

SA1027091

Compact 18th Century Mahogany Batchelors Chest of Drawers

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1027091****Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 80 cm (31.5")

Width = 84 cm (33.1")

Depth = 47 cm (18.5")

Description

An excellent quality 18th century mahogany CHEST-OF-DRAWERS in particularly good original condition. Of compact size (width 33 inches), this useful and attractive chest features a "brushing slide" below the well-figured top, and four graduated long drawers, all with good clean oak linings and original brass handles. It stands on four original solid mahogany bracket feet. Dimensions: 33 inches wide; 18.5ins deep and 31.5ins high. (84 x 47 x 80 cm) Dated: c.1780. ** The purpose of a "Brushing Slide" (found in better quality 18th and early 19th century chests), was to provide a surface to brush dust and powder from ones jacket. It was the fashion to wear wigs, which were kept clean (and perfumed) with powder ~ much of which ended up deposited on the shoulders of jackets and coats! Interest Free Credit via ART MONEY is available if desired. Please ask for details.

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