

Basic Detail Report



Bowl

Date

1835-1839

Primary Maker

Robert Schomburgk

Medium

Gourd, mineral pigments, plant sap

Description

Calabash bowl. It has been blackened on the inside, and coloured red on the outside, decorated with mineral pigments, and sealed with a plant sap. Decoration includes a broad band around the rim on the inside: a design of alternating seed pods banded with parallel bands below and above. The design in the basin consists of a shield type design, bordered with coronated ornaments, leaves, circles and dots.

Dimensions

Object/Work: 100 x 224 mm