Basic Detail Report



paperweight

Date

1848

Primary Maker

Compagnie des Verreries et Cristalleries de Baccarat

Medium

Lead Glass

Description

Paperweight with Millefiori Carpet. Colorless, dark blue, white, polychrome lead glass; paperweight, millefiori; fused murrine; furnace-worked and cased. Domed,

circular form, enclosing a "carpeted" dome of blue and white millefiori canes, with inset millefiori canes arranged in two spaced concentric rings around a central cane, including silhouette canes: butterfly, bird, goat, dog, squirrel, and stag, and a cane inscribed "B/1848" inset on the side; polished pontil mark; paper label inscribed "160" in ink.

Dimensions

Overall H: 5.8 cm, Diam: 8 cm

Credit Line

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