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# Kazimir Malevich (Russia)

Born 1878, Kiev, Russian Empire (now Ukraine) Died 1935, Moscow, USSR

Lender: Moderna Museet, Box 16382, Stockholm, SE-103 27, Sweden

Black and White. Suprematist Composition, 1915

Oil on canvas 80 x 80 cm

Credit line: Moderna Museet, Stockholm. Donation 2004 from Bengt and Jelena Janfeldt.

Image: Courtesy Moderna Museet

Inv. No: MOM/2004/97

Place of Manufacture: Russia

# Provenance:

The artist:

N.I. Khardzhiev, Moscow;

Bengt Jangfeldt, 1975;

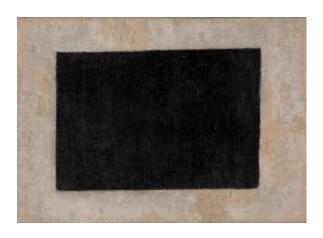
Donated by Jangfeldt to Moderna Museet, 2004.

# Bibliography:

Catalogue Raisonné: Andrei Nakov, *Black and White. Suprematist Composition of 1915 by Kazimir Malevich*: Gottingen: Steidl; Stockholm: Moderna Museet, 2009. *Kazimir Malevich*, Achim Borchardt-Hume (ed.), Tate Publishing, London, 2014, fig. 87, p 123

Exhibition: Kazimir Malevich, Tate Modern, London, 16 July – 26 October 2014

Brief description: white painted square on larger black painted square on canvas



# Kazimir Malevich (Russia) Born 1878, Kiev, Russian Empire (now Ukraine) Died 1935, Moscow, USSR

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

Black Quadrilateral, undated Oil on canvas 17 x 24 cm

Credit line: Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki

Image credit: Courtesy Costakis Collection, State Museum of Contemporary Art

Inventory Number: ATH 80.10

Place of Manufacture: Russia

**Provenance**: N. Suetin, St. Petersburg; Private collection; G. Costakis, Moscow-Athens; Acquired by the Greek State for the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, from Art Co. Ltd (The George Costakis Collection), 2000.

# Bibliography:

Nakov, *Kazimir Malevicz Catalogue Raisonné*, Adam Biro, Paris, 2002, p.210, cat.no. S-132; *Light and Colour in the Russian Avant-Garde*, The Costakis Collection from the State Museum of Contemporary Art Thessaloniki, 2005, page 51;

Kazimir Malevich , Achim Borchardt-Hume (ed.), Tate Publishing, London, 2014, fig. 62, p. 88 Kazimir Malevich and the Russian Avant-Garde: Featuring Selections from the Khardziev and Costakis Collections, Linda Boersma , Bart Rutten and Aleksandra Shatskikh (eds.) , Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, 2014, p. 210

Exhibitions: Kazimir Malevich, Tate Modern, 16 July – 26 October 2014;

Kazimir Malevich and the Russian Avant-Garde: Featuring Selections from Khardzhiev and Costakis Collections, Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, 19 October 2013 – 2 February 2014.

Brief description: Black square form painted on white ground



# Kazimir Malevich (Russia)

Born 1878, Kiev, Russian Empire (now Ukraine) Died 1935, Moscow, USSR

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

Red Square, undated Gouache on lined paper 6.1 x 5.7 cm

Credit line: Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki

Image: Courtesy Costakis Collection, State Museum of Contemporary Art

Inventory Number: C755

Place of Manufacture: Russia

**Provenance**: N. I. Khardzhiev, Moscow; Gift to G. Costakis from N.I.Khardzhiev; Acquired by the Greek State for the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, from Art Co. Ltd (The George Costakis Collection), 2000.

