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War Club - Karaja Indians, States Of Mato Grosso And Tocatins, Central-eastern Brazil



980 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

WAR CLUBKaraja Indians, Mato Grosso and Tocantins states, Central-Eastern BrazilWood and plant fibresLength: 72 cm; Width: 5 cm A hardwood mace with a striking blade, of a so-called 'prismatic' shape. The handle is covered with a decoration of plant fibres woven into a two-coloured geometric pattern - traditional Karaja motifs.The proximal end is ringed and finished with a slightly conical pommel. This combat club was reserved for powerful warriors and clan chiefs and could be used as a dance staff in certain ceremonies.Provenance:- Former Stefan Dahomey Collection, London, England.- Former American private collection. Text and photos © FCP CORIDON

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