

Female figure

Southeast Asian Collection

Accession Nr.: 89.6.1 

Type: sculpture; lacquers; carving

Date of production: 19 – 20th century

Place of production: Myanmar (Burma), Southeast Asia

Materials/Technique
s: wood, painted, lacquered, gilt

Dimensions: height: 50. 5 cm

Tall, slender female figure, shifting her weight on the left hip. Probably a character from Burmese opera. Her face is expressive, she looks at the observer with a toothless smile, while her right arm, now partially destroyed, is stretched out in front of her. The figure stands on a stylised piece of ground.

