



Fetish, Songye People, D.r.c. 03



1 400 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Solid wood

Height : 29 cm

Description

Statue featuring a standing figure with bent legs and the hands are placed around a prominent navel. The long neck supports a head with a smiling face. Large almond-shaped eyes frame a triangular nose. A small horn is planted at the top of the head and plugs a cavity containing a magic charge. Mammalian skin covers the lower part of the body, while a charge is tied to the torso. A pearl necklace is attached to the body. A necklace of blue and white pearls adorns his neck. Wood with patina (base missing due to erosion), skin, vegetable fibers, beads
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Songye people, R.D.C. Early 20th century. Provenance: collection of Norbert Boutet

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