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Antique Salt-Bag, Khalaj Tribes, North-Central Persia.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA939930****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 48 cm (18.9")

Width = 46 cm (18.1")

Description

This magnificent 'namakdan' (salt-bag) is attributed to the Turkic nomads of Khalaj in north-central Persia. In fact, these tribes are linked to the Qashqa'i, having fled Turkmenistan in the 11th century with a group of nomads settling in Khalajistan and the rest of the tribe, moving further south-west into Fars Province where we know them today as the Qashqa'i. This rare and stunning salt-bag, made during the last quarter of the nineteenth century, is woven in weft-float brocade with knotted tufts of wool decorating the front face. Long warp threads emanate from the neck, braided together to form a decorative finish. Size: 48cm x 46cm (1' 7" x 1' 6").

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