

**AGENT**

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Provenience: PERU, Colonia Calleria, Rio Calleria

Field No.

People or Culture: Shipibo

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Object: Carved figure

Material: Balsa wood

Description: Standing human figure carved from a single piece of balsa. Modeled face and head on a squared post-like body. Hair painted solid brown; face and body painted with black and brown geometric line design. Figure made by men; painted mostly by women.

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Dimensions:  
(in cm.)

height: 49.0 base: 5.8 x 6.6

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Collection: Purchased in 1962 from Borys Malkin, who made collection in 1961.

