Basic Detail Report



Oil lamp with vine and leaf motif

Date

5th-7th century

Primary Maker

Unknown artist, Roman (Ancient)

Medium

Terracotta

Description

Mold-made oil lamp with applied handle and single central filling hole surrounded by interior ridge which continues forward around the wick hole. Five double arches surround the fill hole creating a

flower-like shape. Sloping shoulder with raised spiral and curved line design.

Dimensions

Overall: $3\,9/16\times2\,3/4\times1\,1/4\,in$. $(9\times7\times3.1\,cm)$ Spout: $1/4\,in$. $(0.7\,cm)$ Other (Center Opening): $1/2\,in$. $(1.2\,cm)$ Base: $2\,3/4\times1\,13/16\,in$. $(7\times4.6\,cm)$