

# Basic Detail Report

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## Violin bow

### Date

1760 ca.

### Description

This transitional bow has a long, curved tip in its original form, which was often cut off by players as fashions for bows changed. Stick: round; pernambuco; uneven faceting at handle Head: swan head with pronounced nose; rounded outline to front and back edges Frog: dark tropical hardwood; no slide; decoratively cut back edge; slides in grooves cut in handle; probably later Adjuster: ivory; tapered Tip plate: none Wrapping: none Grip: none

### Dimensions

723 mm long Stick length: 702 mm Head height: 19.9 mm Head width (bottom): 7.8 mm Stick width near tip: 5.2 mm (top to bottom); 5.1 mm (side to side) Stick width near middle: 7.1 mm (top to bottom); 7.1 mm (side to side) Stick width at end of handle: 8.9 mm (top to bottom); 9.1 mm (side to side) Frog height: 20.9 mm (front); 14.9 mm (back) Frog length (top): 48.9 mm Frog length (bottom): 47.5 mm Frog width (top): 9.2 mm (front); 9.3 mm (back) Frog width (bottom): 9.7 mm (front); 9.7 mm (back) Weight: 45.1 grams