

QUIPU AS89

Museum identification: No. G3301 (Museum Für Völkerkunde, Munich, W. Germany)

Main cord: color BB:W

- § 2.0 cm: group of 2 pendant cords (1-2), then space of 0.5 cm.
 3.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (3-5), then space of 0.5 cm.
 4.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (6-8), then space of 0.5 cm.
 5.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (9-11), then space of 0.5 cm.
 6.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (12-14), then space of 0.5 cm.
 7.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (15-17), then space of 0.5 cm.
 8.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (18-20), then space of 0.5 cm.
 9.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (21-23), then space of 0.5 cm.
 10.0 cm: group of 3 pendant cords (24-26), then space of 0.5 cm.
 11.0 cm: pendant cord (27), then space of 40.0 cm.
 51.0 cm: end ç

Cord	Knots (no., type, position)	Length	Color	Value	Subsidiaries (no., position)
1	1s(16.0)	45.0ç	MB:W	10	
2	4L(23.5)	42.5ç	W	4	
3	2s(16.5)	42.0ç	MB:W	20	
4	6s(17.0)	36.5ç	W	60	
5	2L(23.0)	45.5ç	W	2	1:0.5
5s1	2s(16.0)	40.0ç	BY	20	
6	5L(23.0)	37.0ç	MB:W	5	
7	5L(22.5)	38.5ç	W	5	

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8	1E(22.5)	44.0¢	W	1	1:0.5
8s1	1s(15.0)	43.5¢	BY	10	
9	--	44.0¢	MB:W	0	
10	--	51.5¢	W	0	
11	1E(23.5); 1E(24.0)	40.0¢	W	1+1	1:0.5
11s1	1s(16.0)	44.5¢	BY	10	
12	--	14.5b	MB:W	0	
13	--	33.5¢	W	0	
14	--	43.5¢	W	0	1:0.5
14s1	--	42.5¢	BY	0	
15	--	45.5¢	MB:W	0	
16	--	43.0¢	W	0	
17	--	45.5¢	W	0	1:0.5
17s1	--	42.5¢	BY	0	
18	--	46.0¢	MB:W	0	
19	--	42.0¢	W	0	
20	--	45.5¢	W	0	1:0.5
20s1	--	43.0¢	BY	0	
21	--	41.0¢	MB:W	0	
22	--	57.0¢	W	0	
23	--	51.5¢	W	0	1:0.5
23s1	--	41.5¢	BY	0	
24	--	45.5¢	MB:W	0	

Cord	Knots (no., type, position)	Length	Color	Value	Subsidiaries (no., position)
25	--	44.5¢	W	0	
26	--	42.0¢	W	0	1:0.5
26s1	--	34.0¢	BY	0	
27	--	42.0¢	W	0	

Observations

1. AS87, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94 are associated in that the Museum designates them all as donated by Gaffron, and gives Peru as the provenance. For a comparison of them, see AS87.
2. By spacing, there is 1 group of 2 pendants, then 8 groups of 3 pendants each, then a single pendant. The 8 groups of 3 all have the same color pattern: MB:W, W, W. All have a subsidiary colored BY on the third pendant.
3. All pendants and subsidiaries in the last 5 groups have value zero (or blank).