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Wristwatch By Jean Dinh Van



350 EUR

Signature : Jean Dinh Van

Period : 20th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Diameter : 35 mm

Description

Jean Dinh Van (born 1927) Wristwatch, steel and leather. With its original box. Jewelry and design work, 20th century. This wristwatch exemplifies the refined and resolutely modern aesthetic of Jean Dinh Van, a major figure in French design whose work, since the 1960s, has been characterized by a quest for absolute simplicity and functional perfection. The circular case, remarkably understated, is distinguished by its steel bezel with exposed screws--a discreet signature of an industrial vocabulary elevated by formal rigor. The slightly textured matte white dial features minimalist hour markers that extend the ideal of clarity and purity so dear to the designer. The slender hands reflect this economy of means, lending the reading of time a fluidity that is almost instinctive. Paired with a patinated

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black leather strap, the watch gains presence and affirms its status as a timeless design object. The original case, crafted from varnished wood, completes the ensemble. Its understated yet elegant design reflects Dinh Van's meticulous attention to the overall experience of the object: presentation, protection, and enhancement. The contrast between the case's organic material and the watch's metallic precision reinforces the tactile and sensory dimension of the piece. This timepiece thus embodies the essential qualities of Jean Dinh Van's work: a radical vision of luxury, founded on simplicity, perfect proportions, and the harmony between form and function. More than an accessory, the watch stands as a discreet manifesto of modern and essential design.