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| | <p>Object: Sardis</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: 18231556</p> |
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Description

Front: Cista mystica mit halb geöffnetem Deckel, aus der sich eine Schlange herauswindet. Gerahmt von Efeukranz.

Rear: Zwei sich aufrichtende Schlangen, zwischen ihnen ein Köcher. Im l. F. außen Monogramm aus Σ , A, P (für Sardis), im r. F. außen horizontal ein Thyrsosstab.

Scratched: One or more scratches, intentional or unintentional. Can be the result of recovery or subsequent handling of a coin or medal.

Basic data

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| Material/Technique: | Silver; struck |
| Measurements: | Weight: 12.47 g; Diameter: 27 mm; Die-axis: 12 h |

Events

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| Created | When | 166-160 BC |
| | Who | |
| | Where | Sardis |
| Sold | When | |
| | Who | Felix Schlessinger (1879-) |
| | Where | |
| [Relationship to location] | When | |
| | Who | |
| | Where | Anatolia |

Keywords

- Animal
- Cistophor
- City
- Classical antiquity
- Coin
- Gegenstempel, Erasionen u.a
- Hellenistic period
- Silver
- Utensil

Literature

- F. S. Kleiner - S. Noe, The Early Cistophoric coinage. *ANS Numismatic Studies* 14 (1977) 78 Nr. 3 d Taf. 29,2 (dieses Stück, Serie 1, ca. 166-160 v. Chr)..