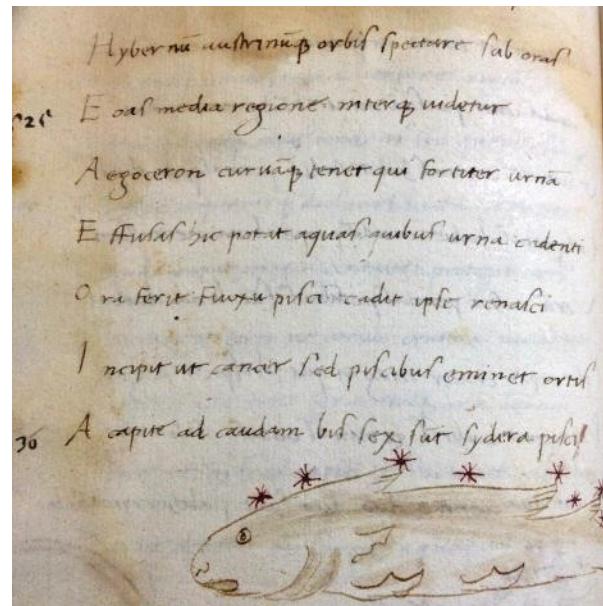
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same

Ia.



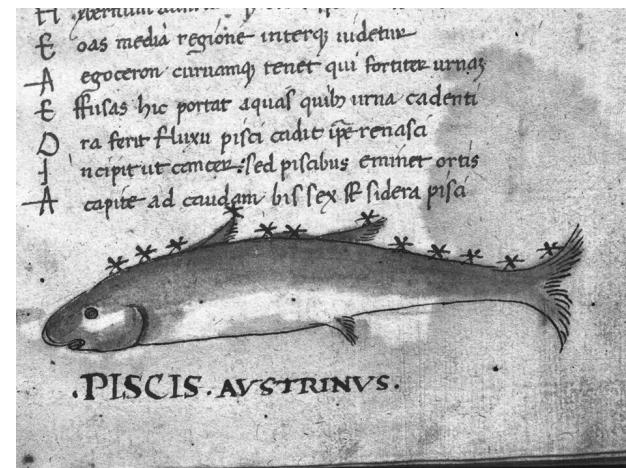
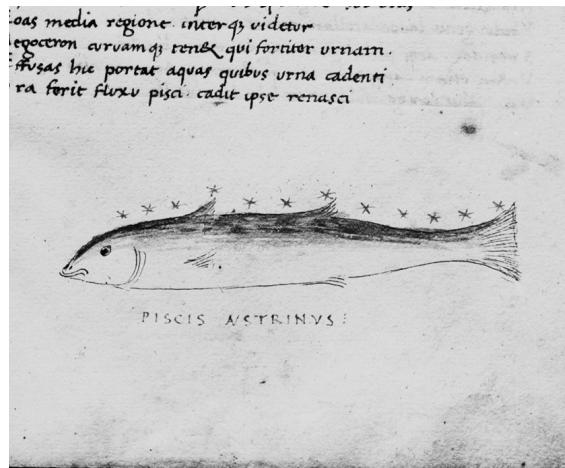
Rimini, Cassa di Risparmio
(London Sotheby's sale 1992)
n.b. – upright fish faces left

Ib.



Cambridge, CUL
Dd IV 64
similar

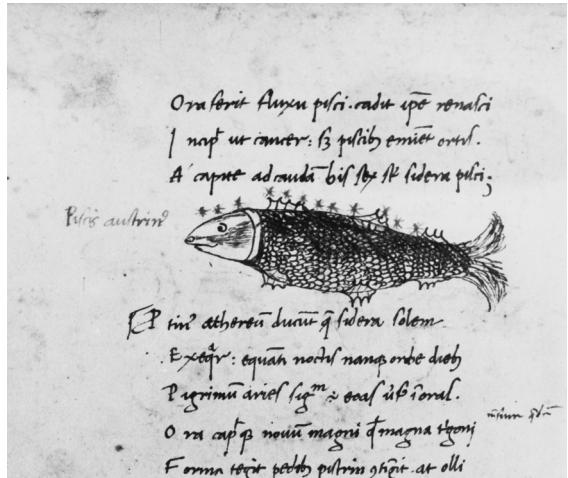
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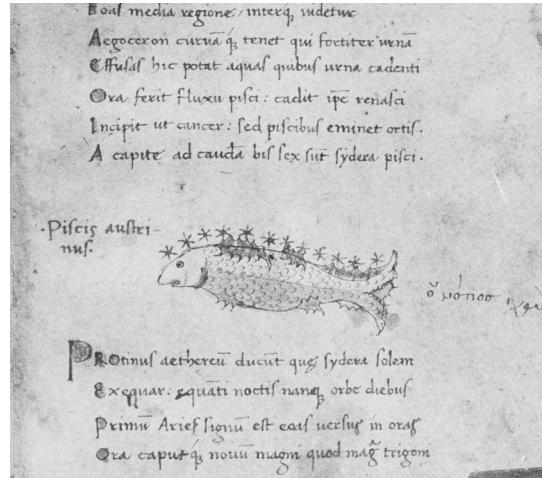
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n.b. – similar, with label

Parma, Bibl Palatina,
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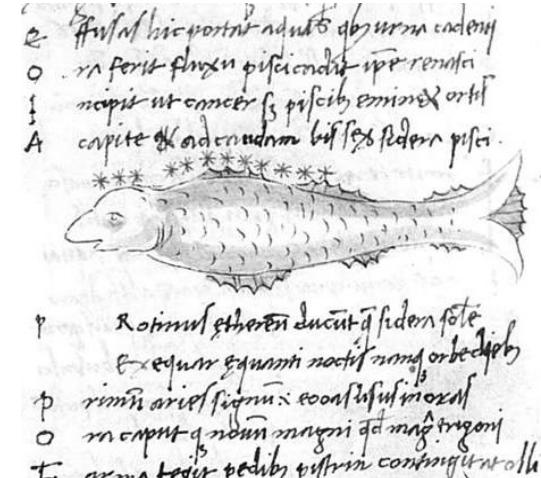
Venice, Bibl Marciana
XII, 194 (4148)
same



Parma, Bibl Palatina
Parm 27
same



Rome Bibl Casanatense
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same, with Greek label



Munich, BSB
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similar, no labels

Basinio da Parma

Piscis austrinus

III.

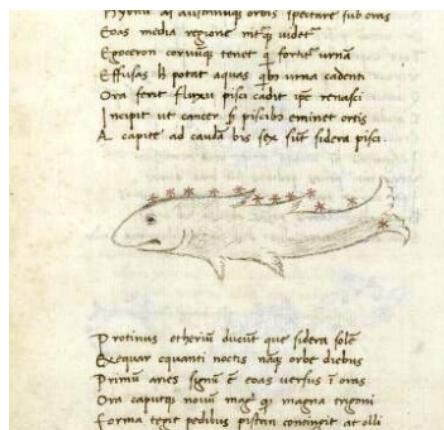


Bologna, Bibl Com

Ms 173

n.b. – similar, with additional water, no label

IV.

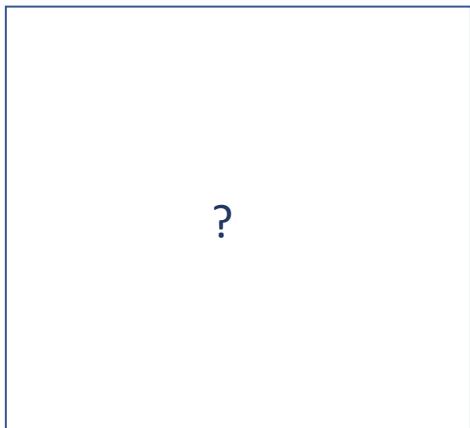


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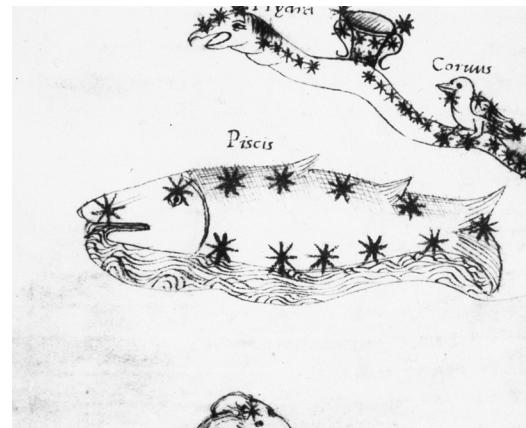
upright fish, swims to left

V.



Ravenna, Bib Classense
Ms 120

VI.



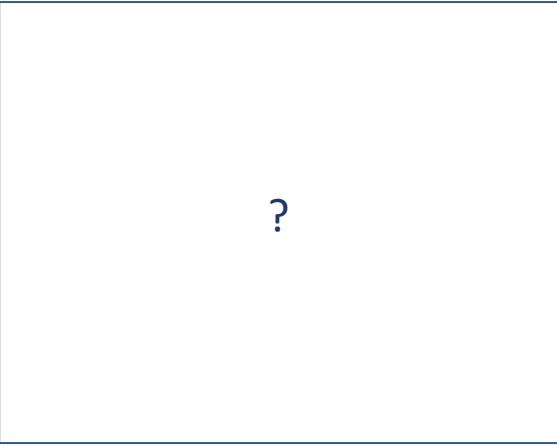
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cf. Hyginus edn/Michael Scot (missing second fish)

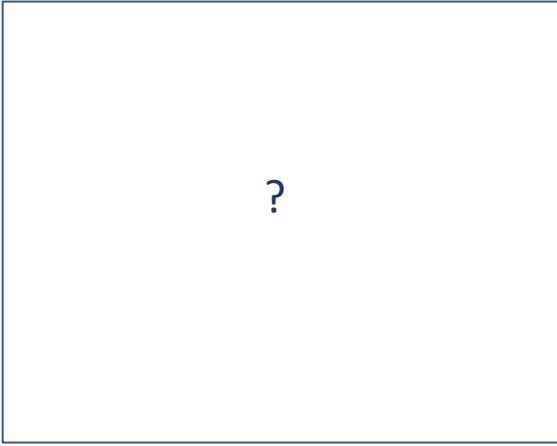
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Piscis austrinus

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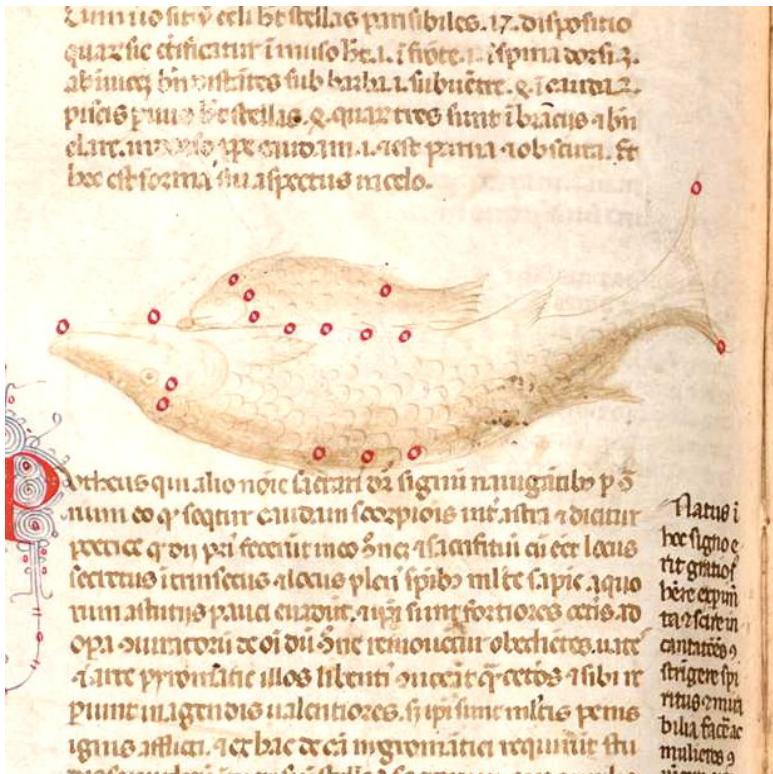
Krakow,
Rps BJ 3706

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Padua, Bibl. Universitaria
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N Italian Group – Ia.



Munich, Staatsbibl
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n.b. – upside-down fish swims to left, with smaller fish on its belly

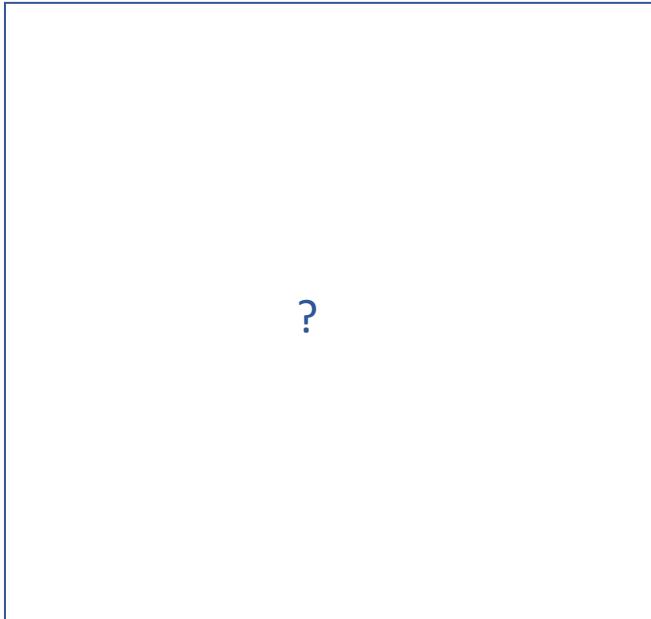


Oxford, Bodleian Libr
Bodley Ms 266

Piscis magnus, sustinens piscem parvum, dicitur esse avunculus signi
Piscium, qui in zodiaco sunt, constituti de numero duodecim. (Ackermann
2009, pp. 230-31)

N Italian Group – Ib.

