

Magical gem: Anubis (A) στομάχου (B)

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ID-Number	GB-AshMus_1941.25
Collection	GB_Oxford, Ashmolean Museum
Inventory	1941.25
References	Henig-MacGregor 2004, no. 13.7
Former Collections	Way Collection
Material	haematite (black)
Dimensions	25 x 13.1 x 3 mm
Dating	4th c. AD (Henig - MacGregor)
Iconography	Anubis; vessel: situla; weapon: dagger; clothing: mantle; clothing: tunic; stars?



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A: Jackal-headed Anubis, to left, wearing tunic and mantle, holding a dagger in his right hand, and a situla in his left hand. In the free field around the figure, several notches (meant for stars?)

B: Inscription in four lines: στομαχου → στομάχου. 'For the stomach!'

Bibliography

[Henig - MacGregor 2004](#), 124, no. 13.7

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