

SA896474

Antique Ormolu & Sevres Porcelain Twin Branch Wall Light Sconces 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA896474****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 41 cm (16.1")

Width = 25 cm (9.8")

Depth = 10 cm (3.9")

Description

This is a stunning Antique Sevres porcelain and ormolu wall light, Circa 1850 in date. It features an elegant classical frame topped with a ribbon crest with a satyr mask below and featuring upturned scrolling acanthus twin branch candle sconces. It features an inset hand painted porcelain panel painted with a portrait of Marie Antoinette. On the reverse it bears marks for Sevres and the printed marks for Chateau Tuileries, and the painted name of Marie Antoinette. Condition: In really excellent condition with no chips, cracks or signs of repair, please see photos for confirmation of condition. Dimensions in cm: Height 41 x Width 25 x Depth 10 Dimensions in inches: Height 1 foot, 4 inches x Width 10 inches x Depth 4 inches Sevres Porcelain traces its roots in France to early craftsmen who had small manufacturing operations in such places as Lille, Rouen, St. Cloud, and most notably Chantilly. It is from Chantilly that a cadre of workers migrated to the Chateau de Vincennes near Paris to form a larger porcelain manufactory in 1738. French King Louis XV, perhaps inspired by his rumoured relationship with mistress, Madame de Pompadour, took an intense interest...

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