

The Cello Bows



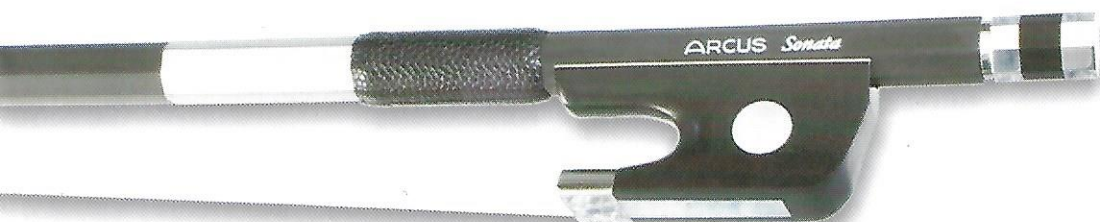
Cadenza - The outstanding beauty in sound and projection characterises our best bows. Only a small percentage of our sticks have these special qualities and so become a Cadenza. We use the most beautifully patterned snakewood for the frogs and buttons. The mountings, including the tip plate and the wrapping are made from 14K gold. Alternatively the Cadenza is also available with sterling silver mountings.



Concerto - The Concertos are on the same sound level as the best old wooden master bows. The combination of the characteristic resiliency and low weight makes them much sought-after not only by professional musicians. Deeply flamed abalone inlays round off sterling silver mountings, and a snake wood frog. The underside and screw are made from titanium to realise ultimate strength at low mass.



Sinfonia - For the Sinfonia the satin shine of the carbon fibres is enhanced beautifully by the jet-black of the ebony frog and the brightness of the silver mountings. The extravagant silver-black winding offers a particularly secure hold and thus helps to develop a very relaxed right hand. The resonance of the sticks is on a very high level and matches that of many much more expensive wooden bows.



Sonata - The sticks of the Sonatas are made from exactly the same materials and by exactly the same methods as those of their siblings. That is why they have exact the same resiliency and agility. In terms of sound they surpass most other carbon fibre and wooden bows in their price range. We assemble the Sonatas with an ebony frog and nickel silver mountings. For the hair we use only the best available quality, as with all Arcus bows.

Our cello bows open entirely new dimensions of playing. Although they feature double the resiliency of a "normal" cello bow, their weight of about 68 grams is only that of a traditional viola bow. Because the length of the stick is 71,5 cm, the hair is 1-2 cm longer than usual, which opens new possibilities in your playing.

What many cellists especially like about the Arcus bows, is that they respond extremely well, from the C-string to the highest positions they pull a unique clear, open and carrying sound.

All our cello bows come with octagonal sticks.

