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*aux origines*

# *to the origins*

*to the origins ... the origins of the  
gaze ... the origins of the enthusiasm  
... the origins of the emotion ... the  
origins of the pleasure ...*



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## Bamana

104X

Ciwara, Segou style.

H. cm. 89,5

*Proveniences available.*



# Songye

117X

**Nkisi**, central style of  
Kalebwe ya Ngongo.

Early 20th century, before  
1940.

H. cm. 19,5

*Provenience:  
Old Belgian collection, Liege.  
Belgian private collections.  
Pierre Dartevelle, Brussels.*









## **Babanki**

112X

**Ngoin**, large royal princess mask.

Early 20th century or earlier.

H. cm. 39

*Collected by Edward Klejman in the late 1960's.  
Parisian private collection.*





## Central Pende

122X

Rare **kinu** (mortar) for the chiefs.

One of the finest known examples.

Early 20th century.

H. cm. 55,5

*Collected in Congo, in the early 1960's, by Georges Stoecklin, Golfe-Juan.*

*Edward Klejman, Paris, acquired in the 1970's and remained in Klejman collection, until 2016.*





## Huari

12E

Human head (mask), for a *fardo*, in wood.

Peru.

700/1000 A.D.

H. cm. 20

*From the collection of a French nobleman (the 1950's).*





## Bamana

114X

**Jo Nyeleni**, large female figure.

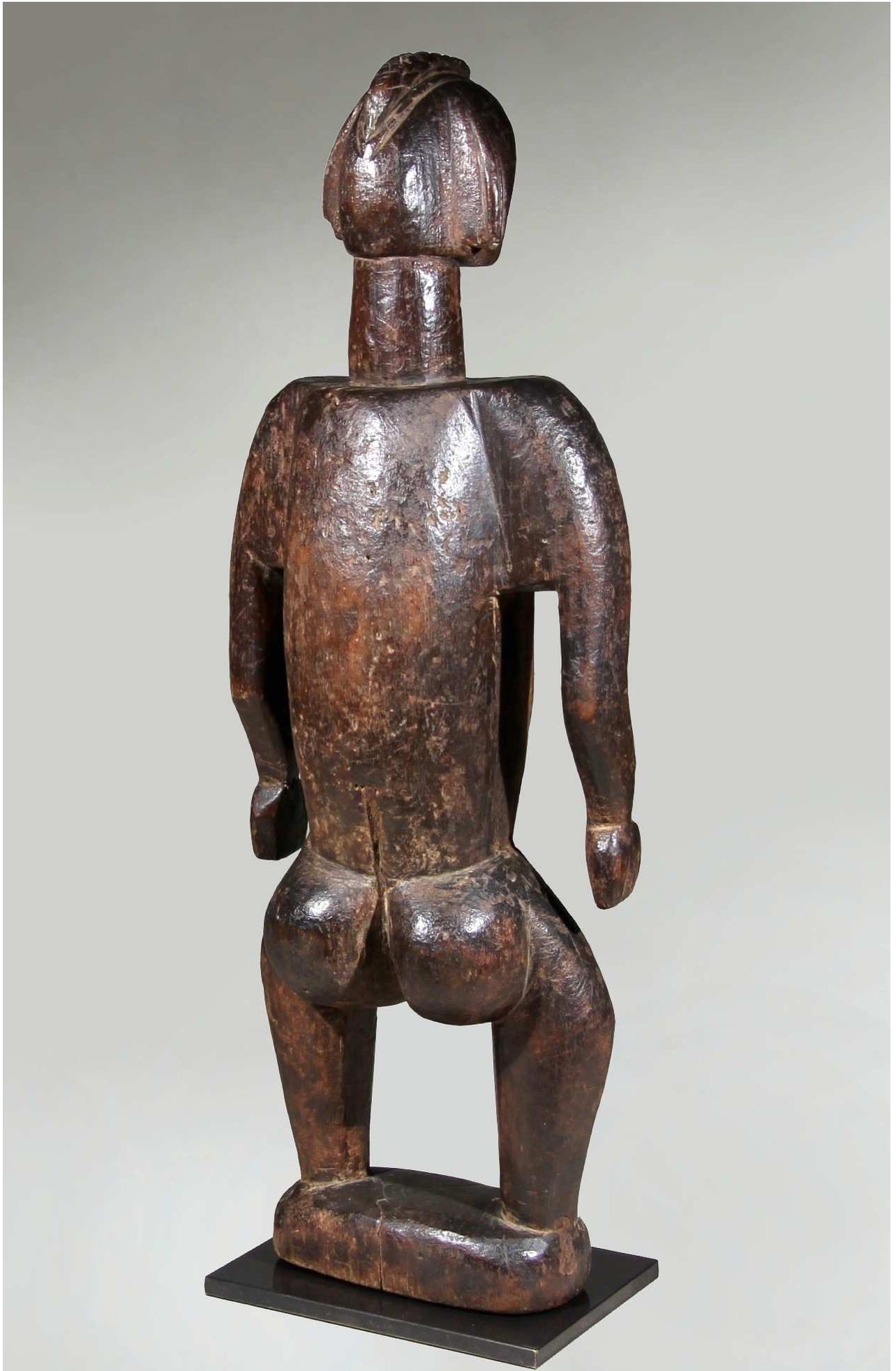
Ségou / Koulikoro region.

