

## Magical gem: Anguipes (A) voces (B)

<b>CBd-Number</b>	CBd-606
<b>ID-Number</b>	GB-BM-MMEu_G 1986,5-1,43
<b>Collection</b>	GB_London, The British Museum
<b>Inventory</b>	G 1986,5-1,43
<b>References</b>	Michel, BM, no. 208; Michel, DMG, no. 3.A.2.f_3
<b>Former Collections</b>	Ogden Collection
<b>Material</b>	jasper, green to black
<b>Dimensions</b>	15 x 12 x 4 mm
<b>Dating</b>	3rd c. AD (Michel)
<b>Iconography</b>	Anguipes, cock-headed; weapon: armour; weapon: shield; whip
<b>Divine Names &amp; Voces</b>	Ἀβρασάξ; Ἀβλαναθανάλβα, palindrome; Ἰάω; Ἄδωνάϊ?; Σαβαώθ, variants; λαρουριξυ



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A: Frontal view of cock-headed Anguipes in armour. Head to left. Whip held in the right hand, lower left arm hid behind a round shield. Inscription below the figure:  $\iota\alpha\omega \rightarrow \text{Ἰάω}$ .  
B: Inscription in six lines:  $\sigma\alpha\beta\alpha\omega|\alpha\beta\rho\alpha\sigma\alpha\xi|\alpha\delta\omicron\nu\epsilon\alpha|\beta\lambda\alpha\nu\alpha\theta\alpha|\lambda\beta\alpha\lambda\alpha\rho|\iota\omicron\upsilon\rho\iota\xi\upsilon \rightarrow$  voces including Σαβαώ, Ἀβρασάξ, variant of Ἄδωνάϊ?, variant of Ἀβλαναθανάλβα, λαρουριξυ.

### Bibliography

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