



Casco or Montera (Hat)

Date

20th C

Artist/Maker

Unknown, Quechua

Medium

Beads/glass, cloth, leather/hide, yarn, metallic foil, sequins, thread

Description

Molded hat (casco, montera) modeled after a Spanish conquistador's helmet. Decorated on top with leather appliqué double-curve designs. Decorated along edge with white fabric, with pink, gold and green foil circlets, sequins, white glass beads, and yarn pom-poms in yellow and pink. Edged in black leather with grommets at top front and back edge, and scalloped black leather sewn with white thread at the bottom edge all around.

Dimensions

c. 7" H x 8 3/4" W

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