

SA1208639

A Fine Chinese 18th Century Bronze Bombé Censer Qing Dynasty (Circa 1780)

Price

GBP 2,850

| USD \$3,849 | EUR 3,333

Item Reference: SA1208639**Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 7.2 cm (2.8")

Description

A Fine 18th Century Chinese Bronze Bombé Censer – Large 20cm Format – 845g – Rare Scholar's Aesthetic – 6-Character Xuande Mark – An imposing and masterfully cast Chinese bronze censer of classic Bombé form, dating to the 18th Century (Qing Dynasty). This vessel represents the height of "Scholar's Taste," featuring a rare, expansive 20cm width and the sophisticated, compressed profile highly prized by the Qing literati. Architecture & Dimensions Total Width (Handle to Handle): 20cm. approx Height: 7.2cm. approx Rim Diameter (Top Opening): 12cm. approx Weight: 845g. The relationship between the 12cm flared rim and the massive 20cm span creates a powerful, low-slung silhouette. This is a heavy-gauge, refined casting that stands significantly above common export-quality examples. "Red Gold" Colour: Under natural light, the bronze displays a magnificent, deep reddish-gold glow, characteristic of high-copper alloys used in the 1700s. Surface Integrity: The exterior exhibits a natural "orange peel" texture and fine atmospheric micro-pitting—evidence of honest aging over two centuries. Interior: The interior is an untouched "time capsule," featuring original sand-casting...

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