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FOREWORD

This is the second volume of a projected series of publications in which it is proposed to describe “Inedited and Rare Ancient, Classical and Byzantine coins” drawn mostly from the Goussous’ collection which are permanently displayed at the Jordan Ahli Bank Numismatic Museum (JABNM), as well as notable rarities from the acquired collection of JABNM.

The advantages of publishing rare coins housed in the Ahli Bank Numismatic Museum and other collections is certainly important and of great benefit. There is a story behind each coin and each inedited coin has something to add to our knowledge. The material in this project is arranged chronologically to facilitate the compilation of a complete corpus of the coinages of each period .

The editors have included some coins that have been published before because these coins are inaccessible to many scholars as many numismatic publications are not available and some are out of print .

Subsequent volumes will deal with rare and inedited Islamic coins, weights and engraved gem stones from various civilizations.

A DEDICATION

The curator and staff of the Jordan Ahli Bank Numismatic Museum, wish to express their gratitude and appreciation to his Excellency Dr. Raja'i Muasher, Chairman of Jordan Ahli Bank and founder and sponsor of Jordan Ahli Bank Numismatic Museum.

The Chairman's patriotic stance, human sense of belonging and generous financial contributions have enabled the publication of this important catalogue "Inedited and Rare Ancient, Classical and Byzantine coins". The publication is the second in a series of numismatic catalogues published by the museum curator and staff in an attempt to share with scholars and the rest of the world these historical and cultural documents.

We submit this catalogue to his Excellency, a firm believer in human culture and its legacy, and whose high-level of interest and on-going support has enabled us to present to the community a museum worthy of its professional mission.

The curator and museum staff are currently in the process of publishing a third catalogue on Rare and Inedited Islamic Coins that will be out to the public in the near future.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

Ab.	=	Above
A.D.	=	Anno Domini
AE	=	Bronze or Copper
ANS	=	American Numismatic Society
AR	=	Silver
B.C.	=	Before Christ
BMC	=	British Museum Catalogue
Cf.	=	Confer
cuir.	=	Cuirassed
diad.	=	Diademed
dr.	=	Draped
ex.	=	Exergue
gl. cr.	=	Globus cruciger
gr.	=	Grams
INS	=	Israel Numismatic Society Journal
inscr.	=	Inscription
l.	=	Left
laur.	=	Laureate
mm.	=	Millimeters
No.	=	Number
Obol.	=	0.72 gm.
Obv.	=	Obverse
opp.	=	Opposite
outw.	=	Outward
Pb.	=	Lead
ped.	=	Pediment

Pl.	=	Plate
r.	=	Right
Rev.	=	Reverse
SNG	=	Sylloge Nummorum Graecorum
st.	=	Standing
Suppl.	=	Supplement
up.	=	Upwards
Var.	=	Variant
Vol.	=	Volume

KINGDOM OF LYDIA

KROISOS (Croesus) 560-546 B.C.

No. 1: AR, 15mm.; 5.4gr.↑
Obv: Foreparts of lion and bull.
Rev: Oblong punch, divided into two squares.
(Cf. Sear 1979 :320, No. 3420)
***Var**.



ACHAEMENID EMPIRE (549 - 330 B .C.)
Persian Imperial Coinage

The Kneeling Archer

No. 1: AE, 12mm.; 2.2gr.
Obv: Archer (The Great King) crowned, kneeling r., shooting with bow, inscr., in field SA
Rev: In square punch, pattern of geometric design in incuse.



No. 2: AR, 7mm.; 0.35 gr.
Obv: As last.
Rev: Galley



SAMARIAN COINAGE (Forth Century B.C.)

No. 1: AR, obol. 9mm.; 0.5 gr.↓
Obv: Horned head of monster facing.
Rev: Two dolphins, one above the other, the upper swimming to l. and the lower to r.



No. 2: AR, 16mm.; 3.5gr.↖
Obv: Double head, the first facing, the second in profile. Test mark (chisel cut).
Rev: Two winged griffins standing over two heads, above 𐤉
***Chisel-cut**



No. 3: AR, 9mm.; 0.5gr. →
Obv: Male head r.
Rev: Scorpion man.



SAMARIAN COINAGE (Fourth Century B.C.)

No. 4: AR, 13mm.; 3.2gr.
Obv: Male head r.
Rev : Madusa head, flanked by two goats, in field above,
***Chisel-cut**



No. 5: AR, 13mm.; 3.2gr.
Obv: Bearded male head l.
Rev : Paradise flower/ Phoenician palmette,within the volutes two birds, one in front of the other; dotted border.
Cf. Haim Gitler,Oren Tal, 2006 p.232 PL. LXXIII



No. 6: AR, 14mm.; 3.6gr.
Obv : Female head r., wearing earrings.
Rev : Female head facing, flanked by two female figures, standing in a shrine, in field r.,
***Chisel-cut**



THE PTOLEMAIC KINGDOM OF EGYPT

Cleopatra I (Wife of Ptolemy V, Epiphanes 204-180 B.C.)

No. 1: 33mm.; 27.4 gr.
Obv: Head of Cleopatra I, r., as Isis, with long curls, bound with corn.
Rev: Eagle l. on thunderbolt, wings open.
ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛ
(Cf. BMC, Ptolemies of Egypt 1882:93, Pl. XXII, NO.5).



THE SELEUCID KINGDOM

Antiochus IV Epiphanes (175-164 B.C.)

No. 1: 14mm.; 2.7gr.
Obv: Laureate head of Apollo r.; to l ., , to r., dotted border; serrated edge.
Rev: Naked Appolo seated l. on omphalos, holding arrow and bow, in outer l. field aplustre; dotted border, **ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ**
(Cf. SNG Israel I 1998: 157, No. 1126).



Antiochus IV Epiphanes (175-164 B.C.)

No. 2: 13mm.; 2.5gr.
Obv: Diademed bust to r.
Rev: **Brockage**, any coin which is mis-struck, but particularly applied to coins on which the same design is found in relief on one face and incuse on the other as a result of the preceding coin having remained on the die and left its impress on the next coin struck.



THE HASMONEAN DYNASTY

Alexander Jannaeus (104-76 B.C.)

No. 1: 14mm; 2.1gr.
Obv : Paleo-Hebrew (Yehonatan the King) between the rays of star with eight rays within diadem.
Rev : **Obverse brockage**.
(Cf. Hendin 2010: pl.14, No. 1150d)



No. 2: 14/16mm.; 2gr., Irreguler
Obv: Paleo-Hebrew (Yehonatan the King) between the rays of star with eight rays within diadem.
Rev: **Obverse brockage**.



No. 3: 13mm.; 1.2gr.
Obv: Paleo-Hebrew (Yehonatan the King) between the rays of star with eight rays within diadem.
Rev : **Obverse brockage**.



Mattathias Antigonus (40-37 B.C.)

No. 4: 13mm.; 1.9gr. ↘
Obv: Paleo- Hebrew inscription in wreath, (Mattaityah the Priest).
Rev : Double cornuacopiae with pomegranate between horns.
(Cf. Meshorer 2001: 220. No.38a; Hendin 2010: No. 1167)



THE HERODIAN DYNASTY

Herod Antipas (4 B.C.-39 A.D.)

No. 5: 19mm.; 3.7gr. ↗
Obv: Inscription surrounded by a wreath, **TIBE/PIOY**
Rev: **HPΩΔOYTETPAPΓ; LΛΓ** (year 33),
in r. field, Palm branch upright.



Herod Philip (4 B.C.-34 A.D.)

No. 6: 15mm.; 4gr. ↑
Obv: Draped bust of Livia r.,
inscr., **---IA CEBACTH** (Augusta Julia)
Rev: Hand holds three ears of grain,**(KAPΠ)**
OΦOPOC (fruit bearing), date **(LΛ)Δ** in fields.
(Cf. Hendin 2010: No. 1231)



No. 7: 15mm.; 2.2gr. ↘
Obv: Inscription surrounded by a wreath,
ΓAI/OKAI/CAP
Rev: Small bunch of dates hanging, in r. field,
WΔNYTETPAP



Herod Antipas (4 B.C.-39 A.D.)

No. 8: 14mm.; 3.9gr. ↓
Obv: Inscr., in wreath, **ΓAI/ΩKAI/CAP**
Rev: Cluster of dates; around, inscription starting on
top r., **HPΩΔ---- PAPXHC**, in field, date,
L ΜΓ (year 43):
(Cf. Meshorer 2001: 228, No.93)



Agrippa I (37-44 A.D.)

No. 9: 16mm.; 2.5gr.
Obv: Umbrella-like canopy with fringes,
BACIΛE
Rev: **Obverse brockage**.



THE NABATAEAN KINGDOM

Aretas II or III (*ca.* 110-96 B.C.) and Aretas III (*ca.* 90-62 B.C.)

All Coins are Bronze Unless Otherwise Indicated

No. 1: 17mm.; 3.6gr. ←
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r., careless style.



No. 2: 17mm.;3.8 gr. ↑
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l. holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r., careless style.
***Var**.



No. 3: 15mm.; 3.2gr. ↑
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., wearing short chiton, holding uncertain figure in extended r.



No. 4: 12mm.; 1.8gr. ↓
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Female figure; careless style.



No. 5: 15mm.; 2.6gr. ↗
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l.



No. 6: Pb, 15mm.;2.3 gr. ↗
Obv: Distorted head of Athena helmeted bust.
Rev: Winged Nike looking r.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 7: 15mm.; 3gr. ↗
Obv: Head indistinct, no letters.
Rev: Victory looking l., with one wing (at right), holding wreath with long bands (at left), no letters.



No. 8: 12mm.; 1.5gr. ↖
Obv: Strange, barbaric head r., with large helmet.
Rev: Victory (?) with one wing (at left), very poor stat of preservation.



No. 9: 13mm.; 2.3gr. ↑
Obv: Head of Athena r., with wavy band on helmet.
Rev: Victory, clear wide wings, no letters.



No. 10: 10mm.; 1gr. ↙
Obv: Laureate head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand; careless style.



No. 11: 15mm.; 2.8gr. ↓
Obv: Diademed head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in r. hand; careless style.



No. 12: 15mm.; 2.8gr. ↖
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in r. hand.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 13: 16mm.; 3.1gr.↖
Obv: Helmeted head r., large eye.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r.; in field l., crescent and letter **Λ** (A?)



No. 14: 14mm.; 3.3gr.↗
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r.; in field l., crescent; careless style.



No. 15: 16mm.; 3gr.↗
Obv: Helmeted head r. in filed l., x = 4?
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r.; in field l., crescent and letter **Λ** (A?); careless style.



No. 16: 18mm.; 3.4gr.↗
Obv: Helmeted Head r.
Rev: Female figure wearing long chiton, to the upper r. male head in profile, from the under type.



No. 17: 19mm.; 3.3gr.←
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., **Λ** from underlying type struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin). Traces of earlier impression still visible, head r.



No. 18: 21mm.; 6.4gr.↖
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike type, struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin). Traces of earlier impression still visible, head r.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 19: 17mm.; 3.7gr.
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r.; careless style.



No. 20: 15mm.; 2.5gr.
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike type, struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin); traces of earlier impression still visible.



No. 21: 17mm.; 2.9gr.
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike type, struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin); traces of earlier impression still visible.



No. 22: 21mm.; 6.1gr.
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Winged Nike type, struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin); traces of earlier impression still visible.



No. 23: 15mm.; 2.3gr.
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike type, struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin); traces of earlier impression still visible.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 24: 15mm.; 2.7gr.
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike type, struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin); traces of earlier impression still visible.



No. 25: Pb, 12mm.;1.8 gr.
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Bull jumping to left, with two clear horns, no letters.



No. 26: Pb, 12mm.; 1.7gr.
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Bull, jumping to left, above inscr. Not clear.



No. 27: Pb, 12mm.; 1.8gr.
Obv: Head r., looking like Zeus.
Rev: Bull jumping to left with head down, the horns visible, above the letters



No. 28: AR? 12mm.; 1.7gr.
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Bull jumping to left.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 29: AR? 11mm.;1.4 gr.↑
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Bull jumping to left.



No. 30: Pb, 14mm.; 1.6gr.↓
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Bull jumping to left, above inscr ʿbd



No. 31: Pb,12 mm.; 1.7gr.↖
Obv: Head r. indistinct.
Rev: Bull jumping to left, above inscr ʿbdʾ



No. 32: Pb, 12mm.; 1.8gr.↖
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Bull jumping to left.



No. 33: 13mm.; 1.7gr.↖
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l., hand and wreath in r.; careless style.



No. 34: 15mm.; 4gr.↑
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r.; in field l., crescent; careless style.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 35: 20mm.; 6gr. ↙
Obv: Head of Athena r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., struck on older coin (Ptolemias coin); above the wing at right **(B)AΣIAE**, left in field **Λ**



No. 36: AR? 12mm.; 1.4gr. ↖
Obv: Head of Aretas r., laur. (off flan)
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended holding an unidentified object, in field **Λ** (A?) / **o**



No. 37: Pb, 15mm.; 2.2gr. ↗
Obv: Unclear.
Rev: Victory to right, at left, one wing and arm down, and right arm extended holding uncertain object (tourch?)
no letters (off flan?).



No. 38: Pb,12 mm.; 1.6gr. ↘
Obv: Helmeted head, right, fairly clear.
Rev: Victory to the left, with her right hand extended, left hand holding a stick (?) upwards, one wing at right side of coin; no symbols.



No. 39: 15mm.; 2.9gr. ↗
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing left, holding uncertain object.



No. 40: AR? 12mm.; 1.8gr. ↙
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Winged female standing l., wearing long chiton, raising right hand, left hand on waist.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 41: AR? 15mm.; 2.3gr. ↗
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended, holding uncertain object.



No. 42: AR? 10mm.; 1.3gr. ↗
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., generally difficult to distinguish the details; careless style.



No. 43: AR? 13mm.; 2.1gr. ←
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended, holding uncertain object.



No. 44: AR? 12mm.; 1.6gr. ↓
Obv: Head of Aretas, r. laur.
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended holding an unidentified object, in field l, **o**



No. 45: Pb, 15mm.; 2.7gr. ↓
Obv: Head helmeted r., carless style.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in r. hand; careless style.



No. 46: Pb, 13mm.; 2.6gr. ↘
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand, and wreath in r.; careless style.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 47: AR? 12mm.; 1.7gr. ↗
Obv: Diademed head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand.



No. 48: Pb, 13mm.; 2.3gr. ↙
Obv: Head r., indistinct, off centre.
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended holding uncertain object.



No. 49: Pb, 15mm.; 2.2gr. ↗
Obv: Head r., indistinct.
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended holding uncertain object.



No. 50: Pb,12 mm.; 1.7gr. ↖
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Victory walking l., with her right arm extended holding uncertain object, left hand holding reed?



No. 50a: Pb,13 mm.; 2gr. ↗
Obv: Same as No. 50.
Rev: Same as No. 50.



