

# Basic Detail Report

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## Glass Experiments: Nottoway River sand (Nottoway-US-0044)

### Date

2022

### Primary Maker

Atelier NL

### Medium

Glass bottle filled with Nottoway River sand

### Description

This sand was collected at a sandbar by Beth Roach and Denise Walters, Council leaders of the Nottoway Indian Tribe of Virginia, on June 25, 2022. Ms. Roach and Ms. Walters share the sand's significance: "We paddled the Nottoway River, talked, listened, asked questions, and

sang songs. The river is our ancient place, with flowing waters, large flat rocks, giant cypress trees, fossils and sand. That sand beneath our feet keeps us grounded. It reminds us, the Nottoway Indian Tribe, of who we are, where we come from and what holds us together." Atelier NL sand archive sample identification number: Nottoway-US-0044.

### Dimensions

Bottles: 7 1/2 × 2 15/16 in. (19.1 × 7.4 cm)