

SA1016941

Victorian Brass Bar Limb Microscope

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA1016941

Date of manufacture: Victorian

Dimensions

Height = 22 cm (8.7")

Width = 19 cm (7.5")

Depth = 15 cm (5.9")

Description

A fine example of a mid 19th Century brass Bar-Limb microscope in a fitted wooden case, complete with an eyepiece lens and 3 objective lenses. The microscope is made of lacquered brass on a Y-shaped foot. It tilts, has a rack and pinion main focus and additional fine focus on the rear of the tube. It has a square stage with a movable slide rest and below the stage is a large adjustable mirror. There is also a revolving pinwheel and an arm for holding an additional magnifier or tweezers. It comes with three objective lenses, one original and two later additions - a 1/16 oil imm by R&J Beck and a 1/12. A special case stored at the back of the box has been made to house the lenses. The microscope also comes with a live box which is stored in a small slide drawer in the box. The microscope appears to be in good working order and I have set it up and tested it with a few old slides. I'm sure the lenses would probably benefit from a clean but they produce a clear and bright image all the same and the microscope was easy to focus. The microscope is in good condition for its age. It has been well used and will have normal signs of wear so please don't expect it to be like new....

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