

Magical gem: Ouroboros, uterus (A) ορωριουθ (B)

CBd-Number	CBd-4236
Collection	IT_Firenze, Museo Archeologico Nazionale
Inventory	15136
References	Mastrocinque, SGG II, no. Fi 99
Material	haematite (black)
Dimensions	14.5 x 11 x 2.1 mm
Iconography	Ouroboros; uterus, in the form of a cupping vessel; key (7-bitted)
Divine Names & Voces	ορωριουθ, variants



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Description: Side A upright oval, side B transverse oval, both faces flat. Shape 8-9. Black haematite. Chipped along the edge.

A: Ouroboros enclosing a uterus in the form of a cupping vessel with ligaments and a seven-bitted key below.

B: Greek inscription in two lines: ορωριουθξ → variant of ορωριουθ.

Bibliography

[SGG II](#), 72, Fi 99.

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