



## Whistle

### Date

20th Century

### Primary Maker

Abelam

### Medium

Coconut shell

### Description

Whistles from Papua New Guinea typically are made out of natural, easily locatable materials such as clay, bamboo and coconut shell. Traditionally, these whistles featured animal shapes and designs. They could have been used in religious ceremonies as well as clan specific ceremonies.

### Dimensions

5 3/8 × 1 3/4 × 1 1/2 in. (13.7 × 4.4 × 3.8 cm)