

Salve box

Southeast Asian Collection

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Type: bronze, lead, gold and silver; object for daily use; metalwork

Date of production: 19th century

Place of production: Java, Indonesia, Southeast Asia

Materials/Techniques: brass, engraved, chased

Dimensions: height: 4 cm
diameter: 5 cm

Lip wax (beeswax or other material) holder, made of brass, with floral and swastika (banji) motifs, used to protect the lips when consuming betel, as part of a wider set of objects.

