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Description

Front: Unbekleidete, vom Rücken her dem Betrachter zugewandte Büste des Menandros mit Diadem und mit Aegis über der l. Schulter. Mit dem erhobenen r. Arm führt er den teilweise vom Kopf verdeckten Speer.

Rear: Athena Alkidemos mit einem Blitzbündel in der erhobenen r. Hand nach l. Im r. F. Monogramm. Leichter Doppelschlag.

Basic data

|                     |                                                 |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Material/Technique: | Silver; struck                                  |
| Measurements:       | Weight: 2.46 g; Diameter: 19 mm; Die-axis: 12 h |

Events

|                      |       |                                 |
|----------------------|-------|---------------------------------|
| Created              | When  | 155-130 BC                      |
|                      | Who   |                                 |
|                      | Where | Bactria                         |
| Commissioned         | When  |                                 |
|                      | Who   | Menander I                      |
|                      | Where |                                 |
| Owned                | When  |                                 |
|                      | Who   | Charles Richard Fox (1796-1873) |
|                      | Where |                                 |
| Was depicted (Actor) | When  |                                 |

|                               |       |            |
|-------------------------------|-------|------------|
| [Relationship<br>to location] | Who   | Menander I |
|                               | Where |            |
|                               | When  |            |
|                               | Who   |            |
|                               | Where | Asia       |

## Keywords

- Classical antiquity
- Coin
- Drachme
- God
- Hellenistic period
- Portrait
- Silver

## Literature

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