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Ancient Gold Coins



- 1. **SASANIAN: Peroz**, 457-484, AV dinar (4.14g), WH (Weh-Ardashir), ND, G-72, fine style for this reign, lovely ef, R \$2,150



- 2. **HEPHTHALITE: Early anonymous**, late 4th C, AV stater (6.74g), Chionite series ND, G-83, Mitch-1414, hole repaired, somewhat crude strike, about vf, R \$450

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- 3. **'Abd al-Malik**, 685-705, AV dinar (4.26g), [Dimashq], AH78, A-125, evenly worn, slight crimp, vf-ef \$400



- 4. **UMAYYAD: al-Walid I**, 705-715, AV dinar (4.13g), NM, AH96, A-127, ef \$240

- 5. **al-Walid I**, 705-715, AV dinar (4.3g), [Dimashq], AH88, A-127, choice au \$265



- 6. **Sulayman**, 715-717, AV dinar (4.26g), NM, AH98, A-130, traces of original luster, ef \$250



- 7. **Sulayman**, 715-717, AV dinar (4.26g), AH98, A-130, ef \$250



- 8. **Hisham**, 724-743, AV dinar (4.19g), NM, AH112, A-136, ef \$300



- 9. **ABBASID: al-Mansur**, 754-775, AV dinar (4.17g), without mint mark, AH157, A-212, ef \$200



- 10. **al-Mahdi**, 775-785, AV dinar (4.25g), NM, AH165, A-214, considerable original luster, choice au \$285



- 11. **al-Ma'mun**, 810-833, AV dinar (4.12g), "al-Iraq", AH201, A-222.12, struck at Madinat al-Salam (Baghdad), vf \$175



- 12. **al-Muktafi**, 902-908, AV dinar (4.06g), Misr AH293, A-243.1, wonderful strike, choice bu, S \$350



- 13. **al-Muqtadir**, 908-932, AV dinar (4.11g), Misr, AH302, A-245.2, ef \$225



- 14. **al-Qahir**, 932-934, AV dinar (4.31g), al-Ahwaz AH322, A-252, "avenger" type, vf, R \$275



15. **ABBASID: al-Qahir**, 932-934, AV dinar (4.11g), Tustar al-Ahwaz AH322, A-252, "avenger" type, vf, **R** \$275



16. **al-Nasir**, 1180-1225, AV dinar (4.71g), Madinat al-Salam AH608, A-268, average strike with some weakness, vf \$185



17. **NASRID OF GRANADA: Muhammad IX**, 4th reign, 1419-1453, AV dinar (4.67g), Gharnata ND, A-412, Lorente 22, ef, **RR** \$1,500



18. **Anonymous**, 14-15th centuries, AV dinarín (0.18g), Gharnata ND, A-E416, Lorente-39, choice ef, **RR** \$500



19. **AGHLABID: 'Abd Allah I**, 811-816, AV dinar (4.17g), NM, AH198, A-437, without mint as always; very lightly flattened, f-vf \$290



20. **Ibrahim II**, 874-902, AV dinar (4.16g), NM, AH289, A-447, lovely bold strike, vf \$350



21. **MUWAHHIDUN: Abu Ya'qub Yusuf I**, 1163-1184, AV ½ dinar (2.3g), NM, ND, A-483, vf-ef \$225



22. **Abu 'Abd Allah Muhammad**, 1199-1213, AV dinar (4.63g), Fès ND, A-485, very rare with mint name, superb au, **RR** \$1,350



23. **Abu'l-Hasan 'Ali**, 1242-1248, AV dinar (4.58g), without mint or date, A-490, H-518, choice ef, **RRR** \$1,450

24. **HAFSID: Abu 'Abd Allah Muhammad I**, 1249-1277, AV ½ dinar (2.37g), NM, ND, A-502, H-565, lovely late Kufic style calligraphy; lightly crimped but very attractive, good vf, **RR** \$500



25. **MERINID: Abu Yahya Abu Bakr**, 1244-1258, AV dinar (4.68g), NM, ND, A-520, lovely calligraphy, some minor weakness of strike, ef \$535

26. **Ahmad**, 1373-1384, 1387-1393, AV dinar (4.67g), Fas, ND, A-535, mint clear, obverse badly struck, f \$140



27. **TULUNID: Jaysh**, 896, AV dinar (4.1g), Misr, AH283, A-666, 2 small plugged holes, vf, **RR** \$550









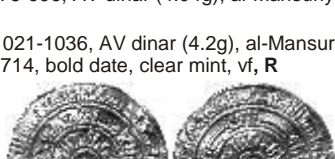


















28. **Harun**, 896-905, AV dinar (4.02g), Misr, AH286, A-667, plain obverse & reverse fields, au \$240



29. **Harun**, 896-905, AV dinar (4.00g), Misr, AH288, A-667, Arabic "B" below obv & rev fields, au \$240

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| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>30. IKHSHIDID: 'Ali b. al-Ikhshid, 961-966, AV dinar (3.14g), Filastin, AH351, A-678, with K for "Kafur" beneath obverse field, ef \$550</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>38. al-Mustansir, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.16g), al-Mansuriya, AH439, A-719, vf \$450</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>31. Ahmad b. 'Ali, 968-969, AV dinar (4.82g), Filastin, AH358, A-682, with governor al-Husayn b. 'Ubayd Allah, and the name Tugh below reverse; possibly unpublished variety, vf, RRR \$1,500</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>39. al-Mustansir, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.15g), al-Iskandariya, AH467, A-719, vf \$225</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>32. FATIMID: al-'Aziz, 953-975, AV dinar (4.10g), Misr, AH364, A-697, vf \$175</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>40. al-'Amir, 1101-1130, AV dinar (4.35g), al-Iskandariya, AH511, A-729, ef \$340</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>33. al-'Aziz, 975-996, AV dinar (4.00g), Misr, AH366, A-703, ef \$340</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>41. al-'Amir, 1101-1130, AV dinar (4.12g), Misr, AH505, A-729, well-centered, evenly struck, ef \$300</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>34. al-'Aziz, 975-996, AV dinar (3.90g), al-Mahdiya, AH380, A-703, ef \$200</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>42. AYYUBID: Saladin, 1169-1193, AV dinar (4.72g), al-Iskandariya, A-785.2, clear mint & date; some flatness, f-vf \$275</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>35. al-'Aziz, 975-996, AV dinar (4.04g), al-Mansuriya, AH380, A-703, f-vf \$215</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>43. Abu-Bakr, 1196-1218, AV dinar (5.70g), al-Iskandariya, A-801, au \$175</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>36. al-Zahir, 1021-1036, AV dinar (4.2g), al-Mansuriya, AH420, A-714, bold date, clear mint, vf, R \$300</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>44. Abu Bakr, 1196-1218, AV dinar (5.04g), mint & date off flan, A-801.1, citing al-Kamil Muhammad as heir, vf-ef \$135</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>37. al-Mustansir, 1036-1094, AV dinar (4.19g), Misr AH459, A-719, lightly crimped, ef, S \$260</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>45. al-Kamil Muhammad, 1218-1238, AV dinar (5.84g), al-Qahira, AH628, A-811, ef \$275</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>46. al-Kamil Muhammad, 1218-1238, AV dinar (6.80g), al-Qahira AH627, A-811, B-374, some minor weakness of strike, ef-au \$175</p> | |

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|  <p>47. BAHRI MAMLUK: Baybars I, 1260-1277, AV dinar (5.04g), al-Iskandariya, DM, A-880, ef \$425</p> |  <p>56. Qansuh II al-Ghuri, 1501-1516, AV ashrafi, Dimashq, AH(9)20, A-1041, 15% weakly struck, vf \$125</p> |
| <p>48. Muhammad I, 3rd reign, 1310-1341, AV dinar (6.60g), al-Qahira, date unclear, A-919, holed, vf \$135</p> |  |
| <p>49. Sha'ban II, 1363-1376, AV dinar (7.12g), Dimashq, AH76(5), A-955, same obverse die as Balog #416; about 15% flatly struck, vf, R \$200</p> | <p>57. Qansuh II al-Ghuri, 1501-1516, AV ashrafi, al-Qahira, DM, A-1041, f-vf \$115</p> |
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| <p>50. Hajji II, 1st reign, 1389-1390, AV dinar (7.19g) (Dimashq), DM, A-964, lovely style, nearly all original luster survives, unc, R \$675</p> | <p>58. NAJJAHD: Jayyash b. al-Mu'ayyad, fl. 1073, AV dinar (2.30g), Zabid, "AH465", A-1074, frozen date, but clear; struck circa 465-480's, vf \$600</p> |
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| <p>51. BURJI MAMLUK: Barquq, 1382-1399, AV dinar (11.47g) (Dimashq) DM, A-972, average strike, crude ef \$250</p> | <p>59. SULAYHID: 'Ali b. Muhammad, 1047-1081, AV dinar (2.39g), Zabid, AH451, A-1075.2, coarse style, vf \$200</p> |
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| <p>52. Faraj, 1399-1412, AV dinar (11.95g), al-Qahira, AH80(6), A-977, date clear by dielink to Balog #618 (both sides); superb strike, unc \$650</p> | <p>60. Queen 'Arwa, 1091-1137, AV dinar (2.32g), 'Adan, AH498, A-1077, good strike, vf-ef \$350</p> <p>61. ZURAY'ID: Anonymous, ca. 1113-1132, AV dinar (2.38g), 'Adan, blundered date, A-1079, date perhaps intended for 506, Lowick-33, rare obverse initials, crude ef, R \$250</p> |
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| <p>53. Barsbay, 1422-1438, AV ashrafi (3.33g), al-Qahira AH829, A-998, bold full broad strike, date fully legible, vf \$125</p> | <p>62. OTTOMAN: Süleyman I, 1520-1566, AV sultani (3.50g), Halab AH926, A-1317, full even strike, vf-ef \$195</p> |
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| <p>54. Temirbugha, 1467-1468, AV dinar (3.39g), NM, ND, A-1024, B-802, mediocre quality, vf, RR \$200</p> | <p>63. Süleyman I, 1520-1566, AV sultani (3.49g), Dimashq, AH926, A-1317, well struck, vf \$170</p> |
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| <p>55. Qansuh II al-Ghuri, 1501-1516, AV ashrafi (Halab), ND, A-1041, vf \$135</p> | <p>64. SAMANID: Ahmad II, 907-914, AV dinar (4.20g), Nishapur, AH301, A-1445, bold strike, minor scratches, vf \$290</p> |

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65. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.51g), Nishapur, AH313, A-1449, vf \$145



66. **Nuh I**, 943-954, AV dinar (3.89g), Nishapur, AH331, A-1454, some original luster, ef \$175



67. **'Abd al-Malik I**, 954-961, AV dinar (4.12g), Nishapur, AH346, A-1460, lovely strike, ef \$185



68. **'Abd al-Malik I**, 954-961, AV dinar (4.54g), Nishapur, AH344, A-1460, without name of caliph; good strike, ef, S \$200



69. **Mansur I**, 961-976, AV dinar (4.43g), Nishapur, AH352, A-1462, Arabic H as mark above obverse field, ef \$195



70. **Mansur I**, 961-976, AV dinar (4.28g), Herat, AH361, A-1464, citing al-Wali Muhammad on obverse, ef \$180



71. **Mansur II**, 997-999, AV dinar (5.31g), Nishapur, AH387, A-1472.2, citing the majordomo Abu'l-Fawaris Bektuzun, vf-ef \$275



72. **QARAKHANID: Mahmud III b. Muhammad**, ca. 1136-1163, debased AV dinar, Taliqan, date off flan, A-3391, vf \$200



73. **BUWAYHID: 'Imad al-Din Abu Kalinjar**, 1024-1048, AV dinar (4.84g), Shiraz, AH435, A-A1584, vf \$235



74. **GHAZNAVID: Sebuktekin**, 977-997, AV dinar (3.32g), Herat, AH387, A-1596, good strike, vf \$225



75. **Bahramshah**, 1117-1157, pale AV dinar (4.84g) (Ghazna), DM, A-1651, coarsely struck as always; probably unknown with clear date, vf, RR \$200



76. **GREAT SELJUQ: Tughril Beg**, 1038-1063, AV dinar (4.68g), Nishapur, AH43x, A-1665, vf \$100



77. **Alp Arslan**, 1063-1072, AV pale dinar (1.59g), Herat AH458, A-1670, titles *al-sultan al-mu'azzam shahanshah al-a'zam*; crude strike, as usual, vf, R \$145



78. **Alp Arslan**, 1063-1072, AV dinar (4.05g), Marw AH455, A-1671, with titles *'Adud al-Dawla wa Taj al-Umma*; clear date, mint weak but certain, f-vf, R \$115



79. **Malikshah I**, 1072-1092, AV dinar (4.79g), Nishapur, AH470, A-1674, vf \$125

80. **GREAT SELJUQ: Malikshah I**, 1072-1092, pale AV dinar (4.29g) (Marw??), DM, A-1675, fancy calligraphy, estimated about 20% gold, nearly vf, **R**
81. **Arslan Arghu**, 1093-1097, pale AV dinar (2.76g), MM, AH488, A-1681, mint probably Sarakhs, with the initial S clear, crude vf, **RR**



