

Statue of Nereid on a sea monster



Subject

Female statue with naked upper body and the lower part wrapped in a cloak sitting on a sea monster, representing the Nereid nymph.

Accession number 393005

White marble; sculpture in the round.

Height 110 cm, width 90 cm, depth 50 cm

The nose, the right arm and an end of the Nereid's drapery, as well as parts of the head, the left paw and the tail of the sea monster are missing. Some chipping on the surface.

Mid-1st century B.C.

Provenance

4th mile of Via Latina, Quadraro district

Placement

Antiquarium of Lucrezia Romana

Credits

Archive of the Appia Antica Archaeological Park (pictures of Giulio ArchinÃ)

Bibliography

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