

SA568994

Antique 19th Century Brass Bar Limb Microscope

Price

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Item Reference: SA568994

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 36 cm (14.2")

Width = 18 cm (7.1")

Depth = 16 cm (6.3")

Description

Fine example of a mid 19th Century brass Bar-Limb microscope in a fitted wooden case, complete with an eyepiece lens and objective lens. The microscope is made of lacquered brass. It tilts, has a rack and pinion main focus and additional fine focus on the back of the main tube. It has an unusual circular stage with a moveable circular slide holder that enables the slide to be fully moved around the stage using the two small arms. Below the stage is a large adjustable mirror for directing the light. The microscope is unsigned with no indication of a maker but the craftsmanship is superb. It comes with a brass objective lens in its original lens case and a good quality eyepiece lens. The microscope comes in its original fitted case with sections to hold the lenses. There is also a pull out drawer for holding a few slides although the piece of wood is slightly loose. The box is good quality with a brass carrying handle and a nice aged patina. There are some general signs of age and light marks and an old split in the base the microscope stands on but overall it displays very nicely. The microscope measures approximately 14" tall when set up. The box is a compact 10" high X...

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