

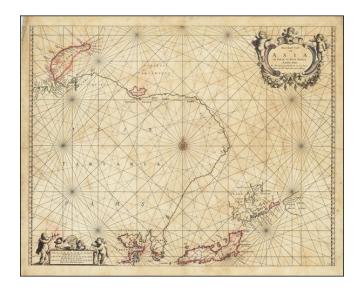
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## Noordoost Cust van Asia, van Iapan tot Nova Zemla.

Stock#:	75262
Map Maker:	van Loon
Date:	1661 (1661)
Place:	Amsterdam
Color:	Outline Color
Condition:	VG
Size:	22 x 17.25 inches
Price:	SOLD



## **Description**:

Very rare antique Dutch sea chart of northeast Asia, covering modern-day Japan, Korea, northeast China, and Siberia.

The map was made by Johannes van Loon for the first edition of his *Zee Atlas*, which was published in Amsterdam in 1661. After the death of Johannes Janssonius, the *Zee Atlas* was reissued by Johannes Janssonius van Waesberge in 1666.

This state of the map can be differentiated by the inclusion of Van Waesberge's name in the cartouche.

The chart includes a conjectural mapping of northeast Asia that predominated at this time; with "t'Land van Eso" and "Compagnies Land" extending northeast of Japan and a much simplified and inaccurate coastline of Siberia.

## **Detailed Condition:**

Original hand-color in outline (somewhat smudged). Faint toning.