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Antique Salt-Bag, Kurdish-Jaf Tribes, Kurdistan.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA939929****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 55 cm (21.7")

Width = 45 cm (17.7")

Description

This rare and exceptional salt-bag ('namakdan' in Persian) was made by Jaf-Kurds during the last quarter of the nineteenth century. The face of the bag is knotted in lustrous, silky wool, comprising the 'double birds heads' symbol in the lower bag with the typical Jaf 'birds-heads' symbol in the neck. Particularly attractive are the long neck-straps with braided woollen cord warps leading to a tuft of red wool, a symbol of good luck. The reverse of this magnificent bag comprise narrow horizontal coloured bands in plain-weave technique. Size: 55cm x 45cm (1' 10" x 1' 6").

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