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## (Germany) Quarta Europe Tabula [Fourth Map of Europe]

**Stock#:** 101259  
**Map Maker:** Ptolemy / Reger  
**Date:** 1486  
**Place:** Ulm  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 19.75 x 15.5 inches including text  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

#### *The First Map of Germany Made in Germany.*

This fantastic map of Germany, based on the work of the 2nd-century geographer and polymath Claudius Ptolemy, was published in Ulm in 1482 and then again in the same city in 1486, making it the first map of that nation published in that nation.

The map includes a host of toponyms and geography from the Classical Period, illustrating mountain ranges, forests, towns, and rivers, many of them bearing their Latin names from antiquity.

### Detailed Condition:

Woodcut on 15th-century laid paper. Original hand-color, retouched and augmented.