

Magical gem: Anubis with snake (A) Βαῖνχωωωχ, vocales (B)

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References	Michel, BM, no. 45; Michel, DMG, no. 26.1.b_7
Material	jasper, green to black
Dimensions	15 x 12 x 3 mm
Dating	3rd c. AD (Michel)
Iconography	Anubis; hieroglyph, sa; clothing: kilt/pteryges?; moon, crescent; wig; snake; stars (5)
Divine Names & Voces	Ἰάω; vocales; Βαῖνχωωωχ



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A: Standing figure of jackal-headed Anubis, to left, wearing kilt or armour and wig, and holding a snake in his left hand. In his right hand: the hieroglyph 'sa'. Around: stars and a crescent.
B: Inscription in three lines: βαινχωωωχη|ιαω → Βαῖνχωωωχ, vocales including Ἰάω.

Bibliography

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