



possibly amulets; see photos in the digital file.

## Dimensions

73 × 104 cm (28 3/4 × 40 15/16 in.), 12 lb 14 oz (weight)

## Mail Shirt with Attached Amulets

### Date

1600s–1700s

### Primary Maker

Ottoman

### Medium

iron with fragments of leather and cord

### Description

Short cusped sleeves, with overlapped V-neck and remains of a leather collar. Multiple types of mail are present. The chest has all riveted links, internal dia. c. 7mm, apparently with rectangular rivet-holes; these are very flat, worn, and patinated, and might be reused medieval European mail. The mail of the sleeves is similar. The back alternates between riveted and solid links; the front may be of the same mail. Lighter links at edge of sleeves. Round rivets, slightly proud. A number of iron attachments are riveted to mail,