

Basic Detail Report

Title Basket

Date 1850-1860

Primary Maker Mahican People

Medium Plain-woven ash and oak

Description Rectangular covered basket made of plain-woven ash and oak. The rectangular rim is single wrapped and double reinforced, with thick, flat interior reinforcement and half-round exterior reinforcement. Two handles attach on the interior of the basket. The warp splints are medium width, and the weft splints are narrow to medium. The base is openwork. There is swabbing on the narrow weft splints colored with bluing. The basket has stamped designs colored in Spanish brown and bluing.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (height x width x depth): 5 3/4 x 11 1/8 x 8in.

(14.6 x 28.3 x 20.3cm)