

	<p>Object: Byzantion</p> <p>Museum: Münzkabinett Geschwister-Scholl-Straße 6 10117 Berlin 030 / 266424242 ikmk@smb.spk-berlin.de</p> <p>Collection: Antike, Griechen, Hellenismus</p> <p>Inventory number: 18234888</p>
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Description

Front: Kopf der Demeter mit Ährenkranz und Schleier nach r.

Rear: Füllhorn (cornucopiae). Mittig ein runder Gegenstempel mit achtstrahligem Stern.

Countermarked: The impression left by a countermark punch. A tool that is used to punch into a coin subsequent to the original striking an additional mark or symbol that had meaning in the contemporary context of the coin - for example to mark a specific payment or to revalue a coin). Objects from early modern collections sometimes bear countermarks as a sign of ownership.

Basic data

Material/Technique:	Bronze; struck
Measurements:	Weight: 8.26 g; Diameter: 23 mm; Die-axis: 12 h

Events

Created	When	3. century BC
	Who	
	Where	Byzantium
Commissioned	When	
	Who	Meniskos
	Where	
Owned	When	
	Who	Friedrich Imhoof-Blumer (1838-1920)
	Where	

[Relationship to location] When
 Who
 Where Eastern Europe

Keywords

- Bronze
- City
- Classical antiquity
- Coin
- Gegenstempel, Erasionen u.a
- God
- Hellenistic period
- Mintmaster
- Utensil

Literature

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