

Kara Ut (Amulet or Ornament)

Date

ca. 1950

Medium

Plant fiber, shell, boar's tusks, teeth, pigments

Description

Stylized figural form of red and green pigmented plant fiber with boar's tusks sewn at sides to resemble a horned headdress and arms. Two red "legs" dangle below, and all of the woven fiber bordered by small shell beads. Two brown twisted cords attached to top, one with a small shell attached.

Dimensions

Overall: 22 13/16 x 4 1/2 x 1 3/16 in. (58 x 11.5 x 3 cm)