



Embroidered Pocket

Medium

Plied silk thread, silk, silk velvet, cotton cording, and chamois leather

Description

A small ovoid pouch consisting of two linen panels worked entirely in Queen stitch in pale pink, medium green, light brown, tan, and off-white plied silk thread. The panels are sewn together and lined with soft chamois leather. Along the top of the open pouch, pairs of small decorative flaps are constructed of rich russet brown silk velvet, trimmed with pale pink silk sewn around fine cotton cord, creating a piped edging. The neck of the open pouch includes a narrow band of brown silk, possibly meant for a drawstring closure channel.

Dimensions

3.5 × 3 × 0.5 in. (8.9 × 7.6 × 1.3 cm)