

SA82067

ANTIQUE TURKISH SIIRT ANGORA MOHAIR BLANKET, CIRCA 1900.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA82067****Date of manufacture: 1910**

Dimensions

Height = 40 cm (15.7")

Width = 30 cm (11.8")

Depth = 20 cm (7.9")

Description

Size: 6ft 10in x 5ft 5in (210 x 165cm) Antique Turkish 'Siirt' Blanket (battaniye). Circa 1910. These blankets are made in the town of Siirt, in Turkey. They are a local tradition, woven on simple looms using Mohair wool from the local Angora goats. After weaving the face of the blanket is brushed with a steel comb to produce a very soft long pile. These blankets make ideal throws for covering furniture or beds, they also make ideal hangings with their bold graphic design. A superb old example with a very interesting medallion design and side design. Woven in four narrow strips joined together. Very thick heavy pile, the thickest I have ever seen. Excellent condition. Hand washed and ready for use or display. Stock Number: R-258

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