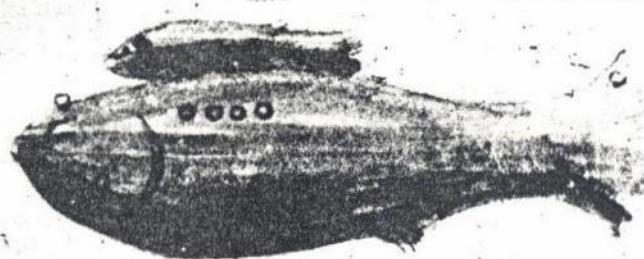
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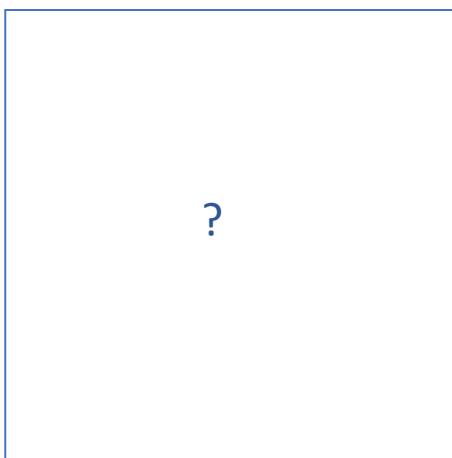
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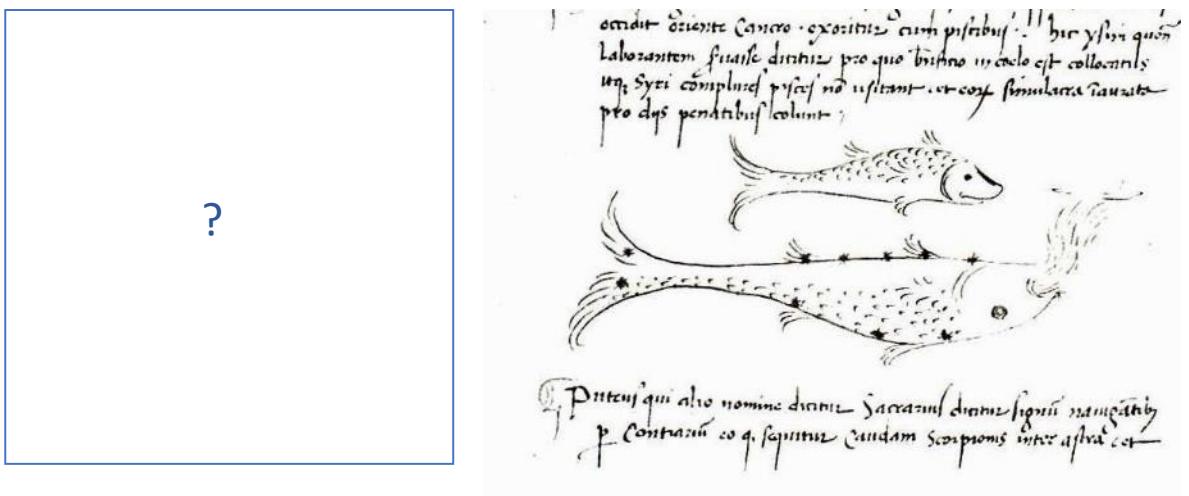
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St Petersburg, Nat Libr
Ms lat F V IX, no. 1
same

N Italian Group – Ic.



N Italian Group – Id.



Warsaw, BN, B
Baw 46

Vienna, ONB

Vindob 3394

n.b. – two fish, belly-to-belly facing to the right,
larger fish on bottom has stream coming from its
mouth

N Italian Group – Ie.

er oscula . y iuxta id inno ligato uenit pescatoris
piscis utrumque aqua uiuet de fructu aquarum nec
inquaes dines ad eum pescatoris permanebit yd .
¶ her et o forma sui aspectus in celo i



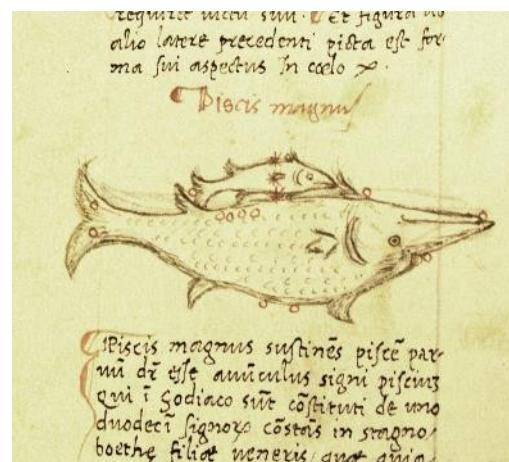
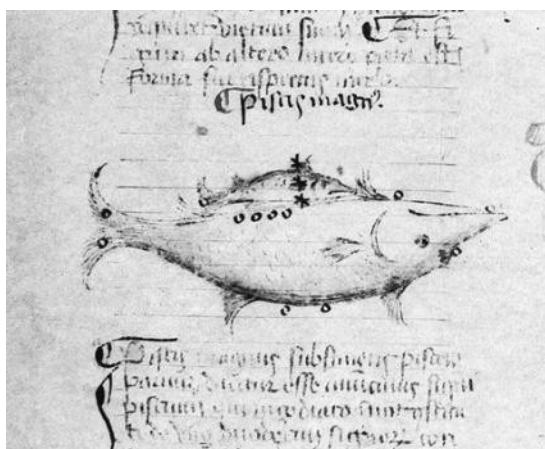
De puto ~
Puteus q. alio nomine sacraus dicitur signus nauticath p.
cecum eo q. sequitur eundam scorpionis inter astra et di
betur ab aliis duobus lectorum . Leo enim et sacraus eis .

Padua, Bibl Seminario

Cod. 48

n.b. – upside-down fish swims to left, with
smaller fish on its belly, water underneath

Venetian Group – IIa.

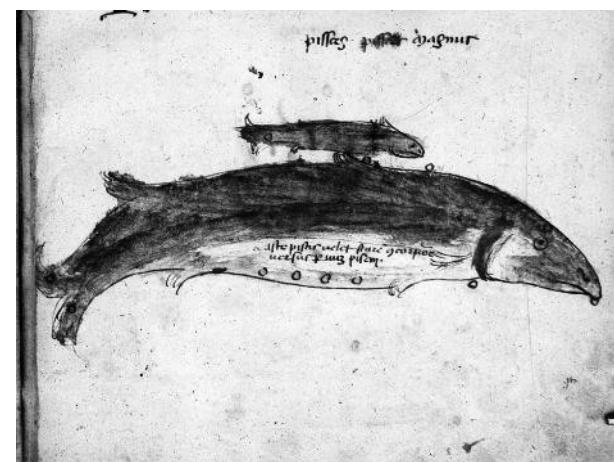


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n.b. – upside-down fish swims to
right, with smaller fish on its belly,

Venetian Group – IIb.



Milan, Ambrosiana

Ms I 90 sup

n.b. – both backs upwards



Vienna, ONB
Vindob 2352

n.b. – upside-down fish swims to left, with smaller fish on its belly, water underneath



Vienna, ONB
Vindob 2378
same

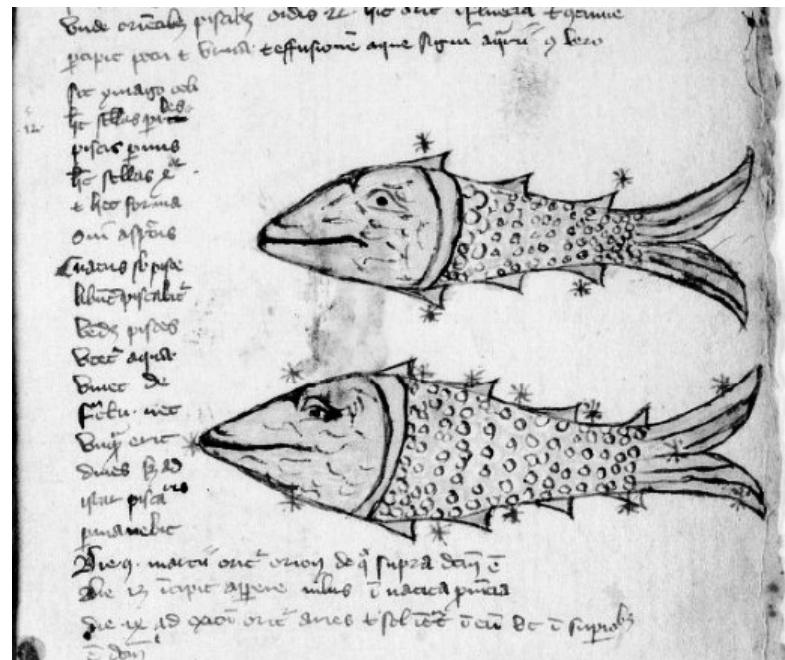
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Prague NK,
Ms III. C. 2

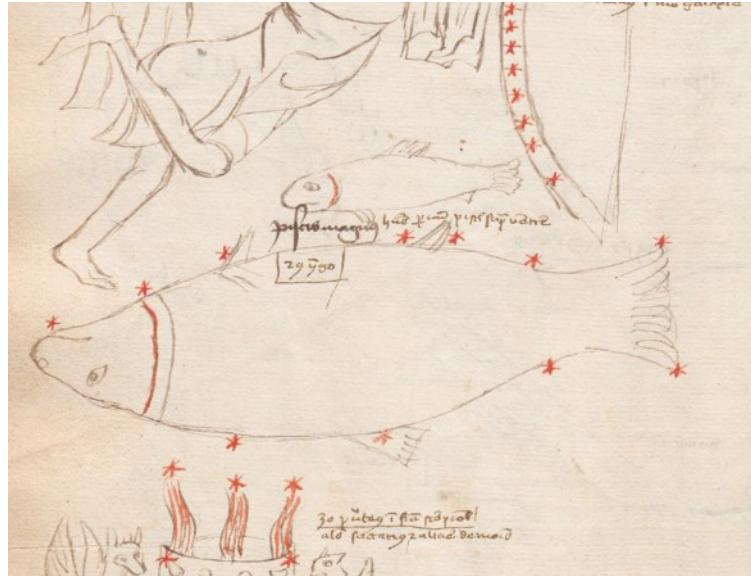
n.b. – similar, swims to right

Bohemian – IIIb.

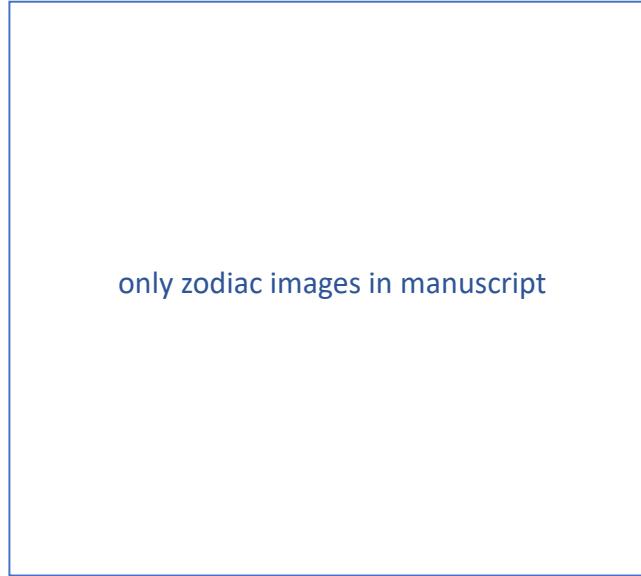


Paris BN
lat 7408A
n.b. – two upright fish swim to left

Bohemian – IIIc.



Bohemian – IIId.

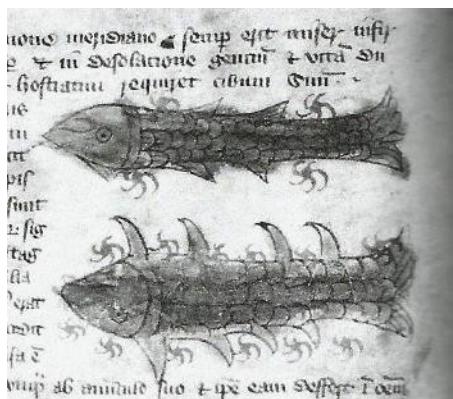


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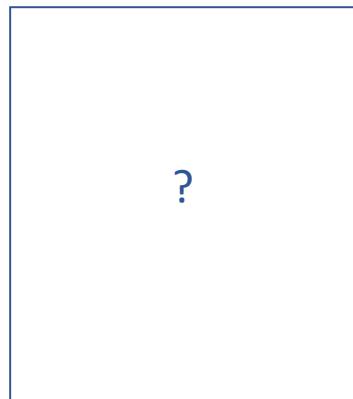
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n.b. – upside-down fish swims to left, with smaller
fish on its belly

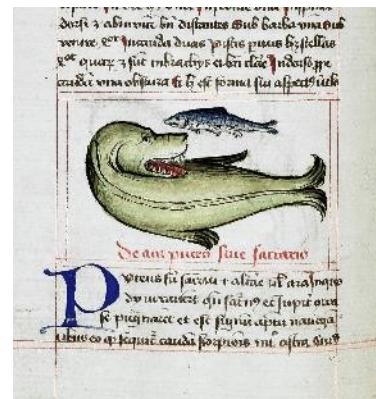
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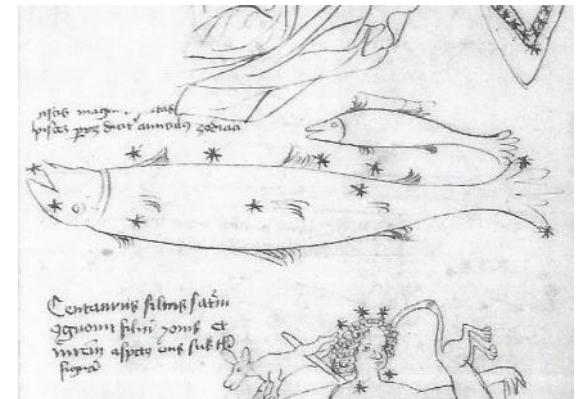
Edinburgh, Royal Observatory
Ms Cr 3. 23
n.b. – two upside-down fish
swim to left



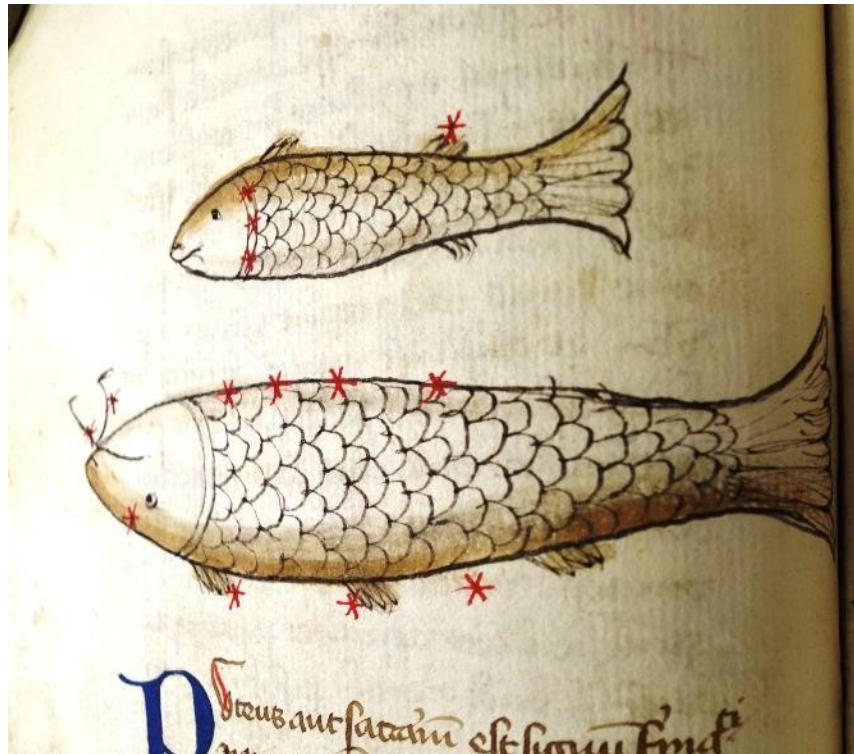
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Magl. XXII, 2



