


# Pipe holder (kiseruzutsu, senryū type) in the shape of octopus with monkey

Japanese Collection

Accession Nr.:	44 
Type:	bone objects; object for daily use; accessory
Date of production:	Second half of the 19th century Edo (Tokugawa) period or Meiji era
Place of production:	Japan
Materials:	ivory
Dimensions:	length: 20.5 cm width: 5.4 cm depth: 3.5 cm
Acquisition:	collection of Ferenc Hopp

Practice of smoking spread in Japan from the 16th century. Men wore their smoking set in the sash of their kimono along with the accessories of smoking.

