



Gold Box And Composition From The 18th Century

6 500 EUR



Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gold

Diameter : 5,9

Height : 3

Description

Circular box or snuffbox in gold and composite material. As its name suggests, it is made up of a material composed of crushed fish scales to which a binder and a pigment of one's choice are added, thus forming a composite material. Fine threads of yellow gold are then encrusted in it. A frame decorated with yellow gold braid frames this composition. The snuffbox pusher is chiseled with a fine foliage pattern. The hinge is highlighted by four gold rivets. The interior is entirely lined with brown tortoiseshell.

Some gaps and wear.

Work from the end of the 18th century, Louis XVI.

Gold census hallmarks from the 18th century.

Recheck owls.

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