




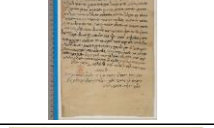






















Image	Lender	Shelfmark	Object Type	Author / Maker	Object description / Title	Dimensions HxDxW (cm)	Date	Provenance information	Venue
	British Library	Add MS 19250	Parchment scroll	anonymous	Torah scroll, China	59 wide. Roll is 21 deep	17th Century	Presented to the British Museum by <i>The Society for Promoting Christianity among the Jews</i> on 11 December 1852; see inscription on scroll verso. BM 1852-July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 9879	Book (parchment)	anonymous	First Gaster Bible, Egypt	37 x 57	10th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of the bibliophile, scholar and rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856- 1939); his manuscript, Cod. G. 151. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Harley MS 1528	Book (parchment)	anonymous	Harley Catalan Bible, Spain	37 x 60	14th Century	Acquired by the British Museum in 1753 from the Harley Collection, formed by Robert Harley (1661-1724), 1st Earl of Oxford and Mortimer, politician, and Edward Harley (b. 1689, d. 1741), 2nd Earl of Oxford and Mortimer, book collector	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Add MS 15282	Book (vellum)	Hayim the Scribe	Duke of Sussex's German Pentateuch (with micrography)	24 x 36	14th Century	Acquired by the British Museum in August 1844 at the sale of Prince Augustus Frederick Duke of Sussex's estate. BM 1844 - July 1973; B: -since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Sloane MS 3173	Book (parchment)	Joseph ben David Leipnik, scribe/artist	Sloane Haggadah, Germany	36 x 46	1740	Acquired by the British Museum in 1753 from the estate of Sir Hans Sloane (1660-1753) baronet, physician and collector. BM 1752 - Jly 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 5519B	Single sheet in frame (paper)	Mosheh ben Maimon (Moses Maimonides)	Maimonides' autograph responsum, Egypt	25 x 17 frame 42 x 33	12th Century	Acquired by the British Museum in 1898 from the bookdealer W. S. Raffalovich of Jerusalem. BM 1898 - July 1973; BL since 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Lansdowne Ch 667	Single sheet in mount (parchment)	anonymous	Charter, Norwich	11.5 x 17 frame 25 x 32	1280	From the collection of Sir William Petty, 1st Marques of Lansdowne and 2nd Earl of Shelbourne (1737- 1805). The collection was purchased for the British Museum with a parliamentary grant in 1807. BM 1807-July 1973; BL since 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Arundel MS 151	Folio (paper)	Rabbi Jacob Raphael of Modena	A response on marriage law - Henry VIII Italy	31.8 x 22 x .2	1530	Purchased by the British Museum from the Royal Society of London together with 549 other Arundel manuscripts in 1831. BM 1831-July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 6639	Book (paper)	Dominico Irosolimitano	Sefer ha-zikuk (list of censored books)	20 x 27	17th century	Purchased by the British Museum from E. N. Adler, 25 May 1905. BM 1905- July 1973; BL since July 1873	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Add MS 18424	Book (parchment)	Samson ben Tsadok and Baruch ben Isaac	Collection of legal works, Germany (?)	31 x 43	1307	Sold to the British Museum on 10 December 1850 by Ludwig Kalisch. This may have been the German Jewish novelist Ludwig Kalisch (1814-1882) who visited London in 1850. BM 1850- July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10740	Book (paper)	Yishmael Hanina ben Mordec	Account of the inquisitional investigations, Italy	26 x 38	18th-19th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939), His manuscript Cod.G.15. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 12368	Book (paper)	anonymous	Account on persecution, Orient	10.5 x 13	17th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939), His manuscript Cod. G.382. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 16520	Single vellum sheet	anonymous	Marriage contract, Tangier, Morocco	60 X 34 Mount 62.3 X 39.2	1886	Acquired Sotheby's New York auction sale, 19 December 2007, lot 202 b.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024

