



Jacob Desmalter - Pair Of Empire Period Mahogany Armchairs - Stamped.

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Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Mahogany

Description

Pair of Empire lounge chairs in mahogany and mahogany veneer, with straight, slightly curved backs, palmette and scrolled armrests and baluster legs. Our armchair is richly upholstered in yellow-gold and white silk with a placed rosette and star motif (Lelièvre). Late Empire period, early 19th century, circa 1810. Stamped by Jacob Desmalter et Cie JACOB. D. R. MESLEE, used between 1803 and 1813. Each seat bears an illegible handwritten château label. The Jacob dynasty is probably France's most prestigious cabinetmakers of the late 18th and early 19th centuries, with immense success as suppliers to the Garde-Meuble Impérial (as well as that of the Crown before and after the Empire). Seating from Jacob's workshop is recognized, quality of execution, perfect

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proportions and great originality. and originality in the creation of new shapes and models. It is interesting to note, when analyzing the Jacobs' production to note that the seating designs produced by this prestigious workshop are very often a combination of decorative motifs, leg shapes, armrests, and the connection between the armrests and the backrest. From one piece of salon furniture to another, ensuring the client a unique model, while increasing productivity at the Jacob workshop, which hired up to 350 workers during the Empire. Beautiful model, the proportions are generous, the armchair is comfortable due to its curved backrest. We are selling a suite with a matching pair of chairs, as well as a third armchair and a third chair on request to make up a more complete set of salon furniture (see overall photos). Very good overall condition, armchair relined and upholstered to new in this beautiful luminous silk 10 years ago. The fabric is in very good home condition, no stains, a few light traces of use. The old varnish on the mahogany has been cleaned and repolished by our cabinetmaker. Width: 61cm Height: 93cm Depth: 60cm Seat height : 40,5cm