

The Critical Edition of Gregory of Nyssa's *In Hexaemeron*: A Preliminary Report

Hubertus R. Drobner

THEOLOGISCHE FAKULTÄT PADERBORN

I.

When the famous German philologist Ulrich von Wilamowitz-Moellendorff (1848–1931)¹ celebrated his sixtieth birthday he was given funds in order to promote the critical edition of a classical author of his choice.² Rather surprisingly for his time he chose Gregory of Nyssa and, after devoting a few years to the basic collection of manuscripts, in 1911 he entrusted his young pupil Werner Jaeger (1888–1961) with it at the age of twenty-three, who had just been awarded his doctorate in classical studies.

His choice proved an excellent one, for Werner Jaeger not only became heart and soul of the new enterprise, but also a competent philologist in his own right.³ In 1921 he published the first two volumes containing Gregory's *Contra Eunomium*; his friend Giorgio Pasquali edited the letters in 1925.⁴

Shortly thereafter progress was halted because of financial reasons. Inflation devaluated the funds, yet Werner Jaeger did not abandon the project. He carried on privately, and when he was appointed to Harvard University in 1939 his "Harvard Institute for Classical Studies" provided him with the means of reviving the project on a large scale. He attracted numerous international scholars for collaboration, so that at the time of his death in 1961 three further volumes had been completed: 1952 *Opera ascetica*, 1958 *Opera dogmatica minora* vol. I, 1960 *In Canticum Canticorum*.

Since that time eight more volumes have been published: 1962 vol. V (*In inscriptiones Psalmorum*, *In sextum Psalmum* and *In Ecclesiasten homiliae*), 1964 *De vita Moysis*, 1967 *Sermones* vol. I, 1987 *Opera dogmatica minora*

1. Cf. Max Pohlenz, Ulrich von Wilamowitz-Moellendorff (Göttingen, 1932).

2. For the history of the Gregory of Nyssa-edition cf. Hadwig Hörner, Über Genese und derzeitigen Stand der grossen Edition der Werke Gregors von Nyssa: Écriture et culture philosophique dans la pensée de Grégoire de Nysse. Actes du colloque de Chevetogne (22–26 septembre 1969), édités par Marguerite Harl (Leiden, 1971) 18–50.

3. Cf. Wolfgang Schadewaldt, Gedenkrede auf Werner Jaeger: 1888–1961. Mit einem Verzeichnis der Schriften Werner Jaegers (Berlin, 1963). Aus: Schweizer Monatshefte 42 (1962) Heft 7.

4. For a complete list of the *Gregorii Nysseni Opera* see end of article.

vol. II, 1990 *Sermones* vol. II, 1992 *De oratione dominica* and *De beatitudinibus*, 1996 *Oratio catechetica* and Sermons vol. III.

Four works currently in progress will complete the project of providing a critical edition for Gregory of Nyssa's extant *Opera omnia*. They are: *Epistula canonica*, edited by Hilde Polack, currently in the press; *De hominis opificio*, being prepared by Hadwig Hörner, professor emerita of Frankfurt University; *De anima et resurrectione*, in preparation by Andreas Spira, professor emeritus of Mainz University; and *In Hexaemeron*, for which I am now responsible.⁵

II.

The first collation for *In Hexaemeron* was done by Werner Jaeger himself, that is, before 1961. After that the edition passed into the most able hands of Frau Hadwig Hörner and her team in Frankfurt, and she eventually entrusted Martin Henniges with it, who was not able to bring it to completion because he is a teacher at a "Gymnasium" with a family, and simply could not afford enough time for the project.

When I took over, I was therefore presented with a fair amount of material: A list of sixty-one manuscripts ranging from the ninth to the seventeenth century; reproductions of fifty-four of them or parts thereof, either on microfilm or papercopy; collations of forty of them, some complete, some incomplete; numerous notes regarding the interdependence of the manuscripts; some notes towards a commentary to be inserted in the *apparatus testimoniorum*; a few copies from the manuscript catalogues; and a German translation of the text by Martin Henniges.

III.

The further study of the manuscripts revealed that only a total of fifty-six really contain the text of Gregory's *In Hexaemeron* or parts of it. Forty three manuscripts provide the complete text (no. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 36, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56), three only preserve the major part of the text, while the end is missing (10, 22, 55) in two out of three cases (no. 10 and 55) because of the mutilation of the codex, ten only present fragments/excerpts of the tractate (no. 4, 17, 27, 31, 32, 35, 37, 38, 39, 53).

5. For a complete and up-to-date list of the critically edited works of Gregory of Nyssa and those yet missing cf. *Lexicon Gregorianum. Wörterbuch zu den Schriften Gregors von Nyssa*. Bearbeitet von Friedhelm Mann, vols. 1–3 (Leiden, 1999–2001).

Catalogus catalogorum: Répertoire des bibliothèques et des catalogues de manuscrits grecs de Marcel RICHARD. Troisième édition entièrement refondue par Jean-Marie OLIVIER (= *Corpus Christianorum*), Turnhout, 1995.

(1) *Atheniensis graecus Benaki 10, fol. 195r–226r*

- Material: vellum
 Date: X cent. (CALLAHAN, LAPPA-ZIZICA/RIZOU-COUROPOU, MANN), XII cent. (AUBINEAU, MARAVAL, MÜHLENBERG)
 Size: 263 sheets, 255 x 164 mm, 1 column, 31 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works, and John Chrysostom, *De s. Babyla*
 Catalogues: Agamemnon TSÉLIKAS, Μουσείο Μπενάκη. Συλλογὴ χειρογράφων. Δέκα αιώνες ἑλλενικῆς γραφῆς (9ος-19ος αι.), Athens, 1977, 16–17. [= OLIVIER no. 473]
 Euridice LAPPA-ZIZICA/Matoula RIZOU-COUROPOU, Κατάλογος ἑλληνικῶν χειρογράφων τοῦ Μουσείου Μπενάκη (10ος–16ος αι.).—Catalogue des manuscrits grecs du Musée Bénaki (10e–16e s.), Athens, 1991, 21.
 [= OLIVIER no. 471]
 Studies: GNO III/IV (1996) XI, LXVI–LXIX MÜHLENBERG.—GNO VII/II (1992) XLIV CALLAHAN.—GNO X/II (1996) XXVI; 93–99 MANN.⁶
 AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 222.—MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 127, 129.

(2) *Atheniensis (olim Hierosolymitanus, postea Constantinopolitanus) παναγίου τάφου (Metochii S. Sepulchri) 773 (olim 741), fol. 122r–138v*

- Material: paper
 Date: end of XVI cent.
 Size: 233 sheets, 200 x 145 mm, 1 column, 34–42 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, sermons, and other works by other Christian authors
 Writer: Maximos Margunios (*1549, Crete, †1602 Venice)⁷
 Catalogue: A. PAPADOPOULOS-KÉRAMEUS, Ιεροσολυμιτικὴ βιβλιοθήκη ἡτοι κατάλογος τῶν ἐν ταῖς βιβλιοθήκαις τοῦ ἀγιωτάτου ἀποστολικοῦ τε καὶ καθολικοῦ ὄρθοδόξου πατριαρχικοῦ θρόνου τῶν Ἱεροσολύμων καὶ πάσης

6. For full quotations see end of article.

7. Cf. Gerhard Podskalsky, Griechische Theologie in der Zeit der Türkeneinherrschaft (1453–1821). Die Orthodoxie im Spannungsfeld der nachreformatorischen Konfessionen des Westens (Munich, 1988) 135–51 (with complete bibliography); Georgios MAKRIS, Margunios: Biographisch-Bibliographisches Kirchenlexikon 5 (1993) 804 f.

Παλαιστίνης ἀποκειμένων ἐλληνικῶν κωδίκων V, Saint Petersburg 1915 = Brussels 1963, 263–65.

[= OLIVIER no. 1286]

Studies: GNO III/IV (1996) XIII, LXXXVII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO IX (1967) 353–54, 431–32 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) XL, CLII, CLVIII CAVARNOS; CLXXXIX LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) XXXV; 79–80, 90–91, 162–63 MANN; 302, 306, 310–12 TESKE.
MANN nat. (1976) 54–55, 57.

(3) *Athous Λαύρα B 105* = 225, fol. 140v–172v

Material: vellum
 Date: XI cent. (possibly 1092)
 Size: 322 sheets, 282 x 226 mm, 1 column, 29 lines
 Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogue: Spyridon LAURIOTES/Sophronios EUSTRATIADES, Catalogue of the Greek Manuscripts in the Library of the Laura on Mount Athos, with Notices from other Libraries (= Harvard Theological Studies XII), Cambridge, 1925 = Κατάλογος τῶν κωδίκων τῆς Μεγίστης Λαύρας (τῆς ἐν Ἀγίῳ Όρει), Paris, 1925, 27. [= OLIVIER no. 1135]
 Study: AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 83–85.

(4) *Athous Vatopediu 54*, fol. 146v–147v

Fragment Migne 120, 52–121, 48 = Forbes chapters 75–76: inc. εἰ δέ τις ἡμᾶς; expl. οὐ φθέγγεται

Material: vellum
 Date: XI cent.
 Size: 147 sheets, 312 x 263 mm, 2 columns, 29–30 lines
 Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogue: Sophronios EUSTRATIADES/Arcadios VATOPEDINOS, Catalogue of the Greek Manuscripts in the Library of the Monastery of Vatopedi on Mt. Athos (= Harvard Theological Studies XI), Cambridge, 1924 = Κατάλογος τῶν ἐν τῇ Ἱερᾷ Μονῇ Βατοπεδίου ἀποκειμένων κωδίκων, Paris, 1924, 17.
 [= OLIVIER no. 1122]
 Study: AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 85–86.

(5) *Athous Vatopediu 128*, fol. 50r–76r

Material: vellum
 Date: XIV cent.

Size:	400 sheets, 280 x 200 mm, 1 column, 30 lines
Content:	Gregory of Nyssa, works
Catalogue:	Sophronios EUSTRATIADES/Arcadios VATOPEDINOS, Catalogue of the Greek Manuscripts in the Library of the Monastery of Vatopedi on Mt. Athos (= Harvard Theological Studies XI), Cambridge, 1924 = Κατάλογος τῶν ἐν τῇ Ἱερᾷ Μονῇ Βατοπέδιου ἀποκειμένων κωδίκων, Paris, 1924, 32. [= OLIVIER no. 1122]
Studies:	GNO III/II (1987) XXVIII–XXX KENNETH DOWNING; CLXXII.—GNO VII/II (1992) XLIV CALLAHAN.—GNO X/ I (1990) XXXIV; CIV HEIL; CXL, CXLII CAVARNOS; CLXXX, CCXI, CCXL, CCXLIII, CCXLVIII LENDLE.—GNO X/ II (1996) XXXI; 275–76, 280, 297, 299–301 TESKE; 341–42 POLACK.—GNO.S (1972) CVII, CXXIV, CXXV HÖRNER. SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 133.

(6) *Berolinensis Phillipicus graecus 1471 (Meermannius 134 = Claromontanus 110), fol. 27r–78v*

Material:	paper
Date:	XVI cent.
Size:	149 sheets, 228 x 160 mm, 1 column, 21 lines
Content:	Gregory of Nyssa, works
Owners:	the librarian Camillo Bartolomeo de Zanetti (1486 or 1487–at least 1547), who wrote the pages inserted between fol. 35 and 36 ⁸ ; Ludovicus Beccatellus, bishop of Ravello, bought the codex 1553 in Venice ⁹
Catalogue:	Wilhelm STUDEMUND/Leopold COHN, Die Handschriftenverzeichnisse der Königlichen Bibliothek zu Berlin IX. Verzeichniss der griechischen Handschriften der Königlichen Bibliothek zu Berlin I. <i>Codices ex Bibliotheca Meermannia Phillipici graeci nunc Berolinensis</i> , Berlin, 1890, 22. [= OLIVIER no. 559]

8. Cf. Anna Clara Palau, Les copistes de Guillaume Pellicier, évêque de Montpellier (1430–1567); Scrittura e Civiltà 10 (1986): 215–17, 224, 230 f.; Marie Vogel/Victor Gardthausen, Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance [= Zentralblatt für das Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33] (Leipzig, 1909 = Hildesheim, 1966) 49; Ernst Gamillscheg/Dieter Harlfinger, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 2. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Frankreichs und Nachträge zu den Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten [= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/2A] (Vienna, 1989) 41 Nr. 45.

9. Cf. *Hierarchia catholica medii aevi sive summorum pontificum, S.R.E. cardinalium, ecclesiarum antistitum series. Volumen tertium: Saeculum XVI ab anno 1503 complectens*. Inchoavit Guilelmus van Gulik, absolvit Conradus Eubel, Monasterii 1910, 300.

U. WINTER/U. BRUCKNER, Deutsche Staatsbibliothek Berlin. Handschriften- und Inkunabelabteilung. Signaturenliste der Handschriften und kurzes Verzeichnis der Nachlässe, Berlin, 1963, 8. [= OLIVIER no. 560]

Studies: GNO III/II (1987) CXXXV–CXXXVI HÖRNER; CLXXI.
—GNO IX (1967) 13 HEIL; 86 VAN HECK.
VAN HECK paup. (1964) XXII.

