

# ISLAMIC COINAGE

## ARAB-SASSANIAN



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- 307** **Ziyad b. Abi Sufyan, Governor of al-Basra, AH 45-55/665-674.** Drachm, DA = *Darabjerd* YE 43 (frozen date). 3.97 gm. *bism Allah* in second obverse quadrant. *Some staining and small bend in margin* **Good VF** **75.**
- 308** **`Ubayd Allah b. Ziyad, Governor of al-Basra, AH 55-64/674-683.** Drachm, BjRA = *Basra* AH 59. 3.85 gm. *bism Allah* followed by square of four pellets in second obverse quadrant. W-82, SICA 57-8. *Dark* **Good VF** **100.**
- 309** **`Abd Allah b. al-Zubayr, rival caliph, AH 60-73/680-692.** Drachm, KRMAN = *Kirman* AH 65. 4.11 gm. Patronymic type without title of caliph. *Allah* followed by Pahlavi legend in second obverse quadrant. Pellet triplet to left of crown's streamer. A-15. **RARE** **Good VF** **250.**
- 310** Drachm, ART = *Ardashir Khurra* AH 67. 4.12 gm. Patronymic type without title of caliph. *bism Allah* in second quadrant, Pahlavi legend (DWWYST) in third. Walker B.4, A-15. **RARE.** *Trivial stain reverse outer margin* **Almost EF** **225.**



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- 311** **Mus`ab b. al-Zubayr, ca. AH 67-71/686-690.** Drachm KRMAN + AN = *unlocated mint in Kirman* AH 68. 3.6 gm. *bism Allah* followed by uncertain Pahlavi legend in second and third obverse quadrants. Gobl c/m #48 in third obverse quadrant. Walker M.49, A-17. **VERY RARE.** *Choice* **EF** **450.**
- 312** **`Umar b. `Ubayd Allah b. Mismar, Governor of Fars under the rival, Zubayrid Caliph, AH 67-70/686-689.** Drachm BYSH = *Bishapur* AH 69. 4.05 gm. *lillah al-hamd* in second obverse quadrant followed by square of four pellets, large pellet left of adjacent crescent. A-21. *Two minor edge splits. Toned* **EF** **200.**
- 313** **Khalid b. `Abd Allah, partisan of the Caliph `Abd al-Malik, ca. AH 73-75/692-694.** Drachm, BySH = *Bishapur* AH 74. 3.78 gm. *bism Allah* followed by square of four pellets – *Muhammad rasul Allah* in second and third obverse quadrants. W-214, A-24. **RARE.** *Slightly shallow strike* **About EF** **250.**  
*This is the second Islamic issue to bear the prophetic legend, the first instance occurred on coins of Governor `Abd al-Malik b. `Abd Allah.*



- 314 `Atiya b. al-Aswad, Kharijite caliph, fl. 71-76/690-696. Drachm. KRMAN + AN = *unlocated mint in Kirman* AH 75. 3.9 gm. *bism Allah wali al-amr* in second obverse quadrant. Walker 217, A-28. **RARE**. *Small dark corrosion spot 11-11:30 obverse edge* **Choice EF** 200.
- 315 al-Muhallab b. Abi Sufra, Governor of Fars, ca. AH 75-79/694-698. Drachm, BySH = *Bishapur* AH 76. 4.04 gm. *bism Allah* followed by square of four pellets in second obverse quadrant. A-31, Eshrag 144. *Old light scratches on bust's neck* **Choice VF / About EF** 100.
- 316 `Abd al-Malik b. Marwan, the Umayyad Caliph, AH 65-86/685-705. Drachm DA+Gh = *Jahrum* YE 60. 4.06 gm. Pellet triplets flank crescent and star at obverse 6:00. A-32. **RARE**. *Minor stain 3-4:30 obv. margin* **EF** 225.

#### DRACHM OF THE REBEL IBN AL-ASH'ATH



- 317 `Abd al-Rahman b. Muhammad, known as *Ibn al-Ash'ath*, rebel against Governor al-Hajjaj, fl. AH 81-84/700-703. Drachm, SK = *Sakastan* AH 82. 4.02 gm. *bism Allah rabbi* in second and third obverse quadrants. A-38A. **EXTREMELY RARE**. *Very minor staining in margin* **EF** 1,000.

#### UMAYYAD CALIPHATE



- 318 In the time of al-Walid I, AH 86-96/705-715. Dirham, *al-Taymara* AH 91. A-128. *Near full flan* **VF** 35.
- 319 Dirham, *al-Taymara* AH 91. Another as above. *Some deposits and some crimping* **VF** 25.
- 320 Dirham, *Darabjerd* AH 92 **Good VF** 30.