
PAGODA RED



DOU RICE MEASURE

\$580

c. 1900 • Shandong, China • Northern Elmwood, Iron • Collection #TLD052C

W: 15.0" D: 15.0" H: 10.25"

This rustic container was made over a hundred years ago to measure and hold a dou of rice, a traditional Chinese unit of volume. The rice measure has a square form with tapered sides, handcrafted of elm with dovetail joinery, iron staple reinforcements and a gently arched handle. The wooden vessel is beautifully weathered from years of use, softly faded to a light brown color and timeworn texture.



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