

## Harpoon heads



Bruce White photo

**Front: Okvik; rear: Punuk; left and middle: Old Bering Sea. Largest, 13.4 cm**



**OBS II harpoon head, 12.8 cm**

Above: A self-tipped harpoon head with three basal barbs, an open socket with a double line hole, and bifacially flaked stone side blades. The side blades reflect an ancient method of weapon design that extends back thousands of years into the Siberian Neolithic (Bronshtein, 2009). Below: A very similar 15.1 cm example from Ekven burial 300.

