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Source and ID: Straw Sandals Project Americas 7

Style: Slip-on shoe (e.g. slipper, moccasin, loafer)

Attachment of sole to vamp (upper): Discontinuous (sole and vamp made separately and then attached)

Sole front toe-loops: 0

Sole Side-toe loops: 0

Sole mid-sole loops: 0

Sole side heel-loops: 0

Sole back heel-loops: 0

Tie-system technique: Does not apply (no tie-system used)

Attached decorative element: None

Decoration: Pattern created by main construction technique

Sole warp or passive element: Does not apply (no warp used)

Sole weft or active element: Does not apply (no weft used)

Sole bundle: Does not apply (no bundle used)

Sole warp or passive element yarn ply: Does not apply (no warp used)

Sole warp or passive element yarn twist: Does not apply (no warp used)

Sole weft or active element yarn ply: Does not apply (no weft used)

Sole weft or active element yarn twist: Does not apply (no weft used)

Sole front edge finishing technique (selvage): Complex (contain added elements)

Sole back edge finishing technique (selvage): Complex (contain added elements)

Sole side edge finishing technique (selvage): Complex (contain added elements)

Sole construction technique: Non-woven sole

Sole warp material: Does not apply (sole made of solid material OR no warp)

Sole weft material: Does not apply (sole made of solid material OR no weft)

Sole solid (non-woven) material: Other

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element: Narrow strip

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element: Narrow strip

Upper (vamp + quarter) bundle: Does not apply (no bundle used)

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element yarn ply: 2 ply

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element yarn twist: S-twist

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element yarn ply: 1 ply

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element yarn twist: No twist

Upper (vamp + quarter) edge finishing technique (selvage): Complex (contain added elements)

Upper (vamp + quarter) construction technique: Plain compact 2-strand S-twist weft-twinning (warps and wefts used)

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp material: Other

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft material: Other

Upper solid (non-woven) material: Does not apply (vamp not made of solid material)

Structure of upper: Vamp and quarter

Overall sole shape: Symmetrical

Additional information: These small shoes were made of handmade paper by Donna Sakamoto Crispin. The paper is called Thai unryu paper and is made from inner mulberry bark. The paper was first decorated and then cut into thin strips and spun into cord. These were the wefts and were twined around pre-spun habu paper linen yarn. The sole is solid, made of layers of paper, with a painted design called meioses hitoe. Donna Crispin is a fiber artist of Japanese-American ancestry. She lives and works in Eugene, OR.

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