Trade and Markets in Byzantium

Edited by
CÉCILE MORRISON

Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection
CONTENTS

Foreword ix
Introduction 1
CÉCILE MORRISON

Late Antiquity and the Early Middle Ages

ONE • Were Late Roman and Byzantine Economies Market Economies? A Comparative Look at Historiography 13
JEAN-MICHEL CARRIÉ

TWO • Regional and Interregional Exchanges in the Eastern Mediterranean during the Early Byzantine Period The Evidence of Amphorae 27
DOMINIQUE PIERI

THREE • Movements and Markets in the First Millennium Information, Containers, and Shipwrecks 51
MICHAEL MCCORMICK

FOUR • Commerce and Exchange in the Seventh and Eighth Centuries Regional Trade and the Movement of Goods 99
JOHN F. HALDON

The Middle and Late Byzantine Periods

FIVE • Regional Networks in the Balkans in the Middle and Late Byzantine Periods 125
ANGELIKI E. LAIOU

SIX • Regional Networks in Asia Minor during the Middle Byzantine Period, Seventh–Eleventh Centuries An Approach 147
JOHANNES KODER

SEVEN • Business as Usual? Archaeological Evidence for Byzantine Commercial Enterprise at Amorium in the Seventh to Eleventh Centuries 177
CHRISTOPHER LIGHTFOOT
EIGHT • Byzantine Glazed Ceramics on the Market
An Approach 193
DEMETRA PAPANIKOLA-BAKIRTZI

West and East: Local Exchanges in Neighboring Worlds

NINE • Local and Interregional Exchanges in the Lower Po Valley, Eighth–Ninth Centuries 219
SAURO GELICI

TEN • Adriatic Trade Networks in the Twelfth and Early Thirteenth Centuries 235
ROWAN W. DORIN

ELEVEN • Annual Fairs, Regional Networks, and Trade Routes in Syria, Sixth–Tenth Centuries 281
ANDRÉ BINGGELI

TWELVE • Trade and Economy in Antioch and Cilicia in the Twelfth and Thirteenth Centuries 297
SCOTT REDFORD

THIRTEEN • Regional Exchange and the Role of the Shop in Byzantine and Early Islamic Syria-Palestine
An Archæological View 311
ALAN WALMSLEY

Markets and the Marketplace

FOURTEEN • From polis to emporion?
Retail and Regulation in the Late Antique City 333
LUKE LAVAN

FIFTEEN • Weighing, Measuring, Paying
Exchanges in the Market and the Marketplace 379
CÉCILE MORRISON

SIXTEEN • Daily Life at the Marketplace in Late Antiquity and Byzantium 399
BRIGITTE PITARAKIS

Conclusion

SEVENTEEN • Byzantine Trade
Summary and Prospect 429
PETER TEMIN

Abbreviations 437
About the Authors 441
Index 445