Basic Detail Report



Namahage Figures

Date

c. 1970

Medium

Wood, fiber, ceramic, paint

Description

Mold made, carved, sewn, painted. Two split-bamboocloaked figures, one holding staff with paper streamers. Ceramic masked faces, one red, gold, black, both horned, standing on cotton (snow?). Mounted on base. Ceramic hands. // See Haga, Hideo, "Japanese Folk Festivals Illustrated" plates, pages 10,11,12.

Dimensions

 $5 \frac{5}{16} \times 4 \frac{5}{16} \times 3 \frac{9}{16}$ in. $(13.5 \times 11 \times 9 \text{ cm})$