No. 51: Pb, 12mm.; 2.2gr. ↙
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in l. hand and wreath in r., careless style.



No. 52: AR? 13mm.; 1.9gr. ↖
Obv: Head r.,
Rev: Victory walking l., with the right hand extended holding wreath.



Aretas II or III (ca. 110-96 B.C.)

No. 53: AR? 12mm.; 1.7gr. ↗
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Victory walking l., with right hand extended holding scepter? in left hand a wreath.



No. 54: AR? 14mm.; 2gr. ↙
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Victory walking l., with the right hand extended holding uncertain object, reed or branch over left shoulder.



No. 55: 15mm.; 2.8gr. ↙
Obv: Helmeted head r., with long hair falling to nape of neck.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object in right hand, in field l., crescent, careless style.



No. 56: 15mm.; 2.8gr. ↑
Obv: Helmeted head r.
Rev: Winged Nike standing l., holding uncertain object.



Malichus I (60-30 B.C.)

No. 57: AR, 22mm.; 6.9gr. ↑
Obv: Jugate busts r., of Malichus I and of the queen, in field H
Rev: Eagle standing l., around inscription,





Obodas III (30-9 B.C.)

No. 58: AR, 19mm.; 4.6gr. ↗
Obv: Zeus head r., rests on thunderbolt.
Rev: Head of Obodas III r., inscription
עבדת מלך נבטו שנת עשר
Obodas the King, Year ten.



No. 59: 13mm.; 4.9gr. ↗
Obv: Jugate busts r., of Obodas III and of the queen.
Rev: Eagle standing l., fragment inscription on r., ח on left, ס



No. 60: 14mm.; 3.1gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head of Obodas r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, ס; on l., ל on r., off flan.



No. 61: 16mm.; 3.2gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head of Obodas r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, ס; on l., ל on r., ח



No. 62: 16mm.; 3.4gr. ↗
Obv: Head of obodas r., in field l., ל
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, ס; on .,l ל on r., ח (incomplete).



No. 63: 18mm.; 3.6gr. ↖
Obv: Head of obodas r., to right **ס**, to left ח
Rev: Women (queen?) standing left, wearing long mantle with gridle, raising r. hand with palm extended, inscr., left, illegible, right, strange signs עבדת מלך נבטו שנת עשר



Obodas III (30 -9 B.C.)

No. 64: 20mm.; 5.9gr. ↑
Obv: Diademed bust of Obodas III r., with long hair reaching to shoulder, in field r., o, in field l., 𐢘
Rev: Women (queen?) standing left, wearing long mantle with gridle, raising r. hand with palm extended, around, inscr., [illegible]



No. 65: 25mm.; 8.7gr. ↑
Obv: Jugate busts r., of Obodas III and of the queen.
Rev: Cornucopiae; around inscription Obodas the King, King of the Nabataeans
[illegible]



Syllaeus (9 B.C.)

No. 66: AR, 9mm.; 0.9gr. ↗
Obv: Diademed head of Obodas III r., in field l., monogram no. 2, in Meshorer's list of marks and monograms.
Rev: Two letters in wreath 𐢘𐢘



No. 67: 13mm.; 1.9gr. ↗
Obv: Head of Obodas III r.,
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them a flower in field on r., 𐢘 on l., 𐢘𐢘



Syllaeus (9 B.C.)

No. 68: 15mm.; 2.3gr. ↗
Obv: Head of Obodas III right, to r., 𐨪
Rev: Two cornuoacopiae crossed; between them 𐨨 to r., wavy line, to l., 




No. 69: 15mm.; 3gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them 𐨨 in field on l., 𐨪




No. 70: 14mm.; 2.6gr. ↑
Obv: Head of Obodas III r., in barbaric style, diademed behind head 𐨨
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, o; in field on r., 𐨪 on l., 𐨨




No. 71: 15mm.; 2.9gr. ↑
Obv: Head of Obodas III r., in youthful style, behind head 𐨨
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, in field r., 𐨪 on l., off flan.




No. 72: 13mm.; 2.6gr. ↑
Obv: Head of Obodas III r., in youthful style, behind head 𐨨
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them, 𐨨 in field, on r., 𐨪 on l., **o**




No. 73: 15mm.; 3gr. ↗
Obv: Head of Obodas III r., in youthful style, behind head 𐨨
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them 𐨨




Syllaeus (9 B.C.)

No. 74: 14/12mm.; 2.4gr.↖
Obv: Head of Obodas III r., no letters.
Rev: Youthful bust draped, in style of the young Augusts.
* Both heads in high relief of Greco-Roman style.



No. 75: 12mm.; 1.7gr.↓
Obv: Head r., with long hair, type and head-dress indistinct, behind head
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 76: 14/12mm.; 2.6gr.↓
Obv: Head r., head-dress not clear, r., H ? l., off flan
Rev: Two Cornuacopiae crossed, in field on r., H on l.,



No. 77: 14mm.;1.6 gr.↑
Obv: Head r., laureate (incomplete), at right H
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, in field l ., F r., off flan.



No. 78: 12mm.; 2.2gr.↑
Obv: Head r., diademed? no letters.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed between them spear extending to below the cornuacopiae, in field on r., H on l., F



No. 79: 14mm.; 1.8gr.↖
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., laureate, at right, H at left F incomplete.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them, spear extending to below, in field, on r., H on l., off flan.



Syllaeus (9 B.C.)

No. 80: 13mm.; 1.8gr.↑
Obv: Diademed head of Obodas III r., in field 𐡇 l., off flan.
Rev: Two Cornuacopiae crossed; in field r., 𐡄 on l., 𐡇



No. 81: 13mm.; 2.4gr.
Obv: Diademed head of Obodas III r., in filed l., 𐡇
Rev: **(Brockage)**.



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 82: (Silver ma^{c}ah)*, 14mm.; 1gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., with long wavy hair hanging down on nape of neck, around inscr., 𐡀𐡓𐡕𐡕 𐡌𐡋𐡊 𐡍𐡁𐡈 𐡅𐡇𐡁 𐡏𐡌𐡄 𐡌𐡇𐡁 𐡀𐡓𐡕𐡀
(Aretas, king of the Nabataens the lover of his people.
Rev: Laureate bust of Huldu r., with veil coming down to nape of neck and to shoulders, wearing earring; around inscr., 𐡇𐡅𐡃𐡅 𐡌𐡋𐡊𐡕 𐡍𐡁𐡈 𐡔𐡍𐡕 𐡀
(Huldu, queen of the Nabataeans). Year …
*Sometimes denotes a monetary unit whose value was one twenty fourth of a dinar.



No. 83: AR, 10mm.; 0.9gr.↑
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., diademed, in field r., obliterated.
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat or Huldu r.



No. 84: (Silver ¼ drachma?), 10mm.; 1.1gr.↓
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., laureate, probably without moustache.
Rev: One letter in wreath 𐡀



Aretas IV (9 B.C. – 40 A.D)

No. 85: (Silver ¼ drachma?), 9mm.; 0.9gr.
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., laureate, probably without moustache.
Rev: Two letters in wreath



No. 86: (Silver drachma), 16mm.; 4.3gr.
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., with long wavy hair hanging down on nape of neck; around inscription
Rev: Laureate bust of Huldu r., with veil coming down to nape of neck and to shoulders, wearing earring; around inscription



No. 87: AR, 12mm.; 2.1gr.
Obv: Laureate bust r., in r. field,
Rev: Eagle standing r., on l.,



No. 88: AR, 12mm.; 2.1gr.
Obv: Laureate bust r., with curly hair descending to nape of neck, draped, on l.,
Rev: Eagle standing r., on l. field, on r. field



No. 89: AR, 11mm.; 1gr.
Obv: Laureate bust r., with curly hair descending to nape of neck, draped.
Rev: One letter in wreath



No. 90: AR, 14mm.; 4.4gr.
Obv: Jugate bust r., of Aretas IV and of Huldu, inscription /
Rev: Laureate bust of Huldu r., with veil coming down to nape of neck and to shoulders, wearing earring, inscr., /
(Huldu, queen of the Nabataeans).



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 91: AR, 16mm.; 4gr. ↗
Obv: Laureate bust r., with curly hair descending to nape of neck, draped, inscr.,  / 
(Aretas King of the Nabataeans)
(the lover of his people) in field r., **o**
Rev: Laureate bust of Huldu r., draped and veiled, with veil descending to nape of neck, inscr.,  / 
(Huldu, queen of the Nabataeans).



No. 92: AR, 16mm.; 4.5gr. ↗
Obv: Laureate head r.; in field r., **o**; in field l., 
inscr.,  /
Rev: Bust of queen Huldu l., veiled, in field l., **o**, r., indistinct, inscr.,  / 



No. 93: AR, 15mm.; 4gr. ↗
Obv: Jugate heads l., of Aretas IV and of queen, the former with diademed hair falling in curls on nape of neck, the latter draped, inscription  / 
(Aretas King of the Nabataeans)
Rev: Head of Aretas IV, with long curly hair, diademed falling down on nape of neck.



No. 94: AR, 12mm.; 1gr. ↗
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Victory to left, at right, one wing and arm down, right arm extended holding uncertain object.



No. 95: 13mm.; 2.9gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head r.; in field r., **o**
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 96: 15mm.; 2.2gr. ↗

Obv: Laureate bust r. with hair falling to nape of neck; field, on r. 𐤇

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 97: 18mm.; 3.5gr. ↗

Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, the king laureate, with moustache. In field r., ⊏, above inscr., 𐤇𐤅

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines.
Inscr 𐤀𐤓𐤕𐤅 / 𐤔𐤒𐤋 / 𐤋𐤈·

(Aretas / Shuqai / lat). The sign X = 4 is seen above the junction of cornuacopiae.



No. 98: 19mm.; 4.3gr. ↗

Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, the king laureate, with moustache, and with hair hanging down to nope of neck, above; inscr occurs in monogram, no.9.

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines.
Inscr., 𐤀𐤓𐤕𐤅 / 𐤔𐤒𐤋 / 𐤋𐤈·

(Aretas / Shuqai / lat). The sign X = 4 is seen above the junction of cornuacopiae.



No. 99: 16mm.; 3.6gr. ↗

Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, the king laureate, with moustache.

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines.
Inscr., 𐤀𐤓𐤕𐤅 / 𐤔𐤒𐤋 / 𐤋𐤈·

(Aretas / Shuqai / lat). The sign X = 4 is seen above the junction of cornuacopiae.



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 100: 17mm.; 3.6gr.
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and of Shuqailat,
the king laureate, in field, on r., 𐢤
Rev: Technical error in the striking in that the design of the obverse occurs twice, one in incuse **(Brockage)**.



No. 101: 16/17mm.; 3.6gr., holed.
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and of Shuqailat, the king laureate.
Rev: Technical error in the striking, in that the design of the obverse occurs twice, one in incuse
(Brockage).



No. 102: 18mm.;4.2 gr.
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and of Shuqailat, the king laureate.
Rev: Technical error in the striking in that the design of the obverse occurs twice, one in incuse
(Brockage).



No. 103: 12/19mm.; 5.1gr.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed between them above and below, in three lines, incsr., 𐢛𐢁𐢕 / 𐢛𐢓𐢤 / 𐢤𐢁 (Aretas / Shuqai / lat) **(Brockage)**.



No. 104: 15mm.; 2gr.
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Unidentified object, resembling bell with fringes, that look like five fingers hanging down and ending in drops; top of object off flan, below, inscr.,  (Hagra).



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 105: 13mm.; 2.2gr. ↙
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Unidentified object, resembling bell with fringes, that look like three fingers hanging down and ending in drops; top of object off flan, above, inscr.,  (Hagra).




No. 106: 14mm.; 2.3gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., with long hair hanging down on nape of neck, in field r., 
Rev: Unidentifed object, resembling bell with three beaded fringes, with a cross-like handle, below inscription () (Hagra).




No. 107: 11mm.; 1.9gr. →
Obv: Diademed head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Palm branch upright, a wreath encircled upper part and a band hangs down on each side of it.




No. 108: 13mm.; 1.6gr. ↖
Obv: Diademed head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Palm branch upright, a wreath encircled upper part and a band hangs down on each side of it.




No. 109: 12mm.; 1.7gr. ↙
Obv: Diademed head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Palm branch upright, a wreath encircled upper part and a band hangs down on each side of it, an arrow in the centre.




No. 110: 11mm.; 1.2gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head r.,
Rev: Victory walking l., with the right hand extended holding uncertain object, left hand holding a branch over left shoulder.




Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 111: 11mm.; 1.7gr.↖
Obv: Head r., (off centre)
Rev: Victory walking l., with the right hand extended holding a wreath, left hand holding a branch over left shoulder.



No. 112: 11mm.; 1.5gr.↖
Obv: Laureate head r.
Rev: Victory walking l., with the right hand extended holding a wreath, left hand holding a branch over left shoulder.



No. 113: 12mm.; 1.6gr.↑
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Victory walking l., with the right hand extended holding a wreath, left hand holding a branch over left shoulder.



No. 114: 12mm.; 1.7gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head r.
Rev: Victory to left, at right one wing and arm down, right arm extended holding uncertain object.



No. 115: 13mm.; 2.5gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., with inscription behind the head 
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed between them 



No. 116: 13mm.; 2.3gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r. in field r., o; in field l.,
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, with two pomegranates hanging down, in center 



No. 117: 13mm.;3.4 gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head r., in field r. off conter.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; with two pomegranates hanging down towards centre, in centre small



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 118: 12mm.;1.5 gr.↖
Obv: Within beaded circle; head of Aretas IV laureate r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; with two pomegranates hanging down towards centre.



No. 119: 15mm.;1.5 gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 120: 15mm.; 4.2gr.↗
Obv: Head r.shadow of letters, illegible
Rev: Before chin of queen letter H
legend illegible.
(Cf. Meshorer 1975. Sup 7)
*This type may be once have been silver plated.



No. 121: 14mm.; 3.3gr.↗
Looks like Aretas IV and queen, very badly preserved entirely illegible, no trace of possible silvered surface.
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 103)



No. 122: 15mm.;4.1 gr.↑
Silver coin made from bronze looks like Rabel II style, but could also be Aretas IV, entirely illegible.
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 103)



No. 123: 13mm.;2.7 gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; in centre date **X** (4); another **X** far below. In field l. below o
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 57)



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 124: 14mm.;2.5 gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, monogram no. 4 with shaft ending on top in two horns, in field r. monogram No. 6.



No. 124a: 14mm.; 2.9gr.↖
Obv: Laurate bust of Aretas IV r., in field r., H
Rev: Two cornuacopiae are crossed, between them, kind of shaft and ending on top in two horns, in field r., o, in field l., H
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 118A)



No. 125: 13mm.;1.7 gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, in the field, on r., monogram No. 6 and 1., No. 6.



