



Yam Mask, Mask, Oceania, Primitive Art, Oceanic Art, Tribal Art, Basketwork, 40 Cm



290 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Width : 34 cm

Height : 40 cm

Description

Yam mask collected in the village of Maprik in Papua New Guinea. Yam masks are used to disguise the most beautiful yams selected at harvest time. This wickerwork mask represents the head of the yam, a very symbolic way of proving that these sacred tubers do indeed have a soul... Woven rush and remnants of pigments. Traces of use. Sold with a presentation base. Free shipping. Approx. 40 x 34 cm / EUR290 including base and shipping.

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Oceanic tribal art

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