\$45
\$90

82. **Sanjar**, 1099-1118, pale AV dinar (3.33g) (Balkh) AH493, A-1685A, as viceroy under Muhammad, citing Surat al-Kursi (Qur'an 2:255); clear date, f, **RR**
83. **GREAT SELJUQ: Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (3.24g), Balkh, AH519, A-1687, with Surat al-Kursi (Qur'an 2:255), clear mint & date, f, **R**



\$175
\$160

84. **Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (2.64g) (Balkh), AH51x, A-1687A, citing the Surat al-Kursi (Qur'an 2:255), f



\$125

85. **Sanjar**, 1118-1157, pale AV dinar (2.17g), Balkh, AH515, A-1687B, reverse field consists of 19 honeycomb hexagons, with name Sanjar repeated in the top 12 hexagons, f-vf, **RR**



\$150

86. **SELJUQS OF WESTERN IRAN: Mas'ud**, 1134-1152, AV dinar (2.64g), MM, DM, A-1691, citing Atabeg Ulugh (...), and with tamgha of the Salghurids to the left of the obverse, vf-ef



\$110

87. **SELJUQS OF HAMADAN: Inanj Yabghu**, fl. 1093-1097+, AV dinar (2.06g), Hamadan, DM, A-B1707, clear mint & name; somewhat crude strike, ef



\$135

88. **KHWARIZMSHAHS: 'Ala al-Din Muhammad**, 1200-1220, AV dinar (4.10g), Balkh DM, A-1712, clear mint atop obverse; slightly double struck on obverse, crude vf-ef, **R**

\$150



89. **GHORID OF BAMIIYAN: Jalal al-Din 'Ali**, 1206-1215, AV dinar (1.80g) (Bamiyan), DM, A-1806, citing 'Ala al-Din Muhammad as overlord; mint & date known by dielink, ef, **R**

\$175



90. **LU'LU'ID: Badr al-Din Lu'lu'**, 1233-1258, AV heavy dinar (7.67g), al-Mawsil AH634, A-1871.1, as vassal of Ayyubids al-Kamil & al-Ashraf; bold strike, lightly crimped, ef, **RR**
91. **Badr al-Din Lu'lu'**, 1233-1258, AV dinar (3.84g), al-Mawsil, AH639, A-1871.4, citing the Rum Seljuq Kaykhusraw II as overlord; lightly crimped, vf, **S**

\$500

\$260



92. **SALGHURID: Abish bint Sa'd, Queen**, 1265-1285, AV dinar (2.53g) (Shiraz) DM, A-1928, citing Abaqa as overlord, ef-au, **S**

\$350



93. **Abish bint Sa'd, Queen**, 1265-1285, AV dinar (5.97g), Shiraz AH672, A-1928, citing the Ilkhan, Abaqa, type not found in the recent Abish hoard; loop attached, vf, **RR**

\$600



94. **ATABEGS OF YAZD: Yusufshah**, 1285-1297, AV dinar (5.55g), MM, DM/ND, A-V1934, Baydu in Arabic beneath obverse field, Yusufshah in Arabic below reverse field; minor weakness of strike, ef, **RRR**






\$1,500



95. **QUTLUGHKHANID: Padishah Khatun, queen**, 1294-1295, AV dinar (5.85g), K(irman), AH69x, A-A1937, as vassal under the Ilkhan Gaykhatu, who is described, vf

\$1,500


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| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>96. QALHATI AMIRS of HORMUZ: Turanshah II, ca. 1437-1456, AV fractional dinar (1.34g), Jarun, AH844, A-1942, weak strike as usual for this type, f, RR \$225</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>103. Ghazan Mahmud, 1295-1304, AV dinar (4.14g), Tabriz AH695, A-2167, clear date, pre-refom type, titles Padishah & Shahanshah, some weakness of strike, ef, R \$350</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>97. GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan, 1206-1227, AV dinar (5.23g), Ghazna, AH(618), A-1964, mint & date very clear, date off flan but certain by die, ef \$1,750</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>104. Taghay Timur, 1336-1353, AV dinar (7.19g) (Astarabad), A-K2233, design as silver type KB (A-2241); mint likely to be Astarabad by dielink, vf-ef, RR \$400</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>98. ILKHANS: Abaqa, 1265-1282, AV dinar (4.03g) (Yazd), DM, A-2126.1, mint certain by style & calligraphy, ef \$285</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>105. QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah, 1797-1834, AV toman (6.12g), Tehran, ND, A-2859, type S (circa 1213-1216), vf-ef, R \$200</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>99. Arghun, 1284-1291, AV dinar (4.62g), Tabriz AH(68)8, A-2144, some unintrusive weakness of strike, ef, S \$350</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>106. Fath 'Ali Shah, 1797-1834, AV toman (6.20g), Rasht AH1213, A-2859, KM-739, Type S, typical partly weak strike, vf-ef, R \$185</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>100. Gaykhatu, 1291-1295, AV dinar (4.3g), Tabriz ND, A-2158.1, mint on obverse, ef \$265</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>107. Fath 'Ali Shah, 1797-1834, AV toman (4.58g), Khuy, AH1235, A-2865, especially nice reverse with full clear mint & date, vf-ef \$275</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>101. Gaykhatu, 1291-1295, AV dinar (2.93g), Yazd AH(692), A-2158.1, date by die link with other known examples, ef, R \$425</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>108. Nasir al-Din Shah, 1848-1896, AV toman (3.44g), Qazwin AH1269, A-2921, KM-853, obverse in fancy outer margin, ef, R \$225</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>102. Ghazan Mahmud, 1295-1304, AV dinar (3.20g) (Tabriz) ND, A-2167, pre-refom type, titles Padishah & Shahanshah, two annulet-triplets on obverse; some weakness of strike, ef, R \$275</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>109. Nasir al-Din Shah, 1848-1896, AV toman (3.48g), Mashhad AH1286, A-2936, KM-863, good strike from crude dies, au, RR \$500</p> |

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110. **SHAYBANID: 'Abd Allah II**, 1583-1598, AV ½ mithqal (2.33g), Herat, AH1001, A-2993, clear mint & date, ef \$275

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111. **DURRANI: Ahmad Shah**, 1747-1772, AV mohur (10.83g), Shahjahanabad (1174) year 14, A-3090, KM-765, tiny spot, bold strike, au, R \$550

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112. **Ahmad Shah**, 1747-1772, AV mohur (10.93g), Herat ND, A-3090, KM-379, same reverse die as KM specimen, about vf, R \$650
113. **Ahmad Shah**, 1747-1772, AV mohur (11.02g), Mashhad, ND, A-3090, bold strike, lustrous, choice about unc \$350

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114. **Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AV mohur (10.90g), Herat, AH1209, A-3099, posthumous date, 2 years after death of Taimur, well known for silver but extremely rare for gold; lovely strike, ef, RRR \$1,000

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115. **Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AV mohur (10.88g), Herat AH1195, A-3099, KM-386, somewhat weakly struck, as usual, vf, RR \$650

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116. **Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AV mohur (11.03g), Kabul year 9, A-3099, KM-435, unlisted date in KM, vf, RR \$450

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117. **Shah Zaman**, 1793-1801, AV mohur (10.91g), Herat, AH1215, A-3106, vf, RRR \$875

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118. **Shah Zaman**, 1793-1801, AV mohur (10.91g), Lahore AH1211, year 4, A-3106, KM-635, crude strike, couple rim nicks & test marks on edge, vf, RRR \$1,950

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119. **Shah Shuja', 2nd reign**, 1803-1809, AV mohur (10.79g), Ahmadshahi AH1220, year 3, A-3120, KM-155, somewhat weakly struck, vf, RR \$575

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120. **AFGHANISTAN: AV tilla** (4.61g), AH1320, KM-836.2, ef, R \$425

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121. **BUKHARA: AV tilla** (4.53g), AH1319, KM-65, contemporary or later imitation, perhaps 1920's or 1930s; appears to be fine gold & correct weight, ef \$115

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122. **BUKHARA: AV tilla**, Bukhara, AH1328//AH1328, KM-65, slightest trace of a mount, vf \$135

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123. **CHINA: AV ingot** (30.51g), year 34 (=1945), rectangular gold "pants money" ingot, struck at Chinese State Mint, 0.977 ounces, 997.2 fine, attractive au, RRR \$900

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124. **EGYPT: AV zeri mahbub**, Misr, AH1143, KM-86, ef \$225

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125. **EGYPT: AV zeri mahbub** (2.61g), Misr, AH1168, KM-97, symbol viii (*sad*), small dent at the edge, possibly from before striking, au, S \$225

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126. **EGYPT:** AV zeri mahbub (2.59g), Misr, AH1171 year [11]86, KM-107, bold strike, choice about unc \$200



127. **EGYPT:** AV zeri mahbub (2.54g), Misr, AH1203, KM-141, mintmark viii (*sad*), au, R \$225



128. **EGYPT:** AV 100 qirsh, Misr AH1255, year 3, KM-235.1, scarce date, nice ef \$200



129. **EGYPT:** AV 100 qirsh, 1916/AH1335, KM-324, ef-unc \$185



130. **EGYPT:** AV 100 piastres, 1930/AH1949, KM-354, unc \$225



131. **EGYPT:** AV 50 piastres, 1938/AH1357, KM-371, brilliant unc \$195



132. **EGYPT:** AV 5 pounds, 1.1957 oz (42.46g), 1955/AH1374, KM-388, 3rd anniversary of revolution, 1.1957 oz gold, red gold, very lightly cleaned, au, S \$1,150



133. **EGYPT:** AV 5 pounds (42.44g), 1960/AH1379, KM-402, Aswan Dam; 1.1957 oz net gold, au \$585



134. **EGYPT:** AV 5 pounds (26.02g), Cairo, 1976/AH1396, KM-416, 1400th anniversary of the Qur'an; 0.7315 ounces gold, au \$395



135. **EGYPT:** AV 5 pounds (25.93g), 1970/AH1390, KM-428, Gamal Abdel Nasser, 0.7315 oz gold, lightly cleaned, au \$375



136. **EGYPT:** AV 5 pounds, Cairo, 1976/AH1396, KM-461, Umm Kaisoum; 0.7315 ounces gold; 1,000 minted, au \$495



137. **EGYPT:** AV 5 qirsh, Misr, AH1293 year 5, KM-280, PCGS graded MS-64, bu \$350



138. **EGYPT:** AV 5 qirsh, Misr, AH1293 year 15, KM-A299, ef \$450



139. **FRENCH GUIANA:** AV 20 euro, 2004, Boa Constrictor - Wildlife Protection, pattern essai, AGW .2500, bu \$285



140. **GUADELOUPE:** AV 20 euro, 2004, Brown Pelican - Wildlife Protection, pattern essai, AGW .2500, bu \$285



141. **IRAN:** AV toman (2.84g), Tehran, AH1318, KM-995, obverse inscription double-cut in die! au \$240



142. **IRAN:** AV 5000 dinars (1.42g), Tehran AH1340, KM-1072, Sahib al-Zaman type, bu, RR \$285

143. **IRAN:** AV ¼ azadi (Tehran), SH1370, KM-1265, unc \$75

144. **IRAN:** AV ½ azadi (Tehran), SH1358, KM-1239, au \$75

145. **IRAN:** AV azadi (Tehran), SH1368, KM-1248.2, au \$140



146. **IRAN:** AV 25 toman (68.47g), AH1301, mule of KM-M4 obverse (with full titles of Nasir al-Din Shah) and KM-M7 reverse in gold, cleaned (as are nearly all of the multiple toman coins of Nasir al-Din), a few small nicks on the edge, vf-ef, RRR \$7,500



147. **ISRAEL:** AV 50 lirot, 1962/JE5723, KM-40, 10th anniversary of the death of Chaim Weizmann, AGW.3933, proof \$215



148. **ISRAEL:** AV 100 lirot, 1962/JE5723, KM-41, 10th anniversary of the death of Chaim Weizmann, AGW.7866, proof \$380



149. **ITALIAN STATES - Venice: Andrea Dandolo, 1344-1354,** AV ducat (3.45g), ND, Fr.-1221-var, possible Indian imitation, probably 16th-17th century, nice vf \$170

150. **KURDISTAN:** AV 1,000 dinar, 2003/AH1424, Saladin on horseback with modern Kurdish flag / four mountain peaks with 21-rayed rising sun, which is a traditional Kurdish symbol predating the nations conversion to Islam. The legends are in the two main dialects of Kurdish: Sorani and Kurmanji, mintage 100 pieces, AGW.4990, proof \$385



151. **MARTINIQUE:** AV 20 euro, 2004, Great Egret - Wildlife Protection, pattern essai, AGW .2500, bu \$285



152. **MAYOTTE:** AV 20 euro, 2004, Brown Lemurs - Wildlife Protection, pattern essai, AGW .2500, bu \$285

153. **MOROCCO:** AV medal (3.89g), 1956 / AH1375, KM-X5, independence commemorative, vf \$120



154. **OMAN:** platinum medal, 1980, 10th anniversary of reign of Sultan Qaboos bin Sa'id, 5.705 troy ounces of platinum at .950 fineness, struck by Asprey Co. in London and numbered 24 of only 25 struck, in original case of issue with certificate of authenticity and official letter from the manufacturer, bu, RRR \$6,250

