

	Object: Preußen: Herzogtum Museum: Münzkabinett Geschwister-Scholl-Straße 6 10117 Berlin 030 / 266424242 ikmk@smb.spk-berlin.de Collection: Neuzeit, 16. Jh. Inventory number: 18230890
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Description

Front: Brustbild Alberts im Harnisch nach rechts.
Rear: Der Preussische Adler mit S für Sigismund auf der Brust, dieses hier überdeckt von dem Gegenstempel (Doppelkreuz mit Haken) aus Danzig.
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.
Gilded: With an overlay (wholly or in parts) of a thin layer of gold. Process is not part of the regular production.

Basic data

Material/Technique:	Silver; struck
Measurements:	Weight: 2.02 g; Diameter: 23 mm; Die-axis: 6 h

Events

Created	When	1531
	Who	
	Where	Königsberg
Commissioned	When	
	Who	Albert, Duke in Prussia (1490-1568)
	Where	
Owned	When	

Was depicted (Actor)	Who	Benoni Friedländer (1773-1858)
	Where	
	When	
[Relationship to location]	Who	Albert, Duke in Prussia (1490-1568)
	Where	
	When	
[Relationship to location]	Who	
	Where	Brandenburg-Prussia
	When	
[Relation to time]	Who	
	Where	Eastern Europe
	When	16. century
	Who	
	Where	

Keywords

- Coin
- Gegenstempel, Erasionen u.a
- Groschen
- Heraldry
- Modern history
- Portrait
- Silver
- Weltliche Fürsten

Literature

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