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| **Commodus** |
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| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/7/7f/Commodus_denier_verso_ag1.jpg/250px-Commodus_denier_verso_ag1.jpg |
| A denarius featuring Commodus. Inscription: TR. P. VIII, IMP. VI, COS. IIII, P. P. – S. C. (full meaning: Tribunicia Potestate Octava, Imperator Sextum, Consul Quartum, Pater Patriae. Senatus Consultum – translation: Holder of Tribunician Power for the Eighth Time, Supreme Commander (Imperator) for the Sixth Time, Consul for the Fourth Time, Father of the Nation. Decree of the Senate.) |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/1/19/Denarius_of_Commodus_%28YORYM_2000_4292%29_obverse.jpg/220px-Denarius_of_Commodus_%28YORYM_2000_4292%29_obverse.jpg |
| A denarius of Commodus. Inscription: L. L. COMMODVS ANTONINVS AVG. |
| https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/3/3a/Commode_pi%C3%A8ce.jpg/300px-Commode_pi%C3%A8ce.jpg |
| Tetradrachm of Commodus. Inscription: ΑΥΤ. ΚΑΙC. KOMMOΔΟC CEB. / ΓEP. CAP. ΔHMαρχικής EΞουσίας Δ΄, YΠATΟC B΄ (Greek inscription for GER. SAR. Municipal Authority IV, Consul II). |
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| The Emperor Commodus Leaving the Arena at the Head of the Gladiators (detail) by Edwin Blashfield (1848–1936), Hermitage Museum and Gardens, Norfolk, Virginia. |
| |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **Commodus**  **Nerva–Antonine dynasty**  **Born: 31 August 161 Died: 31 December 192** | | | | Regnal titles | | | | Preceded by  Marcus Aurelius | Roman emperor 180–192 | Succeeded by  Pertinax | | Political offices | | | | Preceded by  T. Pomponius Proculus Vitrasius Pollio M. Flavius Aper II  *as ordinary consuls* | Roman consul 177 *with Marcus Peducaeus Plautius Quintillus* | Succeeded by  Ser. Cornelius Scipio Salvidienus Orfitus, Domitius Velius Rufus  *as ordinary consuls* | | Preceded by  Ser. Cornelius Scipio Salvidienus Orfitus, Domitius Velius Rufus  *as ordinary consuls* | Roman consul 179 *with Publius Martius Verus* | Succeeded by  [T. Flavius Claudianus](https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Titus_Flavius_Claudianus&action=edit&redlink=1), L. Aemilius Iuncus  *as suffect consuls* | | Preceded by  L. Fulvius Rusticus G. Bruttius Praesens II, Sex. Quintilius Condianus  *as ordinary consuls* | Roman consul 181 *with Lucius Antistius Burrus* | Succeeded by  M. Petronius Sura Mamertinus, Q. Tineius Rufus  *as ordinary consuls* | | Preceded by  Marcus Petronius Sura Mamertinus, Q. Tineius Rufus  *as ordinary consuls* | Roman consul 183 *with Gaius Aufidius Victorinus* | Succeeded by  L. Tutilius Pontianus Gentianus, *ignotus*  *as suffect consuls* | | Preceded by  Triarius Maternus, Ti. Claudius M. Appius Atilius Bradua Regillus Atticus | Roman consul 186 *with Marcus Acilius Glabrio II* | Succeeded by  L. Novius Rufus, L. Annius Ravus  *as suffect consuls* | | Preceded by  Domitius Iulius Silanus, Q. Servilius Silanus  *as suffect consuls* | Roman consul 190 *with Marcus Petronius Sura Septimianus* | Succeeded by  L. Septimius Severus, Apuleius Rufinus  *as suffect consuls* | | Preceded by  Popilius Pedo Apronianus, M. Valerius Bradua Mauricus  *as ordinary consuls* | Roman consul 192 *with Publius Helvius Pertinax* | Succeeded by  Q. Pompeius Sosius Falco, G. Julius Erucius Clarus Vibianus  *as ordinary consuls* | |



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