

SA1003779

Antique Mushwani Tribal Rug,
Sistan Province, South-East
Persia.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA1003779

Date of manufacture: 1870

Dimensions

Height = 170 cm (66.9")

Width = 121 cm (47.6")

Description

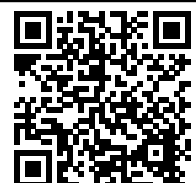
Mushwani tribal rugs in this small size are rare. This rug is an exceptional example of the type with full, lustrous, glossy wool and a phenomenal use of natural green. The rug is in excellent overall condition with only a few tiny areas of restoration and made circa 1860-1870. The nearest example to this one is illustrated in my 3rd edition 'Tribal Rugs - Treasures of the Black Tent' on page 77, another exceptional example but in a more standard size. The Mushwani tribe inhabit the mountains south of the Amu Darya river in the provinces of Herat, Badghis and Sistan and are often mistaken for 'Baluch'. Having mountain sheep accounts for the spectacular long staple, glossy wool - a rug which needs to be seen and handled to fully appreciate the quality. This rug has been given a full-page advertisement in the recent issue (216) of *HALL* magazine. Size: 1.70m x 1.21m (5' 7" x 4' 0").

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