


Netsuke: Karako carrying a large Daruma doll on his back

Japanese Collection

Accession Nr.:	50.211.1 
Type:	wooden sculpture; object for daily use; netsuke; accessory
Date of production:	Mid-19th century Edo (Tokugawa) period or Meiji era
Place of production:	Japan
Materials:	wood
Techniques:	carved
Dimensions:	height: 5.2 cm width: 7.1 cm depth: 5.3 cm

Japanese men kept their personal belongings in the belt of their kimono. These were fastened to the belt of the kimono: a suspension cord attached to the object ran under the textile sash with a counterweight knotted on the other end.

