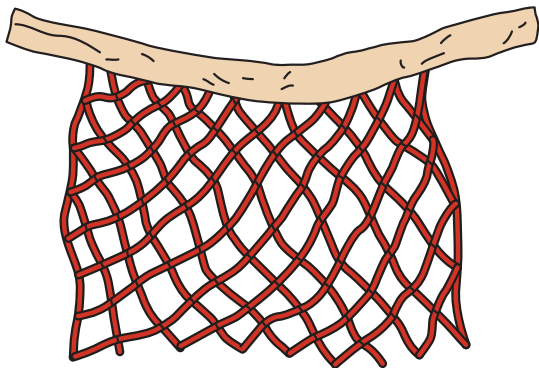


UGBĖKUN

Girdle



Ugbekun (girdle) is the literal translation for 'objects which are tied around the waist'.

Ugue-egen is another word which can be used to describe a girdle-like object. These may be worn by the Qba or chiefs either underneath or on top of clothing. When underneath, medicine or potent charms may be added for protection.

