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Early C20th Japanese Taisho era carved and ebonised 'shodana' or display cabinet on stand .

Price

GBP 1,600

| USD \$2,165 | EUR 1,872

Item Reference: SA1106640

Date of manufacture: 1910

Dimensions

Height = 217 cm (85.4")

Width = 125 cm (49.2")

Depth = 42 cm (16.5")

Description

Early C20th Japanese Taisho era carved and ebonised 'shodana' or display cabinet on stand . Impressively scaled and heavily carved shodana with an asymmetric arrangement and configuration of drawers , shelves and cupboards. Skilfully carved all-over with dragons , mythical beasts, birds , landscapes and flower-head details . The cabinet with a central niche and having a carved bridge feature . The top surmounted with a central carved coiled dragon, the ends of the pediment carved with mythical beasts . Raised on a separate carved stand on shaped carved supports . The lower doors with carved bone pulls . The upper central section with a single fixed panel with openings to each side, probably originally as a hinged door and one now being deficient. In excellent original condition with minimal wear to the ebonised surface. No breaks , damage or repairs. A dramatic and exotic interior statement on which perhaps to display a collection of Japanese and Oriental objects. H 87" W 50" D 17" Japan c.1910

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