

	Object: Parther: Phraates II. Museum: Münzkabinett Geschwister-Scholl-Straße 6 10117 Berlin 030 / 266424242 ikmk@smb.spk-berlin.de Collection: Antike, Alter Orient Inventory number: 18207754
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Description

Front: Drapierte Büste des Phraates II. mit Diadem nach l. Dahinter r. NICAIA.
Rear: Bogenschütze (Arsakes) sitzt auf Omphalos mit seiner Waffe nach r.

Basic data

Material/Technique:	Silver; struck
Measurements:	Weight: 4.13 g; Diameter: 19 mm; Die-axis: 12 h

Events

Created	When	138-127 BC
	Who	
	Where	Nisa
Commissioned	When	
	Who	Phraates II. (138-127 v. Chr.)
	Where	
Owned	When	
	Who	Franz Theodor Strauss (1859-1911)
	Where	
Was depicted (Actor)	When	
	Who	Phraates II. (138-127 v. Chr.)
	Where	

[Relationship to location]	When	
	Who	
	Where	Near East

Keywords

- Authority
- Classical antiquity
- Coin
- Drachme
- Hellenistic period
- Silver
- ruler

Literature

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