Basic Detail Report



Kente Cloth

Date

20th century

Artist/Maker

Unknown, Ewe

Medium

Cloth

Description

Cloth assembled from sixteen hand-woven strips, each about 3 1 /2-4 inches, to which five strips have been added in the other direction to one end of the cloth. Multicolored strips in both directions are the predominate pattern. Supplementary weft

designs include a human hand, scissors, diamonds, zigzags, confronting triangles (butterfly?), and other geometric patterns.

Dimensions

51 7/8" x 65"

Object number

AF2008.18.HAM