

Schumann's Wheel Tachistoscope

Inv.-No.	02075
Developer	Friedrich Schumann (1863-1940)
Manufacturer	unknown
Date	Approximately between 1905 and 1929
Material	Cast iron, aluminium, brass
Dimensions (h, w, d; in mm)	870 x 790 x 180



Friedrich Schumann developed this type of Tachistoscope at the beginning of the 20th century. It became famous through the work of Max Wertheimer on apparent motion, the so-called phi-phenomenon.

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