

# Basic Detail Report

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## Crossbow

**Date**

20th Century

**Primary Maker**

Beti-Pahuin

**Medium**

Wood

**Description**

This wooden crossbow was made by the Bulu people of Cameroon. The Bulu are a subgroup of the Beti-Pahuin (also known as Fang-Beti) peoples, a large division of the Bantu-speaking cultures spread across central and southern Africa. The crossbow features a sleek, function-based design typical of those made in the region.

**Dimensions**

Assembled: 46 × 21 × 1 1/2 in. (116.8 × 53.3 × 3.8 cm)