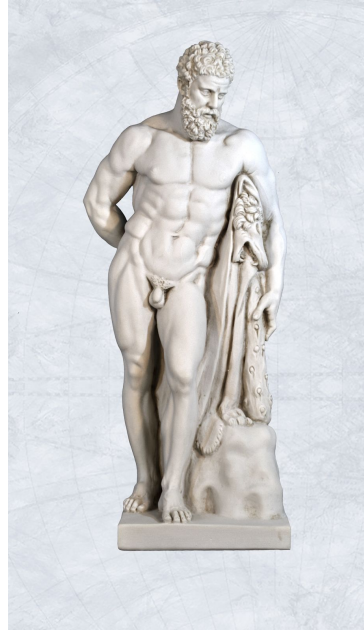


THE CITY OF HERCULANO



The foundation of the city was attributed to the hero Hercules. Herculano was a small coastal city that inhabited 4,000 habitants, most of the inhabitants were freedmen dedicated to fishing and wine production. In the first century b.C. Herculano suffered an urban revolution and they built large buildings such as the theatre, the great basilica, the thermal baths, etc. In the year 62, there was the first catastrophe, there was an earthquake that damaged the buildings of the city and now, Herculano had become a business city and the middle class obtained a great elevation.

image of Hercules

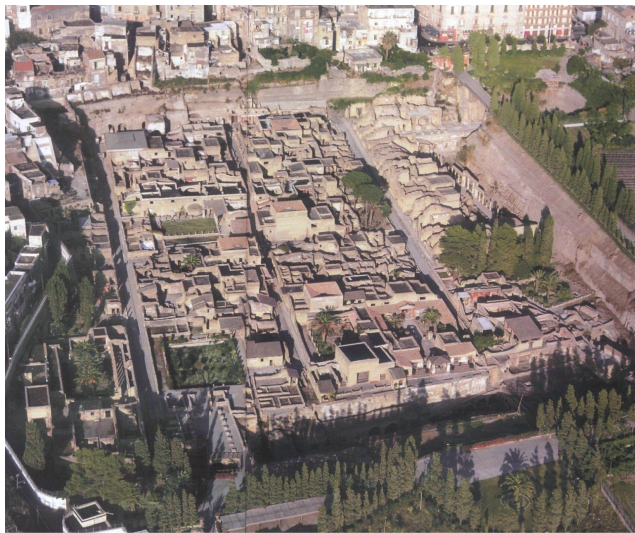
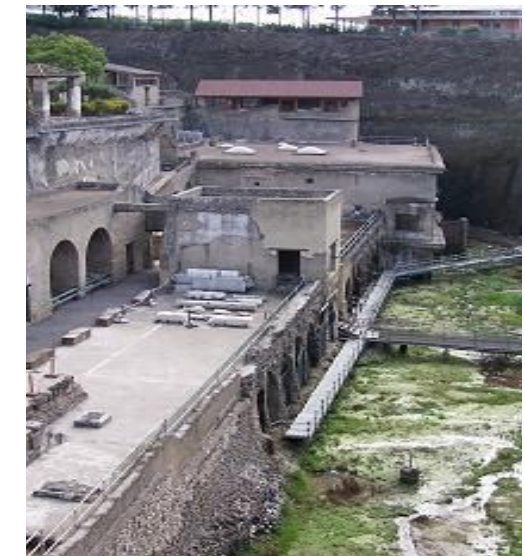


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"The fornices" :

They were the buildings that served as warehouses for the boats. They face the beach were built in the structures where the terrace rests.

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image of a fornix