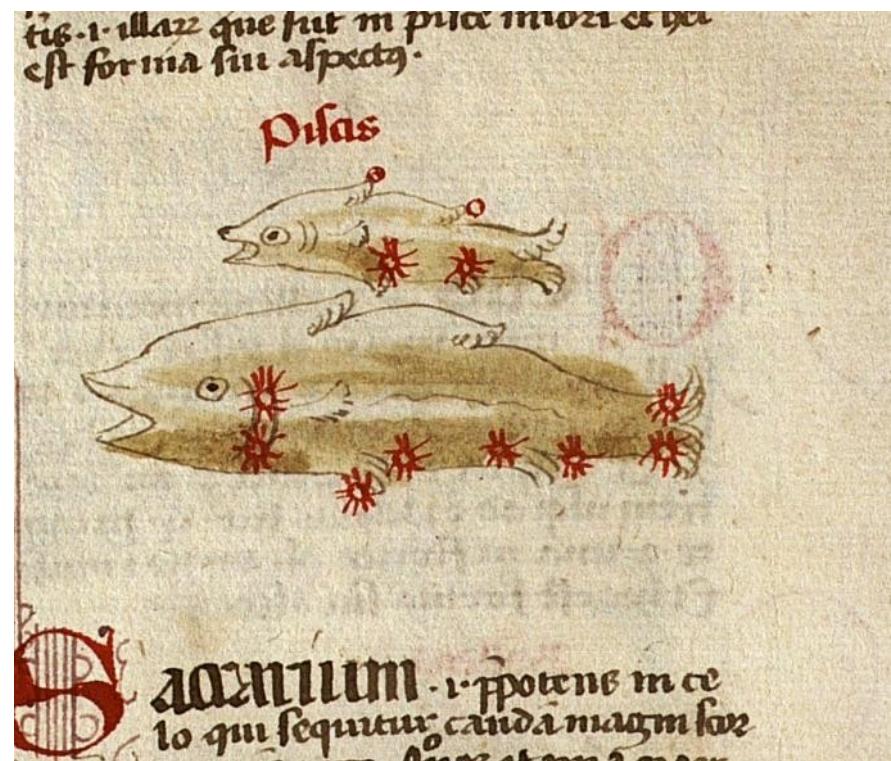
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Ch-Stift,
Ms CCI 125
n.b. – large dog-faced fish
swims to left but turns head
back, smaller fish swims to
left above it



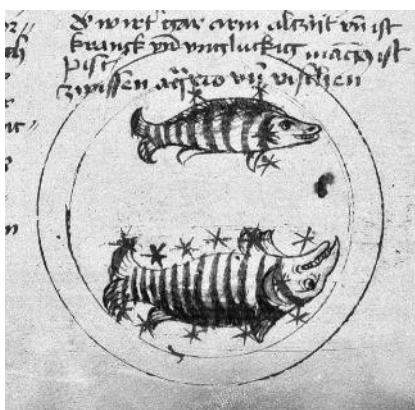
Krakow, Bibl Jagiellonska
Rps 573
n.b. – upside-down fish swims to left,
with smaller fish on its belly



Prague, Narodni Knihova
Ms XXXVI A 3
n.b. – upside-down fish swims to left, with smaller fish
on its belly



Seville, Bibl Columbina
Ms. 7.7.1
n.b. – two upright fish swim to left



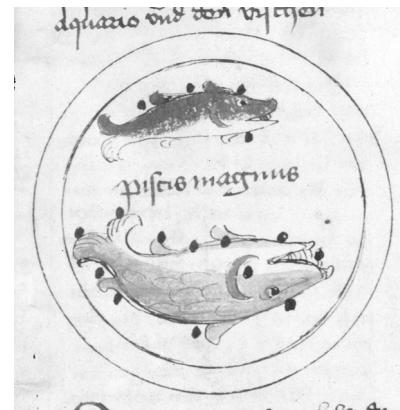
Darmstadt, Hess Hochschulbibl.
Ms 266

n.b. – two fish swim to right,
belly-to-belly



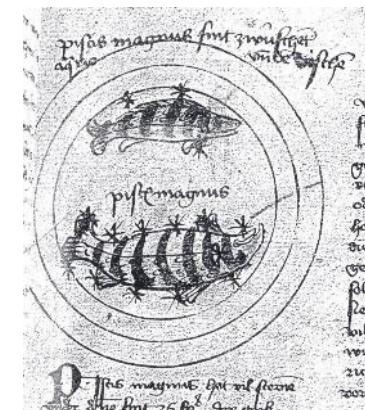
Berlin, Staatsbibl

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n.b. – two fish face to left,
belly-to-belly



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n.b. – similar to Darmstadt

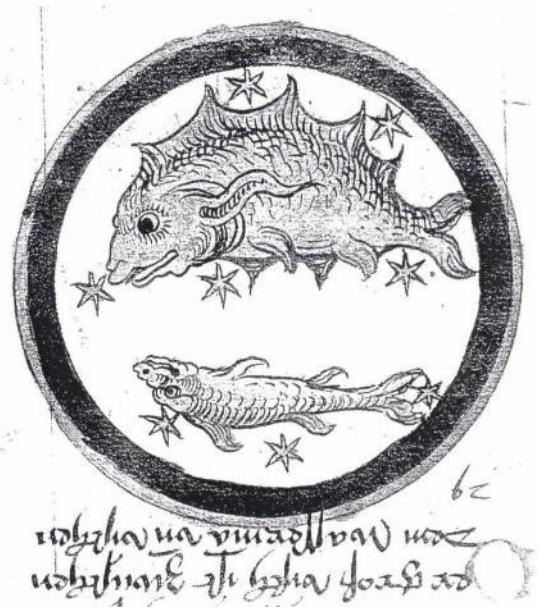


Vatican, BAV
Pal lat 1370

n.b. – similar to Darmstadt

Michael Scot

German mss – IVa.



Paris, BN

Allem 106

n.b. – two fish swim to left, belly-to-belly; smaller one on bottom

Piscis austrinus

German mss – IVb.



Tubingen Univ-bibl.

Ms d 2

n.b. – two upright fish swim in opposite directions



influence of Saturn



parantellonta rota

Michael Scot

Piscis austrinus

German mss – IVb.



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Wolfenbüttel, Herz Aug Bibl
Ms Guelph 29 14 Aug 4°

Michael Scot – German version

Piscis austrinus

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Coburg, Bayerisches Landesbibl.
Ms 5

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Edinburgh, Royal Observatory Libr.
Ms Cr 4 6

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Freiburg, Univ-bibl.
Ms 458



Heidelberg Univ-bibl.
Pal germ 832

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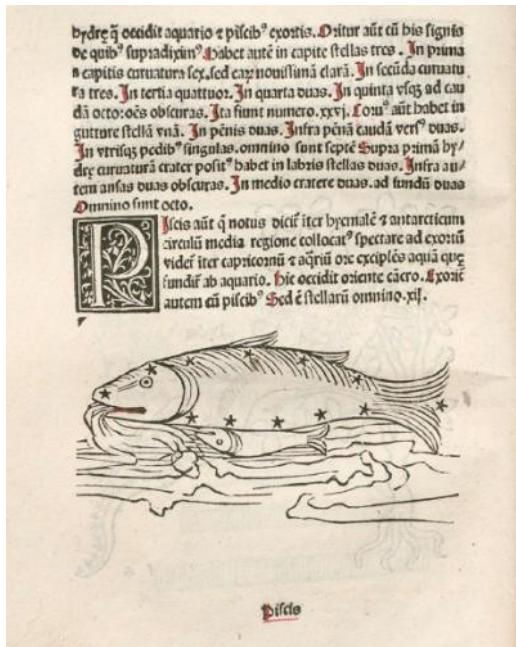
Karlsruhe, Badische Landesbibl.
Ms K 2790

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Nürnberg, Germanisches Nationalmus.
Ms 7082

Michael Scot - derived

Venice: Ratdolt, 1482



Hydroq̄ occidit aquario e pīscib⁹ exortis. Oritur autē cū bis signo
de quib⁹ supradixim⁹. Haber autē in capite stellas tres. In prima
a capitulo curvatura sex, sed eay nouilumā clara. In secunda curvatu
ra tres. In tertia quatuor. In quarta duas. In quinta vīc ad cap
itā octo; oēs obscuras. Ita sunt numero. xxxij. Lōu⁹ autē habet in
guttur stellā viii. In pēnīs duas. Infra pēnā cundā vīc⁹ duas.
In virīs pēdib⁹ singulas. omnino sunt septē. Supra primā hy
dro circumstā crux posit⁹ habet in labrī stellas duas. Infra an
ten amas duas obscuras. In medio craterē duas. ad fundū duas
Omnino sunt octo.

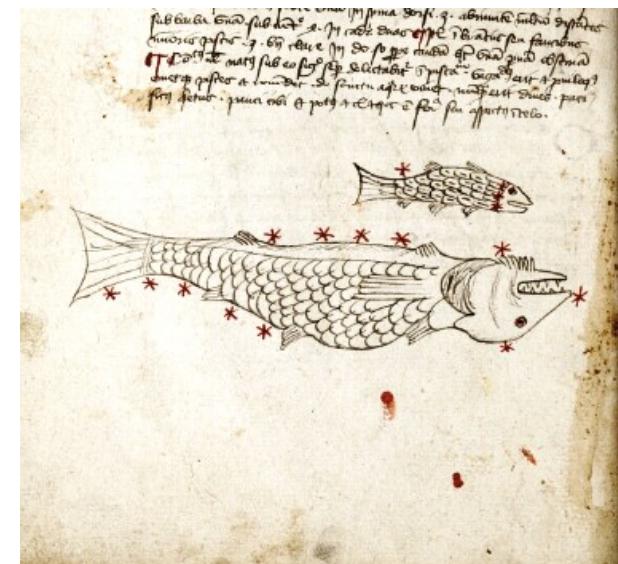
Piscis autē q̄ notus dicit iter hyemalē ⁊ antarcticum
circulū media regiōe collocat⁹ specare ad exortū
videi iter capricornū ⁊ aq̄riū ore expletō aquā que
iundis ab aquario. hic occidit oriente cācro. Si xort
autē cū pīscib⁹ Sed ē stellarū omnino. xl.

Bartolommeo da Parma



Cambridge, Emmanuel College
Ms 70
n.b. – two fish swim to right in stream,
belly-to-belly

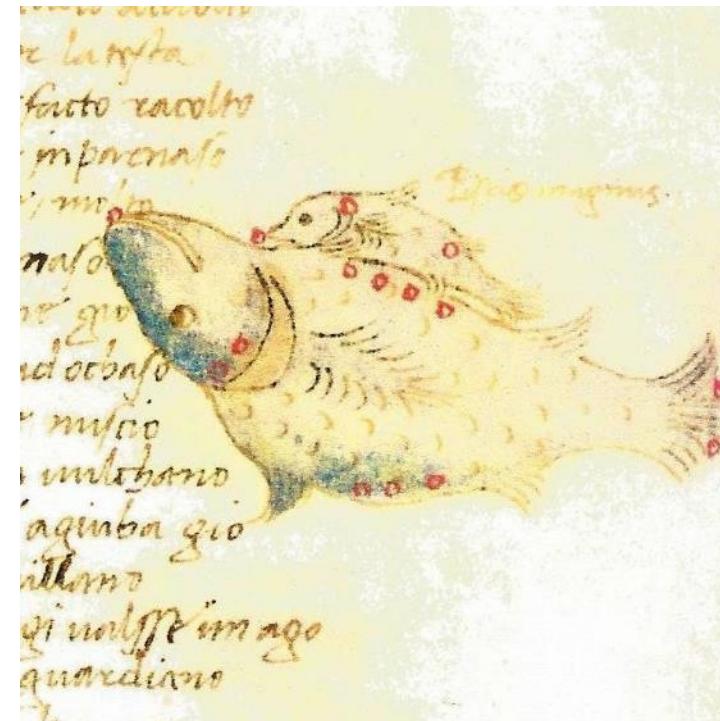
Piscis austrinus



Metz, Bibl mun
Ms 287
similar, but without water



Paris, BN,
Ital 81
n.b. – two fish swim to left, belly-to-belly

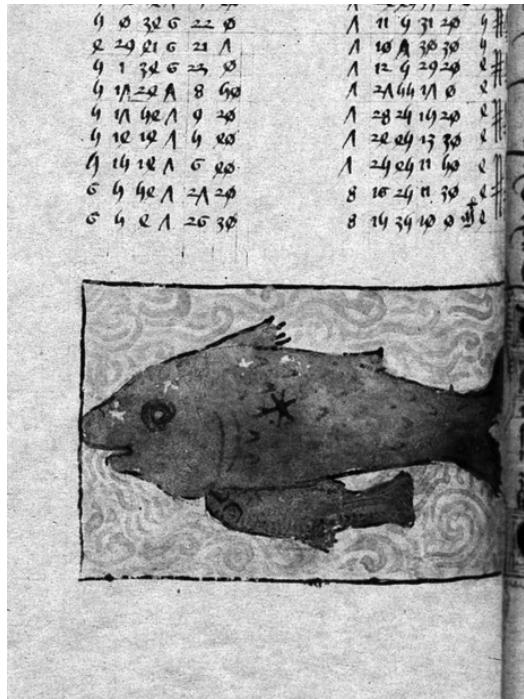


Modena, Bibl Estense
Ital 483 (α. P. 47)
similar

Michael Scot - derived

Piscis austrinus

Alfonsine Tables (John Killingworth update)



London, BL
Arundel Ms 66

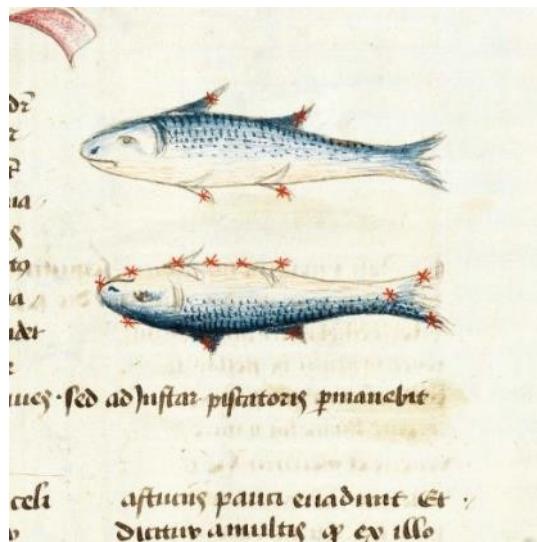
n.b. – two fish swim to left, belly-to-belly, smaller fish on bottom



Michael Scot - derived

Ludovicus de Angulo

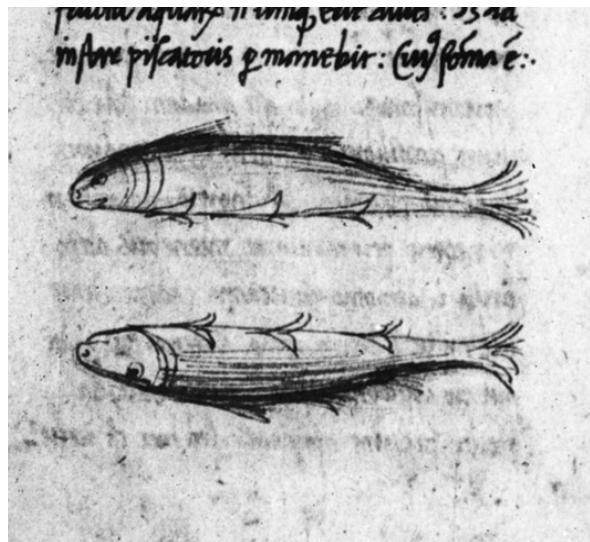
Piscis austrinus



St Gallen, Vadianische Libr

Ms 427

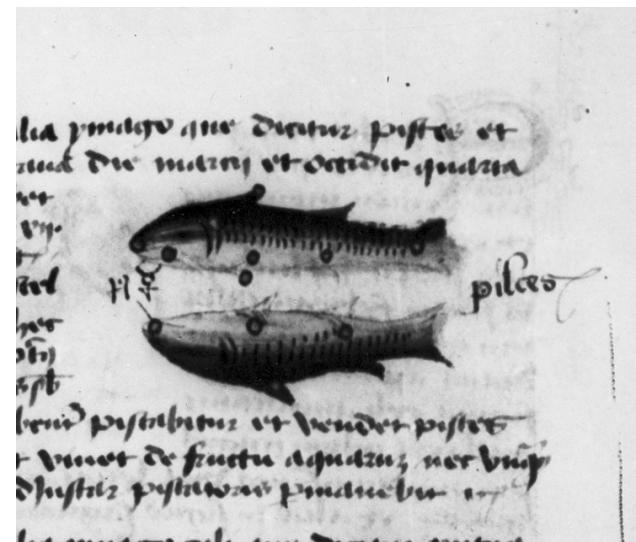
n.b. – two fish face to the left, belly-to-belly



