



Intricate Batik Craft Heritage

In Indonesia, hand-drawn batik is a traditional craft with a **long and rich heritage**. To create these beautiful pieces, locally plentiful sengon (albizia) wood is first **carved by hand**. Designs are hand drawn with wax to protect some areas while others are dyed, then the wax is boiled off and the next stage of color commences. It is an **intricate process** with every different color requiring careful wax application.