No. 126: 6mm.; 1.2gr.→
Obv: Laurel wreath; in centre  monogram?
Rev: Eagle standing l., on r., H



No. 127: 11mm.; 1.3gr.↑
Obv: Completely unrecognizable.
Rev: Eagle left, in field r., H to l., H



No. 128: 10mm.; 1.2gr.↓
Obv: Laurel wreath; in centre H
Rev: Eagle standing r., on r., **o**



No. 129: 11mm.; 1.1gr.↗
Obv: Laural wreath, in centre H
double struck on the one side.
Rev: Eagle standing r., in field l., H



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 130: 13mm.; 2.2gr.↑
Obv: Head r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, monogram No.4, with shaft resting on, **o** and ending on top in two horns.



No. 131: 13mm.; 2gr.↑
Obv: Head of Aretas r., head-dress indistinct.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them, o



No. 132: 13mm.; 1.6gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two conrnuacopiae crossed, between them, **o** *** Var.**



No. 133: 13mm.; 2.1gr.↑
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., head-dress indistinct.
Rev: Two conrnuacopiae crossed, between them, **o** *** Var**.



No. 134: 14mm.;2.1 gr.↖
Obv: Within beaded circle; head laureate r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, **o** in field l., indistinct inscription.



No. 135: 12mm.; 1.7gr.↗
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., with o at right.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them **X**, in field r., 𐤇 l., o



No. 136: 15mm.; 2.1gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., with moustache, with 𐤇 at right.
Rev: Within wreath, inscription 𐤀𐤓𐤕𐤅(Aretas)



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 137: 15mm.; 2gr.↖
Obv: Laurate head to r.
Rev: Within wreath, inscription 𐢀𐢁𐢂𐢃 (Aretas)



No. 138: 12/10mm.; 1.5gr.↑
Obv: Head r., laureate, behind, x, right 𐢃
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them trident sceptre extending to below the cornucopiae, in field on r., 𐢃 on l., off flan.



No. 139: 15mm.; 2.6gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head r.; in field r., **o**
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; on long staff extending to below cornucopiae, a crescent? to r., of staff, 𐢃 to left



No. 140: 11mm.; 2gr.↗
Obv: Head laureate, looking left, with 𐢃 at left.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them 𐢃



No. 141: 14mm.; 2.1gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head r., with hair falling to nape of neck, on which inscr. occurs in monogram.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them **h**



No. 142: 13mm.; 1.3gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head r.; in field r., **o**
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them 𐢃



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 143: 13mm.; 2.6gr.↓
Obv: Laureate head r.; with long curly hair falling down on nape of neck.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them 




No. 144: 11mm.; 1.7gr.↑
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., laureate?
Rev: Standing female figure, raising r. hand, left hand holding uncertain object, to the left strange inscription 




No. 145: 13mm.; 1.4gr.↗
Obv: Head r., laureate.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.




No. 146: 13mm.; 2.3gr.↖
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., laureate, faint double -strike.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae parallel r., with palm-branch issuing from them, to l., in field,  on r. on inscr, **(Phasael)**




No. 147: 13mm.; 1.7gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae parallel l., with palm-branch issuing from them r.; in field, on l., 




No. 147a: 14mm.; 2.1gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae paralled l., with palm branch issuing from them r., in field l.,  in field r., 
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 63 A)




Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 148: 12mm.; 2.3gr.↗
Obv: Head r., laureate, at right H
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, caduceus? to its r., H , to its left **o**



No. 149: 15mm.; 1.7gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, o; in field, on r., H



No. 150: 15mm.; 1.7gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head r. double struck on the one side.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them o
* Double struck on the one side.



No. 151: 14mm.; 1.7gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 152: 14mm.; 2.6gr.
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., with technical error in striking, in that the design of the observe occurs twice, one in incuse.
(Brockage).



No. 153: 13mm.; 2gr.
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Same as obverse, but with technical error in striking, in that the design of the obverse occurs twice, one in incuse.
(Brockage).



No. 154: 12mm.; 1.4gr.↗
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Within wreath, inscr. (Quarter).



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 155: 13mm.; 1.8gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, pellet.
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No.73)
***Var.**



No. 156: 12.5mm.; 1.9gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head r.; in field r. H
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, pellet.



No. 157: 13.4mm.; 1.9gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head r.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, pellet.



No. 158: 12mm.; 1.6gr.↘
Obv: Head of Aretas IV right.
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat r., in field on l., ⊧



No. 159: 16mm.; 2.7gr.↖
Obv: Head diadem? careless style.
Rev: Bust of queen r., in field r., **o**



No. 160: 10mm.; 0.9gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head r., with long curly hair falling down on nape of neck; in field l., H
Rev: Within beaded circle veiled bust of queen; in field r., **o**



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 161: 11mm.; 0.7gr. ↗
Obv: Laureate head r., with long curly hair falling down on nape of neck; in field r., H
Rev: Within beaded circle veiled bust of queen; in field r., **o**.



No. 162: 11mm.; 1.4gr. ↗
Obv: Laureate head r.; with long curly hair falling down on nape of neck; in field l., H
Rev: Within beaded circle veiled bust of queen; in field r., **o**.



No. 163: 11mm.; 1gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head r., with long curly hair falling down on nape of neck; in field l., H
Rev: Veiled bust of queen r., in field r., **o**



No. 164: 11mm.; 1.1gr. ↗
Obv: Head of Aretas IV right.
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat r., in field on l., ⊧



No. 165: 9mm.; 1gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r. in field l., monogram?
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat (or Huldu?).



No. 166: 10mm.; 0.7gr. ↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat or Huldu? double struck on the one side.



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 167: 15mm.; 1.1gr.↗
Obv: Head laureate, right, off flan.
Rev: Veild bust of Huldu, left 𐤇, right pellet.
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: Pl. 7, No. 121)



No. 168: 12mm.; 1.2gr.↗
Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., in field on l., 𐤀
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat r., in field on l., 𐤀



No. 169: 11mm.; 1.5gr.↗
Obv: Head r., careless style.
Rev: Veiled head of Shuqailat r., in field l., 𐤀



No. 170: 15mm.; 2.4gr.↗
Obv: Bust of Aretas IV r., Laureate, two wings seen from the rear.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below in two lines, inscr., Shuqailat.



No. 171: 18mm.; 4.8gr.↑
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, the king laureate, with moustache.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; inscription between them, above and below, in three lines, to r. inscription:
𐤀𐤓𐤕𐤇 𐤀𐤐 𐤀
(* Double struck, to r. of the reverse name of the king is vissable).



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 172: 18mm.; 4.3gr.; ↗
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, the king laur., with moustache, and with hair hanging down to nape of neck; in field l., **X**; r.; off flan, above, off flan.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines Inscription: 𐢀𐢁𐢓𐢕 / 𐢀𐢐 𐢖 / 𐢕𐢍 (Aretas / Shuqai / lat)
(Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 112)
* **Var.**



No. 173: 11mm.; 1.3gr. ↖
Obv: Diademed head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Eagle standing left, on l., 



No. 174: AR, 15mm.; 3.8 gr. ↖
Obv: Within beaded circle; head of Aretas IV laureate, (off centre).
Rev: Eagle standing l., in field r., monogram? l., indistinct letter.



No. 175: 15mm.; 2.1gr. ↑
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, the king laureate, with moustache.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines, inscr., -  /  (Aretas / Shuqai / lat). Careless style.



No. 176: 16mm.; 3gr.
Obv: Two cornucopiae crossed type, struck on Jugate busts r. of Aretas and Shuqailat type.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them two lines inscription.



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 177: 18mm.; 3.4gr.↖
Obv: Jugate busts of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, multiple strike.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae triple struck and well centred.




No. 178: 11mm.; 1.6gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Within laurel wreath, inscription,





No. 179: 22/17mm.; (Oval) 3.5gr.
Obv: Jugate busts of Aretas IV and Shuqailat, multiple strike.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae triple strike and well centred




No. 180: 14mm.; 1.7gr.↑
Obv: Bust of Shuqailat r., draped and veiled, to r., ⊱
Rev: Eagle standing r., with wings spread.




No. 181: 14mm.; 1.3gr.↖
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r., within beaded circle, in field to r., ⊱
Rev: Eagle standing r., with wings spread.




No. 182: 12mm.; 1gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head of Aretas IV r.
Rev: Within laural wreath,




Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 183: 15mm.; 2gr.↑

Obv: Laureate head r.

Rev: Bull jumping r., inscription around, 



No. 184: 14mm.; 1.2gr.↓

Obv: Head of Aretas IV r., inscription around  within beaded circle, head.

Rev: Bull walking r.; in the field r., **o**



No. 185: 14mm.; 2.6gr.↑

Obv: Laureate bust of Aretas IV r., with curly hair, descending to nape of neck; around, inscr., 

Rev: Jugate busts l. of Aretas IV, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, and Shuqailat, draped; around, inscr.,  (Cf. Meshorer 1975: No. 103).



No. 186: 15mm.; 4.1gr.↑

Obv: Laureate bust of Aretas IV r., with curly hair, descending to nape of neck; around, inscr., indistinct.

Rev: Jugate busts l. of Aretas IV, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, and Shuqailat, draped; around, inscr., indistinct.



No. 187: 14mm.; 3.7gr.↑

Obv: Laureate bust of Aretas IV r., with curly hair, descending to nape of neck; around, inscr.  / 

Rev: Jugate busts l. of Aretas IV, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, and Shuqailat, draped; around, inscr., 



Aretas IV (9 B.C.-40 A.D.)

No. 188: 13mm.; 3.5gr.↑

Obv: Laureate bust of Aretas IV r., with curly hair, descending to nape of neck; around, inscr., indistinct.

Rev: Jugate busts l. of Aretas IV, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, and Shuqailat, draped; around, inscr., obl.



No. 189: 10 mm.; 2.3gr.,↑

Obv: Imperial bare head r.

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them 

* Is it a weight?



Malichus II (40-70 A.D.)

No. 190: 15mm.; 2.4gr.↑

Obv: Jugate heads of Malichus II and Shuqailat II r., the king laureate, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, the queen laureate; in round countermark **Δ**

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines, inscr., (Malichus / Shuqai / lat)



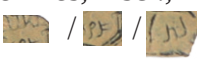


No. 191: 18mm.; 2.3gr. (No Obv. Or Rev)????
Double struck, the inscription (name of the king and queen is clear).



No. 192: 14mm.; 2.4gr.↑

Obv: Jugate head of Malichus II and Shuqailat II r., the king laureate, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, the queen laureate, in field r., 

Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines, inscr., (Malichus / Shuqai / lat) 

All within beaded circle.

* **Var**.



Malichus II (40-70 A.D.)

No. 193: 15mm.; 2.8gr. ↗
Obv: Jugate head of Malichus II and Shuqailat II r., the king laureate, with hair hanging down to nape of neck, wearing v-shaped ornament above fore-head, the queen laureate, in field r., 
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines, inscr., (Malichus / Shuqa / lat)  /  / 
All within beaded circle
***Var**.




Rabbel II (70-106)

No. 194: 16mm.; 2.3gr. ↑
Obv: Jugate portraits of Rabbel II and Shuqailat r., both laureate, head of Rabbel II with very long hair covering nape of neck, round countermark between jugate portrait.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, above and below, in three lines, inscr., (Rabbel / Shuqailat / his mother)




No. 195: 17mm.; 3.2gr.
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Rabbel II and of Gamilat
Rev: Very beautiful double struck on both sides.




No. 196: 17mm.; 3.4gr.
Obv: Jugate portraits of Rabble II and Shuqailat r., both laureate.
Technical error in striking in that the design of the obverse occurs twice, one in incuse **(Brockage)**.




Rabbel II (70-106)

No. 197: 13mm.; 2.7gr.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed between them in two lines (Rabbel / Gamilate) with technical error in striking, in that the design of the reverse occurs twice, one is in incuse **(Brockage)**.



No. 198: 15mm.; 2.6gr.↖
Obv: Jugate busts of Rabble II and of Hagru, a squre countermark could be on left of king's head.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed; between them, in two lines, above and below, inscr., (Rabbel/Hagru).



No. 199: 15mm.; 2.4gr.
Obv: Double strike, the first on centre the other off centre.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them. Inscr., [illegible] double struck.



No. 200: 15mm.; 2.4gr.↖
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Rabble II and of Hagru. double struck.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them inscr., [illegible] / [illegible] double struck.



No. 201: 16mm.; 2.8gr.
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Rabble II and of Hagru, double strike.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed between them inscription, double struck.



No. 202: 15mm.; 4.1gr.↗
Obv: Jugate busts r. of Rabbel II and Shuqailat, both laureate, round countermark on king's neck?
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them, above and below, in three lines, inscr., (Rabbel / Shuqailat / his mother).



Rabbel II (70-106)

No. 203: 16mm.; 2.2gr.
Obv: Two cornuacopiae, double struck.
Rev: Reversed and incuse **(Brokage)**.



No. 204: 11mm.; 1.0gr.
Obv: Within beaded circle, eight pointed star.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed, between them, above and below, in two lines inscription:





No. 205: 13mm.; 2.5gr.
Obv: Bust of Tyche r., draped, wearing turreted crown and veil.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 206: 14mm.; 1.6gr.
Obv: Within beaded circle, bust r., with hair falling to nape of neck (off centre).
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 207: 12mm.; 1.1gr.
Obv: Bust facing, within two beaded circles.
Rev: Within two beaded circles, doe standing r.



No. 208: Pb, 13mm.; 1.6gr.
Obv: Head r., bearded?
Rev: Head r.



No. 209: 25mm.; 5gr., Lead seal,
irregular in shape,
One side only, showing a fish swimming right, above an inscription (not clear),
(ש ע?ל?א ?) (ע?ג?א ?)



* This reading was conveyed to editors by Dr. Shmitt Korte during his last visit to Jordan Alhli Bank Numismatic Museum in 2010.

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COMMODUS (177-192 A.D.)

No. 1: 17mm.; 3gr.
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped.
Inscr., **ΤΚΟΜΜΟΔΑ**
*Uniface coin



Probus (276-282 A.D.)

No.2: 21mm.; 3.2gr.
Obv: Bust r., radiate and cuir.,
inscr., **IMPC PROBUS AUG**
Rev: (**Brockage)**.



A group of backed clay mould used for casting Roman bronze coins.



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*All coins are bronze unless otherwise indicated

CYRENAICA

Augustus (27B.C.- 14 A.D.)

No. 2: 26mm.; 10.4gr.↑
Obv: Bare head of August, r.;
CAEASAR TR POT
Rev: Sella castrensis with cushion on seat;
SCATOPR.
* Sella castransis: A backless seat in the form of X which could be easily folded for transport.




Given Augustus's **TR POT**, this issue was struck after 23BC. As it is a reflection of the new Augustan system introduced at Rome between 23 and19, Scato's issue may be dated between *c*.20 and 12 BC, the year of Agrippa's death (page 225) (Cf. Roman Provincal Coinage,1992, vol. I, part I, p. 228, No. 943, Pl. 53)

LYDIA: Apollonieron

Tiberius (14-37 A.D.)

