

# Basic Detail Report

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## Girdle

**Date**  
1790-1799

**Primary Maker**  
Captain Wilson

**Medium**  
Bark cloth

### Description

Decorated barkcloth folded lengthwise and decorated on the outer surfaces. Worn as part of a chief's regalia wrapped around the hips. Brought back to England by Captain Wilson after his missionary trip to the Pacific in his ship 'The Duff' in 1796. identified in the notes as from Raratonga.

### Dimensions

Object/Work: 3950 x 105 mm