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## Egyptian Mummy Mask Polychromed Wood Late Dynastic Period Circa 700-300 Bc



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Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Painted wood

Description
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Egyptian Mummy Mask Polychromed Wood Late Dynastic Period circa 700-300 BC An ancient Egyptian carved wooden mummy mask with the surface gessoed and painted in polychromy. Late Dynastic Period Circa 700 - 300 BC Dimensions: 29.8 x 17.5 x 6.5 cm Provenance: Aalderink Collection, Amsterdam, the Netherlands, circa 1950s/1960s (printed label on reverse); afterwards private collection, the Netherlands, until 2025 Egypt has always been poorly provided with large trees for timber. Consequently wood was a precious imported commodity. Cypress and cedar were among the types of wood imported from Syria and Asia Minor. The most prized indigenous wood was that of the Sycamore. The finest woods were highly sought after for mummy portraits and

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