Early 20th century.

H. cm. 51,5

*Important proveniences available.*







## Tsogho / Vuvi

136V

Ancient **moghondji** mask.

Late 19th century.

H. cm. 28

*Old private collection, Berlin.  
Pierre Dartevelle, Brussels.*





## **Dogon, Bombou Toro**

123X

Rare anthropomorphic figure.

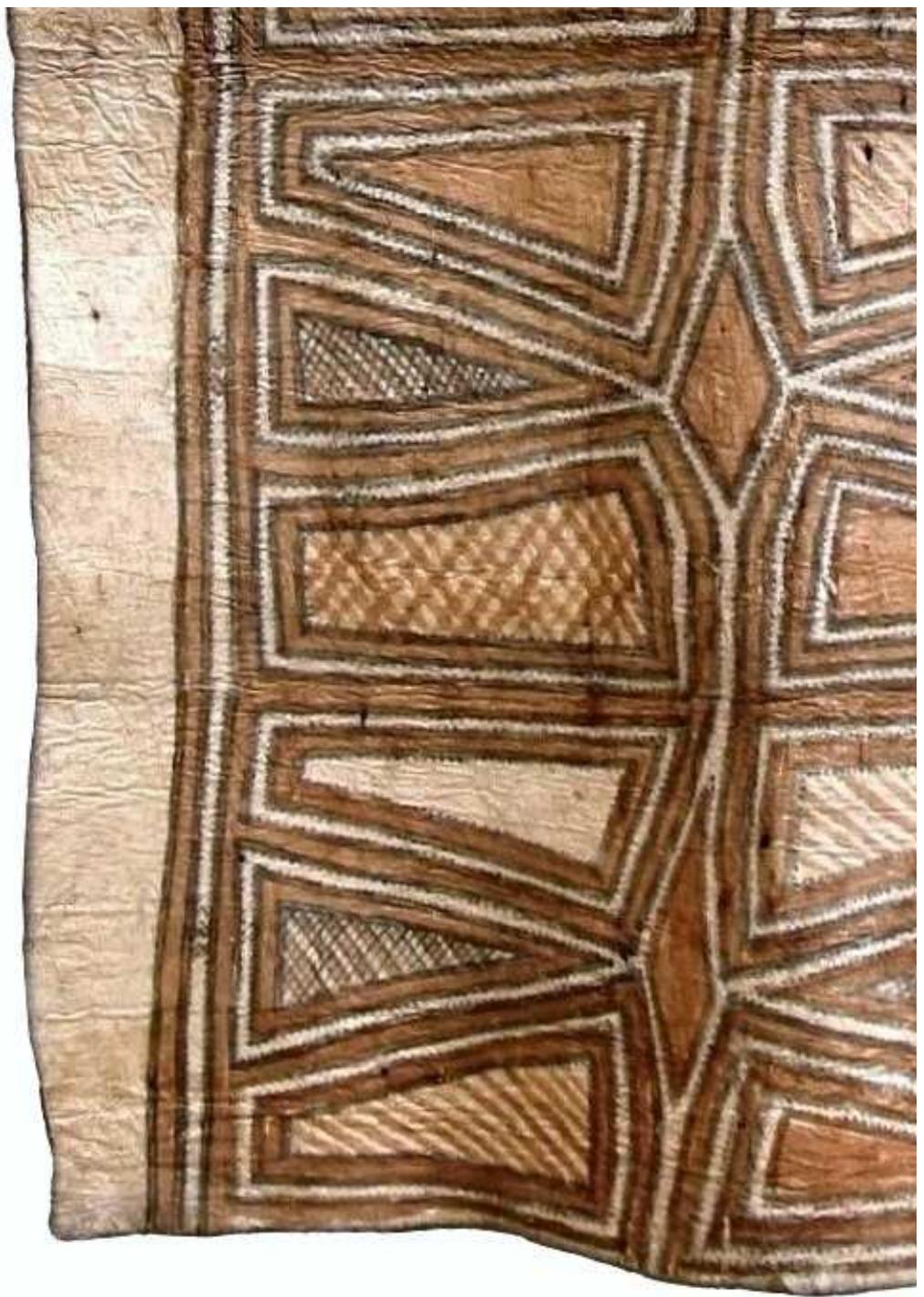
Late 19th / early 20th century.

H. cm. 34,3

*Jerry Vogel, New York (?).*

*American private collection, New York.*





# Popondetta

163R

Rare ritual **Tapa**

Oro Province, Papua New Guinea.

Early 20th century, about 1920's / 1930's .

Cm. 148 x 103

*English private collection.*





## Bamana

115X

Exceptional **Kono** mask.  
One of the finest known  
examples.

H. cm. 115

*Proveniences available.*



# Baule

118X

**blolo bian.**

Early 20th century.

H. cm. 40,5

*Provenience:*

*Collected by J. Nada in the early 1950's.*

*From 1971, Eudald Serra collection, sculptor (1911-2002), Barcelona.*







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