Fossil Slab Containing Three Dapalis Macrurus Fish - Oligocene - Luberon



450 EUR

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Stone

Width : 44,5 cm

Height : 34 cm

Description

A sheet of laminated limestone featuring a natural assemblage of three fossil fish of the species Dapalis macrurus (formerly Serranus macrurus). The specimens are preserved in anatomical connection, with clear visibility of the vertebral column, ribs, fin rays, and cranial structures. Species: Dapalis macrurus Geological period: Lower Oligocene (Stampian / Rupelian, approximately 30 to 35 million years ago).Geographic origin: Apt-Forcalquier Basin, Céreste/Luberon area (Alpes-de-Haute-Provence, France).Plate dimensions: 34 x 44.5 cm.Specimen dimensions: 20 cm (main specimen), 12.5 cm (second specimen), and 6 cm (third specimen superimposed).Condition: Original exposure on natural matrix, without repainting or composite mounting. Presence of an inventory or

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preparation mark engraved in the stone ("JLM").Piece from a family collection formed prior to the creation of the Luberon National Geological Nature Reserve (decree of September 1987). A certificate of historical provenance will be provided to the purchaser upon completion of the transaction.