



Scent (perfume) bottle with cap

Origin date	middle of the 18th century
Origin place	Höchst
Material	porcelain, bronze
Technique	painted in colours over the glaze, gilded
Sizes	magasság: 11,8 cm talpátmérő: 6,7 cm
Signature	bíborral festett, hat küllös kerék
Inventory No.	53.213.1-2



Description

The small cylindrical bottle has straight, parallel sides. On two sides, overglaze-painted waterside landscape scenes are framed in purple. The tapering neck and the areas between the pictorial panels are decorated with colourful butterflies and insects. The cap is made of fire-gilt bronze. The Höchst Porcelain Manufactory was founded in 1746 under a privilege granted by Johann Carl von Ostein, Elector of Mainz. The privilege gave the company a monopoly on porcelain production within the territories governed by the Prince-Bishops of Mainz. It was the second-oldest porcelain manufactory in Germany. The factory closed in 1796.



