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Ivory Coast, Yaoure Culture, Dance Mask Depicting A Human Face, 1960s/1970s.



480 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood

Width : 14

Height : 32.5

Description

YAOURE culture, Ivory Coast; a very beautiful hardwood dance mask with a dark brown patina, featuring a narrow, elongated human face, structured around a straight nasal ridge that defines the entire composition. The face, with features of great finesse, is marked by scarification and keloids; the slightly parted mouth reveals a set of teeth. The great appeal of this mask from the 1960s/1970s lies in the skill of the sculptor, who has magnified the human face and treated the hairstyle as a true form of ritual architecture. Dimensions: Height 32.5 cm x Width 14 (cm). Good condition, with normal wear that does not detract from the piece's beauty. The scale reference in the last photograph is a small model of a lighter from a well-known brand. We take special care with our packaging by using

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