

Basic Detail Report



Card Deck

Date

late 20th c., staff

Medium

cloth, tamarind seed-glue, paint

Description

Painted, circular playing cards from Orissa, India. This particular set of cards is likely of the Mughal variety. Includes 6 suits (12 cards per suit); Merchandise / Kumancha; Bill of Exchange / Barata; slave / red flower / Gulam; Sword / Someswara; Red/ Bold coin / Sun / surya; white ; silver coin / moon / chandra. See file for more

detail. Each suit includes minister card (Arjuna) and a king card (Navgunjara).

Dimensions

Overall: 2 15/16 in. (7.5 cm)