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Artifact Number	77-1102
Current Cultural Affiliations	French Canadian
All Affiliations	French Canadian
Category	04: tools and equipment for materials
Sub-category	D120: food service tools and equipment
Place of Origin	Country - Canada, Province - Quebec
Measurements	Length 41.0 cm, Width 10.0 cm, Depth 4.5 cm
Caption	Maple-Syrup Testing Spoon, Quebec, 20th century
Additional Information	This spoon was used for testing the thickness of maple syrup for eating as taffy. If the little hole below the handle became blocked when the spoon was dipped into the boiling sap, the syrup was ready to be poured over the snow. The craftsman carved this utensil out of a single piece of wood. His artistry is apparent in the ornamentation of the handle.

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