



Triple Revolving Seal With Three Ducal Arms, Polished Steel, Louis XIV Period



680 EUR

Signature : Art Populaire

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Wrought iron

Width : 3cm

Height : 4,5cm

Depth : 2cm

Description

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Superb thumb seal with forged steel bow handle,
of

armourer's quality, preserved in very good overall
condition.

The seal matrix, fitted with three revolving faces,
displays particularly fine workmanship: precise
construction, bow engraved with
scrolling foliage and acanthus motifs,
spring-loaded pivot mechanism with
retaining collar, pierced suspension loop, and
numerous details characteristic
of high-quality craftsmanship.

The three seal faces respectively display:

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intertwined initials in a mavelot-style
monogram beneath a ducal coronet;
an escutcheon engraved with three lozenges
beneath a helm;
a shield bearing three lozenges surmounted by
a ducal coronet.

Photographs illustrate the refinement of
engraving and elegance of the piece. This seal
likely belonged to a person
of elevated rank and may be dated to around
1700.

Dimensions: $4.5 \times 3 \times 2$ cm ($1.77 \times 1.18 \times 0.79$
in).

Condition: very good condition overall. An old
repair to
the suspension loop is present, stable and without
significant impact on the
display or appreciation of the piece.