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Prima Africae Tabulae [Includes the Baleric Islands, Southern Spain & Portugal]

Stock#: 82670 Map Maker: Ptolemy

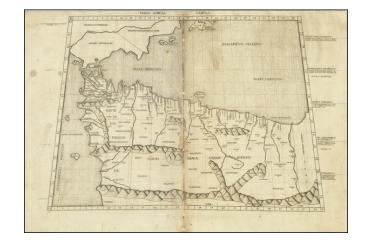
Date: 1478 (1490)

Place: Rome Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 21 x 13.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare Map of Northwest Africa and the contiguous parts of Spain and the Western Mediterranean, first published in Rome in 1478.

The present example includes a hand drawn grid in red, drawn in an early hand.

Extending west to the Straits of Gibraltar, the map is centered on the Southern Mediterranean and the western part of North Africa, with the Balearic Islands shown, including Ibiza, Formentera, Majorca and part of Minorca. Spain's Mediterranean coastline is shown to the Pillars of Hercules

Includes excellent detail, based upon Ptolemy, including the marginal notes which are only present in the earliest editions.

Detailed Condition:

Minor soiling and staining.