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〈1〉 (t)vaḥ tṅa ’X [da]〈2〉 rvaYṃḥ dasaḥ ’pa

Commentary

Type II of Mahlo’s coins (no Type I in our inventory). Cf. 069

Are we dealing with ‘interlinear Brāhmī’ below this line (three times syllable-final -y), or not?

Bibliography

Illustrated in Mahlo 2012, pp. 132, 167 (app. 27.1), who did not recognize the inscription on the reverse as Pyu. Edited here from Mahlo’s published photograph.

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