

Statue of a man in the guise of Hercules



Subject

Statue of a man in the guise of Hercules, in heroic nudity with its head covered by the Nemean lion skin. The right hand, now missing, probably held the club; on the left side there is the quiver.

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Pentelic marble

Height 208 cm

Full-length sculpture; the right hand, the left forearm and a part of the right ankle are missing. Mid-3rd century A.D.

Provenance

It was found in the Scoot Park during a complex revision and cleaning intervention of the sewage pipe belonging to Acea.

Placement

Casale di Santa Maria Nova – Villa dei Quintili

Credits

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