(7) *Cantabrigiensis collegii Trinitatis 197 (B.9.1), fol. 162v–184v*

Material: vellum
 Date: XII cent. (fol. 1–19v), XI cent. (fol. 20–213v)
 Size: 213 sheets, 395 x 280 mm, 2 columns, 37 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa and Anastasius Sinaita, works
 Owner: Pantokrator monastery on Mount Athos
 Catalogue: Montague Rhodes JAMES, The Western Manuscripts in the Library of Trinity College, Cambridge. A Descriptive Catalogue, vol. I, Cambridge, 1900, 257–59.
 [= OLIVIER no. 711]
 Studies: GNO III/IV (1996) XII, XXXV–XXXVII, LXV–LXVI,
 CXXI MÜHLENBERG.—GNO VII/II (1992) XXVI–XXIX
 CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 161–62 JAEGER;
 220–21, 223 CAVARNOS.
 STRAWLEY Or cat (1903) XLV.—AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 220.
 —UTHEMANN CChr.SG 12 (1985) XXXII.

(8) *Chalki Ἀγίου Τριάδος 107 (nunc Istanbul Bibliotheca Patriarchalis SS. Trinitatis 197), fol. 45r–60r*

Material: paper
 Date: XIV cent.
 Size: 216 sheets, 290 x 210 mm, 1 column, 37 lines
 Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogue: Aimilianos TΣAKOPOULOS, Περιγραφικὸς κατάλογος τῶν χειρογράφων τῆς Βιβλιοθήκης τοῦ Οἰκουμενικοῦ Πατριαρχείου. B'. Τμῆμα χειρογράφων 'Ι. Μονῆς 'Αγ. Τριάδος Χάλκης, Istanbul, 1956, 118 f. [= Ορθοδοξία 30 (1955) 450 f.]. [= OLIVIER no. 1248]

(9) *Escorialensis Ω IV 24, fol. 1r–93v*

Material: paper
 Date: 1570
 Size: 229 sheets, 196 x 145 mm, 1 column, 13 lines

Content:	Gregory of Nyssa, works
Writer:	from the workshop of Andreas Darmarios (1540—last quarter of XVI cent.) ¹⁰
Catalogues:	E. MILLER, Catalogue des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque de l'Escurial, Paris, 1848, 495 f. [= OLIVIER no. 974] Gregorio DE ANDRÉS, Catálogo de los Códices griegos de la Real Biblioteca de El Escorial III: Códices 421–649, Madrid, 1967, 231 f. [= OLIVIER no. 973]
Study:	GNO III/IV (1996) XIV, LXXXVII, CXXIII MÜHLENBERG.

(10) *Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei IV 18, fol. 219v–263v (codex mutilus, expl. Migne 124, 19 συναγορεύειν)*

Material:	vellum
Date:	end of X / beginning of XI cent. (XI cent. SMETS/VAN ESBROECK)
Size:	263 sheets, 184 x 153 mm, 1 column, 22 lines
Content:	Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
Catalogue:	Angelo Maria BANDINI, <i>Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Mediceae Laurentinianaee, accedunt supplementa tria ab E. ROSTAGNO et N. FESTA congesta, necnon additamentum ex inventariis Bibliothecae Laurentinianaee depromptum. Accuravit Fridolf KUDLIEN, Volumen primum</i> (Florence, 1764) Leipzig, 1961, 541 f. [= OLIVIER no. 995]
Studies:	GNO.S (1972) XII–XIV HÖRNER. SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 129.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 201–04.

(11) *Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei VI 17, fol. 175r–189r*

Material:	vellum
Date:	X–XI cent.
Size:	219 sheets, 170 x 215 mm, 1 column, 51 lines
Content:	Gregory of Nyssa and Cyril of Alexandria, works
Catalogue:	Angelo Maria BANDINI, <i>Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Mediceae Laurentinianaee, accedunt supplementa tria ab E. ROSTAGNO et N. FESTA congesta, necnon additamentum</i>

10. Cf. Otto Kresten, Der Schreiber und Handschriftenhändler Andreas Darmarios: Dieter Harlfinger, ed., Griechische Kodikologie und Textüberlieferung (Darmstadt, 1980) 406–19; Ernst Gamiltscheg/Dieter Harlfinger, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 1. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten [= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/1a] (Vienna, 1981) 29 No. 13.

ex inventariis Bibliothecae Laurentinianae depromptum.
Accuravit Fridolf KUDLIEN, Volumen primum, (Florence, 1764)

Leipzig, 1961, 127–29. [= OLIVIER no. 995]
Studies: GNO II (1921/1960) XIV–XV, XVIII–XXI JAEGER.—GNO III/I (1958) XXV–XXVI MÜLLER.—GNO VIII/II (1959) LXXXIII–LXXXV PASQUALI.

(12) *Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei VII 4, fol. 80r–115v*

Material: vellum
Date: XV cent.
Size: 182 sheets, ??? mm, 1 column, 30 lines
Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
Catalogue: Angelo Maria BANDINI, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Mediceae Laurentinianae, accedunt supplementa tria ab E. ROSTAGNO et N. FESTA congesta, necnon additamentum ex inventariis Bibliothecae Laurentinianae depromptum.*
Accuravit Fridolf KUDLIEN, Volumen primum, (Florence, 1764)
Leipzig, 1961, 203–05. [= OLIVIER no. 995]
Study: GNO III/I (1958) LII, LIV–LV MÜLLER.

(13) *Florentinus Laurentianus mediceus graecus plutei X 12, fol. 179r–206v*

Material: vellum
Date: XV cent.
Size: 256 sheets, 301 x 208 mm, 1 column, 30 lines (fol. 1–130),
 28 lines (fol. 131–256)
Content: Michael Psellos, Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, works
Catalogue: Angelo Maria BANDINI, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Mediceae Laurentinianae, accedunt supplementa tria ab E. ROSTAGNO et N. FESTA congesta, necnon additamentum ex inventariis Bibliothecae Laurentinianae depromptum.*
Accuravit Fridolf KUDLIEN, Volumen primum (Florence, 1764)
Leipzig, 1961, 482. [= OLIVIER no. 995]
Studies: GNO III/I (1958) LII, LIV–LV MÜLLER.
 AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 93–94.

(14) *Ianuensis Bibliothecae Franzoniana graecus 17 (olim Missionis Urbanae Sancti Caroli plutei 31 gradus 5 no. 15, postea graecus 17), fol. 159r–208r*

Material: vellum
Date: second half/end of X cent. (ALLEN, AMAND DE MENDIETA),
 against BLUME, GRASSI (IX cent.), and EHRHARD, HÖRNER,
 SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (IX–X cent.)

Size:	305 sheets, 291 x 225 mm, 2 columns, 23 lines
Content:	Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
Writer:	“Joseph” (unknown)
Owners:	Theodosius IV Πρίγκιψ, patriarch of Antioch (1275–1283/84), ¹¹ Filippo Sauli, bishop of Brugnato (1498–1528), ¹² hospital of Genova, 1746 Fathers of the “Missione urbana di San Carlo”; Napoleon took the codex to Paris, which was returned to Genova in 1815.
Catalogues:	F. BLUME, <i>Bibliotheca librorum manuscriptorum italicica</i> , Göttingen, 1834, 1–5, esp. 3. L. GRASSI, <i>Biblioteca della congregazione de' RR. Missionari urbani</i> : G. BANCHERO, <i>Guida alle bellezze di Genova e sue riviere</i> , Genova, 1845, I 497–523, esp. 502. T. W. ALLEN, Notes upon Greek Manuscripts in Italian Libraries: Classical Review 3 (1889): 12–22, 252–56, 345–52. Reprinted in: Notes on Greek Manuscripts in Italian Libraries, London, 1890, esp. 34. Albert EHRHARD, Zur Catalogisirung der kleineren Bestände griechischer Handschriften in Italien. I. Genova: Centralblatt für Bibliothekswesen 10 (1893) 189–218, esp. 201 f. [Separately printed under the title: Die griechischen Handschriften von Genua, Leipzig 1893]. [= OLIVIER no. 1034] Reprinted in: <i>Catalogi codicum graecorum qui in minoribus bibliothecis italicis asservantur in duo volumina collati et novissimis additamentis aucti. Volumen primum accuravit</i> Christa SAMBERGER, <i>indicem adiecit</i> Dino RAFFIN (= <i>Catalogi codicum graecorum lucis ope reimpresi</i>), Leipzig, 1965, 263–92, esp. 275 f. [= OLIVIER no. 241] Marie VOGEL/Victor GARDTHAUSEN, Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance (= Zentralblatt für Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33), Leipzig, 1909 = Hildesheim, 1966, 222. [= OLIVIER no. 5] Annaclara CATALDI PALAU, Catalogo dei manoscritti greci della

11. Cf. Giovanni Mercati, Origine antiochena di due codici greci del secolo XI: AnBoll 68 (1950) (= Mélanges Paul Peeters II) 210–22, esp. 219–21; Jean Irigoin, Les manuscrits grecs 1931–1960: Lustrum 7 (1962): 5–93, 332–35, esp. 80; K.N. Konstantinides, Ὁ βιβλιόφιλος πατριάρχης Ἀντιοχείας Θεοδόσιος IV Πρίγκιψ (1275–83/84): Ἐτετ. Κέντρου Επιστημ. Ερ. XI (1981–82) 371–84; Cataldi Palau (1990) 102 f.

12 Cf. Christian Gottlieb Jöcher, Allgemeines Gelehrten-Lexicon. Vierter Theil: S-Z (Leipzig, 1751) 169.

Biblioteca Franzoniana (Genova). Parte prima: Studi italiani di filologia classica III 5 [LXXX] (1987) 99–144,
esp. 116–23. [= OLIVIER no. 1036]

Annaclara CATALDI PALAU, Catalogo dei manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Franzoniana (Genova) (Urbani 2–20) (= Bollettino dei Classici, Supplemento 8), Rome, 1990, 98–104. [enlarged edition of no. 1036] [= OLIVIER no. 1037]

Studies: GNO.S (1972) XXVII–XXVIII HÖRNER.
SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 127–28.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 126–29.

(15) *Leidensis Vossianus graecus F. 37, fol. 1r–38v*

Material: paper
Date: XVI cent.
Size: 38 sheets, 310 x 210 mm, 1 column, 26 lines
Content: Gregory of Nyssa, In Hexaemeron
Catalogue: *Bibliotheca Universitatis Leidensis. Codices manuscripti VI: Codices Vossiani graeci et Miscellanei descriptis* K.A. DE MEYER, Leiden, 1955, 41. [= OLIVIER no. 1444]

(16) *Lipsiensis Universitatis graecus 13 (olim 207), fol. 84r–100r*

Material: paper
Date: XIV cent.
Size: 187 sheets, 250 x 180 mm, 1 column, 40 lines
Content: Gregory of Nyssa and various other authors, works
Owner: Hugh IV, king of Jerusalem and Cyprus
Catalogue: Katalog der Handschriften der Universitäts-Bibliothek zu Leipzig III: Die griechischen Handschriften von Victor GARDTHAUSEN, Leipzig, 1898, 11–13. [= OLIVIER no. 1449]
Studies: GNO III/II (1987) XIX, XXI–XXIII KENNETH DOWNING; LXII, LXIV–LXV McDONOUGH; CLXXI.—GNO V (1962) 11, 182 McDONOUGH.—GNO IX (1967) 132–33
GEBHARDT.—GNO X/II (1996) XXXVII; 302, 304–06 TESKE.

(17) *Londinensis Burney 34, fol. 11v (olim 21v)*

Fragment Migne 69,50–72,43: inc. ἐπειδήπερ εἰσαγωγικὸν expl. ἄντικρυν ἔστι φωνή

Material: paper
Date: XV cent.
Size: 645 sheets, 244 x 340 mm, 1 column, 20–40 lines

Content: Aristeas, Historia de LXX interpretibus, and Catenae
 Catalogue: J. FORSHALL, Catalogue of Manuscripts in the British
 Museum. New Series. Volume I. Part II. The Burney
 Manuscripts, London, 1840, 6 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1527]

(18) *Londinensis Musei Britannici graecus Old Royal 16 D I, fol. 181v–200r*

Material: vellum
 Date: XII cent. (CALLAHAN: XII/XIII cent.; SRAWLEY, SMETS/VAN
 ESBROECK: XIII cent.)
 Size: 479 sheets, 240 x 165 mm, 1 column, 40 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogue: George F. WARNER/Julius P. GILSON, British Museum.
 Catalogue of Western Manuscripts in the Old Royal and King's
 Collections, vol. II, London, 1921, 187 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1530]
 Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XXIII–XXIV, XXVI, XLIV, XLIX
 MÜLLER.—GNO III/II (1987) LV, LVIII–LXI McDONOUGH;
 CVII–CIX HÖRNER; CLXIX.—GNO III/IV (1996) XV,
 LXXIV, LXXVI, LXXXI, LXXXIV–LXXXV MÜHLENBERG.
 —GNO V (1962) 211–12 ALEXANDER.—GNO VI (1960)
 XXIV LANGERBECK.—GNO VII/I (1964) VII MUSURILLO.
 —GNO VII/II (1992) XLV CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/
 1963) 99–100, 158 JAEGER; 226, 231–32 CAVARNOS.—GNO
 IX (1967) 4–5 HEIL; 81 VAN HECK; 142, 173, 180, 182–83,
 187 GEBHARDT; 351, 431 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) XLVII;
 XCV HEIL; CLXXXIX, CCXLIII, CCLI LENDLE.—GNO X/
 II (1996) XXXVII–XXXVIII; 162–65 MANN.—GNO.S
 (1972) CVII, CXXII–CXXIII, CLXII HÖRNER.
 FORBES (1855) I, III; SRAWLEY Or cat (1903) XLVI; van HECK
 paup. (1964) XVII.—AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 221.—LENDLE
 Steph. (1968) 102, 189–91, 291.—SMETS/VAN ESBROECK
 (1970) 133.—MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 120.—MANN nat.
 (1975) 53, 58–60.

