Planimeters in the Classroom: Resources
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http://americanhistory.si.edu/collections/subjects. The planimeters owned by NMAH and other mathematical objects are gradually being added to the Science & Mathematics category.

http://americanhistory.si.edu/collections/object-groups. Protractors and sectors are among the mathematical instruments found here, in a mini-online exhibit format, with explanations of the group as a whole and individual catalog records. Dividers, drawing compasses, slide rules, and planimeters will be added soon.

Resources from Mathematics Instructors and Collectors


Academic and Historical Books and Articles on Planimeters


Hawkins, Nehemiah. Hawkins' Indicator Catechism. New York: Theo. Audel & Co., 1903. Discussion of the steam engine indicator, including descriptions of several versions of planimeters that were used to read the diagrams produced by indicators.


Museum Databases Containing Significant Planimeter Collections


