

RUGS DESCRIPTION

Rug Number U-5013

Title Vintage Subdued
Turkish Oushak
Rug

Size 4ft 01in X 7ft 00in
1m 24cm X 2m
13cm



Description:

Oushak's are known for their soft palettes combined with eccentric drawing. Oushak in western Turkey has the longest continuous rug weaving history, stretching back at least to the mid-fifteenth century. It has always been oriented commercially, supplying rugs and carpets, from scatters up to enormous mansion sizes, to both the Turkish/Ottoman domestic markets and to exports into Britain, and America. The best-known family portrait of George Washington has an Oushak beneath the Founder and his family.
