



Work Skirt In Indigo Or Pastel Striped Cotton - Provence Late 18th Century



890 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Excellent état

Length : 280 cm

Height : 102 cm

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Description

Circa 1750-1800 Provence - France Rare popular work skirt in Indigo or Pastel blue striped Cotonine dating from the second half of the 18th century. Coming from a private Provençal collection, this flat skirt, woven with arms in one piece in 140 cm long, constitutes a preserved testimony of a rustic canvas woven at home, of which very little testimony reaches us. Cotonine, with a canvas warp and a weft of yarn, from which sails were sometimes made for the galleys and the King's vessels, particularly at the Bagne de Marseille (see page 153 of Michel Biehn's book, *En Jupon Piqué et robe d' Indian*, Jeanne Laffitte 1987). Lower braid in Nîmes blue cotton twill. slit in front. Flawless piece, clean and preserved over time. Excellent state of conservation. Dimensions: 102 cm high by 280

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cm in circumference (140 cm flat).