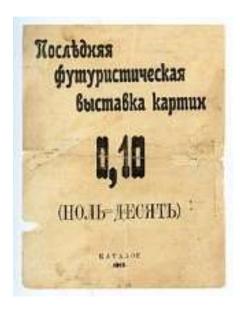
# Bibliography:

*Light and Colour in the Russian Avant-Garde*, The Costakis Collection from the State Museum of Contemporary Art Thessaloniki, 2005, page 148;

Kazimir Malevich, Achim Borchardt-Hume (ed.), Tate Publishing, London, 2014, p. 241

Exhibitions: Kazimir Malevich, Tate Modern, London, 16 July – 26 October 2014

Brief description: red quadrilateral form painted on lined paper



# Kazimir Malevich (Russia)

Born 1878, Kiev, Russian Empire (now Ukraine) Died 1935, Moscow, USSR

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

"The Last Exhibition of Futurist Painting: 0.10" exhibition catalogue, Petrograd 1915. Booklet of four pages 29 x 23 cm.

Credit line: Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki

Image: not illustrated in catalogue

Place of manufacture: Russia

Provenance: Acquired G. Costakis, Moscow-Athens;

Donated by Aliki Costakis to the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, 2003.

**Bibliography**: *Light and Colour in the Russian Avant-Garde*, The Costakis Collection from the State Museum of Contemporary Art Thessaloniki, 2005, page 147 *Kazimir Malevich*, Achim Borchardt-Hume (ed.), Tate Publishing, London, 2014, p. 241

Exhibitions: Kazimir Malevich, Tate Modern, London, 16 July – 26 October 2014;



# Reconstruction by Martyn Chalk 1/3 2001: Born 1945, UK (UK)

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

Painterly relief, Synthetic Composition, 1914-1915 [Reconstruction, 2001 of original relief by Vladimir Tatlin, born 1885, Kharkov, Russian Empire (now Ukraine), died 1953, Moscow, USSR] Wood, steel, aluminum, paint, wallpaper 84,5 x 39,5 x 17 cm

**Credit line:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki **Image:** Courtesy Costakis Collection, State Museum of Contemporary Art

Place of manufacture: London

**Provenance**: Acquired from Martyn Chalk by the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, 2003. Edition 1 of 3.

**Brief description:** Reconstruction of original relief by Vladimir Tatlin using steel, aluminium, paint and wallpaper on wooden base



Ivan Kliun (Russia) Born 1873, Bolshie Gorki, Russian Empire Died 1943, Moscow, USSR

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

Suprematism: Komposition in 3 Colours, c.1917

Oil on board 35.7 x 35.2 cm

Credit line: Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki

Image: Courtesy Costakis Collection, State Museum of Contemporary Art

Inventory Number: 82.78A

Place of Manufacture: Russia

#### Provenance:

Acquired by George Costakis from the artist's daughter Acquired by the Greek State for the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, from Art Co. Ltd (The George Costakis Collection), 2000.

**Bibliography**: *Light and Colour in the Russian Avant-Garde*, The Costakis Collection from the State Museum of Contemporary Art Thessaloniki, 2005, page 172;

Linda Boersma, Bart Rutten and Aleksandra Shatskikh, *Kazimir Malevich and the Russian Avant-Garde: Featuring Selections from the Khardziev and Costakis Collections*, Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, 2014, p. 207

**Exhibition**: Kazimir Malevich and the Russian Avant-Garde: Featuring Selections from Khardzhiev and Costakis Collections, Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, 19 October 2013 – 2 February 2014.

**Brief description**: 2 painted geometric forms floating on white ground.



# Gustav Klutsis (Russia)

Born 1895, Rūjiena, Russian Empire (now Latvia) Died 1938, Moscow, USSR

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

Design for Loudspeaker no. 5, 1922 Coloured ink and pencil on paper 26.6 x 14.7 cm

Credit line: Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki

Image: Courtesy Costakis Collection, State Museum of Contemporary Art

Inventory Number: 106.78C

Place of Manufacture: Russia

# Provenance:

Acquired by George Costakis form the artist's wife Valentina Kulagina Acquired by the Greek State for the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, from Art Co. Ltd (The George Costakis Collection), 2000.

