

SA1087273

Antique English Brass Coddington Magnifying Glass c.1880

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1087273****Date of manufacture: Victorian**

Dimensions

Height = 2.5 cm (1.0")

Width = 8.3 cm (3.3")

Depth = 2.5 cm (1.0")

Description

An unusual late nineteenth century Coddington magnifying glass made from English brass having been professionally polished. Excellent condition measuring 3 1/4" x 1" x 1". A Coddington magnifier is a magnifying glass consisting of a single very thick lens with a central deep groove diaphragm at the equator, thus limiting the rays to those close to the axis, which minimizes spherical aberration. This allows for greater magnification than a conventional magnifying glass, typically 10× up to 20×. Item ID: 44474 FREE Worldwide Registered Airmail Directly From London, England

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