

Basic Detail Report



Doll

Date

1800-1840

Medium

Leather, glass

Description

Leather doll, or figurine of a male. He wears a cap made of untanned gut, a red leather cloak and beaded belt of red, yellow, green, black, and white glass beads. 3 white

bands on each arm immitate ivory armlets worn by richer men. On his wrists are red leather bracelets imitating Liseeka or Masheeka. He has tufts of black hair made of wool and a pendant on his forehead. His right ear is pierced for an earring. Bechuana (Botswana) African subcontinent.

Dimensions

Object/Work: 370 x 150 x 70 mm