

	<p>Object: Hercle, der etruskische Herakles</p> <p>Museum: Museum August Kestner Trammplatz 3 30159 Hannover (0511) 168-42730 museen- kulturgeschichte@hannover- stadt.de</p> <p>Collection: Ancient Cultures</p> <p>Inventory number: 3110</p>
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Description

The cult of Hercle belongs to the private sphere among the Etruscans - like that of Heracles among the Greeks. However, the Etruscan Hercle was considered a god, unlike the Heros Heracles. The attributes, lion's skin and club, were the same. (AVS)

Former August Kestner Collection, Rome

Basic data

Material/Technique:	Bronze
Measurements:	Height: 11.7 cm

Events

Created	When	4. century BC
	Who	
	Where	Etruria
Collected	When	
	Who	August Kestner (1777-1853)
	Where	Rome
[Relation to person or institution]	When	
	Who	Hercle
	Where	

Keywords

- Figurine
- God

Literature

- Gercke, Wendula Barbara (1996): Etruskische Kunst im Kestner-Museum. Hannover, 200 Nr. 258