

Gogotte In A Male Form, Oligocene (about 30 Million Years Ago)



8 800 EUR

Period: Before 16th century

Condition: Très bon état

Height: 33 cm (including the stand)

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Description

Gogotte is a natural stone that is formed during early Oligocene Period 30 millions years ago. It is composed of quartz crystal and to some extent limestone (calcium carbonate). Gogottes are uniquely discovered in Fontainebleau to the southeast of Paris, France. They are considered as natural sculptures, appearing in a broad variety of forms and shapes involving typically whirlpool, holes and multiple-folds. Each single piece is unique, driving our imaginations. They have been highly appreciated and used as garden decorations in France for the last few centuries, and have inspired sculptors, including Henry Moore (1898-1986). This white intact gogotte sculpture resembles a male torso comparable to a Greek or Romain marble sculpture, expressing vigorous muscle and male power.

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