



Paris Porcelain Pair Of Vases "the Flowering", France, Circa 1880



5 200 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Porcelain

Width : 23

Height : 27,5

Depth : 17

Description

Beautiful pair of white porcelain vases richly decorated with beautiful polychrome floral compositions and butterflies enhanced with gold on a blue background, framed by golden porcelain handles in the shape of a lion's head enclosing a ring in the mouth.

These vases are rimmed with gold at the necks and feet.

Paris Porcelain

Since the discovery of kaolin, needed material for the making of porcelain, porcelain factories also called porcelain manufactures are on the increase in all France and naturally in Paris. Most of those manufactures worked in the 18th century under the protection of a member of the Royal family, such the comte de Provence, future Louis XVIII,

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who protected the Clignancourt manufacture. But during the 18th and 19th century, numerous pieces did bear no making mark. It was then almost impossible to attribute them to any particular Parisian factory, hence the expression "Paris porcelain" or "Vieux Paris" including all those various productions.