(19) *Londinensis Musei Britannici graecus Old Royal 16 D XI, fol. 1r–39v*

Material: paper
 Date: XVI cent.
 Size: 371 sheets, 311 x 210 mm, 1 column, 24–26 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: from the workshop of Andreas Darmarios (1540–last
 quarter of XVI cent.); fol. 1–178v, 242–75v, 348–71v
 written by Michael Myrokephalites, from Kydonia/Crete

(second half of XVI cent.), fol. 276–347v by Nikolaos Choniates, from Monembasia (middle to second half of XVI cent.)

- Catalogues: George F. WARNER / Julius P. GILSON, British Museum. Catalogue of Western Manuscripts in the Old Royal and King's Collections, vol. II, London, 1921, 190 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1530] Ernst GAMILLSCHEG / Dieter HARLFINGER, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 1. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/1A), Vienna, 1981, 29–31 Nr. 13, 153 f. Nr. 284, 167 f. Nr. 321.
- Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XXIII–XXIV, XXIX–XXX, XLIII, XLIV MÜLLER.—GNO III/II (1987) LXX, LXXIV McDONOUGH; CXXXV HÖRNER, CLXIX.—GNO III/IV (1996) XV, LXXXVII, CXXXIII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO VI (1960) XL–XLII LANGERBECK.—GNO VII/I (1964) XVI MUSURILLO. —GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 37–38 JAEGER; 358 WOODS CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) XLVI PASQUALI. —GNO IX (1967) 8–9 HEIL; 138 GEBHARDT.—GNO X/I (1990) XLVII; CCXXVI LENDLE. STRAWLEY Or cat (1903) XLVI.

(20) *Matritensis 4610 (olim N–87), fol. 4r–23r*

- Material: paper
 Date: ca. 1455
 Size: 92 sheets, 212 x 147 mm, 1 column, 36–37 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: Konstantinos Láscaris from Rhodes
 Owners: Messina cathedral until 1494, the duke of Uceda until 1690, since 1712 in the Biblioteca Nacional de Madrid
 Catalogues: Joannes IRIARTE, *Regiae Bibliothecae Matritensis codices graeci mss., Volumen prius*, Madrid, 1769, 356 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1609] Marie VOGEL / Victor GARDTHAUSEN, Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance (= Zentralblatt für Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33), Leipzig, 1909 = Hildesheim, 1966, 242. [= OLIVIER no. 5] Marcel RICHARD, Rapport sur une mission de recherches en Espagne. Les manuscrits grecs de Madrid, de l'Escorial et de Salamanque: BIRHT 2 (1953) 64–73 = *Opera Minora III*,

Turnhout-Leuven, 1977, no. 74 + Appendice p. V. [= OLIVIER no. 189]

Gregorio DE ANDRÉS, Catálogo de los códices griegos de la Biblioteca Nacional, Madrid, 1987, 115 f.
[= OLIVIER no. 1608]

(21) *Matritensis 4750 (olim O-19), fol. 1r-26v*

- Material: paper
 Date: ca. 1550
 Size: 385 sheets, 347 x 250 mm, 1 column, 30 lines (fol. 121a–301 lines 34)
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa and various other authors, works
 Writers: Cornelius Múrmuris (?) fol. 1–86v, from the workshop of Bartolomeo Zanetti fol. 87–121, Nicolaos Malaxós fol. 121a–301, Michael Máleas fol. 303–85
 Owners: Francisco de Mendoza, García de Loaisa, the convent of St. Vincent in Plasencia (XVII cent.), Biblioteca Nacional de Madrid (XVIII cent.)
 Catalogues: E. MILLER, Bibliothèque royale de Madrid. Catalogue des manuscrits grecs (Supplément au catalogue d'Iriarte): Notices et extraits des manuscrits de la Bibliothèque Nationale et autres bibliothèques 31/2 (1886) 1–116, esp. 71.
[= OLIVIER no. 1610]
 Gregorio DE ANDRÉS, Catálogo de los códices griegos de la Biblioteca Nacional, Madrid, 1987, 342–44.
[= OLIVIER no. 1608]
 Study: GNO IX (1967) 17–18 HEIL.

(22) *Matritensis 4806 (olim O-87), fol. 127r–154v*

Fragment from the beginning up to Migne 101,51

expl. τοῦ ὑπερκειμένου ἀέρος

- Material: paper
 Date: XV cent. (AMAND DE MENDIETA), XV–XVI cent. (DE ANDRÉS)
 Size: 304 sheets, 218 x 164 mm, 1 column, 15–25 lines
 Content: Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, and various other authors, works
 Owners: Andreas Darmarios, from Monembasia (1540–last quarter of XVI cent.), Felipe de Auxy, García de Loaisa, the convent of St. Vincent in Plasencia (XVII cent.), Biblioteca Nacional de Madrid (XVIII cent.)

- Catalogues: E. MILLER, *Bibliothèque royale de Madrid. Catalogue des manuscrits grecs (Supplément au catalogue d'Iriarte): Notices et extraits des manuscrits de la Bibliothèque Nationale et autres bibliothèques* 31/2 (1886) 1–116, esp. 106.
[= OLIVIER no. 1610]
Gregorio DE ANDRÉS, *Catálogo de los códices griegos de la Biblioteca Nacional*, Madrid, 1987, 420–23. [=OLIVIER no. 1608]
- Study: AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 215–17.

(23) *Matritensis 4852 (olim N-124), fol. 98r–188r*

- Material: paper
 Date: 1563
 Size: 408 sheets, 158 x 117 mm, 1 column, 14 lines
 Content: Eustathius of Antioch and Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: Antonio de Calosinás from Trent
 Owner: the priest Sabonto, the Dukes of Alcalá and Marquis of Tarifa (Seville), the Biblioteca Nacional de Madrid bought it in 1739 through the bookseller Benito Martínez Gayoso in Madrid
 Catalogues: Joannes IRIARTE, *Regiae Bibliothecae Matritensis codices graeci mss., Volumen prius*, Madrid, 1769, 501 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1609]
 Marie VOGEL / Victor GARDTHAUSEN, *Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance (= Zentralblatt für Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33)*, Leipzig 1909 = Hildesheim, 1966, 37. [= OLIVIER no. 5]
 Gregorio DE ANDRÉS, *Catálogo de los códices griegos de la Biblioteca Nacional*, Madrid, 1987, 469 f. [=OLIVIER no. 1608]
- Study: GNO IX (1967) 17–18 HEIL.

(24) *Mediolanensis Ambrosianus graecus 515 (M. 50 sup.), fol. 185r–236r*

- Material: paper
 Date: XV cent.
 Size: 342 sheets, 219 x 139 mm, 1 column, 22 lines
 Content: Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, and various other authors, works
 Catalogue: Aemidius MARTINI/Dominicus BASSI, *Catalogus codicum graecorum Bibliotheca Ambrosiana, tomus II*, Milan, 1906 = Hildesheim-New York, 1978, 619 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1694]
 Studies: SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 131.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 217–19.

(25) *Messanensis 50, fol. 32r–63v*

Material: vellum
 Date: XII cent.
 Size: 66 sheets, 258 x 198 mm, 2 columns (fol. 1–63), 1 column
 (fol. 64–66), 20–24 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogue: Augustus MANCINI, *Codices graeci Monasterii Messanensis S. Salvatoris*, Messina, 1907, 98 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1650]
 Study: GNO VII/I (1964) XII–XIII MUSURILLO.

(26) *Monacensis graecus 23, 216r–243v*

Material: paper
 Date: 1552
 Size: 415 sheets, 2°, 1 column, 30 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works, and emperor Leo, discourses
 Writer: Cornelius Murmureus Naupliensis, Venice¹³
 Catalogues: Ignatius HARDT, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum graecorum Bibliothecae Regiae Bavaricae, tomus primus* (= Io. Christoph. L. DE ARETIN, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Regiae Bavaricae I/I*), Munich, 1806, 105–12.
 [= OLIVIER no. 1763]
 Marie VOGEL/Victor GARDTHAUSEN, Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance (= Zentralblatt für Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33), Leipzig, 1909 = Hildesheim 1966, 233. [= OLIVIER no. 5]
 Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XXXVIII MÜLLER.—GNO III/IV (1996) XVII, XXXVIII, LXIV, CXXVIII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 4 McDONOUGH.—GNO VII/I (1964) IX–X
 MUSURILLO.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 158–60 JAEGER; 221, 226 CAVNOS; 348 WOODS CALLAHAN.—GNO IX (1967) 17–18 HEIL.
 FORBES (1855) I–III; SRAWLEY Or cat (1903) XLIV; AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 220.—MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 122–23.

(27) *Monacensis graecus 136, fol. 97–99*

Fragment Migne 69,50–72,40: inc. ἐπειδὴ εἰσαγωγικὸν; expl. τοῖς γινομένοις ἀκόλουθον

Material: paper
 Date: XV cent.

13. Cf. Henri Omont, Régistres de prêts de manuscrits de la bibliothèque de St. Marc de Venise: Bibliothèque de l'école des Chartres 48 (1887): 651 ff.

Size: 70 sheets, ??? mm, 1 column, 17–18 lines
 Content: John Chrysostom, Gregory of Nyssa, Justin martyr, works
 Catalogue: Ignatius HARDT, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum graecorum Bibliothecae Regiae Bavariae, tomus secundus* (= Io. Christoph. L. DE ARETIN, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Regiae Bavariae I/II*), Munich, 1806, 98–101.
 [= OLIVIER no. 1763]

(28) *Monacensis graecus 192, fol. 81r–111v*

Material: paper
 Date: second half of XIV cent. (HEIL, HÖRNER: XIII cent.)
 Size: 314 sheets, 285 x 210 mm, 2 columns, 28 lines
 Content: Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, and few others, works
 Catalogues: Ignatius HARDT, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum graecorum Bibliothecae Regiae Bavariae, tomus secundus* (= Io. Christoph. L. DE ARETIN, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Regiae Bavariae I/II*), Munich, 1806, 259–63.
 [= OLIVIER no. 1763]
 Otto HARTIG, Die Gründung der Münchener Hofbibliothek durch Albrecht V. und Johann Jakob Fugger (= Abhandlungen der Königlich Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften. Philosophisch-philologische und historische Klasse XXVIII 3), Munich, 1917, 242.
 Studies: GNO III/II (1987) CXXVI–CXXIX, CXXXVI HÖRNER;
 CLXXII.—GNO IX (1967) 17–18 HEIL.
 FORBES (1855) I.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 232–34.

(29) *Mosquensis Universitatis graecus 1 vel 288.702 (olim Parisinus Coislinianus 207, deinde 229), fol. 154r–187v*

Material: vellum
 Date: first half of X cent., fol. 203ar–209v: XII cent.
 Size: 206 sheets, 267 x 174 mm, 1 column (fol. 203a–209: 2 columns), 29–30 lines
 Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, In Hexaemeron, Peter of Alexandria, Chronicle, fragment of the Apocalypse of John

14. Cf. Z.G. SAMODOUROVA, Khronika Petra Aleksandrogo: Visantiiskii Vremennik 18 (1961): 150–97.

15. Cf. *Hierarchia catholica medi et recentioris aevi sive summorum pontificum, S.R.E. cardinalium ecclesiarum antistitum series e documentis tabularii praesertim Vaticanani collecta—digesta—edita. Volumen quintum: A pontificatu Clementis pp. IX (1667) usque ad pontificatum Benedicti pp. XIII (1730)*, per Remigium Ritzler et Pirminum Scfrin (Patavii, 1952) 266.

- Writer: Nicolaus, monk in Reggio di Calabria (fol. 1r–203v)¹⁴
- Owners: Laura of St. Athanasius on Mount Athos end of X cent., 1647 bought by a commissionnaire of Pierre Séguier, chancellor of France, and taken to Paris; inherited by his grandson, Henri Charles du Cambout, duke of Coislin, bishop of Metz (1664–1732)¹⁵; bequeathed to the library of the abbey Saint-Germain in Paris. While the collection of *Coisliniana* was transferred to the Bibliothèque Nationale de Paris in 1793, *Coislinianus graecus* 229 was detached and transported to Saint Petersburg by P.P. Dubrovsky; 1805 given to the library of Moscow University.
- Catalogues: Bernard DE MONTFAUCON, *Bibliotheca Coisliniana, olim Segueriana; sive manuscriptorum omnium Graecorum, quae in ea continentur, accurata descriptio ...*, Paris, 1715, 292.
[= OLIVIER no. 1908]
Robert DEVREESSE, Bibliothèque nationale. Département des manuscrits. Catalogue des manuscrits grecs. II. Le fonds Coislin, Paris, 1945, 209. [= OLIVIER no. 1907]
Kurt TREU, Die griechischen Handschriften des Neuen Testaments in der UdSSR. Eine systematische Auswertung der Texthandschriften in Leningrad, Moskau, Kiev, Odessa, Tbilisi und Erevan (= Texte und Untersuchungen 91), Berlin, 1966, 331 f. [= OLIVIER no. 327]
B.L. FONKIC, Grecheskie ruskopisi Biblioteki Moskovskogo universiteta: Vestnik drevnei istorii, 1967/4 (102) 95–103.
[= OLIVIER no. 1744]
- Studies: FORBES (1855) II.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 136–38.

