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Guillerme And Chambron -- Dining Table With A Folding Top In Oak

4 500 EUR



Signature : Guillerme et Chambron

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 110

Width : 215

Height : 72

Depth : 83

Description

Solid light oak dining table with a folding tabletop, from the Votre Maison collection. The square tabletop unfolds and pivots to double the dining surface--the mechanism allows you to transform the table from a four-person table into a large rectangular table for eight, without the need to store additional extension leaves. The tabletop is constructed of oak veneer, arranged in opposing layers that form a radiating pattern from the center, accented by a mitered border. The rim features three superimposed parallel grooves, which lend the edge a graphic depth and rhythm and indicate the presence of the folded flaps. The base, made entirely of solid oak, consists of two widely spaced compass-shaped legs, openwork with a scalloped, arrow-shaped profile. Each leg is flattened with a sharp edge and a series of

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concave curves, in that style--part vernacular, part sculptural--that characterizes French furniture of the 1950s. Robert Guillaume (1913-1990), valedictorian of the École Boulle, and Jacques Chambron (1914-2001), a graduate of the School of Applied Arts in Reims, founded Votre Maison in 1949 with cabinetmaker Émile Dariosecq. Guillaume designed, Chambron handled sales, and Dariosecq crafted the pieces. Light-stained oak, exposed joints, and sculptural forms became the brand's signature.