Magical pendant: Anguipes (A) Hecate (B)

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Material bronze

Dimensions diameter: 25 mm **Dating** 400-410 AD (Michel)

Anguipes, cock-headed; modii

(3); clothing: garment; weapon: daggers (2); torch, burning; torches (2); whips

Iconography(2); Hecate; stars (7);

clothing: mantle; weapon: sword; weapon: shield;

weapon: armour; thunderbolt



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A: Frontal view of a cock-headed Anguipes in armour, head to right, standing above thunderbolts. Right hand raised high and holding a short sword, left hand hid behind an oval shield. In the free field around the figure: seven seven-pointed stars.

B: Hecate trimorph wearing peplos and mantle, holding torches in her lowermost hands, daggers in the middle, whips in the uppermost hands. The three heads are adorned with modii.

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