



Mask

Date

20th Century

Primary Maker

Pende

Medium

Wood, raffia and paint

Description

Pende initiation mask from Zaire. Squat face painted in bright red. Band of black and white triangles along lower face. Same design on beard-like extension that is trimmed with raffia. Woven raffia headdress. Wood, paint and raffia.

Dimensions

19 × 9 × 5 1/4 in. (48.3 × 22.9 × 13.3 cm)