

SA1187211

Antique French Empire Revival Ormolu Mounted Armchair 19th C

Price

GBP 1,650

| USD \$2,233 | EUR 1,931

Item Reference: SA1187211**Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 77 cm (30.3")

Width = 61 cm (24.0")

Depth = 55 cm (21.7")

Description

This is a fine antique French Empire revival ormolu mounted mahogany armchair, Circa 1880 in date. The bow-shaped top rail above a twin slat backrest applied with ormolu anthemion, rosettes and palmette mounts, the over stuffed-seat is upholstered with sumptuous Italian tan leather by Moore & Giles, and the chair is raised on square tapering legs terminating in ormolu lion's paw feet. It is an absolute masterpiece which is sure to get a lot of attention wherever it is placed. Condition: In excellent condition having been beautifully cleaned and waxed in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 77 cm x Width 61 cm x Depth 55 cm Height 52 cm - Seat height Dimensions in inches: Height 2 foot, 6 inches x Width 2 foot x Depth 1 foot, 10 inches Height 1 foot, 8 inches - Seat height

Gilt Bronze /

Ormolu - (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 ormolu employs a process known...

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