

# Basic Detail Report

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## Quilt

### Medium

Various printed cottons

### Description

A quilt in the Shoo Fly pattern, comprised of square blocks set on point in a four by four arrangement, with wide sashing of plain white cotton, and four half-blocks along all four edges, with two quarter blocks at top left and bottom right corners. Fabrics range from large paisley and floral prints to smaller spotted and sprigged patterns in shades of pink, blue, red, brown, and tan. Fabrics date from around the 1860s through the late 19th century. The

backing, of the same plain white cotton as the sashing, encloses medium thickness batting. Front and back are bound with straight-cut plain white cotton. The blocks are quilted with simple relatively large outline stitches.

### Dimensions

72 × 71.25 in. (182.9 × 181 cm)