



Flute, C

Date

1772-1790 ca.

Primary Maker

Friedrich Gabriel August Kirst

Description

Boxwood body in four sections of two additional upper middle joints (three corps de rechange in total). One brass key, mounted in a turned block, with chamfered flap. Ivory headcap and ferrules. Stamped with the Prussian eagle, this flute was made by F. G. A. Kirst, who was in the employ Frederick the Great as a flute maker.

Dimensions

Overall length: 618 mm, 610 mm, 604 mm (with each corps de rechange) Embouchure hole: 10.3 mm x 8.4 mm Sounding length: 536.6 mm, 528.8 mm, 522.6 mm (with each corps de rechange)