No. 3: 17mm.; 3 gr.;↙
Obv: Bare head r., **TIBEPIOC KAIC-----**
Rev: Apollo standing facing, holding phiale and resting on lyre.
Inscr., **AΠΟΛΛ-----NIEPEITWN**




THE COINS OF THE DECAPOLIS AND PROVINCIA ARABIA

Bostra

Hadrianus (117-138 A.D.)

No. 1: 21mm.; 7.8 gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped; -------**TPAIANOC** ---
Rev: Bust of Arabia to front, head r., wearing turreted crown and mantle, blown out by the wind, holding in each arm small figure of seated child, below (A) PABIA




Antoninus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 2: 26mm.; 18.4gr.↘

Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped, in front oblong countermark, within which, Ξ

Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, chiton and mantle, standing to front, l. foot resting on crouching figure; r. resting on spear surmounted by trophy, in l.holding cornucopiae.
(Cf. Spijkerman 1973: No.5a).



No. 3: 27mm.; 15gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped, in front oblong countermark, within which, Ξ

Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, chiton and mantle, standing to front, l. foot resting on crouching figure; r. resting on spear surmounted by trophy, in l. holding cornucopiae.



Diva Faustina I (wife of Antoninus Pius)

No. 4: 12mm.; 1.1gr.↖

Obv: Veiled bust of Faustina I, inscription, **ΑΛCT** ----------

Rev: Three ears of grain fastened together in wreath, across field Δ X B



Commodus, Caesar (175-177 A.D.)

No. 5: 20mm.; 9.3gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., laureate insc., obliterated.

Rev: Bust of Dusares r., laur., wearing paludamentum, and cuirass, shown from the rear,
ΔOVCAPHC ΘEOC BOCT PHNWN



Commodus, Caesar (175-177 A.D.)

No. 6: 16mm.; 3gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laureate. bearded wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear, inscr., **KOMO ANTWNN**
Rev: Bust of Tyche r., draped wearing turreted crown, inscr., **TPBO CTPA**
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 29)



Charach Moba

Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 1: 21mm.; 5.4gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear, **AVKMA----**
Rev: Tyche, wearing Kalathos, chiton and mantel, standing l., r., resting on rudder, l., holding cornucopiae.
ΘΑΧΑΒΩΜ ΧΑ
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 2)



Gadara

No. 1: 17mm.; 3.9gr.
Obv: Bust of Tyche r., draped wearing turreted Crown and veil.
Rev: (**Brockage**).



Caligula (37-41 A.D.)

No. 2: 14mm.; 3.8gr.↙
Obv: Head right laureate.
Rev: Bust of Tyche r., wearing turreted crown and veil.
LPΔ= 104



Tiberius (14-37 A.D.)

No. 3: 17mm.; 3.7gr.↑
Obv: Head r., bare, **TIBEP IW KAICA**
Rev: Bust of Tyche r., wearing turreted crown and veil; at r., palm-branch, at l. cornucopiae? Inscr., r. **Γ--ΔAPEIC**, l. upw., LЧB year 92 (Cf. Spijkerman 1978 : No. 11)
***Var**.



Titus (79-81 A.D.)

No. 4: 17mm.; 4.9gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laureate, undraped. Beginning. r., above, **TITOΣKAICAP**. In ablong countermark, male bust right.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae in saltire; between horns, cruciform ornament, with pellet in each corner ⁜
Around, beginning r., above, **ΓAΔ PE ON**, above, **LZAP** year 137
* **O** for **Ω**



No. 5: 16mm.; 5.2gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laureate, undraped. beginning r., above, **TITOΣK-----AΣAP**.
Rev: Two cornucopiae in satire; between horns, cruciform ornament, with pellet in each corner ⁜ around, beginning r., above, **ΓAAPE NO** (sic), above, **LZAP** Year 137
* **O** for **Ω;** the letters **NO** are incused.



Marcus Aurelius (161-180 A.D.)

No. 6: 27mm.; 12.8gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laureate., wearing paludamentum, and cuirass, shown from the rear, **(AVT) AICMA------ANTWNINC**
Rev: Bust of Herakles r., laureate, lion skin knotted around neck, **---- ΓAΔA-----**



Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 7: 28mm.; 16.4gr.↑
Obv: Bust r. laur., draped
AVTKΛAVPKOMMOΔON
Rev: Within tetrastyle temple with pediment, Zeus nude to waist, seated facing, holding in r.,nike, lesting on long scepter.
In ex. **ΠΟΓΑΔΑ**; r., upw. off center, l. down w., **NΓMC**, in pediment **ΓMC**




Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 8: AR, 25mm.; 12.8gr.↙
Obv: Head r., laur., bearded.
AVTIKA----ANTWN-----CCB
Rev: Eagle, head l., between legs three graces in wreath **---- XEΞVΠATΔ**




No. 9: Silver ring, cross section 18mm; 7.2gr.
Charites,"**Graces**", **goddesses** personifying charm, grace and beauty.




No. 10: 26mm.; 9gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear. **AVTKAI ANTONEINO**
Rev: Bust of Herakle·s r., lions skin knotted round neck.**ΠOMΠHEWNΓAΔAPEWN**
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: 146-7, No. 74; Rosenberger Easten Palestine 1978: 47, No. 75).




Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 11: 25mm.; 8.4gr.↖

Obv: Bust r., laureate and cuirassed,
AVK---- NTWNIN

Rev: Tetrastyle temple, with pediment, inside seated figure to l. on throne with back, nude, wearing himation over l. shoulder and about lower limbs, holding in extended r. hand uncertain object, l . resting on sceptre, l. hand at his feet eagle?,
In ex. **--- ΑΔΑΡ**, r., upw., **IAAO I N**
In ped., BIIC = (date 282).



No. 12: 32mm.; 15.5gr.↗

Obv: Bust r., laur., slightly bearded , wearing paludamentum and curiass.
Inscr., obl.

Rev: Tetra-style temple, arcuated over inner columns, decorated with conches in pediment, inside seated figure to r. on rock, holding in extended r., uncertain object; r., bel.
River-god, l. small figure on pedestal (?)
In ex. **----- ΠΓΑΔΑΡ**; r., upw., ----- **T**; in pediment **--- ΠC**



Julia Maesa?

No. 13: 19mm.; 7.3gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., draped, hair in waves, taken up in coil at back of head. ---- **YAIAMA----**

Rev: Tyche in arch, turreted wearing girt chiton, standing r., r. foot raised on uncertain object, r. hand resting on sceptre, l. holding Nike tending wreath, at l. small figure on short column.
*Atributed to Gadara according to the reverse type.



Gordian III (238-244 A.D.)

No. 14: 24mm.; 6.8gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear, inscr., **AVKKMA ΔN TWΓORΔIA**



Rev: Herakles, wearing short tunica and boots, standing r., l. hand resting on cysta placed upon column, from which two snakes emerge, r. extended, holding club? At r., lion jumping up against the column; at l., small animal, standing l. In ex., obl., r., upw., **---WN**. l., upw., **------MII**, above, **Γ T**
***This face is double struck.**
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No.80)
***Var**.

Gerasa

Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 1: 19mm.; 3.7gr.↘

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum, and cuirass, shown from the rear. **MO ΔOC….ANTONINO**



Rev: Tyche,wearing turreted crown and long chiton, seated l., on rock, upper part of body turned r. holding in both hands ears of barely, below, half-figure of river god swimming l., in round countermark incuse o. **ANTWIP OXTWIIP**

No. 2: 14mm.; 2 gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., Inscr. **----TI--ΛTON**



Rev: Bust of Artemis-Tyche, quiver behind shoulder. Inscr., **TVXΓ**

No. 3: 10mm.; 0.4gr.↘

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear. Inscr., **ΛTC**



Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown and long chiton, seated l., on rock, upper part of body turned r., both hands resting on rock. Inscr., **ATC**

Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 4: 9mm.; 0.6gr.↖
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded,wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear. Inscr., **M---**
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown and long chiton, seated l. on rock, upper part of body turned r., both hands resting on rock. Inscr., **ΓE**



No. 5: 10mm.; 0.7 gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear. Inscr., **AT-----**
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil and long chiton, seated l. on rock, upper part of body turned r. , holding in both hands ears of barely, below, half-figure of river-god, swimming l. Inscr., **AN--------**



No. 6: 21mm.; 9.9gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear; Insc., **AVPANT**
Rev: Tyche on l., turreted, wearing long chiton, resting r. on rudder, l. holding cornucopia, facing, looking l., standing on reed; behind he ron r., male figure, togated, facing looking l., resting r., on spear, l. holding scepter; **(AN)TWIIP PTWIIPΓE**



No. 7: 15mm.; 1.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear; **(K)OMMOΔ--- ANTWNIN**
Rev: Bust of Artemis-Tyche r., draped, hair in chignon at back of head quiver at shoulder, **NTΓ---C**



Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 8: 28mm.; 17.4gr.↘
Obv: Youthful bust r., laur., wearing pludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear. **…KAI(M) AVPANTWN**
Rev: Artemis- Huntress, hair in chignon, wearing short chiton, girt at waist, and boots, advancing r., holding bow in l., with r., drawing arrow from quiver, at her feet, hound running r, **AΓAPTEMICTYXH ΓEPACW**



Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 9: 33mm.; 9.2gr.↑
Obv: Bust r,. laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear.
AVTKAIMAVP ANTWNEINOC
Rev: Bust of Alexander the Great r., diademed, undraped.
ΑΛΕΞΜΑΚΚΤΙ ΓΕΡΑCWN



Julia Domna

No. 10: 22mm.; 9.5 gr.;↘
Obv: Bust r., draped, hair waved and carried in plait up back of head, **IOVΛIA AVΓOCTA**
Rev: Bust of Artemis-Tyche r., draped, hair in Chignon, quiver at shoulder,
ΑΡΤΕΜΙCTVXΗΓΕΡΑCWN



No. 11: 24mm.; 10.8gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., draped, hair in chignon
IOVΛIΛ AVΓO……
Rev: Bust of Artemis- Tyche r., draped, hair in chingnon quiver at shoulder
ΑΡΤΕΜΙCTVXΗΓΕΡΑCWN



No. 12: 23mm.; 8.6gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., draped, hair in waves, hanging down on back of neck
IOVΛIA….MNA AVΓOS
Rev: Bust of Artemis – Tyche r., draped, hair in chingnon quiver at shoulder.
…ΡΤΕΜΙCTVXΗΓΕΡΑCWN



Nysa-Scythopolis

Marcus Aurelius (161-180 A.D.)

No. 1: 25mm.; 11.2gr.↖

Obv: Bust r., laur., draped
Inscr., **AYTKACMV--------**

Rev: Dionysus nude, except for chlamys over his shoulder, standing to l., holding thyrsus with his l. hand and pouring wine from a cantharus held in his r. for a panther sitting l., his head turned back; from top l.,---- **OI--CVPIAC**; in the l. field**,**
ET/ZK/C
(Cf. Barkay 2003: 204, No. 21a)
***Var.**



Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 2: 22mm.; 6.9gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., bearded, laur., undraped.
Inscr., obl.

Rev: Dionysus nude, tailed, walking to l., and l. hand holding indistinct objects (corybante?). **NVCKIEACV** **ϚMC** = 246



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 3: 21mm.; 12.4gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., from bottom l., **AVTKMA----**

Rev: Dionysus nude, except for chlamys and cothurni, striding to r., holding an inverted thyrsus in his upraised r. hand, and with his l. grasping the hair of a small figure turning to r.; on the l., panther seated l., turning its head to r., from bottom l.,
NVACK----NOW
(Cf. Barkay 2003: 222, No. 75)
***Var.**



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 4: 23mm.; 11.8gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped, from bottom l., **----KMAANT---**
Rev: Tyche-Nysa, wearing a long chiton and turreted crown, seated r. on high-backed chair, cradling the infant Dionysus, from bottom l., **N------PAAC**; in exergue, **BIIC=282**
(Cf. Barkay 2003: 219, No. 66)



No. 5: 22mm.; 10.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped.
Inscr., obl.
Rev: Tychy-Nysa, wearing turreted crown and long chiton, seated r. on a high backed chair, cradling the infant Dionysus; from bottom l., **AVPOIIV----**
(Cf. Barkay 2003: 222, No. 74a)



No. 6: 21mm.; 7.9 gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped.
From bottom l., **YT(K)MAA--------**
Rev: In four lines within wreath
IINVC
ACKV
OIIO
ΛCI
(Cf. Barkay 2003: No. 76; Meshorer 1981: No. 1052, Pl. 35)



Gordian III (238-244 A.D.)

No. 7: 25mm.; 11.4gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped,
from bottom l., **AVTKMA-------CCE**
Rev: Tyche-Nysa, wearing a long chiton and turreted crown, seated r. on high-backed chair, cradling the infant Dionysus, from bottom l.,
CKYΘOIIICOΛCV
(Cf. Barkay 2003: No. 79a)



Gordian III (238-244 A.D.)

No. 8: 25mm.; 12gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass. Inscr., obl.
Rev: Young Dionysos, nude but for chlamys flying behind him, advancing r., r. hand holding thyrsus transversally, point downwards, l. hand extended down, below owl r., l., panther looking upwards, **NVC C**----------in field l., **Δ**
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 59)



Petra

No. 1: 12mm.; 1.3gr.↓
Obv: Female bust r., draped and veiled, uncertain headdress(turreted?).
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed**.**



No. 2: 11mm.; 0.3gr.↓
Obv: Female bust r., draped and veiled, uncertain headdress (turreted?).
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 3: 12mm.; 1.9gr.↘
Obv: Femal bust r., draped and wearing turreted crown and veil.
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 4: 11mm.; 1.2gr.↘
Obv: Female bust r., draped and veiled, uncertain headdress (turreted?).
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



No. 5: 14mm.; 1.7gr.↓
Obv: Female bust r., draped and veiled, uncertain headdress (turreted?).
Rev: Two cornuacopiae crossed.



Hadrianus (117-138 A.D.)

No. 6: 25mm.; 8.4gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laureate, wearing paludementum and cuirass, in round countermark, bust r., in second round countermark, **B**
From bottom l., **ΚΑΙCΑΡΤΡΑΙΑ**
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with l. holding trophy, from bottom l., **ΤΡΑΜΗ**



No. 7: 11mm.; 2.8gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from in profile,
ΑΥΤΚΑ ΑΑΔΡΙ CΕΒ
Rev: Laurel-wreath, tied at bottom; within, inscription in three lines,
ΑΔΡΙΑΝΝ
ΠΕΤΡΜΠ
ΤΡΟΠΟΛΙC



No. 8: 24mm.; 11gr.
Obv: Flan completely blank.
Rev: In round countermark, **B**
In second round countermark, bust r.
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No: 5)
* The two countermarks on same face.



No. 9: 26mm.; 7.4gr.
Obv: In round countermark, bust r., in second round countermark, **B**
Rev: In round countermark, bust r. In field,
ΔΣ
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No: 5).



