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# Pictures

Staffed by international specialists with an encyclopaedic knowledge of fine art, our Picture department enjoys worldwide respect and renown, and has a proven track record in assessing, valuing and auctioning Old Masters, 19th Century Paintings and Watercolours, Impressionists, Modern and Contemporary Art, 20th Century British Art, Prints and Portrait Miniatures.

We also hold sales that cater for the growing interest in Irish, Greek, Russian, South African, Exploration and Travel, Marine and Dog Paintings, and have dedicated specialists on hand to assist and advise in these growing areas.

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Pictures</b>						
19th Century Paintings, Drawings & Watercolours	PIC33	London	2	£ 40	£ 45	£ 50
20th Century British Art	PIC2	London	3	£ 60	£ 66	£ 72
Africa Now (African Contemporary Art)	PIC35	London	1	£ 20	£ 24	£ 26
British & Continental Pictures	PIC3	London	7	£ 72	£ 80	£ 88
Dogs in Art	PIC4	New York	1	£ 17	£ 19	£ 21
Exploration, Travel & Topographical	PIC13	London	1	£ 20	£ 22	£ 25
Frames	PIC5	London	3	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Greek Sale	PIC22	London	2	£ 40	£ 45	£ 50
Impressionist & Modern Art	PIC27	London	2	£ 40	£ 44	£ 48



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
Irish Art - in conjunction with James Adams	PIC7	Dublin	2	£ 25	£ 30	£ 35
Marine Paintings	PIC8	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Modern Pictures - General	PIC9	London	6	£ 48	£ 54	£ 60
Old Master Paintings	PIC11	London	4	£ 70	£ 80	£ 90
Prints	PIC12	London	2	£ 30	£ 34	£ 38
Russian Sale	PIC26	London	2	£ 40	£ 45	£ 50
South African	PIC34	London	2	£ 40	£ 45	£ 50
Sporting Pictures (inc with PIC3)	PIC25	London	1	£ 10	£ 11	£ 12
Contemporary Art & Design including Urban Art	PIC24	London	4	£ 70	£ 80	£ 90

# Pictures continued...



**This page:**  
 Gaspar van Wittel,  
 called Vanvitelli (Utrecht  
 circa 1653-1736 Rome)  
 The Piazza del Popolo,  
 Rome (detail)  
 Sold for £826,400



**Left:**  
 Laurence Stephen Lowry  
 R.A. (British, 1887-1976) A  
 Mill Scene, Wigan (detail)  
 Sold for £96,000



**Right:**  
 Banksy (British, born 1975)  
 'Laugh Now', 2002  
 Sold for £111,000

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
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## Pictures - Regional Salerooms

Athenaeum Sale, includes Silver, Ceramics & Glass, Pictures, Furniture & Works of Art	FRN7	Bury St Edmunds	3	£ 36	£ 41	N/A
Pictures, Oils & Watercolours (inc CLO3, CER6, FRN8 & SIL3)	PIC17	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Limited Edition Prints (inc CLLCH)	PIC29	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
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Pictures	PIC18	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 50	N/A
Pictures (inc with FRN11)	PIC19	Knowle	4	£ 28	£ 32	N/A
East Anglian View	ANGLIAN	Norfolk	1	£ 12	£ 14	N/A
Pictures (inc with FRN13)	PIC21	Oxford	5	£ 30	£ 35	N/A

# Furniture, Carpets and Works of Art

Bonhams' Furniture department has a proven track record in assessing, valuing, and selling not only fine 18th century English and Continental furniture, as well as good and exceptional quality 19th century furniture, but also sculpture, carpets, lighting and works of art. On numerous occasions, painstaking research has paid dividends in determining the provenance of important pieces, particularly those with no formal documented history.



**Opposite left:**  
A fine George II carved mahogany library open armchair  
Sold for £36,000

**Right:**  
Louis-Ernest Barrias,  
French (1841-1905)  
A bronze entitled  
'La Nature se dévoilant  
devant la Science' (detail)  
Sold for £26,400



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Furniture &amp; Works of Art</b>						
Fine English Furniture	FRN17	London	3	£ 60	£ 66	£ 72
Fine Continental Furniture	FRN18	London	2	£ 40	£ 44	£ 48
The Knightsbridge Sale, 19th Century & Decorative Furniture, Mirrors & Lighting	FRN4	London	12	£ 180	£ 200	£ 220
Sculpture & Early Works of Art	FRN19	London	2	£ 40	£ 44	£ 48
<b>Carpets &amp; Rugs</b>						
Fine	CPT1	London	2	£ 20	£ 25	£ 30
General (as FRN4)	CPT2	London	12	£ 180	£ 200	£ 220

