

Basic Detail Report

Title Basket

Date about 1850

Primary Maker Tunxis People

Medium Plain-woven ash

Description Rectangular carrying basket made of plain-woven ash. This basket may have been worn on a string over a person's shoulder. The oval rim is single wrapped and double reinforced, with thick, flat interior and exterior reinforcement. Two handles are attached on one side. The warp splints are medium width, and the weft splints are medium to wide. There are heavy splints on the back. The base is openwork. There is swabbing on odd warp splints and on all weft splints in black, possibly walnut.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 6 1/4 x 12 1/2 x 7 1/4in.

(15.9 x 31.8 x 18.4cm)