

Costermans

Since 1839



Louis XVI Clock with Dolphins, Movement by Noël Leroy

45.5 x 24⁷/₈ x 19⁹/₁₆ cm (h x w x d)

18th century

Louis XVI clock with dolphins.

Marble, gilded bronze and silver-plate

Circa 1780

Based on a design by the bronze-smith

Movement signed Noël Leroy, Paris

Dimensions: H: 45.5 x W: 24 x D: 19 cm

This clock was designed based on a Brécourt. It rests on a square white sprouting from either side of a gilt-plant motifs.

Rising from the top of this plinth is vase. The gilded bronze pedestal is a dial, encircled by a beaded frieze and numerals, sits at the centre of an electric bronze dolphins.

The dial is surrounded by acanthus leaves crowned by a gilded bronze fountain mouth.

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