



tomoma (waist beads)

Medium

glass trade beads, cotton string, glass

Description

Purchased in Nigeria around 1971 but also found in Ghana, Togo, Ivory Coast and Dahomey. Worn only by women on festive occasions. The informant claims the necklaces are not worn anymore. Three strands of multicolored beads.

Dimensions

Base: 14 9/16 in. (37 cm)