School Abacus - Folk Art - 19th Century



180 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 60

Height : 60

Depth : 25

Description

A superb educational abacus, a testament to the teaching of elementary arithmetic at the end of the 19th century. This master model, designed to sit on a desk, features an architecturally structured solid wood frame resting on two elegant, bracket-shaped legs. It comprises ten rows of turned wooden beads, displaying a remarkable original patina, dark and nuanced by time. The contrast between the natural wood and the metal rods creates a striking visual effect, typical of scientific and technical curiosities of the period. Key features: o Authenticity: An original, unrestored school object that has retained all its character. o Decoration: Ideal for a cabinet of curiosities or an "Industrial/Trade" themed setting. o Condition: Sound and stable structure, authentic patina.

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