

Magical gem: Anubis with globe and palm branch (A) characteres (B)

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| Material | jasper, green to black |
| Dimensions | 20 x 14 x 3 mm |
| Dating | 2nd century AD (MM Coll. website) |
| Iconography | Anubis; weapon: armour; stars (2); globus; plant: palm branch; crown, Isis- (?) |



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A: Anubis standing to front, head to left, wearing armour, boots and a crown (Isis- or lotus-crown?). Both arms extended, right hand holding a globe, left hand holding a palm branch. Stars at each side of the head (eight-pointed star on the left, six-pointed star on the right). Below the arms: letters (left) and characteres (right). Behind the lower part of the body, upside-down trapezoid enclosing letters.

B: Three characteres.

Bibliography

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