

Magical gem: Chnoubis, χνουμιτ (A) Chnoubis-sign (B)

CBd-Number	CBd-700
ID-Number	GB-BM-MMEu_G 296, EA 56296
Collection	GB_London, The British Museum
Inventory	G 296 (EA 56296)
References	Michel, BM, no. 314; Michel, DMG, no. 11.2.b_19
Former Collections	Chester, Greville John (1830-1892)
Material	moss agate (white and green)
Dimensions	26 x 19 x 6 mm
Dating	3rd c. AD (Michel)
Iconography	Chnoubis-sign; Chnoubis, lion-headed; rays (9)
Divine Names & Voces	Χνουμίς?



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A: Lion-headed Chnoubis in profile, to left, with nine rays around the head. Inscription in the free field to the left of Chnoubis, running from bottom to top: χνουμιτ → Χνουμιτης? (S. Michel) or variant of Χνουμίς?
B: Chnoubis-sign.

Bibliography

[Michel, BM on CBd-700](#)

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