

Magical scarab: Animal-headed figure (A) scarab (B)

CBd-Number	CBd-925
ID-Number	GB-BM-MMEu_G 91, EA 56091
Collection	GB_London, The British Museum
Inventory	G 91 (EA 56091)
References	Michel, BM, no. 566
Material	amethyst (purple)
Dimensions	13 x 9 x 6.5 mm
Dating	1st c. BC (Michel)
Iconography	clothing: kilt; crown, atef; figure, with indistinct animal head; scepter, was; vessel: situla?
Divine Names & Voces	voces, unidentified



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A: Frontal view of an animal-headed figure, head in profile to right. The figure wears a kilt, upper body nude, head crowned with the atef, complete with ram's horns. Both arms lowered beside the body, right hand holding a situla (?), left hand holding a was-scepter. Inscription on both sides of the figure, around the edge: $\pi\alpha\epsilon\gamma\upsilon$ → unidentified vox.

B: Profiled as a scarab.

Bibliography

[Michel, BM on CBd-925](#)

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