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# Ekuk Kwele Mask, Gabon / Democratic Republic Of The Congo



450 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

## Description

An interesting Kwélé mask, with its distinctive, highly cubist lines, its black-and-white color scheme, and the two long horns evoking the gazelle and thus the spirits of the forest. These flat masks are not used for dancing--in fact, their shapes do not lend themselves to it-- They are meant to be hung in huts. Width 38 cm, height 27 cm, mid-20th century, signs of wear and impact; the holes at the bottom of the mask were used to hang a fiber beard from it.

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