German M24 green grenade 1915/1945 35cm

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SKU	Designation	French Law	Length (cm)	Weight (g)	MSRP
CD736	German M24 green grenade 1915/1945 35cm	Vente libre	35	543	58.00 € incl. tax

Reproduction of the grenade used by the Germans during the two World Wars.

- Composition: Wood, Metal
- Period: World Wars 1914-1945
- Dimensions: 35 cm
- Weight: 543 gr

The German M24 hand grenade, also known as the "Stielhandgranate," is one of the most iconic hand grenades used by the German military during World War I and World War II.

General Characteristics

- **Official name** : Model 24 Stielhandgranate
- **Period of use** : Mainly during World War I and World War II
- **Country of origin** : Germany
- **Type** : Handle Grenade (Stielhandgranate)

Design and Structure

Wooden Handle : The M24 is characterized by its long wooden handle, which made it easier to throw. The handle allowed for a better grip and a greater throwing range compared to conventional grenades.

Explosive body : The head of the grenade, which contained the explosive, was made of metal and attached to one end of the handle.

Detonation Mechanism : At the end of the handle was a cap that, when unscrewed, revealed a string with a ceramic or metal bead at its end. Pulling this string activated the ignition mechanism, which then ignited the grenade's detonator with a delay of a few seconds.

Safety : A screw-on metal cap on the head of the grenade protected the detonator until it was ready for use.

The M24 became a symbol of the German army during world conflicts due to its distinctive design. Its design would also influence later grenades. Although technologically simpler compared to some contemporary grenades, its ease of use and effectiveness made it a feared weapon on the battlefield.

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