Florence, Bibl. Riccardiana

Ms 3011

same



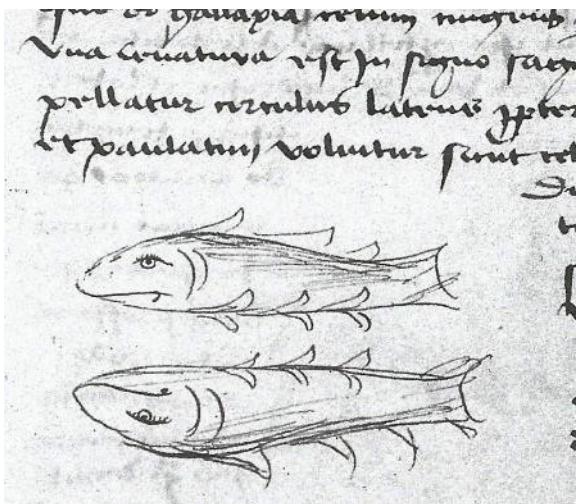
Madrid, BN

Ms 9267

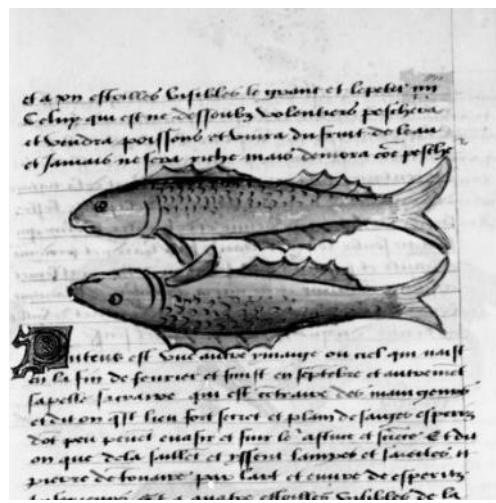
same

Michael Scot - derived
Ludovicus de Angulo

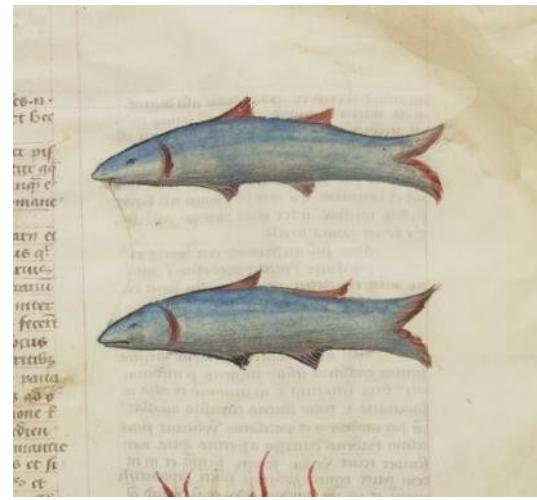
Piscis austrinus



Paris BN
Lat 6561
same



Paris BN
Fr 612
same



Paris BN
Lat 7344
same



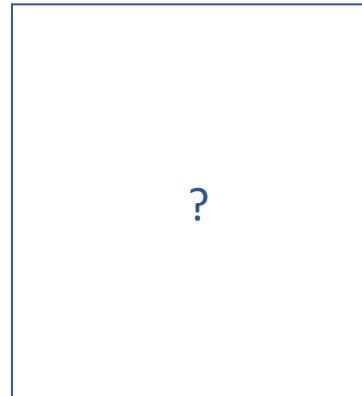
Hague
Ms 72.A.83
n.b. – beaked fish with horns



Hague
Ms 128 C
same



Paris, BN
Lat 8865
same

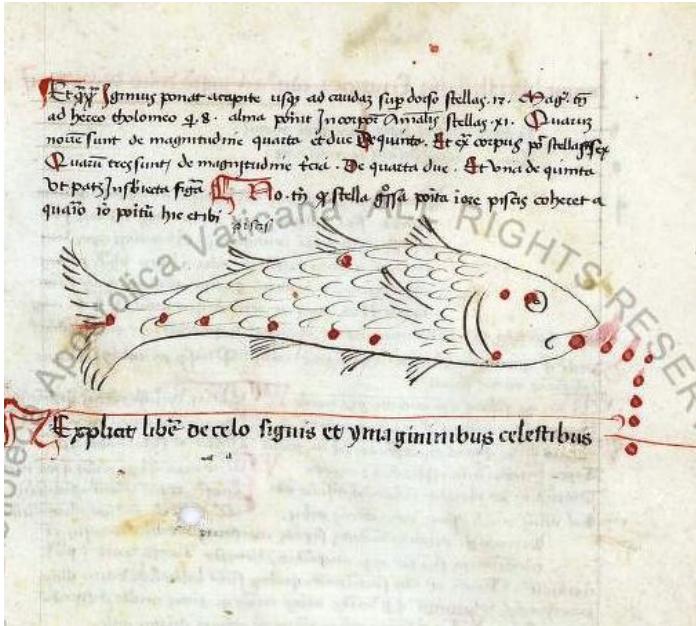


Chantilly, Petit Château
Ms 724 (1596)
similar

Leiden, Univ-bibl
Ms 1° 31

Ghent
Ms 92
same as Hague mss.

Wolfenbüttel, WDB,
Ms Gud lat 1
same



Vatican BAV
Val Lat 3121
n.b. – single fish, head to right



Madrid, BN
Ms 1983
same

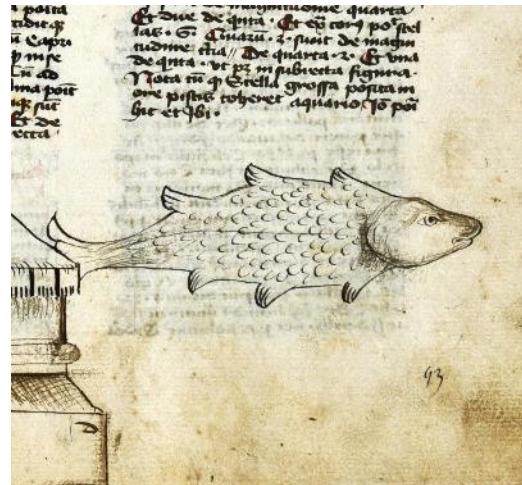
Domenico d'Arezzo



Fermo, Bibl. Com.

Ms 4

similar, large star in mouth



Florence, Bibl. Laurenziana

Aedil 170

similar, no stars marked

Piscis austrinus



London, Lambeth Palace

Ms 35

n.b. – monstrous fish



Florence, Bibl Laurenziana

Plut 40 53

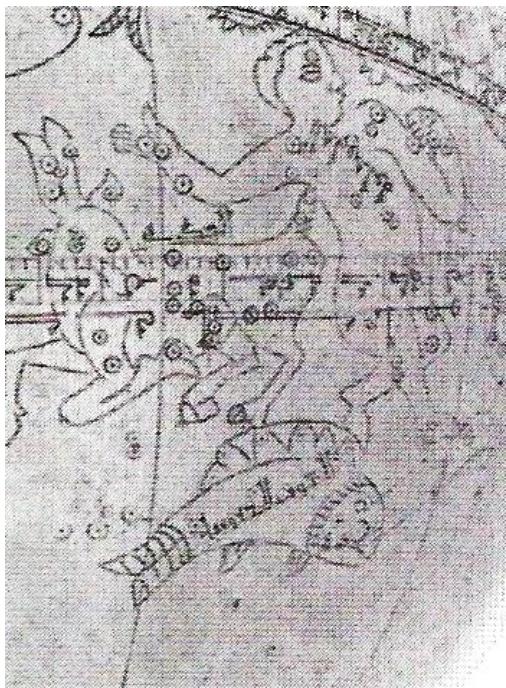
n.b. – Aqr pouring water into fish's mouth



detail from planisphere

PsA ?

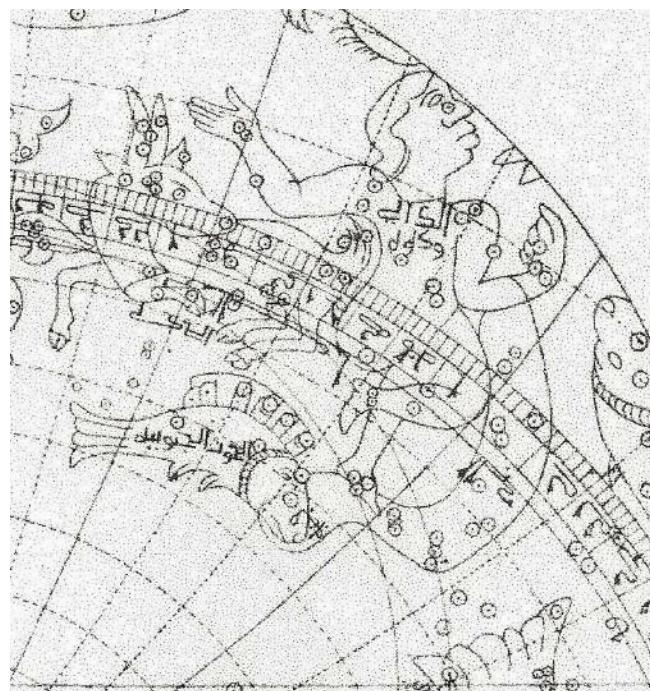
Eastern Globes



Florence, Mus delle Scienze, no. 2712
dated 1025 AD

n.b. – upright fish, faces right, stream from Aqr (?)

Piscis austrinus



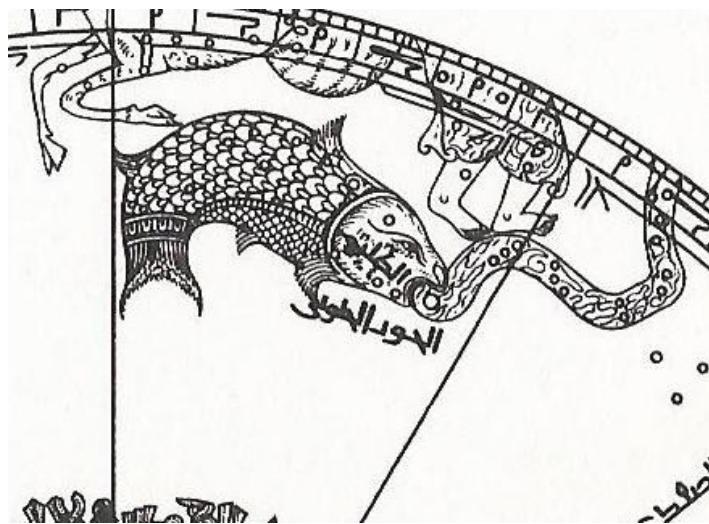
Paris globe GA 325 / Inv. 2172
same

Eastern Globes

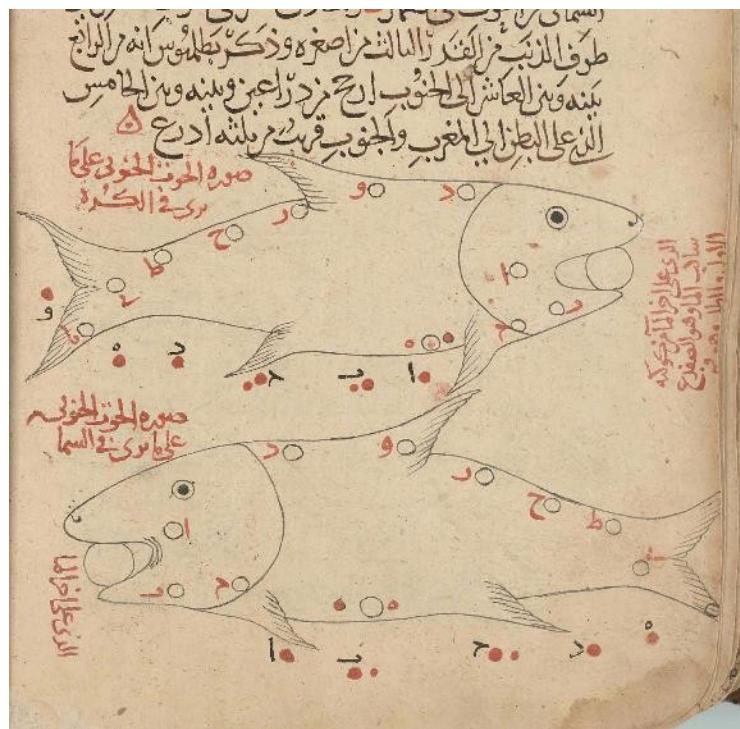


Smithsonian Mus, no 72-3085
n.b. – same
(cf. Savage- Smith 1985, fig. 87)

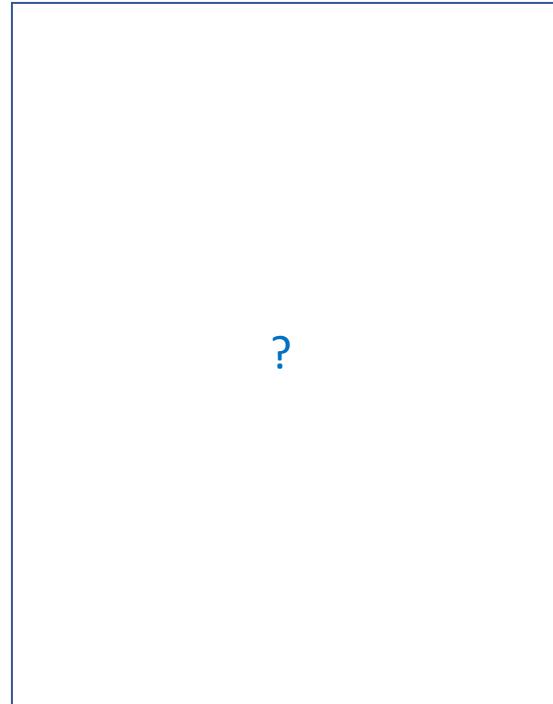
Piscis austrinus



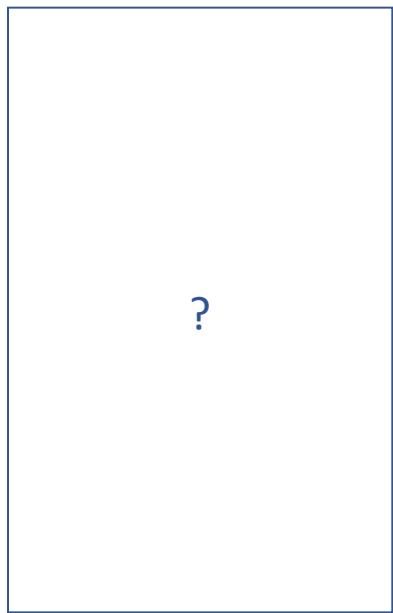
BM – Malcolm globe
same



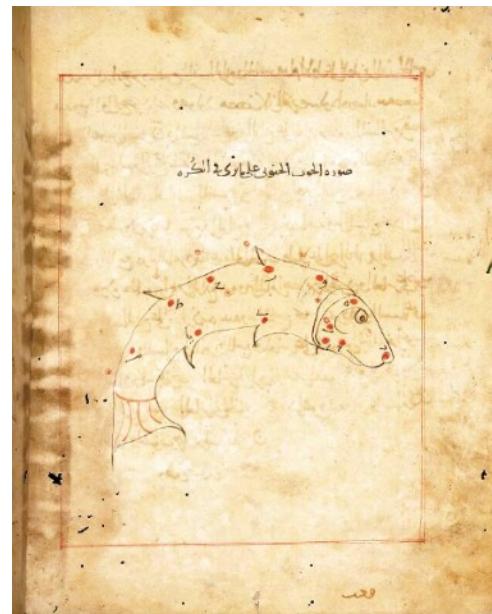
Doha, Mus of Islamic Art
Ms 2. 1998. SO (= Sotheby's 1998, lot 34)
Dated April 1125 AD; Baghdād
n.b. – with circular object/star in mouth



