



18th Century Snuff Box In Gold, Martin Varnish / Composition & Tortoiseshell. Louis XVI

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Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Gold

Diameter : 7 cm

Height : 3 cm



Description

Superb 18th century box in gold-mounted composition.

The box is round, in black Martin type composition or varnish.

The base, lid and opening are enhanced with large yellow gold rims.

The lid is decorated with a cut-out number, probably in rose gold, placed on embossed metallic paper. These letters L and C formed by scrolls and flowers are the initials of the person to whom this box was given, these boxes were generally offered as a token of friendship or love.

A gold rim highlights this composition.

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The inside of the box is plated with tortoiseshell.

The box bears a few tiny illegible hallmarks which are most likely Ancien Régime discharge hallmarks.

Magnificent gold-mounted box with a superb cut-out number, in very good condition.

7 cm in diameter

3 cm high

60.38 grams

Very good state. Slightly pitted embossed paper and minor wear to the varnish.

Hand delivery in Paris or sending by insured Colissimo.

??France: 15EUR

Europe: 20EUR

World: 35EUR