



Tabu Tolai Currency, Oceanic Art, New Britain, Primitive Art, Tribal Art, Oceania, 35 Cm



750 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Diameter : 35 cm

Description

The Tolai currency, known as "Tabu" or "Tambu," is still in use today and carries strong symbolic significance. This type of currency, composed entirely of thousands of Nassarius shells linked together by wooden splints wound to form a compact disc, is a medium of exchange. Sold with a display stand. Collected on the island of New Britain in Papua New Guinea. Diameter approx. 35 cm / EUR750, including display stand and shipping.

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