

# Texts and Contexts of the Oldest Runic Inscriptions



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20. Gammertingen (Baden-Württemberg, Germany), ivory box. In the Fürstlich Hohenzollernsche Hofkammer, Sigmaringen. Dated 1st h. 6th c. Found in 1901/2 in a very rich child's grave, situated near a princely grave (Stein 1991). Carved twice is: **ado**

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This may be a PN, nsm. *n*-stem, *Ado*, which is a shortened version of a name like *Adalbertus* (Kaufmann 1965:17, 86, 90).