(30) *Oxoniensis Bodleianus Auctarium F.1.1* (= *Miscellaneus* 84, olim *Oxoniensis* 3036), fol. 378r–403v

- Material: paper
Date: XVI cent. (FORBES), XVII cent. (COXE)
Size: 493 sheets, folio, 1 column, 30 lines
Content: Gregory of Nyssa, In Hexaemeron, and works of various other authors
Writers: Gentian Hervet, Orléans (1499–1584) (fol. 106–187v), Henry Savile, Oxford, Merton College, and Eton (1549–1622) (fol. 102–105, 286–87), Ioannes Murmurus, Nauplion (middle to third quarter of 16. cent.) (fol. 2–90v), Camillo Zanetti, Venice (first half of 16. cent.–after 1587) (fol. 1*–23*).

- Catalogues: H.O. COXE, *Catalogi codicium manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Bodleianae pars prima, recensionem codicum graecorum continens*, Oxford, 1853, 668–70. [= OLIVIER no. 1842]
 Bodleian Library, Quarto Catalogues. I: Greek Manuscripts, by H.O. COXE. Reprinted with corrections from the edition of 1853, Oxford, 1969, 668–70. [= OLIVIER no. 1843]
 Falconer MADAN/H.H.E. CRASTER, A Summary Catalogue of Western Manuscripts in the Bodleian Library at Oxford which have not been catalogued in the Quarto Series, with references to the oriental and other manuscripts, Vol. II., Part I: Collections received before 1650 and miscellaneous MSS. acquired during the first half of the 17th Century, Nos. 1–3490, Oxford, 1922, 574. [= OLIVIER no. 1844]
 Ernst GAMILLSCHEG / Dieter HARLFINGER, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 1. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/1A), Vienna, 1981, 49 Nr. 47, 78 f. Nr. 116, 100 Nr. 172, 119–21 Nr. 212.
- Studies: GNO IX (1967) 17–18 HEIL.
 FORBES (1855) I.
- (31) *Oxoniensis Bodleianus Baroccianus graecus 144 (codex mutilus in initio et in fine), fol. 174v–175v*
Fragment from the beginning to Migne 64,38 (only legible up to 64,10); expl. ὁ φωστήρ
- Material: vellum
 Date: second half / end of X cent. (AMAND DE MENDIETA), XI cent. (COXE, FORBES)
 Size: 175 sheets, 271 x 211 mm, 2 columns, 28 lines
 Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Owners: given to Oxford University by William Herbert, third Earl of Pembroke, in 1629
 Catalogues: H.O. COXE, *Catalogi codicium manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Bodleianae pars prima, recensionem codicum graecorum continens*, Oxford, 1853, 247. [= OLIVIER no. 1842]
 Bodleian Library, Quarto Catalogues. I: Greek Manuscripts, by H.O. COXE. Reprinted with corrections from the edition of 1853, Oxford, 1969, 247. [= OLIVIER no. 1843]
 Studies: FORBES (1855) II–III.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 56–57.

- (32) *Parisinus Coislinianus graecus 235 (olim 63), fol. 209r–210r*
Fragments Migne 101,52–105,8: inc. οὐ νέφος; expl. λεπτότητι δια[φεῦγον]
Migne 124,24–35: inc. [όβο]λοῖν γεγενημένην; expl. ἀμήν
- Material: vellum
Date: end of X / beginning of XI cent.; fol. 209–19: end of XIII/
beginning of XIV cent.
Size: 219 sheets, 286 x 219 mm, 1 column, 24 lines; fol. 209–19:
29 lines
Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works
Owners: P. Athanase Rhetor bought the codex during a journey through
the orient (1643–1653) for the chancellor of France, Pierre
Séguier.
Catalogues: Bernard DE MONTEFAUCON, *Bibliotheca Coisliniana, olim*
Segueriana; sive manuscriptorum omnium Graecorum, quae in
ea continentur, accurata descriptio ..., Paris, 1715, 296.
[= OLIVIER no. 1908]
Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de
la Bibliothèque Nationale. Troisième partie: Ancien fonds grec,
Belles-Lettres, Coislin-Supplément: Paris et Départements,
Paris, 1888, 160. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
Robert DEVREESSE, Bibliothèque nationale. Département des
manuscrits. Catalogue des manuscrits grecs. II. Le fonds
Coislin, Paris, 1945, 214 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1907]
Studies: GNO III/II (1987) XIX–XXI KENNETH DOWNING.
FORBES (1855) II–III.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980)
250–52.

- (33) *Parisinus Coislinianus 253 (olim 98), fol. 230r–266r*
Material: vellum
Date: XIII cent. imitating the script of the IX cent. (MONTEFAUCON),
X cent. (OMONT), IX–X cent. (DEVREESSE)
Size: 339 sheets, 265 x 188 mm, 1 column, 23–28 lines
Content: Dionysius Areopagita and Gregory of Nyssa, works
Catalogues: Bernard DE MONTEFAUCON, *Bibliotheca Coisliniana, olim*
Segueriana; sive manuscriptorum omnium Graecorum, quae in
ea continentur, accurata descriptio ..., Paris 1715, 303 f.
[= OLIVIER no. 1908]
Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de
la Bibliothèque Nationale. Troisième partie: Ancien fonds grec,
Belles-Lettres, Coislin-Supplément: Paris et Départements,
Paris, 1888, 163. [= OLIVIER no. 192]

Robert DEVREESSE, Bibliothèque nationale. Département des manuscrits. Catalogue des manuscrits grecs. II. Le fonds Coislin, Paris, 1945, 231 f. [= OLIVIER no. 1907]

Studies: FORBES (1855) II–III.

(34) *Parisinus graecus 479, fol. 141r–170v*

Material: vellum and paper

Date: first half of XII cent. (DARROUZÈS/AMAND DE MENDIETA), in the XV cent. restored with paper sheets replacing the vellum sheets that had disappeared: fol. 5–9, 16–17, 22–25, 34–35, 47–50, 66–75, 138–44, 146, 149, 167.

Size: 171 sheets, 355 x 266 mm, 1 column, 28 lines (vellum), 29 lines (paper)

Content: Basil the Great and Gregory of Nyssa, works

Catalogues: Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris 1886, 54. [= OLIVIER no. 192]

Studies: FORBES (1855) I, III.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 97–99, 168–69.

(35) *Parisinus graecus 503 (= Fonteblandensis graecus 77, Regius-Rigault 1849, Regius-Dupuy 1472, Regius-Clément 2286), fol. 162v–165r*

Excerpts Migne 64,36–38: inc. τὸ μήτε; expl. ὁ φωστήρ

Migne 64,43–44: inc. ώσαύτως; expl. παραδεχόμενοι

Migne 65,3–30 = Forbes ch. 4: inc. οἱ ταῦτα; expl. θαυμάζεσθαι

Migne 113,17–18 = Forbes, beginning of ch. 64: inc. ἀλλ’ ἐπὶ; expl. τὴν θεωρίαν

Migne 77,34–56 = Forbes, beginning of ch. 16: inc. μικρὸν δέ τι; expl. οὕπω ἦν

Migne 80,12–14 = Forbes, end of ch. 16: inc. διὰ γὰρ; expl. ἰδιότησι

Migne 80,59–81,11 = Forbes, end of ch. 18: inc. οὐκ ἄρα; expl. τὴν νύκτα

Migne 81,26–40: inc. τὸ δὲ ὕδωρ; expl. οὐκ ἐπιφέρεται

Migne 84,46–85,10 = Forbes ch. 23: inc. τὸ οὖν ἀκρότατον; expl. παρεστοχάσατο

Migne 113,17–29 = Forbes, beginning of ch. 64: inc. πῶς μετὰ; expl. λέγεσθαι

Migne 113,35–43: inc. διὰ τοῦτο; expl. δυνάμεως

Migne 113,51–57: inc. δῆλον γὰρ; expl. μεγάλα μόνω

Migne 116,9–18 = Forbes, beginning of ch. 66: inc. εἰ δὲ ταῦτα; expl. ποιήσασθαι

Migne 116,28–44 = Forbes ch. 67–68: inc. οὕτως οὖν; expl. δυνηθῆναι

Migne 120,52–121,18 = Forbes, beginning of ch. 75: inc. εἰ δέ τις; expl. πετεινὰ οὐρανοῦ,

Migne 121,33–49 = Forbes ch. 76: inc. ὁ οὖν ἐπιθυμητής; expl. οὐ φθέγγεται

Migne 121,49–51 = Forbes, beginning of ch. 77: inc. ταῦτα περὶ; expl. ἀπεκρινάμεθα

Migne 124,3–6: inc. τοῖς δὲ λοιποῖς; expl. παραλιπούσης

Identical with Parisinus graecus 777 A and 940

- Material: paper
 Date: XIV cent.
 Size: 449 sheets, 290 x 205 mm, 1 column, 34 lines (fol. 41–51:
 51 lines)
 Content: Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogues: François SEVIN, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum
 Bibliothecae Regiae*, tomus II, Paris 1740, 77 f.
 Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 63 f. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Henri OMONT, Catalogue des manuscrits grecs de Fontainebleau sous François I et Henri II; Paris, 1889, 29.
 AMAND, David: Les états de texte des homélies pseudo-basiliennes sur *la création de l'homme* (*P.G.*, 30, 9A–61D et *P.G.*, 44, 257A–297A): RBen 59 (1949) 3–54, esp. 8 f.
 Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XXIII–XXIV, XLIV, XLIX MÜLLER.
 —GNO III/II (1987) LXX–LXXI McDONOUGH; CXXXV, CXXXIX–CXL HÖRNER; CLXX.—GNO VII/I (1964) VII MUSURILLO.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 99, 158 JAEGER; 360–61 WOODS CALLAHAN.—GNO IX (1967) 7–8 HEIL; 151, 160, 168–69, 188 GEBHARDT; 350–51, 424, 428–29 SPIRA.
 —GNO X/I (1990) LIX; CXVIII HEIL; CXLIII, CXLV CAVARNOS; CXLVII, CCII, CCXXI LENDE.—GNO X/II (1996) XLV–XLVI; 30–32 RHEIN; 223 MANN.—GNO.S (1972) CVII, CXXIII–CXXIV, CLXII HÖRNER.
 FORBES (1855) II.—LENDE Steph. (1968) 103, 250.—SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 133.—MARVAL Macr. (1971) 125.
 —MANN nat. (1975) 217–18.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 226–30.

(36) *Parisinus graecus 586 (= Faur.-Regius 1824,2), fol. 16r–45r*

- Material: paper
 Date: XVI cent.
 Size: 436 fol., 320 x 270 mm, 1 column, 30 lines

- Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: Bartolomeo Zanetti (1486 or 1487—at least 1547)
 Catalogues: François SEVIN, *Catalogus codicum manuscriptorum Bibliothecae Regiae*, tomus II, Paris 1740, 110.
 Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 99 f. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Albert EHRHARD, Überlieferung und Bestand der hagiographischen und homiletischen Literatur der griechischen Kirche von den Anfängen bis zum Ende des 16. Jahrhunderts. Erster Teil: Die Überlieferung, II. Band (= Texte und Untersuchungen 51), Leipzig, 1938, 215 Anm. 6.
 Ernst GAMILLSCHEG/Dieter HARLFINGER, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 2. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Frankreichs und Nachträge zu den Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/2A), Vienna, 1989, 41 Nr. 45.
 Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XVII–XIX, XLII, XLIV MÜLLER.—GNO III/II (1987) XVII KENNETH DOWNING; XCIII, XCVII–XCVIII, CXXXV–CXXXVIII HÖRNER; CLXX.—GNO V (1962) 180 McDONOUGH.—GNO VII/II (1992) XLVI CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 115, 118–20 JAEGER.—GNO IX (1967) 13 HEIL; 86 VAN HECK; 151–52, 175, 178, 183 GEBHARDT; 366–67, 420, 427 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) LXI; CVIII HEIL; CXXXIX CAVARNOS; CLXXX, CCXX, CCXL, CCXLVIII LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) XLVI–XLVII; 151–53 MANN.
 VAN HECK paup. (1964) XXII.—LENDLE Steph. (1968) 103, 128–29; MANN nat. (1975) 9, 12, 19.

(37) *Parisinus graecus 777 A (codex mutilus in initio)*, fol. 242r–246v
Excerpts, identical with Parisinus graecus 503 and 940

- Material: paper
 Date: XIV or beginning of XV cent. (AMAND DE MENDIETA), XVI cent. (OMONT, SMETS/VAN ESBROECK, HÖRNER)
 Size: 328 sheets, 282 x 216 mm, 1 column, 23–24 lines
 Content: Severian of Gabala, Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, works bought in Constantinople shortly before 1740 for the king of France Louis XV (1710–1774), who inserted it in his library 1739 or 1740

- Catalogue: Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 144. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Studies: GNO.S (1972) CXX–CXXI HÖRNER.
 SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 131.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 260–63.

(38) *Parisinus graecus 940 (= Hurault 489, Regius-Rigault, Regius-Dupuy 2246, Regius-Clément 2877), fol. 138r–140r*

Excerpts, identical with Parisinus graecus 503 and 777 A

- Material: paper
 Date: XIV cent., probably second half (DARROUZÈS/AMAND DE MENDIETA), XV cent. (OMONT)
 Size: 177 sheets, 204 x 139 mm, 1 column, 32 lines
 Content: Origen, Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Owners: Jean Hurault de Boistaillé († 1572), French ambassador in Constantinople and Venice, bought it from a certain Andreas Graecus; 1622 Royal Library, Paris
 Catalogue: Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 180. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Studies: FORBES (1855) II.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 258–59.

