Session B

Begins at 14:00 PDT on Thursday, May 23, 2019

Islamic Coins

Spain & North Africa



403. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN: al-Hakam I**, 796-822, AR dirham (2.64g), al-Andalus, AH190, A-341, superb strike, choice AU $120 - 160



404. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN: al-Hakam I**, 796-822, AR dirham (2.73g), al-Andalus, AH192, A-341, excellent strike, choice EF $100 - 120



405. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN: al-Hakam I**, 796-822, AR dirham (2.61g), al-Andalus, AH193, A-341, AU $100 - 120



406. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN: al-Hakam I**, 796-822, AR dirham (2.67g), al-Andalus, AH198, A-341, lovely strike, EF $100 - 120

407. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN:** LOT of 3 silver dirhams of al-Hakam I, type A-341, dated AH191, 193, and 195, all well-struck examples in EF condition (tiny scratches on the AH193 piece); retail value $230, **lot of 3 pieces** $130 - 160

408. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN:** LOT of 3 silver dirhams of al-Hakam I, type A-341, dated AH196, 197, and 199, all well-struck examples in EF condition; retail value $240, **lot of 3 pieces** $140 - 160



409. **JAWHARID OF CÓRDOBA: temp. Abu'l-Walid Muhammad**, 1042-1058, AV fractional dinar (0.63g), Qurtuba (Córdoba), DM, A-D399, VyE-440, portions of the city name clearly visible, crude strike with some weakness, EF**, RR** $120 - 160

Originally a tentative attribution by Vives y Escudero, but now confirmed by Tonegawa.



410. **ABBADID OF SEVILLE: al-Mu'tadid 'Abbad**, 1042-1069, AV fractional dinar (1.15g), al-Andalus, ND, A-401A, wavy flan, much peripheral detail, VF $250 - 300



411. **ABBADID OF SEVILLE: al-Mu'tamid Muhammad**, 1069-1091, AV fractional dinar (1.44g), AH484, A-403A, nicely centered, VF-EF $300 - 400



412. **TAIFAS AFTER THE ALMORAVIDS: Anonymous**, 1146-1155, AV dinar (4.02g), NM, AH544, A-4201, cf. VyE-1998 for an identical piece dated 545, obverse legend ends with *nasr min Allah* bold strike, without any weakness (formerly type A-405 in the Checklist), trace of waviness but overall stunning, EF**, RR** $800 - 1,000



413. **TAIFAS AFTER THE ALMORAVIDS: Anonymous**, 1146-1155, AV dinar (3.52g), NM, AH550, A-4201, cf. VyE-1998 for a somewhat similar piece dated 546, obverse legend ends with *al-amr kulluhu lillah / wahdahu;* lovely obverse, reverse somewhat double-struck, mount removed (formerly type A-405 in the Checklist), VF-EF**, RR** $600 - 800



414. **TAIFAS AFTER THE ALMORAVIDS: Anonymous**, 1146-1155, AV dinar (3.86g), NM, AH554, A-4201, cf. VyE-1998/2002 for a group of somewhat similar examples of different years, obverse legend ends with *al-amr kulluhu lillah la / quwwa illa billah,* lovely strike on broad flan, without any weakness (formerly type A-405 in the Checklist), appears to be unpublished date, EF**, RR** $900 - 1,100

This type was probably issued somewhere in southeastern Spain by local contenders opposed to the rising Kings of Murcia and the Almohades arriving from North Africa. The overall calligraphic style resembles some of the dinars minted in the early to mid 540s in and around the Spanish city of Jaén.



415. **HUDID OF MURCIA: temp. Muhammad Baha al-Dawla**, 1241-1261, AV ½ dinar (2.26g), Mursiya, AH644, A-A410.1, totally anonymous, with religious legends only, plus the mint/date formula in the bottom two lines of the reverse field: *duriba bi-mursiya 'am ar- / -bi'a wa arbi'in wa sitmi'a;*, wonderful strike, with no weakness & perfectly centered, choice EF**, RRR** $3,000 - 3,500

The gold coins of Muhammad Baha' al-Dawla are the only dated gold coins of North Africa or Spain struck between the demise of the Kings of Mursiya in AH567 and the arrival of the Sa'dians in Morocco in the AH950s (Ottoman slightly earlier, after 926), struck from AH644-648 with the date in the field, 649-659 with the date in the margin, always written out in words. The Hudids of Murcia arose during the demise of the Almohades in the 620s, agreed to a protectorate with Fernando III of Castile in 640/641 by the treaty of Alcaraz, briefly succeeded by the Nasrid Muhammad I, then ultimately surrendered to James I of Aragon in 1266 (AH664). Only 2 examples of this type are recorded on CoinArchives, dated 646 and 647, both of much lower quality than this example.



416. **IDRISID: Idris I**, 789-791, AR dirham (2.45g), AH177 (sic), A-419, mint must be Tudgha, but the engraver confused the city name with the following word *sana*, which he in turn combined with what should be *arba'* for "4" (for AH174), the ruler's name in the reverse margin is *idris bin 'abd Allah*, who ruled AH172-175; an interesting error, VF**, R** $120 - 160



417. **IDRISID: Idris II**, 791-828, AR dirham (2.44g), Walila, AH182, A-420, some adhesions in the obverse margin, not affecting the design, bold strike, choice VF**, S** $120 - 160



418. **IDRISID: Idris II**, 791-828, AR dirham (2.07g), Mrira, AH204, A-421, E-265, slightly uneven surfaces, VF**, R** $180 - 240



419. **IDRISID: Idris II**, 791-828, AR dirham (1.74g), Tilimsan, AH207, A-421, E-78, extremely rare mint for the Idrisid dynasty - Eustache lists only two dates for the mint (207 & 212, both extremely rare), crude VF**, RRR** $180 - 220



420. **KHARIJITE OF TUDGHA: Khalaf b. al-Muda'**, 791-792, AR dirham (2.68g), Tudgha, AH175, A-430, no hidden names, pellet below the upper name *khalaf* in the reverse field, VF $110 - 140



421. **KHARIJITE: al-Rashid**, ca. 796-803, AR dirham (2.45g), NM, ND, A-430D, North African issue, related to the series of Khalaf b. al-Muda' and afterwards, citing the Abbasid caliph al-Rashid and with the word *'abd* below the reverse field, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $130 - 160



422. **AMIRS OF TILIMSAN (Nefza): Anonymous**, 796-814, AR dirham (2.55g), Tilimsan, AH180, A-T434, E-—, inscribed *tayyib* below the reverse (reported thus far only for AH191, E-85, and a different reverse field text: *tilimsan / sall / Allah / 'ala muhammad / tayyib*, unpublished and likely unique, pleasing VF $200 - 300



423. **AGHLABID: Ibrahim I**, 800-811, AR dirham (2.75g), Ifriqiya, AH185, A-435.1, al-'Ush-171, in the sole name of Ibrahim, a few light scratches in obverse field, but still very attractive, choice VF**, S** $100 - 150



424. **AGHLABID: Anonymous**, ca. 822-825, AR dirham (2.97g), MM, AH210, A-A441.5, citing 'Isa in the obverse center, mint off the flan but likely Ifriqiya, muled with an old reverse die of al-Rashid citing al-Amin as heir to the caliphate, VF**, RR** $300 - 350



425. **AGHLABID: Muhammad I**, 840-856, AE fals (0.45g), NM, AH233, A-D444, very clear date, extremely rare when the date is legible, always without mint name, VF-EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



426. **ALMORAVID: Abu Bakr**, 1056-1087, AV dinar (4.20g), Sijilmasa, AH454, A-461.2, H-29/30, bold mint & date, EF**, R** $650 - 800

Hazard cited only 2 examples assigned to this year, but both with unclear dates; a clearly dated example of AH454, same obverse die, was sold in our Auction 14, Lot 230.



427. **ALMORAVID: Abu Bakr**, 1056-1087, AV dinar (4.13g), Sijilmasa, AH473, A-461.2, H-44, nice strike, EF $600 - 700



428. **ALMORAVID: Ibrahim b. Abi Bakr**, 1070-1074, AV dinar (4.14g), Sijilmasa, AH465, A-463, H-55, same obverse die as the piece illustrated by Hazard, probably also the same reverse die, choice VF**, RRR** $1,500 - 2,000

Only one example of the extremely rare dinars of Ibrahim is posted on CoinArchives, dated AH462.



429. **ALMORAVID: Yusuf**, 1087-1106, AV dinar (3.93g), Sabta (Ceuta), AH484, A-464.1, H-73, slightly wavy surfaces, bold and well-centered, VF-EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $2,000 - 2,500

The Sabta (Ceuta) mint produced gold coins for the Almoravids (al-Murabitun) only for Yusuf b. Tashufin and only in AH484. A similar example is also posted on the website of the Tonegawa Collection.



430. **ALMORAVID: Yusuf**, 1087-1106, AV dinar (4.09g), Sijilmasa, AH486, A-464.1, slightly uneven surfaces, decent strike, EF $550 - 650



431. **ALMORAVID: Yusuf**, 1087-1106, AV dinar (4.12g), Aghmat, AH494, A-464.1, H-67, lovely well-centered strike, VF-EF $600 - 700



432. **ALMORAVID: 'Ali**, 1106-1142, AV dinar (4.20g), al-Mariya (Almería), AH533, A-466.2, H-361, citing the heir apparent Sir, who was replaced by his brother Tashufin in that year; superb strike for this mint during the AH530s, bold EF $1,200 - 1,300



433. **ALMOHAD: Abu Muhammad 'Abd al-Mu'min**, 1130-1163, AV ½ dinar (2.28g), Fèz (Fas), ND, A-478, VF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 180



434. **ALMOHAD: Abu Hafs 'Umar al-Murtadâ**, 1248-1266, AV dinar (4.60g), NM, ND, A-491, H-533, Zeno-221743 (this piece), fabulous strike, with the finest calligraphy for this reign, and without any weakness whatsoever! choice EF $1,000 - 1,200



435. **HAFSID: Abu Zakariya' Yahya I**, 1230-1249, AV dinar (4.72g), Tilimsan (Tlemcen), ND, A-499.2, H-548, gorgeous calligraphy, adopted from the finest styles of the previous Almohad gold coinage; superb bold strike, EF-AU**, RR** $2,000 - 2,400

Although the chief city of the Ziyanids from AH637, it was retaken by the Hafsids about AH640 (1242/43 AH) and held for a few years (perhaps until about 650), thereafter almost permanently Ziyanid.



436. **HAFSID: Abu Faris 'Abd al-'Aziz II**, 1394-1434, AV ¼ dinar (1.14g), ND, A-512A, bold well-centered strike, VF**, RR** $300 - 400



437. **ZIYANID: Abu Tashufin 'Abd al-Rahman I**, 1318-1337, AV dinar (4.54g), Tilimsan (Tlemcen), ND, A-515.2, H-648, superb strike, without any weakness at all, a common type, but rare in this quality, lovely EF-AU $1,100 - 1,200



438. **ZIYANID: Imitation**, ca. 14th/15th century, AV dinar (4.58g), "Tilimsan", ND, A-515.2var, H-H—, imitating the standard dinar of Abu Tashufin 'Abd al-Rahman I (1318-1337), with numerous spelling errors and stylistic calligraphy, EF**, R** $250 - 350

The mint name should read "tilimsân", but it appears as a couple of meaningless symbols, followed by the central portion of the mint name engraved as "muhammad". Hazard lists imitations based on Almohad, Hafsid, and Merinid prototypes, but none based on Ziyanid prototypes.



439. **MERINID: Abu Sa'id 'Uthman II**, 1310-1331, AV ½ dinar (2.20g), Sijilmasa, ND, A-A528, 4-line legends in the field on both sides, slight weakness, VF**, RR** $240 - 300

Hazard lists this type only for the mints of Fèz and Marrakesh.



440. **MERINID: temp. Abu'l-Hasan 'Ali**, 1331-1351, AV dinar (4.64g), Sijilmasa, ND, A-528.3, with the Ziyanid term *ma aqrab faraj Allah,* referring to 737-749 occupation of Tilimsan, excellent strike, choice EF**, R** $800 - 900



441. **MERINID: Abu'l-'Inan Fâris**, 1348-1358, AV dinar (4.68g), Madinat Fas (Fèz), ND, A-531, H-774/75, ruler cited as *'abd Allah faris amir al-mu'minin al-mutawakkil 'ala Allah rabb al-'alimin,* wonderful strike, EF $800 - 900



442. **MERINID: Abu'l-'Inan Fâris**, 1348-1358, AV dinar (4.63g), Madinat Sijilmasa, ND, A-531, H-772/73, ruler cited as *'abd Allah faris amir al-mu'minin al-mutawakkil 'ala Allah rabb al-'alimin,* excellent strike, EF $800 - 900

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443. **TULUNID: Harun**, 896-905, AV dinar (4.16g), Misr, AH286, A-667.1, citing the caliph al-Mu'tadid, bold strike, choice EF $325 - 425



444. **TULUNID: Harun**, 896-905, AV dinar (3.87g), Misr, AH290, A-667.2, wonderful bold strike, finest style, choice AU $350 - 450



445. **IKHSHIDID: Muhammad**, 935-946, AR dirham (2.36g), Dimashq, AH334, A-675, Bacharach-137, ruler cited only as al-Ikhshid, caliph al-Mustakfi, about 10% flat strike, VF**, R** $100 - 130



446. **IKHSHIDID: Abu'l-Qasim**, 946-961, AR dirham (2.53g), Tabariya, AH336, A-677, Bacharach-161, some central weakness, very clear mint & date, about 30% flat strike, crude VF**, R** $90 - 110



447. **FATIMID: al-Mahdi**, 909-934, AV dinar (4.18g), NM, AH315, A-688, Nicol-95, above average strike for this type, EF $700 - 900



448. **FATIMID: al-Qa'im**, 934-946, AR ½ dirham (1.44g), al-Mahdiya, AH326, A-693, VF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



449. **FATIMID: al-Qa'im**, 934-946, AR ½ dirham (1.42g), al-Mahdiya, AH330, A-693, Nicol-175, date weak but certain, minor weakness, overall quite attractive, VF $80 - 100



450. **FATIMID: al-Mansur**, 946-953, AV dinar (4.13g), al-Mansuriya, AH340, A-694, Nicol-218, decent strike, attractive VF $500 - 700



451. **FATIMID: al-Mansur**, 946-953, AV dinar (4.18g), al-Mansuriya, AH341, A-694, Nicol-221, lovely strike, EF $700 - 900



452. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV dinar (4.17g), al-Mansuriya, AH355, A-697, Nicol-412, lovely strike, EF $300 - 350



453. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV dinar (3.88g), Misr, AH358, A-697, Nicol-358, year of Fatimid conquest of Egypt, Fine**, R** $200 - 240



454. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV dinar (3.96g), al-Mansuriya, AH344, A-697.1, Nicol-395, Fine $180 - 220



455. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV dinar (3.69g), Filastin, AH359, A-697.1, Nicol-336, first Fatimid dinar from Filastin, as the Fatimid conquest of Filastin from the Qaramita occurred during that year, uneven surfaces, pierced, VF**, RR** $800 - 1,000



456. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV dinar (4.10g), Misr, AH363, A-697.1, Nicol-368, nice strike, VF $220 - 300



457. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV dinar (4.09g), Misr, AH363, A-697.1, Nicol-368, VF $200 - 250



458. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV 1/8 dinar (0.59g), NM, ND, A-698A, very attractive with virtually no wear evident, EF $300 - 400



459. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV ¼ dinar (1.02g), al-Mansuriya, AH361, A-698, Nicol-422, Fine**, R** $110 - 140



460. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV ¼ dinar (1.05g), Siqilliya, AH362, A-698, Nicol-313, superb example, almost perfectly centered and without any weakness, EF**, R** $260 - 350



461. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AV ¼ dinar (1.04g), Siqilliya, DM, A-698, clear mint name, date off flan, VF-EF**, R** $120 - 160



462. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR broad dirham (3.41g), Filastin, AH359, A-W699, Nicol-340, first year for Fatimid coinage of Filastin, about 40% flat, but full clear mint & date, Fine**, RR** $400 - 500



463. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR broad dirham (2.90g), Filastin, AH363, A-W699, Nicol-342, bold strike (only about 15% flat), full mint & date, of which Nicol knew of just three pieces, VF**, RR** $500 - 600



464. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR broad dirham (2.88g), Filastin, AH363, A-W699, Nicol-342, modestly crinkled, some spots of weakness, reasonably clear date, of which Nicol knew of just three pieces, VG**, RR** $500 - 600



465. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR broad dirham (2.33g), Filastin, AH364, A-W699, Nicol—, unpublished date, some weakness but overall a nice strike with bold mint & date, VF**, RR** $500 - 600



466. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR ½ dirham (1.44g), al-Mansuriya, AH353, A-699, average strike, VF $100 - 120



467. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR ½ dirham (1.31g), al-Mansuriya, AH355, A-699, Nicol-449, decent strike, nice VF $100 - 120



468. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR ½ dirham (1.47g), al-Mansuriya, AH357, A-699, Nicol-451, superb strike, lovely golden toning, one of the loveliest examples we have ever seen, choice EF-AU $200 - 250



469. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR ½ dirham (1.46g), al-Mansuriya, AH358, A-699, good strike, VF-EF $110 - 130



470. **FATIMID: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR ½ dirham (1.39g), al-Mansuriya, AH360, A-699, Nicol-454, nice strike, choice VF $100 - 140



471. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AV dinar (4.11g), al-Mahdiya, AH367, A-703, Nicol-799, VF $200 - 250



472. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AV dinar (4.17g), Filastin, AH373, A-703, Nicol-673, spacious even strike on broad flan, EF $600 - 800



473. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AV dinar (3.98g), al-Mahdiya, AH375, A-703, decent strike for this mint, Fine $200 - 260



474. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AV dinar (4.18g), Filastin, AH378, A-703, Nicol-679, VF $600 - 800



475. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AV dinar (4.13g), al-Mansuriya, AH383, A-703, Nicol-764, VF $200 - 250



476. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR broad dirham (3.35g), Filastin, AH367, A-W705, Nicol—, very soft strike, but clear mint & date, and an unpublished date for Filastin silver, Fine**, RRR** $350 - 450



477. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR ½ dirham (1.40g), Misr, AH371, A-705, Nicol-728, minor weakness, as usual, VF**, S** $110 - 150



478. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR ½ dirham (1.27g), al-Mahdiya, AH372, A-705, Nicol-830, clear mint & date, VF $90 - 110



479. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR ½ dirham (1.21g), Atrabulus (Tripoli in Libya), AH373, A-705, Nicol 652, Fine $220 - 260



480. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (3.85g), Misr, AH388, A-709.2, Nicol-1074, modestly wrinkled, VF $180 - 220



481. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (4.18g), Misr, AH393, A-709.2, Nicol-1079, F-VF $200 - 250



482. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (4.23g), Misr, AH396, A-709.2, Nicol-1080, lovely strike for this type, choice EF $280 - 350



483. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (4.27g), Misr, AH398, A-709.2, Nicol-1084, decent F-VF $180 - 220



484. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (4.23g), Misr, AH400, A-709.2, wonderful strike for this type, choice EF $300 - 400



485. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (4.23g), Misr, AH400, A-709.2, decent strike, VF $220 - 260



486. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, AV dinar (4.17g), Misr, AH403, A-709.3, Nicol-1091, slightly wavy surfaces, EF $220 - 260



487. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, glass jeton/weight (5.91g), ND, A-713, FGJ-66, legend *al-hakim / bi-amr / Allah,* plain border, very light brownish color, translucent, VF $180 - 220



488. **FATIMID: al-Hakim**, 996-1021, glass jeton/weight (5.93g), ND, A-713, FGJ-74, Imam's name in 2 lines, minor weakness, plain border, translucent green, VF $100 - 120



489. **FATIMID: al-Zahir**, 1021-1036, AV dinar (4.20g), Misr, AH414, A-714.1, Nicol-1514, bold strike, VF-EF $250 - 300



490. **FATIMID: al-Zahir**, 1021-1036, AV dinar (4.15g), Misr, AH418, A-714.1, Nicol-1520, Fine $180 - 240



491. **FATIMID: al-Zahir**, 1021-1036, AV ¼ dinar (0.96g), Siqilliya, AH419, A-715, Nicol-1412, nice strike, choice VF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



492. **FATIMID: al-Zahir**, 1021-1036, AV ¼ dinar (0.81g), al-Mansuriya, AH423, A-715, Nicol-1562, small flan crack, VF**, RR** $150 - 200

Nicol lists only 2 pieces, one of which is this piece, sold in our price list #131.



