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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: PERU, Rio Ampiyacu

Field No.

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People or Culture: Witoto

Object: Manioc squeezer or tipiti

Material: Bast fiber

Description: Relatively wide strips of brownish bast fiber woven into a long narrow piece with braided ends. Has been used and traces of whitish manioc adhere to the fiber. Made by men for women's use. This type also used by the Ocaina. Bora and others have the standard tubular kind of squeezer. Sketch reverse side

Neg. No.

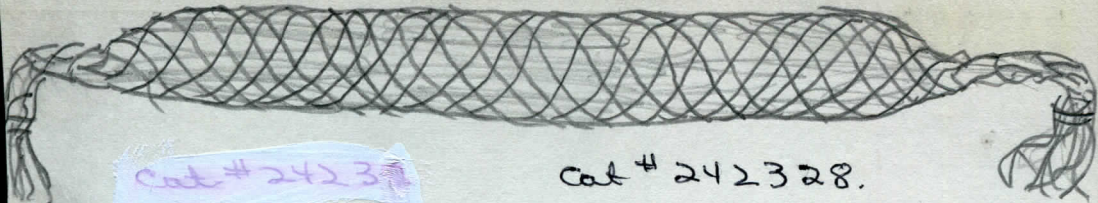
Dimensions:

(in cm.)

length 333, maximum width 23

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Collection: Purchased in 1962 from Borys Malkin, who made collection in 1961.



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