

# MUSEO NAVAL

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MUSEO NAVAL DE MADRID

The mission of the Naval Museum, located on the first floor of the Spanish Navy Headquarters, is to acquire, preserve, disseminate and research the historical heritage of the Spanish Navy.

Since its inauguration in 1843, the Naval Museum has been compiling different collections in which our naval history is represented, exhibiting naval weapons, paintings, cartographic records, nautical instruments, models of ships, flags, etc.

In this way, the Naval Museum makes known the Spanish Navy's contribution to national security and to the cultural and scientific development of Spain and the Western world.



## SCHEDULE

Tuesday to Sunday, from 10:00 to 19:00

Closed on Mondays: 1 and 6 January, 1 May, 24, 25 and 31 December

## SERVICES

Free guided tours

Family and cultural activities

Library and Archive

Study room

Wheelchair

Audio guide



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## HISTORICAL TOUR

- 1 THE SEA IN THE DAWN OF SPAIN. 13TH TO 15TH CENTURIES
- 2 THE AGE OF EXPLORATION. 15TH AND 16TH CENTURIES
- 3 WHERE THE SUN NEVER SETS. 16TH AND 17TH CENTURIES
- 4 THE FOUNDATION OF THE "REAL ARMADA". 18TH CENTURY
- 5 THE END OF AN EMPIRE. 19TH CENTURY
- 6 THE RESURGENCE OF THE SPANISH NAVY. 20TH AND 21ST CENTURIES

## MONOGRAPHIC ROOMS

- A WELCOME TO THE NAVAL MUSEUM
- B THE GOLDEN AGE OF NAVAL CONSTRUCTION IN SPAIN. 18TH CENTURY
- C THE DEFENCE OF COMMERCIAL MARITIME ROUTES. 16TH AND 17TH CENTURIES
- D NAVAL CONSTRUCTION IN THE AGE OF STEAM. 1833-1931
- E THE SPANISH NAVY TODAY

## TRANSVERSAL ITINERARIES

-  EIGHT CENTURIES OF HISTORY
-  ILLUSTRIOUS SEAMEN
-  NAVAL SHIPBUILDING
-  NAVIGATION - FROM ART TO SCIENCE
-  NAVAL WEAPONS
-  THE EVOLUTION OF THE SPANISH NAVY
-  CULTURAL EXCHANGES

## THE MUSEUM RECOMMENDS



Cantonal rebellion. The defense of La Carraca shipyards (1874)



Pocket watch of Rear admiral Casto Méndez Núñez (1868)



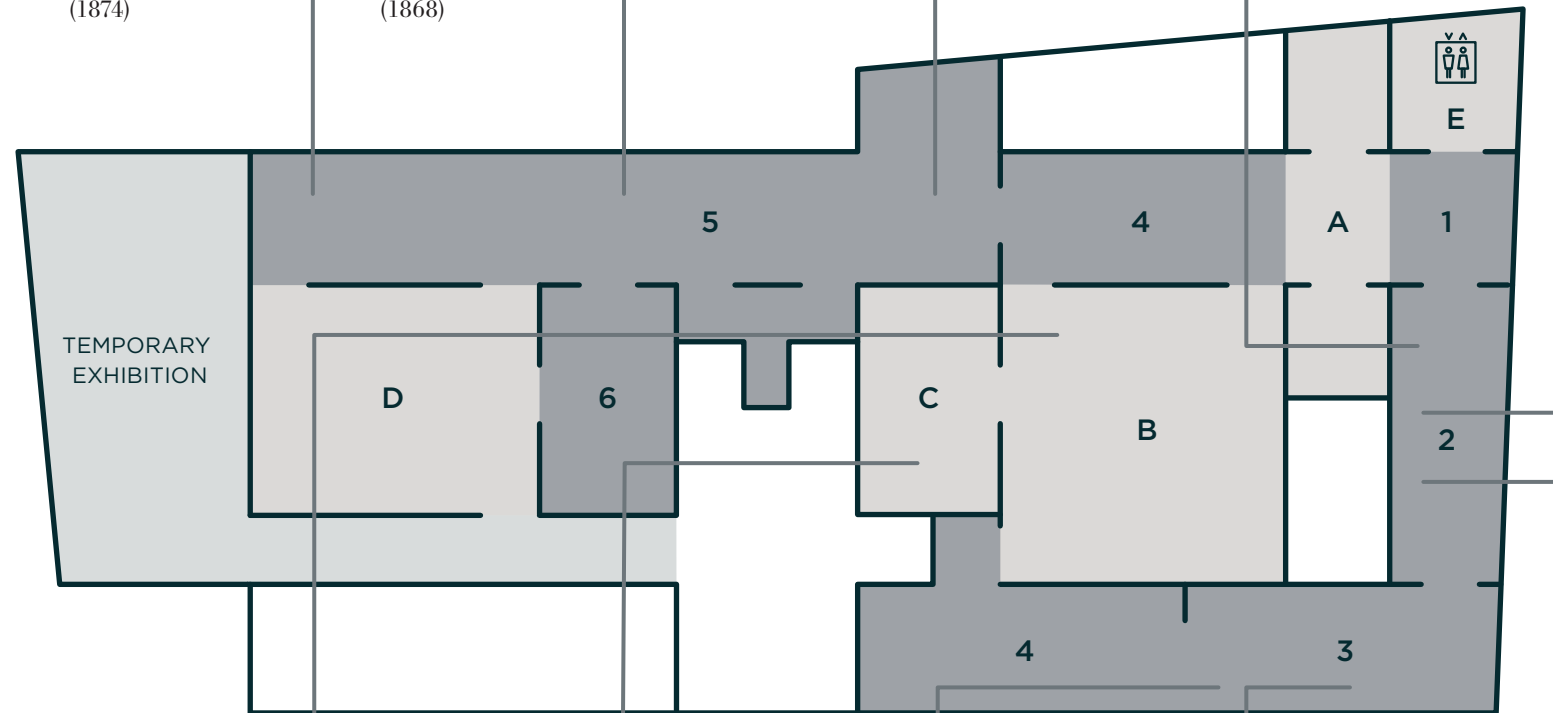
Chinese "flower ship" (End of 18th century)



Spanish demi-culverin (1607)



Universal Chart of Juan de la Cosa (1500)



Model of warship "Real Borbón" (1818)



Chinese blue porcelain collection. Ming dynasty (1600)



Model of a Flemish galleon (1593)



Blessed sword of John of Austria (16th century)



Case for astronomical instruments of King Philip II (1596)