

Antique Maritime Sextant, Brass, Admiralty, Naval, Instrument, Victorian, C.1900



## DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique maritime sextant. An English, brass admiralty three circle naval instrument, by J.Coombes of Devonport, dating to the Victorian period, circa 1900.

- Appealing Victorian scientific instrument
- Displays a desirable aged patina
- Brass shows sought after weathering and great patination
- Mahogany box in good order with fine grain interest
- Radius sextant moves around its arc to aid navigation
- Vernier adjustment with pleasingly knurled edges
- Folding UV filters to protect against daytime sunlight
- Broad mahogany handle to base for a secure grip in all weathers
- Inscribed 'J.Coombes. Opticians & amp; Admiralty Agent, Devonport'
- Carry case dressed with fascinating rotating latches
- Supplied with three original viewing scopes

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## DIMENSIONS

Max Width: 24.5cm (9.75") Max Depth: 22.5cm (8.75") Max Height: 10cm (4") Box Width: 27cm (10.75") Box Depth: 26cm (10.25") Box Height: 12.5cm (5")



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