Basic Detail Report



Razor, Straight

Primary Maker

King Razor Manufacturing Company

Medium

Plastic/Metal/Paper

Description

Folding straight razor (a) with box bottom (b) and lid (c). (a) Thin, opaque yellow plastic handle with two metal pins on opposite ends and an additional pin to serve as a

resting spot for the neck of the metal. Handle has two layers of plastic, with room between for the blade, between the plastic on the non-pivoting end of the razor is a thin piece of black plastic. Also on the plastic handle is a gold colored diamond with product information printed in it and the head of a puma. A metal pin serves as a pivot for the blade of the razor. A small piece of slightly curved metal juts out to help lift the blade and stabilize it. Maker's mark etched into the plastic handle. Metal extends to form a neck and then forms into the blade with metal curving at the base of the blade. Thin cutting side of blade is opposite to a slightly thicker blunt side, spiraling plant-like ornamentation is on the blade. The top of the metal is rounded. Makers mark on the blade and neck of metal. (b) Paper box for razor, black but fading around the edges. Top portion of the box is slightly thinner to allow top (c) to fit onto it. Maker's mark pressed into the paper. White tape added by a previous owner to hold the box together, two pieces of tape perpendicular to one another hold the base of the box while tape is also present around the raised section of the box. Alphanumeric writing visible on indented portion of top. [Component is not directly marked with the catalog number.] (c) Paper lid for box. Maker's mark present. White tape added around edges and base. [Component is not directly marked with the catalog number.]

Dimensions

a) Length with blade open: 9.5 in. Length with blade closed: 6.187 in. Width of blade: 0.75 in. b) Length: 5.187 in. Width: 1.187 in. Height: 0.562 in. c) Length: 2.5 in. Width: 1.187 in. Height: 0.562 in.