

Magical gem: Isis-in-Hydria? (A) Crowned figure on a pedestal (B)

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| Cbd-Number | CBd-417 |
| ID-Number | GB-BM-MMEu_G 432, EA 56432 |
| Collection | GB_London, The British Museum |
| Inventory | G 432 (EA 56432) |
| References | Michel, BM, no. 38; Michel, DMG, no. 9.1.a_2 |
| Former Collections | Blacas Collection |
| Material | jasper, green to black |
| Dimensions | 28 x 18 x 4 mm |
| Dating | 2nd c. AD (Michel) |
| Iconography | Isis?; crown, unspecified; jewellery: necklace; vessel stand; vessel: pitcher; wig; pedestal; clothing: kilt; hieroglyph, sa; vessel: canopus; figure, male |
| Divine Names & Voces | vocales |



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A: Basket on a vessel stand, containing the canopic figure of a three-breasted female facing right, wearing crown (atef or double feathers?) and a necklace.

B: Crowned male figure on a pedestal, to left, wearing a wig and a kilt. In his left hand: the hieroglyph 'sa', in his raised right hand: a pitcher. Inscription on the pedestal in two lines: αηυ|ου → The Greek vowel series (without ω).

Bibliography

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