

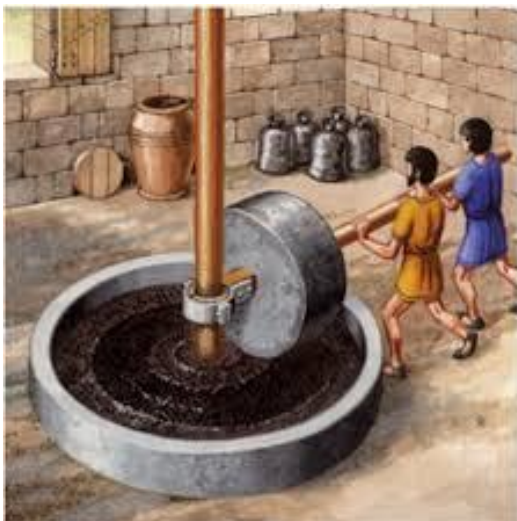
## The Roman legacy

Some of the contributions made by the Romans:

- Romans took advantage of the natural resources from the territories they conquered. They extracted large amounts of gold, silver and other metals of the Peninsula, and cultivated grapes (to make wine), olives (they were the first to make oil) and also planted grain fields.



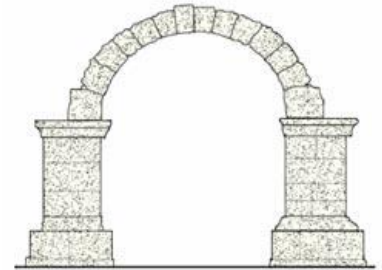
Also, they invented various agricultural innovations such as irrigation techniques (irrigation), the plow to remove dirt and make deeper grooves to facilitate planting, use of fertilizers, oil press, stone mills to grind grain...



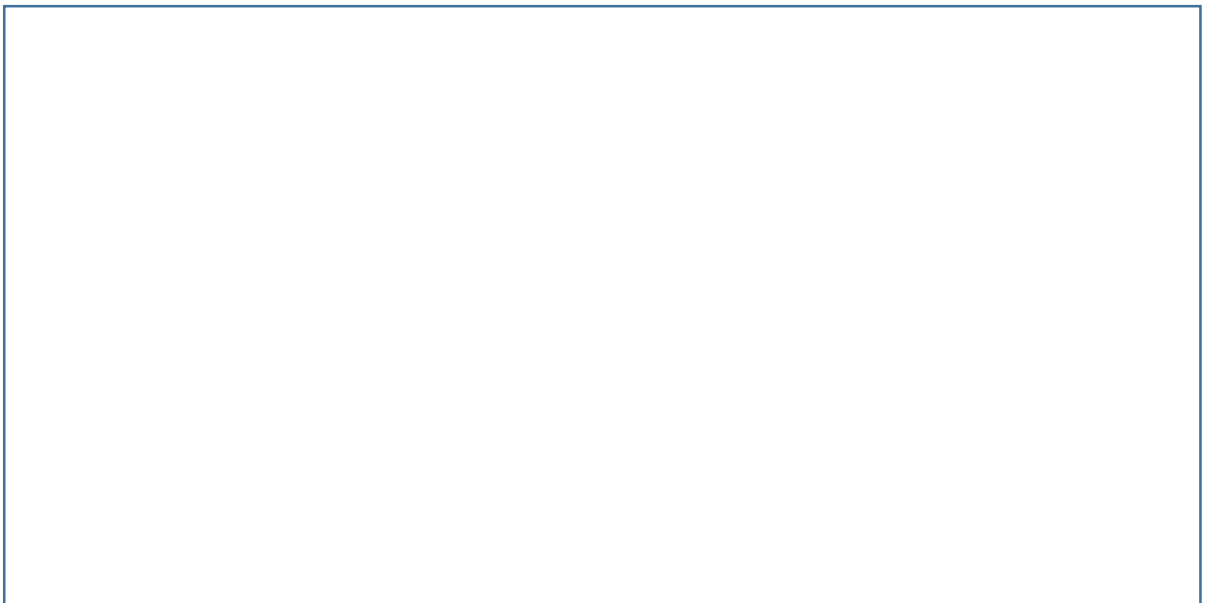
Other commercial techniques that were imposed: the system of weights and measures, the monetary system.

- Technical architecture: arches and vaults.

- In addition, they perform impressive buildings, and many of them have come down to us in good condition



To learn more: do you know what the technique of making a Roman arch was? Try drawing your own.





- Do you know how these grooves are produced? You can use a Roman instrument, explain how you think the Romans did.

Did you know ... The Roman foot is an ancient Roman unit of measurement equal to about 0.3 meters, a foot of the current imperial system?