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155. **RÉUNION:** AV 20 euro, 2004, KM—, Black-browed Albatross - Wildlife Protection, pattern essai, AGW .2500, bu

\$285



156. **SAUDI ARABIA:** AV medal (32.99g), 1967, portrait of Saud bin Abdul Aziz / flag, palm & crossed swords, au

\$515



157. **TURKEY:** AV zeri mahbub (2.39g), Konstaniniye, AH1203, year 15, KM-523, brilliant unc

\$170



158. **TURKEY:** AV sultani (3.39g), Kostantiniye AH1222, year 1, KM-546, Mustafa IV (1807-1808), unc, S

\$225



159. **TURKEY:** AV 10000 lira (17.07g), 1979, KM-933, UNICEF + IYC, 0.49 oz gold, proof

\$225

160. **TURKEY:** AV zeri mahbub, Islambul, AH1187, year 15, KM-416, au, pierced

\$75



161. **TURKEY:** AV 500 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 2, KM-727, NGC graded AU-50, choice ef

\$975



162. **TURKEY:** AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293 year 1, KM-715, Murad V, PCGS graded AU-53, ef

\$285

163. **TURKEY:** AV 100 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255, year 17, KM-679, vf

\$120

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164. **KUSHANO-SASANIAN: Hormizd I**, ca. 300-325, AV stater (7.91g), NM, ND, standard type (king seated/Siva & bull), with mintname Boxlo added to obverse below the dynastic tanga; superb strike, everything boldly clear; Carter 26-28 but with mintname added, unc, RR

\$1,950



165. **Peroz I**, ca. 265-300, AV stater (6.97g), NM, ND, standard type (king stdg./Siva & bull), with halo around ruler's head, superb strike, Carter 24/25, au

\$1,500

166. **KUSHAN: Gadahara**, ca.360-375, AV stater (7.79g), G-608, "Piryasa" type, Mitch-3592+, late period, good vf

\$240



167. **SAMATATA: Sridharana Rata**, late 7th C, AV stater (5.51g), Mitch-2000:65ff, archer/goddess, narrow flan, vf, S

\$275



168. **Rajarajabhata**, ca. 700 AD, AV stater (5.55g), Mitch-2000:70ff, archer/goddess, narrow flan, vf, S
Samatata was located in south-eastern Bengal and was a distinct entity, well-known and well-recognised since Samudragupta's time (4th century AD). It's capital was Devaparvata which is located in present day Bangladesh.

\$300

169. **YADAVAS OF DEVAGIRI: Anonymous**, ca. 13th C, AV pagoda (3.69g), NM, ND, Mitch-98:286ff, crude strike, vf

\$70



170. **KADAMBAS OF GOA: Sivachitta**, ca. 1147-1181, AV pagoda (4.39g), NM, ND, Mitch-238-var, lion left, 5-line inscriptions, somewhat differently arranged, ef \$495



171. **WESTERN GANGA: Anonymous**, ca. 1050-1300, AV pagoda (3.93g), Mitch-702, elephant / floral scroll, finest obverse style, ef \$250



172. **BAHMANID: Muhammad III**, 1463-1482, AV tanka (11.08g) (Muhammadabad), DM, G-BH110, bold strike, date off flan as usual, ef-au, R \$625



173. **Ahmad Shah II**, 1435-1457, AV tanka (11.11g) (Muhammadabad) DM, G-BH81, Rajgor-2608, lustrous bold strike, nice ef, R \$550



174. **DELHI: Tughluq I**, 1320-1325, AV dinar (10.96g), Hadrat Delhi, AH723, G-D301, bold strike, au \$345



175. **Muhammad II**, 1296-1316, AV tanka (11.03g), Hadrat Delhi AH713, G-D221, bold strike, ef \$315



176. **Muhammad III**, 1325-1351, AV dinar (12.64g), Delhi AH726, G-D343, vf, S \$440



177. **GUJARAT: Mahmud III**, 1537-1554, AV tanka (11.96g), NM ND, G-G412, bold strike, ef, R \$450



178. **MUGHAL: Akbar**, 1556-1605, AV muhur (10.79g), Agra, AH982, KM-108.1, mint name fully legible, attractive calligraphy, boldly struck, ef \$600



179. **Akbar**, 1556-1605, AV muhur (10.86g), Patna, AH983, KM-108.4, bold strike, clear mint & date, au \$575



180. **Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV muhur (10.84g), Doulatabad, AH1061, year 23, KM-260, scarce mint in gold, somewhat weak strike, vf, S \$400



181. **Shah Jahan**, 1628-1658, AV muhur, Burhanpur, AH1050, KM-260.6, ef \$450

182. **Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV muhur (10.93g), Aurangabad, AH1079, year 12, KM-315.10, minor weakness of strike, ef \$350

183. **Aurangzeb**, AV muhur (10.92g), Bijapur, AH1103, year 35, KM-315.15, vf \$300





















184. **Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV muhur, Kanbayat, AH1091 year 2x, KM-315.27, ef \$315



185. **Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV muhur (10.95g), Sholapur AH1087, year 19, KM-315.43, ef, S \$400

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| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>186. MUGHAL: Aurangzeb, 1658-1707, AV mohur (11.07g), Patna 1090, year 22, KM-315.40, slightly uneven flan, few light contact marks, ef, S \$400</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>195. Muhammad Shah, 1719-1748, AV mohur, Shahjahanabad, AH 1132, year 2, KM-439.4, ef \$300</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>187. Shah Alam I, 1707-1712, AV mohur (10.98g), Shahjahanabad, DM, KM-356.12, good vf \$270</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>196. Ahmad Shah, 1748-1754, AV 1/2 fanam (0.18g), Sidduth, ND, unpublished; bold strike on both sides, ef-au, RRR \$125</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>188. Jahandar, 1712-1713, AV mohur (10.93g), Akbarabad (=Agra), AH112(4), year one, KM-368.1, ef \$475</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>197. Alamgir II, 1754-1759, AV mohur (10.81g), Shahjahanabad, year one, KM-467.10, nice strike, vf+ \$300</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>189. Farrukhsiyar, 1713-1719, AV mohur (10.87g), Shahjahanabad AH1131, year 7, KM-390.30, good vf \$300</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>198. Shah Alam II, 1759-1806, AV mohur, Shahjahanabad, AH(11)74, year 2, KM-719, vf-ef \$375</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>190. Rafi-ud-Darjat, 1719, AV mohur (10.87g), Shahjahanabad, year one, KM-408.9, pleasing even strike, vf \$1,000</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>199. AWADH: AV mohur (10.7g), Suba, AH1229, KM-390, fictitious mint & date, mint name visible, lovely strike, attractive au, RR \$925</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>191. Muhammad Shah, 1719-1748, AV 1/2 mohur (5.4g), Shahjahanabad, ND, Kann-437A.1, year 12 by die-link, ef, RR \$700</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>200. BHARATPUR: Balwant Singh, 1826-1853, AV mohur, Braj Indrapur, AH122x year 16, KM-110, in the name of the Mughal Emperor, Muhammad Akbar, with symbols katar and 6-point star to left of regnal year, ef \$850</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>192. Muhammad Shah, 1719-1748, AV mohur (10.98g), Khujista Bunyad, KM-438.13, pleasing vf \$300</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>201. BIKANIR: AV nazarana mohur (8.53g), VS1994, KM-M3, bold strike, unc, R \$500</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>193. Muhammad Shah, 1719-1748, AV mohur (10.9g), Muazzamabad, AH 1132, year 2, KM-438.16, superb bold strike, fabulous example, unc \$950</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>202. HYDERABAD: Mir Mahbub Ali Khan II, 1868-1911, AV ashrafi, Hyderabad, AH1313, Y-22, ef \$325</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>194. Muhammad Shah, 1719-1748, AV mohur (11.1g), Kanbayat, AH1xxx, year 21, KM-438.28, bold strike, much original luster, au \$900</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>203. JAIPUR: AV mohur (10.8g), Siwai Jaipur year 26, KM-77, in the name of Muhammad Akbar II, 1806-1837; three test marks on reverse, one deep, vf \$185</p> |



204. **JODHPUR:** AV ½ mohur (5.49g), Jodhpur, ND/year "22", KM-79-var, in name of Victoria & Jaswant Singh, with name Jaswant separated from the sword by Arabic letter Y, au \$600



205. **JODHPUR:** AV mohur (10.99g), Jodhpur, ND/year "22", KM-81, in name of Victoria & Jaswant Singh; lovely strike, au \$475



206. **JODHPUR:** AV mohur (10.73g), VS(1952), KM-90, in names of Sardar Singh & Queen Victoria, date off flan, ex-mount, f, S \$200



207. **JODHPUR:** AV mohur (11.02g), VS(199)9, KM-151, citing George VI and Umaid Singh, superb bold strike, au, R \$680



208. **KUTCH:** AV 50 kori (9.32g), Bhuj, 1873/VS1930, Y-18, unc \$525



209. **KUTCH:** AV 25 kori (4.66g), VS1913, Cr-67, ef \$180



210. **MYSORE: Tipu Sultan,** 1782-1799, AV pagoda (3.4g), Nagar AH1200, year 4, KM-109, vf-ef \$165



211. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria,** 1837-1901, AV mohur, 1879, KM-496, early restrrike, proof \$850



212. **BRITISH INDIA:** AV sovereign, 1918-I, KM-525A, ef \$165



213. **BENGAL PRESIDENCY:** AV mohur, Murshidabad, AH1184 year 11, KM-94, in the name of the Mughal, Shah Alam II, 1759-1807, ef \$850

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214. **HIMYARITE: 'Amdan Bayyin,** 1-2nd C AD, AR ½ denarius (1.71g), Raydan, ANS 1595 ff., with type H monogram on obverse (undeciphered), normal style, vf \$90



215. **'Amdan Bayyin,** 1-2nd C AD, AR ½ denarius (1.51g), Raydan, ANS-1575ff, no obverse monogram, vf \$80



216. **'Amdan Bayyin,** 1-2nd C AD, AR ½ denarius (1.47g), Raydan, uncertain monogram on obverse, nice vf \$100



217. **CHARACENE: Maga,** late 2nd / early 3rd century, AE tetradrachm (15.18g), NM, ND, S-5931, vf \$125



218. **ELYMAIS: Kamnaskires IV,** ca. BC62-55, AR drachm (2.02g), Alram-458/60, bust left / Zeus Nikephoros, attractive vf, RRRR \$1,350

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219. **ELYMAIS: Kamnaskires III**, with Anzaze, fl. BC 82-75, AR ½ drachm (1.81g), without mint or date, Alram-456, conjoined busts left / Zeus enthroned, some very light corrosion, f-vf, RR \$425



220. **Kamnaskires VI?** ca. 100AD, AE tetradrachm (15.5g), NM, ND, S-5889, lovely portrait, vf \$225

221. **PARTHIA: Mithradates II**, BC 123-88, AR drachm (4.27g), Ekbatana mint, Sell-26.1, older portrait, choice ef+ \$145



222. **Gotarzes II**, AD 40-51, AR drachm (4.11g), Sell-33, nice strike, ef \$125



223. **Vardanes I**, AD 40-45, AR tetradrachm (14.19g), Seleukia year 354 (AD 40/41), Shore-351/52, bold even strike, vf \$160



224. **Gotarzes II**, AD 40-51, AR tetradrachm (13.70g), year 361 (AD 50/51), Shore-361, full bold strike, vf-ef \$195



225. **Vardanes II**, AD 55-58, AR tetradrachm (13.17g), Seleukia, month of Uperveretaiou 367 (=Sept 56), Shore-382/83, remarkably broad flan, choice vf-ef \$300



226. **Vologases III**, AD 105-147, AR tetradrachm, Seleukia, Sell-79, year 433 (=AD 121/122), behind bust, vf-ef \$190



227. **Vologases IV**, 147-191, AR tetradrachm (13.24g), Seleukia, Diou 461 (October 149), Shore-427/32, letter B behind head scratched away, vf-ef \$180

228. **Vologases VI**, 208-228, AR tetradrachm (13.1g), Seleukia, year 521 (=AD209/210), Sell-88, lovely portrait, crude ef \$120

229. **Tiridates**, 29-27 BC, AR tetradrachm, Seleukia, ND, Sell-55.11, nice f \$135



230. **PERSIS: First Unknown King**, ca. 150-100 BC, AR obol (0.71g), Alram-553, king wearing satrapal head-dress / king standing, ef \$145



231. **Darev II**, ca. 100-1 BC, AR obol (0.66g), Alram-565, king wearing Parthian style tiara / king right of fire altar, ef \$170



232. **Darev II**, ca. 100-1 BC, AR drachm (3.90g), Alram-566, king wearing Parthian style tiara / king right of fire altar, ef \$200











233. **Darev II**, ca. 100-1 BC, AR drachm (3.85g), Alram-566, king wearing Parthian style tiara / king right of fire altar, ef \$200



234. **Ardashir II**, ca. 50-1 BC, AR drachm (3.49g), Alram-570/73, crowned king left / king right of fire altar, ef \$275



