

## Spanish Cross in Gold with Swords

**C.F ZIMMERMANN. Pforzheim**

### Description

The Company of C.F. ZIMMERMANN was one of the numerous manufacturers which made the Spanish Cross during the war. This one is showing the LDO mark L/52, stamped in a square. This post 1941 cross was made in tombac, but it could be find in massive silver stamped L/52 900. The attach system and the round headed eagles are typical to this maker.



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### Details

#### Cross:

Height 55.3 mm  
Width 55.4 mm

#### Swords:

Height 63.4 mm  
Circle 16.7 mm

Weight 29.1 gr  
Material Tombac

### Remarks

The Spanish Cross (Spanienkreuz) was instituted on April, 14th 1935 by A. Hitler (14.4.1939,RGBI. IS.1939, 1360). The gold class was only awarded 1126 times during the main Legion Condor return parades in Hamburg and Döberitz.