(39) *Parisinus graecus 1007 (= Regius 2884), fol. 64r–v*

Fragment from the beginning to Migne 64,10; expl. μετεωροπόρους Apographon of Oxoniensis Bodleianus Baroccianus graecus 144, father of Vaticanus Palatinus graecus 327

- Material: paper
 Date: first quarter of XVI cent.
 Size: 64 sheets, ??? mm, 1 column, 26 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: Konstantios ὁ Ἀλιτρός (first quarter of XVI cent.)
 Catalogues: Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 201. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Ernst GAMILLSCHEG/Dieter HARLFINGER, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 2. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Frankreichs und Nachträge zu den Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/2A), Vienna, 1989, 127 Nr. 322.

(40) *Parisinus graecus 1008 (J.-A. de Thou.-Colbert 4943), fol. 1r–83v*

- Material: paper
 Date: XVI cent.
 Size: 208 fol., ca. 200 x 145 mm, 1 column, 13 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogues: Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 201. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Ernst GAMILLSCHEG / Dieter HARLFINGER, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 2. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Frankreichs und Nachträge zu den Bibliotheken Großbritanniens. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/2A), Vienna, 1989, 32 Nr. 21.
 Studies: GNO III/IV (1996) XX, LXXXVII, CXXIII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO IX (1967) 19 HEIL.

(41) *Parisinus graecus 1268 (olim Fonteblandensis, deinde Regius 2879), fol. 188v–212v*

- Material: vellum
 Date: XII cent. (MOSSAY: XII/XIII cent.)
 Size: 304 fol., 200 x 150 mm, 1 column, 28 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa and various other authors, works
 Catalogues: Henri OMONT, Inventaire sommaire des manuscrits grecs de la Bibliothèque Nationale. Première partie: Ancien fonds grec, Théologie, Paris, 1886, 282. [= OLIVIER no. 192]
 Justin MOSSAY, *Repertorium Nazianzenum: Orationes. Textus Graecus I. Codices Galliae* (= Studien zur Geschichte und Kultur des Altertums, Neue Folge II 1), Paderborn, 1981, 89f. [= OLIVIER no. 129]
 Studies: GNO III/II (1987) XIX–XX, XXIII KENNETH DOWNING; CLXX.—GNO III/IV (1996) XX, XLVIII, LVI, LIX–LX, CXXIII, CXXXVII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 10–11, 181 McDONOUGH.—GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) XXXV PASQUALI.—GNO X/II (1996) XLIX; 295–96, 302–04, 316 TESKE.
 FORBES (1855) II–III; SRAWLEY Or cat (1903) XLV.

(42) *Romanus Vallicellianus graecus D 56 (62), fol. 297r–326r*

- Material: paper
 Date: first half of XVI cent.
 Size: 326 sheets, 295 x 208 mm, 1 column, 26/30 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogues: E. MARTINI, Catalogo di manoscritti greci esistenti nelle biblioteche italiane, vol. II, Milan, 1902, 94 [= Ministero della Pubblica Istruzione, Indici e Cataloghi XIX, Rome 1967].
 [= OLIVIER no. 238]
 Marie VOGEL/Victor GARDTHAUSEN, Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance (= Zentralblatt für das Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33), Leipzig, 1909 = Hildesheim, 1966, 310 f. [= OLIVIER no. 5]
 Ernst GAMILLSCHEG, unter Mitarbeit von Dieter HARLFINGER und Paolo ELEUTERI, Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600. 3. Teil: Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Roms mit dem Vatikan. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/3A), Vienna, 1997, 170 Nr. 457.
 Studies: GNO III/II (1987) XXVI KENNETH DOWNING.—GNO V (1962) 21 McDONOUGH; 249–50 ALEXANDER.—GNO VII/I (1964) XVI MUSURILLO.—GNO VII/II (1992) XLVII CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) XXX PASQUALI.—GNO X/II (1996) LI; 42, 44–45 RHEIN; 302, 306, 311–13 TESKE.

(43) *Salamanticensis Universitatis 2728 (olim Regius Palatinus graecus 13, deinde Matritensis graecus 3179), fol. 1r–34v*

- Material: paper
 Date: XVI cent.
 Size: 483 sheets, folio, 1 column, 27 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: from the workshop of Andreas Darmarios (1540–last quarter of XVI cent.)
 Catalogues: Albert MARTIN, Rapport sur une mission en Espagne et en Portugal: Nouvelles Archives des Missions scientifiques et littéraires 2 (1892) 1–322, esp. 74–76. [= OLIVIER no. 188]
 Marie VOGEL/Victor GARDTHAUSEN, Die griechischen Schreiber des Mittelalters und der Renaissance (= Zentralblatt für das Bibliothekswesen, Beiheft 33), Leipzig, 1909 =

Hildesheim, 1966, 16, 24 Anm. 2. [= OLIVIER no. 5]
 Marcel RICHARD, Rapport sur une mission de recherches en Espagne. Les manuscrits grecs de Madrid, de l'Escorial et de Salamanque: BIRHT 2 (1953) 68 + 73 = *Opera Minora III*, Turnhout-Leuven, 1977, no. 74 + Appendice p. V.
 [= OLIVIER no. 189]

Studies: GNO III/II (1987) XXIII–XXIV KENNETH DOWNING; CLXXXVIII.—GNO III/IV (1996) XVI, LXXXVII, CXXIII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 20 McDONOUGH; 252–53 ALEXANDER.—GNO VII/I (1964) XIV MUSURILLO.—GNO VII/II (1992) XLVI.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 103, 152 JAEGER.—GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) XXX PASQUALI.

(44) Taurinensis C I 11 (olim LXXI, nunc 289), fol. 52r–62v

Third part: fol. 8–330.

Material: paper
 Date: XIV cent.
 Size: 346 sheets, fol. 8–330: 305 x 240 mm, 1 column, 49–52 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogues: Josephus PASINUS/Antonius RIVAUTELLA/Franciscus BERTA, *Codices manuscripti Bibliothecae Regii Taurinensis Athenaei. Per linguas digesti, et binas in partes distributi, in quarum prima hebrei, et graeci, in altera latini, italicici et gallici ... , tomus I*, Torino, 1749, 166. [= OLIVIER no. 2318]
 Gaetano DE SANCTIS, Inventario dei codici superstiti greci e latini antichi della Biblioteca Nazionale di Torino. Inventario dei codici greci: Rivista di filologia e d'istruzione classica 34 (1904) 387–429, esp. 402. [= OLIVIER no. 2320]
 Reprinted in: Gaetano DE SANCTIS, Scritti minori II (1892–1905) (= Storia e letteratura 117), Rome, 1970, 345–455, esp. 361. [= OLIVIER no. 2321]
 P. ELEUTERI, Biblioteca Nazionale Universitaria di Torino. Concordanze delle segnature dei manoscritti greci: *Codices Manuscripti* 15 (1990) 28–39. [= OLIVIER no. 2322]
 Studies: GNO II (1921/1960) LXII–LXIV JAEGER.—GNO III/I (1958) XLIX–L MÜLLER.—GNO III/II (1987) XIX, XXI KENNETH DOWNING; LXXIV, LXXVI–LXXVII McDONOUGH; CXIII–CXVI, CXX–CXXVI HÖRNER.—GNO III/IV (1996) XXI, LXXIV, LXXXV–LXXXVII, CXXXVII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 17–19, 181–82 McDONOUGH; 216–18, 253–54 ALEXANDER (cui “C III 14” audit).—GNO VII/I

(1964) XI–XII, XIV MUSURILLO.—GNO VII/II (1992) XLVII CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 100–01, 146, 149 JAEGER; 218, 220, 226, 232–33 CAVARNOS. —GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) XXXV PASQUALI (cui “T(aurinensis) 71” audit).—GNO IX (1967) 82 VAN HECK; 144, 175, 180, 183, 188–89 GEBHARDT; 351–52, 431 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) LXXIII; CLII, CLVIII–CLIX CAVARNOS; CLXXXIX, CCXLIII, CCLI LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) LII; 42–45 RHEIN; 162–64 MANN; 295, 302–07, 310–14 TESKE. FORBES (1855) II; VAN HECK paup. (1964) XVII–XVIII. —AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 220–21; LENDLE Steph. (1968) 113, 189 note 4; MANN nat. (1975) 53, 55–56, 58–60.

(45) *Vaticanus graecus 405 (olim 274), fol. 205r–229v*

Material: vellum
 Date: XI cent. (fol. 1–204), end of XII / beginning of XIII cent.
 (fol. 113–15, 205–72)
 Size: 272 sheets, 337 x 243 mm, fol. 1–112, 116–204: 2 columns,
 30 lines; fol. 113–15, 205–72: 1 column, 29 lines
 Content: Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogues: Robertus DEVREESSE, *Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae codices manu scripti recensiti iussu Pii XI Pontificis Maximi, Praeside Iohanne Mercati S. Georgii in Velabro Card. Diacono, S.R.E. Bibliothecario et Scriniario. Codices Vaticani graeci. Tomus II: Codices 330–603*, In Bibliotheca Vaticana 1937, 108 f.
 [= OLIVIER no. 831]
 Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261)*, Vatican City, 1970, 424. [= OLIVIER no. 794]
 Marco BUONOCORE, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della Biblioteca Vaticana (1968–1980)*, vol. II (= Studi e testi 319), Vatican City, 1986, 825. [= OLIVIER no. 795]
 Massimo CERESA, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della Biblioteca Vaticana (1981–1985)* (= Studi e testi 342), Vatican City, 1991, 341. [= OLIVIER no. 796]
 Studies: GNO III/I (1958) LII–LV MÜLLER.
 FORBES (1855) II–III.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 91–93.

(46) *Vaticanus graecus 697 (olim 834), fol. 13r–48r*

Material: vellum
 Date: XIII–XIV cent. (DEVREESSE), ca. XI cent. (FORBES)

- Size: 395 sheets, 268 x 192 mm, 1 column, 30 lines
- Content: Gregory of Nyssa, *In Hexaemeron*, and other works by various authors
- Catalogues: Robertus DEVREESSE, *Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae codices manu scripti recensiti iussu Pii XII Pontificis Maximi, Praeside Iohanne Mercati S. Georgii in Velabro Card. Diacono, S.R.E. Bibliothecario et Scrinario. Codices Vaticani graeci. Tomus III: Codices 604–866*, In Bibliotheca Vaticana 1950, 173 f. [= OLIVIER no. 832]
- Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261)*, Vatican City, 1970, 469. [= OLIVIER no. 794]
- Massimo CERESA, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della Biblioteca Vaticana (1981–1985) (= Studi e testi 342)*, Vatican City, 1991, 351. [= OLIVIER no. 796]
- Study: FORBES (1855) II–III.

(47) *Vaticanus graecus 1433, fol. 165r–184r*

- Material: vellum
- Date: XIII cent. (GNO), XII–XIII cent. (MERCATI), X–XI cent. (FORBES)
- Size: 476 sheets, 340 x 260 mm, 1 column, 34 lines
- Content: nearly all of Gregory of Nyssa's works
- Catalogues: *Inventarium codicum Vaticanorum Graecorum 993–2160*. *Vaticani graeci II: 1194–1523* (Bibliotheca Vaticana, Sala Cons. Ms. 323(2) rosso). [= OLIVIER no. 847]
- Giovanni MERCATI, I codici Altempsiani acquistati da Paolo V; Giovanni MERCATI, Codici latini Pico Grimani Pio e di altra biblioteca ignota del secolo XVI esistenti nell'Ottoboniana e i codici greci Pio di Modena, con una digressione per la storia dei codici di S. Pietro in Vaticano (= Studi e testi 75), Vatican City, 1938, 106–43, esp. 118.
- Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261)*, Vatican City, 1970, 592. [= OLIVIER no. 794]
- Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XII–XV, XLIV, XLVIII–XLIX MÜLLER.
—GNO III/II (1987) XXVIII–XXIX KENNETH DOWNING;
LXVIII–LXX McDONOUGH; CIX, CXII–CXIII, CXXXVI HÖRNER; CLXXV.—GNO III/IV (1996) XXIII, LXIX,
LXXIII–LXXVI MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 13, 184
McDONOUGH; 202–03 ALEXANDER.—GNO VII/I (1964)

VIII–IX MUSURILLO.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 6–7, 19, 98, 158 JAEGER; 226, 231 CAVARNOS; 359–60 Woods CALLAHAN.—GNO IX (1967) 3–5 HEIL; 72, 81–82 VAN HECK; 132, 143, 168, 183, 188 GEBHARDT; 356, 418, 429 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) LXXVII; XCV HEIL; CLXI–CLXII, CLXX CAVARNOS; CXCVII, CCXX, CCXL, CCLI LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) LIV–LV; 30, 34, 37 RHEIN; 67, 70, 72–73, 151–54, 156–58, 226 MANN; 275–76, 280, 282, 297, 299–300 TESKE; 339–42 POLACK.—GNO.S (1972) LII–LIII HÖRNER.
FORBES (1855) II–III; VAN HECK paup. (1964) X, XVI–XVII.—AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 221; LENDLE Steph. (1968) 111, 220; MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 125; MANN nat. (1975) 11, 30–35.

