

PAIR OF 19TH CENTURY FRENCH NAPOLEON III BRONZE AND MARBLE CANDLESTICKS

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Decorate a mantel, console, or dining table with this elegant pair of antique French candlesticks. Crafted in France circa 1870, each candle holder features a beautifully shaped conical marble stem embellished with finely detailed gilt bronze mounts in the ornate Napoleon III style.
Each candlestick stands on an elaborate square bronze base resting on four scrolled feet. The architectural bases are decorated with intricate geometric borders, raised floral medallions, and delicate foliage motifs. Rising from the center, the tapered white marble stems are secured by decorative acanthus leaf mounts at the bottom and topped with classical floral garlands and ribbon motifs. The upper sections feature fluted candle sockets surrounded by beautifully sculpted, overlapping leaf decorations, adding depth and refinement to the composition.
The combination of creamy white marble and richly patinated gilt bronze creates an elegant contrast, highlighting the detailed craftsmanship and sophisticated French design of the Second Empire period.
The antique Napoleon III candlesticks are in excellent condition commensurate with age and use, retaining a beautiful two-tone patinated and gilt bronze finish. Perfect for display on a fireplace mantel, dining room sideboard, or library shelf, this decorative pair would complement both traditional and contemporary interiors. Candles not included.
Dimensions: 4.25"W x 4.25"D x 7.75"H each.

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