No. 10: 23 mm.; 6.6gr.
Obv: Flan completely blank.
Rev: In round countermark, **B**
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No: 5)



Antoniuus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 11: 12mm.; 2.1gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown in profile,
AYT ANTWNINOC

Rev: Laural-wreath, tied at bottom, within, inscription in three lines:
AΔPΔ
EΠPAM
TPOΠ



No. 12: 15mm.; 2.2gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown in profile, **AYKTAIΛ-----**

Rev: Laurel-wreath, tied at bottom, within, inscription in three lines:
AΔPΠ
ETPAM
ΠTPOΠ



Marcus Aurelius and Lucius Verus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 13: 20mm.; 3.4gr.↓

Obv: Busts confronted, bare headed, bearded and draped. In round countermark, **B**

Rev: Bust of Tyche r., draped wearing turreted crown and veil; marginal legend **ΔPΠΠETP…HTPOΠO**



No. 14: 24mm.; 12.4gr.↓

Obv: Emperors,wearing toga, standing facing one another, and clasping r. hands; **AYTAN ----**
OYHPOCCEB

Rev : Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton, and mantle, stanging l. sacrificing with phiale in r. over horned altar, in l. holding trophy, **------ΠΠETPΛ MHTPOΠOΛ**



Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 15: 19mm.; 5.9gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped, in round countermark, **B**
AYTKCMMOΔ ANTO C

Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with l. holding trophy.
In round countermark, B
Inscr., **AM T POΠO**



Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 16: 20mm.; 4.6gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laureated, undraped . In round countermark, **B., AVTO-------**
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with l. holding trophy. Inscr., **ΑΔΡΙΙΕΤΡΑΜ ΗΤΡΟΙΙΟ**



No. 17: 18mm.; 3.6gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped, **AYTKOMMOΔ ANTW(NIN) OC**
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil long chiton and mantle; seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with left holding trophy. In round countermark, **B**
ΑΔΡΙΙ-----Μ ΗΤΡΟΙΙΟ
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 23)



No. 18: 20mm.; 5gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped, **AYTKOMMOΔ ANTWNINOC**
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with l. holding a very small trophy. In round countermark, **B**
ΑΑΡΙΙΕΤΡΑ ΜΗΤΡΟΙΙΟΛ
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 23)



No. 19: 23mm.; 8.7gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laureated, draped. In round countermark, **Δ**
ΝΟΙΧΤΟ…. Α?
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with l., holding trophy. From bottom l., **ΜΗΤΡΟΙΙ r. ---Ο---**



No. 20: 21mm.; 5.6gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, draped, in round countermark Γ
ΤΚΟΜΜΟΔ ---ΑΝΤ-----
Rev: Bust of Tyche r., turreted and veiled, supported by eagle standing to front, wings displayed, head r.
Inscr., **ΡΙΙΕΤΡΑ ----- ΡΟΙΙΟ**



Septimius Severus (193-211 A.D.)

No. 21: 25mm.; 8.8gr.↘

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped. Inscr., **K. CIITICOY HPOCIIEPC-**

Rev: Tyche, standing? wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy. Inscr., **AΔPIIETPA (M) HTPOIIOΛ**




No. 22: 26mm.; 11.8gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear, in round countermark ϵ **Π----OVH--------POC**

Rev: Within distyle temple, ornament in pediment, Tyche, in usual attire, seated l., in extended r. holding small stele? with l. holding trophy, l. downward, **AΔ-----**, in ex., **Π-----**, upward, **MHTP**




No. 23: 20mm.; 7.7gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear

Rev: Tyche in usual attire, seated on rock, in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy? inscription from l. upward, **AΔPIIET**




No. 24: 23mm.; 9.4gr.↙

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear. Inscr. obl.

Rev: Tyche, in usual attire, seated l. on rock, in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy. Inscr., **AΔ ----- MHTP**




Julia Domna (wife of Septimius. Severus)

No. 25: 20mm.; 8.6gr.↘

Obv: Bust r., draped, hair waved and carried in plait up back of head. CBIO

Rev: Within distyle temple with pediment, Tyche, in usual attire, seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy; uncertain object in pediment; beginning above on l., **AΔPI**




Julia Domna (wife of Septimius Severus)

No. 26: 27mm.; 13.8gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., draped, hair in waves, in round countermark ϵ
Inscr., **IOYAIA CEBA**-----
Rev: Within distyle temple with pediment, Tyche in usual attire, seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy; in pediment, pellet. Inscription l., **AΔP**, in ex., **IIETPA**, r., upw. **MHT**



No. 27: 20mm.; 7.5gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., in round countermark, **Δ**
Inscr. obl.
Rev: In distyle temple, City-goddess seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with left holding trophy.
Inscr., obl.



No. 28: 20mm.; 7.5gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., draped, hair waved and carried in plait up back of head. Inscr., **- - - - - -IOVΛΔ- - - - --**
Rev: Within distyle temple, with pediment, Tyche in usual attire, seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with left holding trophy.
Inscr. obl.
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 40)
* **Var**.



No. 29: 20 mm.; 7.5gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., in round countermark, **Δ**
Inscr. obl.
Rev: In distyle temple, City-goddess seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with left holding trophy.
Inscr. in ex., **IIETP**
*__Var__.



No. 30: 21 mm.; 7gr.↖
Obv: Bust r., draped, hair waved and carried in plait up back of head. In round countermark, **Δ** Inscr. obl.
Rev: Within distyle temple with pediment, Tyche, in usual attire, seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy.
Inscr. l., **AΔP**



Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 31: 28 mm.; 15.4gr. ↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped, in round countermark **E**, in second countermark, male bust r., inscr., **---ANT-----**

Rev: Within distyle temple with pediment, Tyche in usual attire, seated l., in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy; Inscr., in ex., **IIETPA**; r., upw., **MHT**



No. 32: 22mm.; 6.9gr. ↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from in front, holding trophy. Inscr., **NON---AP-----**

Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, veil, long chiton and mantle, seated l. on rock, r. extended open, with l. holding trophy. Inscr., barbarous style. (Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 43a) ***Var**.



No. 33: 23mm.; 14gr. ↑

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing cuirass shown from in front holding trophy. Inscr. illegible.

Rev: Tyche, in usual attire, seated l. on rock, in extended r. open with left holding trophy. Inscr., **-------IIET**



No. 34: 24mm.; 8.5gr. ↖

Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear. **MAVP ANTWN**

Rev: Within tetrastyle temple with pediment, Zeus wearing himation round lower limbs and over l. shoulder, seated l. on throne, holding in r. eagle? l. holding trophy at his feet, eagle? Inscr., l., **AΔPI** in ex., **ETPA** r. upw., **MHT**, in pediment winged pellet?



Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 35: 24mm.; 8.8gr.
Obv: Flan nearly blank, in round countermark, male bust r., in second round countermark, **B**
Rev: Flan nearly blank



Geta (209-212 A.D.)

No. 36: 21mm.; 7.5gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum, and cuirass, shown from the rear, in round countermark, **Δ**. Inscription, **ΓΕΤΑ**
Rev: Within distyle temple, with pediment, Tyche in usual attire, seated l., in r. holdimg small stele, with l. holding trophy, in pediment pellet, inscr. l.downward, **ΑΔΡΙ**
* Marginal legend, reversed.



No. 37: 25 mm.; 13.4gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, undraped; in round countermark, male bust r., **ΓΕΤΑC**
Rev: Within distyle temple with pediment, Tyche in usual attire, seated l. in extended r. holding small stele, with l. holding trophy; in pediment, pellet,l. downw., **ΑΔΡΙ**, in ex., **ΠΕΤΡ**-----, r. upw., off center.



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 38: 17mm.; 4.2gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laureate.
Rev: The Emperor ploughing to l. with ox; marginal legend, reversed.



No. 39: 21mm.; 7.7gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing cuirass and paludamentum, seen from the rear, in ex., o
Inscr.,----**A NTWIN**
Rev: The Emperor ploughing to l. with ox; marginal legend, reversed.



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 40: 21mm.; 6.5gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped, in round countermark, Є
Rev: Founder, togate, r. hand raised, ploughing r. with pair of oxen.
Above, **PETΛ**, in ex. **COLO** И



No. 41: 20mm.; 6.2gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped
Inscr.,-----**PCMAVP**--------
Rev: Founder, togate, l. hand raised, ploughing l. with pair of oxen.
* Inscription and oxen reversed.



No. 42: 20mm.; 5.9gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped
Rev: Inscription and oxen reversed.
*Over struck on unknown older type.



No. 43: 17mm.; 4.2gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped
Inscr.,----**PANT**-------
Rev: Founder, togate, r. hand raised, ploughing r. with pair of oxen.
* Above oxens round countermark within, male bust; in ex., **COLONI**



No. 44: 18mm.; 6.5gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur. undraped
Inscr.,-----**ANTONIN**-----
Rev: Founder, togate, r. hand raised, ploughing r. with pair of oxen. In ex., **COLONI**
In centre, in round countermark, male bust.



No. 45: 20mm.; 6.2gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear.
Inscr., **IMPC**----------
Rev: Founder, togate, r. hand raised, ploughing l. with pair of oxen.
Iscription and oxen reversed.



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 46: 17mm.; 2.4gr. ↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped
Rev: Founder, r. hand raised, ploughing r. with pair of oxen. Inscr., **PET-----**
*An off-center second strike over an over-strike makes two heads appear in profile;



Philadelphia

Quasi- autonomous

No. 1: 15mm.; 2gr. ↑
Obv: Bust of Pallas Athena r., draped, wearing crested helmet, spear on l. shoulder, from r. above, **ΦΙΛΑ**
Rev: Within a laurel-wreath, tied below and with medallion at top, date in three lines,
ЄТ / ОУС / ƧМУ



Titus (79-81 A.D.)

No. 2: 17mm.; 12.8 gr.
Obv: Bust r., laureate, undraped. inscr.,**---ΚΡΑ(Τ)Ω**
Rev: **(Brockage)**.



Domitianus (81-96 A.D.)

No. 3: 22mm.; 11.4gr. ↖
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped. In round countermark, male bust r., bareheaded, above, a second curved countermark?
Rev: Bust of Tyche r., wearing turreted crown.



Commodus Caesar (175-177 A.D.)

No. 4: 22mm.; 6.1gr. ↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear, **ΑVΤ.ΚΟ(Μ)ΜΟΔ**
Rev: Bust of Demeter r., draped and veiled; in front, torch **ΦΙΛ – ΚΟΙΛ CVP**
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No: 36)



Commodus Caesar (175-177 A.D.)

No. 5: 22 mm.; 8.4gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., bareheaded, wearing paludementum and cuirass, seen from the rear, **AVPKOM MOΔOCKAIC**
Rev: Bust of Asteria r., star above head, veiled and draped, **ΦIΛKOY ΘEΛACTEPI**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1978: No. 35/ A)



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 6: 20mm.; 10gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing cuirass, shown from in front, **AVKECAPANTW**
Rev: Chariot with domed canopy supported by four pillars, drawn r., by four horses.
In countermark, club with handle to r.
Above,-------- in ex., ΔVϽ
(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 46)



Philippopolis

Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 1: 20mm.; 6gr.↘
Obv: Laureate, bust r., drapery on far shoulder, **-----OKKMIOΛIΦIIIIO-----**
Rev: Head of Roma r., helmeted, between **S-C**, all within wreath.
(Cf. INJ 9/1986-7: Pl. 24, No. 5)



No. 2: 19mm.; 4.3gr.↖
Obv: Laureate, bust r., drapery on far shoulder, **ΛIΦIIIIOCC-------**
Rev: Head of Roma r., helmeted, between **S-C**, all within wreath.
(Cf. INJ 9/1986-7: Pl. 24, No. 5)



Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 3: 27mm.; 15.6gr.↗

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear, inscription obliterated. In round countermark **ΛI**?

Rev: Roma seated l.,wearing helmet, mantle and chiton, resting 1. on spear, holding in extended r. eagle? supporting two small figures; beside her seat, oval shield. Inscription obliterated, in round countermark, ▮▮▮

(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 3)




Rabbath Moba

Septimius Severus (193-211 A.D.)

No. 1: 27 mm.; 12.2gr.↙

Obv: Bust r., laur., bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear, inscr. **---CE--** In round countermark male bust r.

Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, long chiton, standing r., r. hand resting on scepter, left extended holding uncertain object. Inscr., **PA**




Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 2: 18mm.; 6.4gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped, in oval countermark, Athena?**-----CAPANTWNI-----**

Rev: Within a temple with two columns and arch, male figure, nude, standing r., r. resting on spear or sceptre, l. foot raised on uncertain object, l. upw., **A**

(Cf. Spijkerman 1978: No. 38)




No. 3: 20mm.; 10.2gr.↙

Obv: Bust r., laur., draped wearing paludamentum and cuirass shown from the rear. Inscr., **----- PEINO ---**

Rev: Arch, inside Poseidon nude, standing to l., holding in r. dolphin, resting l. on trident. Inscr., **PABBA(Θ) MOBA**




CITY- COINS OF PALESTINE

Aelia Capitolina

Antoniuus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 1: 21 mm.; 9.6gr. ↗
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped; inscr. starts above, **NSAVGPPP**
Rev: Dionysus standing nude to front, looking r., resting left hand on thyrsus, pouring wine from oenochoe in right hand over panther at left. Inscr., **COL AE----IACAP**




Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 2: 25mm.; 11.2gr. ↗
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped.
Rev: Tyche standing l., holding bust in extended r., resting l. on sceptre, r. foot on uncertain object, crowned by small Victory, **COL OMMPF**
(Cf. Meshorer 1989: No. 122)
***Var**.




Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)

No. 3: 22mm.; 9.8gr. ↖
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped, **ALEXANDRVSSE**
Rev : Tyche seated on throne l., holding cornucopiae in l., and extending a phiale in r., **CO ELCAC OP ---**
(Cf. Meshorer 1989: No. 148)
***Var**.




Antipatris

Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 1: 17mm.; 5.4gr. ↗
Obv: **AVT [K MAVP AN TWIN]**
Rev: Tetra-style temple with pediment and central arch, within, turreted Tyche to l. wearing short chiton, holding r. bust, l. resting on spear, r. foot over indistinct object, below swimming river-god.
Ex., **AN ANTI**




Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 2: 16mm.; 5.5gr.↑
Obv: **AVT [K MAVP AN TWIN]**
Rev: Tetra-style temple with pediment and central arch, within, turreted Tyche to l. wearing short chiton, holding r. bust, l. resting on spear, r. foot over indistinct object, below swimming river-god. Ex., **AN ANTI**



Caesarea

Nero (54-67 A.D.)

No. 1: 22mm.; 10.4gr.↗
Obv: Laurate head r., **NEPONEON**
Rev : Tyche standing r., holding bust and l. scepter, **ΠΡΟCCEBACTΩΛto** l., **LIΔ** = 14
(Cf. BMC /Plastine, No.11)



Domitian (81-96 A.D.)

No. 2: 29mm.; 13.9gr.↑
Obv: Head radiate r., inscr., **GER ------**
Rev: Seven-branched palm tree.
Inscr., **----PXXICOS**



Caracalla (211-217 A.D.)