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Furniture - Regional Salerooms</b>						
Athenaeum Sale, includes Silver, Ceramics & Glass, Pictures, Furniture & Works of Art and Portrait Miniatures	FRN7	Bury St Edmunds	3	£ 36	£ 41	N/A
Fine Oak Furniture, Pewter and Works of Art (as CER5)	FRN5	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Fine Sales (includes CLO3, CER6, PIC17 & SIL3)	FRN8	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Includes Clocks & Works of Art	FRN9	Edinburgh	2	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Includes Works of Art & Paintings (inc with PIC19)	FRN11	Knowle	4	£ 28	£ 32	N/A
Includes Oriental and European & Works of Art Carpets, Clocks, Barometers, Pictures (PIC21)	FRN13	Oxford	5	£ 30	£ 35	N/A

# Jewellery, Clocks and Watches

In the UK, Bonhams is responsible for selling more jewellery than any other auction house - a position of pre-eminence that has resulted from our specialists' unrivalled expertise in their field. Having been responsible for auctioning some of the most prestigious jewellery collections in recent times, our ability to advise on the widest range of issues and achieve exceptional results is second to none.

Bonhams' Clock and Watch departments sell more clocks and watches, in more sales, than any other auction house in the UK. The unique position of preparing eight dedicated sales every year enables us to advise clients, whether they are looking to buy or to sell, with the utmost confidence.



**Opposite:**  
A very rare late 17th century kingwood veneered quarter repeating basket-topped clock  
James Michel, London  
Sold for £43,200

**Left:**  
Patek Philippe.  
An extremely fine and rare platinum astronomic minute repeating automatic wristwatch  
Sold for £347,200

**Right:**  
A fancy-coloured diamond single-stone ring  
Sold for £264,000

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Jewellery</b>						
Fine Jewellery	JWL1	London	3	£ 45	£ 50	£ 55
General Jewellery	JWL2	London	12	£ 80	£ 85	£ 90
General Jewellery	JWL3	Oxford	10	£ 50	£ 60	N/A
Jewellery & Silver	SIL4	Edinburgh	4	£ 60	£ 65	N/A

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Clocks and Watches</b>						
Fine Clocks & Barometers	CLO1	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Clocks, Watches & Barometers - General	CLO2	London	4	£ 48	£ 55	£ 60
Clocks, Watches & Barometers (inc with CER6, FRN8, PIC17 & SIL3)	CLO3	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Fine Watches	CLO4	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40

# Asian Art, Ceramics & Glass

Bonhams' International Asian Art department is renowned for offering the finest works of art representing the richness and breadth of Chinese ceramics and works of art, as well as Japanese and Himalayan and Southeast Asian art.

Bonhams' European Ceramics and Glass department is one of the largest auction houses selling antique porcelain, pottery and fine glass. We are market leaders in English and Welsh ceramics and have sold many famous collections, especially of Worcester porcelain. Separate auctions are held of European Ceramics including Meissen and Sèvres as well as Maiolica and Delft. Auctions of British and European glass include Venetian, Bohemian and Dutch glass as well as English drinking glasses and paperweights.



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Asian Art</b>						
Fine Chinese Art	ASN3	London	2	£ 40	£ 44	£ 48
Fine Japanese Art	ASN4	London	2	£ 40	£ 44	£ 48
Chinese & other Asian Works of Art	ASN1	London	4	£ 60	£ 70	£ 80
Ceramics & Asian Art	CER7	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 50	N/A

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Ceramics &amp; Glass</b>						
Fine British Pottery & Porcelain	CER1	London	3	£ 55	£ 60	£ 65
Fine European Ceramics	CER3	London	2	£ 40	£ 45	£ 50
Fine British & European Glass & Paperweights	CER12	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Modern & Contemporary Glass	DES7	London	1	£ 18	£ 20	£ 22

## Ceramics & Glass - Regional Salerooms

Athenaeum Sale	FRN7	Bury St Edmunds	3	£ 36	£ 41	N/A
Ceramics & Glass (inc with CLO3, FRN8, PIC17 & SIL3)	CER6	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Collectable Ceramics & Decorative Arts (inc PIC29)	CLLCH	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Staffordshire & Blue Printed Ware (same as FRN5)	CER5	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A