493. **FATIMID: al-Zahir**, 1021-1036, AV 1/4 dinar (0.97g), Siqilliya, AH426, A-715, Nicol-1429, nice strike, choice EF**, R** $250 - 350



494. **FATIMID: al-Zahir**, 1021-1036, glass jeton/weight (5.93g), ND, A-718, FGJ-215, Imam's name & titles in three lines // the Shi'ite kalima, of which *'ali wali Allah* is clear, light brown, translucent, VF-EF $300 - 400



495. **FATIMID: Anonymous**, 1036-1039, AV ¼ dinar (rub'i) (0.96g) (Siqilliya), DM, A-718N, Spahr-32/33, cf. Nicol-1761 dated AH431 for an example of this series, his type Y6, VF**, R** $150 - 200

Struck during the conflict after the death of al-Zahir, between al-Mustansir and his rivals in the west.



496. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.54g), Halab, AH446, A-719A, Nicol-1710, EF $1,200 - 1,600



497. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.83g), Dimashq, AH435, A-719.1, Nicol-1723, twice lightly creased, decent strike, F-VF**, R** $450 - 550



498. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.13g), Misr, AH436, A-719.1, Nicol-2114, slightly crinkled, but very attrative strike, VF $200 - 250



499. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.24g), Misr, AH438, A-719.1, Nicol-2117, gorgeous strike, EF-AU $300 - 400



500. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.93g), Misr, AH439, A-719.2, Nicol-2119, bold strike, very slightly uneven surfaces (likely from original striking), EF-AU $250 - 325



501. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.25g), Misr, AH440, A-719.2, Nicol-2121, EF $300 - 350



502. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.31g), Dimashq, AH441, A-719A, Nicol-1727, VF-EF**, R** $600 - 700



503. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.41g), Sur, AH446, A-719A, Nicol-1925, struck with slightly worn dies, VF $220 - 260



504. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.84g), Sur, AH450, A-719A, Nicol-1929, some weakness in the mint/date formula, but certain, F-VF $180 - 220



505. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.42g), Sur, AH453, A-719A, Nicol-1932, F-VF $200 - 250



506. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (2.88g), Sur, AH454, A-719A, Nicol-1933, EF $260 - 350



507. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.43g), al-Iskandariya, AH465, A-719A, Nicol-1667, lightly uneven surfaces, VF $200 - 260



508. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.44g), Sur, AH468, A-719.1, Nicol-1943, slightly wavy surfaces, VF $220 - 300



509. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.84g), Tarabulus (Trablus), AH471, A-719.2, Nicol-2017, strong VF $280 - 350



510. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.03g), al-Iskandariya, AH475, A-719A, Nicol-1681, lightly crinkled, bold VF $180 - 220



511. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.41g), al-Iskandariya, AH482, A-719.2, Nicol-1689, bold VF $260 - 325



512. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.22g), al-Iskandariya, AH482, A-719.2, Nicol-1689, EF $250 - 350



513. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV dinar (3.37g), Sur, AH487, A-719.2, Nicol-1952, last issue in the name of al-Mustansir, who died in this year after a 60 year reign, minor double-striking in the reverse center, EF**, RR** $500 - 600

Nicol reported only one example for this rare date.



514. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV ¼ dinar (1.10g), Siqilliya, AH(45)2, A-722, Nicol—, stellate type, the middle digit is almost certainly *khamsin* for "50", with Nicol's design X7, a short-lived variant also found on Nicol-1814 for the year AH451, EF-AU**, R** $200 - 260



515. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, AV ¼ dinar (0.92g) (Siqilliya), ND, A-722, stellate design, decent strike, with virtually no weakness, VF-EF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



516. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, glass jeton/weight (3.00g), ND, A-724, FGJ-298, Imam's name & titles in circular text, with part of *amir al-mu'minin* in center, almost transparent, very light gray, VF-EF $120 - 160



517. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, glass jeton/weight (2.93g), A-724, FGJ-262, green, translucent, VF $150 - 200



518. **FATIMID: al-Mustansir**, 1036-1094, glass jeton/weight (2.77g), A-724, B-FGJ-262, light green, transparent, moderate devitrification, F-VF $150 - 200



519. **FATIMID: al-Musta'li**, 1094-1101, AV ¼ dinar (1.16g), NM, ND, A-726, Nicol-2427, gorgeous example without any weakness whatsoever, choice EF**, RRR** $1,200 - 1,600

Nicol lists just 2 examples, one described as "severely clipped", the other, which he illustrates, also of very poor quality.



520. **FATIMID: al-Âmir al-Mansur**, 1101-1130, AV dinar (3.78g), Sur, AH495, A-729, Nicol-2475, first year of reign, very rare date, with Nicol reporting only two specimens, VF-EF**, RR** $500 - 600



521. **FATIMID: al-Âmir al-Mansur**, 1101-1130, AE "dinar" (2.88g), "Misr", AH506, A-729 type, copper imitation, probably a Crusader issue intended to be gold-plated to deceive the Arab population in trade, lovely VF**, R** $80 - 100



522. **FATIMID: al-Âmir al-Mansur**, 1101-1130, AV dinar (3.98g), Misr, AH509, A-729, Nicol-2528, EF $250 - 325



523. **FATIMID: al-Âmir al-Mansur**, 1101-1130, AV dinar (4.19g), Misr, AH511, A-729, Nicol-2456, fabulous strike, choice AU $450 - 550



524. **FATIMID: al-Âmir al-Mansur**, 1101-1130, AV dinar (4.57g), al-Mu'izziya al-Qahira, AH522, A-729, Nicol-2564, very rare mint, only briefly in operation, lovely VF-EF**, RR** $800 - 1,000



525. **FATIMID: al-Hafiz**, 1131-1149, glass jeton/weight (2.99g), ND, A-737, FGJ-398, Imam's name & titles in 4 lines, grayish green, opaque, VF $80 - 100



526. **FATIMID: al-Hafiz**, 1131-1149, glass jeton/weight (1.05g), ND, A-737, FGJ-398.4/5, Imam's name & titles in 4 lines, green, opaque, weight of ¼ standard dinar, VF $80 - 100



527. **ANTI-NORMAN IN SICILY: Muhammad b. 'Abbad**, 1219-1222, BI denaro (dirham) (0.53g), NM, ND, A-A747, claiming to be caliph, with the title *amir al-mu'minin,* lovely bold strike, perhaps the finest we have seen, EF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 250



528. **ANTI-NORMAN IN SICILY: Muhammad b. 'Abbad**, 1219-1222, BI denaro (dirham) (0.64g), NM, ND, A-A747, claiming to be caliph, with the title *amir al-mu'minin,* nice strike, with minimal weakness, VF-EF $120 - 160

529. **FATIMID:** LOT of 4 gold coins: al-Mu'izz (dinar, al-Mansuriya AH360, 4.16g, Fine); al-'Aziz (dinar, Misr 381, 4.15g, Fine, somewhat scruffy); al-Hakim (dinar, Misr 405, 4.23g, nearly EF, pierced), and al-Mustansir (quarter dinar, type of Siqilliya, 0.95g, much weakness, VF), total weight 13.49g; retail value $900, **lot of 4 pieces** $650 - 750

530. **FATIMID:** LOT of 4 gold coins: al-'Aziz (dinar, Misr 37x, 3.45g, Fine, scruffy; and Misr 366, 3.85g, VG, crinkled); al-Zahir (quarter dinar, Siqilliya type, date off, 0.96g, EF, much weakness); and al-Hakim (dinar, al-Mansuriya 41x, 4.05g, VF-EF, slightly unever surfaces), total weight 12.29g; retail value $850, **lot of 4 pieces** $650 - 750

531. **FATIMID:** LOT of 4 silver and billon coins: **al-'Aziz:** A-W705: AR broad dirham, style of Filastin mint, DM, 2.25g (F-VF); A-705, AR ½ dirham, al-Mansuriya AH368, 1.37g (nearly VF) and al-Mahdiya 373, 1.39g (weak VF); and **al-Âmir:** A-732, BI dirham, Sur, ND/DM, 1.59g (Fine, much porosity); retail value $325, **lot of 4 pieces** $180 - 240

532. **FATIMID:** LOT of 10 silver coins and 1 glass jeton: **al-'Aziz:** AR ½ dirham, al-Mansuriya DM (2 pcs); **al-Hakim:** AR ½ dirham, MM DM (2 pcs), and AR tiny fraction, NM ND (0.39g); and **al-Mustansir:** BI fractional dirham, NM ND (0.73g), all these average circulating grade; plus 3 sudaysis of the Rassids of Yemen (1 of al-Hadi and 2 of al-Nasir, all VF condition); and one Fatimid glass jeton in poor condition (unidentifiable, 2.57g); retail value $360, **lot of 11 pieces** $180 - 200



533. **BURID: Abaq**, 1140-1154, debased AV dinar (4.11g), Dimashq, AH548, A-A784, citing the Burid ruler and his Seljuq overlords in the inner obverse margin, *al-amir âbaq al-sultan sanjar wa mas'ud,* with the caliph cited as *al-imam* in the reverse center, *al-muqtafi* in the obverse center, one minor weak spot, unpublished and probably unique, VF-EF**, RRRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $1,600 - 2,000

Although Mas'ud died in Rajab AH547, he was still cited on this Burid dinar at Dimashq, on the same side as the clear date, AH548.



534. **AYYUBID: al-Nasir Yusuf I (Saladin)**, 1169-1193, AR dirham (2.78g), blundered mint, AH(581), A-787.2, contemporary imitation, possibly Armenian, some weakness, bold VF**, RR** $100 - 150



535. **AYYUBID: al-Afdal 'Ali**, 1193-1196, AR dirham (3.00g), Dimashq, AH589, A-846, some weakness, mint & date clear, despite some weakness, VF**, R** $100 - 150



536. **AYYUBID: al-Afdal 'Ali**, 1193-1196, BI dirham (1.90g), Hims, DM, A-846, contemporary forgery, for a rare dirham known for all years AH589-592 from the mint of Hims, VF**, R** $90 - 120



537. **AYYUBID: al-Afdal 'Ali**, 1193-1196, AR ½ dirham (1.46g), MM, DM, A-847.2, struck from worn dies with 3-line legends meant for the full dirham (hence mint & date off flan), VF**, RRR** $100 - 150



538. **AYYUBID: Abu Bakr I**, 1196-1218, AR ½ dirham (1.42g) (al-Qahira), DM, A-C806, B-—, square-in-circle type, citing the heir al-Kamil as *wali 'ahduhu al-malik al-kamil* in the obverse field, F-VF**, RRR** $100 - 150



539. **AYYUBID: al-Muhasin Baha al-Din Yusuf**, ca. 1216-1218, AE fals (1.90g), Halab, ND, A-838M, apparently the first known example of this ruler/governor, Fine**, RRR** $180 - 220

Al-Muhasim who lived 1145-1234, was appointed "qadi" (judge) at Halab (Aleppo) upon the death of Saladin in AH589, and may have achieved the right to have copper coins in his name, perhaps circa AH613 (the death of al-Zahir of Aleppo) or 615 (death of Abu Bakr of Egypt and Damascus), likely during the brief period between the death of one of these Ayyubid rulers and the confirmation of that ruler's successor. Cf. Wikipedia under "Baha al-Din ibn Shaddad".



540. **BAHRI MAMLUK: Hasan**, 1347-1351, AV dinar (6.70g), al-Qahira, DM, A-944, somewhat coarse calligraphy, with a few minor spelling errors, suggesting that this is an interesting contemporary Indian imitation, some weakness around the rims, VF $325 - 425



541. **BAHRI MAMLUK: Sha'ban II**, 1363-1376, AV dinar (6.02g), Dimashq, AHxx7, A-955, dated either 667 or 677, VF $325 - 400



542. **BAHRI MAMLUK: Sha'ban II**, 1363-1376, AR akçe (1.32g), Larende, ND, A-959, Ö&P-156 (type 4a), usual weakness, including the first part of the mint name, VF**, RR** $100 - 140



543. **BAHRI MAMLUK: 'Ali II**, 1376-1381, AV dinar (7.48g), MM, AH7xx, A-960, somewhat coarse calligraphy, suggesting that this is an interesting contemporary Indian imitation, VF $400 - 500

There are a few spelling errors, especially in the reverse phrase "arsalahu bi'l-hudda wa din".



544. **BURJI MAMLUK: Qansuh II al-Ghuri**, 1501-1516, AV ashrafi (3.42g), al-Qahira, ND, A-1041, VF $140 - 180

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545. **ABBASID OF YEMEN: al-Muqtadir**, 908-932, AV amiri dinar (1.29g), San'a, AH309, A-1058.1, traces of a mount removed, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 180



546. **AYYUBID OF YEMEN: al-'Aziz Tughtekin**, 1183-1197, AE fals (7.57g), Ta'izz, DM or undated, A-1091, cf. Zeno-84574 & 84582, central triangle both sides, much corrosion on one side, tentative attribution, Good**, RRR** $100 - 120



547. **AYYUBID OF YEMEN: al-'Adil Abu Bakr**, 1229-1233, AR dirham (2.09g), Ta'izz, AH627, A-1098.1, citing the main Ayyubid al-Kamil Muhammad as overlord, some weakness of strike, EF $100 - 130



548. **AYYUBID OF YEMEN: al-'Adil Abu Bakr**, 1229-1233, AR dirham (2.14g), Ta'izz, AH627, A-1098.1, citing the main Ayyubid al-Kamil Muhammad as overlord, nice strike, EF $100 - 130



549. **WAHHABI SHARIFS AT MECCA : temp. Yahya II b. Surur**, 1803-1827, AE ¼ mahmudi (3.03g), Makka (Mecca), AH1240, A-U1160, KM-5, pleasing brown color with bold date and *sanat* above, the reverse is scuffed, but the mint name is bold, Fine**, S** $1,000 - 1,500

Rum (Anatolia)



550. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Malikshah II**, AE fals (2.22g), NM, ND, A-1195, Izmirlier-44, horseman right, with small winged human figure (angel?) standing behind rider, F-VF**, RR** $150 - 200



551. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kaykhusraw I**, 2nd reign, 1204-1210, AR dirham (2.91g), Konya, AH601, A-1206, Izmirlier-124, choice VF $160 - 200



552. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kaykhusraw I**, 2nd reign, 1204-1210, AR dirham (2.68g), Kayseri, AH602, A-1206, Izmirlier-113, lovely VF $160 - 200



553. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kaykhusraw I**, 2nd reign, 1204-1210, AR dirham (2.90g), Kayseri, AH603, A-1206, Izmirlier-118, EF $200 - 300



554. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kaykhusraw I**, 2nd reign, 1204-1210, AR dirham (2.83g), Malatya, AH603, A-1206, Izmirlier-134, bold strike, rare mint, VF-EF $240 - 320



555. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us I**, 1210-1219, AR dirham (2.82g), Sivas, AH610, A-1208, Izmirlier-173, VF-EF $140 - 180



556. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us I**, 1210-1219, AR dirham (2.92g), Sivas, AH610, A-1208, Izmirlier-173, VF-EF $140 - 180



557. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us I**, 1210-1219, AR dirham (2.88g), Sivas, AH611, A-1208, Izmirlier-175, VF-EF $140 - 180



558. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us I**, 1210-1219, AR dirham (2.94g), Konya, AH611, A-1208, Izmirlier-168, VF $120 - 140



559. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayqubad I**, 1219-1236, AR bilingual tram (2.89g), NM, ND, A-1214, Izmirlier-344, citing the king of Armenia, Hetoum I, in Armenian, in the obverse margin, with mounted horseman in center, well-centered and well struck, EF $260 - 350



560. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kaykhusraw II**, 1236-1245, AR bilingual tram (2.64g), Sis, AH637, A-1221, citing Hetoum I, in Armenian, in the obverse margin, VF-EF $180 - 240

Issued by the Armenian ruler Hetoum I as vassal of Kaykhusraw II, minted only at Sis in Cilicia (now called Kozan, about 68 km north of Adana in south central Turkey).



561. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kaykhusraw II**, 1236-1245, AR bilingual tram (2.84g), Sis, AH639, A-1221, VF-EF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 240

Issued by the Armenian ruler Hetoum I as vassal of Kaykhusraw II, minted only at Sis in Cilicia.



562. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us II**, 1245-1249, AV dinar, Konya, AH644, A-A1223, Izmirlier-513 (different dies), with much original luster, ANACS graded MS63**, R** $1,200 - 1,500



563. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us II**, 1245-1249, AR ½ dirham (1.32g), Konya, AH647, A-1224, Izmirlier—, struck from special dies for the half dirham, style as the AH647 full dirham (Izmirlier-523), appears to be unpublished, VF-EF**, RRR** $300 - 400

Izmirlier lists several varieties of the half dirham for Kayka'us II, but only from the mint of Sivas, and none from Konya.



564. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Qilij Arslan IV**, 1248-1249, AR dirham (2.74g), Sivas, AH646, A-1226, mounted archer prancing right, VF**, RR** $350 - 450

With the archer shooting an arrow, as on the Great Mongol dirhams struck under Toregene just a few years before.



