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Pair Of Large Rococo Wingback Chairs Made Of Wood, From Germany Or Austria, 19th Century



3 000 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gilted wood

Width : 75

Height : 127

Depth : 83

Description

An important pair of large wingback chairs with molded, carved, and gilded wooden arms. According to expert appraisal, these are Central European pieces (Southern Germany or Austria) from the second half of the 19th century (Historicist / Neo-Rococo period).These ceremonial chairs are distinguished by their monumental proportions and their medallion-shaped backrest topped by a very ornate openwork crown. The carving features a repertoire typical of German Rocaille, with its volutes, asymmetrical foliage, and complex perforated motifs. The sculptural work is enhanced by the original gold leaf gilding, which combines matte effects with brilliant burnishing on the reliefs.The traditional upholstery features its original large, removable seat cushions. Both

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chairs are upholstered in matching period tapestry: the front features a medallion depicting a bucolic courtly scene in the 18th-century style, while the back reveals a large wooded landscape design, allowing this pair to be displayed in the center of a room.Period: late 19th centuryCondition: Good overall condition. See photos. The wooden frame is in perfect condition, rigid, and sturdy (no play in the joints). Note: there are natural tension cracks and some superficial chips from normal wear on the plaster (gesso) primer, confirming the age of the original gilding.The period upholstery shows signs of age and localized wear (particularly on the top of the backrest at the rear of one of the armchairs, the armrests, and the seat edges),depth 83 cmwidth 75 cmheight 127 cm