

	Object:	Tinderbox with fire-starting stone
	Museum:	Ethnologisches Museum Arnimallee 27 14195 Berlin 030 / 83 01 273 em@smb.spk-berlin.de
	Collection:	Süd- und Südostasien, Naga-Sammlung
	Inventory number:	I C 28353 a,b

Description

The leather container is used to carry tinder. The fire-starting stone hangs from a cord made of plant fibre. The Borduaria Naga are now known as Wancho, Nocte or Konyak Naga in Arunachal Pradesh.

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a "Shakmi"

b "Hden", tinderbox

Collector: Ehlers, Otto Ehrenfried

Basic data

Material/Technique:

Leather; vegetable fiber; metal

Measurements:

7.5 x 5 x 2 cm (leather case); height x
diameter: 4.5 x 3 cm (tinder basket)

Events

Created	When	1851-1900
	Who	Borduaria-Naga
	Where	India
Collected	When	1892-1894
	Who	Otto Ehrenfried Ehlers (1855-1895)
	Where	Arunachal Pradesh

Keywords

- Container
- Feueranzünder
- Tool