565. **SELJUQ OF RUM: The three brothers**, 1249-1259, AV dinar (4.56g), Konya, AH648, A-A1227, Izmirlier—, citing all three brothers, 'Izz al-Din Kayka'us II, Rukn al-Din Qilij Arslan IV, and 'Ala al-Din Kayqubad II, nice strike, lustrous, UNC $700 - 900



566. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Kayka'us II**, 2nd reign, 1257-1261, AE fals (2.79g), NM, ND, A-1231, Izmirlier-654, enthroned emperor, F-VF**, R** $100 - 140

567. **SELJUQ OF RUM:** LOT of 13 silver dirhams: Erzincan 666; Kayseri 617 and 619; Konya 631, 642, 643, 645, 647 and 652; Sivas 62x and 65x (of the 3 brothers); all in holders and identified, average circulated condition; retail value $385, **lot of 13 pieces** $200 - 280



568. **SARUHAN: Saruhan Bey**, 1411, AE mangyr (1.74g), NM, AH814, A-1253D, Ender-04C-002, ruler's name written as *sar / khan bin / ishaq* on obverse in three panels // *khulida mulkuhu* / 814 in two panels, Fine**, RRR** $100 - 150



569. **KARAMANID: Anonymous**, ca. 1310-1330, AR dirham (1.96g), Ermenek, AH71x, A-1267, Ölçer 17var, anonymous, derived from type A of the Ilkhan ruler Uljaytu: *al-mulku lillah* in square, mint name above // pointed pentafoil, date is probably 713, very rare mint, EF**, RR** $120 - 160



570. **KARAMANID: Anonymous**, ca. 1310-1330, AR dirham (2.00g), NM, blundered date, A-1267, Ölçer—, anonymous, derived from type A of the Ilkhan ruler Uljaytu: *al-mulku lillah* in square, mint name below // pointed quatrefoil, very rare mint, VF-EF**, RR** $120 - 160



571. **KARAMANID: Anonymous**, ca. 1310-1330, AR dirham (1.87g), NM, ND, A-1267, anonymous, derived from type C of the Ilkhan ruler Uljaytu, with triangle in obverse center, VF**, RR** $100 - 150



572. **KARAMANID: Muhammad b. 'Ala al-Din**, 1402-1419, AR dirham (1.67g), Larende, ND, A-1270.1, Ölçer-65, citing the Timurid ruler Timur as overlord, very rare mint for this type, about 15% flat strike, VF**, RR** $110 - 150

Early Ottoman Empire



573. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Orhan**, 1324-1360, AR akçe (1.15g), NM, ND, A-1288.1, NP-2, gorgeous strike, EF $120 - 160



574. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Selim I**, 1512-1520, AV sultani (3.48g), Serez, AH918, A-1314, nice even strike, well-centered, choice VF**, R** $700 - 900



575. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Süleyman I**, 1520-1566, AV sultani (3.49g), Misr, AH926, A-1317, VF $150 - 170



576. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Murad III**, 1574-1595, AV sultani (3.48g), Misr, AH974, A-1332.1, lovely bold strike, EF $180 - 220



577. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Murad III**, 1574-1595, AV sultani (3.42g), Misr, AH982, A-1332.2, reverse legend starts with *sultan al-barrin …*, superb strike, EF $180 - 220



578. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Mehmet III**, 1595-1603, AV sultani (3.44g), Misr, AH1003, A-1340.2, one testmark, typical of gold sultanis that were circulated in India, VF $160 - 200



579. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Ahmed I**, 1603-1617, AV sultani (3.49g), Misr, AH"1022", A-1347.2, Pere-358; Damali-14, error date for AH1012 likely caused by die break across date, EF**, RR**, *ex Künker "Sultani Collection" Auction 231, Lot 9785* $350 - 450



580. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE: Muhammad IV**, 1646-1687, AV sultani (3.39g), Kostantiniye, AH1058, A-1376, KM-83, full date, about VF $240 - 300

581. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE:** LOT of 57 silver akçes from Orhan to Mehmet IV (a few better items, including Musa Khan in VF condition, and Orhan in F-VF, but many in low grade or damaged) and 10 larger silver coins (all common varieties in lower grades, except one of Amid mint of Ibrahim in VF condition); retail value $850, **lot of 67 pieces** $300 - 450

582. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE:** LOT of 49 copper mangirs, from Bayezid I through Süleyman II, average VG to Fine condition, some better type with clear mint & date; retail value $500, **lot of 49 pieces** $200 - 300

583. **OTTOMAN EMPIRE:** LOT of 25 akçes, mostly Murad II, Mehmet II, and Bayezit II, common mints, average F-VF condition, including two better pieces, Edirne 875 of Mehmet II (EF-AU), and Edirne 813 of Musa Çelebi (VF); retail value $275, **lot of 25 pieces** $150 - 200

Later Ottoman Empire



584. **ALGIERS: Osman III**, 1754-1757, AV ½ sultani, Jazayir, AH1168, KM-22, PCGS graded EF Detail (holed)**, R** $200 - 300



585. **ALGIERS: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AR ¼ budju (3.28g), Jazayir, AH1172, KM-26, first issue, with reverse in octogram, choice VF**, RR** $250 - 300



586. **ALGIERS: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AR ¼ budju (3.36g), Jazayir, AH1182, KM-27, VF-EF $100 - 150



587. **ALGIERS: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AR ¼ budju (3.27g), Jazayir, AH1184, KM-27, EF $100 - 150



588. **ALGIERS: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AR ¼ budju (3.42g), Jazayir, AH1185, KM-27, EF $100 - 150



589. **ALGIERS: Mahmud II**, 1808-1830, AV sultani (3.04g), Jazayir, AH1237, KM-66, choice EF $550 - 650



590. **ALGIERS: Mahmud II**, 1808-1830, AV sultani (2.93g), Jazayir, AH1243, KM-66, VF-EF $425 - 500



591. **ALGIERS: Mahmud II**, 1809-1830, AR 2 budju, Jazayir, AH1239 (1824), KM-75, finest graded at NGC and the only example of this date graded in mint state, a choice example of this scarce denomination, NGC graded MS63 $450 - 550



592. **AZERBAIJAN: Mahmud I**, 1730-1754, AR abbasi, Ganja, AH1143, KM-16, superb bold strike, with traces of original luster, surely the finest example offered for many decades, PCGS graded MS63**, RR** $500 - 600

An Extremely Rare Silver Piastre of the Rebel Ali Bey



593. **EGYPT: Ali Bey**, 1769-1771, AR piastre (11.49g), Misr, AH1183, KM-117, believed to be the finest known example, graded PCGS Genuine VF Details due to a couple of minuscule scratches in obverse field, barely noticeable without a magnifier, in our opinion this could grade EF for this crudely produced type, a key specimen for any Egypt collection, PCGS graded VF Details**, RRR**, *ex Ken Bovenkamp Collection; ex Spink Auction 7018, Lot 580 (June 2007)* $6,000 - 8,000

Ali Bey Al-Kabir was originally a Mamluk soldier. Born in the region of Abkhazia in Georgia, Ali Bey was kidnapped and brought to Cairo in 1743 where he was sold into slavery.

He was recruited into the Mamluk force in which he gradually rose in ranks and influence, winning the top office of sheikh al-balad *(chief of the country) in 1760.*

He rose to prominence in 1768 when he rebelled against his Ottoman rulers making Egypt independent. The insubordination of his most trusted general, Abu al-Dhahab, led to Ali Bey's exile then death outside the walls of Cairo.

We can find no other examples of this coin listed on Coin Archives, only this piece, which was sold by Spink in June 2007.



594. **EGYPT: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AV 100 qirsh (8.54g), Misr, AH1255 year 5, KM-235.1, EF $400 - 450



595. **EGYPT: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AV 100 qirsh (8.57g), Misr, AH1255 year 9, KM-235.2, rare date, much original luster, AU $400 - 450



596. **EGYPT: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AV 100 qirsh (8.35g), Misr, AH1255 year 15, KM-235.2, EF $400 - 450



597. **EGYPT: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AE 20 para (12.07g), Misr, AH1277 year 7, KM-245, struck at the Cairo mint, thick narrow flan, rare one-year type, nice strike, VF**, R** $160 - 200



598. **EGYPT: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AR 20 para, Misr, AH1277 year 7, KM-247, bold strike, EF-AU $100 - 120



599. **EGYPT: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AE 40 para (24.60g), Misr, AH1277 year 10, KM-249, very low mintage local issue, struck at the Cairo mint, some discoloration, an unusually fine strike for this type, much rarer than the European issue, F-VF**, RRR** $200 - 300



600. **EGYPT: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AR 5 qirsh, Misr, AH1277 year 4, KM-253.1, struck at the Paris mint, surface hairlines, VF-EF $80 - 100



601. **EGYPT: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AE 20 para, AH1279, KM-Pn12, bronze pattern issue in the name of Mohamed Sa'id Pasha, a highly lustrous example and very popular type, Choice UNC $1,000 - 1,200

Mohamed Sa'id Pasha was the Wali of Egypt and Sudan from 1854 until 1863, officially owing fealty to the Ottoman Sultan, but in practice exercising virtual independence.



602. **EGYPT: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AV 100 qirsh, Misr, AH1277 year 4, KM-264, struck at the Paris mint, without the flower ornament, very scarce one-year type, VF $500 - 600



603. **EGYPT: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AR 10 qirsh, Misr, AH1293 year 21, KM-295, AU $100 - 120



604. **EGYPT: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AR 20 qirsh, Misr, AH1293-W year 29, KM-296, PCGS graded MS63 $400 - 500



605. **EGYPT: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AV 100 qirsh, Misr, AH1293 year 12, KM-297, UNC $450 - 550



606. **EGYPT:** AR medal (6.99g), AN VII (1798), Lec-35, CONQUÊTE DE LA / BASSE ÉGYPTE, Nile resting upon a sphinx, surrounded by infants and holding a cornucopia, designed by N. Brenet // DENON DIR below the three pyramids; some scratches in the obverse field, EF $300 - 400



607. **EGYPT:** AE medal (35.18g), 1869, 41mm Art Nouveau medal for the Opening of the Suez Canal by Roty, Liberty seated right with torch in left hand and standing attendant with L'EPARGNE. FRANCAISE. PREPARE. LA.PAIX. DV. MONDE. around // text in center reads LE.17.NOVEMBRE.1869. LE.CANAL. MARITIME.A .ETE. OUVERT. A.LA.GRANDE. NAVIGATION. with COMPAGNIE. VNIVERSELLE .DV.CANAL. MARITIME. DE. SVEZ around, likely struck in the 1880's, matte finish, EF $190 - 220

608. **EGYPT & ALGIERS:** LOT of 3 silver coins: **Egypt:** KM-295, AR 10 qirsh AH1293 year 15 (choice AU), KM-310, AR 20 qirsh AH1327 year 6 (AU); and **Algiers:** KM-67, ¼ budju AH1243 (choice VF); retail value $300, **lot of 3 pieces** $180 - 240



609. **IRAN: Ahmad III**, 1703-1730, AR abbasi, Tabriz, AH1115, A-2708, KM-A265, Ottoman occupation issue, incredible strike, finest we have ever seen, lustrous bold strike without any weakness, NGC graded MS62 $500 - 900



610. **IRAQ: Mahmud I**, 1730-1754, AE 5 para, Baghdad, AH[11]43, KM-39, VF $100 - 120



611. **IRAQ: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AR piastre (4.49g), Baghdad, AH1223 year 13, KM-53, some light porosity, nice strike for this type, VF $150 - 200



612. **TRIPOLI: Selim III**, 1789-1807, BI 15 para (6.68g), Tarabulus Gharb (Tripoli in Libya), xxx4, KM-59var, completely anonymous, without the sultan's name, with the reverse exactly as KM-59, whereas the obverse has a different legend, but within the same ornamented square, some weakness, VF**, RR** $150 - 250



613. **TUNIS: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AR 2 piastres (22.82g), Tunis, AH1244, KM-93, some central weakness, but fully legible on both sides, most original silver-wash, VF $120 - 160



614. **TUNIS: Muhammad al-Sadiq Bey**, 1859-1882, AV 25 piastres, Tunis, AH1285, KM-148, citing sultan Abdul Aziz, EF-AU $260 - 340



615. **TURKEY: Ahmet II**, 1691-1695, AR ½ kurush (8.83g), Kostantiniye, AH1102, KM-107, superb strike, EF**, RR** $400 - 500



616. **TURKEY: Mustafa II**, 1695-1703, AR ½ kurush (9.22g), Edirne, AH1106, KM-117.1, bold strike, one flan crack, EF $120 - 160



617. **TURKEY: Mustafa II**, 1695-1703, AR ½ kurush (9.82g), Erzurum, AH1106, KM-117.2, light porosity (probably from improper cleaning), excellent strike, VF**, RR** $200 - 260



618. **TURKEY: Mustafa II**, 1695-1703, AR kurush (19.30g), Edirne, AH1106, KM-121.1, almost perfect strike, without any significant weakness, EF $120 - 160



619. **TURKEY: Mustafa II**, 1695-1703, AR kurush, Edirne, AH1106, KM-121.1, standard type, surface hairlines, nice strike, NGC graded EF details $120 - 140



620. **TURKEY: Mustafa II**, 1695-1703, AR kurush (19.33g), Edirne, AH"1102", KM-121.1, Damali-22-ED-G1c, the date 1102 is on the same side as the sultan's name, so it cannot be an old die from Ahmet II, thus either the engraver forgot that the date should be 1106, or more likely, "2" is a retrograde for "6", average strike with some central weakness, cleaned, VF**, R** $200 - 250



621. **TURKEY: Mustafa II**, 1695-1703, AR kurush, Erzurum, AH1106, KM-121.2, one of the finest examples of this type we have seen, cleaned but fully struck and attractive, PCGS graded AU details, **R** $300 - 400



622. **TURKEY: Ahmad III**, 1703-1730, AR akçe, Kostantiniye, AH1115, KM-190, a lovely example! NGC graded MS63 $100 - 120



623. **TURKEY: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AR 5 para (2.07g), Islambul, AH1171 year 9, KM-300, AU**, S** $100 - 120



624. **TURKEY: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AR 20 para, Islambul, AH[11]85, KM-313, tooled (very minimal), PCGS graded VF details**, R** $100 - 120



625. **TURKEY: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AV ½ zeri mahbub (1.28g), Islambul, AH1171 year 4, KM-327, lustrous bold even strike, PCGS graded MS63**, R**, *ex Kenneth A. Bovenmamp* $350 - 450



626. **TURKEY: Mustafa III**, 1757-1774, AV ½ zeri mahbub (1.29g), Islambul, AH1171 year 7, KM-327, lustrous bold even strike, PCGS graded MS63**, R**, *ex Kenneth A. Bovenmamp* $350 - 450



627. **TURKEY: Abdul Hamid I**, 1774-1789, AR 2 piastres (29.03g), Kostantiniye, AH1187 year 16, KM-406, Dav-330, superb bold strike, choice EF**, S** $150 - 200



628. **TURKEY: Selim III**, 1789-1807, AR 2 zolota (60 para) (18.97g), Islambul, AH1203 year 2, KM-501, Dav-336, powerful strike for this rare denomination, AU**, R** $200 - 260



629. **TURKEY: Selim III**, 1789-1807, AV sultani (findik) (3.43g), Islambul, AH1203 year 18, KM-527, nice lustrous strike, PCGS graded AU58 $250 - 350



630. **TURKEY: Mustafa IV**, 1807-1808, AV ¼ altin (0.82g), Kostantiniye, AH1222 year 2, KM-543, rare in mint state, PCGS graded MS62 , *ex Kenneth A. Bovenmamp* $275 - 350



631. **TURKEY: Mustafa IV**, 1807-1808, AV sultani (3.20g), Kostantiniye, AH1222 year 1, KM-546, UNC $240 - 300



632. **TURKEY: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AR 10 para, Kostantiniye, AH1223 year 5, KM-559, NGC graded MS62 $70 - 90



633. **TURKEY: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AR 5 piastres (29.27g), Kostantiniye, AH1223 year 5, KM-564, bold EF-AU $100 - 130



634. **TURKEY: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AV ¼ zeri mahbub (0.82g), Kostantiniye, AH1223 year 5, KM-605, UNC $240 - 300



635. **TURKEY: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AV ¼ surre altin (0.48g), Dar al-Khilafa, AH1223 year 16, KM-619, *el-aliya* series, two obverse die breaks, a superb example! MS65**, R**, *ex Kenneth A. Bovenkamp* $350 - 400



636. **TURKEY: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, AV surre altin (1.59g), Dar al-Khilafa, AH1223 year 16, KM-621, *el-aliya* series, lustrous bold strike, PCGS graded MS64 , *ex Kenneth A. Bovenkamp* $325 - 425

637. **TURKEY: Mahmud II**, 1808-1839, LOT of 4 **gold** coins, average VF or slightly better, all are pierced once: KM-621, *surre aliye,* year obscured; KM-643, ¼ cedid, year 32; KM-644, ½ cedid, year 32; and KM-645, cedid, year 27; total weight 4.12g (fineness uncertain, either 0.835 or 0.900); retail value $200, **lot of 4 pieces** $140 - 170



638. **TURKEY: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AR kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255 year 13, KM-671, a superb example! PCGS graded MS64 $100 - 120



639. **TURKEY: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AR 10 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255 year 6, KM-674, surface hairlines, EF-AU $100 - 120



640. **TURKEY: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AV 50 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255 year 6, KM-678, UNC $200 - 260



641. **TURKEY: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255 year 15, KM-679, UNC $450 - 550



642. **TURKEY: Abdul Mejid**, 1839-1861, AV 100 kurush, Edirne, AH1255 year 8, KM-683, struck for the sultan's visit to Edirne, EF-AU $550 - 700



643. **TURKEY: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AE 10 para, Kostantiniye, AH1277 year 1, KM-686, 20% off-center strike error, EF $100 - 150



644. **TURKEY: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AR kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1277 year 7, KM-689, light hairlines, attractive light tone, key date, AU $300 - 400



645. **TURKEY: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AR 20 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1277 year 10, KM-693, AU $150 - 200



646. **TURKEY: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1277 year 7, KM-698, AU $300 - 350



647. **TURKEY: Abdul Aziz**, 1861-1876, AE 10 para, Kostantiniye, AH1277 year 4, KM-700, nicely toned, NGC graded Proof 63 RB $125 - 175



648. **TURKEY: Murad V**, 1876, AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 1, KM-715, lustrous surfaces, lightly cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $300 - 350



649. **TURKEY: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 2, KM-725, lustrous UNC $350 - 400



650. **TURKEY: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 32, KM-730, PCGS graded MS63 $300 - 350



651. **TURKEY: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AV 50 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 30, KM-731, superb quality for type! PCGS graded MS62**, RR**, *ex Kenneth A. Bovenkamp* $750 - 850



652. **TURKEY: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AR 2 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 11, KM-736, brilliant lightly toned luster, PCGS graded MS64 $75 - 100



653. **TURKEY: Abdul Hamid II**, 1876-1909, AR 5 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 11, KM-737, nice but somewhat unevenly toned reverse, NGC graded MS62 $100 - 120



654. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 500 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1327 year 4, KM-758, mount removed, noticeable almost only on the edge only, EF $1,400 - 1,600



655. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AR 10 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1327 year 8, KM-780, AU $80 - 100



656. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 25 kurush, Bursa, AH1327 year 1, KM-787, city visit, prooflike, choice AU**, RR** $350 - 450



657. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 100 kurush, Bursa, AH1327 year 1, KM-789, Sultan's city visit to Bursa, BU $450 - 550



658. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 100 kurush, Edirne, AH1327 year 2, KM-794, Sultan's city visit to Edirne, BU $450 - 550



659. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 100 kurush, Kosova, AH1327 year 3, KM-800, city visit, UNC $500 - 600



660. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 100 kurush, Manastir (Bitola), AH1327 year 3, KM-806, city visit, lustrous UNC $700 - 800



661. **TURKEY: Mehmet V**, 1909-1918, AV 100 kurush, Salanik (Thessalonica), AH1327 year 3, KM-812, city visit, full original luster, as struck, BU $800 - 900



662. **TURKEY: Mehmet VI**, 1918-1924, AR 20 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1336 year 1, KM-818, NGC graded AU50 , *ex Yifu Che Collection* $150 - 200



663. **TURKEY: Mehmet VI**, 1918-1924, AR 20 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1336 year 1, KM-818, one lamination defect, unusual on 20th century coins of Turkey! VF-EF $120 - 160

664. **TURKEY:** necklace, with Maria Theresa thaler at center, from which hang 5 chains with of billon coins of Mahmud II and Abdul Mejid, plus one small token, chains of base metal, dating to circa 1860-1900, probably for poorer people from a tribal area, an interesting ethnographical piece $150 - 250

665. **TURKEY:** LOT of 57 pieces from 1687 and later, mostly base-metal, nearly nearly all very common in average or lower grades: Süleyman II (2 pcs); Mahmud I (5 pcs, including a decent AR 10 para & two AR 20 para coins); Mustafa III (1 pc, AR 10 para); Abdul Hamid I (1 pc, AR 10 para); Selim III (1 pc, AR 10 para); Mahmud II (12 pcs, including two examples of the full AR 1 piastre in nice Vf or better); Abdul Mejid (3 pcs); Abdul Aziz (4 pcs); Abdul Hamid II (4 pcs); Mehmet V (5 pcs); Mehmet VI (1 pc); Republic (14 pcs); medals & tokens (4) pcs; retail value $850, **lot of 57 pieces** $400 - 550

666. **TURKEY:**LOT of 15 crown-size silver coins, all from the Istanbul mint: piastre AH1106 (choice VF); piastre 1143 (2 pcs, one VF, one VF-EF); piastre 1171/86 (VF-EF, cleaned); two zolota 1171/80 (EF); two zolota 1187 year 3 (nice VF); two kurush 1203 year 9 (Fine); yuzluk 1203 year 2 (VF-EF), year 3 (VF-EF), and year 12 (choice EF); 20 kurush 1255 year 9 (Good, pierced), and year 13 (bold VF-EF); 1293 year 2 (2 pcs, one Fine, the other nice VF); and 1327 year 10 (EF, cleaned); attractive starter's set, retail value $640, **lot of 15 pieces** $350 - 500

667. **TURKEY:** LOT of 16 silver coins: AH1106: kurush of Edirne; AH1143: piastre (2 pcs); AH1171: piastre of 1182, and another of 1186; also 2 zolota of AH1180; AH1187: piastre year 3; AH1203: 2 piastres, year 5 and year 13; and yuzluk year 4; and AH1223: 2 piastres year 14; and 60 para year 16; average VF, several better; plus 4 common smaller coins also dated AH1223 (3 of Turkey, 1 of Egypt, average VF), all in holders and identified; retail value $630, **lot of 16 pieces** $325 - 425

668. **TURKEY:** LOT of 11 silver coins of Kostantiniye mint ("Islambul" for AH1203); AH1187: kurush (year 2, VF); 2 zolota (year 8, VF; year 11, EF, year 12, EF, and year 15, Fine); AH1203: yuzluk (year 1, EF; year 2, VF-EF; year 4, VF, and year 16, EF but 4 nasty cuts); and AH1223: kurush (year 14, VF-EF), and 6 kurush (year 31, choice AU); retail value $470, **lot of 11 pieces** $260 - 350

669. **TURKEY:** LOT of 9 silver coins of Kostantiniye mint (“Islambul” for AH1171); AH1106: kurush (2 pcs, Fine & F-VF); 1115: kurush (VF-EF, adjustment marks); 1143: kurush (Fine); 1168: 10 para (VF); 1171: kurush (2 pcs, 1184, VF-EF; and 1186, EF), and 2 zolota (2 pcs, year 9, VF, harshly cleaned, and 1181, Fine); retail value $380, **lot of 9 pieces** $200 - 260

670. **TURKEY:** LOT of 3 attractive silver 1 kurush coins, type KM-560 of Mahmud II, 1808-1839, year 5 (AU), year 7 (EF), and year 12 (EF-AU, light surface hairlines); retail value $280, **lot of 3 pieces** $160 - 200

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671. **TAHIRID: Tahir I**, 821-822, AR dirham (2.86g), Samarqand, AH206, A-1391, citing the governor al-’Ala, EF**, R** $200 - 250



672. **TAHIRID: Talha**, 822-828, AR dirham (2.73g), Zaranj, AH208, A-1393, citing Bin Ma’mun below obverse field and Ilyas below the reverse field, choice EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 300



673. **TAHIRID: Talha**, 822-828, AE fals (1.90g), Bust, AH209, A-1394, Sasanian-style bust on obverse, with name *talha* to right, also citing ‘Abd Allah b. Muhammad in the obverse margin, evenly worn, with all texts legible, VG , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



674. **KHUJISTANID: Ahmad b. ‘Abd Allah**, 874-881, AR broad dirham (5.23g), Nishapur, AH268, donative style, but struck in considerable quantities, so probably a regular circulating issue, A-1396, VF, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



675. **KHUJISTANID: Ahmad b. ‘Abd Allah**, 874-881, AR dirham (4.06g), Banjhir, AH268, A-1396A, clear mint name, date somewhat weak but certain, Fine**, RRR** $200 - 250

Narrow Hindustani narrow module, normal short field legends, and much rarer than broad dirhams of Nishapur & Herat. This is the first reported example for the mint of Banjhir (others are of Andaraba).



676. **DULAFID: ‘Umar b. ‘Abd al-’Aziz**, 893-897, AR dirham (3.19g), Isbahan, AH282, A-1400, about 20% flat strike, VF $90 - 120



677. **SAFFARID: Ya’qub b. al-Layth**, 861-879, AR dirham (2.94g), al-Banjhir, AH260, A-1401.1, citing the caliph al-Mu’tamid, nice strike, VF $110 - 150

Banjhir, was located in the Panjshir Valley (Dare-ye Panjer), literally Valley of the Five Lions in north-central Afghanistan. Banjhir was one of the richest silver mines in the area. Reportedly, at its height of mining operation, about 10,000 miners resided there.



678. **SAFFARID: al-Layth b. ‘Ali**, 908-910, AR dirham (3.04g), Shiraz, AH297, A-1405, gorgeous strike, showing all of the margin text *al-nasr wa’l-zafar wa’l-yumn wa’l-sa’ada* on both sides, rarely seen in this quality, wonderful VF-EF**, R** $200 - 250



679. **SAFFARID: Ahmad b. Muhammad**, 923-963, AV dinar (2.33g), Zaranj, AH324, A-A1411, citing the caliph al-Radi, scruffy surfaces, at a weight that could be either a rather heavy fractional dinar, which can weight up to 2.5g, or a partly clipped down full dinar, which normally weighs about 3.5-4.5g., VF**, RR** $300 - 375

Likely a clipped full dinar, as the fractional dinar almost never has two marginal legends on the obverse!



680. **SAFFARID: Tahir al-Tamimi**, 964-970, AV fractional dinar (1.08g), Sijistan, ND, A-1415, VF-EF**, R** $120 - 160



681. **SAFFARID: Khalaf b. Ahmad**, 981-1003, AR dirham (2.80g), Sijsitan, AH390, A-1421, ruler cited only as *wali al-dawla abu ahmad*, superb strike, some minor weakness of strike at the rims, EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



682. **SAFFARID: Tahir b. Khalaf**, 1000s, AR dirham (3.37g), Sijistan, AH392, A-1424, also citing the Ghaznavid ruler Mahmud as overlord, bold strike, EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $180 - 220



683. **BANIJURID: Abu Da'ud Muhammad**, 874-899, AR dirham (3.27g), Madinat Balkh, AH263, A-1433, citing the ruler as *muhammadi* with the letter "i" added at the end of his name, Fine**, RR** $100 - 120

This piece is a remarkable variety of this type, with the adjectival version "muhammadi" instead of just "muhammad", whence it could be considered either as a Banijurid issue, or as 'Abbasid with reference to the Banijurids.



684. **BANIJURID: Harb b. Sahlan**, 955-976, AR dirham (3.20g), Andaraba, AH362, A-1438.3, also citing Maktum, narrow flan, with Qur'an Surat 112 in reverse field, VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 150



685. **AMIR OF AL-KHUTTAL: al-Harith b. Asad**, 893-905, AR dirham (4.17g), al-Khuttal, AH284, A-B1440, remarkable issue, with uncertain legend in obverse margin (Qur'anic?), and Qur'an Verse 42:23 in reverse margin, inscription *al-'aziz* below the reverse field, pierced, nice VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 260

The obverse field legend is al-hamdu lillah ahad al-samad / bi'l-yumn wa'l-sa'ada wa'l-zayd / al-wafâ al-harith bin asad*. A clipped-down center of a dirham by the same dies is posted on Zeno, #121029.*



686. **AMIR OF AL-KHUTTAL: al-Harith b. Asad**, 893-905, AR dirham (3.47g), Andijaragh, AH293, A-B1440, extremely rare mint in modern Tajikistan, citing the Samanid ruler Isma'il b. Ahmad, EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $300 - 400

A similar piece dated either AH293 or 294 was supposedly published by Mitchiner, but I have been unable to confirm that publication. The multiple dirhams assigned by Mitchiner to this mint have blundered mints, and are no longer assigned to Andijaragh.



687. **AMIR OF AL-KHUTTAL: al-Harith b. Asad**, 893-905, AR dirham (2.93g), Khuttal, AH294, A-B1440, mint name without the article *al-*, citing the Samanid overlord Isma'il b. Ahmad, VF**, RR** $180 - 220



688. **SAMANID: Isma'il I**, 892-907, AV dinar (4.04g), Samarqand, AH288, A-1442, superb strike, very rare in this quality, EF-AU**, R** $450 - 550



689. **SAMANID: Isma'il I**, 892-907, AR dirham (3.13g), Andaraba, AH293, A-1443, bold strike, nearly EF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 150



690. **SAMANID: Ahmad II**, 907-914, AR dirham (2.65g), al-Biyar, AH298, A-1446, very rare mint, in operation only in AH298, VF-EF**, R** $150 - 200

Six examples are posted on CoinArchives, all from the same obverse die, but with four different reverse dies!



691. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.32g), Nishapur, AH324, A-1449, citing the engraver Ba-Harith above the word *qabl* in the outer obverse margin, choice VF-EF $250 - 350



692. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.41g), Nishapur, AH325, A-1449, citing the engraver Ba-Harith above the word *min* immediately before *qabl* in the outer obverse margin, VF-EF $220 - 330



693. **SAMANID: Nuh II**, 943-954, AV dinar (4.17g), Nishapur, AH333, A-1454, citing the engraver Ba-Harith above the word *qabl* in the outer obverse margin, caliph al-Muttaqi, VF $220 - 300



694. **SAMANID: Nuh II**, 943-954, AV dinar (4.14g), Nishapur, AH333, A-1454, caliph al-Mustakfi, mount removed, nice strike, bold VF $180 - 220



695. **SAMANID: Mansur I**, 961-976, AV dinar (3.49g), Amul, AH351, A-1464, superb strike, especially for the mint of Amul, EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $400 - 500



696. **SAMANID: Mansur I**, 961-976, AV dinar (2.84g), Herat, AH353, A-1464, struck from worn dies, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 180



697. **SAMANID: Mansur I**, 961-976, AR multiple dirham (11.58g), NM, ND, A-1465, citing Mansur on both sides, style of Badakhshan region, pleasing toning, EF $100 - 120



698. **SAMANID: Nuh III**, 976-997, AV dinar (3.51g), Herat, AH372, A-1468, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $180 - 220



699. **SAMANID: Nuh III**, 976-997, AV dinar (3.65g), Herat, AH380, A-1468, with his title al-Malik al-Mansur below the obverse and citing Muhammad b. Nasir al-Dawla below the reverse, couple spots of weakness, VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $180 - 220



700. **SAMANID: Mansur II**, 997-999, AV dinar (2.36g), Nishapur, AH387, A-1472.2, citing the governor Abu'l-Fawaris Bektuzun, pleasing VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 260

701. **SAMANID of AKHSIKATH:** LOT of 16 copper coins, all of the Akhsikath mint unless noted: **A-A1477:** Asad b. Ahmad: AH250, citing Ahmad b. Asad in the reverse margin, and AH269 (5 pcs); **A-B1477:** Ishaq b. Ahmad: AH284 (2 pcs); **A-1452:** Nasr II b. Ahmad: AH304 (2 pcs), **A-D1477:** Muhammad b. Asad, AH303; **A-E1477:** Malik & Nasr II, AH320 (3 pcs); and **A-F1477:** Bakr b. Malik, Nasrabad mint, AH341 (corroded & pierced twice); average VG to Fine condition, a couple nicer, most with some weakness or harshly cleaned: retail value $660, **lot of 16 pieces** $300 - 450

702. **SAMANID & TAHIRID:** LOT of 20 copper coins: **SAMANID: A-M1440:** Nuh b. Asad, Binkath AH214 (VF-EF); **A-A1440:** Yahya b. Asad, al-Shash, undated (F-VF); and **A-A1442:** Ya'qub b. Ahmad, al-Shash 265 (3 pcs, average Fine); and **TAHIRID: A-B1395.2:** Tahir II, al-Shash 233 (2 pcs, average Fine), al-Shash 241 (12 pcs, several varients, average VG condition); and **A-1395:** Muhammad b. Tahir: al-Shash 250 (VG); retail value $640, **lot of 20 pieces** $300 - 400

703. **SAMANID:** LARGE LOT of 111 copper fulus: **Nasr II,** 914-943: Binkath AH306 (4 pcs); Bukhara 302, 303, 305 (4), 315 (2), and 322; and Nawkath Ilaq 305, and 312 (2); **Nuh II,** 943-954, Bukhara 333, 337, and 33x, and Ferghana 330, 331, 332, and 338; **'Abd al-Malik I,** 954-961: Bukhara 347, 348 (3), and 349; **Mansur I,** 961-976: Bukhara 352 (4), 353 (2), 354 (2), 355 (6), 356 (2), 357, 358 (5), 363 (4), and 364, and Ferghana 358 (1); **Nuh III,** 976-997, Bukhara 375 (2), 376 (3), 379 (2), 37x, 386, and 387; Khujand 383 (2); Ferghana 36x (1); and Isbijab 385 (1); average Fine, many worse, and nearly all have been strongly cleaned, plus 41 common pieces of little value (most with illegible mint, date, or both, average VG condition, many damaged); all in envelopes identified by the consignor (with some corrected by us), retail value $950, **lot of 111 pieces** $400 - 600

704. **SAMANID:** LOT of 34 early copper coins: **Nuh I b. Ahmad,** 864-892: al-Shash AH253 (1 pc), 254 (4 pcs), 253 (3 pcs), and DM (2 pcs); and Samarqand 256 (3 pcs), and 272 (1 pc); and **Isma'il b. Ahmad,** 894-907, al-Shash 280 (4 pcs), and 292 (7 pcs); Samarqand 280 (4 pcs), 281 (2 pcs), and 287 (2 pcs); and Usrushana DM (type of AH280, 1 pc, only VG), average F-VF, a few worse and a few better, all in envelopes identified by the consignor; retail value $700, **lot of 34 pieces** $300 - 450

705. **SAMANID:** LOT of 142 copper fulus, various types, perhaps half identifiable, and quite a few with legible mint & date, average Good to VG condition, a few nicer, loose and unidentified; retail value $700, **lot of 142 pieces** $200 - 400



706. **SAJID: Yusuf b. Diwdad**, 901-927, AR dirham (3.45g), Bardha'a, AH304, A-1479, some central weakness, very clear mint & date, VF**, RR** $140 - 180



707. **JASTANID: Khusrashah b. Manadhir**, 972-974, AR dirham (3.10g), al-Rudbar, AH361, A-1489, gorgeous strike, one of the finest known examples, choice EF**, R** $220 - 280

The Jastanids were a minor dynasty in northern Iran, with their capital at Rudbar, a city heavily destroyed by an earthquake in 1990.



708. **SHADDADID OF ANI: Manuchihr b. Shawur I**, 1072-1118, AE dirham (2.71g), NM, ND, A-1492R, Zeno-123258 (this piece), citing the ruler Manuchihr on obverse, the Seljuq overlord Malikshah I on the reverse, normal strike for this extremely rare type, crude VF**, RRR** $150 - 240

Ani had been the capital of the great Bagratid Armenian kingdom 961-1045, taken by the Byzantines in 1045, conquered by the Seljuqs in 1064, who then granted the city and its immediate surroundings to a branch of the Shaddadid dynasty, at first to Manuchiri b. Shawur, who ruled for there for 46 years. It was later periodically seized by the Christian kingdom of Georgia, then to the Mongols and their successors by 1236, and largely destroyed by an earthquake in 1319. The village was later part of the Safavid territory, then acquired by the Ottoman Empire in 1579, completely abandoned by the end of the 18th century. Now located in modern Turkey near the border with Armenia, it has become an interesting tourist site, and the remaining ruins were named a UNESCO World Heritage Site on 15 July 2016.



709. **QARAKHANID: Nasr b. 'Ali**, 993-1012, AV dinar (4.07g), Nishapur, AH396, A-3301, also citing the Khan (Ahmad b. 'Ali) as Nasir al-Haqq Khan al-Mu'ayyid, minor trace of mount near the edge, VF**, R** $280 - 325



710. **QARAKHANID: Nasr b. 'Ali**, 993-1012, AE fals (2.75g), Qubâ, AH398, A-3303, bow & arrow in obverse center, evenly worn and still very attractive, very rare mint, F-VF**, RRR** $110 - 150

Same as Kochnev-184, which is listed only for AH397.