235. **Vahshir**, ca. 50-1 BC, AR drachm (3.58g), Alram-582/85, diademed king left / king left of fire altar, ef \$250

236. **PERSIS: Nabed**, ca. 25-75 AD, AR drachm (3.86g), Alram-600, crowned & diademed king left / standing beside star & crescent, vf-ef  \$270
237. **Nabed**, ca. 25-75 AD, AR ½ drachm (1.77g), Alram-601, crowned & diademed king left / standing king beside star & crescent, vf-ef  \$270
238. **Napad**, ca. AD 50-100, AR ½ drachm (1.66g), Alram-613, King wearing Parthian style tiara / diademed bust to left, vf  \$150
239. **Second Unknown King**, ca. 50-100 AD, AR ½ drachm (1.31g), Alram-621, king left wearing turreted crown / stylized diadem symbol, vf  \$125
240. **Vadfarad IV**, ca. 100-150 AD, AR ½ drachm (1.72g), Alram-624, king wearing Parthian style tiara / bust left, legends mostly to left of reverse bust, ef  \$200
241. **Ardashir III**, ca. 100-150 AD, AR ½ drachm (1.54g), Alram-633, diademed king left / diademed bust left, legends reduced to simple "scratches", ef  \$225
242. **Manchir II**, ca. 125-175 AD, AR ½ drachm (1.31g), Alram-635-37, king wearing Parthian style tiara, legend behind / diademed bust, ef  \$175
243. **Ardashir IV**, ca. 150-200 AD, AR ½ drachm (0.98g), Alram-648, diademed king left, monogram behind / turreted bust left, inscriptions left & right, ef  \$200

244. **Ardashir IV**, ca. 150-200 AD, AR drachm (2.64g), Alram-650, diademed king left, legends behind, three pellets before / turreted bust left, inscription around, ef  \$375
245. **SASANIAN: Ardashir I**, 224-241, AR drachm, G-9, 1 pellet left and 3 pellets right of altar base, vf  \$150
246. **Shahpur I**, 241-272, AR drachm (4.15g), NM ND, G-23, no symbols flanking fire, nearly full heads of attendants, choice ef  \$190
247. **Varahran I**, 273-276, AR drachm (4.28g), NM ND, G-41, pellets left & right of fire, choice vf  \$225
248. **Kavad II**, 628, AV drachm (4.2g), RD (Rayy) year 2, G-223/224, superb strike for this reign, nicest I have ever seen, choice au  \$1,650
249. **Ardashir III**, 628-630, AR drachm (4.04g), WYHC year 2, G-226/227, capital mint, near Ktesiphon, with wings on crown; lovely strike, ef  \$190
250. **BYZANTINE: John VIII**, 1423-1448, AR ½ hyperpyron (6.45g), [Constantinople] undated, Sear 2564, reduced standard, vf  \$150

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251. **ARAB-SASANIAN: Khusraw type**, AR drachm (4.02g), ART (Ardashir Khurra), YE29, A-4, superb bold strike, ef \$200



252. **Khusraw type**, with *rabbi*, AR drachm (4.14g), SK (Sijistan), AH81, A-5, pellet after *bism Allah*, struck during confused period during the rebellion of Ibn al-Ash'ath (AH80-84), ef \$425

253. **Khusraw type**, ca. 666-670, AR drachm (4.12g), BYsh (Bishapur), AH48, A-5, issue of Ziyad b. Abi Sufyan, vf-ef \$100



254. **Ziyad b. Abi Sufyan**, 665-674, AR drachm (3.91g), DAP (Fasa), "43", A-8, pellet at 8h30 on reverse, ef \$175



255. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 674-683, AR drachm (4.09g), KRMAN (Kirman), AH58, A-12, ef-unc \$200



256. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 674-683, AR drachm (4.18g), BCRA (al-Basra), AH60, A-12, countermarked *lillah* in ObQ3, ef \$160



257. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 674-683, AR drachm (4.01g), DSh (Dasht Mishan), AH60, A-12, pellet before mint name, vf-ef \$185



258. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 674-683, AR drachm (2.83g), HRA (Herat), AH56, A-12, 'Ubayd Allah's patronymic written behind bust on obverse, f, RR \$165



259. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 674-683, AR dirham (4.14g), DA (Darabjird) year 43 (frozen), A-12, "GM" mark at 0h30 in reverse margin, choice ef+ \$140

260. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 673-683, AR drachm, DA (Darabjird), YE48, A-12, ef \$100

261. **'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad**, 674-683, AR dirham (4.02g), GD (Jayy), AH62, A-12, nice vf-ef \$100



262. **'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr**, 680-692, AR drachm (4.01g), KRMAN-NAWGY (probably a place called New Jiroft in the southcentral part of the province), AH66, A-16, traces of original luster, ef, RR \$375



263. **'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr**, 680-692, AR drachm (4.15g), DA+P (Fasa), YE60, A-16, one large & one small pellet at 11h30 in reverse margin, ef \$200
With title of caliph (APDWLA AMYR-Y WRWYSHNYKAN) in Pahlavi script.



264. **ARAB-SASANIAN: 'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr**, 680-692, AR drachm (4.12g), DA+GH (Jahrom, a smaller town near the city of Darabjird), A-16, ef

\$200



265. **'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr**, 680-692, AR drachm (4.09g), DA+P (Fasa) YE54, A-16, P of mint at right of altar base, ef+

\$175



266. **'Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr**, 680-692, AR drachm (4.03g), DA+GH (Jahrom), YE60, A-16, cmk'd Arabic *ja'iz* (= "current") in ObQ4, vf-ef

\$235

267. **Mus'ab b. al-Zubayr**, ca. 686-690, AR drachm (3.98g), KRMANSR, AH70, A-17, with "GDH" in Q3, bold strike. Mint may be same as SRCH (unidentified locale), nearly ef, RR

\$475



268. **'Abd Allah b. Khazim**, 682-692, AR drachm (4.02g), MRW (Marv), AH66, A-18, ef

\$150

269. **Salm b. Ziyad**, 680-684, AR drachm (4.07g), MRW (Marw) AH64, A-18, without crescent before face; bold strike, ef

\$125



270. **'Umar b. 'Ubayd Allah**, 686-691, AR drachm (3.92g), ST (=Istakhr) AH70, A-21, pahlavi GWDAN in ObQ1, with *lillah al-hamd* in ObQ2, nice ef

\$200



271. **'Atiya b. al-Aswad**, 690-696, AR drachm (4.16g), KRMAN-NAR (Narmashir) AH75, A-28, without pellet above mint name, star at 11h30 of reverse margin, ef

\$450



272. **al-Muhallab b. Abi Sufra**, ca.694-698, AR drachm (4.13g), DA (Darabjird) AH76, A-31, superb strike, choice ef-au

\$190



273. **'Abd al-Malik b. Marwan**, caliph, 685-705, AR drachm (3.96g), DA+P (Fasa), YE60, A-32, ef

\$200

274. **TABARISTAN: 'Umar**, 771-780, AR ½ drachm, Tabaristan, PYE124 (post-Yazdigerd era, with PYE1 = AD651/652), A-55, au

\$40

275. **Sa'id**, 776-779, AR ½ drachm, Tabaristan, PYE126, A-58, ef-au

\$40



276. **Jarir**, 786-788, AR ½ drachm (1.74g), Tabaristan, PYE135 (=AH170), A-63, ef

\$120

277. **'Abd Allah**, 790-792, AR ½ drachm (1.58g), Tabaristan, PYE140, A-70, ef

\$60

278. **Ibrahim**, 791-792, AR ½ drachm (2.19g), Tabaristan, PYE141, A-72, ef, R

\$150



279. **EASTERN SISTAN: "DWM" type**, early 690s, AR drachm (4.00g), SK (Sistan), blundered date, A-75, fully struck, minor double-striking on reverse, ef, R

\$200

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280. **EASTERN SISTAN: Khusraw type**, 700-726, AR drachm (4g), SK (Sijistan), AH81, A-77, bold clear date AYW HShTAT (unpublished), pellet after *bism Allah* and after mint initials, bold strike with minor planchet defect in obverse margin, not encroaching on the design or inscriptions, ef-au, RRR \$450



281. **al-Layth**, early 9th C, AR drachm (3.02g), SK (Sijistan), ND, A-B90, *duriba bi-zaranj* type with countermark *al-layth ja'iz*, bold and fully legible, vf \$225



282. **ARAB-BYZANTINE: Anonymous**, ca. 680-695, AE fals (3.06g), Tabariya (Tiberias), A-3512, three standing figures, officina letter A below denomination M on reverse, ef \$300



283. **Anonymous**, ca. 680's/690's, AE fals (2.76g), Iliya Filastin, ND, A-3545, standing caliph / uncial M, vf \$165



284. **UMAYYAD: 'Abd al-Malik**, 685-705, AR dirham (2.85g), Sabur, AH81, A-126, "one" in date given as Arabic *wahad* rather than the normal *ahad* with initial alif, ef \$380



285. **Hisham**, 724-743, AR dirham (2.84g), al-Andalus, AH110, A-137, vf \$1,150



286. **Marwan II**, 744-750, AR dirham (2.71g), al-Basra, AH-128, A-142, 7 annulets in obverse margin, ef \$375



287. **Marwan II**, 744-750, AR dirham (2.89g), Wasit, AH129, A-142, rare variety with 7 annulets in obverse margin, ef-unc \$175



288. **Anonymous**, ca. 700's, AE fals, NM, ND, A-162, lion couchant, vf \$125



289. **Anonymous**, ca. 710's, AE fals (2.97g), Akka, ND, A-165, without star after mint name, vf \$175
















290. **Anonymous**, ca. 710's, AE fals (3.43g), Bayt Jibrin, ND, A-171, very rare mint, bold full mint mark, vf \$300



291. **Anonymous**, ca. 710-720, AE fals (4.14g), Dimashq, ND, A-174, W-835, superb strike, ef \$125



292. **Anonymous**, ca. 730's, AE fals (3.97g), Filastin, ND, A-175, vf \$140

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|  <p>293. UMAYYAD: Anonymous, ca. 740's, AE fals (2.69g), al-Ramla, ND, A-185, palm tree / crescent, bold strike, ef \$115</p> |  <p>301. al-Hadi, 785-786, AR dirham (2.75g), Ifriqiya, AH170, A-217, <i>br</i> above and <i>qh</i> below, perhaps for the mint Barqa in Libya, vf-ef \$130</p> |
|  <p>294. ABBASID REVOLUTION: temp. 'Abd Allah b. Mu'awiya, ca. 744-774, AR dirham (2.9g), Jayy, AH128, A-206.1, lovely strike, ef \$800</p> |  <p>302. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham (2.94g), Arran, AH185, A-219, governor Asad b. Yazid, ef-unc \$275</p> |
|  <p>295. ABBASID: al-Mansur, 754-775, AR dirham (2.90g), Arminiya, AH145, A-213.1, somewhat crudely struck, ef \$135</p> <p>296. al-Mansur, 754-775, AR dirham, al-Rayy, AH146, A-213.2, vf \$50</p> |  <p>303. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham (2.96g), al-Kufa, AH180, A-219, citing the vizier Ja'far, ef \$200</p> |
|  <p>297. al-Mahdi, 775-785, AR dirham (2.88g), Sijistan, AH167, A-215.1, <i>bakh bakh</i> below reverse field, au \$200</p> |  <p>304. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham (2.70g), al-Basra, AH182, A-219, citing only al-Amin as heir, no governor, ef-unc \$175</p> |
|  <p>298. al-Mahdi, 775-785, AR dirham (2.89g), Zaranj, A-215.1, <i>bakh</i> below reverse field, ef \$200</p> |  <p>305. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham (2.20g), Tudgha, AH171, A-219, very rare mint; citing governor Yazid and uncertain name something like <i>sam'il</i>, vf \$250</p> |
|  <p>299. al-Mahdi, 775-785, AR dirham (2.87g), al-Yamama, AH166, A-215.1, mint in Saudi Arabia, with alternative mint name Hajar below reverse field, vf \$675</p> |  <p>306. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham (2.92g), Tabaristan, AH193, A-219.2, vf \$150</p> <p>307. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham, Nishapur, AH193, A-219.6, f, R \$55</p> <p>308. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham, Madinat al-Salam, AH180, A-219.9, ef \$30</p> <p>309. al-Rashid, 786-809, AR dirham, Balkh, AH182, A-219.9, ef \$40
<i>Harun al-Rashid was the caliph about whom the Thousand and One Nights was composed, memorialized in Rimsky-Korsakov's Scheherazade.</i></p> |
|  <p>300. al-Hadi, 785-786, AR dirham (2.94g), al-Muhammadiya, AH170, A-217, Arabic <i>br</i> below reverse field, au \$185</p> | |

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310. **ABBASID: al-Rashid**, 786-809, AR dirham (2.64g), al-'Abbasiya, AH171, A-219, Governor Yazid, margins all around above and *wl* below reverse field, to left of the name Yazid and *mr* left of *bakh* atop reverse field, vf \$120



311. **al-Ma'mum**, 810-833, AR dirham (2.71g), Misr, AH217, A-223, ef \$200



312. **al-Ma'mun**, 810-833, AR dirham (3.03g), Samarqand, AH 202, A-224, citing the Shiite Imam al-Rida as heir to the Abbasid caliphate; lightly crimped, moderate flan crack, vf+, R \$425



