

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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General Provenience: Australia

Where collected:

Tribe:

Where made: West Australia

People:

Attribution: Gascoyne District

Culture:

Brief description: Spear-thrower

Detailed description: Smooth, brown wood. Only two short incised parallel marks on upper surface near handle. Blob of gum at handle end. Wooden pin bound on with European cord probably by a European to keep the pin in place. Originally the pin was set in gum and may have been bound also. See reverse

DIMENSIONS (in cm.):

length: 66.5

height:

diameter:

width: 5.5

circumference:

Fuller Collection: Purchased from Captain A. W. F. Fuller of London, England, in 1958
Acquired by Fuller on Nov. 27, 1925.

Old paper label stuck to surface of specimen reads:

"Womera

or throwing stick

Gascoyne District"

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