

**neptunea intersculpta - nice w/o japan 125.0 mm
F+++**

Quality: F+++ Because of some growth imperfections and some miniature chips.

Collected: In shell traps, 300 km off the coast off Kushiro, Japan.

Comments: Fishermen are only allowed 15 shell traps per boat. The shells are collected for the meat and are sold \$ 25 - \$ 35 per animal. The Japanese cooks break the shell to recover the live animal. These specimens were taken for the shell and the animal was no longer suitable for consumption. Needless to say that the starting price of this shell is very cheap.

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