313. **al-Mu'tadid**, 892-902, AR dirham (4.42g), Shiraz, AH287, A-242A, very broad presentation dirham (37mm), presumably honoring the Abbasid reconquest of Shiraz from the Saffarid rulers, vf, RRRR \$2,750



314. **al-Muktafi**, 902-908, AR dirham (3.41g), al-Qasr al-Fakhir, AH295, A-244.1, very rare mint, in operation 295-296 only, vf \$385



315. **UMAYYAD OF SPAIN: Muhammad I**, 852-886, AR dirham (2.02g), al-Andalus, AH245, A-343, inner circle on obverse, bold strike, ef \$100




316. **Muhammad II**, 1009, AR dirham (2.53g), al-Andalus, AH400, A-356, citing Abu Maslamah, ef-au \$140



317. **Sulayman**, 1009-1010, AR dirham (3.73g), Madinat al-Zahra, AH400, A-358, citing Ibn Shuhayd & Muhammad, superb strike, ef \$170



318. **Hisham II**, 1010-1013, AR dirham, al-Andalus, AH-401, A-360, citing 'Abd Allah beneath obverse, ef \$100



319. **ALGARBE: Musa b. Muhammad**, 1234-1262, AR square dirham (1.69g), al-Gharb (Algarbe), ND, A-1410, only available Islamic coin from Portuguese mint; some others exist but are extremely rare, ef \$100



320. **IDRISID: Idris I**, 789-791, AR dirham (2.65g), Tudgha, AH174, A-419, no symbols above reverse, 'ali below reverse, vf \$160



321. **Idris II**, 791-828, AR dirham (2.04g), Tudgha, AH(18)3, A-420, *khalifa* in obverse center, *idris* above reverse, 'ali below reverse, vf \$160



322. **Khalaf b. al-Muda' (Kharijite)**, 791-792, AR dirham (2.44g), Tudgha, AH175, A-430, four pellets in obverse field, vf \$125



323. **AGHLABID: Ibrahim I**, 800-801, AR dirham (2.63g), Ifriqiya, AH187, A-435, without the Abbasid overlord, vf \$140
324. **ZIRID OF QAYRAWAN: al-Mu'izz b. Badis**, 1016-1062, AR fractional dirham, NM, ND, A-460, crudely struck as always, f-vf \$30
325. **MURABITID: Ali**, 1106-1142, AR qirat, NM, ND, A-467, H-976, citing heir Sir, ef \$40
326. **Ishaq**, 1145-1147, AR qirat, NM, ND, A-475, f \$37



327. **MUWAHHIDUN: Anonymous**, ca. 1160's-1269, AR square dirham (1.54g), Qurtuba (Cordoba), ND, A-497, vf \$125



328. **SA'DIAN SHARIFS: Zaydan al-Nasir**, 1603-1627, AR dirham (1.34g) (Fas), ND, A-571, obverse inscription *al-fatima / zaydan ima / m al-a'amma*, vf \$100



329. **IKHSHIDID: 'Ali b. al-Ikhshid**, 961-966, AR dirham (2.21g), Filastin AH353, A-679, date slightly weak due to double-striking, vf-ef, R \$150



330. **FATIMID: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR broad dirham (Filastin), DM, A-705, caliph's name clear; decent example, f-vf \$100



331. **CRUSADER KINGDOMS: Antioch: Tancred, regent**, 1101-1103, AE follis (4.92g), NM, ND, some tooling to "improve" the obverse, rare in this grade, vf \$225



332. **AYYUBID: al-Zahir Khalil**, ca. 1500's, AR ½ tanka (2.05g) (Hisn), ND, A-867, previously unpublished ruler, vf-ef \$100



333. **BAHRI MAMLUK: Baybars I**, 1260-1277, AR dirham (3.35g) (Halab), AH659, A-882, lion in center of octofoil on obverse (type struck only at Halab and only in this year); well above average, ef \$125
334. **Sha'ban II**, 1363-1376, AE fals, Tarablus, ND, A-958, 8-point star reverse, superb vf+ \$45
335. **BURJI MAMLUK: Faraj**, 1399-1412, AR fractional dirham (0.32g, about the lightest I have encountered), NM, ND, A-980, crude ef \$40
336. **"Ahmad", unknown individual**, 15th C., Glass jeton or weight (6.06g), NM, ND, A-1046, off-white cream colored glass, vf, R \$70



337. **RASULID: al-Mansur 'Umar I**, 1229-1249, AR dirham (1.85g), Zabid, A-1100.4, fabulous strike, as nice as these can be found, au \$185



338. **al-Ashraf Isma'il I**, 1376-1400, AR dirham (1.8g), Zabid, AH786, A-1110.3, eagle attacking duck; strong image, vf \$190



339. **al-Ashraf Isma'il I**, 1376-1400, AR dirham (1.71g), 'Adan, AH785, A-1110.3, 2 fish swimming in a circle, very bold, vf \$165















340. **al-Ashraf Isma'il I**, 1376-1400, AR dirham (1.82g), al-Mahjam, AH786, A-1110.3, lion attacking bull (very clear); date somewhat coarse, as engraver did not leave sufficient room, vf \$140



341. **SELJUQ OF RUM: Hetoum I**, 1226-1271, AR tram (3.01g), Sis AH640, A-1221, citing the Rum Seljuq ruler, Kaykhusraw II, 1236-1245, good vf, R \$160

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| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>342. TAHIRID: Tahir b. al-Husayn, 821-822, AR dirham (3.04g), Herat, AH206, A-1391A, citing al-Shukr b. Ibrahim, lovely strike, vf-ef, R \$125</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>350. Ahmad II, 907-914, AR dirham, Samarqand, AH301, A-1446, ef \$100</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>343. SAFFARID: 'Amr b. al-Layth, 879-901, AR dirham (3.66g), Nishapur, AH269, A-1402, citing local governor Mansur, crude vf, RR \$150</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>351. Nasr II, 914-943, AR dirham (2.59g), Nishapur, AH305, A-1451, presentation type, struck with narrow die on normal flan, with broad margins obverse & reverse, vf-ef \$175</p> |
| <p>344. Ahmad b. Muhammad, 923-963, AE fals, Sijistan, AH346, A-1413A, good f \$40</p> <p>345. Khalaf b. Ahmad, 3rd reign, 981-1003, AE fals, Sijistan, AH371, A-1422, vf \$55</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>352. 'Abd al-Malik I, 954-961, AR dirham, Balkh, AH350, A-1462, au \$150</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>346. BANI JURID: Abu Da'ud Muhammad b. Ahmad, 874-899, AR dirham, Taliqan, AH284, A-1433, vf \$170</p> | <p>353. Nuh III, 976-997, AR dirham, Balkh, AH385, A-1470, vf, R \$90</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>347. SAMANID: Nuh I b. Asad, 819-841, AE fals (1.73g), Samarqand, AH205, A-M1440, typical strike, with some weak areas, f-vf \$175</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>354. VOLGA BULGARS: Anonymous, ca. 913-921, AR dirham (2.68g), "Balkh", AH"291", A-Q1481, cross below obverse field, vf \$575</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>348. Isma'il I, 892-907, AR dirham (2.89g), Balkh, AH293, A-1443, au \$125</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>355. SU'LUKID: Muhammad b. 'Ali, 2nd reign, ca. 926-928, AR dirham (2.91g), al-Muhammadiya, AH316, A-1483, citing the Samanid, Nasr II, as overlord, vf \$210</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>349. Ahmad II, 907-914, AR dirham (2.78g), Andaraba, AH299, A-1446, <i>abu nasr</i> below obverse field, au \$150</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>356. QARAKHANID: Muzaffar Kiya, dihqan, fl. 995-1005, AR dirham (3.77g), al-Saghaniyan AH397, A-3432, citing the <i>llak</i> Nasr (b. 'Ali), ef, R \$120</p> |



357. **QARAKHANID: Muzaffar Kiya, dihqan**, fl. 995-1005, AR dirham (3.28g), al-Saghaniyan, AH 396 (bold) AH396, A-3432, citing the *Ilak Nasr* (b. 'Ali), fancy floral ornament below reverse instead of name Kiya, ef, R

\$140



358. **Muzaffar Kiya, dihqan**, 995-1005, AR dirham (3.02g), al-Saghaniyan AH400, A-3432, citing the *Ilak Nasr* (b. 'Ali) & uncertain Rukn al-Dawla (on obv), vf-ef, R

\$125



359. **Ahmad b. 'Ali**, ca. 994-1016, AE fals, Ilaq, AH387, A-3305, *dihqan al-jalil* in obverse center, but without his actual name, typical for Qarakhanid coins, vf, R

\$100



360. **Ahmad b. 'Ali**, ca. 994-1016, AE fals, Ilaq, AH403, A-3305, vf

\$100



361. **BUWAYHID: 'Adud al-Dawla**, 949-983, AR dirham, Jannaba, AH346, A-1550.1, rare mint, ef

\$100



362. **Samsam al-Dawla**, 990-998, AR dirham (3.42g), 'Uman, AH382, A-1570.1, clear mint & date, vf

\$480

363. **Sultan al-Dawla**, 1012-1021, AR dirham, Shiraz, AH407, A-1581, Solomon seal below reverse field, ef

\$165



364. **KHWARIZMSHAHS: Jalal al-Din Mangubarni**, 1220-1231, AR dirham, NM, AH(61)8, A-1745B, hexagram type, vf, RR

\$175



365. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Najm al-Din Alpi**, 1152-1176, AE dirham (16.02g), [Mardin], ND, A-1827.3, two long-haired busts obv, representation of the Virgin crowning the ruler, vf

\$170



366. **Najm al-Din Alpi**, 1152-1176, AE dirham (10.36g), [Mardin], ND, A-1827.5, 2 male busts obv, 1 female bust rev, vf

\$175



367. **Yuluq Arslan**, 1184-1201, AE dirham (12.89g), NM, ND, A-1829.2, 2 busts, left one facing forward, right one facing left; bold strike, ef

\$185



368. **Nasir al-Din Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AE dirham (14.54g), Mardin, AH599, A-1830.1, facing draped bust, vf

\$125



369. **SALDUQID: Nasir al-Din Muhammad**, 1168-1191, AE fals (7.51g), undated, A-1891, mounted archer shooting at small animal, f-vf

\$150

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370. **SALGHURID: Abu Bakr**, 1231-1260, AR dirham (7.1g), MN, ND, citing the Great Mongol ruler Mongke as *padshah-i jahan*, "king of the world", A-B1928, lovely strike, with superb calligraphy, vf \$495



371. **Abish bint Sa'id**, 1265-1285, AR dirham (2.88g), Shiraz, A-1929.4, as vassal under Arghun, vf \$625



372. **Abish bint Sa'id, Queen**, 1265-1285, AR dirham (2.25g) (Shiraz) ND, A-1929.3, citing Ahmad (1282-1284) as overlord, "abish bint" in reverse field, f, RR \$110



373. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR dirham (3.06g), [Ghazna] ND, A-1967, slightly off center strike, vf-ef, R \$425

374. **Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital, [Ghazna], ND, A-1969, \$45



375. **Anonymous**, AE broad dirham (6.88g), Bukhara, AH666, A-A1979.1, lovely example, vf \$200



376. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: temp. Alughu**, 1261-1266, AR dirham (1.42g) (Pulad), AH662, A-1983, double trident tamga, ef \$100

377. **Isan Buqa**, 1309-1318, AR dirham, Badakhshan, ND, A-1987, crude vf \$80

378. **Buyan Quli Khan**, 1348-1359, AR dinar (8.09g), Otrar, ND/DM, A-2007, nice vf \$70



379. **ILKHANS: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AR dinar (6 dirhams) (12.82g), Wasit, AH702, A-2171, with outer marginal Qur'an inscriptions on obverse & reverse, rare presentation type, vf, RRR \$450

380. **Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AR 6 dirhams (11.75g), Shahrstan, DM, A-2187, very rare mint in northeastern Khorasan, crude vf \$90



381. **Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AR 6 dirhams (10.71g), Nishapur, AH719, A-2199, decent strike; mint cited both in obverse margin & below reverse, vf \$115

382. **Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AR 6 dirhams (10.57g), Amul, blundered date, A-2199, lovely strike, well centered, date perhaps intended to be 721, vf \$65

383. **Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AR 2 dirhams, Ma'dan Samasur, AH721, A-2200.1, vf \$40



384. **Musa Khan**, 1336-1337, AR 2 dirhams (2.73g), Abu Ishaq, AH736, A-2224.1, some very minor adhesion near edge, some scratching near the edge, vf \$550

385. **Taghay Timur**, 1336-1353, AR 6 dirhams (6.01g), Nayriz, AH739, A-2233, very rare mint in Fars province, not to be confused with Tabriz, vf \$95



386. **MEHRABANID: Nasir al-Din Muhammad**, 1261-1318, AE heavy fals (24.56g), MN, ND, A-2355B, cast as always; citing the Ilkhan Hulagu as overlord; crudely cast and very thick, f-vf \$115

From a recent discovery from Eastern Iran or Afghanistan combined with other coins of the Sistan region. Contains the title al-Haqq, which is often found coins of Sistan from this period. The metal seems to be a strange alloy possibly containing a mixture lead and bronze.



