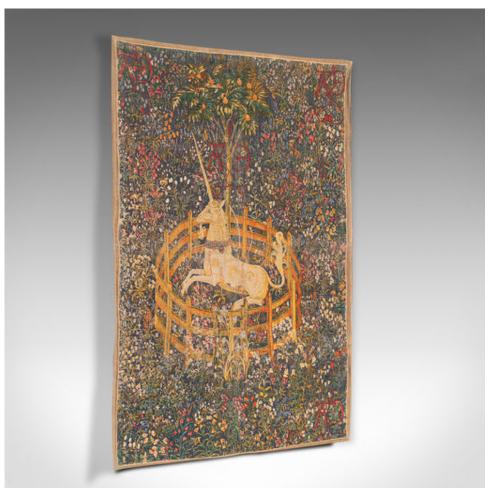


## Antique Decorative Tapestry, French, Needlepoint, Wall Covering, Unicorn, C.1920









## **DESCRIPTION**

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This is an antique decorative tapestry. A French, needlepoint wall covering scene depicting a unicorn, dating to the early 20th century, circa 1920.

A quality recreation of a 15th century renaissance tapestry known as la Licorne Captive (The Captive Unicorn). The original has been displayed in the Metropolitan Museum of New York.

- Suitable for decorative wall mounting at a size of 80cm x 121cm (31.5" x 47.75")
- Displaying a desirably aged patina with minimal signs of sun fading
- Quality needlepoint tapestry in very good order
- Superb colour palette in a multitude of bright hues
- The titular unicorn sits captive within a ring fence, signifying purity, marriage and fertility
  - Label to rear for the traditional French tapissiers Artis Flora
- $\bullet$  Key details of the piece in hand-written French, including the age of the original museum piece
  - Dressed to the rear with four hanging mounts for ease of wall display

## **DIMENSIONS**

Max Width: 80cm (31.5") Max Depth: 0.5cm (.25") Max Height: 121cm (47.75")



This is an appealing antique decorative tapestry with beautiful renaissance taste and