# Romanesque Sculpture Sedes Sapientiae, 12th C.



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Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Quelques manques

Material : Solid wood

Height : 60

## Description

Romanesque sculpture of a seated Virgin Mary and Child in Majesty (Sedes Sapientiae - Seat of Wisdom). Mary holds her arms outstretched, which reinforces the image of a throne. Mary is wearing a crown. Made in Germany, Rhineland Region. Hand carved in wood in the 12th century. The elongated face of the Virgin, the shape of her mouth and the narrow shoulders places this sculpture probably in the region of Cologne, Rhineland in Germany. Height 60 cm. Weight 7 kg.Condition:Fair condition, commensurate with age. The wood has been lye treated in the past and finished with a wood fortifier (resin). The hands of Mary are probably of a later date, the hands of Jesus are missing. The wooden block to position Jesus on the lap of Mary was broken of and replaced with a screw (it is stable).

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