

## A MUGHAL IVORY PRIMING FLASK (BARUTDAN).

India, second half of 17th c. Length 23 cm.

In the form of a fishlike composite animal of two curved ivory sections, carved in low relief to depict leopards attacking antelopes in a field of flowers, one end of the lid with head, inlaid eyes, ears and front legs of two antelopes joined to look like one head, the other end with an antelope with an elephant head above and rabbit heads below. Brass lever and pins are holding the priming powder container and lid together. Minor restoration.

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