

## Saber Cold Steel 1860 U.S. Heavy Cavalry Saber

### Category:



**Product ID: 88HCS**

**Manufacturer: Cold Steel**

**Price: 339.00 EUR**

**Availability: Out of stock**

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At the outbreak of the American Civil War, there were two types of sabers issued to the Federal Cavalry: "light" and "heavy". The light version was popular, but the heavy model, dubbed the "Old Wrist Breaker" was the one worth owning, as it was a superior weapon. Its 36" blade offered big reach advantages over most sabers, and its substantial weight gave it the leverage to easily crush bones and sever limbs or even a head with a single blow. The brass guard had three bars to protect the hand and the grip was wire bound leather and capped with a sturdy pommel. In its double ringed, steel scabbard, it could be easily attached to a saddle or to a belt.

After examining and handling a number of original 1860 Heavy Cavalry Sabers, we decided to make our own reproduction with a few improvements. Our blade is made from 1055 carbon steel with a hard spring temper and will pass the British Proof Test.

### Product parameters:

- Total length: 105,4 cm
- Blade length: 91,4 cm
- Blade thickness: 8 mm
- Weight: 1,21 kg
- Steel: 1055 carbon steel

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