Small 18th-century Marine Chest

600 EUR



Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 87cm

Width : 30/26cm

Height : 35cm

Description

A light oak marine chest or cabin trunk featuring a handle on the front and another on the back. Since it was handled in confined spaces--this chest was often slid under a berth or a fixed bench--the front handle allowed the chest to be pulled toward the user without having to lift it, while the rear handle was used for securing it at sea. It has the trapezoidal shape characteristic of marine chests. With a beautiful patina and light color, this chest is small in size.

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