

# Basic Detail Report

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## Miniature diatonic harmonica, A

### Date

1980-1985 ca.

### Primary Maker

Gaitas Fabrica Hering (GFH)

### Description

Metal casings, red plastic comb, 2 reed plates with 4 reeds each, 8 reeds. 4 holes, 2 reeds per hole (1 blow, 1 draw). Alfred Hering, a German immigrant to Brazil, founded the company in 1923. He previously worked as a Hohner sales representative, serving the considerable German Brazilian populations of the South and Southeast Regions. While the company primarily manufactured accordions, it also made harmonicas and musical toys.

### Dimensions

Length: 34.7 mm Width: 13 mm Height: 11 mm