**Bibliography**: *Light and Colour in the Russian Avant-Garde*, The Costakis Collection from the State Museum of Contemporary Art Thessaloniki, 2005, page 278

**Brief description:** Drawing in ink and pencil of red and black megaphone placed on box numbered 5 and contained in open structure with text in Russian.



# Gustav Klutsis (Russia)

Born 1895, Rūjiena, Russian Empire (now Latvia) Died 1938, Moscow, USSR

**Lender:** Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki, Pavlos Melas 564 30, Greece

Design for Loudspeaker no. 7, 1922 Ink and gouache on paper 26.9 x 17.7 cm

Credit line: Greek State Museum of Contemporary Art - Costakis Collection, Thessaloniki

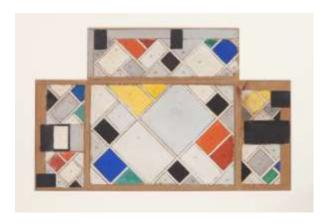
Image: Courtesy Costakis Collection, State Museum of Contemporary Art

Inventory Number: 106.78B

Place of Manufacture: Russia

**Provenance**: Acquired by George Costakis from the artist's wife Valentina Kulagina Acquired by the Greek State for the State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, from Art Co. Ltd (The George Costakis Collection), 2000.

**Brief description:** No 7 of series of loudspeakers drawn in red and black ink and gouache on paper with lettering in Russian.



# Theo van Doesburg (The Netherlands)

Born 1883, Utrecht, The Netherlands Died 1931, Davos, Switzerland

Lender: Galerie Gmurzynska AG, Paradeplatz 2, 8001 Zurich, Switzerland

Colour design for ceiling and three walls, small ballroom, conversion of Café Aubette interior Strasbourg, 1926-27
Gouache on paperboard
43.7 x 74.5 cm

**Credit line:** Courtesy Galerie Gmurzynska AG **Image:** Courtesy Galerie Gmurzynska AG

Place of Manufacture: The Netherlands

Provenance: Madame Bloemena, The Netherlands

Certificate: Jean Leering

Bibliography: Joost Baljeu, "Theo van Doesburg," Studio Vista, London, 1974, pp. 83-87 (discussion of l'Aubette). Evert van Straaten, "Theo van Doesburg 1883-1931: een Documentaire op Basis van Materiaal uit de Schenking van Moorsel," Staatsuitgeverij, 's- Gravenhage, 1983, pp. 145-150, photograph p. 146. Hans Ludwig Cohn Jaffé, "Theo van Doesburg," Meulenhoff/Landshoff, Zutphen ,1983, pp. 112-113 and 121, no. 87, illustrated in color (the text for no. 87 and no. 88 is switched in the catalogue). Allan Doig, "Theo van Doesburg: Painting into Architecture, theory into practice," Cambridge Urban and Architectural Studies/Cambridge University Press, 1986, pp. 166-188 (discussion of l'Aubette) and p. 183, photograph. Evert van Straaten, "Theo van Doesburg Schilder en Architect" (exhibition catalogue), Museum Boymansvan Beuningen and Sdu Uitgeverij, 'S- Gravenhage, 1988-1989, pp. 196-215 (discussion of l'Aubette). Serge Lemoine, "Theo van Doesburg: Peinture, Architecture, Theorie," Philippe Sers Editeur, Paris, 1990, p. 92, photograph. Carsten-Peter Warncke, "L'Idéal en tant qu'Art De Stijl 1917-1931," Benedikt Taschen, Cologne, 1991, pp. 188-189, double page color illustration. Paul Overy, "De Stijl," Thames and Hudson, London, 1991, p. 180-183 (discussion of project). Els Hoek, ed., "Theo van Doesburg. Oeuvre catalogus," Centraal Museum Utrecht, Krdller-Mdller Museum Otterlo and Uitgeverij THOTH Bussum, 2000, pp. 455-456, no. 803.lllf, full page color illustration.

