



Part of a robe with design of three dragons above waves

Medium

Embroidered silk

Description

Embroidered silk rectangle, probably from an emperor's robe. Depicted in polychrome, three stylized dragons above tumultuous waves, set on a stylized cloud field. Below the waves there are parallel polychrome lines joining at an angle in the center. Above there is a flap with floral basket and vase motifs.

Dimensions

67 x 30 3/4 inches (170.2 x 78.1 cm)