

Title: Bison Licking its side

Location: La Madeline France

Date: 12,000 BCE

This small carving was found in a cave in France. The timeline suggests it's from the Ice Age. It is just over 4 inches long, and carved out of a reindeer antler. The bison is licking its side, giving the carving life. This is a relief sculpture, meaning that the depth was carved out while still leaving it in one shape. This carving may have been part of a spear thrower.

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