

SA1004386

Caucasian Verneh, Circa 1890,
2.90m x 1.78m

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA1004386

Date of manufacture: 1890

Dimensions

Height = 290 cm (114.2")

Width = 178 cm (70.1")

Description

This dazzling Caucasian flatweave, often referred to as a Verneh, manages to feel both archaic and cool at the same time. Woven in five panels and then joined, the design is composed of squares in offset rows each decorated with geometric ornaments. Worked on a red plain weave background, the limited colour combination is dramatic with shades of red, yellow indigo, green and white, and touches of fuchsine. It's a mesmerising combination and a very good example of pre-commercial rural Caucasian weaving. Clean and in excellent condition.

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