

5th Century BC

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2nd Century BC

II. Scripts of the Hasmonaean Coins

1. John Hyrcanus coin (Birnbaum, 47)
2. John Hyrcanus coin (Birnbaum, 48)
3. Judas Aristobulus coin (Birnbaum, 49)
4. Alexander Jannaeus coin (Birnbaum, 50)
5. Alexander Jannaeus coin (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 2)
6. John Hyrcanus II coin (Birnbaum, 51)
7. Antigonus Mattathias coin (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 3)
8. Antigonus Mattathias coin (Birnbaum, 54)

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III. Scripts of the Qumrân Manuscripts

1. Exodus fragment (4Q Ex^a)
2. Genesis fragment (6Q1)
3. Leviticus fragment (1Q Lev)
4. Leviticus fragment (2Q5)
5. Leviticus fragment (6Q2)
6. ²el fragment (Birnbaum, 53)
7. Tetragrammaton from 1Qp Hab. (Birnbaum, 52)

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1st Century AD

IV. Scripts of the Jewish Coins and Ostraca of the First Revolt

1. Year two (Deliverance of Zion) (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 26)
2. Deliverance of Zion (Yadin, *Masada*, p. 98)
3. Shekel of Israel, year four (Birnbaum, 55)
4. Jerusalem the Holy, reverse of 3 (Birnbaum, 56)
5. Half-shekel, year four (Birnbaum, 57)
6. Jerusalem the Holy, reverse of 5 (Birnbaum, 58)
7. Ostraca from Masada (Yadin, *Masada*, p. 190)

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V. Scripts of the Jewish Coins of the Second Revolt

1. Simon (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 48)
2. Simon (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 37)
3. Simon, Prince of Israel (Birnbbaum, 59)
4. Eleazar (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 39)
5. Eleazar, mirror writing, reversed (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 42)
6. Jerusalem (Birnbbaum, 61)
7. Freedom of Jerusalem (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 38)
8. Freedom of Jerusalem (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 41)
9. Freedom of Jerusalem (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 47)
10. Freedom of Israel (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 40)
11. Redemption of Israel, year one (Reifenberg, *IHC*, 43)
12. Redemption of Israel, year one (Birnbbaum, 60)
13. Redemption of Zion (Birnbbaum, 63)
14. Year four and a half, obverse of 12 (Birnbbaum, 62)

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VI. Early Samaritan Scripts

1. First Emmaus inscription
2. Third Emmaus inscription
3. El-Mā inscription
4. Salbit mosaic
5. Early Gaza inscription
6. Mt. Nebo inscriptions
7. Sychar inscription
8. Shechem decalogue inscription
9. Leeds fragment inscription

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VII. Late Samaritan Scripts

1. Manchester fragment (Birnbaum, 70)

2. ³abiša^c scroll

3. Eleazar inscription

4. Twelfth century Pentateuch codex (Birnbaum, 72)

5. Twelfth century Pentateuch scroll (Birnbaum, 73)

6. Sixteenth century Pentateuch codex (Birnbaum, 74)

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