

Basic Detail Report



Ch'unchu Dance Figure

Date

1979

Primary Maker

Santiago Rojas Alvarez

Medium

Wood (maguey), gesso, fabric, paint

Description

Carved maguey wood; coated and formed with gesso, glue and fabric, all painted with oils. Mustached, male figure carries a spear and wears a red skirt, striped

stockings, black shoes, white blouse, black plastron (bib), yellow cape, as well as a large, multicolor feather headdress. Has long hair which hangs down back and is decorated with a doll, and a crossed knife and axe.

Dimensions

Overall: 13 x 6 x 5 in. (33.02 x 15.24 x 12.7 cm)