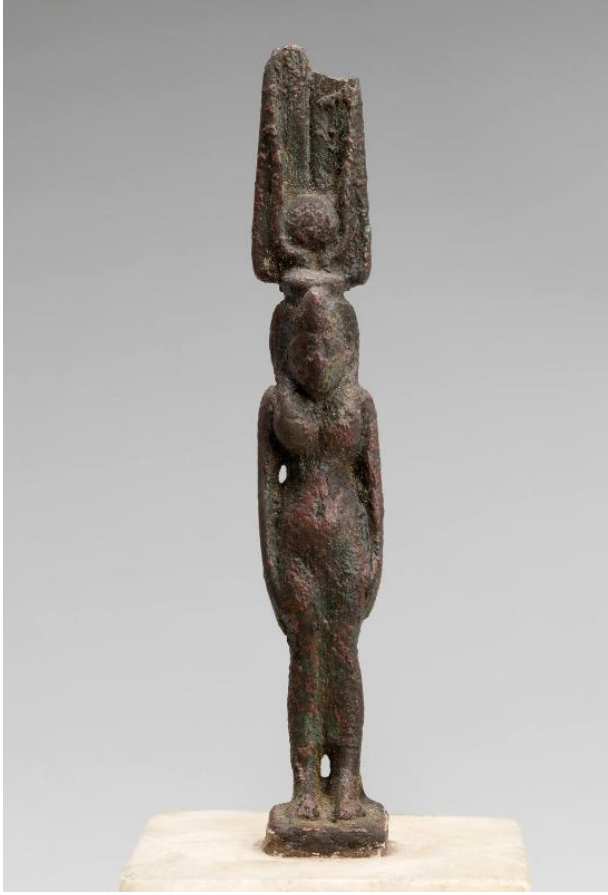




Statuette of Isis, Standing with Feathered Crown

Date

Ptolemaic Period (310 BC - 30 BC), Ptolemaic Dynasty

Primary Maker

Egyptian, anonymous

Medium

bronze

Description

This hollow cast, votive statuette depicts the Egyptian fertility goddess, Isis, standing erect, her arms tightly clutched at her sides. She wears a sheer dress, divine wig, and a vulture headdress with uraeus; on top of her head are cow's horns, a solar-disk and two tall feather plumes. Representations of Isis with a plumed headdress were most common during the Ptolemaic Period. The surface of the statuette has been badly worn.

Dimensions

Overall: 3 1/2 in. (8.9 cm) Base: 1 15/16 x 1 3/4 x 1 5/8 in. (5 x 4.4 x 4.1 cm)