(48) *Vaticanus graecus 1907, fol. 62r–67v*

Material:	paper
Date:	end of XII cent. or XII–XIII cent., fol. 48–49, 52–53, 125–26, 218–19, 224–25, 229–30, 286–87, 290–91, 294–95, 297, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308 added XVI–XVII cent.
Size:	308 sheets in two volumes (vol. II: fol. 169–308), 370 x 265 mm, 1 column, 68–73 lines
Content:	nearly all of Gregory of Nyssa's works
Catalogues:	<p><i>Inventarium codicum Vaticanorum Graecorum</i> 993–2160. <i>Vaticani graeci III: 1524–2160</i> (Bibliotheca Vaticana, Sala Cons. Ms. 323(3) rosso). [= OLIVIER no. 847]</p> <p><i>Inventarium codicum Graecorum Bibliothecae Vaticanae a 1501 ad 2402 auspice Leone XIII P.O.M., I.B. Card. Pitra S.R.E.</i> <i>Bibliothecario confectum a Iosepho COZZA LUZI, abate S. Mariae Cryptae ferratae, scriptore Bibl. Vaticanae</i> (Bibliotheca Vaticana, Sala Cons. Ms. 324 rosso), 113r. [= OLIVIER no. 850]</p> <p>Paulus CANART, <i>Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae codices manuscripti recensiti iussu Pauli VI Pontificis Maximi, Praeside Eugenio Card. Tisserant Sacri Collegii Decano, S.R.E. Bibliothecario et Scrinario. Codices Vaticani graeci. Codices 1745–1962, Tomus I: Codicium enarrationes</i>, In Bibliotheca Vaticana 1970, 634–39. [= OLIVIER no. 836]</p> <p>Paulus CANART, <i>Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae codices manuscripti recensiti iussu Pauli VI Pontificis Maximi. Codices Vaticani graeci. Codices 1745–1962, Tomus II: Introductio, addenda, indices</i>, In Bibliotheca Vaticana 1973, LXI–LXII. [= OLIVIER no. 837]</p>

Paul CANART, *Les Vaticani graeci 1487–1962. Notes et documents pour l'histoire d'un fonds de manuscrits de la Bibliothèque Vaticane (= Studi e testi 284)*, Vatican City, 1979, 253. [= OLIVIER no. 855]

Hans-Georg BECK: Herbert HUNGER u.a., *Geschichte der Textüberlieferung der antiken und mittelalterlichen Literatur*, Band 1: *Antikes und mittelalterliches Buch- und Schriftwesen. Überlieferungsgeschichte der antiken Literatur*. Zürich, 1961 (= *Die Textüberlieferung der antiken Literatur und der Bibel*, München, 1975, 2¹⁹⁸⁸), 423–510, esp. 500.

Studies:

GNO II (1921/1960) XXXVIII–XL JAEGER.—GNO III/I (1958) XI–XII, XXXI–XXXII, XLIII, XLVIII MÜLLER.
—GNO III/II (1987) XXVII–XXIX KENNETH DOWNING; LXVIII–LXIX McDONOUGH; CIX, CXII, CXXXVI HÖRNER; CLXXV.—GNO III/IV (1996) XXIV, LXVI, LXIX–LXXIV, CXXI MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 11–13, 183–84
McDONOUGH; 202–08 ALEXANDER.—GNO VI (1960) XVIII–XIX LANGERBECK.—GNO VII/I (1964) VIII MUSURILLO.—GNO VII/II (1992) XXVI–XXIX CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 6–11, 95–96, 158 JAEGER; 226, 229–31 CAVARNOS; 359–60 WOODS CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) LXXIV PASQUALI.
—GNO IX (1967) 3–5 HEIL; 71–72, 81 VAN HECK; 132, 142, 155, 163, 183, 187 GEBHARDT; 354–56, 418, 429 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) LXXVIII; XCV–XCVI HEIL; CLXI–CLXII CAVARNOS; CXCVII, CCXX, CCXL, CCXLII, CCLI LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) LV; 30, 33–34, 36–37 RHEIN; 67, 70, 72–73, 151–54, 156–62 MANN; 275–76, 280, 295–97, 299–301 TESKE; 335, 338–42 POLACK.—GNO S (1972) L–LII HÖRNER.
VAN HECK paup. (1964) IX–X, XVI.—AÜBINEAU virg. (1966) 221; LENDLE Steph. (1968) 112, 218–20, 291; SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 129.—MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 125; MANN nat. (1975) 11, 30–35.

(49) *Vaticanus graecus 2066* (= *Sainte-Marie du Patir 24, olim Basilianus 105*) (*mutilus in fine*), fol. 269r–299r

Material: vellum

Date: end of IX cent. (FOLLIERI/AMAND DE MENDIETA), end of IX/beginning of X cent. (JAEGER/GNO), written in capital letters

- Size: 316 sheets, 274 x 191 mm, 1 column, 36 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa and Basil the Great, works
 Catalogues: *Inventarium codicum Vaticanorum Graecorum* 993–2160.
Vaticani graeci III: 1524–2160 (Bibliotheca Vaticana, Sala Cons. MSS. 323(3) rosso). [= OLIVIER no. 847]
Codices olim Basiliiani seu Collegii S. Basillii in Urbe, nunc Vat. gr. 1963–2123. Inventarium et index rerum annis 1697–1699 confecta (Bibliotheca Vaticana, Sala Cons. MSS. 44 rosso), 133v–134r. [= OLIVIER no. 848]
Inventarium codicum Graecorum Bibliothecae Vaticanae a 1501 ad 2402 auspice Leone XIII P.O.M., I.B. Card. Pitra S.R.E. Bibliothecario confectum a Iosepho Cozza LUZI, abate S. Mariae Cryptae ferratae, scriptore Bibl. Vaticanae (Bibliotheca Vaticana, Sala Cons. MSS. 324 rosso), 156v–157r. [= OLIVIER no. 850]
 Enrica FOLLIERI, *Codices Graeci Bibliothecae Vaticanae selecti temporum locorumque ordine digesti, commentariis et transcriptionibus instructi* (= *Exempla scripturarum, edita consilio et opera Procuratorum Bibliothecae et Tabularii Vaticani, Fasciculus IV*), Bibliotheca Vaticana 1969, 16.
 Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana* (= *Studi e testi* 261), Vatican City, 1970, 679 f. [= OLIVIER no. 794]
 Massimo CERESA, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della Biblioteca Vaticana (1981–1985)* (= *Studi e testi* 342), Vatican City, 1991, 416. [= OLIVIER no. 796]
 Studies: GNO V (1962) 6–7 McDONOUGH.—GNO VII/II (1992) XXI–XXII CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 347, 355 WOODS CALLAHAN.—GNO IX (1967) 9–12 HEIL.—GNO X/I (1990) LXXIX; CCXXVI LENDLE.
 MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 120.—AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 115–17.
 Werner JAEGER, *Greek Uncial Fragments in the Library of Congress in Washington: Traditio* 5 (1947) 79–102.

(50) *Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 119, fol. 1r–33r*

- Material: paper
 Date: XVI cent.
 Size: 313 sheets, 305 x 206 mm, 1 column, 29 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Catalogues: E. FERON/F. BATTAGLINI, *Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae*

codices manuscripti recensiti iubente Leone XIII Pont. Max.
Codices manuscripti graeci Ottobonianii Bibliothecae Vaticanae
descripti, Praeside Alphonso Cardinali Capecelatro Archiepiscopo
Capuano, S.R.E. Bibliothecario, Rome, 1893, 68 f.
[= OLIVIER no. 814]

Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i*
manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261),
Vatican City, 1970, 193. [= OLIVIER no. 794]

Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XLIX, LI MÜLLER; GNO III/II (1987)
XXIII, XXVI–XXVII KENNETH DOWNING; CLXXVI.—GNO
III/IV (1996) XXV, LXXXVII MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V
(1962) 19–20 McDONOUGH.—GNO VII/I (1964) XVI
MUSURILLO.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 149–50 JAEGER
—GNO VIII/II (1925/1959) XXX PASQUALI—GNO IX
(1967) 19 HEIL; 144, 175, 180, 183, 189 GEBHARDT.—GNO
X/II (1996) LVI; 162–63 MANN; 302, 306, 311–13 TESKE.
MANN nat. (1975) 54, 57.

(51) *Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 167, fol. 37r-50v*

Material: paper
Date: XV cent.
Size: 209 sheets, 250 x 130 mm, 1 column, 33 lines
Content: Gregory of Nyssa, Isaac the Syrian, works
Catalogues: E. FERON/F. BATTAGLINI, *Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae*
codices manuscripti recensiti iubente Leone XIII Pont. Max.
Codices manuscripti graeci Ottobonianii Bibliothecae Vaticanae
descripti, Praeside Alphonso Cardinali Capecelatro Archiepiscopo
Capuano, S.R.E. Bibliothecario, Rome 1893, 94 f.
[= OLIVIER no. 814]
Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i*
manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261),
Vatican City, 1970, 197 f. [= OLIVIER no. 794]
Marco BUONOCORE, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della*
Biblioteca Vaticana (1968–1980), vol. I (= Studi e testi 318),
Vatican City, 1986, 389. [= OLIVIER no. 795]
Massimo CERESA, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della*
Biblioteca Vaticana (1981–1985) (= Studi e testi 342),
Vatican City, 1991, 145. [= OLIVIER no. 796]

(52) *Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 247, fol. 55r-91v*

- Material: paper
 Date: XVI cent.
 Size: 226 sheets, 254 x 178 mm, 1 column, 24 lines
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
 Writer: Arnoldus Arlenius (ca. 1510–ca. 1574)
 Catalogues: E. FERON/F. BATTAGLINI, *Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae codices manuscripti recensiti iubente Leone XIII Pont. Max.*
Codices manuscripti graeci Ottoboniani Bibliothecae Vaticanae descripti, Praeside Alphonso Cardinali Capecelatro Archiepiscopo Capuano, S.R.E. Bibliothecario, Rome 1893, 139 f.
[= OLIVIER no. 814]
 Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261)*, Vatican City, 1970, 205. [= OLIVIER no. 794]
 Ernst GAMILLSCHEG, unter Mitarbeit von Dieter HARLFINGER und Paolo ELEUTERI, *Repertorium der griechischen Kopisten 800–1600*. 3. Teil: *Handschriften aus Bibliotheken Roms mit dem Vatikan. A: Verzeichnis der Kopisten (= Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Veröffentlichungen der Kommission für Byzantinistik III/3A)*, Vienna, 1997, 40 f. Nr. 48.
 Studies: GNO III/II (1987) CXXXV–CXXXVIII HÖRNER; CLXXVI.—GNO IX (1967) 86 VAN HECK; 178 GEBHARDT.—GNO X/I (1990) LXXX; CLXXXV LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) LVI; 42, 45–46 RHEIN; 99–103, 190–91 MANN.
 VAN HECK paup. (1964) XXII.—LENDLE Steph. (1968) 112, 164.—MANN nat. (1975) 98, 121–22.

(53) *Vaticanus Palatinus graecus 327, fol. 123r–v*

Fragment from the beginning to Migne 64,10; expl. μετεωροπόρους

Apographon of Parisinus graecus 1007

- Material: paper
 Date: towards end of first quarter of XVI cent. (CANART/AMAND DE MENDIETA), XV–XVI cent. (STEVENSON)
 Size: 155 sheets, 223 x 165 mm, 1 column, 25–26 lines
 Content: Basil of Caesarea, Gregory of Nyssa, and various other authors, works
 Catalogues: Henricus STEVENSON, *Bibliotheca Apostolica Vaticana codicibus manuscriptis recensita iubente Leone XIII Pont. Max. edita. Codices manuscripti Palatini graeci Bibliothecae Vaticanae*

descripti, Praeside I. B. Cardinali Pitra episcopo Portuensi, S.R.E. Bibliothecario, Rome, 1885, 189 f. [= OLIVIER no. 817]

Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261)*, Vatican City, 1970, 273. [= OLIVIER no. 794]

Marco BUONOCORE, *Bibliografia dei fondi manoscritti della Biblioteca Vaticana (1968–1980)*, vol. I (= Studi e testi 318), Vatican City, 1986, 513. [= OLIVIER no. 795]

Study: AMAND DE MENDIETA (1980) 60–61.

(54) *Vaticanus Urbinas graecus 12, fol. 1r–28v*

Copy of the first printed edition by Claude Morel, Paris 1615.

Material: paper

Date: beginning of XVII cent.

Size: 315 sheets, 352 x 242 mm, 1 column, 27 lines

Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works

Writer: Iosephus Cretensis, commissioned by Federico, duke of Montefeltro

Catalogues: Cosimus STORNAJOLO, *Bibliothecae Apostolicae Vaticanae codices manuscripti recensiti iubente Leone XIII Pont. Max. Codices Urbinate graeci Bibliothecae Vaticanae descripti, Praeside Alphonso Cardinali Capecelatro Archiepiscopo Capuano, S.R.E. Bibliothecario*, Rome, 1895, 19. [= OLIVIER no. 829]

Paul CANART/Vittorio PERI, *Sussidi bibliografici per i manoscritti greci della Biblioteca Vaticana (= Studi e testi 261)*, Vatican City, 1970, 330. [= OLIVIER no. 794]

Studies: GNO II (1921/1960) LXI JAEGER.—GNO V (1962) 4–5, 180–81, 184–85 McDONOUGH; 273–74 ALEXANDER.—GNO VI (1960) LX–LXI LANGERBECK.—GNO VII/I (1964) XVI MUSURILLO.—GNO VIII/I (1963) 124 JAEGER—GNO.S (1972) CXLIX HÖRNER.

Michael FAULHABER, *Hohelied-, Proverbien- und Prediger-Catenen (= Theologische Studien der Leo-Gesellschaft 4)*, Wien, 1902, 72.—SMETS/VAN ESBROECK (1970) 134.

(55) *Venetus Marcianus graecus 67 (coll. 387, olim Cardinalis Bessarionis <90>), fol. 414v–432v (codex mutilus in fine; expl. Migne 124,3 ἐπεξιέναι)*

Material: vellum

Date: middle of XI cent.

