



Mexico, Costa Rica Or Nicaragua, Small Metate Or Volcanic Stone Grindstone, 500 -1200



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Signature : Culture du Mexique

Period : Before 16th century

Condition : Très bon état

Length : 18 cm

Height : 6 cm

Depth : 8 cm

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Description

Beautiful metate or grinding stone in volcanic stone of small dimensions, a model reserved for grinding spices or condiments or perhaps for the funeral ceremony.

**** Dating: 500-1200 AD ****

Zoomorphic in shape, nicely sculpted, it rests on a triangular-shaped tripod base; the approximately rectangular curved work surface has at its uppermost end an animal head which appears to represent a cricket or a turtle; this last part is perforated to accentuate the physiognomy of the head.

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Weight: 400 g

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