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Original No.

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Belt Buckle

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Material

~~Celluloid~~ hornbill

Dimensions

5.4 cm l., 3.1 cm w., 1.5 cm th.; 5 cm l., 3.1 cm w., 1.5 cm th.

Marks

Attribution: modern.

Description

~~Simulation in celluloid of~~ Buckle carved from hornbill. Coupler and loop parts, each having a button on the bottom to fasten to the belt. Top surface is a thin amber-colored layer glued to a thicker, ivory-colored base. Decoration of open-work shows a pair of young dragons facing each other, with the head of an old dragon between (over)

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Similar buckles collected by Hauser are nos 126560, 127878, in
hall 24, wall case between ^{cases} 23 and 24. These are said to be real horn
bill.