



Basket

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Title:	Basket
Date:	1880 – 1900
Material:	wood
Dimensions:	10.5 x 13.5 cm
Description:	Small round twined basket with rounded base and high sides closing in slightly at the mouth, natural buff colour background with brown design and black accents, design repeated three times around sides is of four brown parallelograms stacked on one another in stairlike fashion moving up to the right, with serrated edges of black-tipped triangles along the sides and narrow black lines between each parallelogram. Between each steplike series on the buff background is an oblique double zig-zag line running from bottom to top of the basket. Lip is finished with three rows of twining of a lighter brown colour, pattern not visible on inside. Paper tag rimmed with metal is attached with cord and wax through lip of basket; no writing is visible.
Subject:	households decorative Indigenous basketry
Credit:	Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1979
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