

SA460025

Early C19th Chinese export brass-bound and studded burgundy leather-covered camphor trunk .

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA460025

Date of manufacture: Regency

Dimensions

Height = 40 cm (15.7")

Width = 92 cm (36.2")

Depth = 44 cm (17.3")

Description

Early Chinese export brass-bound and studded burgundy leather-covered camphor trunk . Decorative China Trade camphor-wood travelling chest or trunk with aged and deeply patinated red/burgundy leather covering . Brass-bound for strength and durability with dome-stud decoration. Fitted with heavy-gauge brass lifting/carrying handles to each end . The front with a decorative swagged stud design, fitted with a shaped Chinoiserie-style escutcheon plate and supplied with its original steel key . The hinged lid with central oblong re-entrant corner studded design , the front edge fitted with a ring handle. Constructed in highly-scented exotic camphor wood to deter moths and pests ,and in order to provide the contents protection from such deterioration . In good original order with some marks , scuffs and dents to the metal-work and leather exterior commensurate with age, use and purpose. Minor losses to stud-work. Desirable decorative deep red hue , setting it apart from the usual black leather variety. Would work well as a coffee table with useful storage. H 16" W 36" D 17" China c.1825

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