

Basic Detail Report

Title A New and Accurate Map of Connecticut and Rhode Island

Date 1780

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Engraving; printer's ink on wove paper

Description Map of Connecticut and Rhode Island with the New York border to the west, Massachusetts to the north, Cape Cod Bay to the east, and the Atlantic Ocean south of Long Island to the south. Towns, rivers, and roads are indicated. Mountains and hills are shown by rows of peaks. "Lands granted by New York to Connecticut" are labeled at the left. A four point compass rose appears west of Block Island, which is identified as Block Rock Island. Many place names are misspelled. An elaborate cartouche with rococo decorations is at the lower right.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 10 1/4 x 13 3/8in. (26 x 34cm) Platemark (height x width): 10 1/2 x 13 1/2in. (26.7 x 34.3cm) Sheet (height x width): 12 x 14 5/8in. (30.5 x 37.1cm)