



The Charles Bloud Sundial In Dieppe



3 800 EUR

Signature : Charles Bloud (1653-1699)

Period : 17th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Ivory

Length : 8.1 cm

Width : 7.6 cm

Height : 1.7 cm

Description

Rare universal sundial made of ivory. Signed around the perpetual calendar: Charles Bloud in Dieppe. On the front when the dial is closed: markings from 1 to 12 at 2 o'clock. On the back, the engraved silver perpetual calendar. Opens via two small silver (?) clasps, revealing the compass (magnetic needle) with the compass rose on an ivory-colored paper background featuring the names of numerous countries and cities. This analemmatic dial is finely graduated on silver. On the ornate front, a circular monthly calendar showing the phases of the moon. On the edge, a small recess with a recessed stylus allowing for corrections. Cites Certificate n°FR2601300048-K

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