

# Tiny

*Bubbling bronze, supported by three small legs.*

*A miniature world in motion, captured in the moment of stillness.*

*Liquid metal seeking its own path; guided, but never fully led.*

*During solidification, a play of lines and curves unfolds: organic, playful, almost breathing.*

*As if the bronze itself was allowed to speak for a moment.*

*No imposed form. No repetition. Only this one moment — unique, irreversible.*

*In its smallness lies an unexpected power: a quiet, bubbling joy of life.*

## My inspiration

*Tiny* originated as a question, not as a plan. How light can something heavy be? How do you make bronze dance?

A quest for balance between mass and emptiness, between form and air.

Movement captured in stillness. Fluidity and solidification interlock in a process that cannot be captured.

And precisely there — in that elusive space — space emerges. Space to react. To follow rather than to determine.

The work is not an endpoint, but a trail of choices, moments, and chance: a dialogue between maker and material.

## Techniques

The bronze was cast directly into sand with beeswax outside the studio.

No mold. No intermediate step. Just the moment. A single, fluid movement. A stream that spreads out, seeks, converges. Until the bronze finds itself in form: *Tiny*.

After cooling, the work emerges. Sandblasted, brushed — not shaped, but exposed.

Structures become visible, flows legible, bulges light up.

What was already present is merely reinforced.

The whole rests on a small pedestal of warm red padauk wood, a soft counterpart to the solidified fire.

## Connected in Oeuvre

Where previously form arose from construction — conceived, guided, translated — *Tiny* germinates directly in the casting process itself.

Here, there is no predetermined direction, but an open encounter.

Less control. More acceptance.

A shift towards directness, towards trust in the material. *Tiny* marks a step, not as a conclusion, but as the beginning of a new movement.

## Facts

Year: 2026

Dimensions: 6 x 4.5 x 9 cm

Weight: 120 grams

Package: box

## Want to know more?

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