

THE 16TH CENTURY WÄLDSEEMÜLLER/FRIES MAP OF 'MODERN' TURKEY



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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The Fries reduction of Wäldseemüller's map of 'modern' Turkey, including Cyprus. Originally intended not for a Ptolemy edition but for a new 'Chronica mundi' being written by Wäldseemüller, his death c.1520 caused the project to be shelved, so the reduced woodcuts were used to publish a smaller sized and so cheaper edition of the 'Geography'. On verso is a text surrounded by woodcut columnar decorations.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dimensions	380 × 300 mm
Cartographer	WALDSEEMULLER, Martin.
Date	1535
Extra Info	Tabu. Nova Asiae Mi.
Publication	Lyon, 1535. Coloured woodcut, printed area 300 x 380mm.
Condition	A good example.
References	-

