

Antique Telescope on Stand, Terrestrial, Astronomical, English Circa 1770



DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique telescope on stand, suitable for terrestrial or astronomical use, English dating to the mid 18th century, circa 1770.

- A good example of an 18th century refractor
- Perfectly good to use today presenting a good clear image
- Supplied with an London Fine oak and brass 'Captain's Stand' for display
- Tapered fruitwood barrel with desirable aged patina
- Brass mounts and single draw tube in good order
- Bulbous eye cup with sliding dust cover
- One and a quarter inch objective glass
- Built in sliding protective dust cover
- Focused by varying the length of the draw tube

A fine example and a handsome instrument, great for everyday use or display.

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DIMENSIONS

Max Drawn Length: 101cm (39.75")

Closed Length: 67cm (26.5")

Objective Glass Diameter: 4.1cm (1.5")

