

# [Off-white silk kimono with plum blossom design]

#### **Date**

1880-1920

### Medium

silk, gold thread, silver thread

## **Description**

1 kimono: silk; 58.5 x 24.5 (center back) in., sleeves 24 x 12 in. (tapering to 11.5 in.), collar 4.25 in. wide.;Off-white kimono with plum blossom (ume) design on exterior and interior of front panel at hemline. Ume flowers and branches are hand painted in charcoal gray, green and gold ink; center of dark flowers are stitched with gold thread; small round "buds" are satin stitched in silver-gray thread. Lined with off-white silk batiste three-quarters of front and back panels, sleeves and collar. There is a Kamon (family crest) design of a butterfly with diamond-shaped flower in purple ink located on center back below collar, back of both sleeves and front chest (same as 2004.1.125 and 126).

### **Dimensions**

L: 58.5 in, center back: 24.5 in