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ANTIQUE UZBEK LAKAI SUZANI, SILK ON A RED WOOL GROUND, CIRCA 1920.

Price

GBP 950

| USD \$1,286 | EUR 1,112

Item Reference: SA1166783**Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 186 cm (73.2")

Width = 175 cm (68.9")

Depth = 1 cm (0.4")

Description

Size: 6ft 1in x 5ft 9in (186 x 175cm). Antique Uzbek Lakai tribe silk embroidered suzani cover on a red wool ground. Circa 1920. Suzani are silk embroideries that have been woven in Uzbekistan for many hundreds of years, they are treasured family items woven by the ladies of a family usually to celebrate a wedding. They are then used to decorate the inside of the Yurt. They are often embroidered in silk on strips of cotton which are then joined together to make the complete item. The suzani is then backed with fine cotton to give it strength and body. This small suzani embroidery is in silk on a red wool ground, it would have been used as a cover or hanging inside the family yurt. The suzani is backed with Russian printed cotton cloth. The condition is excellent with only very slight signs of use. Stock Number: T-0324.

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