



## Moroccan Nimcha Sword With Nasrid Blade - Morocco, 17th-18th Century And Earlier Blade



3 900 EUR

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

### Description

Moroccan nimcha sword with Nasrid blade - Morocco, 17th-18th century and earlier blade. Interesting blade, particularly early, engraved on both sides with thuluth calligraphy, arabesques and interlacing (wear and blade reassembled in the 17th or 18th century on a bovid horn handle (contemporary restoration with resin) decorated at the pommel with bovine pommel with different-colored bovine horn plates. Shortened blade and beveled tip in the Moroccan style. The hilt is characteristic of Nubian swords. The handle is characteristic of the short nimcha sabers used by Barbary pirates in the 17th and 18th centuries. The blade was probably shortened for marine use. According to the Tultuh calligraphy and arabesque style, this blade probably dates back to the Nasrid period.

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Châteauneuf-sur-Charente 16120

(13th-15th century). However, a Mamluk origin  
from the same period is also  
possible. Length 80cm Blade length  
67cm Weight 777gr