

SA808698

Highly decorative pair of early C20th composition giant clam 'shells' or "Tridacna Gigas".

Price

GBP 800

| USD \$1,083 | EUR 936

Item Reference: SA808698

Date of manufacture: 1920

Dimensions

Height = 25 cm (9.8")

Width = 67 cm (26.4")

Depth = 42 cm (16.5")

Description

Highly decorative pair of early C20th composition giant clam 'shells' or "Tridacna Gigas". Well-executed pair of cast-stone or composition giant clam shells in imitation of protected natural history specimens as found in the South Pacific and Indian oceans. The outer surfaces with ribbed and textured details, the interiors with a well-simulated luminescence. The bases cast with flat bottoms providing stability and enabling the pair to stand straight, thus forming a large pair of tazza-type bowls. Smart and stylish decorative pair of 'shells' to add exoticism and natural world wonder and curiosity to an interior scheme. In excellent original condition, with a convincing natural colour and patina. Minor historic chips to edges. H 10" W 27" D 17" England c.1920

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