

Basic Detail Report



Title Chemise

Date about 1800-1825

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Hand-stitched linen

Description Woman's chemise of plain linen, cut with separate front and back panels, joined by shoulder straps. The neckline is wide and square (6" deep x 11"

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wide.) The short (seven inches) sleeves are set smoothly into the shoulder strap.

Ease is provided by underarm gussets. The back panel of the chemise is

gathered into a one-inch band between the shoulders. The body of the chemise

is pieced to create the flare along the right front and left back.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (length x width across bottom): 47 3/4 x 36 1

/2in. (121.3 x 92.7cm) Other (Across top): 28 1/2in. (72.4cm)