Antique Rug Studio

19th Century Indian Agra Carpet

Description

Agra is at its best in creatively interpreting the past, as in this superb rendition of a 17th century palmette and arabesque Indo-Persian carpet with an in and out palmette navy border. The vines tensely curl and swirl, layer upon layer, moving the palmettes in a never ending dance. The pattern is dynamic and mobile.

With an impeccable classical design ancestry, this red-rust ground northern Indian antique city carpet shows a two layer round arabesque pattern with in-and-out palmettes and cloud bands, accented with tiny birds. The navy border shows reversing flame palmettes and smaller palmettes and foliate elements. Very attractive and antique, well-woven and in good condition.

Stock ID: General Rug Type:	#18978 Indian
Specific Rug Type:	Agra
Circa:	1870
Color:	Burnt Rust
Origin:	India
Material:	Wool
Weave:	Pile - Knotted
Shape:	Rectangle
Width:	11' 6" (350.52 cm)
Length:	15' 10" (482.6 cm)



