



Compass Made In Germany Circa 1730 In Its Original Case



3 800 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Brass

Length : dimensions du cadran : 6,7 cm x 6,7 cm x 1,3 cm ; de l'écrin : 8,3 cm x 8,5 cm x 2,2 cm.

Description

Circular compass in gilded and silvered brass resting on a square gilded brass plate entirely engraved with acanthus leaves and scrolls.

The blued steel needle has a brass pivot that can be locked by a small system.

The bottom of the compass is engraved with the 4 cardinal points and an arrow indicating the magnetic declination at approximately 12° West.

The whole thing is covered in glass.

The back of the instrument is unengraved, revealing two screws that hold the compass in place.

Dimensions of the dial: 6.7 cm x 6.7 cm x 1.3 cm; of the case: 8.3 cm x 8.5 cm x 2.2 cm.

With its shaped case.

Made in Germany circa 1730.

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