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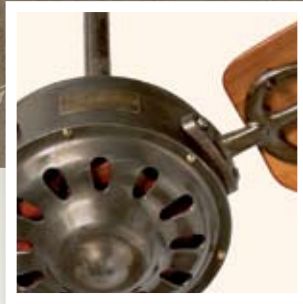
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COLLECTIONS

THE MUSEUM PIECES SERIES



An exclusive choice of unique, hard-to-find antique fans

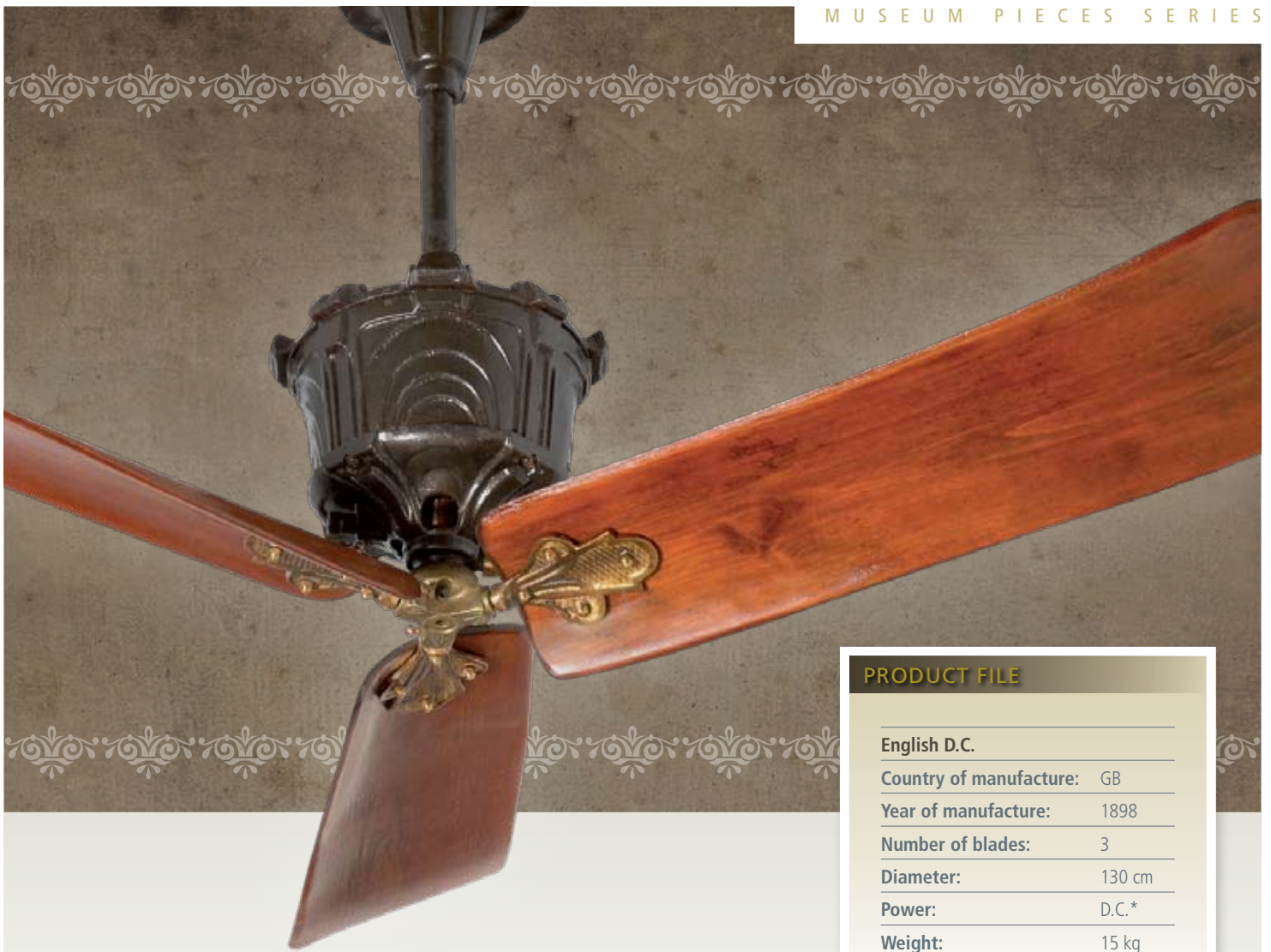
Fantique's most rare and precious pieces are in the "Museum Pieces" collection. These are the few exceptional and impossible-to-find pieces which only the passion of a true collector and the love of a talented restorer could successfully bring back to their splendor and perfect functionality of old. Their higher list price is hence in relation to their uniqueness and they are offered to customers who wish to be cooled by an authentic museum piece.



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STYLE ABOVE ALL



PRODUCT FILE

English D.C.

Country of manufacture:	GB
Year of manufacture:	1898
Number of blades:	3
Diameter:	130 cm
Power:	D.C.*
Weight:	15 kg

ENGLISH D.C.

