



Terracotta Harpy / Monster Head On A Base, Palmyra 2nd / 3rd Cty



150 EUR

Signature : Palmyre IIe à IIIe s

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Terracotta

Width : 4,4 cm

Height : 5,6cm (8,1 cm avec le socle)

Depth : 5,2 cm

Description

Archaeology Terracotta dragon or harpy head: fantastic animal derived from a dragon, its mouth open as if it were screaming. Small black marble cubic base Palmyra (present-day Syria, Persia) 2nd / 3rd century AD Dimensions: * 5.6 cm height (total height with the base 8.1 cm) * Width 4.4 cm * and depth 5.2 cm Fragmentary condition, missing upper jaw (please check photos) Very nice quality of details of the dragon's expression The artifact bear an old erroneous collection label attributing the artifact: "Egypt terracotta dragon head, Alexander 2nd 3rd AD". If the dating seems plausible, the origin of this attribution is wrong one.

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