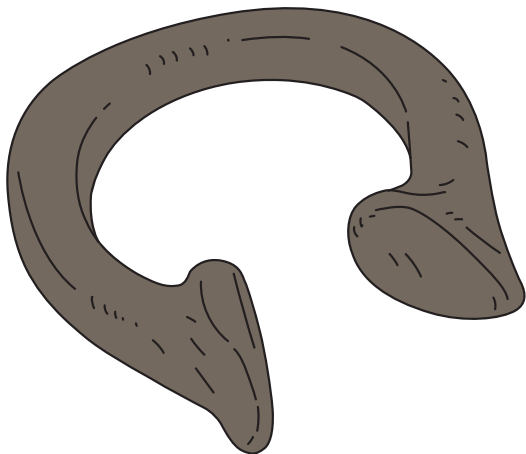


IGHO

Manilla



Igho (manillas) translates directly from Edo to mean 'money', and as manillas were a form of exchange in the past, they were and are called Igho. Igho were the principal currency used within southern Nigeria during the Oba dynasty. In contemporary Nigeria, images of Igho can be seen on the 100 naira banknote, illustrating their continued importance as a symbol of money and wealth.

