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Provenience: Kenya Location Maii

People or Culture: Kamba Field No.

Object: Belt (musyando)

Material: Cloth, sisal, glass beads, copper chain

Description: Heavy belt made by circumcised but unmarried girls and worn high on the hips at dances. Five tight rolls of cloth are covered with strings of

2 mm. glass beads and bound together. Beads are white with bands of red, two shades of blue, and yellow. Two

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of the red bands have inset triangles of blue and white beads. Two closed copper chains form a loose closing.

Dimensions: Width 8.25 cm. Length 75 cm. Chains 18 cm. (in cm.) and 24 cm looped

Collection: Field Museum of Natural History Purchase 1974 3260 Collected by Mrs. Ann Prewitt 1972

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