### Opposite top:

A fine large gilt-lacquer wood figure of Sadaksari 17th/18th century (detail)  
Sold for £246,000

Ceramics & Asian Art	CER7	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 50	N/A
Ceramics, Glass & Oriental Works of Art	CER8	Knowle	4	£ 32	£ 36	N/A

### Opposite bottom:

A Sèvres plate from the 'Marly rouge' service, circa 1809 (detail)  
Sold for £22,800

Includes Furniture, Carpets, Clocks, Barometers, Works of Art (inc PIC21)	FRN13	Oxford	5	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
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# Silver

Bonhams' Silver and Objects of Vertu department comprises a dedicated team of specialists who cover all aspects of silver and gold from the medieval period to contemporary designers.

Our sales include, fine antique silver, flatware, foreign silver and collectables and we are the only auction house to hold dedicated post-war silver sales. We also specialise in objects of vertu and fine gold boxes.



**Left:**  
A French First Republic gold and moss agate snuff box, by Adrien-Jean-Maximilien Vachette, Paris 1789, Sold for £40,800



**Right:**  
A George IV silver gilt novelty monkey mustard pot and spoon, by John Bridge, London 1824, Sold for £26,400



**Left:**  
A fine set of four George II cast silver candlesticks, by David Willaume (II), London 1741, Sold for £40,800



**Right:**  
A Louis XV silver and ivory side handled chocolate-pot by Francois-Thomas Germain, Paris 1764, Sold for £57,600

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Silver &amp; Vertu</b>						
Fine Silver & Vertu	SIL1	London	2	£ 24	£ 28	£ 32
General	SIL2	London	6	£ 60	£ 66	£ 72
<b>Silver &amp; Plate - Regional Salerooms</b>						
Athenaeum Sale	FRN7	Bury St Edmunds	3	£ 36	£ 41	N/A
Silver (inc with CLO3, CER6, FRN8 and PIC17)	SIL3	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Jewellery & Silver	SIL4	Edinburgh	4	£ 60	£ 65	N/A
Silver & Plated Ware	SIL8	Knowle	4	£ 32	£ 36	N/A

# 20th Century Decorative Arts

Bonhams' 20th Century Decorative Arts department showcases a wide range of glass, metal wares, sculpture and furniture from the period 1860 to the present day. We focus on the leading designers and makers from the Arts and Crafts, Art Nouveau and Art Deco, including bronze and ivory sculpture by Chiparus and Preiss, and glass by René Lalique. We are also the leading auction house specialising in 20th century British pottery by the likes of Doulton, Moorcroft, and Clarice Cliff, with our wealth of experience providing confidence to vendors, collectors, and buyers the world over.



**Right:**  
Demetre Chiparus 'Shimmer'  
An exceptional gilt and cold painted bronze and carved ivory figure, circa 1925  
Sold for £60,000

**Opposite left:**  
René Lalique 'Baies'  
A Frosted and Enamelled Glass Vase, design 1924  
Sold for £15,600

**Opposite right:**  
Christopher Dresser for Minton  
an impressive vase, 1867  
(detail)  
Sold for £6,960



Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
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## 20th Century Decorative Arts

Fine Design 1860-1945	DES1	London	2	£ 35	£ 40	£45
Ceramic Design, including Clarice Cliff, Doulton & Moorcroft	DES6	London	2	£ 35	£ 40	£ 45
Late 19th/20th Century Decorative Arts	DES4	Edinburgh	2	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Modern & Contemporary Glass	DES7	London	1	£ 18	£ 20	£ 22
Decorative Arts	DES5	Knowle	2	£ 16	£ 20	N/A
Collectable Ceramics & Decorative Arts (inc PIC29)	CLLCH	Chester	3	£30	£35	N/A

# Specialist Interest & Collectables

Bonhams is the leading auction house for Specialist Interest & Collectors' sales with over one hundred auctions catering for twenty five specialist collecting categories held in the UK each year. Our professional team of expert cataloguers and consultants provide an unrivalled service to clients in these niche markets worldwide.



