

	<p>Object: Lion and lioness</p> <p>Museum: Museum August Kestner Trammplatz 3 30159 Hannover (0511) 168-42730 museen- kulturgeschichte@hannover- stadt.de</p> <p>Collection: Ancient Cultures, Collection of Ancient Oriental Scriptural Monuments, Gemmen, Kameen und Glaspasten. Die Sammlung geschnittener Steine</p> <p>Inventory number: 1930.95</p>
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## Description

Mask of a lion and a lioness opposite. – The Middle Persian (Pehlewi) inscription at the edge of the picture has religious content and is translated as “trust in the gods”. (AVS)

## Basic data

Material/Technique: agate / carved  
Measurements: Height: 1.92 cm, width: 1.33 cm

## Events

Created	When	224-651
	Who	
	Where	Persia

## Keywords

- Pahlavi
- Panthera leo
- Stamp seal

## Literature

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