

Magical gem: Chnoubis (A) Χνουβίς νααβις βιενουθ, Chnoubis-sign (B)

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ID-Number	GB-BM-MMEu_G 214, EA 56214
Collection	GB_London, The British Museum
Inventory	G 214 (EA 56214)
References	Michel, BM, no. 323; Michel, DMG, no. 11.3.a_11
Former Collections	Chester, Greville John (1830-1892)
Material	moss agate (white and green); chalcedony, white to brown/grey
Dimensions	15 x 13 x 7 mm
Dating	3rd c. AD (Michel)
Iconography	rays (7); Chnoubis, lion-headed; Chnoubis-sign
Divine Names & Voces	νααβις βιενουθ and variants; Χνουβίς



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A: Lion-headed Chnoubis to left, with seven rays around the head.

B: Inscription in three lines: χνουβισ|νααβισ|βιενουθ → Χνουβίς, variant of νααβις βιενουθ. Below: Chnoubis-sign.

Bibliography

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