## RUGS DESCRIPTION

Rug Number A175B

17th Century

Title Brussels

Tapestry

11ft 00in X 10ft

Size 00in

3m 35cm X 3m

4cm



## **Description:**

Woven in silver metal thread, silk and wool, the subject depicts the story of Pan and Syrinx, and Alpheius and Arethusa from the Metamorphoses series, in a wooded landscape, an elaborate scrolling foliage and arabesque border decorated with flowers and arrow quivers. It's strong foundation allows it to survive the tests of time, growing more and more beautiful with age. A unique patina of wear over the years, makes it truly is one of a kind, meant to be enjoyed for many more years. This artisan handwoven antique masterpiece, made in Brussels around 1660, is truly a part of history. Hand-woven using natural materials and vegetable dyes is the reason its able to withstand so much over so long, growing more and more beautiful with age. A unique patina of wear over the years, makes it truly one of a kind, meant to be enjoyed for many more years.