Size: 332 sheets (“perperam numerantur 1–232 et 333–432” MIONI), 250 x 190 mm, 1 column, 38 lines

- Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works
- Catalogues: Antonius M. ZANETTI/Antonius BONGIOVANNI, *Graeca D. Marci Bibliotheca codicum manuscriptorum. Per titulos digesta ...*, Venice, 1740, 45.
 Elpidius MIONI, *Bibliothecae Divi Marci Venetiarum codices graeci manuscripti. Volumen I: Thesaurus Antiquus. Codices 1–299* (= Ministero per i beni culturali e ambientali. Indici e Cataloghi, Nuova Serie 6), Rome, 1981, 92 f.
 [= OLIVIER no. 2390]
 Elpidius MIONI, *Bibliothecae Divi Marci Venetiarum codices graeci manuscripti. Indices omnium codicum graecorum, praefatio, supplementa, addenda* (= Ministero per i beni culturali e ambientali. Indici e Cataloghi, Nuova Serie 6), Rome, s.d. (1986 ?), 15. [= OLIVIER no. 2398]
- Studies: GNO III/I (1958) XV–XVI, XL–XLI, XLIV MÜLLER.
 —GNO III/II (1987) XII–XIV KENNETH DOWNING; XCIII, XCV–XCVI HÖRNER; CLXXVII.—GNO III/IV (1996) XXVI, XXXV–XXXIX MÜHLENBERG.—GNO V (1962) 180 McDONOUGH.—GNO VII/I (1964) IX MUSURILLO.—GNO VII/II (1992) XXIII–XXIV CALLAHAN.—GNO VIII/I (1951/1963) 5, 112–13, 115–16, 145, 159 JAEGER; 220, 222 CAVARNOS; 347–48 WOODS CALLAHAN.—GNO IX (1967) 6 HEIL; 83–84 VAN HECK; 149, 158, 173, 183 GEBHARDT; 363, 418, 428 SPIRA.—GNO X/I (1990) LXXXII; CXII, CXXIX HEIL; CXLI CAVARNOS; CLXXX, CCXXI, CCXL, CCXLVIII LENDLE.—GNO X/II (1996) LVIII; 20 RHEIN; 151–55 MANN. FORBES (1855) II–III.—SRAWLEY Or cat (1903) XLVI.—VAN HECK paup. (1964) XIX.—AUBINEAU virg. (1966) 220.
 —LENDLE Steph. (1968) 113, 132.—MARAVAL Macr. (1971) 122–23.—MANN nat. (1975) 10, 23–25.

(56) *Venetus Marcianus graecus II 57* (= coll. 1094, olim *Nanianus graecus 78*), fol. 1r–52v

- Material: paper
 Date: beginning of XVI cent. (McDONOUGH, MUSURILLO: end of XV cent.)
 Size: 377 sheets (the numbering counts up to 477, because it erroneously jumps from 125 to 226), 1 column, 18 lines (fol. 1–361), 29 lines (fol. 362–77)
 Content: Gregory of Nyssa, works

- Catalogues: <I.A. MINGARELLI>, *Graeci codices manu scripti apud Nanios patricios Venetos asservati*, Bononiae, 1784, 160.
[= OLIVIER no. 2400]
Elpidius MIONI, *Bibliothecae Divi Marci Venetiarum codices graeci manuscripti. Volumen I: Codices in classes a prima usque ad quintam inclusi, pars prior: Classis I–Classis II, codd. 1–120*
(= Ministero della pubblica istruzione. Indici e Cataloghi, Nuova Serie 6), Rome, 1967, 175 f. [= OLIVIER no. 2393]
- Studies: GNO V (1962) 9 McDONOUGH.—GNO VII/I (1964) XVI MUSURILLO.
FORBES (1855) II.

IV.

In addition to this list of manuscripts which contain the text of Gregory of Nyssa's *In Hexaemeron* either in full or in part, Emmanuel Amand de Mendieta and Stig Y. Rudberg mention in their critical edition of Basil's *Homiliae in Hexaemeron*, that various manuscripts show scholia and glosses that include quotations from Gregory of Nyssa's *In Hexaemeron*.¹⁶ Eight of them they include in their special *apparatus scholiorum et glossarum*: 1) Parisinus graecus 476 (beginning of X cent.); 2) Athous Lavra 81 (457) (beginning of X cent.); 3) Laurentianus IV 27 (beginning of X cent.); 4) Vaticanus graecus 408 (end of X cent.); 5) Vaticanus graecus 2066 (IX–X cent.), which contains Gregory of Nyssa's *In Hexaemeron* as well; 6) Marcianus graecus 58 (499) (IX–X cent.); 7) Ianuensis, Franzoniana graecus 17 (end of X cent.), which contains Gregory of Nyssa's *In Hexaemeron* as well; and 8) Oxoniensis Baroccianus graecus 228 (X–XI cent.).

Five passages from Gregory are quoted therein: 1) PG 44, 80 B–C 15–41 ad Bas. *Hex* II 1 (GCS 22,15) from Laurentianus IV 27; 2) PG 44, 76 B 4–9 ad Bas. *Hex* II 7 (GCS 33,6) from Laurentianus IV 27; 3) PG 44, 77 B 8–C 4 ad Bas. *Hex* II 8 (GCS 35,14) from Laurentianus IV 27, Vaticanus graecus 408, Oxoniensis Baroccianus graecus 228; 4) PG 44, 73 A 12–B 9 ad Bas. *Hex* III 2 (GCS 39,15) from Laurentianus IV 27, Vaticanus graecus 408, Oxoniensis Baroccianus graecus 228; and 5) PG 44, 80 C 13–81 A 11 ad Bas. *Hex* III 4 (GCS 45,15) from Laurentianus IV 27. These scholia have not been inspected yet, but they might provide some new insight into particular variants of the passages quoted.

16. Basilius von Caesarea, Homilien zum Hexaemeron. Herausgegeben von Emmanuel Amand de Mendieta † und Stig Y. Rudberg [= Die Griechischen christlichen Schriftsteller der ersten Jahrhunderte, Neue Folge, Band 2] (Berlin 1997) XI.

V.

Though the studies of the manuscripts are by no means complete, a few conclusions suggest themselves regarding their relationships and importance.

It appears to be proven that: Berolinensis Philippi 1471 is a copy (apographon) of Parisinus graecus 586; Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei VII 4 and X 12 are copies (apographa) of Vaticanus graecus 405; Monacensis graecus 23 is a copy (apographon) of Venetus Marcianus graecus 67; Parisinus graecus 503, Parisinus graecus 777 A, and Parisinus graecus 940 are identical fragments, either dependent on one another or on a common source now lost; Parisinus graecus 586 is a copy (apographon) of Vaticanus graecus 697; Parisinus graecus 1007 is a copy (apographon) of Oxoniensis Bodleianus Baroccianus graecus 144; Vaticanus Palatinus graecus 327 is a copy (apographon) of Parisinus graecus 1007; and Vaticanus Urbinas graecus 12 is a copy of Morel's edition of 1615.

Further dependencies seem to be highly probable: Matritensis 4806, Messinensis 50, and Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 167 all seem to be dependent on Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei IV 18; Matritensis 4852 probably is a copy (apographon) of Matritensis 4610.

The following manuscripts seem to form distinctive families:

- 1) Atheniensis graecus Benaki 10
Cantabrigiensis collegii Trinitatis 197 (B.9.1)
Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei VI 17
Venetus Marcianus graecus 67 with its apographon
Monacensis graecus 23
- 2) Atheniensis Metochii S. Sep. 773
Romanus Vallicellianus graecus D 56
Salamanticensis Universitatis 2728
Taurinensis C I 11
Vaticanus graecus 405 with its apographa
Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei VII 4 and
Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei X 12
Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 119
Venetus Marcianus graecus II 57 (olim Nanianus graecus 78)
- 3) Athous Λαῦρα B 105 = 225
Chalki 107
Matritensis 4750
Monacensis 192
Mosquensis B 288.702

- Oxoniensis Bodleianus Auctarium F.1.1
 Parisinus Coislinianus 253
 Parisinus graecus 1268
 Vaticanus graecus 697 with its apographon
 Parisinus graecus 586
 Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 247
- 4) Athous Vatopediu 128
 Parisinus graecus 479
 Vaticanus graecus 1433
 Vaticanus graecus 1907
- 5) Escorialensis Ω IV 24
 Leidensis Vossianus graecus 37
 Londinensis Musei Britannici graecus "Old Royal" 16 D I
 Parisinus graecus 1008
- 6) Florentinus Laurentianus Mediceus graecus plutei IV 18
 Messininensis 50
 Vaticanus Ottobonianus graecus 167
 Matritensis 4806

Finally, the two fragments Londinensis Burney 34 and Monacensis graecus 136 seem to belong together somehow, as they both present the virtually identical segment of the text:

Londinensis Burney 34: PG 44, 69,50–72,43
 Monacensis graecus 136: PG 44, 69,50–72,40

A direct comparison, however, does not yield any immediate conclusion:

Migne	Lond. Burney 34	Mon. gr. 136
69,50 ἐπειδὴ γάρ	ἐπειδήπερ	ἐπειδὴ
69,55 τῇ γῇ	γῇ	τῇ γῇ
72,1 ὅτι ἀθρόως	ἀθρόως	ὅτι ἀθρόως
72,4 ἡ σημασία	σημασία	ἡ σημασία
72,7 περιίστησι	παρίστησι	περιίστησι
72,9 διαστηματικοῦ	διαστηματικοῦ	διαστικοῦ
72,10 γραμμῆς	τῆς γραμμῆς	γραμμῆς
72,11 οὔτως	οὕτω	οὔτω
72,16 σιωπόμενον	σιωπώμενον	σιωπόμενον
72,18 ḥ	ἥ	ἥ
72,22 ὁ θεὸς ἐν ἀκαρεῖ	ἐν ἀκαρεῖ	ὁ θεὸς ἐν ἀκαρεῖ
κατεβάλλετο	κατεβάλετο ὁ θεὸς	κατεβάλετο

72,25	ζῶον	ζῶα	ζῶον
72,31	τὸ πῦρ	πῦρ	τὸ πῦρ
72,32	προεκφανῆναι τῶν ἄλλων	προεκφωνηθῆναι τῶν ἄλλων	προεκφανῆναι τῶν ἄλλων
	τὸ δέ τι		
	τῶν ἐν τῷ	τῶν ἐν τῷ	τῶν ἐν τῷ
72,36	τὸ ἐφεξῆς	τὸ ἐφεξῆς	ἐφεξῆς
72,40			explicit
72,53	τοῦ θεοῦ	θεοῦ	

Six of the manuscripts seem to be of primary importance:

- 1) Vaticanus graecus 2066 (end of IX cent.); 2) Venetus Marcianus graecus 67 (middle of XI cent.); 3) Cantabrigiensis collegii Trinitatis B.9.1 (XI cent.); 4) Vaticanus graecus 1907 (end of XII cent. or XII–XIII cent.); 5) Londinensis Musei Britannici graecus “Old Royal” 16 D I (XII cent.); and 6) Vaticanus graecus 405 (end of XII / beginning of XIII cent.)

VI.

Before the Greek text of Gregory of Nyssa's *In Hexaemeron* was ever printed, two Latin translations of the treatise were published and repeatedly reprinted:

1) *Franciscus Zinus*

D. Gregorii Nyssa pontificis, Magni Basiliī fratri, doctissimus in Hexaemeron commentarius. Aliquot tum eiusdem, tum aliorum auctorum orationes pulcherrimae, quarum argumenta in proxima pagina perspicies. Gregorii, rerum admirabilium effectoris, de anima libellus, Petro Francisco Zino Veronensi interprete. Aldi Filii, Venetiis. MDLIII.

[*In Hexaemeron*: fol. 6–36]¹⁷

Divi Gregorii Nysseni episcopi, fratri Basiliī Magni, omnia quae exstant opera, hactenus studio virorum doctissimorum in Latinum sermonem conversa. Quid autem sit praestitum in hac editione omnium postrema, et quae superioribus accesserint opuscula aut nunquam prius typis excusa, aut seorsum edita: ex praeftatione sequenti, et ex librorum catalogo versis aliquot foliis, lector intelliget. Cum indice locorum sacrae scripturae, et rerum memorabilium. Parisiis, apud Sebastianum Nivellum sub ciconiis via Iacobea. MDLXXIII.

[*In Hexaemeron*: col. 1–26]¹⁸

Aurea ac divina quaedam trium sanctitate, doctrinaque praestantium Gregoriorum, Neocaesariensis, Nysseni, et Nazianzeni opera, a Petro Francisco Zino, canonica Veronensi Latinitate donata. Operum index in proxima pagella. Venetiis, apud Bolognimum Zalterium. MDLXXIV.

17. Cf. Margarete ALTBURGER—Friedhelm MANN, *Bibliographie zu Gregor von Nyssa. Editionen—Übersetzungen—Literatur* (Leiden, 1988) 16.

18. Ib. 32 f.

[*In Hexaemeron*: fol. 12–33v]¹⁹

Beati Gregorii Nysseni episcopi, fratris Basili Magni, opera omnia quae exstant, duobus tomis comprehensa. Hactenus studio virorum doctissimorum in Latinum sermonem conversa, et recens notis ex adversariis Frontonis Ducae Burdigalensis S.I. collectis, illustrata. Quid autem sit praestitum in hac editione, et quae accesserint opuscula, ex praefatione, et librorum catalogo, lector intelliget. Cum indicibus locorum sacrae scripturae et rerum memorabilium. Parisiis, apud Claudio Morellum, via Iacobaea, ad insigne fontis. MDCV.

