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Item Description:

Lunar Breccia Samples

Lunar Meteorite Fragment - Dhofar 025 - Single Cut Piece 0.65 Grams!

This is the last of it! These last few auctions are for small samples that were on loan or did not sell the first time around. I would like to thank everyone who purchased this item from me previously. Thanks for all the great feedback also and I hope my feedback for you was adequate to your expectations.

The Meteoritical Bulletin, No. 84, 2000 August

Meteorite Name: Dhofar 025

Dhofar 025
18°24.2'N 54°09.1'E

- Oman
- Found 2000 March 5
- Lunar meteorite (anorthositic regolith breccia)

A brownish gray stone weighing 751 g was found in the Dhofar region of Oman. Mineralogy and classification (M. Nazarov and M. Ivanova, *Vernad*): fusion crust absent; meteorite is a regolith breccia containing numerous mineral fragments and clasts of feldspathic rocks embedded in a glass-rich matrix; schlieren and vesicles are abundant; feldspar, An_{95-96}; pyroxene, $En_{74-84}Wo_{3-6}$ (Fe/Mn = 50-70 at.); olivine, Fo_{70-78} (Fe/Mn = 91-97 at.); accessory minerals are silica, Ti-rich alumochromite, troilite, and FeNi metal; meteorite has a prominent positive Eu anomaly (Sm/Eu = 1.95); terrestrial weathering is not significant. Specimens: type specimen, 102 g plus two thin sections, *Vernad*; main mass with anonymous finder.

Documentation: copy original COA

Description: non concentric (no regularities)

Weight: 0.65 grams

Size in mm: Too irregular to measure. Compare to dime in photo.

Color: light to medium grayish brown

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