

Basic Detail Report



Desk, Partner's

Primary Maker

John Shaw & Sons

Medium

Wood; Leather; Metal; Varnish

Description

Partner desk consisting of a rectangular desk top (a) with drawers (b-g), two bases (h,o) with drawers (i-n; p-u), and contents of desk drawers (v-dd). (a) Desktop to partner desk. Rectangular shaped desk-top. On top, there is a leather rectangular in center. It is detailed with gold-tone painted floral and leaf border around the outside edge, as well as a smaller rectangular-shaped detailing towards the center of the desk. The long sides of the desk have three

sets of drawers-- two smaller drawers on the outsides, and a wider drawer in the center. Handwritten numbers and markings written in white, black, and blue on interior slats of desk, visible when drawers are removed. (b-g) drawers for desk top. (b, c, and d) are on right side of desk. (e,f,d) are on right side of desk. (h) Rectangular wooden base with three drawers on either end, six in total (i-n). Elongated bases with three drawers on either end. When drawers are removed, there are wooden shelves that hold drawers in place; each one of these shelves has a different number handwritten in black. Top of base has wooden tops on either side, with a slat of wood through the center, with open gaps on either side of this slat. (i-n) Wooden drawers corresponding to base (h). Each drawer is stained, with two circular handles on the front. All drawers are similar, but vary in how tall they are: (i) and (l) are the shortest drawers, (m) and (j) are the next tallest drawers, and (n) and (k) are the tallest drawers. (l) is sectioned off into three compartments at the front, with a larger singular compartment at the back. (o) Rectangular base identical to (h). The corresponding six drawers (p-u) are also identical to their counterparts, (i-n). (s) and (p) are the shortest drawers, (q) and (t) are the next tallest drawers, and (r) and (u) are the tallest drawers. (v) Key to desk found in (c). Handle is oval-shaped, with an elaborate handle with a rectangular shaped opening. (w-dd) Metal caps; circular pieces with three prongs on each one. (w) was found in (f); (x-dd) found in (g). Piece of paper was found with key (v) in drawer (c).

Dimensions

Height x Width x Depth (a): 59 x 71.75 x 6.5 in. (149.9 x 182.2 x 16.5 cm) Height x Width x Depth (b): 3.5 x 16.25 x 21.75 in. (8.9 x 41.3 x 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (c): 3.5 x 33.875 x 21.75 in. (8.9 x 86 x 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (d): 3.5 x 16.25 x 21.75 in. (8.9 x 41.3 x 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (e): 3.5 x 34 x 21.75 in. (8.9 x 86.4 x 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (f): 3.5 x 16.25 x 21.75 in. (8.9 x 41.3 x 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (g): 3.5 x 16.25 x 21.75 in. (8.9 x 41.3 x 55.2

cm) Height x Width x Depth (h): 23.875 × 18 × 59.25 in. (60.6 × 45.7 × 150.5 cm) Height x Width x Depth (i): 4.5 × 13.375 × 21.75 in. (11.4 × 34 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (j): 5.5 × 16.375 × 21.75 in. (14 × 41.6 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (k): 6.5 × 6.375 × 21.75 in. (16.5 × 16.2 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (l): 4.5 × 16.375 × 21.75 in. (11.4 × 41.6 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (m): 5.5 × 16.375 × 21.75 in. (14 × 41.6 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (n): 6.5 × 13.375 × 21.75 in. (16.5 × 34 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (o): 23.875 × 18 × 59.25 in. (60.6 × 45.7 × 150.5 cm) Height x Width x Depth (p): 4.5 × 13.375 × 21.75 in. (11.4 × 34 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (q): 5.5 × 16.375 × 21.75 in. (14 × 41.6 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (r): 6.5 × 16.375 × 22.875 in. (16.5 × 41.6 × 58.1 cm) Height x Width x Depth (s): 4.5 × 16.375 × 21.75 in. (11.4 × 41.6 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (t): 5.5 × 16.375 × 21.75 in. (14 × 41.6 × 55.2 cm) Height x Width x Depth (u): 6.5 × 16.375 × 22 in. (16.5 × 41.6 × 55.9 cm) Height x Length x Depth (v): 1.563 × 2.5 × 0.25 in. (4 × 6.4 × 0.6 cm) Diameter x Depth (w-dd): 1.125 × 0.5 in. (2.9 × 1.3 cm)