Antique Rug Studio

Mid 19th Century Indian Agra Carpet

Description

The ultra-classic 17th century pattern of cloud bands, palmettes and rinceaux has been reduced and compacted into an allover textile-like pattern of wriggling, vermiculite forms swimming in a cranberry sea of mobile palmettes and rosettes. The main border is equally elaborate, but still preserves classical elegance.

The wine red field is closely covered by a compact sinuous cloud band, palmette, rosette, bird and stiff vinery pattern, all arranged around a small rosette centre. The main border features half and full cartouches and octofoils enclosing stylized peacocks. Indian weavers have made a specialty of square carpets. Well-woven antique in good condition. Measures: 15'8" x 17'0".

Stock ID: #17456
General Rug Type: Indian
Specific Rug Type: Agra
Circa: 1850
Color: Burgandy
Origin: India
Material: Wool

Weave: Pile - Knotted

Shape: Square

Width: 15' 8" (477.52 cm) Length: 17' (518.16 cm)

