

**SA722284**

## Georgian Rose Engine Turned Horn Snuff Box Copper Gilt Gold

Price

**Sold****Item Reference: SA722284****Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

### Dimensions

Height = 4 cm (1.6")

Width = 7.4 cm (2.9")

Depth = 7.4 cm (2.9")

## Description

Striking 18th century horn snuff box, English or European, circa 1780. Rose engine turned horn or shell, a process using a complex lathe to produce relatively deeply cut elaborate guilloche decoration. Copper gilt hinged bezel with decorative gold thumb piece. Diameter 2,7/8" or 74mm, height 1,5/8" or 40mm, weight 99 grams. A table rather than a pocket snuff box, the lid a good airtight fit. In very good presentable condition, noting small tight hairlines emanating from some rivets, some wear and small infilled insect holes around the foot rim.

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