	British Library	Or 4114	Book (paper)	Shalom Shabazi	Liturgical poems for weddings and circumcisions, Yemen	25 x 16	17-18th Century	The manuscript was purchased by the British Museum from Mrs Wright, on 14 April 1890 (inscribed on f. 230v). BM 1890-July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 12983	Book (parchment)		Perek Shirah, Hymns, Austria-Hungary	14 X 16	1740	According to acquisitions registers of the British Museum, the manuscript was purchased 9 December 1965, Christie's sale.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 13704	Book (paper)	Imrani of Isfahan	Fath Nama by 'Imrani, Persia	30 x 47	17-18th Century	The manuscript belonged to the library of the famed bibliophile David Solomon Sassoon (1880-1942). The manuscript was acquired by the British Library in 1982.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 13287	Book (paper)	Sayyid Hasan Amanat Lakhani	Amanat, Indar Sabha (play), India	22 X 36	1887	The manuscript was purchased for the British Museum by Dr David Goldstein (at the time Head of the Hebrew collections) in November 1970. BM 1970- July 1973; BL since July 1973.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 4596	Book (parchment)	Abraham Abulafia	Abraham Abulafia's cabbalistic works, Italy	16 x 20	15th Century	The manuscript was purchased by the British Museum through Bernard Quaritch (bookseller) on 16 Janury 1893; inscribed on back flyleaf. BM 1893- July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	4033.cc.33	Book	Joseph ben Abraham Gikatilla	Joseph Gikatilla, Shaare orah	20 x 29	1516	The volume was acquired by the British Museum Library in 1850 (red BM stamp dated 6 MY 50).The volume was added to the British Museum Library's collections in 1850 and was transferred to the British Library in 1973.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 6996	Single vellum sheet	anonymous	Kabbalistic diagrams	95 x 70 mount 102 x 75	18th century	Recorded in George Margoliouth's Catalogue of the Hebrew and Samaritan Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1899-1935; entry no.1164. It would have thus been in the Museum collection prior to 1899. BM before 1898 - July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 14759	Book (paper)	anonymous	Mafteah Shlomoh	31 x 41	17th -18th century	Bought from Mrs F. Hodges, February 1993. Provenance before and after 1970, and between 1933 and 1945 unknown	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10659	Book (paper)	Atributed to Abraham ibn Ezra	Astrological treatise, North Africa or Middle East (?)	23 x 29	16 – 17th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939). His manuscript Cod. G.679. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10357	Book (paper)	Isaac Hayim Cantarini	Palmistry, Tunisia	17 x 24	1775	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939). His manuscript Cod. G.443. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 12362	Book (paper)	Elisha ben Gad Ancona	Tree of knowledge. Collection of magical recipes. Love potion. Safed, Land of Israel	15 x 16	1535-1536	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939), His manuscript Cod. G.38(?). Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 16206	Single parchment sheet	anonymous	Amulet	55.5 x 45.2 mount 55.8 X 45.8	18th - 19th century	Acquired at Jewish Treasures auction sale Zurich, 13 December 2005 (lot 106).	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10289	Book	anonymous	Alchemy, Oriental	15.5 x 23	17th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939), His manuscript Cod. G.19. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024

	British Library	Harley MS 5680	Book (parchment)	ibn Sina	Avicenna's Kanon, Spain/Italy	29 x 43	1479	Acquired by the British Museum in 1753 from the Harley Collection, formed by Robert Harley (1661-1724), 1st Earl of Oxford and Mortimer, politician, and Edward Harley (b. 1689, d. 1741), 2nd Earl of Oxford and Mortimer, book collector	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 4104	Book (paper)	anonymous	Kitab al-masahah, Yemen	29 x 44	15th Century	The manuscript was acquired by the British Museum from Mrs Mavrocordato, 28 April 1890; inscribed on f. 180v. BM 1890-July 1973; BL since 1873.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Add MS 27107	Book (paper)	al-Farghani	Compendium of astronomy, North Africa (?)	22 X 33	16th – 17th century	From the manuscript collection of Giuseppe Almanzi (1801- 1860); his manuscript no. 213. His 322 medieval Hebrew manuscripts were purchased by the British Museum, October 1865 through Asher & Co, Berlin bookseller to the BM; inscribed, back flyleaf	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10661	Book (paper)	Johannes de Sacrobosco	Translation of Sacro Bosco, Sphaera Mundi. Italy,	23 x 35	16th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939). His manuscript Cod. G.19. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10721	Book (paper)	Abraham bar Hiyya	Abraham bar Hiyya, Byzantium	23 X 27	15th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939). His manuscript Cod. G.19. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 11796	Book (parchment)	anonymous	A series of calendrical and astronomical tables	26 X 43	15th Century	The manuscript was acquired by the British Museum by gift from the Inter-Allied Book Centre in April 1946. BM 1946-July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 9782	Book (paper)	Shem Tov ben Yeshu'a Hai	Metrical account of Calendar	18 x 24	1804	Manuscript bought by the British Museum from Luzac & Co. 9 April 1927 (inscribed on back flyleaf); BM 1927 - July 1973; BL since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 10878	Book (parchment)	anonymous	Treatise on music, Northern Italy	24 X 28	15th Century	Acquired by the British Museum from the estate of rabbi Dr Moses Gaster (1856-1939), His manuscript Cod. G.1220. Date of purchase 12 April 1924. BM 1924-July 1973; B: since July 1973	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Arundel Or 51	Book (parchment)	Menahem ben Saruq	Mahberet Menahem ... with additional commentaries	27 x 33	1189	The manuscript was purchased by the British Museum from the Royal Society together with 549 other Arundel manuscripts in 1831. BM 1831-July 1973; BL since July 1973.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	IO Islamic 3679	Book (paper)	Mosheh ben Maimon (Moses Maimonides), author; Shalom ben Ezra al-Anasi, Scribe	Maimonides' Guide for the perplexed. Yemen	36 x 52	1380	Dr Joseph Wolff who acquired the manuscript in the Orient and brought it to England. He passed it on to Sir Thomas Baring whose grandson Lord Northbrook deposited in the India Office in 1877; inscribed, folio [191'r & v].	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024
	British Library	Or 14061	Book (parchment)	Mosheh ben Maimon (Moses Maimonides), authro, Levi ben Yitshak Karo of Slamanca, Scribe	Maimonides' Guide for the perplexed, Spain	31 x 42	1374-1375	The manuscript previously belonged to the collecion of David Solomon Sassoon (1880-1942), and was acquired by the British Library in 1982.	State Library Victoria <i>Luminous: a thousand years of Hebrew manuscripts</i> , 13 Oct 2023 - 14 April 2024