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[Egypt] Appendix Tab III. Tabulae Afr:

Stock#:	74963
Map Maker:	Mercator
Date:	1584
Place:	Cologne
Color:	Hand Colored
<b>Condition:</b>	VG+
Size:	14.5 x 9.5 inches
Price:	Not Available



## **Description:**

Nice example of the first edition of Mercator's Ptolemaic map of Egypt, first issued in the 1578 edition of Mercator's *Geographia*, based upon the works of Claudius Ptolemy.

While perhaps most famous for his maps of the modern World and the first to use the name "Atlas" to describe a book of maps, one of Mercator's life works was a corrected and improved edition of maps based upon the work of Claudius Ptolemy.

## **Detailed Condition:**