



## Stretching Silk Floss

**Date**  
1772

**Primary Maker**  
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**Medium**  
Woodblock print

**Description**  
Women in a yard stretching silk floss. At bottom left a woman is heating balls of floss over a stove. Two women at right are stretching floss over a pole. The last woman is hanging the stretched floss over a line.

**Dimensions**  
Overall: 10 1/4 x 7 1/2 in. (26 x 19.1 cm) Mat Overall: 20 x 16 in. (50.8 x 40.6 cm)