711. **QARAKHANID: Ahmad b. 'Ali**, 994-1016, AE fals (2.29g), Ishtikhan, AH404, A-3305, obverse field legend *khan al-'adil* within decorative border, with his laqab *qutb al-dawla* in the reverse marginal legend, very rare mint, VF-EF**, RR** $100 - 130



712. **QARAKHANID: Muhammad b. 'Ali**, 1003-1024, AE fals (2.82g), Khujand, AH410, A-3308, also citing al-Mansur b. 'Ali, as Arslan Khan in the field and al-Mansur in the margin, both on the reverse, nice even strike, pleasing VF $100 - 120



713. **QARAKHANID: 'Ali b. Nasr**, fl. 1020, AE fals (3.11g), Khumrak, AH41(1), A-3328H, some weakness of strike, as usual for this rare type and very rare mint, VF**, RRR** $100 - 150



714. **QARAKHANID: Muzaffar Kiya**, 1005-1015, AR dirham (3.17g), Saghaniyan, AH397, A-3432, also citing the Khan & Ilaq, only by their titles, choice EF $120 - 160



715. **QARAKHANID: Il-Kulug**, fl. 1013, AE fals (2.66g), Kharashkath, AH404, A-3436, citing Ahmad b. 'Ali in the reverse margin, superb strike, EF**, RR** $120 - 160



716. **QARAKHANID: Ilyas Hajjaj**, fl. 1014, AE fals (2.39g), Kharashkath, AH405, A-3437, Kochnev-403, citing Ahmad b. 'Ali in the reverse margin, VF**, RR** $100 - 130



717. **QARAKHANID: Ibrahim b. Husayn**, 1178-1203, AE dirham (3.37g), Samarqand, AH578, A-3403.1, clear mint & date, rare thus, F-VF $100 - 120



718. **QARAKHANID: Bakr b. al-Hasan**, fl. 1003-1008, AE fals (2.71g), Ilaq, AH398, A-3430H, with his title *dihqan al-jalil* within an elaborate hexagram formed by inscriptions, and citing the khan Ahmad b. ‘Ali on the reverse, VF-EF**, RR** $100 - 150



719. **QARAKHANID: Irtash**, dihqan, fl. 1013-1015, AE fals (3.58g), Ilaq, AH405, A-3431D, nice strike, VF**, R** $100 - 120

720. **QARAKHANID:** LOT of 6 Qarakhanid copper coins (plus 1 tin coin of Malacca): Ferghana AH384 (F-VF); Ilaq 395 (VF); Khujand 408 (nearly VF); Tunkath 407 (with hare, crude VF, weak mint & date); Ush 400 (VF, pierced); and Uzkand 396 (VG); plus Malacca tin pitis of Muzaffar Shah (SS-1, VF); retail value $350, **lot of 7 pieces** $200 - 220

721. **QARAKHANID:** LOT of 7 Qarakhanid copper coins: Akhsikath AH392 (VG); Bukhara 400 (VF); Ferghana 386 (bold VF) and 400 (VF); Khujanda 407 (nearly VF); Sughd 404 (VF); and Samarqand 426 (bold VF, pierced); retail value $320, **lot of 7 pieces** $170 - 200



722. **‘ALID OF TABARISTAN: al-Hassan b. Zayd**, 864-884, AR dirham (2.60g), Jurjan, AH268, A-1523, bold strike, choice VF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



723. **BUWAYHID: Rukn al-Dawla al-Hasan**, ca. 943-944, AV dinar (3.46g), al-Muhammadiya, AH340, A-1546A, as sole ruler, mint name lacking the initial *alif* (die-cutter’s error), EF $300 - 400



724. **BUWAYHID: Mu’ayyid al-Dawla**, 967-983, AR dirham (4.70g), Isbahan, AH356, A-1554E, citing the overlord Rukn al-Dawla Abu ‘Ali, traces of the original luster! AU**, RR** $250 - 350

One of the very few Islamic coins that cite the name of the engraver, in the form ’amala al-hasan bin muhammad, *in minuscule letters above the word* qabl *in the obverse margin, weak on this example (as usual).*



725. **BUWAYHID: Sharaf al-Dawla Abu’l-Fawaris Shirdhil**, 972-983, AR dirham (2.87g), Bamm, AH365, A-1564, Treadwell-Bm365, governor cited only by the name Shirdhil, with overlords ‘Adud al-Dawla & Rukn al-Dawla, nice strike, VF $110 - 150



726. **BUWAYHID: Samsam al-Dawla**, in Fars, 990-998, AR dirham (3.61g), ‘Uman, AH381, A-1570, some central weakness, F-VF**, R** $250 - 350



727. **BUWAYHID: Samsam al-Dawla**, in Fars, 990-998, AR dirham (3.88g), ‘Uman, AH383, A-1570, somewhat weakly struck, legible mint & date, F-VF**, R** $250 - 350



728. **BUWAYHID: Samsam al-Dawla**, in Fars, 990-998, AR dirham (2.92g), ‘Uman, AH385, A-1570, some central weakness, F-VF**, R** $250 - 350



729. **BUWAYHID: Sultan al-Dawla**, 1012-1024, AR dirham (2.66g), Nawbandajan, AH413, A-1581, Treadwell-—, with Qur’an sura 112 on the reverse, very lightly polished, probably unique, VF**, RRR** $600 - 700

Extremely rare mint, cited by Treadwell (page 330) only for an unverified example said to be in the ANS collection.



730. **BUWAYHID: Sultan al-Dawla**, 1012-1024, AR dirham (2.83g), Fasâ, AH480, A-1581, some central weakness, elegant calligraphic style, VF**, RR** $200 - 250



731. **HASANWAYHID: Badr b. Hasanwayh**, 980-1014, AV dinar (2.29g), al-Rur, DM, A-1588, citing the overlord Sultan al-Dawla only by his kunya *abu shuja',* confirmed only for coins dated AH403, some weakness near the rim, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $400 - 500



732. **KAKWAYHID: 'Ala al-Dawla Muhammad**, 1008-1041, AR dirham (2.25g), Isbahan, AH410, A-1591, citing the Buwayhid overlord Majd al-Dawla as *shahanshah*, VF $180 - 220



733. **KAKWAYHID: Faramurz**, 1041-1051, AV dinar (3.62g), Isbahan, AH434, A-1592.2, citing the Great Seljuq Tughril Beg, with the word *fath* above the obverse field, probably a reference to Tughril's achievement of his suzerainty over the Kakwayhids during that year, *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $250 - 350



734. **KAKWAYHID: Faramurz**, 1041-1051, AV dinar (4.53g), Isbahan, AH435, A-1592.2, citing the Seljuq overlord Tughril Beg, bow & arrow above obverse, *shams* above reverse, broad flan, with much original luster, UNC $250 - 350



735. **KAKWAYHID: Faramurz**, 1041-1051, AV dinar (4.01g), Isbahan, AH435, A-1592.2, with *shams*, UNC $260 - 325



736. **KAKWAYHID: Faramurz**, 1041-1051, AV dinar (2.76g), Isbahan, AH435, A-1592.2, with *shams*, AU $250 - 300



737. **KAKWAYHID: Faramurz**, 1041-1051, AV dinar (3.52g), Isbahan, AH436, A-1592.1, citing the Buwayhid ruler Abu Kalijar, bold mint & date, some minor weakness by the rim, EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $250 - 350

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738. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (2.93g), Herat, AH384, A-A1602, cited as *al-wali sayf al-dawla mahmud,* with his Samanid overlord Nuh b. Mansur cited below the reverse field, slightly scruffy, VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



739. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (1.42g), Nishapur, AH415, A-1606, struck on a thin planchet of remarkably light weight, VF $100 - 140



740. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.75g), Ghazna, AH405, A-1607, *'adl* at top of obverse field, some weakness, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $150 - 180



741. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.16g), Ghazna, AH406, A-1607, *'adl* at top of obverse field, F-VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



742. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.17g), Ghazna, AH407, A-1607, some weakness near the rim, VF *, ex Hans Mondorf Collection* $150 - 170



743. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.44g), Ghazna, AH407, A-1607, *'adl* at top of obverse field, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



744. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.42g), Ghazna, AH414, A-1607, *'adl* at top of obverse field, about 15% flat strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



745. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.90g), Ghazna, AH415, A-1607, minimal weakness, major die-break on the reverse, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 180



746. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.79g), Ghazna, AH416, A-1607, about 10% flat strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



747. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.21g), Ghazna, AH417, A-1607, somewhat confused date, but can only be 417, confirmed by style and arrangement, some flatness, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 160



748. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.40g), Herat, AH393, A-1607, without any field symbols, some weakness, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



749. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.15g), Herat, AH395, A-1607, with letter *'ayn* below reverse field, nice strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



750. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.03g), Herat, AH395, A-1607, with letter *'ayn* below reverse field, decent strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



751. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.60g), Herat, AH395, A-1607, with letter *'ayn* below reverse field, about 15% flat strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



752. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.43g), Herat, AH396, A-1607, with letter *'ayn* below reverse field, nice strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



753. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.16g), Herat, AH398, A-1607, without any field symbols, some weakness, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



754. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (2.40g), Herat, AH399, A-1607, 8-point rosette below obverse, floral ornament below reverse, about 10% flat strike, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $150 - 200



755. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.46g), Herat, AH401, A-1607, triplet of pellets either side of *lillah* atop the reverse, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



756. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.15g), Herat, AH403, A-1607, sword left & right in obverse field, bold mint & date, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 180



757. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.48g), Herat, AH403, A-1607, without any swords in the field, some weakness, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $120 - 150



758. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.16g), Herat, AH403, A-1607, sword left & right in obverse field, F-VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



759. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.02g), Herat, AH404, A-1607, excellent full strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



760. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.20g), Herat, AH404, A-1607, some weakness, mainly on the reverse, F-VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



761. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.98g), Herat, AH406, A-1607, floral ornaments in reverse field, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



762. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.19g), Herat, AH407, A-1607, 6-point star atop the obverse field, much weakness, F-VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



763. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.65g), Herat, AH410, A-1607, somewhat uneven surfaces, F-VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



764. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.68g), Herat, AH411, A-1607, date weak but certain, about 10% flat areas, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



765. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.15g), Herat, AH412, A-1607, VF, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



766. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (2.89g), Herat, AH413, A-1607, VF, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



767. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.95g), Herat, AH414, A-1607, citing *hakkâk* above obverse, star left & right of reverse field, F-VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



768. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.76g), Herat, AH416, A-1607, some central flatness both sides, F-VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $120 - 150



769. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.27g), Herat, AH418, A-1607, VF, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



770. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.13g), Herat, AH418, A-1607, VF, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



771. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.10g), Herat, AH419, A-1607, VF-EF, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $150 - 200



772. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.34g), Herat, AH419, A-1607, reverse field differently arranged, with *muhammad / rasul Allah* in two lines, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 160



773. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.40g), Herat, AH420, A-1607, reverse field differently arranged, with *muhammad / rasul Allah* in two lines, *lillah* above, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



774. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (3.41g), Herat, AH421, A-1607, with month of Rabi' al-Akhir, bold off-center strike, choice VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $180 - 220



775. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AR dirham (2.57g), Andaraba, AH397, A-1611.1, citing Balkategin, bold mint & date, minor weakness, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160

Very rare subtype of A-1611.1, struck only at Andaraba and citing the unidentified governor Balkategin, known dated 397 and 400.



776. **GHAZNAVID: Muhammad**, 1030, AV dinar (3.30g), Ghazna, AH421, A-1616, with his full titulature *jalal al-dawla wa jamal al-milla abu ahmad muhammad bin mahmud,* somewhat double-struck, VF**, RR** $400 - 500

Extremely rare variety, with an obverse die made for Muhammad, citing the caliph al-Qadir instead of his father's kunya abu'l-qasim below the reverse field.



777. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (2.66g), Ghazna, AH423, A-1619, 4 annulets on the reverse double circle around the field, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



778. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (2.79g), Ghazna, AH425, A-1619, crescent below *lillah* above the reverse field, bold strike, VF-EF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



779. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.36g), Ghazna, AH429, A-1619, 4 annulets on the reverse double circle around the field, nice strike, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



780. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.41g), Ghazna, AH431, A-1619, with the word *zahir* above the obverse field, and undeciphered word below, decent strike, choice VF**, RR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $200 - 240



781. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.28g), Herat, AH422, A-1619, citing the caliph al-Qadir, unusual floral decor below reverse field, minor weakness, VF-EF ,
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $140 - 180



782. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.19g), Herat, AH423, A-1619, citing the caliph al-Qadir, who died in AH422, some weakness towards the rim, VF-EF ,
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $140 - 170



783. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.87g), Herat, AH424, A-1619, weak date, but very likely 424, some flatness by the rim, VF , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



784. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.03g), Herat, AH425, A-1619, some modest weakness, VF-EF ,
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $140 - 170



785. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AV dinar (3.94g), Herat, AH427, A-1619, Fine , *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 150



786. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud I**, 1030-1041, AR broad dirham (3.12g), Nishapur, AH423, A-1620, with the Qur'an Sura 112 filling the reverse field, pierced, possibly unpublished, VF**, RRR**,
ex M.H. Mirza Collection $100 - 150



787. **GHAZNAVID: Mawdud**, 1041-1048, AV dinar (2.69g), Ghazna, AH433, A-1625, some double-striking on the reverse, EF ,
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $140 - 170



788. **GHAZNAVID: Mawdud**, 1041-1048, AV dinar (3.29g), Ghazna, AH43x, A-1625, VF*, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



789. **GHAZNAVID: Mawdud**, 1041-1048, AV dinar (2.66g), Ghazna, AH43x, A-1625, VF*, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



790. **GHAZNAVID: 'Abd al-Rashid**, 1049-1052, AV dinar (2.49g), NM, ND, A-1629var, standard reverse of 'Abd al-Rashid, citing his name and titles *izz al-dawla wa zayn al-milla sayf Allah 'abd al-rashid* with the reverse of another type in the name of an unknown ruler or governor Nasir al-Din Muhammad b. Shash, some weakness, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $300 - 400

Mint unknown, but stylistically very differed from his normal mint, Ghazna, so likely struck elsewhere. This piece is probably unique, and remains quite a mystery.



791. **GHAZNAVID: 'Abd al-Rashid**, 1049-1052, AV dinar (4.49g), Ghazna, AH439, A-1629, some flat spots, clear mint & date, VF**, RR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $200 - 300

Although chronicles place his date of accession to AH440, his dinars dated 439 are well known. Also, 440 dinars of his predecessor Mawdud are also well-known. It seems that old obverse dies were used posthumously!



792. **GHAZNAVID: 'Abd al-Rashid**, 1049-1052, AV dinar (4.71g), Ghazna, AH440, A-1629, lovely strike, choice VF**, R**,
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $200 - 300



793. **GHAZNAVID: Farrukhzad**, 1053-1059, AV dinar (4.66g), Ghazna, AH443, A-1633, full bold date, probably from an obsolete obverse die, as Farrukhzad took over in 444, according to the chronicles; 443 is not a rare date for Farrukhzad; about 10% flatness, nice VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $160 - 200



794. **GHAZNAVID: Farrukhzad**, 1053-1059, AV dinar (2.88g), Ghazna, AH444, A-1633, some weakness near the rim, bold mint & date, EF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



795. **GHAZNAVID: Farrukhzad**, 1053-1059, AV dinar (3.52g), Ghazna, AH444, A-1633, some weakness near the rim, VF-EF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 170



796. **GHAZNAVID: Farrukhzad**, 1053-1059, AV dinar (3.87g), Ghazna, AH445, A-1633, revised type, with his laqab *jamal al-dawla wa kamal al-milla*, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



797. **GHAZNAVID: Farrukhzad**, 1053-1059, AV dinar (4.03g), Ghazna, AH4xx, A-1633, his first type, struck AH443-444, about 20% flat, VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160

The denomination in the obverse inner margin is clearly "al-dirham", not the proper "al-dinar".



798. **GHAZNAVID: Farrukhzad**, 1053-1059, AV dinar (2.94g), Ghazna, blundered date, A-1633, contemporary imitation, probably struck at a clandestine mint outside Ghazna, with a date that seems to be a blundered version of 444, VF-EF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 160



799. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (4.44g), Ghazna, AH453, A-1637, fully clear mint & date, reverse has *lillah* repeated 8 times in the margin, instead of the Qur'an text as on most of his dinars, Fine**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $120 - 160



800. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (4.35g), Ghazna, AH454, A-1637, date weak but certain, somewhat mushy strike, F-VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $100 - 140



801. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (4.50g), Ghazna, AH455, A-1637, fully clear date, average strike, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $110 - 140



802. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (4.61g), Ghazna, AH456, A-1637, very clear date, nice strike, VF-EF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $120 - 150



803. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (3.37g) (Ghazna), AH(4)57, A-1637, clear date, about 20% flat strike, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $100 - 120



804. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (3.28g), Ghazna, AH457, A-1637, *sab'* for "seven" within the middle letter "b", engraver's error, F-VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $100 - 140



805. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (5.26g) (Ghazna), AH480, A-1637, legible date, average strike, VF-EF *,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $120 - 140



806. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (4.26g) (Ghazna), AH481, A-1637, legible date, average strike, VF *,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $100 - 120



807. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (6.05g), Ghazna, AH491, A-1637, superb specimen, with clear mint, date, and virtually all the other legends, with the royal titles *al-sultan al-a'zam shahanshah abu'l-muzaffar*, EF**, RR***,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $400 - 500

The last issue of Ibrahim is always dated AH491, and cites the caliph al-Mustazhir (AH487-512). This is probably the finest known example.



808. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (3.88g), Ghazna, AH491, A-1637, second type for this year, as determined by the consignor, decent strike, EF**, R***,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $150 - 190



809. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (6.10g), Ghazna, AH491, A-1637, second type for this year, date weak but certain, EF**, R***, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $150 - 190



810. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (6.30g), Ghazna, AH491, A-1637, weak date, but confirmed by die-link to Lot 807, some weakness, VF**, R***, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 180



811. **GHAZNAVID: Ibrahim**, 1059-1099, AV dinar (4.45g) (Ghazna), ND, A-1637, the mint/date formula replaced by Qur'an verse 9:33, which fills the margin on both obverse & reverse, type of the year AH491 group, EF**, R***, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $150 - 190



812. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud III**, 1099-1115, AV dinar (6.00g), Ghazna, AH492, A-1647, clear date & mint, about the finest examples of this type, and the second heaviest, usually found in appalling condition, and very rare with legible date, EF**, RR***,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $240 - 300



813. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud III**, 1099-1115, AV dinar (5.50g), Ghazna, AH492, A-1647, clear date & mint, much above average strike for this type, usually found in appalling condition, and very rare with legible date, EF**, RR***, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $200 - 300



814. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud III**, 1099-1115, AV dinar (4.87g) (Ghazna), AH(492), A-1647, mint & date confirmed by the type and the addition of the phrase *majd al-ayyâm* ("glory of the days") in the obverse field, attractive VF**, RR***,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $200 - 300



815. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud III**, 1099-1115, AV dinar (2.48g), Ghazna, AH505, A-1647, reasonably clear mint & date, with additional titles *sultan al-a'zam ghiyath al-muslimin,* 2 flan cracks, which confirm the attrocious means of coin production during this reign, AU**, RR***,*
ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection $240 - 300



816. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud III**, 1099-1115, AV dinar (4.36g) (Ghazna), AH507, A-1647, extremely rare date, significantly clear on this piece, VF-EF**, RRR***, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $280 - 325

At least a dozen are now known dated AH505, only 2 or 3 known specimens for AH507.



