

SA769121

Large Pair of C19th Grand Tour Carved Medici Lions



Price

GBP 2,980

| USD \$4,063 | EUR 3,477

Item Reference: SA769121**Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 55 cm (21.7")

Width = 78 cm (30.7")

Depth = 24 cm (9.4")

Description

A large and rare pair of 19th Century Medici lions in carved wood, at opposing stances with heads turned to sinister and dexter, with one paw on a ball. Good colour and surface. Circa 1830. In good condition with no breaks or repairs, and rich built up surface. Price includes free delivery throughout the UK. 30 3/4" wide x 9.5" deep x 21" high. The Medici lions are a pair of marble sculptures of lions, one of which is Roman, dating to the 2nd century AD, and the other a 16th-century pendant; by 1598 both were placed at the Villa Medici, Rome. Since 1789 they have been displayed at the Loggia dei Lanzi in Florence.

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