387. **MUSHA'SHA': Fallah b. al-Muhsin**, fl. 906-907, AR ½ "tanka" (2g), al-Huwayza, A-2565, lovely strike, ef \$250



388. **SAFAVID: Safi II**, 1666-1668, AR 20 shahi (36.4g), Isfahan, AH1078, A-2652, some weakness of strike, still very attractive, vf, **RRR** \$1,250



389. **Sulayman I**, 1668-1694, AR 10 shahi (17.69g), Isfahan AH1096, A-2665, KM-227, ex-mount as usual, f, **R** \$185



390. **'Abbas III**, 1732-1735, AR abbasi (5.41g), Qazwin, AH1145, A-2694, lovely strike, without weakness, ef \$100



391. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR 2 rupees (22.98g), Qandahar, AH1150, A-2743, strong even strike, flan flaw at left of reverse, vf \$125



392. **Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupee (11.58g), Sind, AH1157, A-2744.1, lovely strike, full date below obverse, ef \$200



393. **Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupee (11.43g), Derajat, AH1158, A-2744.2, strong even strike, ef \$185



394. **Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupi (11.53g), Bhakkar, AH1155, A-2744.2, single test mark and couple minor scratches, vf-ef \$155



395. **Shahrukh, as viceroy**, 1739-1747, AR rupi (11.52g), Herat, A-2771, with couplet citing Nadir Shah, f-vf \$100



396. **QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AR ¼ riyal (2.55g), Tabriz AH1225, A-2882, KM-684, plain edge, but still a presentation strike, probably for special gifts, attractive au, **RR** \$125



397. **Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AR ¼ riyal (2.6g), Tabriz AH1225, A-2882A, KM-685, reeded edge, presentation strike, probably for special gifts, ef, **RR** \$125



398. **Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AR riyal (9.19g), Tabriz, AH1238, A-2886A, obliquely milled edge, presentation issue, good vf, **RR** \$275



399. **DURRANI: Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AR rupee (11.51g), Dera AH1205, year 20, A-3100, KM-328, ef, **S** \$100

400. **Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AR rupee, Multan, AH1197, A-3100, KM-653, ef \$65



401. **Shah Zaman**, 1793-1801, AR 2 rupees (23.11g), Kabul AH1213, year 6, A-3107, KM-444, average strike, with some weakness as usual, f-vf, **R** \$160

402. **CIVIC COPPER: AE fals** (1.54g), Balkh, ND, A-3184, probably 16th C., mint name / floral design., **R** \$30

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403. **CIVIC COPPER: Anonymous:** AE fals (2.97g), Herat, AH885, A-3186, pleasing vf \$30
404. **Anonymous:** AE falus (24.24g), Kashan, ND, A-3202, countermarked 'adl falus kashan on completely worn out host, f, RR \$45
405. **Anonymous:** AE falus, Ahmadshahi, AH1212, A-3217, sword, crude f, R \$25



406. **Anonymous:** AE falus (10.71g), Lenjeh, AH1247, A-3247, balemark design, struck on cast planchet, vf \$125

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407. **ANNAM: Chanh Hoa,** 1676-1705, AE phan, KM-37, vf \$25



408. **Tu Duc,** 1848-1883, AR lang, CD1863, Sch-324, light test cut, vf, R \$400



409. **AUSTRIA - Burgau:** AR thaler (27.96g), Günzburg, 1765 SC, KM-15, large "G" below eagle, choice vf+ \$175



410. **AUSTRIA:** AR thaler (27.83g), Hall, AH1759, KM-745, plain gown, good vf, R \$160



411. **BELGIAN CONGO:** AR 50 francs, 1947, KM-27, elephant, unc \$175
412. **BHUTAN:** AE deb rupee, NM, ND, KM-A8.2, circa 1835-1910, double-struck error, ef, R \$25
413. **BHUTAN:** AE deb rupee, ca. 1910-1927, KM-22, f \$15



414. **BURMA:** AR rupee, CS1214 (1852), KM-10, prooflike fields, possibly a specimen strike, lightly toned, unc \$225



415. **CENTRAL AMERICA UNION:** 1 centavo (4.99g), 1889, KM-XE21, essai, ef \$185
416. **CEYLON:** 2 stuivers, [Colombo], ND (1660-1720), KM-20, f \$25
417. **CEYLON:** AR fanam "token" (0.54g), NM, ND, inscribed fanam on obverse, token on reverse, with no other words, KM-83, ef \$50



418. **EGYPT:** AR 2 piastres, 1920/1338, KM-325, au \$295



419. **EGYPT:** AE 1 millieme, 1924/AH1342, KM-331, uniface die trial of the reverse, attractive au, RRR \$200



420. **EGYPT:** 2 mliemes, 1924/AH1342, KM-332, uniface die trial of the obverse, ef, RRR \$175



421. **FRENCH INDOCHINA:** ½ liang 5 ch'ien (18.68g), ND (1943-44), KM-A1.2, scarce denomination, graded NGC MS-62, unc \$145



422. **FRENCH INDOCHINA:** AR tael, ND (1943-44), KM-A3, lovely grade, rare so nice, au \$175



423. **GERMAN STATES - Hesse-Darmstadt:** AR 5 mark, 1904, KM-373, 400th birthday of Philip the Magnanimous, unc \$320



424. **HEJAZ:** AE ½ ghirsh, Makka, AH1344, year 2, KM-A3, superb strike & grade; some minor dirt on reverse, unc \$175

425. **HEJAZ:** AE ¼ ghirsh, Makka, AH1334, year 5, KM-22, with some of original silvering, choice ef \$50



426. **IRAN:** gilt-brass ashrafi, AH1326, not in Rabino or KM, may be unpublished. Pattern of Muhammad Ali, likely struck somewhere in Europe, ef-unc, RR \$575



427. **IRAN:** gilt-brass 2000 dinars, AH1331, not in Rabino or KM, may be unpublished. Pattern of Ahmad Shah with reverse die of Muhammad Ali, likely struck somewhere in Europe, ef-unc, RR \$500

428. **IRAN:** AR 2000 dinars (Tehran), AH1317, KM-974, weak au, S \$55

429. **IRAN:** AE 2000 dinars (Tehran), AH1332, KM-1057, well-struck, unc \$40



430. **IRAN:** AR 5000 dinars, AH1332, KM-1058, superb strike, unc \$100



431. **IRAN:** 10 dinars, Tehran, SH1310, KM-1124, copper-nickel, nicest I have seen, unc \$145

432. **IRAQ:** 7 piece proof set, 1953/AH1372, KM-PS1, including K-109 (1 fils), K-110 (2 fils), proof, RRR \$1,425

433. **JAPAN:** AR yen, Meiji year 28 (1895), Y-A25.3, au \$60



434. **JAPAN:** AR yen, Meiji year 15 (1892), Y-A25.2, few minor hairlines, scarce date, ef-au \$225

435. **JORDAN:** AR 2½ dinars, 1977/AH1377, KM-31, Rhim gazelle, proof \$25



436. **KUWAIT:** AR proof set, 1987/AH1407, KM-PS3, 6 coin set struck in silver in original case of issue, mintage unknown but undoubtedly extremely low, first we have seen, proof, RR \$700

Modern World Coins



- 437. **MOROCCO:** AR rial, Paris, AH1299, Y-8, bu \$125
- 438. **MOROCCO:** AR 5 dirhams, Paris, AH1331, Y-32, unc \$60
- 439. **MOROCCO:** AR 20 francs, [Paris], AH1347, Y-39, unc \$80
- 440. **MOROCCO:** franc, [Paris], AH1364, KM-PE4, piefort essai, unc \$90
- 441. **NEPAL:** AR 1/16 rupee, VS[19]96, KM-713, unc, R \$50
- 442. **NEPAL:** iron 12 paisa token, [Kathmandu], ND, KM-Tn1, royal mint token, issued circa 1902, vf or better \$35
- 443. **PAKISTAN:** AR 100 rupees, 1977, KM-47, Islamic Summit Minar, proof \$40
- 444. **PAKISTAN:** AR 100 rupees, 1977, KM-48, bust of Muhammad Iqbal, proof \$40



- 445. **RUSSIA - Crimea:** AE kopeck (9.12g), Baghcha-Saray, AH1191 year 4, KM-30, minimal trace of wear, excellent strike, vf-ef \$225



- 446. **Crimea:** AE kyrmis (15 akçe), Baghcha-Saray, AH1191 year 5, KM-36, f \$350



- 447. **SIBERIA:** AE 10 kopecks, Kolyvan, 1772, Cr-6, Brekke-510, vf \$150



- 448. **SUDAN:** BI 20 piastres (21.65g), Omdurman, 1311, no regnal year, KM-14, lovely strike, choice vf-ef \$95
- 449. **TUNISIA:** AR 8 kharub, AH1303, KM-205, ef \$75
- 450. **TUNISIA:** 10 centimes, 1904/AH1322 A, KM-229, unc \$45
- 451. **TUNISIA:** 5 centimes, 1938/AH1357, KM-258, bu \$20
- 452. **TUNISIA:** 20 francs, 1939/AH1358, KM-266, au \$45



- 453. **TURKEY:** AR yuzluk (30.65g), Islambul, AH1203, year 11, KM-507, excellent strike, rare so lovely, unc \$125



- 454. **TURKEY:** AR para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 1, KM-551, superb strike, beautiful toning from old collection, unc \$100



- 455. **TURKEY:** AR 10 para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 1, KM-553, au \$225



- 456. **TURKEY:** AR kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 5, KM-560, plentiful original luster, unc \$250
- 457. **TURKEY:** para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 14, KM-566, toned bu \$38
- 458. **TURKEY:** 10 para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 15, KM-568, average strike, unc \$85
- 459. **TURKEY:** 5 para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 15, KM-573, slightly shallow struck, as usual, unc \$60



460. **TURKEY:** AR kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 16, KM-575, nearly full luster, especially on reverse, bu \$175



461. **TURKEY:** AR 2 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 15, KM-576, some original luster, au \$125

462. **TURKEY:** 30 para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 20, KM-579, unc \$50

463. **TURKEY:** BI 20 para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 21, KM-583, au \$25

464. **TURKEY:** BI para, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 29, KM-594, choice full strike, unc \$40



465. **TURKEY:** AR 1/2 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1223, year 26, KM-601, full bold strike, original silvering & luster, bu \$140

466. **TURKEY:** BI 1 1/2 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255, year 4, KM-654, slightly weak, unc \$25

467. **TURKEY:** AR 3 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255, year 1, KM-655, excellent strike, unc \$250



468. **TURKEY:** AR 20 para, Kostantiniye, AH1255, year 13, KM-669, flan clip (before striking), ef-au \$115



469. **TURKEY:** AR 20 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1255, year 14, KM-676, large inscription on reverse (mislisted in KM as type KM-656), unc \$200



470. **TURKEY:** AE 20 para, Kostantiniye, AH1277, year 4, KM-700, proof \$160



471. **TURKEY:** AR kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1293, KM-710, Murad V; one small edge nick, vf \$175



472. **TURKEY:** AR 5 kurush, Edirne, AH1327, year 2, KM-791, nice au \$175



473. **TURKEY:** AR 5 kurush, Salanik, AH1327, year 3, KM-809, hairlined, au \$150



474. **TURKEY:** AR 5 kurush, Kostantiniye, AH1336, year 1, KM-816, very rare date, 2000 struck, very light trace of mount on edge, cleaned, ef, RR \$450



475. **YEMEN:** Lahej: 1/2 baiza (3.23g), Lahej, ND, KM-1, Struck in 1860, ef \$125

Coinage of China



476. **LIAO:** Hsien Yung, 1066-1073, AE cash, S-1067, nice patina, vf \$125

Coinage of China



477. **LIAO: Shou Ch'ang**, 1092-1100, AE cash, S-1072, several light oxidation spots, vf \$115



478. **CHIN: Tai Ho**, 1201-1208, AE 10 cash, S-1093, vf+ \$95

479. **NORTHERN SUNG: Ta Kuan**, 1107-1110, AE 10 cash, S-632, very light encrustation, ef \$25

480. **Shao Sheng**, 1094-1097, iron 3 cash, S-597, seal script, good vf \$25



481. **YÜAN: Chih Cheng**, 1333-1368, AE 10 cash, S-1111, denomination in Mongol script on reverse, nearly ef \$85



482. **Chih Cheng**, 1351, AE 2 cash, FD-1791, *mao* on reverse, struck in 1351, gorgeous green patina, ef \$125



483. **MING: Hung Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 5 cash, S-1157, f-vf, S \$75

484. **Ta Chung**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash, S-1134, light encrustation, vf, S \$60

485. **Ta Chung**, 1368-1398, AE cash, S-1127, good f, S \$30

486. **MING REBELS: Yung Li**, 1647-1662, AE candereen, S-1321, *yi fen* on reverse, f-vf \$25



487. **CH'ING: K'ang Hsi**, 1662-1722, AE cash, KM-347, Hartill-30.64, *Ta Ch'ing* on reverse, Birthday cash issue, vf-ef, RRR \$275

