



Large Oval Refreshing Cooler In Fossil Stone



2 450 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Length : 48 cm

Width : 38 cm

Height : 26 cm

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Description

Large limestone basin with many fossils and forming a cooler.

this oval basin is spectacular and of very good quality.

dating from the 1st half of the 18th century, it is superb in proportion and very nicely molded. the movement of the body with large moldings, the flared pedestal and the upper edge in corbin beak, as well as the interior hollowed out with the tool, allow us to date it.

the presence of grayish fossilized shells in the cream colored limestone is the most beautiful effect and the fossils are slightly raised on the surface being harder than the limestone.

it is a cooler that can accommodate several bottles, it was pierced in the 19th century to probably serve as a planter and then restored as

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originally to restore it to its original function. the oval shape is very beautiful and very well proportioned.

a very beautiful cooler which changes marble models, which however are also rare.

some chips on the edge of the base, otherwise excellent general condition.

a rare and very decorative piece that can be used.

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