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Field No.

Provenience: Africa. Central Cameroon

People or Culture: Bamum

Object: Statue

Material: Metal

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Description: Female figure, holding in left hand a club-like staff with knobbed shaft and in right hand a long-handled ladle or cup, is seated on zig-zag backed chair. Figure is leaning back but not touching chairback with head tilted back. Hair is dressed in elaborate style coming to point at top and spiral at either side. Figure wears pendant necklace, bracelets, and a long decorated loincloth which falls between legs and spreads out at base. End of club rests on

Dimensions: base of loincloth. Color is reddish black and (in cm.) Height: 19.7. surface is roughly textured.

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Collection: Presented by the Sultan of Bamoun
(El Hadj Seidou N. Njova) 31 January 1967.

