

Basic Detail Report



Ampak Jawa

Date

2007

Medium

Water Buffalo Hide, Water-based Paint, Water Buffalo Horn, ancur, imitation gold leaf

Description

Shadow puppet / accessory. Large horizontal battle scene with troops carrying star-patterned shields in front, mounted cavalry with horses and behind. Standard is a red and white flag. Black and red spears and a wheeled cannon project in front. Performer: Ki Purbo Asmoro Artists: Sriyadi (leather carver), Yatna Tentrem (Painter) Place and Date Made: Wonogiri, 2007 Ampyak are army figures; they portray a whole army. The Ampyak Jawa figure represents the Javanese army, or the human or protagonist army. The Ampyak are used in every performance- for battle scenes, or for scenes showing the troops departure.

Dimensions

24 5/8 × 26 15/16 in. (62.5 × 68.5 cm)