

	Object:	Octavianus, Marcus Antonius and Lepidus
	Museum:	Museum August Kestner Trammplatz 3 30159 Hannover (0511) 168-42730 museen- kulturgeschichte@hannover- stadt.de
	Collection:	Ancient Cultures, Gemmen, Kameen und Glaspasten. Die Sammlung geschnittener Steine
	Inventory number:	K 810

Description

Heads of the three triumvirs in profile, two side by side, one opposite: Octavianus, Marcus Antonius, Lepidus.

After Caesar's assassination in 44 BC, Octavianus, Marcus Antonius and Lepidus allied to form the Second Triumvirate, which was extended in 38 BC after Marcus Antonius had defeated Caesar's assassins at the battle of Philippi. Soon afterwards Lepidus was deprived of his power and resigned from the Triumvirate in 36 BC.

This piece is a post-antique replica of an 18th century gem in jasper. (AVS)

Former August Kestner Collection, Rome

Basic data

Material/Technique:	Glass paste, brown / carved
Measurements:	Height: 1.55 cm, width: 2.17 cm

Events

Created	When	1700-1800
	Who	
	Where	
Collected	When	
	Who	August Kestner (1777-1853)

Was depicted (Actor)	Where	Rome
	When	
	Who	Marcus Aemilius Lepidus (-90--12)
	Where	
Was depicted (Actor)	When	
	Who	Mark Antony (-86--30)
	Where	
	When	
Was depicted (Actor)	Who	Augustus (-63-14)
	Where	
[Relation to person or institution]	When	
	Who	Julius Caesar (-100--44)
	Where	

Keywords

- Triumvirate