Object: Horned Animal Figurine Museum: Museum August Kestner Trammplatz 3 30159 Hannover (0511) 168-42730 museenkulturgeschichte@hannoverstadt.de Collection: Luristan. Antike Bronzen aus dem Iran Inventory 1971.071 number:

## **Description**

The highly stylized, horned animal figure has four short, stubby legs with pointed or rounded ends. The torso extends straight rounded plastically to the forelegs. The neck is thinner than the torso and is raised at a 45° angle. The head shows no facial expression and forms a triangle in profile. Ears are not present, only a strongly accentuated, protruding horn that points forward.

It is possible that this is a simplified figure of a bovid. Above the front legs the figure is horizontally pierced. (Text: S. Arnhold)

## Basic data

Material/Technique: Bronze
Measurements:

## **Events**

[Relationship When to location]

Who

Where Lorestan Province

## **Keywords**

• Bronze

- Luristan bronze
- Tierfigur
- Zoomorphe Motive