


Cicada on a pea pod

Japanese Collection

Accession Nr.:	1681 
Type:	bone objects; object for daily use; lacquers; ivory carving; netsuke; accessory
Date of production:	mid-19th century Edo (Tokugawa) period or Meiji era
Place of production:	Japan
Materials/Techniques:	ivory, lacquer
Dimensions:	height: 2 cm width: 2 cm depth: 4.5 cm
Acquisition:	collection of Ferenc Hopp

Japanese men kept their personal belongings in the belt of their kimono. These were fastened to the belt of the kimono: a suspension cord attached to the object ran under the textile sash with a counterweight knotted on the other end. Unsigned. Based on analogies: Ōhara Mitsuhiro (maker).

