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| | <p>Object: D05682 coconut cup mortar for tattooing ink ipu lama</p> <p>Museum: Übersee-Museum Bremen Bahnhofplatz 13 28195 Bremen sammlung@uebersee-museum.de</p> <p>Collection: Ozeanien</p> <p>Inventory number: D05682</p> |
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Description

The vessel is made from one half of a coconut shell. The shell is thick, the opening slopes inward and has a wide rim. The outer surface is rough, untreated, but becomes smoother and black toward the rim.

Three grains run to the lower outer tip, which is flattened horizontally. The grains become more prominent toward the center. The inner surface is smooth and sooty black.

Basic data

Material/Technique:

Measurements:

Events

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| Collected | When | 1902-1906 |
| | Who | Otto Tetens (1865-1945) |
| | Where | Samoa |
| [Relationship to location] | When | |
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| | Where | Samoa |

Keywords

- Coconut
- Container