



Gold pill box, early 19th century

Era: Empire period

Materials: gold

Dim: Diam 4,5 cm / H 1,5 cm

Dim: Diam 1.77 in / H 0.59 in

Weight: 40 g (1.41 oz)

Marked: 1st cock 1798-1809

Marked: cock head 1798-1809

Master goldsmith: D&C

A delicate little round pill box that opens in two parts. The top of the lid and the back of the base are decorated with a meander frieze. A frieze of ovals on an amati background runs around the perimeter of the lid, while a wavy pattern of striations runs around the edge of the base and the centre of the lid.

Marked: 1st cock cockerel facing right, 1798-1809.

Marked: cock head with open beak facing left, 1798-1809.

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