488. **Ch'ien Lung**, 1736-1795, AE cash, Taiwan Province, KM-435, scarce mint, vg \$50

489. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Board of Revenue, Peking, Cr-1-7.1, vf \$30

490. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Board of Revenue, Peking, Cr-1-7, f-vf \$25

491. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Kansu Province, Cr-14-5, f \$30

492. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE cash, Kiangsi Province, Cr-15-6.1, vf \$25



493. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 20 cash, Kiangsu Province, Cr-16-7, vf \$100

494. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Szechuan Province, Cr-24-6, f-vf \$39

495. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Szechuan Province, Cr-24-7, f-vf \$35



496. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 4 cash, Ili, ND, Cr-28-5, vf \$95



497. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Aksu, ND, Cr-30-13.1, f-vf \$100

498. **Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Aksu, ND, Cr-30-12, fine \$200



499. **CH'ING: Hsien Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Yarkand, ND, Cr-35-4, f-vf \$175

500. **T'ung Chih**, 1862-1874, AE 10 cash, Board of Works, Peking, Cr-2-14, vf \$25



501. **CHINESE CHARM: Chia Ch'ing**, 1796-1820, AE palace cash, Chinese Ch-285, FD-2369, T'ien Hsi T'ai P'ing (peace under heaven), known as "lantern hanging" money, vf, S \$115



502. **CHINESE CHARM: Yung Cheng**, 1723-1735, AE amulet, Chinese Ch-389, S-32, dragon & phoenix, likely made in the 1930's, vf \$75



503. **FUKIEN**: AE cash, ND (ca. 1912), Y-374, vf \$115



504. **SHANSI**: AR 5 tael (149.04g), ND, Cribb-XLII, trough sycee ingot, group G, vf, S \$190



505. **SINKIANG**: AR 50 tael (1670g), CD1926, Cribb-IX, *jiangsu yuanbao* sycee ingot, Ying Jue mint in Ili, De Sheng Jiang assayer, good vf, RRRR \$2,250

506. **SINKIANG**: AE pul, ND, Cr-37-7.2, Khardan Chirin, vf \$30

507. **SINKIANG**: AE 10 cash, CD1911, Y-2.3, f \$45



508. **SINKIANG**: 2 miscals, ND (1890), Y-4.1, continuous Turki legend in lower obverse margin, decent f, R \$250



509. **SINKIANG**: AR 5 miscals (17.81g), [Kashgar], ND (after 1906), Y-6, good strike, vf-ef, S \$125

510. **SINKIANG**: AR 5 miscals, ND, Y-6, attractive, from old collection, about vf \$40

511. **SINKIANG**: ½ miscal, Aksu, AH1297, Y-A7.5, vf \$22

512. **SINKIANG**: ½ miscal, Kashgar, ND, Y-A7.6, crude vf \$28

513. **SINKIANG**: ½ miscal, Kashgar, ND, Y-A7.11, vf \$35

514. **SINKIANG**: AR ½ miscal, Yarkand, ND, Y-A7.18, crude vf \$25

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515. **SINKIANG:** 2 miscals, Kashgar, AH1311, Y-17, some original luster, ef-unc, rarely seen so nice \$175



516. **SINKIANG:** 5 miscals, Kashgar/Kashi, AH1323, Y-21.6, Turki legend inverted, ef \$135



517. **UIGHURISTAN:** AE 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.1, flag without fringe, au \$300



518. **UIGHURISTAN:** AE 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.2, flag with partial fringe, ef \$150



519. **UIGHURISTAN:** AE 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.3, right flag with full fringes, vf \$160



520. **UIGHURISTAN:** AE 20 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, KM-E38.1, appears to be oversruck on inverted Y-A41.2 type with Chinese inscription above the flags, vf \$130



521. **YUNNAN:** AR 5 tael (192.87g), ND, Cribb-LXVI, three-stamp "pack saddle" remittance sycee ingot, group I, Fu Xing Qing bank, Hui Hao Wen Yin, choice au \$215
522. **YUNNAN:** AR 5 tael (189.57g), ND, Cribb-LXVI, three-stamp "pack saddle" remittance sycee ingot, group I, Hu Wan Yi bank, Hui Hao Wen Yin, ef \$185
523. **YUNNAN:** AR 5 tael (187.06g), ND, Cribb-LXVI, three-stamp "pack saddle" remittance sycee ingot, group I, Chen Tian Mao bank, Hui Hao Wen Yin, vf \$165

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524. **INDO-GREEK: Euthydemus II**, ca. 190-185 BC, AE trichalkon (11.19g), Bop-8A, f \$135








525. **Philoxenos**, ca. 100-95 BC, AE hemiobol (7.94g), Bop-10, female deity holding cornucopia / zebu right, vf \$115
526. **KUSHAN: Heraios**, ca. 5 BC-45 AD, AR obol (0.53g), NM, ND, Mitch-2840ff, good vf \$50
527. **Vima Kadphises**, ca. 105-135, AE tetradrachm (16.12g), Mitch-3050ff, king standing / Siva & bull, f \$30
528. **Kanishka I**, ca. 143-168, AE drachm (Jammu-Kashmir), Mitch-3166/67, vf \$25


















Mughal & Sultanates

529. **BAHMANID: Muhammad I**, 1359-1375, AR tanka (10.99g), Ahsanabad, AH760, G-BH27, date weak but certain, superb au \$120
530. **Muhammad II**, 1378-1397, AR tanka (10.5g), Ahsanabad, AH795, G-BH51, Ra-2551, full bold date, ef \$90
531. **Muhammad III**, 1463-1482, AR tanka (10.89g), Muhammadabad, AH880, G-BH112, Rajgor-2652, nice vf, RR, especially with legible date \$225

532. **BAHMANID: Mahmud Shah**, 1482-1518, AR (possibly 1/6 tanka) (1.81g), Goa AH905, anonymous issue, obverse design either a ship or a bailmark; digit of date slightly weak but likely; not in Goron, good vf, **RR** \$450
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533. **BENGAL: Iltutmish, 1st reign**, 1217-1220, AR tanka (10.85g), NM ND, G-B18, horseman left, holding mace, unusually nice strike, good vf, **R** \$650
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534. **Ghiyath al-Din 'Iwad**, 1213-1227, AR tanka (10.41g), NM, 20 Rabi' II 620, G-B31, citing 'Ali Burhan as heir; good strike, vf-ef, **RR** \$350
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535. **Iltutmish, 1st reign**, 1217-1220, AR tanka (10.37g), NM (20) Sha'ban 622, G-B38, presumably struck for months or more after the engraved day, about vf, **RR** \$300
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536. **Iltutmish, 3rd reign**, 1230-1236, AR tanka (10.67g), NM AH632, G-B48, clear date, with caliph al-Mustansir; arabesque atop reverse field, f-vf, **RR** \$200
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537. **Jalalat al-Din Radiyya, Queen**, 1236-1240, AR tanka (10.63g) (Lakhnauti), AH635, G-B57, bold strike, die-break on reverse, date fully legible, lovely calligraphy, ef \$550
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538. **CHITTAGONG: Ghiyath al-Din Bahadur**, ca. 1550-1555, AR tanka (10.61g), NM AH959, G-B1004, said to be struck at Ramu; lovely bold strike, ef, **R** \$165
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539. **DELHI: Tughluq I**, 1320-1325, AR tanka (10.87g), Dar al-Islam, AH725, G-D305, bold strike, ef, **S** \$115
540. **Sher Shah**, 1539-1545, AR rupee, Shergarh, AH948, G-D802, Rajgor-1677, good vf \$50
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541. **KASHMIR: Zain al-Abidin**, 1420-1470, AR sansu (6.07g), Kashmir, AH842 (frozen), G-K9, early calligraphy style (year 842 used in Kashmir as a frozen date for more than a century), vf-ef \$100
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542. **Isma'il I**, 1531-1540, AR sansu (6.17g), Kashmir, "AH842", G-K95, nice strike, 2 t/m, ef \$145
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543. **Nazuk Khan**, 1540-1546, AR sansu (6.18g), Kashmir, "AH842", G-K100, with his name as Nadir Shah, as always for this ruler; superb strike, ef, **R** \$170
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544. **Habib Shah**, 1555, AR sansu (6.2g), Kashmir, AH961, G-K116, ruler's name as Mahmud Shah, as on all his coins; superb strike, ef, **RR** \$225
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545. **Muhammad Ali**, 1570-1579, AR sansu (6.18g), Kashmir, AH986, G-K133, 2 t/m, vf \$125
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| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>546. KASHMIR: Muhammad Ghazi, 1555-1562, AR sansu (6.24g), Kashmir, AH962, G-K152, in name of the Mughal sultan Akbar, also has the date AH960 below obverse, ef \$140</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>555. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.43g), Ahmadnagar, Ilahi 4(5), Shahrewar, KM-93.3, clear mint name & month, vf \$215</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>547. Muhammad Ghazi, 1555-1562, AR sansu (6.27g), Kashmir, AH962, G-K152, in name of Mughal sultan Akbar, date in Arabic in reverse margin, ef \$140</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>556. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.32g), Sitapur, Ilahi 48, Mihr, KM-94.4, bold strike, broad flan, ef \$100</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>548. MADURA: Ahsan Shah, 1333-1339, AR 1/3 tanka (3.36g), NM AH738, G-MD2, vf, R \$115</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>557. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.35g), Dewal Bandar, ND, Khurdad, KM-93.9, clear mint, vf, RR \$450</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>549. MALWA: Muhammad I, 1435-1436, AE falus (4.46g), Shadiabad ND, G-M16, good strike, vf, RR \$150</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>558. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.12g), Qila Bandhu undated, KM-96.1, lovely strike, about ef, RR \$350</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>550. Muhammad II, pretender, 1511-1516, AR 1/2 tanka (5.25g), NM, AH(92)2, G-M181, bold even strike, vf \$150</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>559. Jahangir, 1605-1628, AR rupee (11.37g), Ahmadabad, Tir year 9, KM-140.2, ef, S \$140</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>551. MUGHAL: Babur, 1525-1530, AR shahrukhi, Agra, AH935, A-2462.2, 20% weak, single t/m, f \$75</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>560. Jahangir, 1605-1628, AR rupee (11.43g), Jalnapur, ND, KM-141.6, magnificent strike, clear mint name, ef \$200</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>552. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR tanka (7.06g), Mandu, ND, KM-75-var, mint name below obverse; probably undated, ef \$85</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>561. Jahangir, 1605-1628, AR square rupee (11.42g), Agra, AH1024, year 9, KM-147.1, excellent strike, choice vf-ef, R \$450</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>553. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR tanka (6.98g), Ujjain, AH969?? KM-75-var, very clear mint name below obverse, date to right of <i>zarb</i>, vf-ef \$100</p> | <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>562. Jahangir, 1605-1628, AR jahangiri (13.7g), Ahmadabad, AH1017, year 3, KM-152.2, superb strike, ef \$225</p> |
| <div style="text-align: center; margin-bottom: 5px;">  </div> <p>554. Akbar, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.18g) (Garha), AH968, KM-80.8, mint off flan, Lucknow Museum type 547; mint in KM as Gadraula, vf \$175</p> | |

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| | 570. Farrukhsiyar , 1713-1719, AE ½ dam (6.90g), Bijapur, year 2, KM-370.3, attractive vf \$65 |
| 563. MUGHAL: Jahangir , 1605-1628, AR sawai (14.26g), Ahmadabad, AH1018, KM-152.2, vf \$110 | |
| 564. Shah Jahan I , 1628-1658, AR rupee (11.36g), Agra, AH1037, year 1, KM-222.1, well centered bold strike, ef \$100 | 571. Farrukhsiyar , 1713-1719, AR rupee (11.41g), Bahadurgarh, year 2, KM-377.14, several t/m, lovely strike with fully legible mint name, ef \$225 |
| 565. Shah Jahan I , 1628-1658, AR rupee, Akbarabad, AH1041, year 4, KM-233.1, reverse design used solely at this mint, superb strike, au \$110 | 572. Farrukhsiyar , 1713-1719, AR rupee (11.42g), Parenda year one, KM-377.52, nice strike, rare mint, good f, RR \$210
573. Rafi-ud-Darjat , 1719, AR rupee, Lahore, AH(11)31 year one, KM-405.13, several tiny t/ms, f \$65 |
| 566. Shah Shuja , 1657-1660, AR rupee (11.42g), Akbarabad, year one, KM-271.1, 2 testmarks on reverse, one on obverse, extremely rare ruler, very underpriced in KM, f, RRRR \$3,250 | 574. Rafi-ud-Darjat , 1719, AR rupee (11.41g), Gwalior 113(1), year one, KM-405.7, slightly shallow strike, ef, S \$175 |
| 567. Murad Bakhsh , 1658, AR rupee (11.49g), Ahmadabad AH1068, KM-272.3, broad flan, ruler in Gujarat only, one testmark, vf-ef \$130 | 575. Shah Jahan II , 1719, AR rupee (10.65g), Surat year one, KM-415.24, few testmarks, typical bold flan, vf, S \$160
576. Shah Jahan II , 1719, AR rupee, Akbarabad, AH(1131) year one, KM-415.3, vf \$90 |
| 568. Aurangzeb , 1658-1707, AR rupee (9.71g), Toragal AH1110, year 50, KM-300.88, typical light weight, with early date on obverse, probably issued 5-10 years later, unpublished, about ef, R \$125 | 577. Muhammad Shah , 1719-1748, AR rupee (11.44g), Surat, AH1132, year 1, KM-434.4, <i>Lutf-i Allah</i> type, beautiful example, ef \$150 |
| 569. Jahandar , 1712-1713, AR rupee (11.34g), Burhanpur, year one, KM-363.9, mint epithet "Dar al-Surur", near ef, R \$160 | 578. Muhammad Shah , 1719-1748, AR rupee (11.46g), Aurangnagar, year 19, KM-436.9, bold mint name, 2 t/m, ef \$225 |

