

Codpiece

Date 1500–1550

Primary Maker Central European

Medium steel

Description

Steel. Simple, plain, rather squat, upwardly angled projection, with low medial ridge down front to base. Terminal set off by similar low ridge. Very thin, flat flange, most of which is corroded away, as is portion of proper top left. Two or 3 holes on surface.

Dimensions 11 × 8.5 × 6.5 cm (4 5/16 × 3 3/8 × 2 9/16 in.), 4 oz (weight)