

# Basic Detail Report

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## Vessel

**Date**

200 BCE - 300 CE

**Primary Maker**

West Mexican Shaft Tomb

**Medium**

Ceramic

**Description**

The heads on this vessel likely represent the sun and the movement of the sun along the horizon. The crests mark off points along the horizon, such as the hours and cardinal directions (East, South, West and North) and the four solstice points (Winter Solstice rising; Winter Solstice setting; Summer Solstice rising; and Summer Solstice setting).

**Dimensions**

6 1/4 × 8 in. (15.9 × 20.3 cm)