Duccomun Girod Music Box With Large Diameter Cylinder

6 200 EUR



Signature : Duccomun Girod

Period : 19th century

Condition : Restauré par notre atelier

Material : Wood marquetry

Length : 41

Height : 14.5

Depth : 18

Description

Very early large cylinder music box (Ca 1838) The mechanism has a setting of 2 per revolution, but plays 1 melody in 2 parts on the first revolution, giving 7 melodies in total. The flat brass plate is signed at the top left, just next to the comb, "Ducommun Girod". The comb has fine, slender teeth and has a very nice sound. Some screws have undergone heat treatment and are blue in color, the mechanism is attached to the case by 4 blued screws (2 at the rear and 2 at the front). The case is of the old type with a flap on the left, covering the 3 control levers. The case is veneered with rosewood on all sides and features fine symmetrical marquetry on the top of the lid. There are traces of the original instruction paper.

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