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Corporum Coelestium Magnitudines

Stock#: 47209 **Map Maker:** Cellarius

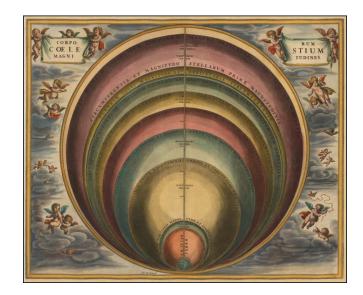
Date: 1661

Place: Amsterdam Colored Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 20×17 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking celestial map from an early edition of Andreas Cellarius' *Harmonia Macrocosmica*.

The map illustrates the various magnitude of various celestial bodies and stars.

The *Harmonia Macrocosmica* of Andreas Celarius is widely regarded as the most beautiful and finely executed celestial atlas ever published. The atlas appeared in two early editions of 1660 and 1661, and was also intended as part of Jansson's, *Atlas Maior*. Schenk & Valk re-issued the atlas in 1708, using the original Cellarius plates, without alteration, except for the addition of their names in the title cartouche.

Detailed Condition: