

Scarab: Rat, lizard, lion (A) scarab (B)

CBd-Number	CBd-931
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Collection	GB_London, The British Museum
Inventory	G 354 (EA 56354)
References	Michel, BM, no. 572
Former Collections	Blacas Collection
Material	faience, green; faience (all colours)
Dimensions	17 x 15 x 6 mm
Dating	1st c. AD (Michel)
Iconography	animal: lion; animal: lizard; animal: rat?; concentric motifs



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A: Representation enclosed within a frame following the edge, resembling an Ouroboros, and divided into three segments. Top: squatting rat (?), to right; center: lizard from above, to right; bottom: lion, upside down, striding to left.

B: Profiled as a scarab.

Bibliography

[Michel, BM on CBd-931](#)

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