Great Britain - 1898

This Art-Nouveau fan belongs to the very limited production of a small and short-lived electromechanical English firm. The few pieces still around are direct-current ones; the disappearance of the firm might in fact be ascribed to its inability to reconvert to an alternating-current production.

Our Fantique collection includes two extremely rare pieces, found in a London's flea market.

Guaranteed quality



Fantique's "Period Originals" collection is covered by a 2 year warranty. Hand assembled one by one, the fans are checked and tested individually in each and every components before packaging. Every function is also meticulously tested: from balancing and blades inclination to flow rate, from electric standards to rigorous endurance tests (5 hours at full speed).

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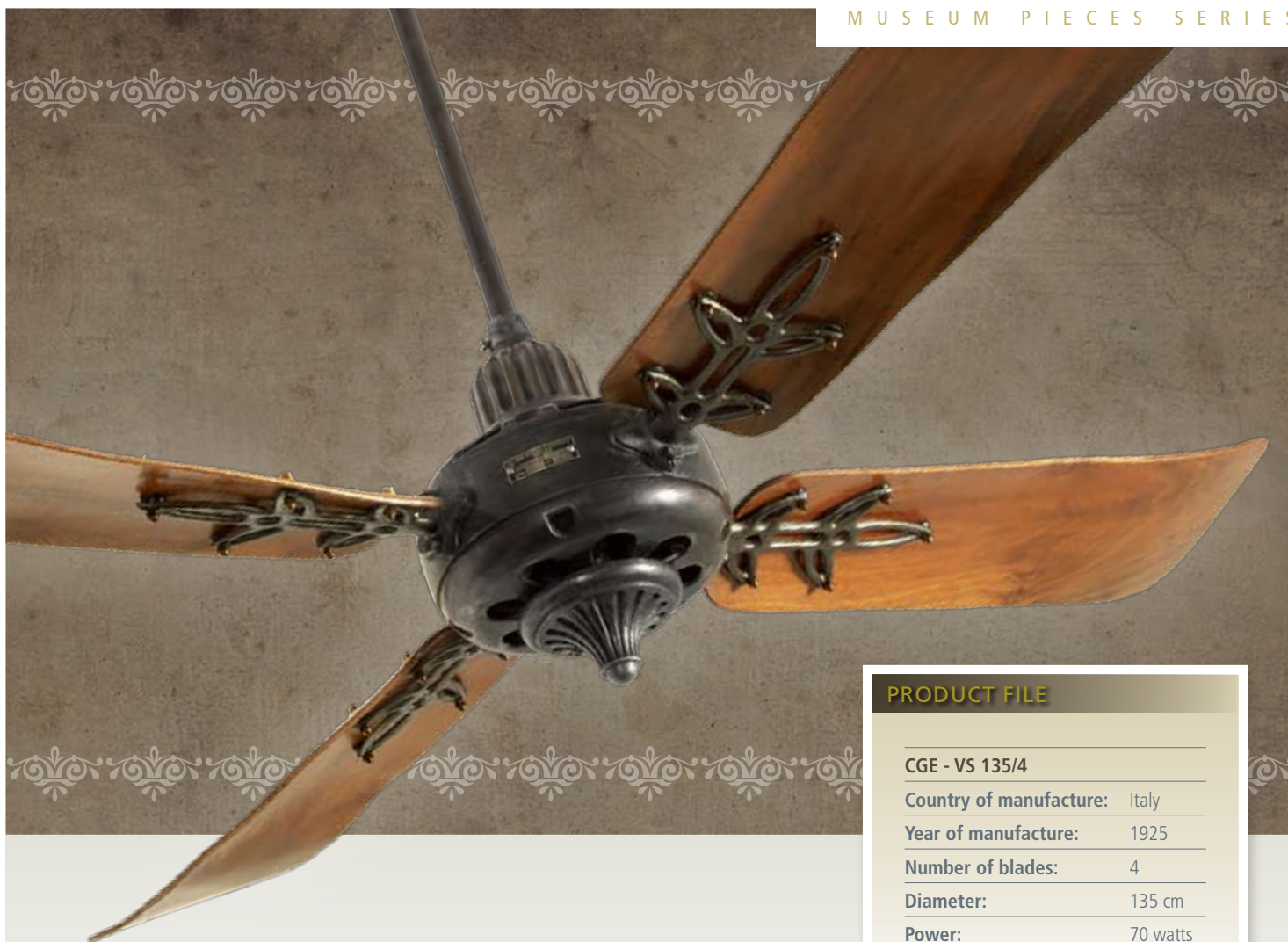


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D.C.* = Direct Current




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PRODUCT FILE

CGE - VS 135/4

Country of manufacture:	Italy
Year of manufacture:	1925
Number of blades:	4
Diameter:	135 cm
Power:	70 watts
Weight:	20 kg

CGE - VS 135/4

Italy - 1925

C.G.E., Electricity's General Company, was founded in Milan in 1921 as the Italian branch of General Electric in the U.S.A. It mainly manufactured 3-bladed fans; 4-bladed fans are therefore very rare and difficult to find.

