



Italian Cabinet, 17th Century

11 000 EUR

Period : 17th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Wood marquetry



Description

This remarkable 17th-century Italian cabinet is a masterpiece of craftsmanship, combining ebony and ebonized wood with tortoiseshell veneers, finely crafted brass mounts, and delicate brass inlays. Designed in the Baroque architectural style, this cabinet features an imposing central section reminiscent of a classical facade, flanked by elegant Tuscan-style columns. Opening the central doors reveals a richly decorated interior, designed for striking theatrical effect. The mirrored back accentuates depth and luminosity, reflecting a carefully cast bronze cherub placed in the center. Surrounding the central niche are numerous finely crafted drawers, combining aesthetic beauty with functional storage. Each drawer retains its original 17th-century locks, demonstrating the level of detail and security

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mechanisms of the period. The cabinet is supplied with two separate period keys: one for the central doors and one for the side drawers. The combination of fine materials, intricate craftsmanship, and theatrical illusion make this an exceptional collector's item. Dimensions (without table): 78.5 x 36 x 135 cm Condition: Excellent overall condition, with minimal signs of wear consistent with age. The structure is solid, the original locks are functional, and the tortoiseshell and brass inlays are well preserved.