

SA1231339

Antique French Black Marble & Gilt Brass Architectural Mantel Clock

Price

GBP 895

| USD \$1,220 | EUR 1,044

Item Reference: SA1231339

Date of manufacture: 1880

Dimensions

Height = 29.5 cm (11.6")

Width = 35 cm (13.8")

Depth = 14 cm (5.5")

Description

A striking antique French black marble and gilt brass architectural mantel clock dating from the late 19th century. The substantial black marble case is designed in the form of a classical temple, with a stepped plinth and architectural façade flanked by groups of three gilt brass fluted columns. The upper section is surmounted by a pedimented roof and centred with a finely detailed gilt brass relief panel depicting a classical figural scene. Domed side sections with decorative gilt brass finials complete the impressive architectural design. The circular dial features an exposed gilt centre surrounded by a white chapter ring with distinctive black Arabic numerals and elegant pierced hands. The clock has a traditional mechanical movement with separate winding apertures for the time and striking trains. Decorative pierced sound frets to the sides of the case allow the strike to resonate from the movement within. A particularly decorative late 19th-century French mantel clock, combining the dramatic contrast of black marble with warm gilt brass detailing and strong classical architectural influences. Condition Report: In good antique condition with age-related wear, marks an...

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