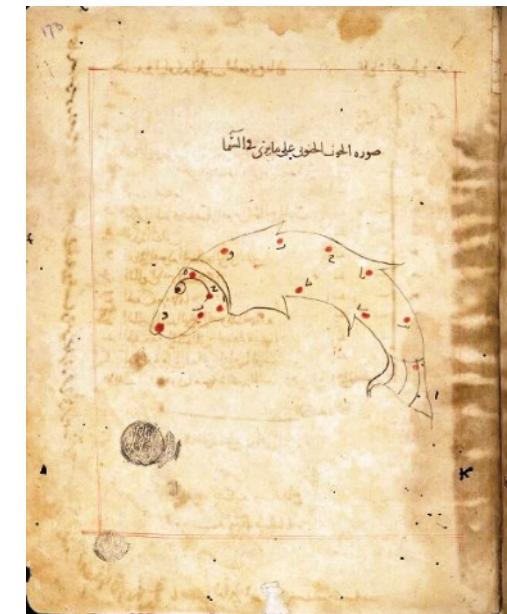
Istanbul, Süleymaniye Libr
Ms Fatih Kütüphanesi 3422
1125/26 AD; Mārdin

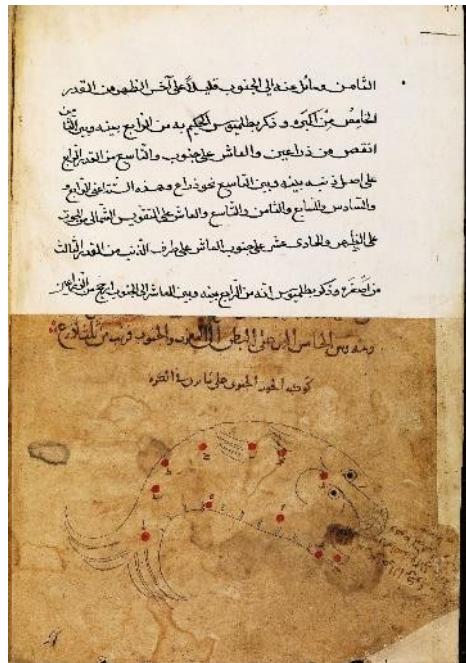


Istanbul, Topkapı Sarayı
Ahmet II 3493
1130-31 AD, Mayyafariqin, SE Turkey



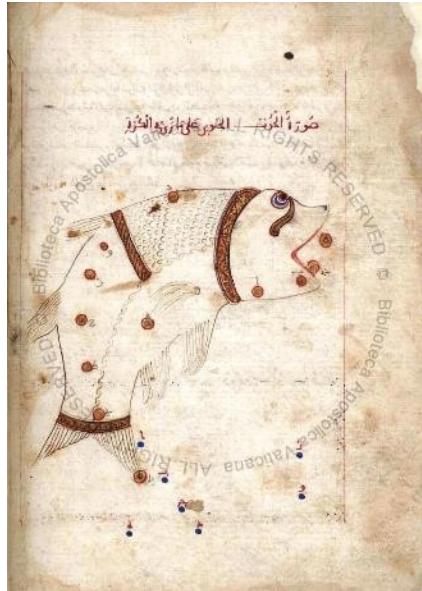
Oxford, Bodleian Library
Huntington Ms 212
1170/71 AD; Mosul
n.b. – curved fish





Oxford, Bodleian Libr.
Ms Marsh 144
dated 1009-1010 AD /probl. late 12th C AD; Shiraz (?), Iran
n.b. – curved fish

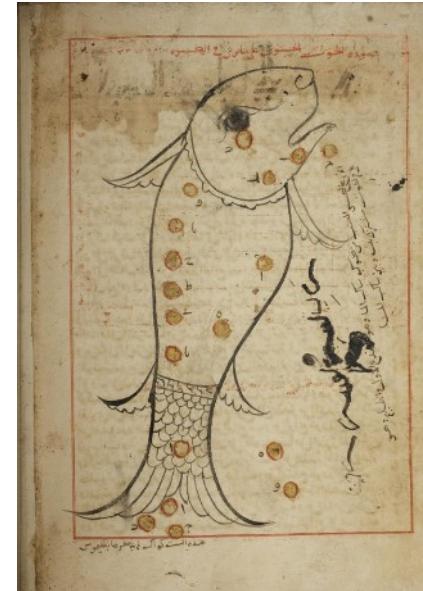
Berlin, Staatsbibl.
Ms qu or 704
c. 1203
n.b. – double circles



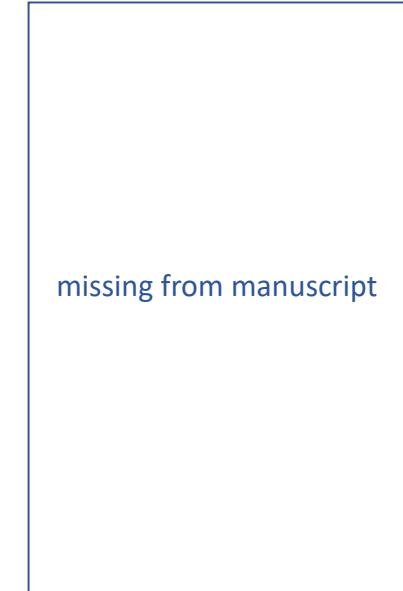
Vatican, BAV
Ross 1033
1224 AD, Ceuta (?) N Africa
n.b. – curved fish with bands



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Berlin, Staatsbibl.
Landberg 71
Aug/Sept 1233; Mosul
n.b. – vertical fish



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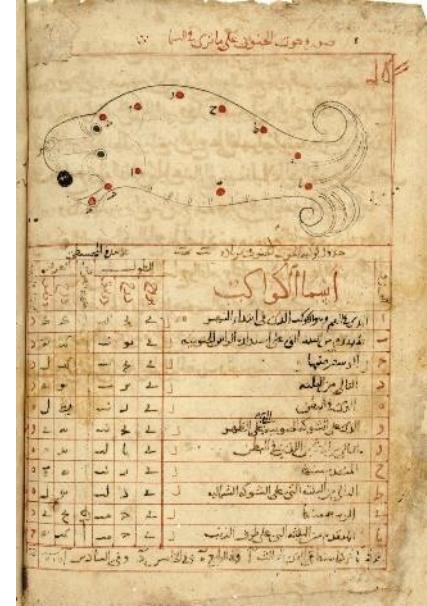
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Istanbul, Suleymanie Libr
Ayasofia 2595
1249-50 AD; Alamut (?) Iran
star in mouth

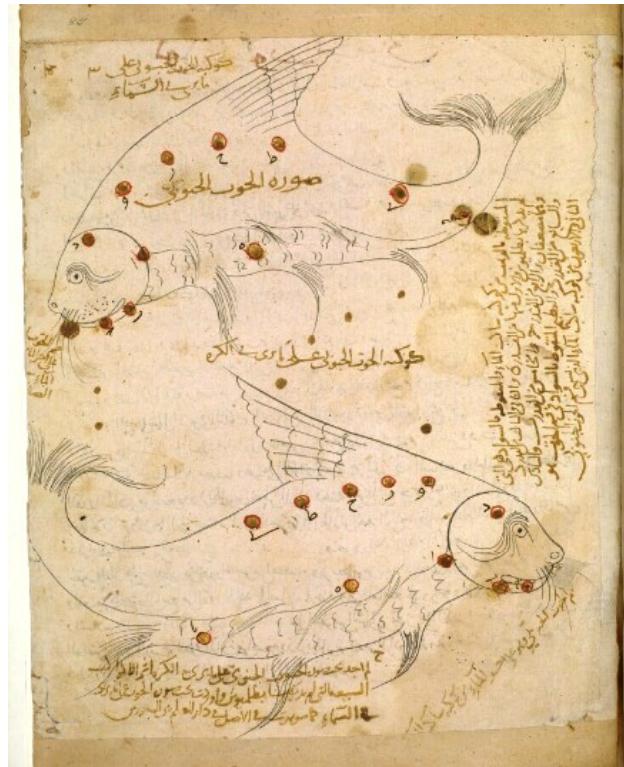
non-Latin Eastern mss (al-Sufi, *Kitāb suwar al-kawākib al-tābita*)

Piscis austrinus

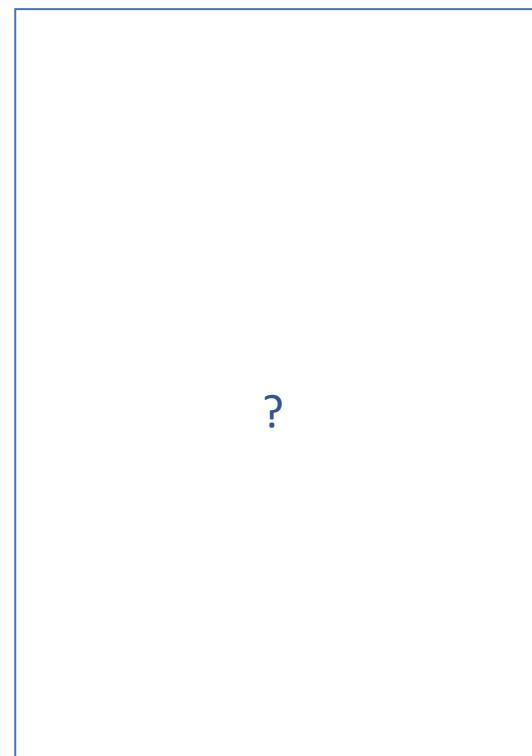


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Arabe 2488
mid-13th C, Ceuta (?) N Africa
n.b. – vertical, star in mouth

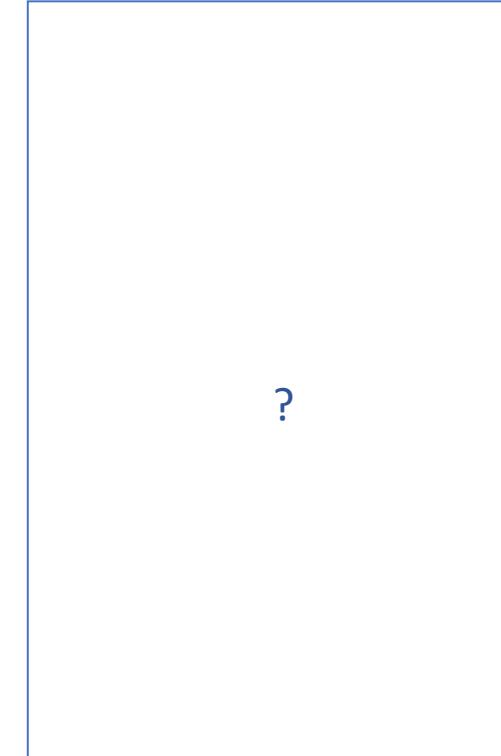
Paris BN
Arabe 2489
1266-67 AD; Syria?
n.b. – similar, horizontal



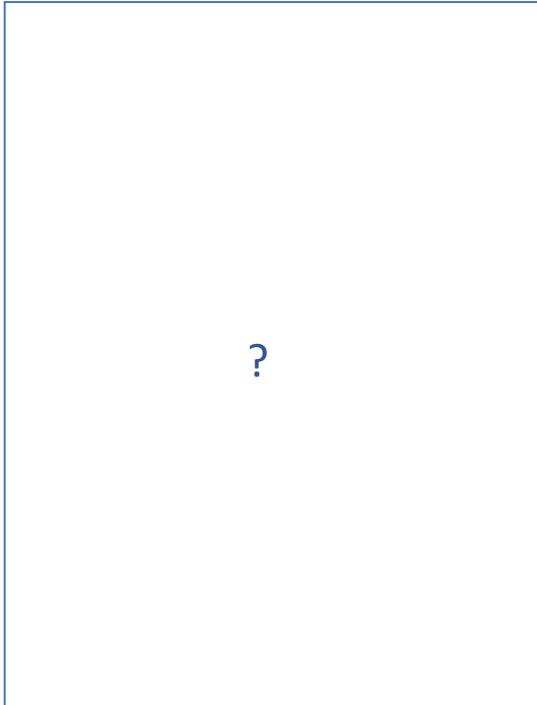
London BL
Or 5323
1260-80; Maragha (?), NW Iran



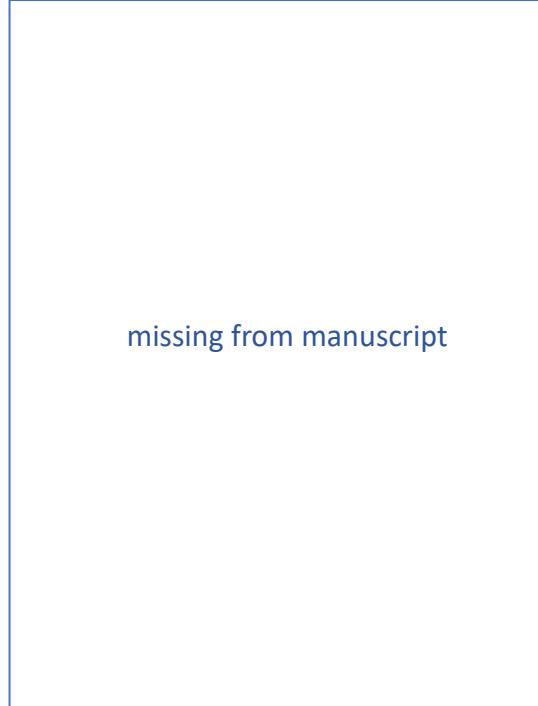
Cairo, National Libr
Ms Dar al-Kutub miqāt 390
1300 AD



Oxford, Bodleian Libr
Pococke 257
1303/04; Aleppo



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Escorial
Ms 915
20 March 1364 AD