Aurélien Lemonier, "Aménagement de l'Aubette, Strasbourg, 1926-1928: Theo van Doesburg, Hans Arp, Sophie Taeuber-Arp," in "De Stijl 1917 -1931" (exhibition catalogue), Centre Pompidou, Paris, 1 December 2010 - 21 March 2011, pp. 206-207 (discussion of l'Aubette).

Exhibited: "De Stijl: 1917-1931 Visions of Utopia," Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, 30 January - 28 March 1982 (also traveled to the Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, D.C., 18 April - 27 June 1982; and divided chronologically into two exhibitions at the Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam and the Rijksmuseum Kroller-Mdller, Otterlo, 8 August - 3 October 1982), p. 195, no. 182, illustrated in color. "Raumkonzepte: Konstruktivistische Tendenzen in Bdhnen- und Bildkunst 1910 - 1930," Stadtische Galerie inn Stadelschen Kunstinstitut, Frankfurt am Main (organized in collaboration with the Theatermuseum der Universitat zu Kdln, 2 March - 25 May 1986, p. 141, no. 73, full page color illustration; "Paris 1930: Arte Abstracto Arte Concreto, Cercle et Carré 1930," IVAM Centre Julio Gonzélez, Valencia, 20 September - 2 December 1990, p. 247, no. 201, full page color illustration. "vision vow raum: kunst und architektur von 1910 bis 1990. verzeichnis der werke," Galerie Gmurzynska, Cologne, 15 November 1991 - 31 January 1992, p.12, illustrated. "Theo van Doesburg: Mater - Architekt," Museum Villa Stuck, Munich (organized in collaboration with the Centraal Museum, Utrecht and the Kroller-Mdller Museum, Otterlo), 26 October 2000 - 14 January 2001, p. 165, no. 215, color illustration. "Arti e Architettura 1900-2000, Volume I (1900/1968 Scultura, pittura, fotografia, design, cinema e archietettura: un secolo di projetti creativi)," Palazzo Ducale, Genova, 2 October 2004 - 13 February 2005, p. 213, illustrated in color. "A.C. The GATEPAC magazine (1931-1937)", Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofia, Madrid 19 October 2008 - 4 January 2009. "Van Doesburg and the International Avant-Garde", Tate Modern, London 4 February – 16 May 2010 (also travelled to the Stedelijk Museum De Lakenhal Leiden, 20 October 2009 - 3 January 2010), p. 197, no. 156, full page colour illustration. "The Small Utopia Ars Multiplicata," Fondazione Prada, Venice 6 July – 25 November 2012, pp. 20 and 301, no. 15, illustrated in colour

**Brief description:** Coloured geometric forms laid out in schematic design in gouache on paperboard with numbers drawn on each square and rectangle.



# Katarzyna Kobro (Poland) Born 1898, Moscow, Russian Empire Died 1951, Łódź, Poland

Lender: Galerie Gmurzynska AG, Paradeplatz 2, 8001 Zurich, Switzerland

Spatial Composition 2, 1928 Steel and paint 50 x 50 x 50 cm

Credit line: Muzeum Sztuki Łódz´

Image: Courtesy Galerie Gmurzynska AG

Inv. no. MS/SN/R/16

Place of manufacture: Poland

**Reproductions**: K. Kobro, W. Strzeminski *Kompozycja przestrzeni...*, fig. 35 (cap. K. Kobro 1928); W. Bunikiewicz, "Sztuka filozofujacych robów" [The Art of the Philosophising Robots] SWIAT (Warsaw. no. 26/1933, p. 13 (cap. K. Kobro, Sculpture); GLOS PLASTKOW (Cracow, R.C.: no. 1-7/1937, p. 43 (cap. Katarzyna Kobro, Composition).