## Opposite:

A fine and rare cased pair of 28-bore silver-mounted Flintlock duelling pistols by John Manton, London, London Silver Hallmarks for 1787, Silver Maker's Mark of Michael Barnett Sold for £48,000

## Right:

A fine gold and enamel singing bird box by Brugier Sold for £96,000



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Antiquities</b>	ANT1	London	2	£ 45	£50	£55
<b>Art &amp; Antiques containing antiques, furniture and decorative arts</b>						
Chester	COU2	Chester	12	£ 24	N/A	N/A
Edinburgh, including Selected Art & Antiques	COU3	Edinburgh	3	£ 26	£ 28	N/A
Knowle	COU6	Knowle	11	£ 22	N/A	N/A
Oxford	COU8	Oxford	14	£ 28	N/A	N/A
<b>Arms, Armour &amp; Sporting Guns</b>						
Arms & Armour	ARM1	London	3	£ 45	£ 50	£ 60
Arms & Militaria	ARM2	Oxford	3	£ 20	£ 22	£ 24
Sporting Guns & Vintage Firearms	ARM3	London	3	£ 45	£ 50	£ 60
<b>Bonhams Magazine</b>	MAG	N/A	4	£ 25	£ 30	£ 35

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Cameras &amp; Mechanical Music</b>						
Cameras & Mechanical Music	CAM1	Knowle	2	£ 14	£ 20	£ 6
Scientific & Mechanical Musical (2 with CAM1)	MEC1	Knowle/London	4	£ 40	£ 45	£ 50
<b>Chess Games &amp; Playing Cards</b>						
Chess Games & Playing Cards	CHESS	London	2	£ 20	£ 25	£ 30
<b>Coins &amp; Medals</b>						
Coins (3 sales combined with CM5)	CM4	London	4	£ 48	£ 52	£ 56
Medals (3 sales combined with CM4)	CM5	London	4	£ 48	£ 52	£ 56
Coins & Medals	CM6	London	5	£ 60	£ 65	£ 70

# Specialist Interest and Collectables continued...



Opposite:  
A concert poster for the  
Rolling Stones at the  
Gaumont, Hanley, Friday,  
25th September 1964.  
Sold for £10,200

Right:  
Petrus 1990  
Sold for £12,600



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Entertainment, Rock &amp; Roll and Memorabilia</b>	ENT1	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
<b>Islamic Works of Art</b>						
Islamic & Indian Works of Art	ISL1	London	2	£ 40	£ 50	£ 60
Contemporary Indian & Pakistani Paintings	ISL2	London/ Dubai	2	£ 40	£ 50	£ 60
<b>Marine</b>						
Marine Paintings (general), Prints and Works of Art & Rivercraft	RIV1	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Marine Paintings	PIC8	London	2	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
<b>Musical Instruments</b>						
Musical Instruments	MUS1	London	4	£ 65	£ 75	£ 85
Pianos	MUS3	Knowle/ London	3	£ 18	£ 20	N/A
<b>Photography</b>	PHO1	London	5	£ 60	£ 70	£ 80
<b>Portrait Miniatures</b>	POR1	London	2	£ 32	£ 36	£ 40

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Printed Books &amp; Manuscripts</b>	BKS5	London/ Oxford	12	£ 155	£ 170	£ 185
<b>Sporting Memorabilia</b>						
Football & other Sporting Memorabilia	SPO2	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Golfing Memorabilia (includes 2 secondary for sales UK clients only)	SPO3	Chester	1	£ 24	£ 25	£ 30
<b>Textiles</b>	TEX1	Knowle	3	£ 24	£ 28	N/A
<b>Toys</b>						
Dolls & Teddy Bears, Toys, Trains, Diecast, Lead Soldiers & Figures combined	TOY1	Knowle/ London	5	£ 35	£ 40	£ 45
Toys, Trains & Diecast only	TOY2	Knowle/ London	4	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Lead Soldiers & Figures only	TOY3	Knowle/ London	3	£ 25	£ 30	£ 35
<b>Whisky</b>	WHISKY	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 48	£ 52
<b>Wine</b>	WIN1	London	7	£ 60	£ 70	£ 80

# Motoring

Bonhams is the world leader in the sale of Collectors' Motor Cars, Motorcycles and Automobilia. With approximately thirty automobile auctions per year in locations spread throughout Europe and overseas, our regional offices and network of national and international representatives work together to give each auction the maximum marketing, publicity and exposure to the collectors' motor car and automobilia market world wide.