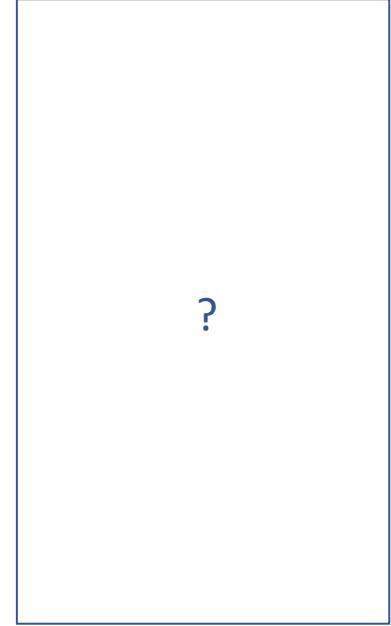
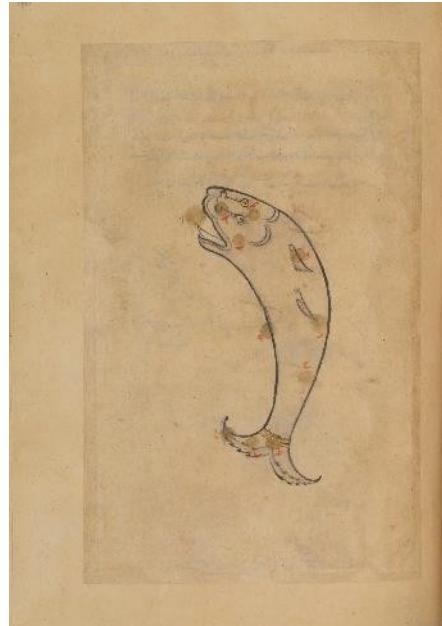
NY, Metropolitan Mus
Ms 13.160-10 (Rogers Fund 1913)
c. 1400, Samarkand (Met says Iran, Shiraz)



Paris BN
Ms arabe 5036
c. 1430-40, Samarkand
n.b. – curved fish seen from top



Dublin, Chester Beatty Libr
Ms Per 175
1497-98 (903 AH), Isfahan/Yazd
n.b. – vertical fish, star in mouth



Bologna, Bibl. Univ
Ms 2953
8 Oct 1500 AD

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Dublin, Chester Beatty Libr
Ms Ar 4119
1504/05 AD

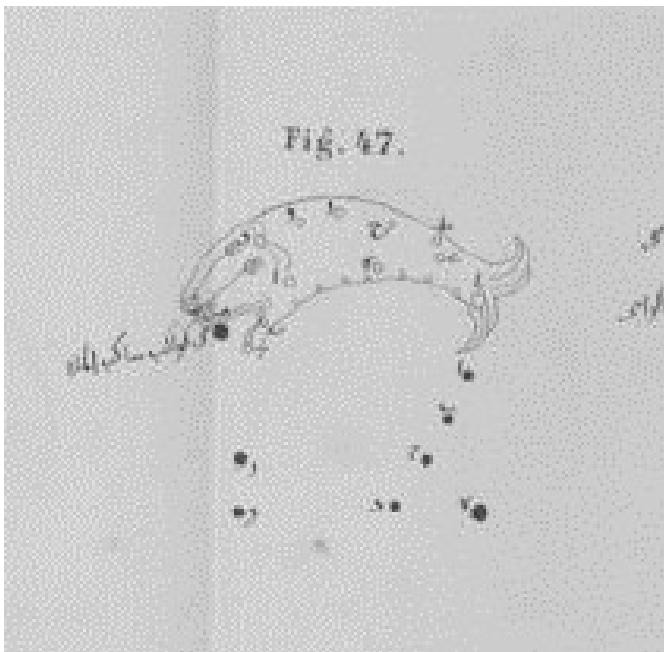
Paris BN
Arabe 2490
1516/17 AD
n.b. – bony heads

London BL
Add ms 7488
16th C

Istanbul, Perter Pasa Libr
Ms 375
16th C

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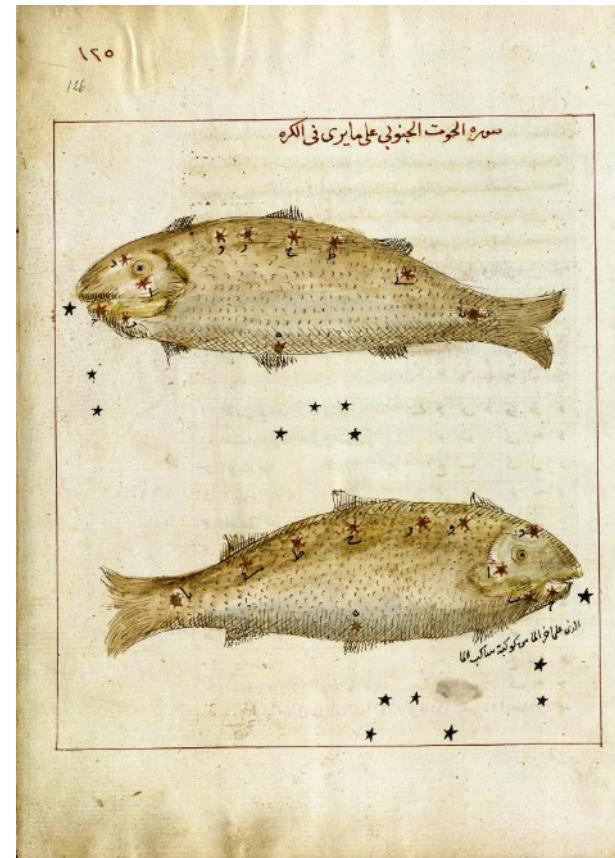


St Petersburg, Inst Or Studs

Ms n.s. 191

16th C; Istanbul ?

n.b. – curved fish, star in mouth

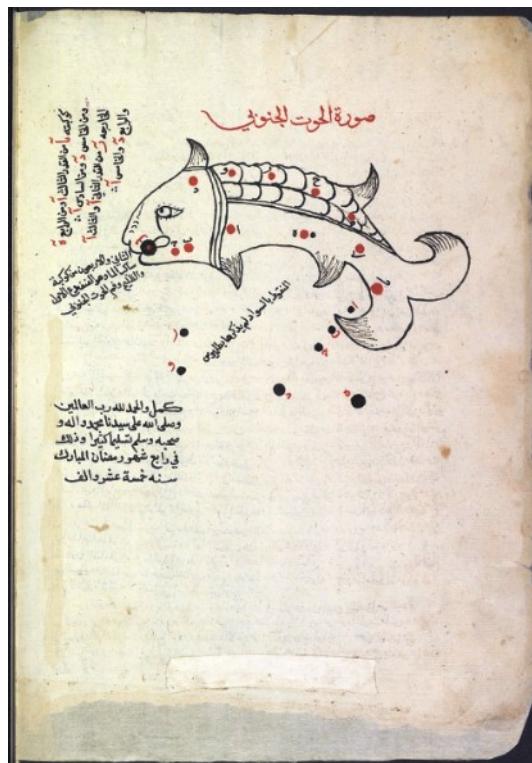


Copenhagen, Kong. Bibl.

Ms arabe 83

25 May 1602 AD; Medina; copied from copy dated 1013/14
AD believed to be al-Sufi's own copy

n.b. – horizontal fish



Princeton, Univ Libr

Ms Garrett 2259 Yehuda

al-Sufi, dated 3 Jan 1607

n.b. – curved fish

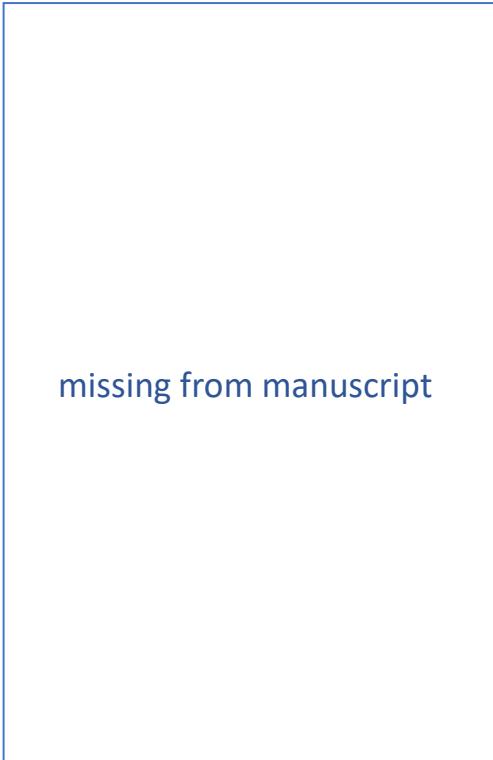


Dublin, Chester Beatty Libr
Ms Ar 4222
1600-1650 C; Isfahan



Paris BN
Arabe 6528
India, 1643-44
n.b. – stylised fish





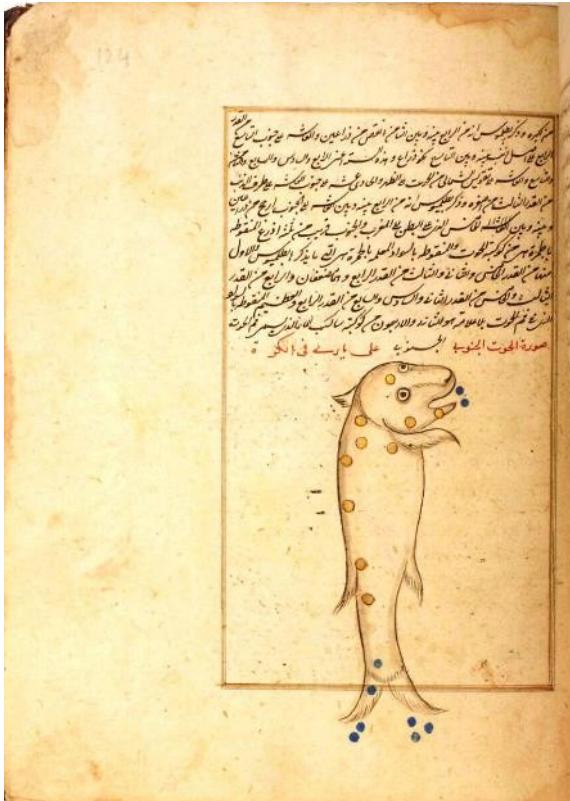
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Dublin, Chester Beatty Libr
Ms Per 263
1650-1700 C; Isfahan



Paris BN
Arabe 2491
1770 AD
n.b. – upright, horizontal

Paris BN
Arabe 2492
18th C
n.b. – upside-down



New York, Met Museum of Art

Ms 1975.192.2

attr. Iran (?), 18th C

n.b. – vertical



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al-Sufi, at-Tusi transl???



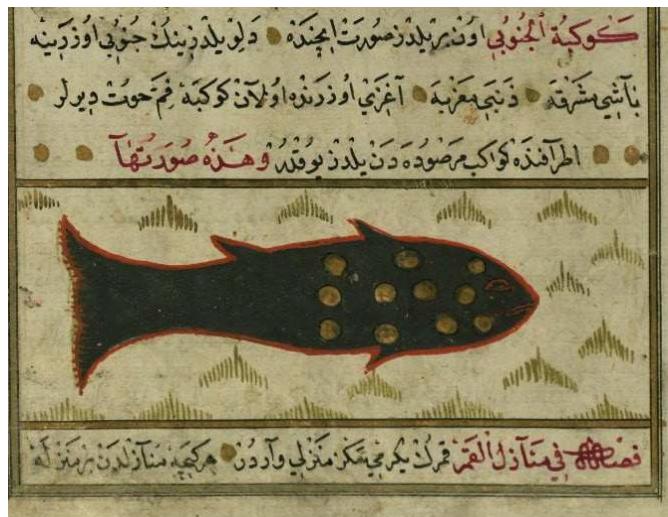
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Tehran, Riza 'Abbasi Libr
Ms M. 570
Ibn-al-Sufi (son)
1159-60 AD

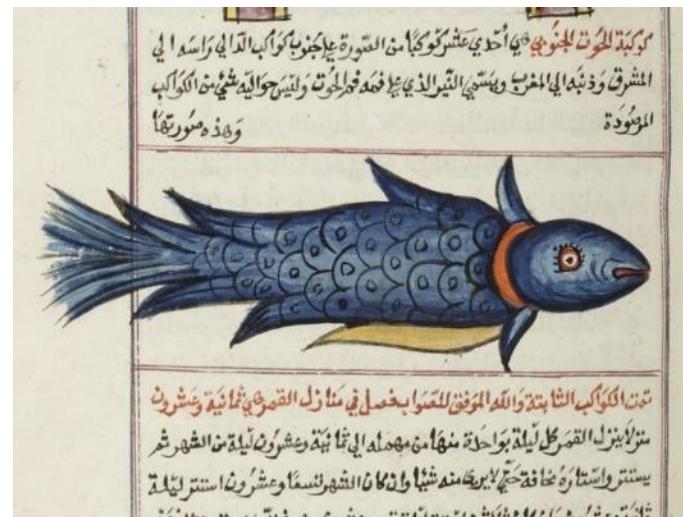
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St Petersburg, Ms E (?)
Qazwini



Baltimore, Walters Art Gall
Ms W 359
Qazwini
n.b. – swims to right



Paris BN
Arabe 2178
1762-63 AD –
n.b. – similar without stars



Washington DC, Freer
Ms 1954 -52 (ex-Sarre)
Qazwini
n.b. – same



Bethesda MD, National Library of Medicine
Persian, dated 1537-38
Qazwini
n.b. – curved body, facing right

