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Type 1a (naming Anastasius I): denomination mark between two stars



DOC - ; MIB - ; 15.66 gms
EBCC - ; 2163.17; 1a.Δ.OD3.1.RD4.1



DOC 213; MIB N131, 1; 19.48 gms
EBCC - ; 2557.18; 1a.Δ.OD2.5.RD4.4



DOC 213; MIB N131, 1; 14.67 gms
EBCC 6.1; 359i.90; 1a.Δ.OD2.6.RD4.5



DOC 213; MIB N131, 1; 11.99 gms
EBCC - ; 2520.18; 1a.Δ.OD2.8.RD4.7



DOC 213; MIB N131, 1; 11.92 gms
EBCC 6.2; 1618.12; 1a.Δ.OD2.9.RD4.8



DOC 213; MIB N131, 1; 10.28 gms
EBCC 6.3; 215.88; 1a.Δ.OD2.11.RD4.10

Type 1a, var. (naming Anastasius I): denomination mark between two stars



MIB - ; 10.33 gms;
EBCC - ; 2334.18; 1av.Δ.OD5.1.RD6.1

Type 1b (naming Justin I): Denomination mark between two stars



MIB 131, 2; 13.20 gms
EBCC 6.4; 1546.11; 1b.A.OD6.1.RD7.1



MIB - ; 10.92 gms
EBCC - ; 2535.18; 1b.E.OD9.1.RD10.1

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Type 2 (naming Anastasius): denomination mark between two crosses on globes



letters of the obverse legend. It is conceivably the product of an Antioch "local mint".

Numismatic Chronicle 1978, pp. 66-70, number 51
9.94 gms
EBCC 6.5; 1345.07; 2.A.OD10.1.RD.11.1

Type 3 (naming Anastasius I): denomination mark between two stars; CON in exergue



MIB - ; 12.27 gms
EBCC 6.6; 1642.12; 3.A.OD3.3.RD12.1

Related coins



10.46 gms; EBCC - ; 2558.18

The long string of letters and numbers relating to the emergency coinage represents a die identity code used in a forthcoming study of the coins - examining the 30-odd known specimens.

Notes on post-EBCC coins

2334.18: The obverse legend clearly reads Anastasius. The reverse, although clear in its intent, seems less confidently executed. Thus, for the moment, I have included it as a variety. The obverse die-links to a coin of type 3 with the mint mark CON.

2535.18: See MIB volume 3 N 131,2 for comparison. The fifth officina is unusual for the Imperial mint at Antioch.

2557.18: Struck on a large flan and unusually heavy.

2558.18: Non-Imperial. Distinguished by the reduced module, light weight and the ill-formed