817. **GHAZNAVID: Mas'ud III**, 1099-1115, AR dirham (3.07g) (Ghazna), AH495, A-1648, SNAT-458, with full bold date, very rare as such, VF**, RR** $100 - 150



818. **GHAZNAVID: Sultan al-Dawla Arslanshah**, 1116-1117, AV dinar (2.70g) (Ghazna), AH509, A-V1650, extremely rare date, clear on this piece, VF**, RRR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $400 - 500



819. **GHAZNAVID: Sultan al-Dawla Arslanshah**, 1116-1117, AV dinar (4.38g) (Ghazna), AH510, A-V1650, weak date, but confirmed by other known examples; this is the second series, with a circle of pelleted annulets around the field on both sides, superb strike, EF**, RRR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $400 - 500



820. **GHAZNAVID: Sultan al-Dawla Arslanshah**, 1116-1117, AV dinar (4.02g) (Ghazna), AH(5)10, A-V1650, this is the first series, without the circles of pelleted annulets, decent strike, VF**, RRR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $300 - 350

Until this collection became available, no gold coins were known for Arslanshah, who only ruled for a very short time. His dinars are dated either AH509 (only 2 or 3 known) or more commonly AH510, the the majority of all his dinars have the date off flan or illegibly engraved. The type will be added to the 4th edition of the Checklist of Islamic coins as type V1650.

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821. **GREAT SELJUQ: Tughril Beg**, 1038-1063, AV dinar (3.73g), Nishapur, AH448, A-1665, very clear date, mint name legible, but seems to have been re-engraved over another mint name, VF-EF $260 - 300



822. **GREAT SELJUQ: Tughril Beg**, 1038-1063, AV dinar (3.16g), al-Rayy, AH440, A-1665, clear mint & date, usual central weakness for this mint, VF *, ex Hans Mondorf Collection* $180 - 220



823. **GREAT SELJUQ: Tughril Beg**, 1038-1063, AV dinar (3.03g), Nishapur, AH45x, A-1665, VF *, ex Hans Mondorf* $120 - 150



824. **GREAT SELJUQ: Alp Arslan**, 1058-1063, AV pale dinar (3.31g), MM, AH456, A-1671, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $120 - 160



825. **GREAT SELJUQ: Alp Arslan**, 1058-1063, AV pale dinar (4.26g), Herat, AH(4)58, A-1671, somewhat crudely struck,VF**, RR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $200 - 250



826. **GREAT SELJUQ: Alp Arslan**, 1058-1063, AV pale dinar (3.28g), MM, AH45x, A-1671, some weakness, style suggests mint of Herat, VF**, RR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $130 - 170



827. **GREAT SELJUQ: Muhammad I**, 1099-1118, AV dinar (3.47g), fine gold, Isfahan, AH505, A-1683.1, some weakness towards the rim, bold mint & date, EF $180 - 220



828. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1099-1118, AV dinar (3.16g), pale gold, Marw, DM, A-1685.2, citing his brother Muhammad b. Malikshah, ornate decorative borders on both sides, bow in obverse field & sword in reverse field, VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



829. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (3.18g) (Herat), DM, A-1687, fancy design used at the Herat mint, much weakness, cleaned, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $110 - 140



830. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (3.87g), Herat, AH(5)17, A-1687, about 20% flat strike but with clear date, mint name atop the obverse field, reverse field bordered by a dragon! VF**, RR** $120 - 160



831. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (3.48g), Herat, AH520, A-1687, bold mint & date, about 35% flat strike, cleaned, EF**, RR** $120 - 160



832. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (3.68g), MM, DM, A-1687, unusual style, probably not from the common mints of Balkh, Herat, or Warwarlij, about 15% flat strike, VF $100 - 120



833. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (2.44g), MM, DM, A-1687B, obverse field in 19 hexagons, 16 with *sanjar,* the other 3 with *ibn / malik / shah,* minimal weakness, mint unknown, perhaps Herat, VF**, RR** $120 - 160



834. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Muhammad**, 1200-1220, AV dinar (4.39g), Badakhshan, AH(611), A-1712, dated the 11th of Rabi' al-Akhir 611 (611 clear from die-link to SNAT-XIVc:393), which probably reflects the day that Muhammad successfully captured Badakhshan from the Ghorids, about 30% flat stirke, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $250 - 300

The full date appears never to have been published before.



835. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Muhammad**, 1200-1220, AV dinar (5.85g), Ghazna, AH612, A-1712, clear mint & date, slightly creased, VF**, RR** $300 - 400

The Khwarizmshah conquered Ghazna in AH612 - earlier coins of this year bear the names of Yildiz and the deceased Ghorid, Muhammad b. Sam.



836. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Muhammad**, 1200-1220, AV dinar (5.35g), MM, DM, A-1712, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $150 - 180



837. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Muhammad**, 1200-1220, AV dinar (3.66g), MM, DM, A-1712, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $110 - 140



838. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Mangubarni**, 1220-1231, AR double dirham (6.11g), Qal'a Nay, ND, A-1743, always undated, wonderful strike for this type, certainly one of the finest known, EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $350 - 450



839. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Mangubarni**, 1220-1231, AR small dirham (2.99g), MM, ND, A-1745.1, ruler's name and title *jalal al-dunya wa'l-din,* with another word above, probably the city name Kurraman // the caliph's name, *al-nasir li-din Allah,* mount removed. Cf. lot 383 in our Auction 29, which lacks the upper text line on the obverse, but was struck with the same reverse die! VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $400 - 500

The dies were engraved by the same staff that produced his father's equivalent (A-1721) and the issue in the name of Chingiz Khan (A-1967), and it is much rarer that either of those two. It must have been struck very briefly, perhaps just after the Mongol troops left Ghazna en route to the Indus River, chasing Mangubarni, before the Mongols returned to the region.



840. **GHORID RELATED: Baha Din Allah Shah Muhammad**, ca. 1135-1140, AV dinar (4.25g), NM, ND, A-—, with titles *al-sultan al-mu'azzam* and *shahanshah nizam* (or something similar), citing the caliph al-Rashid, tentative attribution, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $300 - 400



841. **GHORID: Ghiyath al-Din Muhammad**, 1163-1203, AV dinar (4.36g), Herat, AH5x6, A-1754, fine gold, with caliph al-Nasir, without his brother Mu'izz al-Din, very rare with even a partially legible date! VF**, RR**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $200 - 240



842. **GHORID: Mu'izz al-Din Muhammad**, 1171-1206, AV dinar (4.27g) (Ghazna), AH573, A-1759, citing the caliph al-Mustadi (AH566-75), VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 300



843. **GHORID: Mu'izz al-Din Muhammad**, 1171-1206, AV dinar (5.08g), Ghazna, DM, A-1759, fine calligraphy for this period, VF *, ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $180 - 220



844. **GHORID: Mu'izz al-Din Muhammad**, 1171-1206, AV dinar (3.98g), Herat, DM, A-1763, mint name above obverse and below reverse field, without his brother Ghiyath al-Din, who died in AH599, VF**, R**, *ex Yusuf Alokozay Collection* $140 - 160



845. **GHORID: Mu'izz al-Din Muhammad**, 1171-1206, AV stater (dinar) (4.24g), NM, ND, A-1764.2, De-253, Lakshmi seated // Nagari legend *sri maha- / mira mahama- / da samah,* assigned to the region of Bayana, EF $200 - 240



846. **GHORID: Taj al -Din Yildiz**, 1206-1215, AV dinar (4.46g) (Dâwar), DM, A-1791.2, citing the deceased Muhammad b. Sam (died in 602) as *al-sultan al-mu'izz* in the center, as Muhammad's "slave and officer" in the margin, about 15% flat strike (as virtually always), EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $300 - 400



847. **GHORID: Taj al -Din Yildiz**, 1206-1215, debased AV dinar (4.05g) (Ghazna), AH612, A-1793, citing the deceased Muhammad b. Sam as *al-sultan al-shahid* ("the martyred sultan"), himself as "sultan of the east", F-VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $240 - 300

Atabegs & Contemporaries



848. **ARTUQIDS OF AMID & KAYFA: Fakhr al-Din Qara Arslan**, 1144-1174, AE dirham (9.26g), NM, AH562, A-1820.7, long-haired male bust facing, some weakness towards the rim, VF $110 - 150



849. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Alpi**, 1152-1176, AE dirham (12.46g), NM, AH559, A-1827.4, SS-29.2, draped bust facing slightly left on the obverse // facing bust wearing Sasanian crown on the reverse, fabulous strike, rare in this quality, choice EF-AU *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $250 - 350



850. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Il-Ghazi II**, 1176-1184, AE dirham (9.31g), NM, ND, A-1828.1, SS-31.2, diademed head in square, gazing upwards, lovely VF $120 - 160



851. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Il-Ghazi II**, 1176-1184, AR dirham (15.56g), NM, AH578, A-1828.2, SS-32.2, large & small draped busts facing, bold strike, lovely patination, VF-EF $200 - 250



852. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AE dirham (3.37g), Mardin, AH6(3)4, A-1830.12var, cf. Zeno-99913 for a related type dated AH635, citing the Seljuq of Rum ruler Kayqubad I and the caliph al-Mustansir, some weakness, apparently unpublished, F-VF**, RRR** $100 - 150

Citing Artuq Arslan with the wrong laqab Najm al-Din.



853. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AR dirham (2.90g), Dunaysir, AH625, A-1831.2, citing the Rum Seljuq ruler Kayqubad and the caliph al-Mustansir, EF $100 - 150



854. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AR dirham (3.08g), Dunaysir, AH626, A-1831.2, Izmirlier-204, citing the Rum Seljuq overlord Kayqubad I, nice strike, choice VF $110 - 150



855. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Ghazi II**, 1294-1312, AE fals (2.68g), NM, DM, A-1838.1, SS-51, round sunface in double circle, always dated AH698, but the date is rarely visible, F-VF**, S** $70 - 90



856. **ZANGIDS OF SYRIA: al-Salih Isma'il**, 1174-1181, AE fals (5.77g), Dimashq, ND, A-1854.2, SS-75.1, without overlord and undated, but almost certainly struck only in AH569 - dated issues of 570 & 571 cite the Ayyubid Saladin as overlord, choice VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



857. **ZANGIDS OF SINJAR: 'Imad al-Din Zangi**, 1169-1197, AR dirham (7.16g), Sinjar, AH583, A-1879.2, double-headed eagle facing, excellent strike but boldly clear mint & date, choice VF $120 - 150



858. **ZANGIDS OF AL-JAZIRA: al-Mu'azzam Mahmud**, 1208-1251, AR dirham (14.21g), al-Jazira, AH(61)8, A-1883.2, crowned facing bust behind huge crescent, citing the Ayyubid rulers al-Kamil & al-Ashraf, nice strike, bold VF $120 - 160



859. **SALDUQIDS: Diya' al-Din Ghazi**, 1116-1132, AE fals (5.38g), NM, ND, A-A1890, obverse is derived from a Byzantine prototype, portraying the Virgin and Christ-child, citing the Seljuq overlord Mahmud II on the reverse, slight weakness as usual, VF**, RRR** $140 - 180



860. **SALDUQIDS: Diya' al-Din Ayyub**, 1116-1132, AE fals (5.81g), NM, ND, A-A1890var, king standing (or enthroned), nimbate, holding large sword instead of the cross, typical crude strike, VF**, RRR** $120 - 160

This appears to be an unpublished variety.



861. **SALDUQIDS: Diya' al-Din Ayyub**, 1116-1132, AE fals (2.95g), NM, ND, A-C1890, St. George slaying the dragon, stylistically engraved, citing the Seljuq overlord Mahmud II (only by his laqab *mughith al-din*), F-VF $100 - 130



862. **SALDUQIDS: 'Izz al-Din Salduq**, 1129-1168, AE fals (3.27g), NM, ND, A-1890B, facing half bust, nimbate, holding sword & shield // the ruler's laqab *'izz al-din* in central circle, VF**, RRR** $180 - 220

The obverse marginal text likely cites the Seljuq ruler, probably Mas'ud. Unpublished type, except for a recent illustration on Zeno, #219819.



863. **ASSASSINS AT ALAMUT: Muhammad III**, 1221-1254, AR fractional dirham (0.73g), NM, NM, A-1921A, *muhammad bin / al-hasan* on obverse, *al-mawla al-a'zam* on reverse, fine style, struck during the latter part of his lengthy reign, choice VF-EF**, RR** $700 - 900



864. **ASSASSINS AT ALAMUT: Muhammad III**, 1221-1254, AR fractional dirham (1.90g), NM, NM, A-1921F, *'ala al-dunya wa'l-din* on the obverse and *al-mawla al-a'zam* on the reverse, fine style, struck during the latter part of his lengthy reign, magnificent strike, EF**, RR** $800 - 900



865. **ASSASSINS AT ALAMUT: Muhammad III**, 1221-1254, AR fractional dirham (1.92g), NM, NM, A-1921F, *'ala al-dunya wa'l-din* on obverse, *al-mawla al-a'zam* on reverse, fine style, struck during the latter part of his lengthy reign, decent strike, pleasant VF**, RR** $700 - 800



866. **ASSASSINS AT ALAMUT: Muhammad III**, 1221-1254, AR fractional dirham (1.92g), NM, NM, A-1921F, *'ala al-dunya wa'l-din* on obverse, *al-mawla al-a'zam* on reverse, fine style, struck during the latter part of his lengthy reign, about 30% flat strike, VF**, RR** $350 - 450



867. **QUTLUGHKHANID: Suyurghatmish**, 1282-1294, AR dirham (2.48g), K(irman), AH6xx, A-1936, citing the Ilkhan overlord Arghun, F-VF**, R** $120 - 160



868. **QALHATI AMIR: temp. Turanshah II**, 1437-1456 AH, AV ½ dinar (1.25g), Jarun, AH84x, A-1942, mint // date, EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



869. **QALHATI AMIR: temp. Mas'ud**, 1456-1466, AV ½ dinar (1.25g), Jarun, AH861, A-A1943, legend *'adliya sultan* // mint & date, EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $160 - 200

Mongol Dynasties



870. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (4.71g), Ghazna, AH(618), A-1964, with the name Chingiz Khan fully legible with titles "The Khan of Khans, The Just, The Most Mighty, Chingiz Khan", VF-EF , *ex Classical Numismatic Group Auction 58, lot 1649* $3,000 - 4,000

From the circa 1996 hoard, as are virtually all known dinars of Ghazna AH618. The hoard allegedly contained between 150 and 200 examples, all from the same pair of dies.



871. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR dirham (3.01g), Kurraman, ND, A-1967A, *adl / khaqan / al-mu'azzam* on obverse, caliph al-Nasir and city name on reverse, struck during the lifetime of Chingiz Khan, some corrosion near the rim on both sides, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 250



872. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE broad khani dirham (4.88g), Bukhara, AH617, A-1968, the kalima in square // name & titles of the caliph al-Nasir li-din Allah, with the mint/date formula in the margin on both sides, clear mint & date, F-VF**, RRR** $140 - 180



873. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, ca. 1220-1250, AV dinar (3.08g), Khujanda, ND, A-A1997, standard kalima, mint name below // citing the caliph al-Nasir li-din Allah, *khani* above, the mint name below, above average strike, but with some central weakness, VF**, RR** $400 - 500



874. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, ca. 1220-1250, AV dinar (2.35g), Khujanda, ND, A-A1997, standard kalima, mint name above // citing the caliph al-Nasir li-din Allah, *khani* above, the mint name below, typical weakness, weak VF**, RR** $400 - 500



875. **GREAT MONGOLS: after Chingiz Khan**, ca. 1225-1250, AV dinar (4.55g), Khujanda, ND, A-A1967, standard kalima, mint name above // the caliph, as *al-imam al-a'zam al-nasir li-din Allah,* with *khani* above and the mint name repeated below, Fine**, RR** $450 - 550



876. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Ögedei**, 1227-1241, AV dinar (2.03g), Astarabad, AH632, A-1966var (to be A-3723A), Shi'ite reverse, without any reference to the Abbasid caliph, some weakness as expected, but overall of the finest style, EF**, RRR** $1,200 - 1,500

The mint name is boldly clear in the obverse margin, followed by "ithnatayn" for "2". The rest of the date, but not the "2", was clear on another example that was sold at the Wilkes & Curtis Auction 10, Lot 112 (attributed to the time of Chingiz Khan, as was suspected before the full date could be deciphered), but with this evidence it can be securely assigned to the time of Ögedei.

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GREAT MONGOLS: Töregene, 1241-1246, AR 10 dirhams (28.52g), al-Kurraman, AH641, A-—, within a square, the Abbasid caliph: *al-musta'im / billah amir / al-mu'minin*, with floral ornaments in each of the four marginal segments // also in square, *duriba hadha / fi'l-balad / al-kurraman, with the date arranged in the margin: bi-tarikh sana / ihda / (wa) arba'in / wa sitmi'a*, one small area of weakness, VF to EF, RRRR,
ex M.H. Mirza Collection

Estimated Value: $18,000 to $22,000
Starting Bid: $14,000

The purpose of this astounding issue remains unclear, but it undoubtedly is related to the influence of the Great Mongols during the regency of Töregene and the opposing Qarlughids, who ruled AH621-658 in Sind, and at some point towards the end of his reign struck base-metal jitals at Kurraman (Tye-344), as well as silver tankas without mint name, thought to have been struck at Ghazna, Kurraman, or Sind, with the latest known date AH636. A similar calligraphic style is known for a tanka of the Delhi sultan Iltutmish, undated but presumably before the end of his reign in AH633 (Goron-D38). The denomination seems likely to be indeed 10 dirhams, as the 3 known examples follow the weight of 10 dirhams of Töregene, and cannot be the equivalent of 2½ tankas of the Qarlughids or the Delhi Sultanate, which should weight about 27.2g, far lighter than the three known pieces.

This is the third reported example of this type, Kurraman 641, all from the same pair of dies, and this example is in much better condition than the other two, and without any flaws. The two other examples appeared in the Numismatic Genevensis Auction 8, Lot 289 (28.10g), in 2014 and in the Triton Auction XXII, Lot 1234 (28.66g), in January 2019.

This is only the second example offered for public sale that we are aware of and likely the finest known example!



878. **GREAT MONGOLS: Töregene**, 1241-1246, AR dirham (2.38g), NM, ND, A-1976, horseman to left, shooting arrow to right, decent strike, VF $100 - 130



879. **GREAT MONGOLS: Möngke**, 1251-1260, AR dirham (2.74g), Tiflis, AH650, A-1977D, Bennett-251, Pakhomov-79, Kap-86, citing the local ruler of Georgia, Da'ud b. Kiyurki (David, son of George), clear date and mint, nice strike, bold VF $500 - 600

Obverse legend in Persian translates "by the power of God, by the fortune of the king of the world, Möngke Qa'an" and the date in words at the lower right. Reverse legend "David king, son of George the Baghratid," and "struck at Tiflis" at the lower right.



