

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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General Provenience: Polynesia New Zealand

Where collected:

Tribe:

Where made:

People: Maori

Attribution:

Culture:

Brief description: (Taiaha) Weapon-staff

Detailed description: Dark brown wood; polished. Flax covered cotton ball beneath an ornamentation of feathers (tauri) and dog hair (awe). Shell inlay present in all four eyes. Blade is narrower at its base than it is distally.

See reverse ☒

DIMENSIONS (in cm.):

length: 158.7

height:

diameter:

width: 5.3

circumference:

Fuller Collection: Purchased from Captain A. W. F. Fuller of London, England, in 1958
 Acquired by Fuller on January 5, 1937.



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