**Provenance**: Chronologically the second *Composition*, dated and titled by the artist. Saved by the artist from destruction in 1940 and donated just after the war to Muzeum Sztuki in Lodz (cf. Chronology). Probably shown many times, notably together with several other surviving *Spatial Compositions* during the *Exhibitions of the Group of Modern Artists*, Warsaw – Lods 1933 (cf. photo. p. 49).

**Bibliography**: K. Kobro, W. Strzeminski, *Kompozycja przestrzeni...; J. Zagrodzki*, *Katarzyna Kobro...*, p. 81, 83; U. Grzechca-Mohr; *Kobro (Katarzyna Kobro-Strzeminska)...*, vol. II, p. 14 (cat. no. 15); Henry Moore Institute & Museum Stzuki, Lodz, Poland, *Katarzyna Kobro 1898-1951*, 1999

Brief description: Three dimensional work made of painted steel panels in white, black and grey.



# Władysław Strzemiński (Poland)

Born 1893, Minsk, Belorussia (now Belarus) Died 1952, Łódź, Poland

Lender: Museum Sztuki, Ul. Weickowskiego 36, Łódź, 90-734, Poland

Spatial Composition 1, 1948

Painted wood

100 x 149.5 x 67.5 cm

Credit line: Muzeum Sztuki Łódz´

Image: ©Ewa Sapka-Pawliczak, ©Museum Stzuki | Autorzy, 1998

Inventory no.: MS/SN/R/20

Place of manufacture: Poland

**Provenance**: Piece donated by the artist in 1948.

**Bibliography**: Władysław Strzeminski , On the 100th Anniversary of His Birth 1893-1952. Muzeum Sztuki, Łódź, p.221;

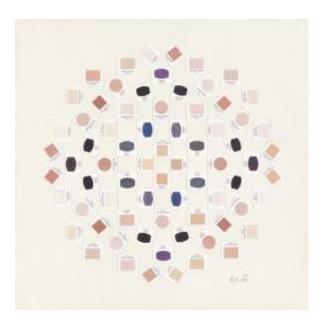
Afterimages of Life. Władysław Strzemiński and Rights of Art, Muzeum Sztuki, Łódź, 2010, pp 546-547

Exhibition: Essen-Otterlo 1973 (cat. no. 111, ill.); Zurich 1974 (cat. no. 259); Warszawa 1974 (cat. no. 27); Stockholm 1975/1976 (cat. no. 110); New York-Chicago 1976/1977; Montreal 1977 (cat. no. 164); Paris 1983 (cat. no. 736); Odense-Hovikodden 1985/1986 (cat. no. 93, ill. p. 96)

Afterimages of Life. Władysław Strzemiński and Rights of Art, Muzeum Sztuki, Łódź, Poland, 30

November 2010 – 27 February 2011

**Brief description:** One of two spatial compositions, constructed of painted square-section strips and quadrilateral planes. They corresponded with the set of furniture designed by the artist for the Neoplastic Room and were also intended for this interior. The compositional similarity of these objects and the preserved designs for exhibition arrangements suggests their possible practical use.



# Běla Kolářová (Czechoslavakia)

Born 1923, Terezín, Czechoslovakia (now Czech Republic), Died 2010, Prague, Czech Republic

Lender: Olomouc Museum, Denisova 824/47, Olomouc, Czech Republic

Swatch of Cosmetics, 1964

Assemblage: Collage, printing, pencil, samples, cosmetics, paper

39.9 x 39.9 cm

Credit line: Olomouc Museum of Art

Image: ©Estate of Běla Kolářová. Courtesy of Raven Row 2014

Inv. No.: K 14788

Place of manufacture: Czechoslavakia (now Czech Republic)

**Provenance**: Donated by the artist 1997

Bibliography: Běla Kolářová (exh. cat.), Raven Row, London, 2013

Plate 32

Exhibitions: Běla Kolářová, 31 January – 7 April 2013, Raven Row, London

**Brief description:** collage of swatches of cosmetic samples arranged on paper. Signed by the artist in pencil in right-hand corner B.K. 66



