

Antique Vineyard Setter's Compass, French, Brass, Surveyor's Instrument, C.1900



DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique vineyard setter's compass. A French, brass surveyor's instrument with mahogany case and stand, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1900.

- Measure out your plot with this delightful antique surveyor's compass
- Displays a desirable aged patina and in good order
- Brass case shows appealing golden tones, with an attractive polished finish
- Set within a quality mahogany case, dressed with a brass handle and rotating clasps
- Dashing cylindrical form with a large compass dial set within the top surface
- Vernier adjustment dials to the trailing edge, with a sliding needle lock to one side
- Compass winds in French - Nord, Est, Sud and Ouest and the intercardinal points NE, SE, SO and NO

• Blue magnetic point with a silvered setting hand, and degree marks to the circumference

- Barrel engraved with the maker's mark 'H. Morin, 11 Rue Dulong, Paris'
- Mounts upon a turned support with wide circular base
- The stand base dressed with a protective baize in bright emerald green

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DIMENSIONS

Case Width: 20.5cm (8")
Case Depth: 10.5cm (4.25")
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Compass Width: 8cm (3.25")
Compass Depth: 8cm (3.25")
Compass Height: 18cm (7")
Compass on Stand Width: 12.5cm (5")
Compass on Stand Depth: 12.5cm (5")
Compass on Stand Height: 26cm (10.25")

LIST PRICE

£1,495.00

