A000-Afr-Congo DR-Headrest-Double Caryatid--Wood-19th c

***Note:******The Democratic Republic of the Congo*** *has been known as, in chronological order, the Congo Free State, Belgian Congo, the Republic of Congo-Léopoldville, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Republic of Zaire, before returning to its current name the Democratic Republic of the Congo or, hereinafter, Congo DR.*

***Note: The Kongo people*** *(singular: Mukongo, pl. Bakongo) speak Kikongo, a Bantu language, who have lived along the Atlantic coast of Central Africa, in a region that, by the 15th century, was a centralized and well-organized Kongo Kingdom but is now a part of three countries: the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the Republic of the Congo and Angola.*



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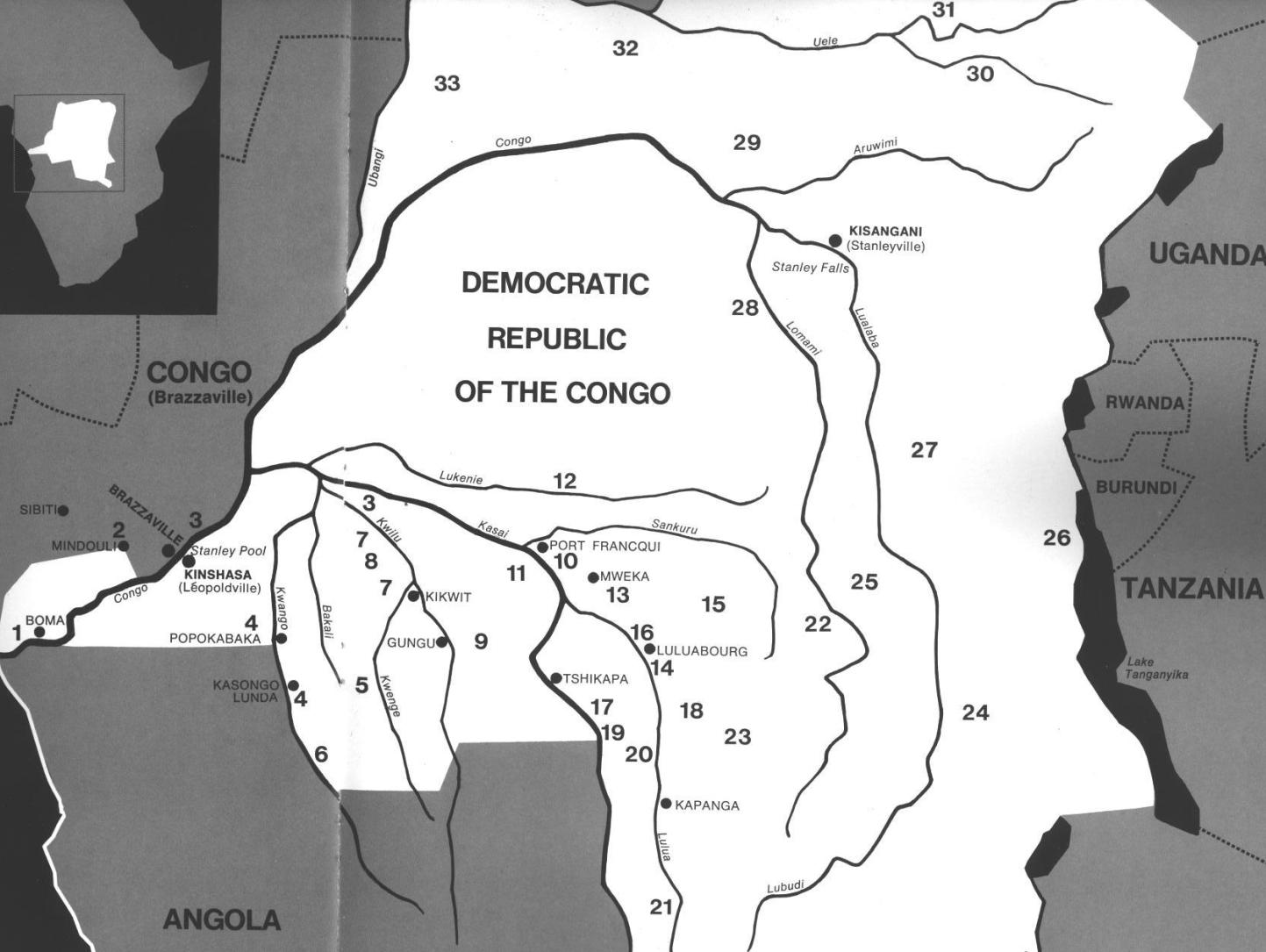
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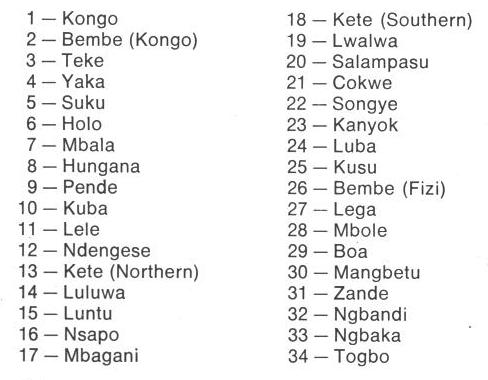


Fig. 1. Map of Kongo Cultures, West Central Africa. After Walker Art Center 1967. 9 is Pende.

**GPS coordinates:** 7° 46' 19.3" (7.772°) S, 24° 17' 44.9" (24.2958°) E

**Cultural Affiliation:** Pende, Central Bantu

**Media:** wood, raffia, kaolin, ferruginous earth

**Dimensions:** H 20.866 in

**Weight:** 2.52 pounds

**Condition: original**

**Provenance:** Kitangwa

**Discussion:**

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