

# Basic Detail Report

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## Headdress

**Date**

late 20th Century

**Primary Maker**

Dani

**Medium**

Feathers and plant fiber

**Description**

This Dani feather headdress is from the Baliem Valley in

Indonesia’s Papua Province. The Dani people tend to reserve ornamental items such as this feathered headdress for ceremonies and festivals, but birds of paradise feather headdresses are often also worn into battle by Dani men.

**Dimensions**

17 3/4 × 14 1/4 × 5 1/8 in. (45.1 × 36.2 × 13 cm)