No. 3: 21mm.; 8gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped,---- **CMA** ----
Rev: City – goddess wearing turreted crown, short chiton and mantle hanging over l arm, in tetra-style temple with pediment and central arch, in outer tercolumniations figures, r. from city -goddess, half figure of river-god. In ex., **(C)AESA**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1975: No. 50)



Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)

No. 4: 19mm.; 6.7gr. ↗
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped, inscr., ----- **CA** -----
Rev: Eagle, displayed head left, supporting wreath with **S P Q R**, countermark, **A**. Inscr., **C I F**, (Cf. Rosenberger 1975: No. 96)



No. 5: 21mm.; 7.3gr. ↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass seen from the rear, ----**M**----
Rev: Eagle displayed, supporting a wreath, head l. enclosing the letters **SPQR**
Inscr., obl., Countermark, **A**
(Cf. Rosenberger, 1975: No. 96)



No. 6: 16mm.; 5.1gr. ↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped
Rev: Eagle displayed, supporting a wreath, head l., enclosing the letters, **SPQR**
In round countermark bust to r., laur.
(Cf. Rosenberger , 1975: No. 95)
***Var**.



Trajan Decius (248-251 A.D.)

No. 7: 26mm.; 16.6gr. ↖
Obv: Bust r., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear,
IMPCCM QTRAI DECIVSAVG.
Rev: Eagle displayed, head r., supporting wreath, within which bust of Tyche r. wearing turreted crown, **COLPRF AVGF-----METPSP**.
(Cf. Kadman 1957: No.129)



No. 8: 25 mm.; 16.4gr. ↖
Obv: Bust r., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear,
IMPC (CM. Q) RAIANVSDECIVSAVG
Rev: Eagle displayed, head r., supporting wreath, within which bust of Tyche r., wearing turreted crown **(COLPRI FAVGC) AESMETR.**
(Cf. Kadman 1957: No. 109)



Trajan Decius (248-251 A.D.)

No. 9: 28mm.; 20.4gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., laureated, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear **IMPCCM**
Rev: Poseidon, nude, standing l., r. foot on prow, resting with l. on trident, in r. holding dolphin.
Inscr., **-----(C) OL------PRFAVG----**
(Cf. Kadman 1957: No. 123)
***Var**.



No. 10: 22 mm.; 12.8gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass. Inscr., obl.
Rev: Emperor, wearing paludamentum which flies out behind him, riding r. on prancing horse, carrying spear couched in r., below, small figure of enemy, crouching,
----CAESMET--------SP
(Cf. Kadman 1957: No.149)



Gaza

Augustus? (27 B.C.-14 A.D.)

No. 1: 15mm.; 3gr.↙
Obv: Bust of Roma r., wearing crested helmet.
Inscr, **AV-----?**
Rev: Large  inscr., **ΓAZA HN-----**



Antoninus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 2: 20mm.;10.6 gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass seen from the rear, **O------ANT---**
Rev: City-goddess, standing opp., head l., wearing kalathos, long chiton and peplos, resting r. on sceptre, l. holding cornucopiae; beside her, heifer. In field l. **ΔC** 204
In field r. **ϟ ΓAZ (A)**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1977: 83, No. 6)
***Var**.



Neapolis

Diadumenian (218 A.D.)

No. 1: 23 mm.; 7.6 gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., bareheaded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass seen from the rear,
MOΠ ANT ΔIAΔOYMENIANOC.
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, long chiton and mantle, standing opposite, looking l., resting r. on rudder, l. holding cornucopia,
ΦΛ NEA CΠOΛ E WCCYP ΠAΛ
(Cf. Rosenberger 1977: Pl.14, No. 53)



No. 2: 19mm.; 8.1gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped, inscr., obl.
Rev: Sarapis to r., draped, wearing kalathos,
ΦΛNEA ΛEWC



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 3: 17 mm.; 3.3gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear,
AVTKMAVP ANTWNINOC
Rev: Winged Nike, walking r., wearing long chiton, holding in r., wreath, l. palm-branch,
ANEA ΠOΛ



No. 4: 16mm.; 5.8gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass,
AVTKMAV
Rev: Sarapis to r., draped, wearing kalathos.
Inscr., **ΦΛNEA**



No. 5: 19 mm.; 4.6gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass. Inscr.,---- **ANTWNIN**
Rev: Sarapis to r., draped, wearing kalathos.
Inscr., **ΦΛNEA----------**



Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 6: 22 mm.; 8.4gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass,seen from the rear, on head square countermark, **A**
Rev: Mount Gerizim
Inscr., **-----Λ ---------**



Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)

No. 7: 17mm.; 5.2gr.↘
Obv: Busr r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass. Inscr., **AYTK**
Rev: Bust of Sarapis to r., wearing kalathos, draped, **ΦΛΝΕΑC..**



No. 8: 15 mm.;2 gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., drapery over l. shoulder.
----MA----------
Rev: Tyche, wearing turreted crown, long chiton and mantle, standing opposite, looking l., resting r. on rudder, l. holding cornucopia,
ΦΛΝΕ



Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 9: 25mm.; 15.8gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass. Inscr., **IMPC MIV------**
Rev: Mount Gerizim, supported by eagle, standing with spread wings, head l,
NEAPOLI NEO----------



Philip I & II (247-249 A.D.)



No. 10: 26mm.; 14.8gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., of Senior and Junior, jugate laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass. inscr., obl.
Rev: She-wolf to l., suckling the twins, standing on base; above: Mount Gerizim; on r., star, in ex., **NEAPO—**

Philip II (247-249 A.D.)



No. 11: 25mm.; 9.3gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass seen from the rear, **PPOPPAVG**
Rev: On r., Marsyas, standing to l., on l., eagle standing supporting Mount Gerizim, **NEAPO**, ex., **COL**

Philip II? (247-249 A.D.)



No. 12: 24mm.; 10.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust laureate r., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear; Inscr., obl.
Rev: On r., Marsays standing to l., on l., eagle displayed, head l., supporting Mount Gerizim. Inscr., ----- **EOCORO**, in ex., **COL**

Volusianus (251-253 A.D.)



No. 13: 25mm.; 13.4gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., radiate, slightly bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, AVTKAIC
Rev: Tablet with voluted ansae supported by eagle standing with wings spread and head l., above Mount Gerizim, on the tablet, in four lines:
ΦΛ ΝΕΑC
ΠΟ ΛΕWC
ΕΠΙCΗΜΟ
ΝΕWΚΟΡ
(Cf. BMC/Palestine 1914: Pl.VII, No. 20)

No. 14: 19 mm.; 6.7gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., radiate, bearded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear, **AVTK-------**

Rev: Mount Gerizim showing the colonnade, stair roadway, shrines in face of rock, temple in perspective, and altar. In ex., uncertain object, **ΦΛΝΕΑC ΠΟΛΙC**



Trebonianus Gallus (251-253 A.D.)

No. 15: 25mm.; 14.2gr.↙

Obv: Bust l., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass **(A)VTKAIΓOVITPEBIAΔ**

Rev: Hygieia on r., sacrificing over altar; on l., winged Nike, supporting Mount Gerizim, **ΠΟΛΕWC**



No. 16: 27mm.; 13.6gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, seen from the rear, **IMTPO----------AVG**

Rev: Asclepius stdg l., in extended r., patera and l. leaning on serpent-staff, Hygieia stdg. r., feeding serpent in r. from phiale in l., between, cult-statuette of Neapolitan. Artemis; above, Mt. Gerizim. Inscr.,-----**STER------**



No. 17: 24 mm.; 12.6gr.↗

Obv: Bust l., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, **AVT-----PT--------**

Rev: Helmeted Athena? In long chiton stdg. front, with r. foot on uncertain object, on r., female figure stdg. l., r. hand raised and in l., hand corncopia, on l, male figure stdg. r. in short chiton, l. clasping r. hand of Athena, above, Mount Gerizim.



No. 18: 24 mm.; 14.8gr.↓
Obv: Bust l., cuir,
AVTKAIΓOVITP
Rev: Female figure, wearing long chiton l., l. hand on waist, placing r. hand on head of small animal, on l., Nike advancing r., supporting Mount Gerizim
Inscr., left upwards, **ΦΛNEA**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1977: 23, No.114)
*Holed.



Sebaste

Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 1: 21mm.; 5.7gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped,
IMPEC
Rev: Demeter, standing to r., holding in r. long torch, in l. ears of corn; l. cista ------
--- SEBASTE
(Cf. Rosenberger 1977: Pl. 58, No. 29)



Tiberias

Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 1: 26mm.; 10.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust of Commodus laureate r.,
Inscr., obl.
Rev: City–godess, wearing long chiton and peplos, standing l., r., holding rudder, l., cornucopiae, at her feet prow of galley l., inscr., **TIBKΛC---IIAΛ----**
across field I., **ET PO**
(BMC/ Palestine 1914: Pl. II, No. 5)



CITY-COINS OF PHOENICIA

Akko (Ptolemais Ace)

Claudius (41-54 A.D.)

No. 1: 20mm.; 6.1gr. ↗
Obv: Turreted bust of Tyche to r., palm-branch over shoulder.
Rev: Zeus standing to l., in extended r. wreath, l. resting on spear. Inscr., in field r. downw., **ΤΙΟΧΕΤΩΝ**
In field l. downw., **ΠΤΟΛΕΜΙΑ**
I. in field, **ΥΖ** = 97



Claudius (41-54 A.D.)

No. 2: 14mm.; 2.8 gr. ↖
Obv: Bust of Zeus to r.
Rev: Club upwardly, enclosed in wreath, **COL PTO**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1972: No. 45)



Hadrian (117-138 A.D.)

No. 3: 18mm.; 5.4gr. ↗
Obv: Bust r., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, shown from the rear, **IMP TRA H ADRIANOC**
Rev: Turreted Tyche wearing kalathos, standing l., holding r. rudder., l. cornucopia. **ΡΤΟΛ**
(Cf. Kadman 1961: No. 107)



Lucius Verus (161-169 A.D.)

No. 4: 25mm.; 11.6gr. ↗
Obv: Bust to r., laureate, draped; inscr. obl.
Rev: Tyche seated on rock to r., hold in r. ears of corn, below-river-god; Inscr.,--- **-OL** --
(Cf. Kadman 1961: No. 112)



Julia Maesa (Sister of J. Domina)

No. 5: 19 mm.; 5.7gr.↘
Obv: Draped bust to r., **IVLIA**
Rev: Tetra-style temple with pediment within Nemesis, winged, to l. wearing short chiton, r. raised before her face, l. horse? ex., **COLO**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1972: No. 72)



Macrinus (217-218 A.D.)

No. 6: 25 mm.; 11.6gr.↓
Obv: Bust to r., laureate, draped,
---- NR---EMA-
Rev: Perseus standing to left, holding in r. head of Medusa, l. harpa, around,
---LO PTOLEMA



Macrinus (217-218 A.D.)

No. 7: 22mm.; 14.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laureate., draped wearing paludamentum, inscr.,**---MCMOPS---N**
Rev: Emperor, on horse back, riding to l., raising r. hand, inscr., **----PTOLE**



Valerianus I (253-260 A.D.)

No. 8: 25mm.; 13.4gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., draped,
IMP C E LIC VALERIANVS AV-
Rev: Tyche seated on rock to l., crowned by Nike standing on column; in field on l. altar above, caduceus,
C(O)L PT OL
(Cf. Kadman 1961: No. 232)



Berytus

No. 1 : 16mm.; 3.5gr.
Obv: Kadmos r. nude.
Rev: Within laurel wreath **C B**



Augusts (27 B.C.-14 A.D.)

No. 2: 21mm.; 5.8gr.
Obv: Bareheaded r., **IMP AV**
Rev: Two aquilae **PERMISSV**
(Cf. Burnett1992: No. 4541)
***Var.**



Gallienus (253-268 A.D.)

No. 3: 26mm.; 11.4gr.
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass. Inscr., **IMPCPLICGA LLIENV SAVG**
Rev: Lion walking. r., Inscr., **COLIVL**, and in ex., **BERV**
(Cf. BMC/ Phoenicia 1910: Pl. XI. No. 6)
***Var**.



Byblos

Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 1: 24mm.; 9.4gr.
Obv: Bust l., head to r., laureate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass.
Rev: Hexastyle temple surmounted by an arch of shell pattern; within Astarte r., crowned by Nike standing on column. In ex., **I(B)ΛOV(sic)**
(Cf. Baramki 1974: Pl. XIX, No. 6)



Sidon

Zeus

No. 1: Lead, 15mm.;2.3 gr.
Obv: Head of Zeus r., laureate.
Rev: Europa seated facing on bull l., with r. she holds his horn,with raised l. she holds inflated veil.
Below
(Cf. Baramki 1974: Pl. XXIII, No. 10)



Tyche

No. 2: 11mm.; 1.6gr.
Obv: Bust of Tyche r., wearing turreted crown, hair in chignon and tress on back of neck, behind, **ΓΗ**
Rev: Astarte, wearing long chiton and turreted crown, standing l., in extended r., aphlaston in l., cruciform standard held transversally, **ΣΙΔΕΝΙΕΝ**, in field l., **LΘK** year =29 ?
Border of dots.



SIDON?

No. 3: 29mm.; 4.8gr.
Obv: Head of Tyche r. wearing turreted crown, hair in chignon.
Rev: Tyche, nude to waist, seated l., her l. hand holding cornucopia, in r. holding uncertain object. Inscr., **ΣΙΛΕΝ------Ν**
(Cf. Baramki 1974: Pl. XIV, No. 1 and 2)



Tyre

Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 1: AR, 25mm.;1.5 gr.
Obv: Laureated head right,
ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΚΑΙC ΝΕΡ
ΤΡΑΙΑΝΟC CΕΒ ΓΕΡΜ
Rev: Eagle to front, head left, wreath in beak, wings spread, standing on stalk of wheat with ear of wheat right, **ΔΗΜΑΡΧΕΞΥ-----**
(Cf. Prieur 2000: 165, No. 1492)
***Var**.



Gallienus (253-268 A.D.)

No. 2: 28mm.; 15.6gr.↑




Obv: Bust r., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, inscr.,------**AS**-------

Rev: Eagle standing to front on palm branch, wings spread, head l., holding wreath in beak, before standard. Inscr., **LEG CAL**, in field l., murex –shell, inscr., **SEPTYRVSMETROP**, in ex., **COLONI.**
(Cf. BMC/ Phoenicia 1910: Pl. XXXV, No. 3)
***Var**.

Diadumenian (218 A.D.)