Sufi latinus – I

Stellatio piscis meridionalis

Piscis austrinus

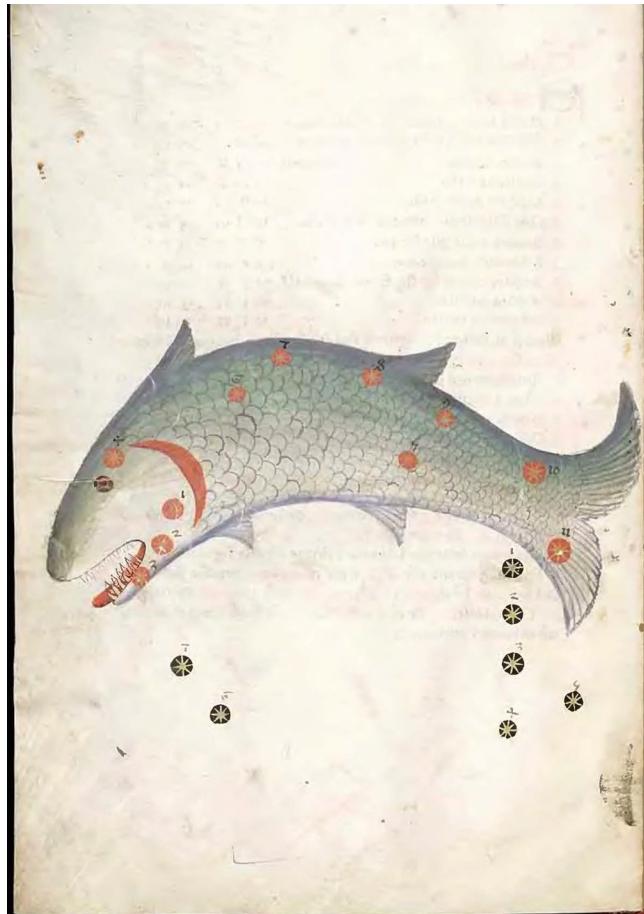


Paris, Bibl Arsenal

Ms 1036

n.b. – upright fish with face, swims to left

Sufi latinus – II



Prague, Strahov
DA. II. 33
n.b. – same



Berlin, Staatsbibl, KK
Ms 78 D 12
same

Piscis austrinus

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Munich, Staatsbibl
Clm 826

Gotha, Forshungsbibl
Membr II 141
n.b. – vertical and reversed

Sufi latinus – III

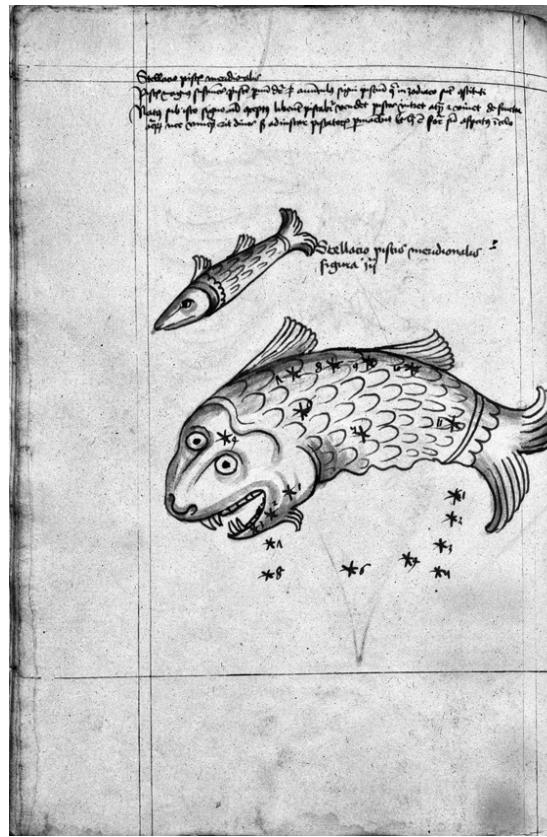


Catania, Bibl Univ

Ms Univ Ar, 387

**n.b. – large upright fish faces right, smaller fish above
Stellatio piscis meridionalis**

Piscis austrinus



Vienna, ONB

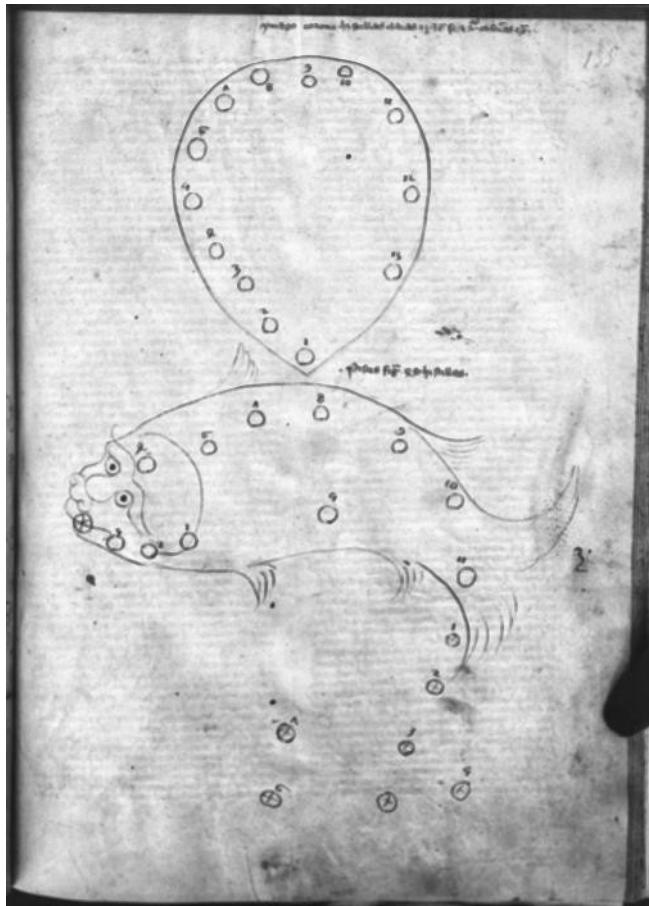
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same

Stellatio piscis meridionalis

Sufi latinus IV

Piscis austrinus



Bernkastel-Kues, Nicolaus hosp.

Ms 207

similar

Alfonsine iconography

Piscis austrinus



El Escorial

Ms h 115



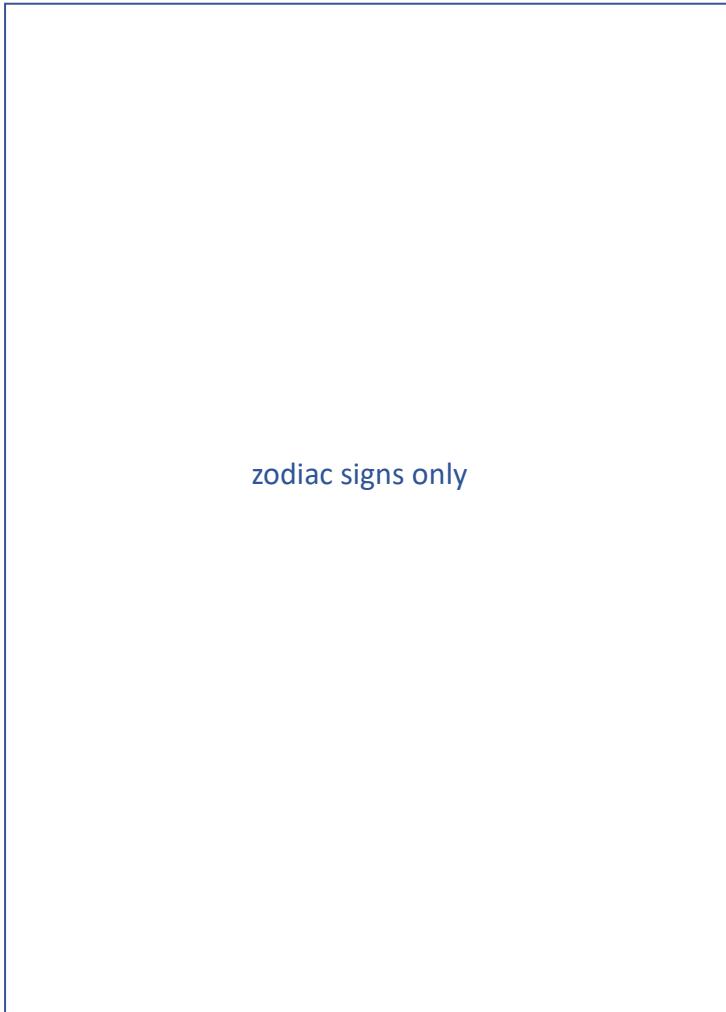
Vatican BAV
Reg lat 1283a

Vatican BAV
Vat lat 8174
Pescie meridionale ... E chiamato in latino
piscis meridionalis e in arabico allor ali anubi



Los Angeles, Getty Mus
Ms Ludwig XII, 7
Constellation piscis meridionalis e in arabico allor ali
anuby

Alfonsine iconography



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Oxford, Bodleian Library
Can. misc. 27 (zodiac only)

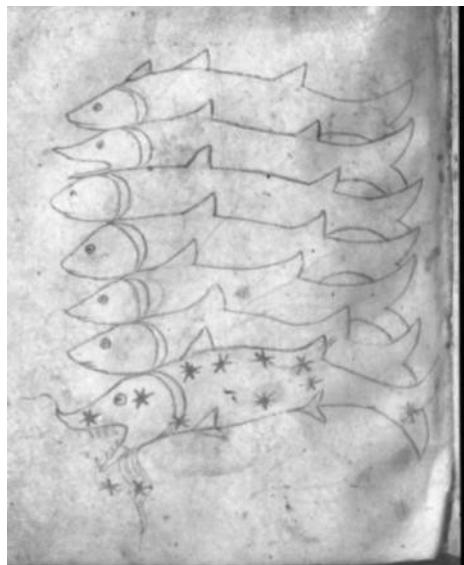
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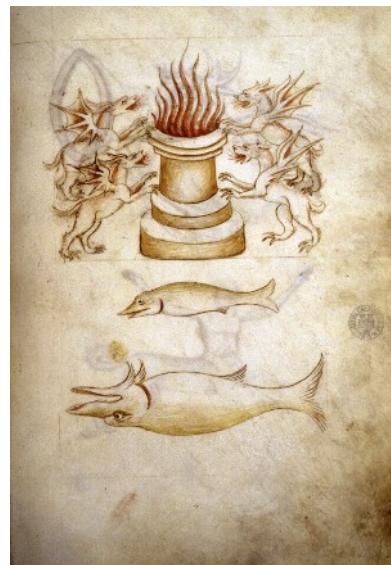
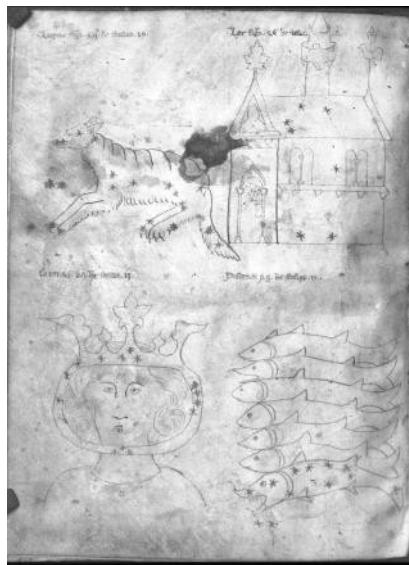
New York, Morgan Pierpont Library
Ms 355 (zodiac only)

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Vatican, BAV
Urb lat 1399

n.b. — seven fish swimming to left, bottom one with stars.
Compare Oxford Bodl Can misc 554



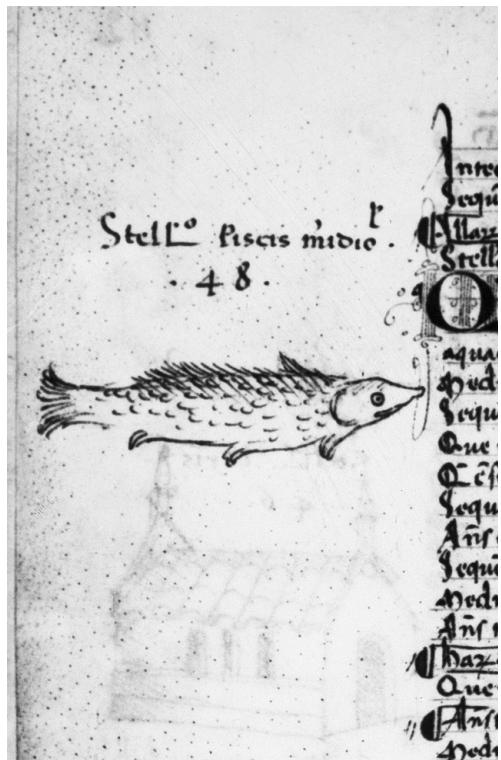
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n.b. — larger and smaller fish swimming to left, belly-to-belly.
The seven fish appear to represent the Pleiades here (cf. Saxl-Meier 1953, III, 1, p. 343)

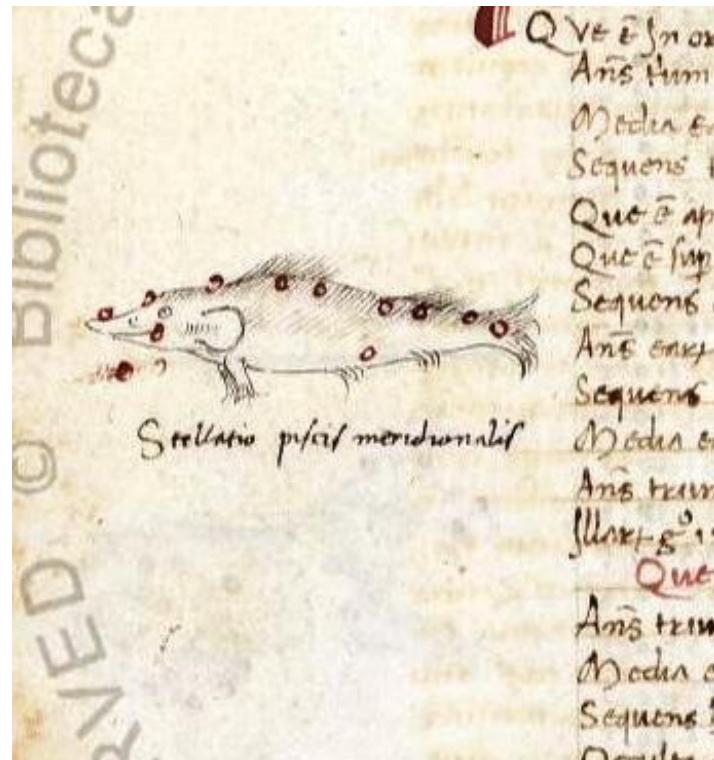


Alfonsine Stellar Tables

Piscis austrinus



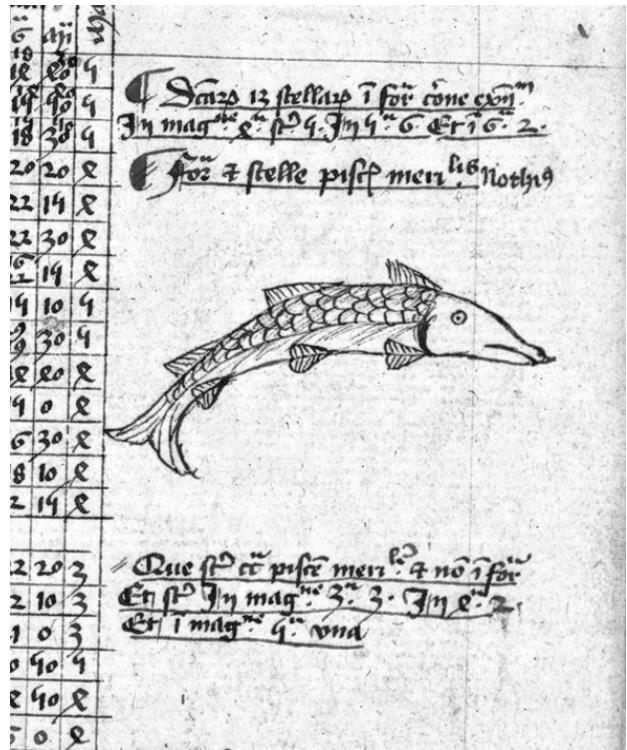
Bergamo, Bibl A Mai
Ms Σ II 2
n.b. – upright fish swims to right



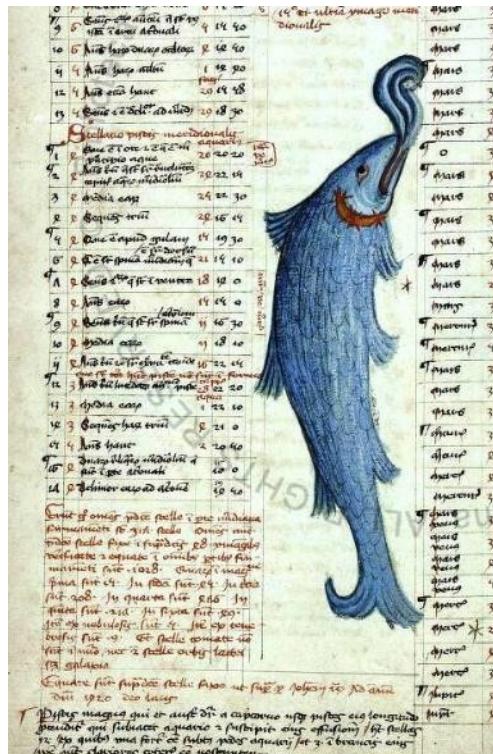
Vatican, BAV
Vat lat 3099
similar, reversed

'Ptolemaic' stellar tables / picture books

Piscis austrinus

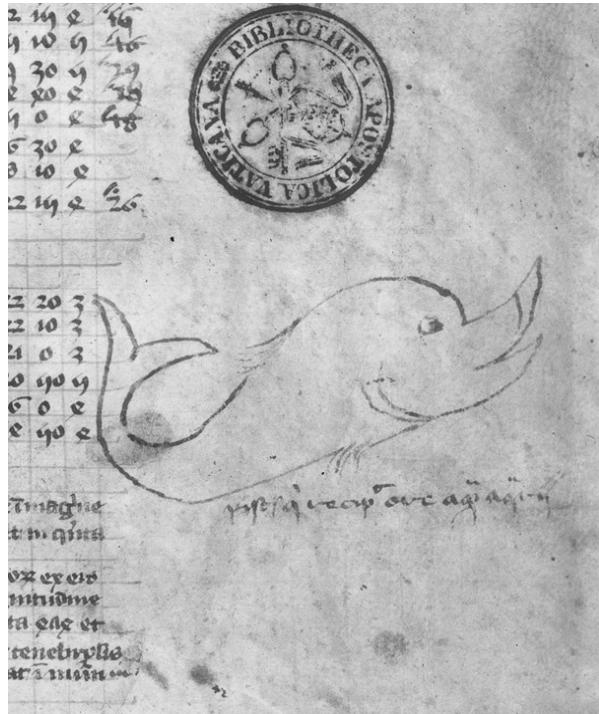


Brussels, Bib Roy
Ms 10117-26
n.b. – upright fish swims to right
Piscis meridionalis, nothus



Vatican BAV
Pal lat 1368
n.b. – vertical, with stream coming from mouth
Piscis meridionalis, aquarius ...

