Basic Detail Report



Amphoriskos ("little amphora")

Date

1-99 AD

Primary Maker

Roman?

Medium

mold-blown glass

Description

Mold-blown bottle in light-violet glass. Egg-shaped body; part of the cylindrical neck and rim missing. Originally had two handles joining rim to shoulder. The vessel is decorated with flutes above and below a central band with crossed design. The base is round and flat. Overall bright purple and blue (some green) iridescence.

Dimensions

Overall: 2 11/16 x 2 in. (6.9 x 5.1 cm) Base: 1 in. (2.6 cm)