

Un tezaur conținând drahme emise de Dyrrhachium și Apollonia din colecția Muzeului Național Brukenthal (Transilvania II)

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Abstract

A Hoard with Drachmas Issued by Dyrrhachium and Apollonia from the Brukenthal National Museum Collection (Transylvania II)

In the 1st century BC large quantities of drachmas issued by the Adriatic cities: Dyrrhachium and Apollonia arrived in the Dacians' territories. Many hoards, containing this kind of coins, were discovered in Transylvania, some of them being preserved in regional museums' collections. Unfortunately, many hoards, recorded in the oldest collections don't preserved the discovery places because of the lack of interested for such details in the time when those pieces were collected. In this situation is, also, this hoard, named Transylvania II because of the large probability to being discovered in this region, which provide interesting information regarding the typological evolution of Dyrrhachium and Apollonia coins and complete the data regarding the presence of those coins north to the Danube.

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