

Basic Detail Report



Table top desk

Primary Maker

Artist not recorded

Medium

Wood, stain, brass, metal

Description

Tramp art writing desk. a: body and interior shelf parts, b: lid. This piece is comprised of large heavily decorated base of notched, carved, and layered wood affixed to the base with brass tacks. The flat surface of the desk is a writing surface that is hinged at the upper junction with the back of the desk. This lifts up to reveal a storage area

beneath the writing surface. At the top of the desk there are three small storage spots, which get larger from proper right to left. Below this there are four larger storage spaces that are separated by wooden dividers that are decorated with the same notch carving and three brass tacks each. The front, sides and back are decorated with the same notch carving comprised of hearts, and geometric patterns.

Dimensions

24 7/16 × 23 5/8 × 24 7/16 in. (62 × 60 × 62 cm)