



Sheet Iron Coffee Grinder, "hourglass" Model, 17th-18th Century



430 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Wrought iron

Diameter : 12.5 cm

Height : 31.5 cm

Description

Iron Sheet Coffee Mill, "Hourglass" Model, 17th-18th Century. An authentic antique coffee mill, dating from the late 17th or 18th century, belonging to the so-called "hourglass" or "diabolo" model, emblematic of the first domestic mills that appeared in France during the reign of Louis XIV. Made entirely of iron sheet, its body has an elegant truncated conical shape with a double curve, characteristic of these antique models, which were both functional and robust. It is equipped with a side plate for mounting on a table; this plate is distinguished by a heart-shaped attachment bracket, a detail as charming as it is typical of the craftsmanship of the period. The crank, with its turned wooden handle, is removable and ingeniously designed: it also serves to tighten and loosen the two screws on the

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plate, demonstrating a design that is as simple as it is effective. This mill perfectly illustrates the craftsmanship of artisans from the early days of coffee consumption in Europe, combining clean lines with great sturdiness. Its hourglass design reflects the ingenuity of everyday objects from that period. Dimensions: Total height with crank: 31.5 cm; Height of the body alone: 20.5 cm. In very good condition. A small, old tin repair is visible under the collection tray, without affecting its sturdiness or appearance. The mill is complete, functional, and displays a superb mottled patina on the metal, preserved in its original condition. A rare and authentic piece, ideal for collectors or enthusiasts of antique objects related to the history of coffee. Price excludes shipping. Police Register Ref: A009. Professional Antiques Dealer - Guarantee & Peace of Mind. As a professional antiques dealer, I am committed to offering only authentic, carefully selected, and legally marketable items. Each piece is chosen for its historical, aesthetic, or collectable value and undergoes rigorous verification of its provenance. Invoice and traceability. Each purchase is accompanied by a detailed invoice and a certificate of authenticity, guaranteeing the object's origin and ensuring complete transparency. Legal compliance. All items comply with current French and European legislation. Any archaeological objects are offered in accordance with the French Heritage Code (articles L.542-1 et seq.). Items that may be subject to specific regulations (cultural, antique, or made of particular materials) are sold within a strictly legal framework. International buyers. Buyers outside of France are advised to check the applicable regulations in their country regarding the importation of cultural or antique goods. Right of withdrawal. In accordance with the law (article L.221-18 of the French Consumer Code), you have 14 days after receipt to return an item. Return shipping costs are the responsibility of the buyer. The item must be returned in its original condition. Quality guaranteed. Buying from a

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