

Magical gem: Ouroboros enclosing character, amphora and inscription

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References	Bonner, SMA D. 273; Michel, DMG, no. 55.5_1
Material	jasper, green and red
Dimensions	22 x 16 x 3 mm
Iconography	vessel: amphora; plant: branches; star; Ouroboros



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A: Ouroboros, head at top to left, enclosing a six-pointed star ending in rings, and an amphora with two branches. Below, inscription in two lines: εϑε|μ → εὐθ{έ}<ή>{μ}<νει>. 'Flourish' (Bonner).
B: Plain.

Bibliography

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