Bisonte Whale Pipe

Cod. Bisonte 046

EUR 420,00 / taxfree 344,26



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

1.	Length	160 mm / 6.30 inch
2.	Bowl height	65 mm / 2.56 inch
3.	Outside diameter	50 mm / 1.97 inch
4.	Chamber diameter	20 mm / 0.79 inch
5.	Chamber depth	53 mm / 2.09 inch
	Weight	74.40 gram / 2.62 oz
	Filter	**NO**
Condition		New
Country		Italy
Brand		Accademia della Pipa
Model		Freehand, Horn
Finish		Smooth
Shape		Half bent
Material		Briar-root
Stem		Ebonite
Ornament		Wood
Original bag		of the manufacturer
Original box		Al Pascià

FEATURES

Handmade in Italy

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Bisonte by Michele Pascolini: The Freehand “Whale” Shape in Natural Smooth Briar

The **Bisonte pipe** is the result of the artistic approach of **Michele Pascolini**, an Italian sculptor and pipe maker whose three-dimensional sensibility is reflected in his work with briar. Each creation emerges from a close dialogue with the raw material, where the shape is not dictated by rigid industrial patterns but

develops organically, following the natural grain and original contours of the briar block.

Design and Sculptural Form: The Freehand “Whale” Shape and Bark Top

This medium-to-large pipe stands out for its distinctly sculptural aesthetic and striking visual presence.

- **Whale Shape Geometry:** The silhouette draws inspiration from fluid, organic forms, recalling the flowing contours of the freehand Whale shape. Its enveloping lines provide excellent ergonomics, fitting naturally and comfortably in the palm of the hand.
- **Natural Smooth Finish:** The surface is kept entirely smooth and natural, without opaque stains or coatings. This approach enhances the purity of the briar, bringing out its rich flame grain and bird's-eye patterns.
- **Bark Top Base:** At the base of the pipe, the artisan has chosen to preserve the **bark top**, the natural outer surface of the briar. This tactile, organic detail creates an appealing visual contrast with the smooth, polished body, highlighting the natural character and origins of the briar.

Construction Details: Boxwood Band and Ebonite Mouthpiece

The transition between the pipe body and the mouthpiece assembly is carefully finished with selected materials.

- **Boxwood Band:** The shank junction is enhanced by a refined band made of boxwood, a pale, dense and compact timber that introduces an elegant contrast in both colour and structure.
- **Ebonite Mouthpiece:** The pipe is fitted with a precisely crafted black ebonite mouthpiece, designed to provide a comfortable position between the teeth and balanced airflow.

Smoking Characteristics and Bowl Geometry

Thanks to its medium-to-large proportions and generous tobacco chamber, this pipe is particularly well suited to slow, contemplative smoking sessions.

The accurately executed internal drilling is designed to ensure a smooth, consistent draw and steady combustion from the beginning to the end of the tobacco charge.