No. 3: 20mm.; 6.9gr.↘




Obv: Bust r. bareheaded, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, **R-----(D)IADVMENIANVSCAES**

Rev: Galley with oars and rudder to r., above, murex shell, around, **SEPTVRVSMETRO** In exergue, **COLO**
(Cf. Baramki 1974: Pl.XXX, No. 5)

Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)

No. 4: 20mm.; 5gr.↓




Obv: Bust r., laur., draped, cuirassed, **IMPC-----ALEXAΔER**

Rev: Temple of Phoenician Koinon viewed in perspective, approached by flight of steps, below, murex-shell, **SEP**----------pellet in pediment
(Cf. BMC/ Phoenicia 1910: Pl. XXII, No. 15)

CITY-COINS OF GALATIA

Ancyra

Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 1: 17mm.;2.5 gr.↓




Obv: Head of Caracalla r., laurated, **ANTONINOCAVCO-**

Rev: Agonistic urn containing palm-branch, **MHTPOII ANKVPAΣ**
(Cf. Lindgren 1985: No. 1680)

CITY-COINS OF CAPPADOCIA

Caesarea

Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 1: 19mm.; 3.3gr. ↓
Obv: Head of Trajan to l., laureate.
Inscription from l. below, **ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΙC ΝΕΡΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΑΡΙC-ΟCΕΒΓΕΡΜΔΑΚ**
Rev: Camel walking l., **ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΥΙΙΤΟS**
* Forgery of the time (no traces of silver)



PARTHIA AND ROME: THE BUFFER STATES BETWEEN THEM

Armenia

Tigranes II (95-56 B.C.)

No. 1: Four chalci, 21mm.; 8gr. ↑
Obv: Bust of Tigranes r., wearing the usual five-pointed Armenian tiara.
Rev: Nike advancing l., with outstretched r. holding wreath and l. hand extending downward, legend to r. downward, **ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ**; to l. downward **ΤΙΓΡΑΝΟ**; to the l. in the field, **ΘΛ**
(Cf. Nercessian 1995: Pl. 7, No. 84)
***Var**.



Hatra

No. 1: 27mm.; 7.8gr. ↑
Obv: Draped bust of beardless sun god to r. with flowing locks and sun rays. Ties behind the neck. In the field, upward to r., the Aramaic legend, **HTRDSMS**. All in a circle of dots, in oval countermark, eagle standing facing, head. l.
Rev: Within laurel wreath, an eagle with outstretched wings and head reverted, above the letters, **SC (SC** of the prototype upside down); pellet between the letters. All in a circle of dots.
(Cf. ANS, Museum Notes, vol.22, 1977: 37-47, Pl. 6-7)



SYRIA (KOINON OF SYRIA)
COMMAGENE
Zeugma

Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 1: 30mm.; 15.8gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., laur.dr. and cuirassed, inscr., **AVTOKAMIOVΛI ΦIΛIIIIOCCEB**
Rev: Tetrastyle temple of Zeus stands on mountain surrounded by a colonnade A Capricorn, swims below. **ZE-----TEΩN**




CYRRHESTICA
Cyrrhus

Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 1: 27mm.; 20.2gr.↙
Obv: Bust of Philip I. r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, **(AYTO)KKMIOYΠI ΦIΛIIIIOCCEB**
Rev: Hexastyle temple, within which seated statue of Zeus Kataibates facing, wearing himation; holds in r. thunderbolt, l. hand on sceptre; at his feet, eagle; above temple, ram running l.; above head of Zeus, garlands suspended, **ΔIO(C) KAT EBA TOY**, in ex., **KYPHCTΩN** (*sic*) (Cf. BMC/Syria 1964: 137, No. 30)
***Var**.




Hieropolis

Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 1: 21mm.;8.9 gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., **AVTK------ANTΩNINOC**
Rev: Bust of Julia Domna r., draped, hair waved and carried in plait up back of head, **ACIEPOΠO ΘEACCVPI**




CHALCIDICE

Chalcis (Kinnesrin) near Beroea (Aleppo)

Septimius Severus (193-211 A.D.)

No. 1: 22mm.; 10.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., inscription, oblitarated.
Rev: **ΦΛΧΑΑ ΚΙΔΕWN/A**, within laurel – wreath.
(Cf., BMC/Syria 1964: XVIII, No.1)



PALMYRA

No. 1: 14mm.; 2.3gr.↑
Obv: Two cornucopiae crossed between them, caduceus, above, **COL**, in field on l., **CIA**, on r., **OS**
Rev: Winged Nike standing r., holding wreath in r. hand, in field on l. obl., on r., **AVG**



No. 2: 14mm.; 3.1gr.↑
Obv: Two cornucopiae crossed between them, caduceus, above, **COL**, in field on l. **CIA**, on r., **OS**
Rev: Winged Nike standing r., holding wreath in r. hand, in field on l., obl., on r., **AVG**



SELEUCIS AND PIERIA

Antioch on the Orontes

Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 1: Silver,25 mm.; 15.2gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head right, aegis at front of truncation. Inscr., **ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙΣΝΕΡ ΤΡΑΙΑΣΕΒ ΓΕΡΜ**
Rev: Eagle standing right on thunderbolt with head right, wings spread, palm in right field, B in front of eagle's head (year 2). Inscr., beginning beneath, eagle, **ΕΤΟΥΣΝΕΟΥΙΕΡΟΥ**
(Cf. Prieur 2000: 24, No. 153)
***Var**.




No. 2: 28mm.; 15gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., laur., r., drap. in oval countermark, laural branch, **ΤΡΑΙ NOC ΑΡΗ---ΕΒ---**
Rev: Laurael wreath, tied at bottom, **S C** in field ,circle on top, all in a circle of dots.




Marcus Aurelius (161-180 A.D.)

No. 3: 17mm.; 3.9gr.↘
Obv: Head r., laur., **ΑΥΡΜΑΙCΟΥΜΚ**
Rev: Within laurael wreath, the letters **S C** of the prototype upside-down ϽS , **Λ** below.
(Cf. Lindgren 1985: No. 1985)




Antoninus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 4: 15mm.; 3.8gr.→
Obv: Head l., rad---**ΤΚΑΙΤΙΑΙ**
Rev: **SC** above, **E** below, eagle facing, wings spread, head to r., all within wreath.
(Cf. Lindgren 1985: No. 1981)
***Var**.




Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 5: 19 mm.; 3.7gr. ↖
Obv: Bust l., laur., **ANTANOINOCAVΓ**
Rev: **SC** Above, **ΔE**; below, eagle wings spread, looking r. all within wreath.
(Cf. Lindgren 1985: No. 2002)
***Var**.



Philip II (247-249 A.D.)

No. 6: Billon,25 mm.; 11.2gr. ↗
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass,**AVTOKKMIOVΛIΦI ΛIIIIOCCEB**
Rev: Eagle facing; head r., wreath in beak,
ΔHMAPXE ΞOVCIACVIIATOA
In ex., **ANTIOXIA / S C**
(Cf. BMC/Syria 1964: Pl. XXV, No.10, 217/8. No. 550)



Gabala

Quasi-Autonomous

No. 1: 13mm.; 2.5gr. ↑
Obv: Bust of Athena r., wearing helmet.
Rev: Round shield and spear behind, surrounded by inscr., **ΓABAΛEΩN**



Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 2: 17mm.;4.8 gr. ↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., **---TPAIAΣEBΓEP**
Rev: Eagle facing, wings spread, head l., l. upwards, **ΓABAΛA**
(Cf. Lindgren 1985: No. 2053)
***Var**.



No. 3: 16mm.; 3.7gr. ↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., **ΣEBΓEPM**
Rev: Eagle facing, wings spread, head l., to l. five pointed star, l. upwards **ΓABA--**
(Cf. Lindgren, 1985: No. 2053)
***Var**.



Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 4: 20mm.; 8.9gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laur. inscr., obl.
Rev: Goddess (Astarte?) seated l., wearing chiton and modius; in r. hand, poppy- head and ears of corn; l. hand on sceptre; at feet an unidentified object, **ΓΑΒΑΛΕ**-in field, **ΛΛΡ**? (Cf. BMC/ Syria 1964: Pl. XXVIII, No. 8) ***Var**.



Laodicea ad Mare

Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 1: 27mm.; 8.7gr.↑
Obv: Head r., laur., in oval countermark, male bust r., inscr., **---PICTKAIC**
Rev: Bust of the Tyche of Laodicea r., wearing veil and turreted headdress. Inscr., **ΙΟΥΛΙΕΨΝΤΨΝΚΑΙ ΛΑΟΔ ΙΚΕΨΝ**, in field r., ⋉ at end of inscr., **ΒΞΡ**



Antoninus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 2: 25mm.; 12 gr.↖
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, in oval countermark, head to r. Inscr., **---NTWHNENVIN----VI--VI-**
Rev: Bust of the Tyche of Laodicea r., wearing turreted head dress and bunches of grapes. Inscr., illegible; in field r., **ΚΡΑ** (Cf. BMC/Syria 1964: 256, No. 70)



Raphanea

Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 1: 20mm.; 6gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., radiate, wearing paludamentum and cuirass, **---K---ΑΝΤΩΝΙΝU**
Rev: Male genius of city standing l., holding cornucopia, in outstretched r., wreath, in front bull, in field eagle, l., **ΡΕ--Α** in ex., **---ΛΦ** (Cf. Lindgren 1985: Pl. 84. No. 2115 BMC/Syria 1964, PL.XXXI:13) ***Var**.



COELE-SYRIA

Dynasts of Chalcis

Ptolemy (Son of Mennaeus)

No. 1: 23x18mm.; 6.3gr.↗
Obv: Head of Zeus r., laur., border of dots, in round countermark, male head r.?
Rev: Eagle flying r., with wings open, beneath, **ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙ----ΤΕΤΑΡΧΟΥΑΡ** at l., **ΛΞ** (Cf. Lindgren 1985: No. 2134A; BMC, Syria 1964,: Pl. XXIII, No. 11)



Damascus

Tyche

No. 1: 26mm.; 15.2gr.↙
Obv: Head of Tyche to r., turreted.
Rev: In laurel – wreath Nike advancing r., holding wreath, palm branch over left shoulder. Inscr., **ΔΑΜΑ / CKHNWN**



Nero (54-68 A.D.)

No. 2: 18mm.; 6.3gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., within round Countermark, helmeted head.
Rev: Tyche, turreted, draped, seated to l. on rock, r., hand extended, holding in l. cornucopiae. Inscr., ------**H**----.



Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 3: 27mm.; 12 gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, **AVTK AI**---------
Rev: In tetra-style shrine, bust of Tyche to l., turreted, **ΔMACKOVM HTPOΠOΛEOC**



Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 4: 18mm.; 6.7gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped, **AVTKAI**
Rev: Tyche, turreted, draped, seated to l. on rock, r., hand extended, holding club, in l. cornucopiae at feet river-god **ΔAMACKOY**



No. 5: 19mm.; 8.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped, **AVTKAI**
Rev: Tyche, turreted, draped, seated to l. on rock, r., hand extended, holding club, in l. cornucopiae at feet river-god, **ΔAMACKOY**



Macrinus (217-218 A.D.)

No. 6: 29mm.; 19.2gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur. and cuir.
AVT KAI MA (KPEINO CEB)
Rev: Doe standing right, suckling child seated left**, ΔAMCKOC M----T----**
In ex. dolphin looking left.



Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 7: 29 mm.; 11.6gr.↑
Obv: Bust l., laur., wearing paludamentum and curiass, shown from infront.
IMPCM……IPPVSPIOFEAVG
Rev: Kybele, seated to r. on rock, draped and veiled, l. hand before lips, behind her tree, at feet crouching lion to r., **COL…MA….**



Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 8: 29mm.; 13gr.↗
Obv: Bust l., laur., cuirassed, **---MIVLPH ---**
Rev: Tyche, seated to l. on rock, holding in extended r. club and l. cornucopiae, above running ram to l. head turned back, at feet swimming river-god. Inscription obliterated.



No. 9: 24mm.; 17gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laur., cuirassed.
IMP------PHIL--------PPVS AVG
Rev: Ram running l., **COLMH**



Otacila Severa (wife of Philip I) (244-249 A.D.)

No. 10: 28mm.; 16.8gr.↑
Obv: Bust on crescent r., wearing stephane, hair waved and carried in plait up back of head, draped.
MOTCILSEVERA (AUG)
Rev: River – god, wearing himation over lower limbs, reclining l., two ears of corn, in l. branch (?) , and elbow on urn over running water.
COL----DAM ---METRO
In ex., **XPVCOPA**



Volusianus (251-253 A.D.)

No. 11: 23mm.; 9.8gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., laur., slightly bearded, wearing paludamentum and curiass.
Inscr., **IM----SSIANOAVG**
Rev: Tyche, seated to l . on rock, holding in r., club and l. cornucopiae above: ram's Head (?), at feet, swimming river-god.
Inscr., **COL ΔAM------**



Valerian (253-259 A.D.)

No. 12: 23mm.; 8.6gr. ↗
Obv: Bust r. radiate, draped
IMPCAS(P)LICVALE
Rev: In wreath CEBA/CMIA/ an undentified object
…..AM AS METPO
(Cf. Rosenberger 19 : 31. No.57)
* The reverse is restruck



Heliopolis

Caracalla (198-217 A.D.)

No. 1: 17mm.; 3.8gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped, inscr.,**---AM-----ANTONINVC**
Rev: Heracles, nude, standing to l., holding in outstretched r. ball, l. holding lion-skin. Inscr., **COL-----OHEO**



Valerian I (253-260 A.D.)

No. 2: 28mm.; 17.8gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., wearing paludamentum and cuirass, **IMPCAESPLICVAL ERIANVSPFAVG**
Rev: Agonistic urn, containing two palm-branches, **COLIVLAVGFELHEL** above, **CERTSAC**, beneath,**CAP OEC ISE HEL**
(i.e. Certamina Sacra, Capitolina,Oecumenica Iselastica, Heliopolitana)



TRACHONITIS

Gaba

Claudius (41-56 A.D.)

No. 1: 20mm.; 9.2gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., draped, inscr., obl.
Rev: Female figure, hair in chignon, seated r. on throne, resting r. on spear or sceptre, r. holding branch. Inscr., from above.,
ΚΛΑ(ΔΙΕΝ)ΦΙ ΛΙΙΙΙΙ
ΗΩΝ l. in field, **IP**, r. **L**
(Cf. Rosenberger 1975: Pl.43, No.1)



Trajan (98-117 A.D.)



No. 2: 24mm.; 9.2gr.↑
Obv: Laur. Bust r., draped **….AIANOCEГBEP**
Rev: Victoria, walking to l., holding in extended r. wreath, in l. trophy **AφIГ…ABHNW**, in field r., **AOP = 110/111 A.D.**

Commodus (177-192 A.D.)



No. 3: 22mm.; 11.2gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laur., undraped,
ΛVTKAIKMMO--------
Rev: Warroir, opp., helmeted, head r., resting r. on spear, l. holding shield and sword; on l. star, on r. crescent,
ГABH ----------C
(Cf. Rosenberger 1975: No.16)

CITY-COINS OF CILICIA
Anazarbus

Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)



No. 1: 34mm.; 22gr.↘
Obv: Bust r., laur., dr., and cuir.,
AVTKMΛCE ΛΛEΣANΔPO
Rev: Distyle arched shrine containing City-goddes seated l., holding ears of corn, in field r., Γ Λ in field l. Ρ Ν river –god swimming at feet, above shrine, in field above columns, **B Γ**, above arch, eagle? **ANAZAPEN ΔO COMHPO** In ex., **ET HMO**

Tarsus

Valerian I (253-260 A.D.)