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579. **MUGHAL: Alamgir II**, 1754-1759, AR rupee (11.42g), Alamgirpur, year 1, KM-459.x, bold strike with fully clear mint name; appears to be unpublished, ef \$450



580. **Shah Alam II**, 1759-1806, AR rupee (10.96g), Ahmadabad, AH1201, year 28, KM-738, in the name of Shah Alam II, not the common Ahmadabad type, probably a different mint also called Ahmadabad, vf \$225

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581. **ALWAR**: AR rupee, 1882, KM-45, vf+ \$20
 582. **ASSAM**: AR rupee, SE1716 (1794), KM-218, ef \$30



583. **AWADH**: AR rupee (11.16g), Muradabad, AH1189, year 16, KM-106.1, in name of Shah Alam II, superb strike, as nice as these come, ef-unc \$100



584. **AWADH**: AR rupee (11.11g), Muhammadnagar, AH1183, year 11, KM-136.x, in name of Shah Alam II, ef \$115
 585. **BAHAWALPUR**: AR rupee, Ahmadpur, AH1257, Y-3.1, vf \$40
 586. **BAHAWALPUR**: AE paisa, Bahawalpur, AH1327, Y-7.1, basically as struck, choice au \$25



587. **BHARATPUR**: AR rupee (11.05g), Braj Indrapur, 1858, VS1910, KM-157, with name & head of Queen Victoria, broad flan, slightly weak strike, about vf \$125



588. **BHOPAL**: AE anna (31.04g), Bhopal, AH1272, Y-3, thick flan, unpublished date, one stained area on obverse, vf, RR \$200



589. **BHOPAL**: AR ¼ rupee (2.37g), Bhopal, year 41, in the name of Shah Alam II, unpublished denomination, vf \$100



590. **BUNDI**: AR square nazarana rupee (10.64g), VS1952, Y-9a, in name of Victoria, f, R \$100
















591. **GWALIOR**: AR rupee (11.6g), Burhanpur, AH1218, KM-38.2, small stain on obverse; unusual style, with floral symbol beneath S of *al-Surur*, ef \$90
 592. **INDORE**: AE ½ paisa, VS1946, KM-31, traces of original red luster, ef-au \$40
 593. **INDORE**: AR rupee, Indore, VS1947, Y-14.3, KM-44, nice toning, crude ef \$25



594. **JAIPUR**: AR nazarana rupee (11.04g), Siwai Jaipur, AH1166, year 6, KM-9, in the name of Ahmad Shah, two t/ms near edge, still very attractive and rare, vf-ef \$250
 595. **JAIPUR**: AR nazarana rupee, Sawai Jaipur, 1911 year 32, KM-147, lustrous, choice au \$65
 596. **JAIPUR**: AE nazarana paisa, Sawai Jaipur, 1928 year 7, KM-155, Y-B15, ef \$35



597. **JAIPUR**: AE nazarana rupee (11.39g), Sawai Jaipur 1941, year 20, KM-196, unc, R \$100
 598. **JODHPUR**: AR rupee, Merta, AH1203 year 31, KM-166, choice vf \$75
 599. **KASHMIR**: AR rupee, Srinagar, VS1911, Y-13, vf \$25
 600. **KASHMIR**: AR rupee, Srinagar, VS1948, Y-21a, about ef \$18

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|  | <p>601. KOTAH: AR nazarana rupee (11.25g), Nandgaon year 19, Cr-32a, with frozen year 1206 on obverse, rather than usual 1205, au, S \$240</p> |  | <p>611. MYSORE: AR 1/8 rupee (ja'fari) (1.41g), Patan, AM1221, year 11, KM-C125, bold even strike, ef, RR \$240</p> |
|  | <p>602. KUTCH: Bharmalji I, 1586-1632 (5.65g), NM, AH995, published in Num. Digest VI, page 90, ef \$475</p> |  | <p>612. MYSORE: AR 1/4 rupee (baqiri) (2.77g), Patan, AM1218, year 8, KM-D125, lovely even strike, choice vf, R \$240</p> |
| <p>603. KUTCH: AR 5 kori, Bhuj, 1884/VS1941, Y-37.4, nicely toned, au \$22</p> |  | <p>613. MYSORE: AR rupee (11.31g), Patan, AM1215, year 5, KM-126, very rare date; lovely broad strike, but one bad scratch on obverse, ef, RR \$200</p> | |
|  | <p>604. MARATHA CONFEDERACY: AR rupee (10.75g), unknown mint, year 34, Shah Alam II style, type as Wig-MUC51 (mmks: gada & sword), ef \$75</p> |  | <p>614. MYSORE: AR 2 rupees (haidari) (22.91g), Patan, AH1199, year 3, KM-127, lovely strike, ef, R \$625</p> |
|  | <p>605. Chandor: AR 1/4 rupee (2.75g), NM, ND, citing Shah Alam II, type as rupee Wig-T1c; lovely toning, au \$100</p> |  | <p>615. NAGPUR: AR rupee (10.78g), Katak, year 5, Kulkari #30.1, mmk: cross below S of <i>julus</i>, ef \$85</p> |
| <p>606. Nipani: AR rupee, Nipani, ND, KM-202, very crude calligraphy, vf \$60</p> |  |  | <p>616. RADHANPUR: AR rupee (11.07g), Radhanpur, 1869/AH1286, KM-11, broad, well centered strike, "9" of 1869 recut from "7", vf+, R \$125</p> |
| <p>607. Sironj: AR rupee (11.11g), Sironj, AH1202, year 29, Wig-T4-var, bold date & regnal year, unpublished date, ef \$100</p> |  | <p>617. SIKH: AR rupee, Amritsar, VS1867, KM-20.1, nice toning, nearly ef \$25</p> | |
| <p>608. Sironj: AR rupee (11.11g), Sironj, AH1215, year 42, Pindari state, 1798-1817, in the name of Shah Alam II, ef \$85</p> |  | <p>618. SIKH: AR rupee, Amritsar, VS1864, KM-20.1, vf \$20</p> | |
| <p>609. Torogal: AR rupee (11.42g), Narsinpur Sarkar Toragal, ND, Wig-T1a, in name of Muhammad Shah, fine style, this early issue of the Marathas, ef \$200</p> | <p>610. MYSORE: AE paisa, Farrukhi, AM1217, KM-53.2, good f \$20</p> | <p>619. SIKH: AR rupee, Amritsar, VS[18]86, KM-21.1, VS1884 frozen date, vf-ef \$20</p> | |
| | | <p>620. SIKH: AR rupee, Amritsar, VS[18]97, KM-22.4, VS1885 frozen date, with <i>om</i> in field, ef-au \$35</p> | |

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621. **SIKH:** AR rupee, Lahore, VS1830, KM-63, minor flan flaw in reverse center, ef \$110

Colonial India



622. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR 1/2 rupee (5.75g), Mumbai, year 6, KM-162, citing Muhammad Shah, bold strike, one quaterfoil t/m on obverse, ef-au \$200



623. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR 1/2 rupee (5.69g) (Surat), year 23, KM-162, citing Muhammad Shah, ef \$100



624. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR 1/2 rupee (5.67g) (Surat), year 28, KM-162, citing Muhammad Shah, 1 t/m on edge, ef \$100



625. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR rupee (11.5g), Mumbai, year 1, KM-163, citing Shah Jahan II, 1719, bold even strike, ef \$150



626. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR rupee (11.49g), Munbai AH113x, year 8, KM-168, in the name of Muhammad Shah, also listed as K-436.45 as Mughal, ef, R \$130



627. **NEGAPATNAM:** AE stuiver, Nagapattanam, ND (1695), KM-28, struck for circulation in Ceylon, ef \$115



628. **FRENCH INDIA:** AR nazarana rupee (11.4g), Arcot, AH1198, year 32, KM-16, in the name of Shah Alam II; lovely strike, ef-au, RRR \$1,600



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BI billon	EL electrum	NM no mint
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COMMENTARY: There is so much to say about my sojourn in China that I could easily add 4 or 8 or more pages to this list. So I'll be brief.

Perhaps it was fortunate that I arrived at Pudong Airport in Shanghai after sundown, for I only saw a modest glimpse of the city before reaching our hotel, the Pacific Hotel, built in the 1920s and reminiscent of the Camino Real Hotel in El Paso, Texas. Somewhat jet-lagged I awoke early the following morning, and went off for a walk to see some of downtown, as I would do often before breakfast. Shanghai is immense sprawling city with a rapidly growing central region, choking on traffic, with 20+ story high-rises popping up like spring flowers wherever one might look. The hardest object to locate seems to communism, for in a week at Shanghai I couldn't find it. Some five minutes walk from the hotel was an 8-floor shopping mall, with a delicious food court on the 6th floor, and expensive shops selling upscale European brand names (probably all or nearly all genuine items). But the name of the mall and its adjacent 30-odd floor office building sums it all up: CapitalLand.

On my first full day in Shanghai I examined the numismatic section of the world-class Shanghai Museum, located at the south corner of People's Square in the heart of the city. The numismatic section was sponsored by Roger Doo, now of Vancouver BC, who accompanied me throughout my visit in China, extremely useful, as he speaks Chinese and I not a word. Roger's collection of Silk Road coins is on permanent exhibit at the Museum, surrounded by the Museum's incredible collection of Chinese coins and banknotes. That evening I was invited to a banquet dinner, the first of more than a dozen such banquets I would enjoy during the tour. With Roger as my translator, I discussed my suggestions for the just commenced renovation of the numismatic section. This was in fact one of the reasons I was invited to China.

After two full days in Shanghai, Roger and I, together with two numismatists from the Shanghai Museum staff, flew with South China Airline to Urumqi in Xinjiang province. As I had intentionally not pursued any tourism study of Xinjiang, my hotel expectation was a 1970s 4 to 6 story structure, with tolerable rooms, toilets that barely worked, hot water occasionally available and some scruffy morning food pretentiously deemed "breakfast". We were booked into the Hoi Tak Hotel, 33 stories (of which about ten stories are business offices), appropriately rated 5-star, perfect rooms with more amenities than I might ever need, several restaurants (one of them Muslim), a gym loaded with more exercise machines I'd ever seen at a hotel, even a nightclub. Where the hotel signs not in Chinese, I would have presumed I had just traveled to San Jose CA.

Urumqi is not a bustling but rundown border town in some half forgotten corner of the world, but a urban city of 1.5m residents, filled with all kinds of modern industrial complexes (and some not-so-modern), endless shopping malls, and a six-lane freeway penetrating downtown. However, I did succeed in locating some remnants of the old city, scruffy one-story, occasionally two-story, mud brick structures not much different from the downtrodden areas I saw in Iran back in the 1960s. Most of these old houses were no longer inhabited, haven been converted into filthy commercial locales, car repair, household equipment repair, cheap furniture manufacturing, etc. Most of these old neighborhoods had been replaced by shoddy 5 or 6 story communist apartment buildings from the 1950s to 1970s, badly constructed, scarcely maintained and slowly crumbling; these are now gradually torn down and replaced by more functional modern, but inexpensive, apartments.

The Urumqi Museum is currently closed, as the old 1950s building was levelled, now being replaced by a modern structure, expected to open late this year. The Museum numismatist Sheng showed me a most remarkably hoard of Sasanian and Arab-Sasanian silver drachms that were unearthed during an archaeological investigation near Aksu. The terminal date was AH60 (AD 680/681) on a drachm of an uncertain mint, perhaps in Kirman province, probably in the name of 'Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad, but as it is still fused to another Sasanian drachm, only the reverse is legible. There were also two SK drachms of Queen Boran, and most remarkably of all, a year one drachm of Yazdigerd III from the unrecorded mint that seems to be either MW or WM, unrecorded by Tyler-Smith in her article that appears in *The Numismatic Chronicle*, 2000. There were about 200-250 coins, with somewhat more than half of them in groups of 2 to 7 still fused together, and several dozen as fragments. Nearly half of the Khusraw II drachms appear to be contemporary or posthumous eastern imitations, perhaps from the Tukharistan or Ferghana regions, coins that could well have traveled along the Silk Road.

From another archaeological dig (I forgot where in Xinjiang) were some uniface jeweler's imitations of Anastasius solidi, each with 2 holes for mounting, and all of what seems to be debased gold. I believe that they were found in a graveyard, where it was common to leave one coin with a corpse, either under the tongue or behind the back. On one coin, the name Anastasius was legible.

More next month !! **Steve**