880. **GREAT MONGOLS: Möngke**, 1251-1260, AR dirham (3.32g), Shahr Qorum, AH65x, A-E1978, Zeno-210620, very blundered Arabic legends on both sides, with the last part of the date, *khamsin sitmi'a* is very clear, probably anonymous, but with Möngke's tamgha clear in the reverse center, about 25% flat strike, VF**, RRR** $150 - 200

See the description of Zeno-210620 for some further information.



881. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AE dirham (7.49g), Bukhara, AH(66)3, A-A1979.3, Davidovich-6, cf. Zeno-123040, Arabic *sikka / bukhara* in obverse center, one year type, with the Arabic word *al-mulk* three times around, the Chinese character *ke* ("tax") in the reverse center, pleasing F-VF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 240



882. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AE dirham (6.19g), Bukhara, AH(6)63, A-A1979.2, Dav-6, Arabic *sikka / bukhara* in obverse center, one year type, with the Arabic word *al-mulk* three times around, the Chinese character *ke* ("tax") in the reverse center, clear mint & date, about VF**, RR** $300 - 400



883. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, mid-13th century, AE heavy jital (6.96g), ND, A-—, unknown type, with blundered Arabic legends, interesting numismatic research example, VF**, RRR** $100 - 150



884. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AE jital (2.41g), Bamiyan, ND, A-3789B, Tye-—, *'adl* in hexagon // city name in square, very clear mint name, probably struck at some point between the AH630s and 660s, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



885. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AR dirham (2.16g), [Imil], ND, A-P1979, cf. Zeno-185774 for a somewhat similar item, trident tamgha with even shoulders, stylized "Arabic" around // *al-imam al a'zam* with trace of mint name below, possibly different than Imil, VF**, RRR** $160 - 200



886. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AR dirham (3.20g), NM, ND, A-1978K, on the obverse in Persian, *be-qovvat-e aferidegar-e 'alam*, "by the power of the Creator of the world ", and citing the caliph al Mustansir (AH623-640) on the reverse, choice VF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 140

Struck during the reign of the Great Mongol Ögedei or very shortly afterwards. The presence of the name of the caliph al-Mustansir does not imply that the coin was struck during his lifetime, as many Mongol and later issues often cite a deceased caliph, just as American coins cite a deceased president!



887. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AR dirham (3.19g), NM, ND, A-1978K, on the obverse in Persian, *be-qovvat-e aferidegar-e 'alam*, "by the power of the Creator of the world ", and citing the caliph al Mustansir (AH623-640) on the reverse, lovely VF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 140

Struck during the reign of the Great Mongol Ögedei or very shortly afterwards.



888. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, AR dirham (4.91g), MM, DM, A-D1977, obverse legend *qa'an / al-a'zam / al-'adil / zuyida 'adluhu,* with first part of Qur'an verse 9:33 in the margin // kalima, mint/date formula around, important parts off flan on this piece, VF-EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



889. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, ca. 1220-1280, AV burial bracteate (0.30g), blundered Arabic legend in the center, beginning with *'azza man …*, probably ending in *man tama'*, thus some good luck phrase, with what is likely another "good luck" Arabic phrase in the margin, chipped (likely in removal from whatever it was attached to), EF**, RRR** $300 - 400

We have not deciphered the central phrase, but the style resembled some later Great Mongol and very early Golden Horde pieces. It was found together with a copper coin of Bukhara AH617 (Zeno-213042).



890. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Tuqa Timur**, 1272-1291, AR dirham (1.61g), Taraz, AH687, A-1985, very rare with legible mint & date, as is clear on this example, VF**, R** $110 - 150



891. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Kibak Khan**, 1318-1326, AR dinar (7.91g), Samarqand, AH725, A-1988, unusual obverse legend, used only at Samarqand for this ruler, *kabak khan / al-khaqan al-a'zam / malik ruqab al-umam / zuyida 'adluhu,* where the 3rd line means "possessor of the necks of the people", superb strike without any weakness, VF-EF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



892. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Buyan Quli Khan**, 1348-1359, AR dinar (7.49g), Otrar, AH75(2), A-2007P, with a 3-character Tibetan 'Phags-pa word added below the obverse field, boldly clear on this example, decent strike for this rare type, off-center reverse, VF**, RR** $300 - 400



893. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Buyan Quli Khan**, 1348-1359, AR dinar (7.73g), Otrar, AH(75)3, A-2007, decent strike, VF*, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



894. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Buyan Quli Khan**, 1348-1359, AR dinar (6.67g), Urdubazar, AH7(57), A-2007, SNAT-XVa.3 (same dies), Zeno-174665 (same dies), important type, which has the ruler's name in Uighur within the obverse center, and formerly in Arabic in the reverse center, but covered over with decorative reengraving, VF**, RR***, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $300 - 400

Zeno-166258 and SNAT-XVa.3, as well as Zeno-174668 are all struck from the same pair of dies, the first two with the ruler's name "buyan quli" in Arabic, the third one and this piece after his name has been covered over with decorative engraving.



895. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Buyan Quli Khan**, 1348-1359, AR 12 dirhams (8.40g), Herat, AH(75)8, A-A2009, final digit of date boldly clear, VF**, R***, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 130



896. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Suyurghatmish**, 1370-1388, AR 1/6 dinar (0.80g), NM, ND, A-E2012, with the title *al-malik 'adil* (sic), crude VF**, RRR** $150 - 200



897. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Suyurghatmish**, 1370-1388, AR 1/6 dinar (0.96g), NM, ND, A-E2012, with the title *al-malik 'adil* (sic), crude VF**, RRR** $150 - 200

Last issue of the Chaghatayids before the name of Timur was added to the coin legends, without mint name but style of the Badakhshan region.

898. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS:** LARGE LOT of 70 silver coins, of all three periods: **First Period:** AR dirhams: Almaligh mint, one dated AH653, the rest with date off flan or illegible (6 pcs in all); and Kucha, type A-L1979 (2 pcs); **Second Period:** AR dirhams, mostly during the reign of Qaidu, none with legible date: Bukhara (4 pcs), Imil (1), Kanjid (4), Khujand (2), Otrar (4), Samarqand (4), Shash (1), Taraz (2), Tirmidh (7), and uncertain mint (2), nearly all poorly struck, average Good to VG condition; plus 23 pieces that are of very poor quality, mostly unidentifiable; and **Third Period:** AR dinar: one each of Tarmashirin (Bukhara, Fine), Sanjar (Samarqand, Good), and Qazan Timur (Bukhara, Poor); and AR 1/6 dinar, Kebek Khan (Bukhara, 5 pcs, 3 with legible date, all in Fair condition or worse), and Tarmashirin (Bukhara, DM, Fair); all in envelopes identified by the consignor (some may not be correctly identified), decent group for study; retail value $1200, **lot of 70 pieces** $500 - 700

899. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS:** LOT of 29 copper coins: Almaligh type dated AH660 (5 pcs, 4 in Fine condition, one Fair, two which have legible date); Shash mint (3 pcs, average Fine, weak strikes); Almaligh billon dirhams (2); Kashghar dated 675 (13 pieces, 1 VF with legible date, 2 in VG condition, and 10 Poor); Qutlugh Khwaja (1 pc, VG condition), and uncertain (5 pcs, average Fair), all in envelopes with at least partial identification by the consignor; retail value $450, **lot of 29 pieces** $180 - 240



900. **SHAHS OF BADAKHSHAN: Shah Baha al-Din**, 1344-1358, AR dinar kebeki (7.95g), Badakhshan, AH7xx, A-2015, nice strike, with minimal weakness, VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 160



901. **GOLDEN HORDE: Mangu Timur**, 1267-1280, AR dirham (1.98g), Qrim, AH665, A-2020.1, bold strike, with just one tiny spot of weakness by the rim, EF $100 - 140



902. **GOLDEN HORDE: Mangu Timur**, 1267-1280, AR dirham (1.36g), [Bulghar], ND, A-2020A, Singatullina-28, some weakness as usual, VF**, RR** $80 - 100



903. **GOLDEN HORDE: Mangu Timur**, 1267-1280, AR dirham (1.83g), Qrim, AH665, A-2020.1, bold strike, choice VF-EF $100 - 140

904. **GOLDEN HORDE: Mangu Timur**, 1267-1280, LOT of 3 better dirhams (yarmaqs); A-2020.1, Qrim AH663, excellent carefully engraved Arabic both sides (2 pcs, 1.28g, lovely VF-EF, and 1.83g, VF), and A-2020A, Bulghar undated (0.90g, VF-EF, some weakness); retail value $375, **lot of 3 pieces** $200 - 260



905. **GOLDEN HORDE: Toda Mangu**, 1280-1287, AR dirham (1.56g), Qrim, AH683, A-2021.1, nice strike, VF $100 - 130



906. **GOLDEN HORDE: Töle Buqa**, 1287-1290, AR yarmaq (1.73g), Qrim, AH686, A-2022.2, tamgha in hexagram // ruler's name, mint & date, minor weakness as usual, EF $100 - 130



907. **GOLDEN HORDE: Töle Buqa**, 1287-1290, AR dirham (1.27g), Qrim, AH686, A-2022.2, 3-line Arabic legend // tamgha in hexagram, bold strike, VF-EF $100 - 130



908. **GOLDEN HORDE: Toqtu**, 1291-1312, AR dirham (1.22g), Qrim, AH704, A-2023.4, rare date & subtype, VF $100 - 130



909. **GOLDEN HORDE: Toqtu**, 1291-1312, AR dirham (1.22g), Qrim, AH707, A-2023.5, bold strike, VF-EF $100 - 130



910. **GOLDEN HORDE: Toqtu**, 1291-1312, AR dirham (1.53g), Mâjar, AH710, A-2023H, ruler's name in 'Phags-Pa script, *padshah* above, *al-'adil* below // mint name in central triangle, date to upper left, VF**, RR** $200 - 260



911. **GOLDEN HORDE: Toqtu**, 1291-1312, AE pul (1.20g), Solkhat, ND, A-2024N, joint issue of Toqtu and Noghay of Soqchi, struck only at the mint of Solkhat (Genoese Solcati), fully legible mint name, Fine**, RR** $70 - 90

See Zeno-64412 for further information.



912. **GOLDEN HORDE: Muhammad Uzbek**, 1312-1341, AR dirham (1.48g), Mukhshi, AH718, A-2025M, with Uzbek's additional title Ghiyath al-Din, VF**, R** $100 - 130



913. **GOLDEN HORDE: Kildi Beg**, 1361-1362, AE pul (3.32g), Azaq, AH76(3), A-2039, decent strike, VF**, R** $70 - 90

914. **GOLDEN HORDE:** LOT of 35 copper puls, many different types, including 3 examples of the early type of Berke, several different mints (Qrim, Saray al-Jadida, Gulistan, Khwarizm), various animals and other objects (e.g., watering can); mostly better types, average VG to Fine condition, but several are quite nice VF, an excellent study group with quite a few scarce and rare types, an interesting group with very few of the common boring later issues; retail value $600, **lot of 35 pieces** $300 - 450

915. **GOLDEN HORDE:** LOT of 5 anonymous early dirhams (yarmaqs), type A2020, anepigraphic with tamgha, by Singatullina numbers: S-161, 6-petal flower (1.28b, VF, lovely strike); S-165, bird right (1.28g, F-VF); S-170, annulet in large cross (1.27g, VF); B-173, ornamented hexagram (1.35g, EF); and B-195var, 3-petal flower with floral ornaments around (1.36g, VF); all with some of the usual weakness; retail value $400, **lot of 5 pieces** $200 - 260

916. **GOLDEN HORDE:** LOT of 3 anonymous early dirhams (yarmaqs), type C2020, with short Arabic legends, by Singatullina numbers: S-43 and S-44, octagram // mint name Bulghar (2 pcs, one 1.46g, VF, the latter 1.00, regarded as fractional dirham, tiny chip, VF-EF); and S-135, tamgha in circle / Arabic *al-qanâ'a al-ghazi,* "modesty is wealth" (1.37g, VF, usual weakness); retail value $300, **lot of 3 pieces** $170 - 220

917. **GOLDEN HORDE:** LOT of 2 copper coins, both type A-2035 of Khizr Khan, 1360-1361, one of the mint of Gulistan, the other of Saray al-Jadid, decent strike, both F-VF condition,
lot of 2 pieces $55 - 75



918. **SUFID: temp. Husayn**, 1361-1372, AV dinar (1.11g), Khwarizm, AH771, A-2063, Dav-6, obverse legend *al-mulk lillah / al-karim / al-musta'in,* mint & date on reverse, very rare type for this series, VF**, RR** $200 - 260



919. **ILKHAN: Hulagu**, 1256-1265, AV dinar (6.45g), Baghdad, AH6xx, A-2121.1, unusual obverse legend *qa'an al-a'zam möngka khan hulagu khan malikâ ruqab al-umam khulida mulkuhumâ,* recognizing the rule of both Hulagu and his overlord Möngke, pierced and slightly wavy surfaces., VF**, RR** $450 - 550



920. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (10.46g), MM, AH67x, A-2126.1, style of the Isfahan mint, about 15% flat strike, finest calligraphy, EF**, R** $600 - 700



921. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (6.28g), Hamadan, DM, A-2126.1, mint name below the reverse field, very rare mint for gold coins of the early Ilkhan rulers, VF**, RR** $500 - 600



922. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (5.19g), MM, AH(67)8, A-2126.1, style of Yazd mint, VF $300 - 350



923. **ILKHAN: Anonymous Qa'an al-'Adil**, AR kaaniki dirham (2.56g), [Tiflis], AH674, A-2135, month of Muharram, anonymous but during the reign of Abaqa, bold date, F-VF ,
ex M.H. Mirza Collection $100 - 120



924. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AR dirham (2.18g), Nishapur, ND, A-2156.3, sunface in the obverse center, mint name below the reverse, VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 150



925. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AR dirham (2.91g), Abivard, DM/ND, A-2156.7, peacock left with head turned back, some flat areas, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 150



926. **ILKHAN: Gaykhatu**, 1291-1295, AV dinar (4.54g), Baghdad, AH693, A-2158.1, ruler cited by his imperial name Irenjin Turji, rare to find this mint with legible date, EF-AU**, R** $600 - 750



927. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, AR dirham (2.11g), Kangari (Kengiri), AH701, A-2173, bold mint name, VF-EF**, RR** $100 - 150



928. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, AV dinar (5.46g), Qays, AH701//702, A-2170, muling of obverse die dated 701 with a reverse die dated 702, VF**, RR** $600 - 700



929. **ILKHAN: Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AV dinar (8.83g), Qays, AH704, A-2177, type A, with fully clear mint name on the reverse, choice VF**, RRR** $2,200 - 2,600

Qays is the island Kish in the Persian Gulf, now the shopping, amusement and gambling center of modern Iran. This is only reported coin of Uljaytu struck at that mint, best known from dinars of Abu Sa'id and some very rare dinars of Ghazan Mahmud.



930. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.07g), Abu Ishaq (= Kazirun), AH722, A-2202, lightly creased, VF-EF $450 - 550



931. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.64g), Shiraz, AH722, A-2202, lightly creased, lovely VF $450 - 550



932. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (9.20g), Bazar, AH723, A-2202, minor surface waviness, VF $450 - 550



933. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AR 2 dirhams (3.56g), Tabriz, AH723, A-2210, a very common type, but a spectacular strike, choice EF $80 - 100



934. **ILKHAN: Sulayman**, 1339-1346, AR 2 dirhams (1.36g), Qulistawan (for Gulistawan), AH744, A-2254, mint name with the letter "Q" instead of the normal Persian "G" for this mint, apparently unrecorded version, lovely strike (reverse partially off-center), EF**, RR** $120 - 160



935. **ILKHAN: Anushiravan**, 1344-1356, AR 6 dirhams (3.07g), Rayy, AH754, A-T2268, excellent example, with full mint & date on the obverse, VF-EF**, RR** $120 - 160



936. **ILKHAN: Ghazan II**, 1356-1357, AE heavy fals (13.97g), uncertain mint, AH757, A-2274F, the mint name is probably Maragha, and should be revealed after professional conservation, VF**, RRRR** $500 - 600

This is the first known copper coin in the name of Ghazan II, and retains a weight in the range of the heavy fals struck at Tabriz for Anushiravan, in the weight range of 12 to 15 grams and known dated AH752 and 754.

937. **ILKHAN:** LOT of 35 silver and 4 copper coins: **Silver: Abaqa** (8 pcs, including one kaaniki dirham dated AH676 but without legible month, and 2 pieces of Khabushan DM, and the lion type of Tus, but both poorly struck and of minimal value); **Arghun** (6 pieces, including 4 of Khabushan DM in VF-EF condition); **Ghazan Mahmud** (5 pieces, including nice examples of Baghdad, al-Basra, Kashan and Tabriz, all with legible date and at least VF condition; and the rare mint of Aksaray DM, but lightly porous and probably mount removed); **Uljaytu** (3); **Abu Sa'id** (5, including Bayburt 34 khani); **Sati Beg** (1 pc, mint off flan); **Sulayman** (4 pcs, including the rare mint or Zaydan (74)1, but crudely struck VF); and **Anushiravan** (1); **Copper:** 4 pieces in low quality; all in envelopes as identified by the consignor (many corrected by us); retail value $950, **lot of 39 pieces** $450 - 600

Post-Mongol Iran



938. **SUTAYIDS: temp. Ibrahimshah**, 1342-1347, AR 2 dirhams (1.40g), Irbil, ND, A-2319.2, mint name in central circle on obverse, VF**, RR** $100 - 140



939. **SUTAYIDS: temp. Ibrahimshah**, 1342-1347, AR 2 dirhams (1.23g), Busa'idiya, ND, A-2319.2, octofoil with small inner circle containing mint name // plain circle, not known with legible date, Fine**, RRR** $110 - 140

Extremely rare mint, located in what is now northern Iraq, named after the Ilkhan ruler Abu Sa'id.



940. **ERETNIDS: Eretna**, 1335-1352, AR akçe (1.69g), Kangari (Kengiri), AH742, A-2320.1, P&Ö-27, VF**, RR** $100 - 150



941. **ERETNIDS: 'Ali Beg**, 1366-1380, AR akçe (1.39g), Samsun, ND, A-2324.4, P&Ö-314, very rare mint for this type, VF**, RR** $100 - 150

Timurid & Later



942. **TIMURID: Khalil Sultan**, 1405-1409, AR miri (¼ tanka) (1.54g), Samarqand, ND, A-2392, citing his nominal overlord Muhammad Jahangir, VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 120



943. **TIMURID: Shah Mahmud**, 1457-1459, AR tanka (5.08g), Herat, AH861, A-2423.1, with his titles *al-akram mu'izz al dunya wa'l-din,* bold mint & date, decent strike with some weakness, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 140



944. **TIMURID: Sultan Husayn**, 1469-1506, AR tanka (5.07g), Simnan, ND, A-2439, third countermark series, overstruck on what is probably and almost obliterated Aq Qoyunlu tanka, VF**, RR** $100 - 140

This is the first countermarked coin of Sultan Husayn we have seen from the Simnan mint, moderately rare for his regular coinage but apparently unreported for his countermarks.



