

Basic Detail Report



Churn

Medium

Wood; Metal

Description

Wooden butter churn consisting of churn body (a), plunger (b), and lid (c). (a) Wooden churn body. Tapered cylinder made of twelve panels. Flat metal stave around top edge fastened with two rivets. Three rounded staves around the body, evenly spaced. Underside is recessed. Underside has old museum collection number in black ink on white ground. (b) Wooden churn lugger. Long cylindrical handle. Circular disk at bottom of handle with five holes. Handle penetrates disk at center and is held in place with two metal nails. Bottom of handle has old museum collection number in black ink on white ground. (c) Wooden lid. Circular with hole at center. Top has beveled outer edge and sloped inner ring around center hole. Underside has inset circular section.

Dimensions

Height x Diameter (a-c together): 45.125 x 10.875 in. (114.6 x 27.6 cm) Height x Diameter (a): 18 x 10.875 in. (45.7 x 27.6 cm) Height x Diameter (b): 43.875 x 5.875 in. (111.4 x 14.9 cm) Height x Diameter (c): 0.875 x 7 in. (2.2 x 17.8 cm)