

# Basic Detail Report



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## Moccasins

### Date

c. 1980

### Primary Maker

Slavey

### Medium

Smoke-tanned moosehide, dyed moosehair, beaver fur,

## Description

The ability to sew finely made and elaborately decorated footwear has been a traditional skill among Athapaskan women. These moccasins are decorated with dyed moosehair tufted in a floral pattern to create a raised effect. Throughout the 20th century Athapaskan women have used their needlework skills to make clothes for their families and produce items for sale.

## Dimensions

Overall: 3 x 6 x 8 1/4 in. (7.6 x 15.2 x 21 cm)