

Basic Detail Report



Red Polished jug with cut-away spout and clay "rivets"

Date

2400-2100 BCE

Medium

Ceramic (handmade) with red slip and relief details

Description

Medium hard, buff clay with coarse grit; polished dark red slip. Globular body with indented tip at bottom; wide tapering neck; rim slightly flared; handle, oval in section, from shoulder to middle of neck and flanked at top and bottom by knobbed projections pierced on top; spout cut away to handle. Broken and repaired from nine pieces; gaps remain and corner of rim missing; some encrustation.

Dimensions

Overall Height: 19 1/2 in. (49.5 cm) Diameter (body): 11 5/8 in. (29.4-29.8 cm) Diameter (base): 3/4 in. (1.90 cm) Wall Thickness (at spout): 1/4 in. (0.65-0.67 cm) Thickness (at body): 1/2 in. (1.2 cm) Handle Width: 1 1/16 in. (2.38-3.00 cm) Knobs Diameter: 3/8 in. (0.96-1.1 cm)