

# Magical gem: Helios driving quadriga, vocales (A) σθομβαιολη-logos (B) voces (C)

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<b>References</b>	Bonner, SMA D. 228; Michel, DMG, no. 22.4.b_6; Mastrocinque 2014, no. 391
<b>Former Collections</b>	Seyrig, Henry (Beirut)
<b>Material</b>	jasper, green to black
<b>Dimensions</b>	17 x 13 x 4 mm
<b>Iconography</b>	Helios; quadriga; clothing: tunic; rays (6); flail; gesture, greeting; stars (7)
<b>Divine Names &amp; Voces</b>	voces, unidentified; vocales; σθομβαιολη-logos



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**Description:** Transverse oval, both faces flat. Shape 8-9. Dark green jasper. Chipped along the edge. From Athens.

**A:** Helios standing on a quadriga, crowned with six rays, wearing a tunic, his right hand raised in greeting and holding the bridle of the horses and a whip in his left hand. Above and below: three-three stars, and an additional one behind Helios. Letters above each star: αη[ο]υω → vocales.

**B:** Greek inscription in five lines: σθομβ|αιογηβαολσθ|ομβ|αλλακαμ|σθομβ|αληθα|ενετηραχ → variant of the σθομβαιολη-logos.

**C:** Greek inscription running on the edge: σατραπορυ.σκτωεστριμυριλπιπων → unidentified voces.

## Bibliography

[Bonner, SMA on Cbd-1413](#)

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