[*In Hexaemeron*: col. 1–26]²⁰

S. patris nostri Gregorii episcopi Nysseni, fratris Basili Magni, opera quae extant omnia, studio doctissimorum virorum ex ms. et vetustiss. Graecis codd. in Latinum conversa. Additae sunt R.P. Frontonis Ducae S.I. et alior. theol. notae, quibus cum interpretatio vetus quorundam librorum emendatur, tum nova reliquorum illustratur. Cum indicibus locorum sacrae scripturae et rerum memorabilium. Coloniae Agrippinae sumptibus Antonii Hierat, bibliopolae sub signo gryphi. Anno MDCXVII.

[*In Hexaemeron*: 1–10]²¹

Zinus' translation was then reprinted with the editions of the Greek text Paris 1615, Paris 1638, and Paris 1858 (see chapter VII).

2) Laurentius Sifanus

Divi Gregorii, episcopi Nysseni, fratris Basili Magni, opera quae adipisci licuit omnia, pleraque antehac nunquam visa, de Graeco in Latinum a diversis, sed potissimum a D. Laurentio Sifano I.V.D. clariss. translata: quorum catalogum post praefationem invenies. Additus est index rerum memorabilium et locorum scripturae uberrimus. Basileae excudebat Nic. Episcopius F. sibi et haeredib. Ar. Birckmanni. Anno MDLXII.

[*In Hexaemeron*: 283–14]²²

Opera d. Gregorii, Nysseni episcopi, fratris Basili Magni, de Graeco in Latinum sermonem conversa, studio potissimum atque opera Laurentii Sifani I.V.D. et Ioannis Levvenklaii. Quid hac secunda editione praestitum sit, et quae prioribus libris accesserint, ex prooemiis interpretum lector intelliget. Additus est index rerum memorabilium, et locorum scripturae uberrimus. Basileae, per Eusebium Episcopium, et Nicolai fratris haeredes. 1571.

George Forbes used Sifanus' translation with his first critical edition of the Greek text in 1855, because "it is by far better than the translation by Zinus," nevertheless correcting it "in many places" (iii) (see chapter VII).

19. Ib. 34.

20. Ib. 46.

21. Ib. 53 f.

22. Ib. 23 f.

As was the custom of the time, the translators did not indicate, which manuscript(s) they based their translation on, so that one can only make an erudite guess. Forbes (iii) noted that Sifanus appears to have followed a manuscript similar to Vaticanus graecus 697, while Zinus seems to translate from a manuscript belonging to the family Oxoniensis 3036, Monacensis 192, and Vaticanus graecus 1433.

VII.

The Greek text was first published in Paris, 1615:

S. patris nostri Gregorii episcopi Nysseni, fratris Basilii Magni, opera omnia quae reperiri potuerunt, Graece et Latine nunc primum ex mnss. codd. in lucem edita, et in duos tomos divisa. Additae sunt variae dociss. virorum notae, quibus cum interpretatio vetus quorumdam librorum emendatur, tum nova reliquorum illustratur. Cum indicibus locorum sacrae scripture et rerum memorabilium. Parisiis, ex officina Nivelliana, apud Sebastianum Cramoisy, via Iacobaea, sub ciconiis. MDCXV.

Also printed by:

Apud Michaelem Sonnium, via Iacobaea, sub scuto Basilensi.

Apud Claudium Morellum, via Iacobaea, ad insige fontis.

[*In Hexaemeron: tomus I, 1–43*]²³

Reprinted with corrections and additions, Paris 1638:

Τοῦ ἐν ἀγίοις πατρὸς ήμῶν Γρηγορίου ἐπισκόπου Νύσσης τὰ εὐρισκόμενα. *Sancti patris nostri Gregorii episcopi Nysseni opera. Nunc denuo correctius et accuratius edita, aucta, et notis, nec non indicibus necessariis ornata, et in tres tomos distributa.* Parisiis, sumptibus Aegidii Morelli, via Iacobaea, ad insige fontis. MDCXXXVIII.

[*In Hexaemeron: tomus I, 1–43*]²⁴

This second edition was eventually reprinted by Jaques-Paul Migne in his monumental series “Patrologia Graeca,” Paris 1858, including the Latin translation by Franciscus Zinus of 1553 etc.:

Patrologiae cursus completus seu bibliotheca universalis, integra, uniformis, commoda, oeconomica omnium ss. Patrum, doctorum scriptorumque ecclesiasticorum ... Series Graeca ... accurante J.-P. Migne. Patrologiae Graecae tomi XLIV–XLVI: S. Gregorius Nyssenus. Excudebatur et venit apud J.-P. Migne editorem ... [Parisiis] 1858.

Τοῦ ἐν ἀγίοις πατρὸς ήμῶν Γρηγορίου ἐπισκόπου Νύσσης τὰ εὐρισκόμενα πάντα. *S.P.N. Gregorii episcopi Nysseni opera quae reperiri potuerunt omnia* (Ed. Morell. 1638), *nunc denuo correctius et accuratius edita et multis aucta.* Accurante J.-P. Migne

23. Ib. 50 f.

24. Ib. 58 f.

[*In Hexaemeron: tomus I (= PG 44) col. 61–124*]²⁵

Again, Morel does not tell, on which manuscript(s) he based his text. It seems, however, that he used the Parisinus graecus 1008 or a codex very similar to it, as the concurrences are virtually complete. The extremely few differences can easily be explained by deliberate alterations by the editor.

Three years before George H. Forbes had presented the first critical edition of the treatise, adding the Latin translation of Laurentius Sifanus (1562 etc.), and adapting it to his new text:

Toῦ ἐν ἀγίοις πατρὸς ἡμῶν Γρηγορίου ἐπισκόπου Νύσσης (ἀδελφοῦ τοῦ μεγάλου Βασίλειου) τὰ εὐρισκόμενα πάντα. *Sancti patris nostri Gregorii episcopi Nysseni Basili Magni fratris quae supersunt omnia. In unum corpus collegit, ad fidem codd. mss. recensuit, Latinis versionibus quam accuratissimis instruxit et genuina a suppositiis discrevit Georgius H. Forbesius. Tomus primus. Burntisland, e typographo de Pitsligo. 1855.*

[*In Hexaemeron: fasc. I, 4–94*]²⁶

Forbes based his edition on the following ten manuscripts:

1) Monacensis 23; 2) Oxoniensis 3036; 3) Musei Britannici 16. D.I.; 4) Monacensis 192; 5) Coislinianus 253; 6) Regius 1268; 7) S. Marci 67; 8) Vaticanus 405; 9) Vaticanus 697; 10) Vaticanus 1433. Furthermore, Forbes inspected Nanianus 78 and Taurinensis 71, without making use of them, because he considered them not worthwhile (ii), and Baroccianus 144, which only contains a fragment of a single page.

Moreover, Forbes knew of the fragments in Parisinus graecus 503 and 940 and suspected that he might have overlooked some more manuscripts in the Bibliothèque Nationale, as “the catalogue is very inaccurate” (ii).

This edition was reprinted in 1996:

Γρηγόριος Νύσσης (Μέρος Α', Ι). Γενικὴ Ἐπιστασία καὶ Ἐπιμέλεια Ἡλία Δ. Μουτσούλα. Ἐπιμελήτρια Γεωργία Π. Κουνάβη (Βιβλιοθήκη Ἑλλήνων Πατέρων καὶ Ἐκκλησιαστικῶν Συγγραφέων 65 Α', Ι) (Athens, 1996) 525–64.

VIII.

Finally, three very helpful tools for the compilation of the *apparatus fontium et testimoniorum* have been published in recent years:

Two biblical indices:

1) Hubertus R. DROBNER, Bibelindex zu den Werken Gregors von Nyssa, (Paderborn, 1988); and 2) *Biblia Patristica. Index des citations et allusions bibliques dans la littérature patristique. 5: Basile de Césarée, Grégoire de Nazianze, Grégoire de Nysse, Amphiloco d'Iconium* (Paris, 1991).

25. Ib. 89 f.

26. Ib. 87.

A German translation with commentary:

Gregor von Nyssa, Über das Sechstagewerk. Verteidigungsschrift an seinen Bruder Petrus. Eingeleitet, übersetzt und kommentiert von Franz Xaver RISCH (= Bibliothek der Griechischen Literatur 49) (Stuttgart, 1999).

Otherwise the *In Hexaemeron* was hitherto only translated into Italian:

Opere di Gregorio di Nissa, a cura di Claudio MORESCHINI (= Classici delle religioni. La religione cattolica) (Torino, 1992) 587–622.

IX.

The basic collation of the above-mentioned six manuscripts of primary importance with the editions by Morel/Migne and Forbes indicates that the new text will presumably differ from Migne's text in about 420 places, and from Forbes' in about 260 instances, about 180 of them not concurring with either of them.

Compared to the overall size of the text (32 columns in Migne = 1788 lines) these variants will not account for a widely different text, but certainly for no small number of new insights, based on the complete evaluation of all hitherto known manuscripts.

BIBLIOGRAPHY

- | | |
|-------------|--|
| GNO | = <i>Gregorii Nysseni Opera</i> (Leiden). |
| GNO I-II | <i>Contra Eunomium libri</i> , ed. Wernerus Jaeger (1921, 2 ¹⁹⁶⁰). |
| GNO III/I | <i>Opera dogmatica minora</i> , ed. Fridericus Mueller (1958). |
| GNO III/II | <i>Opera dogmatica minora, pars II</i> , ed. J. Kenneth Downing, Jacobus A. McDonough, Hadwiga Hörner (1987). |
| GNO III/IV | <i>Opera dogmatica minora, pars IV: Oratio catechetica</i> , ed. Ekkehardus Mühlberg (1996). |
| GNO V | <i>In inscriptiones Psalmorum, In sectum Psalmum, In Ecclesiasten homiliae</i> , ed. Jacobus McDonough, Paulus Alexander (1962). |
| GNO VI | <i>In Canticum Cantorum</i> , ed. Hermannus Langerbeck (1960). |
| GNO VII/I | <i>De vita Moysis</i> , ed. Herbertus Musurillo (1964). |
| GNO VII/II | <i>De oratione dominica, De beatitudinibus</i> , ed. Johannes F. Callahan (1992). |
| GNO VIII/I | <i>Opera ascetica</i> , ed. Wernerus Jaeger, Johannes P. Cavarnos, Virginia Woods Callahan (1963). |
| GNO VIII/II | <i>Epistulae</i> , ed. Georgius Pasquali (1925, 2 ¹⁹⁵⁹). |
| GNO IX | <i>Sermones, pars I</i> , ed. Gunterus Heil, Adrianus van Heck, Ernestus Gebhardt, Andreas Spira (1967). |
| GNO X/I | <i>Sermones, pars II</i> , ed. Gunterus Heil, Johannes P. Cavarnos, Otto Lendle (1990). |
| GNO X/II | <i>Sermones, pars III</i> , ed. Ernestus Rhein, Friedhelm Mann, Dörte Teske, Hilde Polack (1990). |

- GNO.S *Auctorum incertorum vulgo Basilii vel Gregorii Nysseni Sermones*
De creatione hominis, Sermo de paradiso, ed. Hadwiga Hörner (1972).
- Amand
de Mendieta Basile de Césarée, La tradition manuscrit directe des neuf Homélies sur l'Hexaéméron. Étude philologique par Emmanuel Amand de Mendieta † et Stig Y. Rudberg (= Texte und Untersuchungen 123) (Berlin, 1980).
- Aubineau virg. Grégoire de Nysse, Traité de la virginité. Introduction, texte critique, traduction, commentaire et index de Michel Aubineau (= Sources Chrétienennes 119) (Paris, 1966).
- Forbes *Toῦ ἐν ἀγίοις πατρὸς ἡμῶν Γρηγορίου ἐπισκόπου Νύσσης(ἀδελφοῦ τοῦ μεγάλου Βασιλέου) τὰ εὐρισκόμενα πάντα. Sancti patris nostri Gregorii episcopi Nysseni Basilii Magni fratris quae supersunt omnia.* In unum corpus collegit, ad fidem codd. mss. recensuit, Latinis versionibus quam accuratissimis instruxit et genuina a suppositiis discrevit Georgius H. Forbesius. Tomus primus. Burntisland, e typographo de Pitsligo (1855).
- Lendle Steph. *Gregorius Nyssenus, Encomium in sanctum Stephanum protomartyrem.* Griechischer Text, eingeleitet und herausgegeben mit apparatus criticus und Übersetzung von Otto Lendle (Leiden, 1968).
- Mann nat. Friedhelm Mann, Die Weihnachtspredigt Gregors von Nyssa. Überlieferungsgeschichte und Text (Münster, 1976).
- Maraval Macr. Grégoire de Nysse, Vie de sainte Macrine. Introduction, texte critique, traduction, notes et index par Pierre Maraval (= Sources Chrétienennes 178) (Paris, 1971).
- Smets/
van Esbroeck Basile de Césarée, Sur l'origine de l'homme (Hom. X et XI de l'Hexaéméron), Introduction, texte critique, traduction et notes par Alexis Smets et Michel van Esbroeck (= Sources Chrétienennes 160) (Paris, 1970).
- Srawley
Or cat The Catechetical Oration of Gregory of Nyssa, edited by James Herbert Srawley (= Cambridge Patristic Texts) (Cambridge, 1903).
- Uthemann *Anastasii Sinaitae Sermones duo in constitutionem hominis se cundum imaginem dei necnon Opuscula adversus Monotheletas*, ed. Karl-Heinz Uthemann (= Corpus Christianorum, Series Graeca 12) (Turnhout, 1985).
- van Heck
paup. *Gregorii Nysseni De pauperibus amandi orationes duo*, ed. A. van Heck (Leiden, 1964).