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Pair Of Meiji Satsuma Vases By Hodota Shoten, Black Ground With Gilt, C.1890



2 000 EUR

Signature : Satsuma

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Ceramic

Diameter : 15 cm

Height : 25 cm

Description

A collectible, design-forward pair of Japanese Satsuma vases from the late Meiji period, circa 1890. Each vase combines a finely painted figural scene of courtly ladies with an uncompromising black-and-gold aesthetic. The deep black, lacquer-like ground is densely enriched with gilt chrysanthemum and scrolling ornament, while a cobalt-blue band and gilded lip sharpen the profile.

The bases carry gilt inscriptions reading ?? (Satsuma) and ??? (Hodota), with the circular Shimazu crest, linking the pair to Hodota Shoten of Yokohama.

Measurements

Height: approx. 25 cm each

Diameter: approx. 15 cm each

Weights: 1179 g and 1197 g

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## Condition

Vase A is in superb condition with minimal wear to the rim gilding. Vase B has a very fine, superficial hairline visible only on the interior, with no exterior manifestation and no signs of repair. The pair presents exceptionally well overall.