945. **TIMURID: Baysunghur**, 1495, AR tanka (4.73g), NM, AH902, A-2459, bold countermark on common type A-2432.3 of Sultan Husayn, EF on Fine host**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 130



946. **AQ QOYUNLU: Anonymous**, AE fals (3.23g), NM, ND, A-2563, lion & sun // Aq Qoyunlu tamgha, VF**, R** $80 - 120

Shahs of Iran



947. **SAFAVID: Isma'il I**, 1501-1524, AV ¼ ashrafi (0.96g), Nakhjawan, ND, A-2570, very rare mint, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 200



948. **SAFAVID: Isma'il I**, 1501-1524, AR shahi (8.84g), Badakhshan, ND, A-2576, nice even strike, one testmark on reverse, F-VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 150



949. **SAFAVID: Isma'il I**, 1501-1524, AR shahi (9.37g), Balkh, ND, A-2576, very rare mint, nice even strike, lovely VF**, RR** $100 - 150



950. **SAFAVID: Isma'il I**, 1501-1524, AR shahi (9.30g), Balkh, ND, A-2576, decent example, with 4-panel obverse arrangement, moderate weakness, F-VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 120



951. **SAFAVID: Isma'il I**, 1501-1524, AR shahi (9.16g), Ganja, AH916, A-2576, clear mint & date, F-VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 120



952. **SAFAVID: Isma'il I**, 1501-1524, AR ½ shahi (4.55g), Qandahar, ND, A-2577, extremely rare mint for the Safavids, some weakness, VF-EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



953. **SAFAVID: Sulayman I**, 1668-1694, AR 10 shahi (18.01g), Isfahan, AH1096, A-2658, cf. Rabino-14, usual traces of having been mounted (as is the norm for both his 10 and 20 shahi silver coins), bold strike without any weakness, VF**, S** $600 - 800



954. **SAFAVID: Sultan Husayn**, 1694-1722, AV ashrafi (2.97g), Isfahan, AH1134, A-2669, reduced weight, possibly struck after the beginning of the Afghan siege at Isfahan, when the silver abbasi was also reduced in weight, EF $220 - 280



955. **SAFAVID: Tahmasp II**, 1722-1732, AR abbasi, Tabriz, AH1153 (sic), A-2689.1, KM-303, superb bold strike, very rare in this quality, the finest we have seen, plus the error (1153 for 1135 in the date)! MS65**, R** $150 - 200



956. **SAFAVID: Isma'il III**, 1750-1756, AR 3 shahi (3.45g), Qazwin, DM, A-2703A, this example would benefit from some professional conservation, Fine**, RRR** $80 - 100

957. **SAFAVID:** LOT of 24 silver coins, including a few scarce pieces: Isma'il I (3 pieces, including fractional shahi of Ruyan mint, ND); Tahmasp I (1), Muhammad Khudabandeh (1, Barfurushdih mint), Abbas I (3), Safi I (1), 'Abbas II (3), Sulayman I (6), and Husayn I (6, including Tiflis AH1122 and Iravan 1125); average F-VF, a few with the usual weakness or flatness; retail value $650, **lot of 24 pieces** $300 - 450



958. **AFSHARID: Ibrahim**, 1748, AV mohur (10.95g), Isfahan, AH1161, A-A2759, obverse legend *ya 'ali ebn-e musa al-reza,* ("O Ali son of Musa al-Reza:), mint & date in the bottom panel, with the standard Shi'ite kalima filling the reverse, EF**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,200

Only one specimen, also of Isfahan AH1161, but of worn condition, is cited on CoinArchives. An anonymous coin, struck during the reign of Ibrahim before his enthronement, June-December 1748. He reigned for another 9 months, until 24 September 1749, when he was slain by his opponents.



959. **AFSHARID: Shahrukh**, 1748-1750, AR 2 rupi, Mashhad, AH1161 (1748), A-2773, superb strike, NGC graded MS62 $150 - 200



960. **ZAND: Karim Khan**, 1753-1779, AV mohur (10.75g), Kirman, AH(11)74, A-2787, type B, with mint epithet Dar al-Iman, and with the standard couplet on the obverse, mint & date on reverse, but without the phrase *ya karim*, mount removed, F-VF**, RRR** $1,200 - 1,600

Possibly unique, not in any of the standard publications and none on CoinArchives. Almost all known examples of this RRR type B mohur of Karim Khan are from the mint of Shiraz, unreported for Kirman.



961. **QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AV toman (4.61g), Khuy, AH1240, A-2865, obverse legend ends with *al-sultan ibn al-sultan,* with mint epithet Dar al-Safa, lovely strike, EF $250 - 350



962. **QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, donative AR 1/5 riyal (1.91g), Tabriz, AH1237, A-2891, plain edge, attractively toned, choice EF**, R** $200 - 250



963. **QAJAR: Muhammad Shah**, 1837-1848, AR qiran (5.21g), Tehran, AH1258, A-2917, lion & sun obverse, mint epithet *dar al-khilafa*, hand-reeded edge, pleasing VF**, S** $100 - 150



964. **QAJAR: Nasir al-Din Shah**, 1848-1896, AV toman (3.45g), Qazwin, AH1280, A-2921, with mint epithet *dar al-sultana,* both sides within a wreath, EF $220 - 280



965. **QAJAR: Nasir al-Din Shah**, 1848-1896, AR 1/8 qiran (0.65g), Rasht, AH1274, A-2933.2, very rare with fully clear mint & date, traces of the use of a very worn obverse die, EF-AU**, RR** $100 - 120

966. **QAJAR:** LOT of 17 Qajar and 10 mostly Barakzay silver coins: The Qajar is mostly of Fath Ali Shah, including Qazwin AH1215, Khuy 1225, half qiran of Muhammad Shah (Tehran 1251), and quarter rial of Fath Ali, Tehran ND, type A (A-2876, RR); plus 10 common silver coins, mostly Barakzay; average circulated condition; retail value $550, **lot of 27 pieces** $280 - 380

967. **QAJAR:** LOT of 17 silver coins: Agha Muhammad Khan (2 pcs, including Kashan ND and Tabriz AH1204? the latter mount removed); Fath Ali Shah (8 pcs, including Mashhad 1244); and Nasir al-Din Shah (7 pcs, 4 qirans, including one of Herat 1278, and 3 half qirans, including rare portrait half qiran of Isfahan 1274), all identified; average Fine to VF; retail value $485, **lot of 17 pieces** $200 - 280

Later Central Asia



968. **SHAYBANID: Muhammad Shaybani**, 1500-1510, AR tanka (5.19g), Marw, AH914, A-2978, very rare mint for this ruler, nice strike with very little weakness, VF $100 - 150

Afghan Dynasties



969. **DURRANI: Ahmad Shah**, 1747-1772, AR rupee (11.48g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1170 year 11, A-3092, the symbol after the date that has occasionally been misinterpreted as a "5" for the year "1175" is actually the "h" of the word *shah.*, EF-AU $180 - 220

Struck during Ahmad Shah's fourth invasion of India. Early in 1757, he sacked Delhi, but permitted the Mughal dynasty to remain in nominal control as long as the ruler acknowledged Ahmad Shah's suzerainty over the Punjab, Sindh, and Kashmir.



970. **DURRANI: Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AR rupee (11.35g), Balkh, AH1204//1205, A-3100, KM-273, extremely rare mint for Durrani silver, dated 1204 on the obverse, 1205 on the reverse, both without the dot for the "zero" of the date, superb VF-EF**, RRR** $200 - 300



971. **DURRANI: Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AE falus (14.56g), Bhakhar, AH1197, A-3103, fully clear mint & date, Fine**, RR** $100 - 120



972. **DURRANI: Shah Zaman**, 1793-1801, AR double rupee (22.83g), Ahmadshahi (Qandahar), AH1214 year 8, A-3107, with extra couplet around the reverse, F-VF**, R** $100 - 140



973. **DURRANI: Shah Zaman**, 1793-1801, AR rupee (10.92g), Balkh, AH1208 // "1121", A-3108, with the mint epithet *umm al-bilâd, "mother of the cities", choice VF-EF*, **RRR** $350 - 450

This appears to be the first reported rupee of Balkh in the name of Shah Zaman. The reverse date "1121" is probably retrograde for 1211, the actual year of issue, utilizing an old obverse die dated 1208.



974. **DURRANI: Shah Shuja'**, 1803-1809/2nd reign, AR double rupee (22.99g), Bahawalpur, AH1218 year one (ahad), A-3121, KM-254, bold strike, choice EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $400 - 500

There is a "cud" at the top of the obverse, caused by die damage before striking, and found on several examples struck with this obverse die. There is also one minor lamination spot on the reverse.



975. **DURRANI: Shah Shuja'**, 1803-1809/2nd reign, AR double rupee (23.07g), Bahawalpur, AH1218 year one (ahad), A-3121, KM-254, bold strike, EF**, R** $300 - 350



976. **DURRANI: Ayyub Shah**, 1817-1829, BI rupee (10.18g), Ahmadshahi (=Qandahar), AH1239, A-3135A, KM-164, silver content estimated below 20%, rare emergency issue, kalima in the reverse center, the mint name divided below & above, VF**, R** $100 - 120



977. **DURRANI: Shahpur Shah**, 1842, AR rupee (9.48g), Kabul, AH1258, A-3149, last ruler of the Durrani dynasty, in power for just three weeks, unusual version with the date in the lower panel of the obverse, VF-EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200

978. **DURRANI:** LOT of 8 silver rupees of the Kashmir mint: Shah Shuja, 2nd reign, AH1219 year 2, 1220 year 3 (2 pcs), 1221 year 4, 1221 year 5, and 1222 year 5 (2 pcs); and Ayyub, 1234 year one (rare); all in VF or somewhat better condition; retail value $300, **lot of 8 pieces** $160 - 220

Civic Coppers



979. **CIVIC COPPER:** AE fals (8.99g), Herat (Harât), AH796, A-3186, mint as *baldat harât* in double square // date in words around an ornate knot, VF**, RR** $100 - 150

Struck at Herat during the reign of the Timurid founder Timur.



980. **CIVIC COPPER:** AE prestige falus (15.73g), Isfahan, AH1110, A-3237A, lion & sun right, well-engraved, pierced for suspension, as is normal for the prestige falus, F-VF**, RR** $120 - 160



981. **CIVIC COPPER:** AE falus (8.35g), Jalalabad, ND, A-3238, ornate floral design, calligraphic style above average for this mint, F-VF**, RR** $100 - 140



982. **CIVIC COPPER:** AE rectangular falus (8.48g), Qandahar, AH1097, A-3253, double-bladed sword (called *zulfiqar* in Arabic), floral designed above & below, struck on a folded over copper blank, minor porosity, VF**, RR** $100 - 150

Group Lots

983. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LARGE LOT of 66 silver coins, Fatimid (4 pcs, all of al-Hakim, NM ND); Ayyubid (2); Mamluk (1); Seljuqs of Rum (3 pcs, including choice example of the lion & sun dirham of Konya 640); Khwarizmshah (1); Golden Horde (2, including Bulghar 723 of Uzbek in VF-EF condition); Giray Khan (3); Muzaffarid (1); Khans of Astarabad (1), Kart (1), Timurid (3); Safavid (3); Afsharid (4); Zand (2); Khans of Ganja (1, Ganja 1174, VF); Qajar (1); Janid (27 pcs, mostly poor quality, all identified); Manghit (3); Durrani (1); Barakzay (1), and Sultans of Delhi (1); nearly all in envelopes and at least partially identified; average F-VF (except for the crudely struck Janid tankas, only VG-F); nearly all very common, but some scarce types, retail value $1150; **lot of 66 pieces** $450 - 650

984. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 48 silver coins, including Ayyubid (1 pc), Ilkhan (1), Timurid (15), Qara Qoyunlu (1), Aq Qoyunlu (1), Safavid (20), Afsharid (1), Zand (4), Qajar (3), and Gujarat (1), mostly common types, average F-VF condition, a few with minor damage, a few better, retail value $850, **lot of 48 pieces** $400 - 600

985. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LARGE LOT of about 300 copper coins, including **Qarakhanid:** Kharashket type of AH420 (5 pcs, F-VF), Ilaq & Ferghana (18 pcs, average VG); and miscelleanous (probably about 30 pcs, Fair to Fine); **Tahirid:** type of al-Shash 241 (31 pcs, average VG); **Samanid:** al-Shash type of 254/255 (43 pcs, average VG-F) and type of 280 (14 pcs, average VG); **Central Asia:** standard 15th and early 16th century dangis, mostly Bukhara type and many with countermarks (74 pieces, identified by the consignor, average grade only Good condition, thus of minimal value); average about VG condition, but many worse or with some corrosion or other damage, but some nicer, retail value $1400, **lot of about 225 pieces** $300 - 500

986. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:**LOT of 26 silver coins: Timurid (21 pcs, a few better items, including 2 Samarqand tankas of ‘Abd Allah), Qara Qoyunlu (1), Afsharid (1), and Zand (3); average F-VF grade, retail value $600, **lot of 26 pieces** $300 - 400

987. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 25 silver coins: **Samanid** (7 pcs, including 6 dirhams average VF-EF condition and one multiple dirham of Nuh II in EF condition); **Ghaznavid** (2 dirhams of Mahmud and 6 dirhams of Mas’ud I, all of the Balkh mint, most with legible date, average F-VF); **Timurid** (2 miris of Timur of Samarqand, 5 tankas of Shahrukh, and 2 tankas of Sultan Ahmad, average F-VF), and **Aq Qoyunlu** (1 countermarked tanka of Hasan, Shiraz mint, overstuck on Timurid, Shahrukh tanka of Kashan, VF on Fair); retail value $650, **lot of 25 pieces** $280 - 380

988. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 12 better coins, basic denomination unless noted: **Amir of Astarabad** (anonymous three dirhams, Rayy AH769, Fine, scraped); **Timurid** (Ulugh Beg, Herat 85(2), Fine); **Shirvanshah** (Khalil Allah I, Darband 827, Fine, and Ibrahim II, Shemakha 918, Fine); **Aq Qoyunlu** (Ahmad, Tabriz 903, Fine); **Safavid** (Tahmasp I, Simnan 944, VF; and Van DM, Fine); Muhammad Khudabandeh, Tabriz 994, VF; ‘Abbas I, Ganja 1030, Fine; and ‘Abbas II, Tiflis 1166, Fine); and **Qajar** (Fath Ali Shah, Ardabil 1232, VG, and half qiran, Shiraz 1249, F-VF); retail value $550, **lot of 12 pieces** $280 - 375

989. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 19 silver coins: **Abbasid** (1 pc, al-Basra AH289 of al-Muktafi); **Ayyubid** dirhams (4 pcs, including rare type A-T834 of Ghazi I and A-846 of al-Afdal, both without mint & date); Ayyubid half dirhams (6 pcs), **Mamluk** (1 pc, rare type of Qansuh al-Ghuri); **Rasulid** (1 pc, al-Afdal, ‘Adan mint AH77x); **Ilkhan** (5 pcs, all common); and **Timurid** (1 pc, Timur, probably Ushni mint, undated); average VF condition; retail value $510, **lot of 19 pieces** $220 - 300

990. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 10 copper and 5 silver coins, in holding with at least partial attributions, including 7 copper dirhams of the Artuqids & Zangids, 3 coppers of the Seljuqs of Rum, and silver coins including 3 common Ilkhan pieces, 1 Qara Qoyunlu of Lahijan mint, AH860 (nice VF), and 1 common Jalayrid; retail value $400, **lot of 15 pieces** $200 - 280

991. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 5 slabbed coins: (1) **Umayyad** AR dirham, Wasit AH93, graded AU55 by ANACS (2) **Artuqid** the lamentation AE dirham of Yuluq Arslan, VF35 by ANACS (severe obverse porosity) (3) **Aq Qoyunlu** Ya’qub, AR tanka, graded VF20 by ICS (but the porosity not noted) (4) **Ottoman** Turkey AR piastre, AH1187 year 1, graded AU55 by NGC; and (5) Turkey, AV altin, AH1223 year 14, graded AU details (holed) by PCGS; retail value $300, **lot of 5 slabbed pieces** $180 - 240

992. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 62 copper and 22 silver coins: the **copper** includes a group of 35 low quality early Umayyad, Abbasid, etc (average VG), 27 miscellaneous pieces (average VG); and 22 **silver** coins (a few decent pieces in the F-VF grade, the rest mostly tiny coins of minimal value), almost all loose and unidentified; retail value $460, **lot of 84 pieces** $180 - 220

993. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 26 copper coins, including 10 examples of the Saffarids (Harb b. Muhammad, 6 pcs, and Nasr b. Bahramshah, 4 pcs, all VF or better); the rest including Durrani, Chaghatayid, Mehrabanid, Ghorid, Shaybanid, and some uncertain; retail value $350, **lot of 26 pieces** $150 - 200

994. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 4 interesting copper coins: (1) **Pseudo-Byzantine** misc. type A-3508X, 1 standing figure // 2 standing figures (VF, one small corrosion spot) (2) **Umayyad** fals of al-Mawsil, uncertain type overstruck on fals of al-Walid b. Talid (F-VF) (3) **Seljuq of Rum** Kaykhusraw I, type A-1202 (VF, lovely strike) (4) **Salduqid** type A-1891 of Muhammad b. Salduq, dated AH575 in the *abjad* formula (crude VF, overstruck on undetermined host); retail value $220, **lot of 4 pieces** $120 - 140

995. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 26 Islamic coins, mostly eastern, including: Umayyad, Qarakhanid, Zangid, Khwarizmshah, Samanid, Saffarid, Ghaznavid, and Durrani, average Fine, some rare types; unidentified, fascinating research group, probably with some rarities; retail value at least $260, **lot of 26 pieces** $120 - 160

996. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 45 silver and 21 copper coins (silver unless noted): Umayyad (13 silver + 2 copper); Abbasid (4 pcs); Fatimid (1); Seljuqs of Rum (3); Ottoman (2); Mamluk (1); Artuqid (13, all copper, low grades, most with some corrosion or other damage); Zangid (5, all copper, all corroded, worn, or damaged); Ilkhan (5), Jalayrid (3), Eretnid (2), Amirs of Astarabad (1), Timurid (2); Aq-Qoyunlu (1), Afsharid (1); Hotaki (2, both holed); Qajar (1); and Mughal (3 silver & 1 copper); mostly in lower grades, some poorly struck, pierced, holed, etc.), decent affordable learning assemblance; retail value $1050, **lot of 66 pieces** $450 - 650

A few better coins included: Umayyad dirham of al-Jazira AH127 (F-VF), Abbasid dirham of Madinat al-Salam 263 (F-VF), Fatimid ½ dirham of al-Mansuriya 3xx (VF); and Mughal, Jahangir, heavy rupee of Tatta 1019, 13.37g (Fine, porous surfaces).

End of Session B