



Gregory-Aland Lect. 408
(National Library of Greece, Athens: 186)

***Kurzgefasste Liste* description:**

GA Number: I 408
Contents: le †
Date: XII (No exact date)
Material: Parchment
Leaves: 167
Columns: 2
Lines per page: 26-29
Dimensions: 27.3 H x 21.5 W
Shelf Number: 186

Corrections to K-Liste description: dimensions, line count, leaf count

***CSNTM* description:**

GA Number:
Contents: le †
Date: XII¹ (No exact date)
Material: parchment
Leaves: 171
Columns: 2
Lines per page: 25–27²
Dimensions: 20.8–21.1 W x 26.7–27.1 H x 4.3–5.2 D
Shelf Number: 186

Images:

Text (342) + Additional matter (6) + Spine & Color Chart (7) + UV (344) = 699 total images

Foliation corrections: paginated only. After '181' (91a) the next leaf is blank. Thus:

92b = [182].

104 = [208]; two numbers were skipped, so the pagination is correct again

104b [208]: after this page are leaf fragments. Only the three middle ones, with text on them, are counted. The paginator skipped one leaf.

Quires: —

¹ NLG catalog (1892) has an oversight here: no date is given at all.

² The sample pages did not include any that had more than 27 lines per column, but this is no doubt due to the small sampling.

Additional matter: 6 images

Front cover: 1 additional paper leaf + cover b = 3 images

Back cover: 1 additional paper leaf + cover a = 3 images

Spine, Cover, and Color Chart: 7 images (color chart on 1a)

Text: 171 leaves (342 images)

UV (MS pages, not ours): all

Specific Details:³

Cloth covers, still intact. Title on spine: Περικοπαι Ευαγγελιων. Label on spine: Χειρογραφον 186. The number is also found on 1a.

MS is in very bad condition. Much mold has made many leaves quite fragile. Lower outside corner chewed away by vermin; teeth marks suggest *rattus norvegicus* did the damage.

MS has been trimmed at top recently; pagination is cut off on many leaves.

1ab: first hand: introductory comments to lectionary

2a–75a: second hand

2a: Johannine prologue, first page of scripture in the lectionary. Ornate, multicolored headpiece for John.

29b: ornate icon of Matthew, incomplete, ¼ of page.

75b–: third hand

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UV: rjh

³ Leaf numbers: *actual* is listed first, then =, then the *written* number on the MS in single quotes. Thus: 214a = ‘212a.’ Even though the quotation marks are used, there is no ‘a’ on the written page. For a MS that is paginated, the *actual leaf* number is listed first, followed by =, followed by the *page number* in quotes. Thus: 214a = ‘423.’