Basic Detail Report



Object number NLA2009.19.DIC

Awayo

Date

Late 20th century

Artist/Maker

Unknown, Aymara

Medium

Handspun sheep and Ilama wool

Description

Awayo (awayu), utility shoulder cloth. Dark brown fields and multicolored stripes and pebble-woven bands with animal designs including a Spanish lion, Andean geese, other birds, and viscachas (South American rodent of chinchilla family). Outlining the bands are thinner bands of geometric hooked triangles.

Dimensions

36" L x 38" W