**Top:**  
1961 Aston Martin DB4 GT  
Sold for £1,079,500



**Centre:**  
*The 'first off the production line'*  
1955 3.4-Litre Jaguar D-Type  
Sports-Racing Two-Seater  
XKD 509  
Sold for £2,200,000

**Bottom:**  
1939 Vincent-HRD 998cc  
Series-A Rapide  
Sold for £198,400



**Above:**  
*The Ex Earl Howe,*  
*Dr Harold Carr*  
1937 Bugatti Type 57S  
Atalante Coupé  
Sold for £3,417,500

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Motor Cars &amp; Automobilia</b>						
Sales in the UK	MOT1	Various	12	£ 300	£ 350	£ 400
Sales in Mainland Europe	MOT2	Various	3	£ 90	£ 100	£ 120
Motorcycles & related materials	MOT5	Various	7	£ 120	£ 140	£ 160

# Categories by Saleroom

Catering for a range of interests, Bonhams' network of regional salerooms host regular auctions including pictures, furniture and works of art, jewellery, silver, ceramics, books, sporting memorabilia, toys and dolls... to name just a few. All salerooms are staffed by a dedicated and knowledgeable team of specialists, who are always available to offer valuations and advice on buying and selling at auction.

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Bury St Edmunds</b>						
Athenaeum Sale, inc Furniture, Rugs, Ceramics, Clocks, Pictures, Silver & Works of Art and Portrait Miniatures	FRN7	Bury St Edmunds	3	£ 36	£ 41	N/A
East Anglian View	ANGLIAN	Norfolk	1	£ 12	£ 14	N/A
<b>Chester</b>						
Art & Antiques	COU2	Chester	12	£ 24	N/A	N/A
Collectable Ceramics & Decorative Arts Inc Limited Edition Prints	CLLCH	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Fine Oak Furniture, Pewter and Works of Art, inc Staffordshire & Blue Printed Ware	FRN5/ CER5	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Furniture, Works of Art, Rugs, Ceramics, Pictures, Silver, Clocks & Barometers	FRN8	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Football & other Sporting Memorabilia	SPO2	Chester	3	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40
Golfing Memorabilia (includes 2 secondary sales for UK clients only)	SPO3	Chester	1	£ 20	£ 25	£ 30



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Edinburgh</b>						
Art & Antiques, including Selected...	COU3	Edinburgh	3	£ 26	£ 28	N/A
Ceramics & Asian Art	CER7	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 50	N/A
Furniture, Carpets, Clocks & Works of Art	FRN9	Edinburgh	2	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Jewellery & Silver	SIL4	Edinburgh	4	£ 60	£ 65	N/A
Late 19th/Early 20th Century Decorative Arts	DES4	Edinburgh	2	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Pictures	PIC18	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 50	N/A
Scottish Sale	SCOT	Edinburgh	1	£ 25	£ 30	N/A
The Whisky Sale	WHISKY	Edinburgh	3	£ 45	£ 48	£ 52

# Categories by Saleroom continued...

	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Knowle</b>						
Art & Antiques	COU6	Knowle	11	£ 22	N/A	N/A
Cameras & Mechanical Music	CAM1	Knowle	2	£ 14	£ 20	£ 6
Ceramics, Glass & Oriental Works of Art	CER8	Knowle	4	£ 32	£ 36	N/A
Decorative Arts	DES5	Knowle	2	£ 16	£ 20	N/A
Dolls & Teddy Bears (inc TOY2 and TOY3)	TOY1	Knowle/London	5	£ 35	£ 40	£ 45
Furniture, Works of Art & Pictures	FRN11/ PIC19	Knowle	4	£ 28	£ 32	N/A
Lead Soldiers & Figures	TOY3	Knowle/London	3	£ 25	£ 30	£ 35
Silver & Plated Ware	SIL8	Knowle	4	£ 32	£ 36	N/A
Textiles & Costume	TEX1	Knowle	3	£ 24	£ 28	N/A
Toys, Trains & Diecast	TOY2	Knowle/London	4	£ 30	£ 35	£ 40



	Code	Location	Expected Sales	UK	Europe	Rest of World
<b>Oxford</b>						
Arms & Militaria	ARM2	Oxford	3	£ 20	£ 22	£ 24
Art & Antiques	COU8	Oxford	14	£ 28	N/A	N/A
Books	BKS5	Oxford/London	12	£ 155	£ 170	£ 185
Furniture, Carpets, Clocks & Barometers, Pictures, Oriental & European Works of Art	FRN13	Oxford	5	£ 30	£ 35	N/A
Jewellery	JWL3	Oxford	10	£ 50	£ 60	N/A



