

SA1019246

Antique Set 4 Ormolu Mounted Armchairs Empire Revival C1870 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1019246****Date of manufacture: 1870**

Dimensions

Height = 95 cm (37.4")

Width = 65 cm (25.6")

Depth = 63 cm (24.8")

Description

This is a fantastic and highly decorative antique set of four of French ormolu mounted Empire fauteuil armchairs, circa 1870 in date. They feature scrolled square padded backs mounted with laurel and anthemion ormolu mounts above stuff-over seats flanked by scrolling carved arms above cabriole front legs headed by ormolu winged lion masks terminating in ormolu paw feet. The chairs are upholstered in a fabulous flower patterned blue velvet. Add elegance to your home with this exceptional set of four armchairs. Condition: In excellent condition having been beautifully cleaned and waxed in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 95 x Width 65 x Depth 63 Height 44 - Seat Height Dimensions in inches: Height 3 feet, 1 inch x Width 2 foot, 2 inches x Depth 2 feet, 1 inch Height 1 foot, 5 inches - Seat Height Ormolu - Gilt Bronze (from French 'or moulu', signifying ground or pounded gold) is an 18th-century English term for applying finely ground, high-carat gold in a mercury amalgam to an object of bronze. The mercury is driven off in a kiln leaving behind a gold-coloured veneer known as 'gilt bronze'. The manufacture of true orm...

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