

Catalog ID: JpK12

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Source and ID: Straw Sandals Project Japan 5

Style: Lace-up boot

Attachment of sole to vamp (upper): Continuous

Sole front toe-loops: 0

Sole Side-toe loops: 0

Sole mid-sole loops: 0

Sole side heel-loops: 2 symmetrical

Sole back heel-loops: 2 symmetrical

Tie-system technique: Crisscross system

Attached decorative element: None

Decoration: Pattern created by main construction technique

Sole warp or passive element: Coarse, fibrous, rounded element

Sole weft or active element: Coarse, fibrous, flattened element

Sole bundle: Does not apply (no bundle used)

Sole warp or passive element yarn ply: 2 ply

Sole warp or passive element yarn twist: Z-twist

Sole weft or active element yarn ply: 2 ply

Sole weft or active element yarn twist: No twist

Sole front edge finishing technique (selvage): Simple (produced from elements already in the sole)

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Sole side edge finishing technique (selvage): Simple (produced from elements already in the sole)

Sole construction technique:	1 by 1 weft faced plainweave (warps and wefts used)
Sole warp material:	Straw or grass
Sole weft material:	Straw or grass
Sole solid (non-woven) material:	Does not apply (sole not made of solid material)
Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element:	Coarse, fibrous, rounded element
Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element:	Coarse, fibrous, flattened element
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:	2 ply
Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element yarn twist:	No twist
Upper (vamp + quarter) edge finishing technique (selvage):	None (elements simply cut off)
Upper (vamp + quarter) construction technique:	1 by 1 plain balanced weave (warps and wefts used)
Upper (vamp + quarter) warp material:	Straw or grass
Upper (vamp + quarter) weft material:	Straw or grass
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: Unlike Japan 6 that has a woven quarter, the quarter and leg portion of this boot are made of bundled wefts reinforced by two rows of stitching. This boot has a tie system made from extensions of the sole warps that come up from the toe and are woven into the vamp. The loop system starts from the heel loop, passes through a side heel loop, and returns to the heel. The ties are threaded through the loop system and are then crisscrossed around the lower leg to secure the boot.

The code for describing this specimen is

					6	1	1	1	1	3	3
3	1	4	5	6	-9	2	3	2	1	2	2
2	2	2	2	-9	5	6	-9	2	2	2	1
1	3	2	2	-9	3	1					