



Small L.xv Chest Of Drawers, Cube-shaped Marquetry, Second Half Of The 18th Century.



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Period : 18th century

Condition : Restauré par notre atelier

Material : Wood marquetry

Width : 71 cm

Height : 81 cm

Depth : 43 cm

Description

A small two-drawer chest of drawers, also known as a "sauteuse" in this version. The body is curved and rounded on all sides and extends into slender, curved legs. The top follows the curve of the front panel; the front edge is trapezoidal--71 cm at the front, 58.5 cm at the back. The top and drawer fronts feature a diamond- or cube-patterned marquetry (parqueterie) made of contrasting precious woods: plum, lemonwood, and rosewood. The spatial effect is created by the varying colors and grain directions of the individual diamond panels. The marquetry panels are framed by longitudinal veneer strips; the sides are veneered with mirror-finish rosewood in the center. The finely crafted original hardware is made of gilded bronze: two drawer pulls with a knot and crown motif, as well as a lock

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escutcheon with Rococo floral decoration. They have been cleaned; the gilding has been restored with 22-karat gold leaf. The chest of drawers is in very good condition, has been professionally restored, repolished with new shellac, and is ready for use.

Dimensions and Construction
Width: 71 cm (front) / 58.5 cm (back)
Depth: 43 cm
Height: 81 cm
Materials: Plums, lemonwood, and rosewood marquetry; walnut-veneered sides
Shape: Curved body, curved legs
Decoration: Diamond/cube marquetry (parquetry) on the top and fronts
Hardware: Gilded bronze, cleaned; defects restored with 22-karat gold leaf
Configuration: two drawers
Period: Rococo/Baroque
Condition: very good condition, professionally restored, repolished with new shellac, ready for use