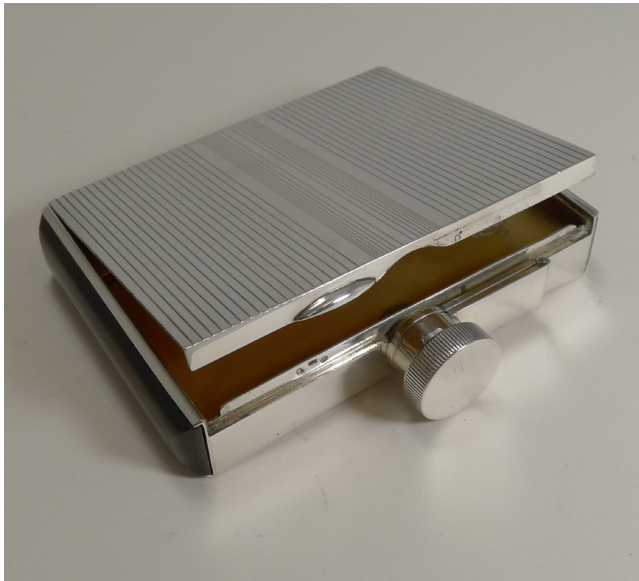


SA599403

Fabulous Vintage Austrian (Vienna) Sterling Silver and Tortoiseshell Hip Flask c.1930

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA599403****Date of manufacture: 1930**

Dimensions

Height = 10.2 cm (4.0")

Width = 12.1 cm (4.8")

Depth = 1.9 cm (0.7")

Description

One of the finest flasks I have come across in some time, sleek and stylish appearing like a car radiator with linear decoration. What makes this exciting and rare is that one side of the flask opens to reveal a cigarette case with lavish gilding; of course this would be equally useful as a business card case. Down the side of either side of the flask is a polished curved piece of period tortoiseshell, this is a tactile piece once in one's hand, you just want to hold it. A good weighty piece at 10.27 Troy Ounces / 310.7 Grams. The lid has a twist and lift action to open. There are several marks including makers initials AKO and the Bird's head (1=935 and W for Vienna); it also has a 935 silver stamp, a higher grade than sterling silver. A highly collectable piece with a curved shape one side engineered to comfortably fit into a pocket. Superb quality and condition measuring 4 3/4" wide x 4" tall x 3/4" thick. Art Deco in era, dating to c.1930. Item: 40074

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