Carl Andre (USA)
Born 1940, Quincy, MA, USA
Lives and works in New York

Lender: Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, Museumplein 10, 1071 DJ Amsterdam, Netherlands

10 x 10 Altstadt Lead Square, 1967 Lead 500 x 500 cm

**Credit line:** Collection Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam **Image:** Collection Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam

Inventory Number: BA 3513 (1-100)

Place of manufacture: USA

Provenance: Acquired from Galerie Konrad Fischer GmbH, 1976

Bibliography: 20 years of art collecting: acquisitions Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, 1963 - 1984, painting and sculpture, Joosten, Joop M. 1984; The art of collecting: 20th-century art in Dutch museums, Barents, Els Bremer, Jaap Fuchs, Rudi Pieters, Din 1997; Carl Andre 1968; Carl Andre (1935): 10 x 10 Altstadt lead square, 1967/1976, 1984; Made by sculptors Beyeren, Geert van Dippel, Rini Mignot, Dorine Wilde, Edy de 1978; De kunst van het verzamelen : 20e-eeuwse kunst uit Nederlandse musea Barents, Els Bremer, Jaap Fuchs, Rudi Pieters, Din 1997l L' orizzonte : da Chagall a Picasso da Pollock a Cragg Fuchs, Rudi Gianelli, Ida Imanse, Geurt Kempers, Paul Sassen, Jan Hein 1994; The Stedelijk Museum collection 1974 - 1978 : [acquisitions 1974 - 1978 painting and sculpture] Wilde, Edy de 1980; Sassen, Jan Hein Beeren, Wim Jansen, Bert Muller, Robert-Jan 1992; Carl Andre 1987; Carl AndreFuchs, Rudi Gachnang, Johannes Mundici, Cristina 1987; Bilderstreit: Widerspruch, Einheit und Fragment in de Kunst seit 1960Gohr, Siegfried Gachnang, Johannes Nikkels, Walter; US in NL: American art in Dutch museums, 1945 - 2002, Schenk, Ruud Knol, Meta Bosma, Marja Blotkamp, Carel Imanse, Geurt 2004; Stedelijk collectie highlights: 150 kunstenaars uit de collectie van het Stedelijk Museum AmsterdamMan, Hanneke de Huygen, Frederike Nijhoff, Michiel 2012; Stedelijk collection highlights: 150 artists from the collection of the Stedelijk Museum AmsterdamMan, Hanneke de Huygen, Frederike Rijk, Timo de Bartholomew, Angela Casteleijn, Elvie Buurman, Karolien Nijhoff, Michiel

Brief description: ten rows of ten lead tiles arranged in one large square form directly on the floor.



R. H. Quaytman (USA)
Born 1961, Boston, MA, USA
Lives and works in New York, NY, USA

Lender: Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, Museumplein 10, 1071 DJ Amsterdam, Netherlands

7 (Schwarze), Chapter 24, 2012 Mixed media on plywood panels White painting: 82.2 x 82.2 x 3 cm Black painting: 51 x 51 x 2.5 cm

Shelf: 2.7 x 82.3 x 7.7 cm

**Credit line:** Collection Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam.

Image: Collection Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam

Place of manufacture: USA

Inventory Number: 2013.2.0351(1-3)

Provenance: Anonymous gift, 2013

**Brief description:** two painted plywood panels (one black, one white) of different sizes arranged on wooden shelf



# Willem de Rooij (The Netherlands) Born 1969, Beverwijk, Netherlands Lives and works in Berlin, Germany

Lender: Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam, Museumplein 10, 1071 DJ Amsterdam, Netherlands

Blue to Black, 2012 Wax print on cotton 546 x 122.5 cm

**Credit line:** Collection Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam. **Image:** Collection Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam

Place of manufacture: Germany

Inventory Number: 2014.2.0015

Provenance: Gift of Willem de Rooij, 2014

**Brief description:** Blue dyed wax cotton fabric approx. 520 cm contained within wooden white painted box