



When untied, the heel reveals a thimble.

Dimensions

3 3/4 × 1 9/16 × 4 3/4 in. (9.5 × 4 × 12 cm)

Shoe shaped mending kit

Date

Early 19th century

Primary Maker

Artist not recorded

Medium

Silk, cotton, glass beads, metal

Description

The ecru colored silk shoe is embroidered in the same color, with pale blue beads sewn along all edges. When untied, the toe reveals three pieces of cotton that hold a needle.