'Ptolemaic' stellar tables



Vatican BAV
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n.b. – dolphin-like fish swims to right

Piscis austrinus



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Ms 35
n.b. – vertical

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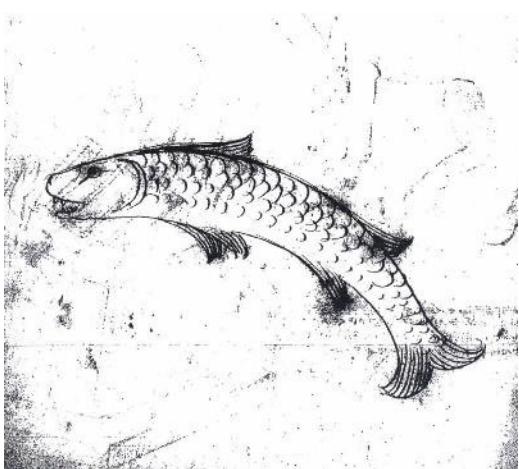
Piscis austrinus

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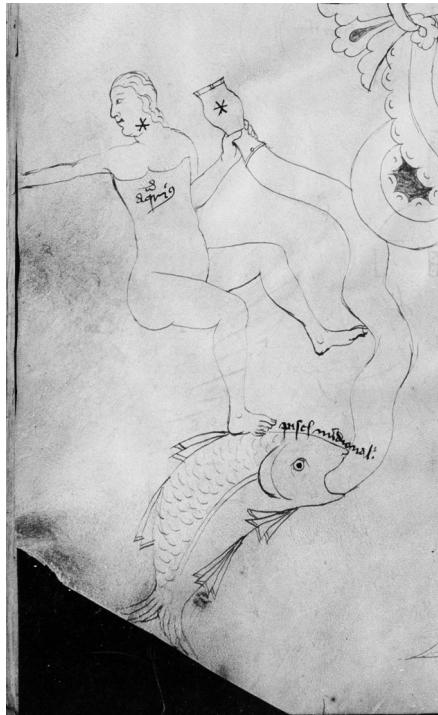
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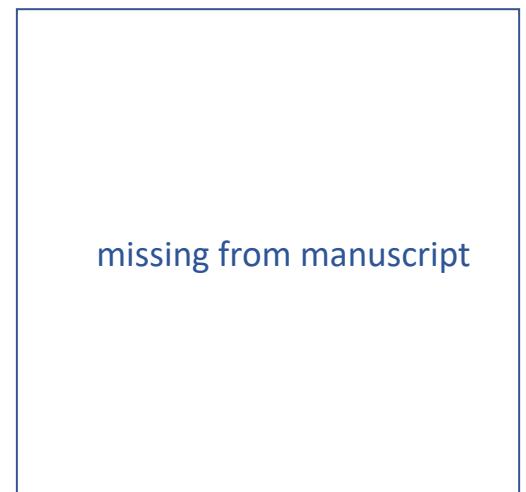


Cambridge MA
Houghton, Typ 43

n.b. – upright, slightly-curved fish
swims to left



Basle, Univ-Bib
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n.b. – upright fish, into which
stream of Aqr pours

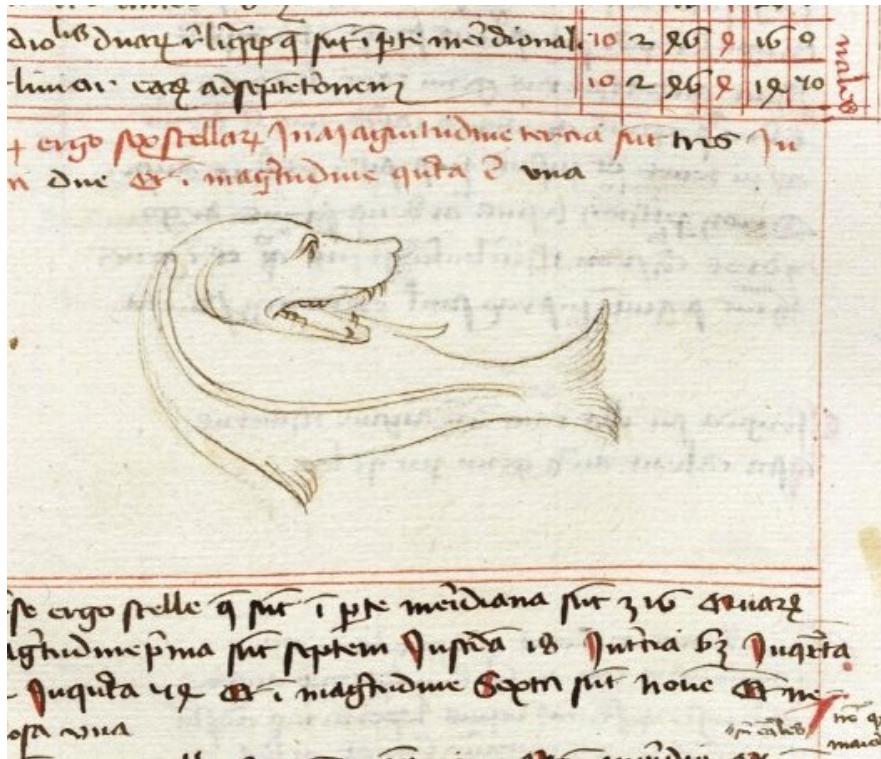


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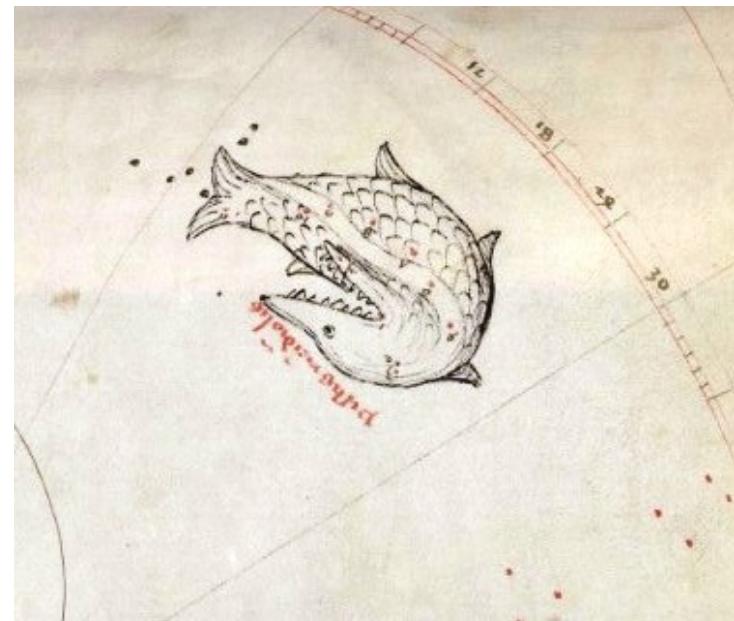
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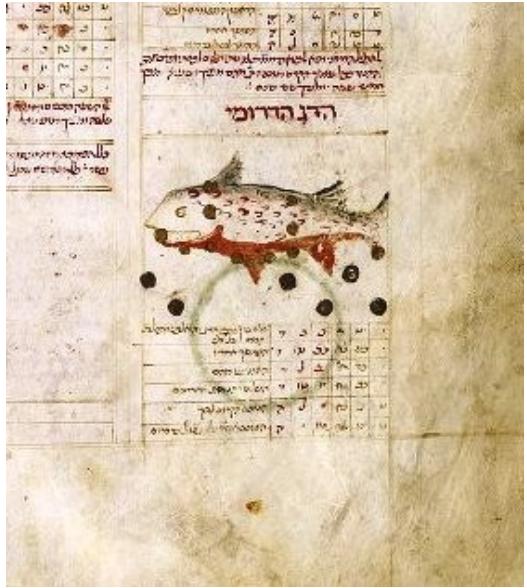
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n.b. – upright fish swims to left and turns head backwards
Stellacio piscis meridionalis et est austronothus pistrix et
piscis solitarius et thetis, pistris magnus et nothus



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northern hemisphere
n.b. – upside-down, curved body

Hebrew Stellar Tables



Philadelphia, U Penn
Ms LJS 57

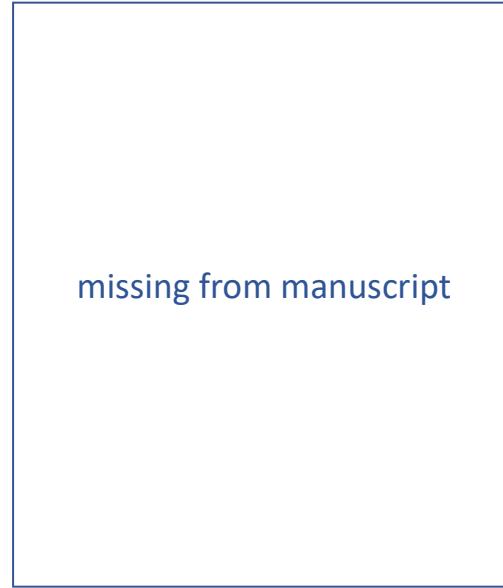
n.b. – upright fish swims to left



n.b. – northern hemisphere

n.b. – stream of Aqr into mouth

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similar, but without leaf

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Urb lat 355

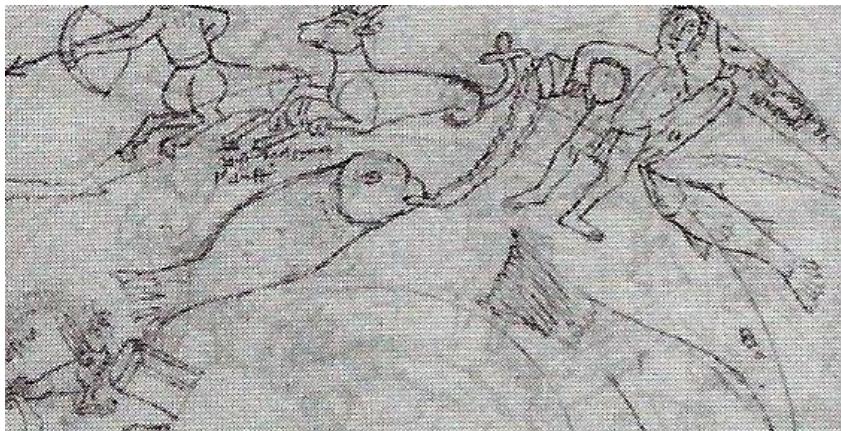
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n.b. – upright, stream pours into mouth

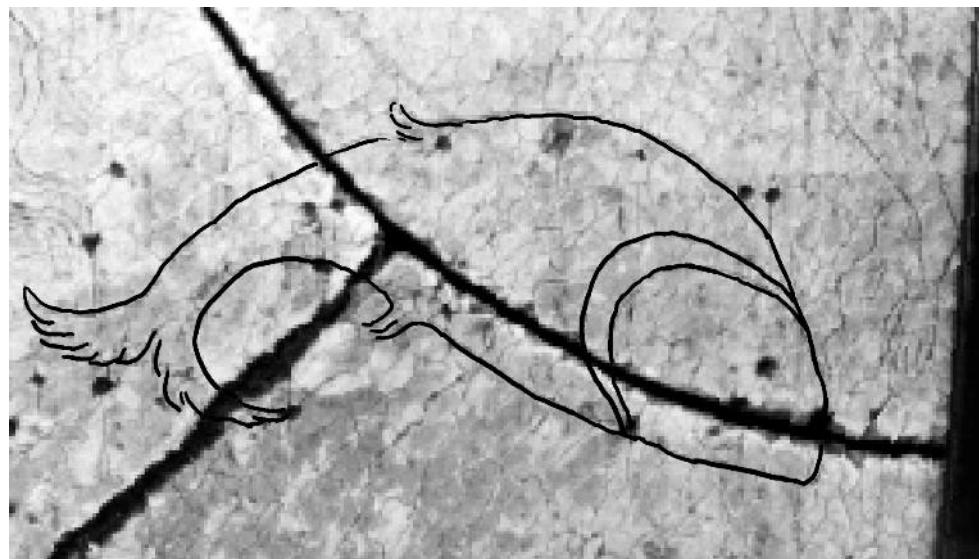


Darmstadt, , Univ- and Landesbibl.
Ms 1020
northern hemisphere
n.b. – similar



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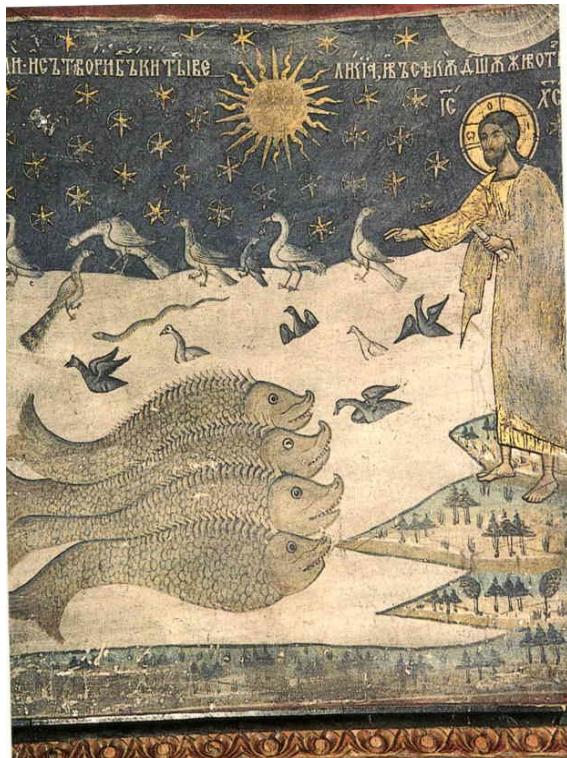
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Cusanus globe
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Creation of the Fish
Sucevita, Moldau, Romania



Swordfish as 'miles maris' (with a sword strapped to its side)
Hereford Mappamundi, c. 1300