

# Basic Detail Report



## Title Woman's Boots

Date 1895-1900

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Machine-stitched leather, with cotton shoe lace, metal eyelets and hooks, and metal heel reinforcements

Description Light brown soft leather, closed tab, knee-high boots, likely designed for cycling. They are closely fitted to the leg, and lace up the front with a brown cotton shoelace, through twelve pairs of eyelets and ten pairs of enameled metal hooks. The boots are seamed up the center back. The back of the shoe is stitched with a faux seam to resemble quarters construction. The

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vamp is edged with decorative punch work, as is the toe cap. The toes are a

rounded point. The stacked leather heel is  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an inch high and is reinforced

with U-shaped metal tacks. The boot is unlined, and the soles are shaped for the

right and left foot.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth):  $15 \frac{3}{4} \times 2 \frac{3}{4} \times 10 \frac{1}{8}$  in.

(40 x 7 x 25.7cm)