

# Basic Detail Report

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## Jacket

**Date**

mid 20th Century

**Primary Maker**

Miao

**Medium**

Cotton

**Description**

This ceremonial jacket, possibly a wedding jacket, was made by the Miao of Guizhou, China. It is made of cotton and wax-resist dyed in indigo with a technique known as batik. This means that the design on the jacket was hand-drawn in hot wax before the cloth was dyed. After the pigment has settled, the fabric is boiled to remove the wax.

**Dimensions**

42 × 38 in. (106.7 × 96.5 cm)