

Basic Detail Report

Square piano

Date

1783-1785 ca.

Primary Maker

Christian Baumann

Description

Compass: FF-f3 (5 octaves). Three hand stops: buff, two dampers at each side of keyboard. Naturals: Black (ebony?) with two scribe lines including head/tail seam Sharps: ivory slips on dark-stained wood (ebony?) Flat, dark-stained wood key fronts Tuning pins on right Prop stick on left Walnut, inlaid cross-grain lid panels, rosewood banding 4 round, tapered and fluted legs Double-strung throughout Prellmechanik ("primitive German," according to Clinkscale Online)

Dimensions

Length: 1497 mm (Sigal) Width: 525 mm (Sigal) Height of case: 180 mm Height: 615 mm (Sigal) Three-octave measure: 470 mm (Sigal)