No. 1: 30mm.; 9.5gr.↙
Obv: Bust r., radiate,
AVKAIΠOVAIOVAΛEPIANOC
Rev: Three male nude figures
TAPCO M HT -----C
In ex., **AMKΓΓ**

CITY-COINS OF MESOPOTAMIA

Carrhae

Elagabalus (218-222 A.D.)

No. 1: 17mm.; 2.9gr.↘
Obv: Bust l., laureated, undraped, **--K---ANTWNEIN**
Rev: Crescent, horns upwards, with pendent fillets, placed upon base, between horns, star of eight rays, Inscr., ------ **POIIO------**



Edessa

Septimius Severus (193-211 A.D.)

No. 1: 22mm.; 3.4 gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., inscr., obl.
Rev: Bust of Abgar VIII r., wearing high diademed tiara. Inscr., **(ΒΑΣ)ΙΛΕΥC ΑΒΓΑΡΟC** In oval countermark **B**



Leucas (Balanea–Leucas)

Antoninus Pius? (138-161 A.D.)

No. 1: 15mm.; 3.6gr.↗
Obv: Bust r.
Rev: Cornucopia, to l., downwards, **ΒΑΛΑΝ**, to r. upwards, **ΤΩΝ**



Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)

No. 2: 25mm.; 12gr.↓
Obv: Bust r., laur., **AVTKM**
Rev: The Emperor standing in quadriga drawn by galloping horses, r. hand raised, in l., sceptre, in ex., **ΔNC** (Attribution conjectural)



COINS OF ROMAN EGYPT

Alexandria

Tiberius (14-37 A.D.)

No. 1: AE, Obl. 15mm.; 2gr.↑
Obv: Head r., laur.
Rev: Oak wreath and date, **TI/LΔ**
(Cf. Curtis and Milne 1990: 258, No. 18)



Otho (69 A.D.)

No. 2: Billon, 22mm.; 9.9gr.↗
Obv: Head r., laur., in the field r., **LA**= (year1) = (Jan-Apr 69) **(M)APKO ..ΘΩNOΣ----**
Rev: Veiled and dr.bust of Eirene r., wearthed with olive, caduceus behind shoulder. Inscription, **------NH**
(Cf. Sear 1982: No. 688)



Trajan (98-117 A.D.)

No. 3: Billon, 23mm.;9.8 gr.↗
Obv: Head r., radiate, **AVTTPAIAN(PI)CEBΓ ЄPMΔAKIKΠAP**
Rev: Dikaiosyne standing l.; holding scales and cornucopia; in field, **LI**



No. 4: Billon, 29mm.;10.6 gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., radiate, **-----NAP-----**
Rev: Dikaiosyne standing l., holding scales and cornucopia; in field, **LK**



Haderian (117-138 A.D.)

No. 5: 26mm.; 10.8gr.↖
Obv: Bust r., laur., dr., and cuir., **AVTKAI TPAIAN--ΔCEB**
Rev: Elpis, standing l., holding flower and skirt, inscr,------**EKATOV**, in field, **L Δ**



Haderian (117-138 A.D.)

No. 6: 23mm.; 10.8gr.↑
Obv: Head r., Laur.
Inscr., **(K)AIC TPA NPAINC**
Rev: Demeter standing l., holding corn and poppies, in field, **LKA**



No. 7: 23mm.; 9.7gr.↖
Obv: Bust r., laureate, inscription,
AVT KAIC TPIANO------ANOS CEB
Rev: Dikaiosyne stdg. l., holding scales in r. hand and cornuocopia in l. hand, **LB** in field.



No. 8: 25mm.; 9.9gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped and cuirassed, **-----TPAI AΔ-----**
Rev: Nilus bust r., with lotus-bud crown, in field on l., **L** on r., ς



No. 9: Billon, 24mm.;9 gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head right.
Rev: Demeter standing l., holding torch and corn ears, infield, **LA**
(Cf. Curtis and Milne 1990: 285, No.167)
***Var**.



Antoninus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 10: 25mm.; 12.2gr.↑
Obv: Laureate head right, inscri ,
ANTWNE----OC AVT KTAI-- Δ----P
Rev: Tyche standing l., cornucopia in l. hand, rudder in r., in field, **L Δ**



Antoninus Pius (138-161 A.D.)

No. 11: Billon, 22mm.; 11.2gr.↖
Obv: Laureate head right,
ANTWN-OCCEBEVCE
Rev: Nilus reclining l., on crocodile, above,
IS, in ex., **TPO**
(Cf. Curtis and Milne 1990 :292 , No. 241)
*** Var**.



No. 12: Billon, 24mm.;11.2 gr.↖
Obv: Laureate head right, **CV----TWN---**
Rev: Fortune standing r., in r. holding rudder,
in l., holds Victory. In field, **L C**



No. 13: Billon, 21mm.;10.2gr.→
Obv: Laureate head right, legend worn
Rev: Athena enthroned left, holding Nike.
Legend worn, **LEN----EAΛ TO**
In field, **LΔ**



Commodus (177-192 A.D.)

No. 14: 24mm.; 11.8gr.→
Obv: Laureate head r., bearded, inscription,
MA KOM ANTW CEB EVCEB
Rev: Elpis standing l., holding flower and
raises skirt, in field, **LΛ**



No. 15: 24mm.; 13.2gr.↖
Obv: Laurate head r., inscription,
MA KOM ANTW CEB EVCEB
Rev: Aesculapius standing to front looking left
r. hand extended, l. hand dawnwords, in
the field to r., a cup and serpant,
in field, **L** Λ



No. 16: Potin Tetradrachm, 27mm.; 9.5 gr.↑
Obv : Laureate head right, legend worn.
Rev: Athena seated left holding Nike,
Legend worn.



Severus Alexander (222-235 A.D.)

No. 17: 25mm.; 11.4gr.
Obv: Bust r., laureate, draped and cuirassed, inscription, **-----ΑΛΞΑΝΔΡΟC**
Rev: Tyche standing l., cornucopiae in l. hand rudder in r. to r., palm, in field, **L I Γ**



No. 18: 23mm.; 12.8gr.
Obv: Laureated bust r., draped and cuirassed, **-----ΚΑΙΜΑΡ----Ε----ΞΑΝΔΡ----**
Rev: Nike advancing r., holds wreath in r. hand and upright palm in left, in field, **LB**.



No. 19: 21mm.; 7.9gr.
Obv: Bust r., radiate, **--ΝΑ-----ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟ**
Rev: Six ears of grain, tied together, **ΑΛ-ΞΙΕΝΔΡΟΜ ዘ PO**, in ex., **ΝΔΛC**? In field r., Γ in field l., head of bull.



Philip I (244-249 A.D.)

No. 20: 24mm.;14 gr.
Obv: Bust r., laur., inscr., **ΑΚΜΙVΦΙΙΙΙΟCΕ**
Rev: Nilus reclining l., holds reed in r. hand, cornucopia in l., left below rests on hippopotamus head, in ex., crocodile to l., LE
(Cf. Curtis and Milne 1990: 128, No. 1358)
*(**Very rare year**).



Aurelian (270-275 A.D.)

No. 21: 21mm.; 7.9gr.
Obv: Bust r., Laur., and cuir., **ΑΚΛΔΟΜ ΑVΡΗΛΙΑ---- CCEB**
Rev: Eagle standing r., looking back, holding wreath in beak, in field on l., **L**, on r., **A**



Aurelian (270-275 A.D.)



No. 22: 18mm.; 7.9gr.↑
Obv: Bust r., laureate draped and cuirassed.
Rev: Eagle flying r., wreath in talons; in field, **LΔ** (Cf. Curtis and Milne 1990: 327, No. 658) ***Var**.

Diocletian (284-305 A.D.)



No. 23: 18mm.; 7.1gr.↗
Obv: Bust r., laureate, inscription, **ΑΚΓΟΥΑΔΙΟΚΛΗ**
Rev: Homonia standing l., holding flower and cornucopia, in field to left star and **L**, to right, **B** (**LB**=regnal years 2)

BYZANTINE COINS

Anastasios I (491-518 A.D.)

No. 1: 27mm.; 9.9gr.↑

Obv: Bust r., with diadem, cuirss and paludamentum, **DNANA---- SPPAUG**

Rev: Large **M**, above,cross, in ex., **CON**
In square countermark, X;
in second countermark, star of six rays.



Justin I (518-527 A.D.)

No. 2: 34mm.; 17gr.↓

Obv: Bust r., diad., dr. and cuir., cross rising from front of diadem,
DNIVSTINV PP AVG

Rev: Large **M** between two stars; above, cross; beneath, officinal letter **B**; in ex., **NIKM**
(Cf. Sear 1987: 47, No. 83).



Justinian I (527-565 A.D.)

No. 3: 17mm.; 3.2gr.↖

Obv: Bust r., with diadem, cuirss and paludamentum
DNIVSTINI ANVSPP AVC

Rev: Large Є, to r., **A**
(Cf. Grierson 1982: Pl. 9, No.149)



No. 4: 20mm.; 5.2gr.↘

Obv: Bust facing, wearing helmet and cuirassed; in r. hand, mappa and cross; in l., tipped sceptre eagle cross,
DNIVSTIN.NVSPPAN

Rev: Large **I** surmounted by cross, to l., **A/N/N/O** to r., numerals representing the regnal year, **XXIIII**; in ex., ΔΗΔΠ
(Cf. Sear 1987: 74, No. 236).



Justin II (565-578 A.D.)

No. 5: 31mm.; 11.4gr.↓

Obv: Justin, on l., and Sophia, on r., seated facing on double throne, both nimbate; they hold between them globe surmounted by large cross, and each holds long scepter, **NMSS TOO**ΛΓ

Rev: Large **M** between **A/N/N/O** and numerals representing the regnal year; ϚIII above, cross; beneath officina letter Γ; in ex., **THEUP**
(Cf. Sear 1987: 97, No. 379).
***Var**.



No. 6: 28mm.; 6.2gr.

Obv: Justin, on l., and Sophia, on r., seated facing on double throne, both nimbate; he holds gl. cr., she holds cruciform sceptre with cross between their heads, **DNIVST**

Rev: **(Brockage)**.



Maurice Tiberius (582-602 A.D.)

No. 7: 31mm.; 11.6gr.↘

Obv: Crowned and cuir. bust facing, holding gl. cr. and shield, **DNMA----------PPAVG**

Rev: Large **M** between **A/N/N/O** and numerals representing the regnal year ϚΔ ; above, cross; beneath officina letter Γ; in ex., **CON**
* The reverse die is smaller than the obverse die.
(Cf. Sear1987: 118, No. 493).
***Var**.



Maurice Tiberius (582-602 A.D.)

No. 8: 28mm.; 10.6gr.↓

Obv: Helmeted and cuir. bust facing, holding gl. cr. and shield, **ONMA-TIbERI PPS**

Rev: Large **M** between **A/N/N/O** and numerals representing the regnal year 4 1 = 6; above, cross; beneath officina letter **A**; in ex., **CON** (Cf. Sear 1987: 118, No. 494) ***Var**.



No. 9: 26mm.; 10.6gr.↙

Obv: Bust facing, wearing crown with trefoil ornament, and consular robes; in r. hand, mappa; in l., eagle–tipped scepter, **DNMAU CNPAUT**

Rev: Large **M** between **A/N/N/O** and numerals representing the regnal year **XX**; above, cross; beneath officina letter; in ex., **THEUP**, in round countermark, unidentified monogram. (Cf. Sear 1987: 127, No. 533).



No. 10: 31mm.; 12.2gr.↑

Obv: Bust facing, wearing crown with cross, and consular robes; in r. hand, mappa, in left hand eagle -tipped sceptre.

Rev: Large **M** between **A /N/N/O** and numerals **X**, to r., cross appears from the underlying design, double struck.



Phocas (602-610 A.D.)

No. 11: 26mm.; 10 gr.↓

Obv: Phocas on l. and Leontia on r., stg. Facing; the Emperor holds gl. cr., the Empress, holds cruciform sceptre; between their heads, cross, **IMPFOCA------**

Rev: Large **m** between **A/N/N/O** and numerals representing the regnal year; 4 III beneath o; above, cross; in ex., **TEHEU**



Phocas (602-610 A.D.)

No. 12: 27mm.; 9.9gr.↑

Obv: Phocas on l. and Leontia on r. stg. facing the Emperor holds gl. cr., the Empress, holds cruciform sceptre; between their heads, cross, **ONFOCAPEAV**

Rev: Large **m** between **A/N/N/O**, and numerals representing the regnal year **III**; above, cross; in ex., **THEUP**
(Cf. Sear 1987: 151, No. 671).



Heraclius (610-641 A.D.)

No. 13: 25mm.; 6.4gr.↘

Obv: Bust facing, wearing consular robes and crown with cross, in r. hand, mappa; in l. cross, **IER**

Rev: XX, above, cross to l. obl. to r., **II**, beneath, **o**, in ex., **KYZ**



No. 14: 32mm.; 13.8gr.↙

Obv: Bust facing, bearded, cuirassed, wearing crown and holding gl. cr., **ONhRAC**

Rev: Large **M** between **A /N/N/O** and numerals representing the regnal year; above, cross; beneath officina letter **Γ**; in ex., **CON**
*** (Overstruck)**.



Heraclius (610-641 A.D.)

No. 15: 25mm.; 6.2gr.↙

Obv: Bust facing, wearing crown and consular robes; with cross above, in r. hand gl. cr., in l. eagle tipped sceptre, **h P S COh**

Rev: Large **M** between **♦/N/N/O** to r., **XЧII** above, cross; beneath **Γ**; in ex., **KAP**



Silver Byzantine token?

No. 16: 33mm.; 8.4gr.



Obv: Two emperial busts facing beardless, each wearing crown, the figure on the left wears loros; the other figure wears chlamys; between heads, pellets; in field above, cross.
Inscr. **PILIS IMSSb?**

Rev: Emperor holding a spear on a horse moving left; he is nimbate wearing diadem, cuirass, military cloack and boots. The horse is wearing a decorated saddle-cloth a jeweled trappings and preceded by winged Victory; in field above, cross. In the field is a star.
Inscr., off centre.

THE RUPENID KINGDOM IN CILICIAN ARMENIA

Hetoum I (1226-1270A.D.)

AYAS

No. 1: Tank, 30mm.; 7.2gr.



Obv: King seated on throne adorned with conventionalized lions. Star in the l. field. Clockwise legened,
+ ՀԵԹՈՒՄ ԹԱԳԱՒՈՐ ՀԱՅՈՑ

Rev: Potent cross with two stars in two quadrants and two V shaped in two quadrants. Clockwise legend struck in the city of Ayas ԱՒՍ
(Cf. Nercessian 1995: Pl. 28, and 29, Nos. 351-357)
***Var**.