



Amulet

Date

4500 BC-395 AD

Medium

Faience

Description

Djed pillar amulet of blue faience. Djed pillar amulets were commonly placed on mummies. They were associated with Osiris (the djed pillar represented Osiris' backbone) and represented stability. Amulets were worn or carried, or offered to a deity for power or protection.

Dimensions

Object/Work: 40 x 12 mm