

Cup

Mongolian Collection

Accession Nr.:	67.16.1 
Type:	vessel; object for daily use; metalwork
Date of production:	early 20th century
Place of production:	Mongolia
Materials:	brass; silver; wood
Dimensions:	height: 5 cm diameter: 7.1 cm

A standard vessel used in traditional Mongolian dining is the “silver bowl” (khalkha: möngön ayaga). This cup is made of wood, with a silver sheet lining the inside and the rim. The base of the vessel is reinforced with a carved and pierced silver covering.

