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  Badminton racket.

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  Badmintonschläger.

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  Raquette de badminton.

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  A badminton racket (20) has a frame (21) with a head portion (22), a throat portion (23), and a shaft portion (24) which terminates in a handle portion (25). The racket (20) is lighter than prior badminton rackets, and the balance point or center of gravity of the racket is closer to the head end (33) than the handle end (30). <IMAGE>

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