The only two pieces of the Fantique collection belong to a 1925 special edition, exclusively targeted to the Italian market, and differing from the international edition for their brackets' shape and blades' support.

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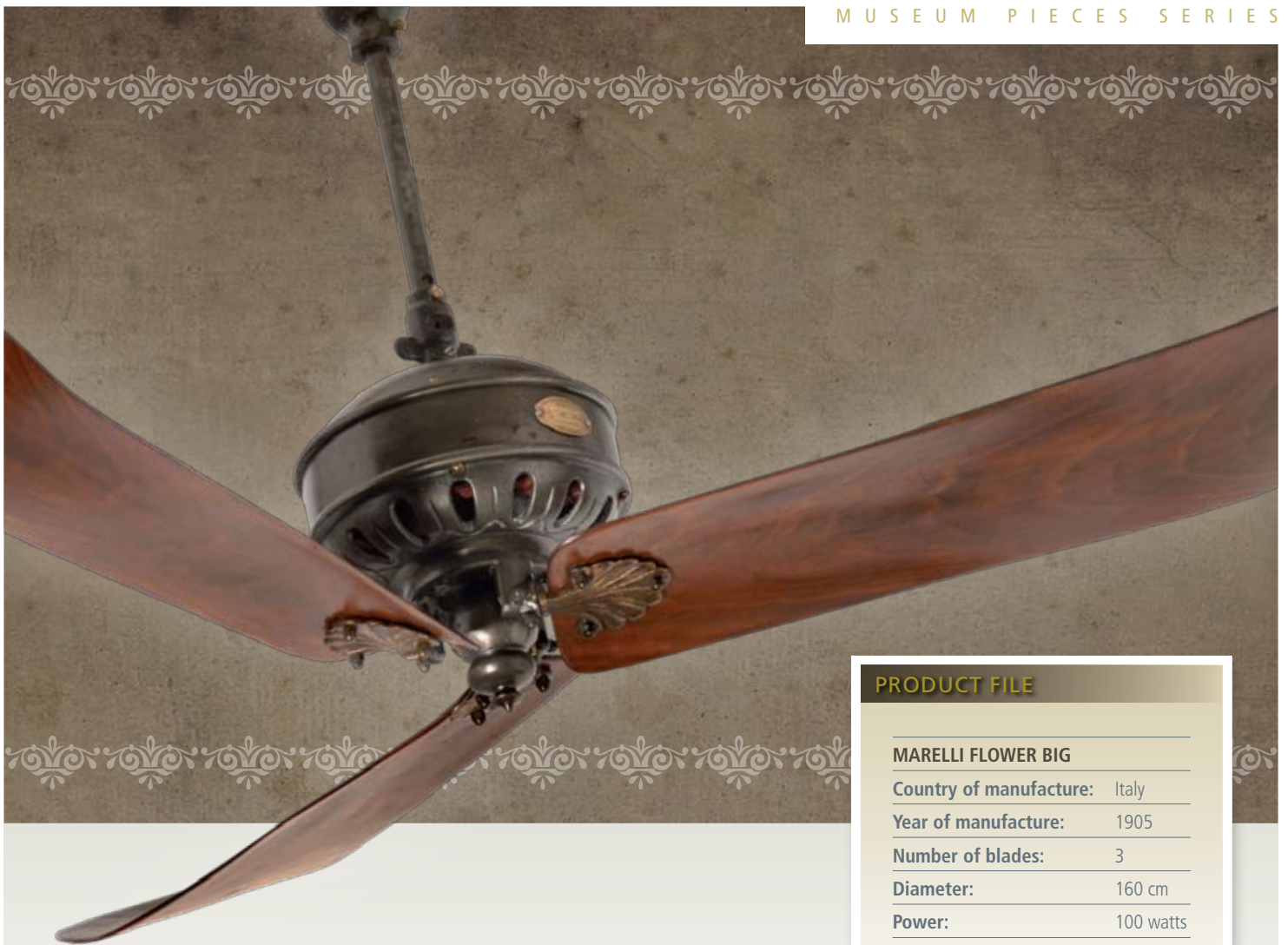


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PRODUCT FILE

MARELLI FLOWER BIG

Country of manufacture:	Italy
Year of manufacture:	1905
Number of blades:	3
Diameter:	160 cm
Power:	100 watts
Weight:	25 kg

MARELLI FLOWER BIG

Italy - 1905

Flower Big was the first alternating-current and rotating-body model manufactured by Ercole Marelli. Produced for only 5 years and replaced by the 4-bladed Taj model, it is nowadays considered quite rare. Ascribable to the highest and most elegant expressions of Art Nouveau, this fan was technologically very advanced for its time. Endowed with a very powerful and reliable engine, it is still able to move a substantial air flow. These results are also due to the variable pitch of the blades which, allowing a change of tilt, can be extremely efficient, without being of excessive dimensions. Fantique is basically the sole distributor of this model, having bought out from a Calcutta Hotel all the pieces still around.

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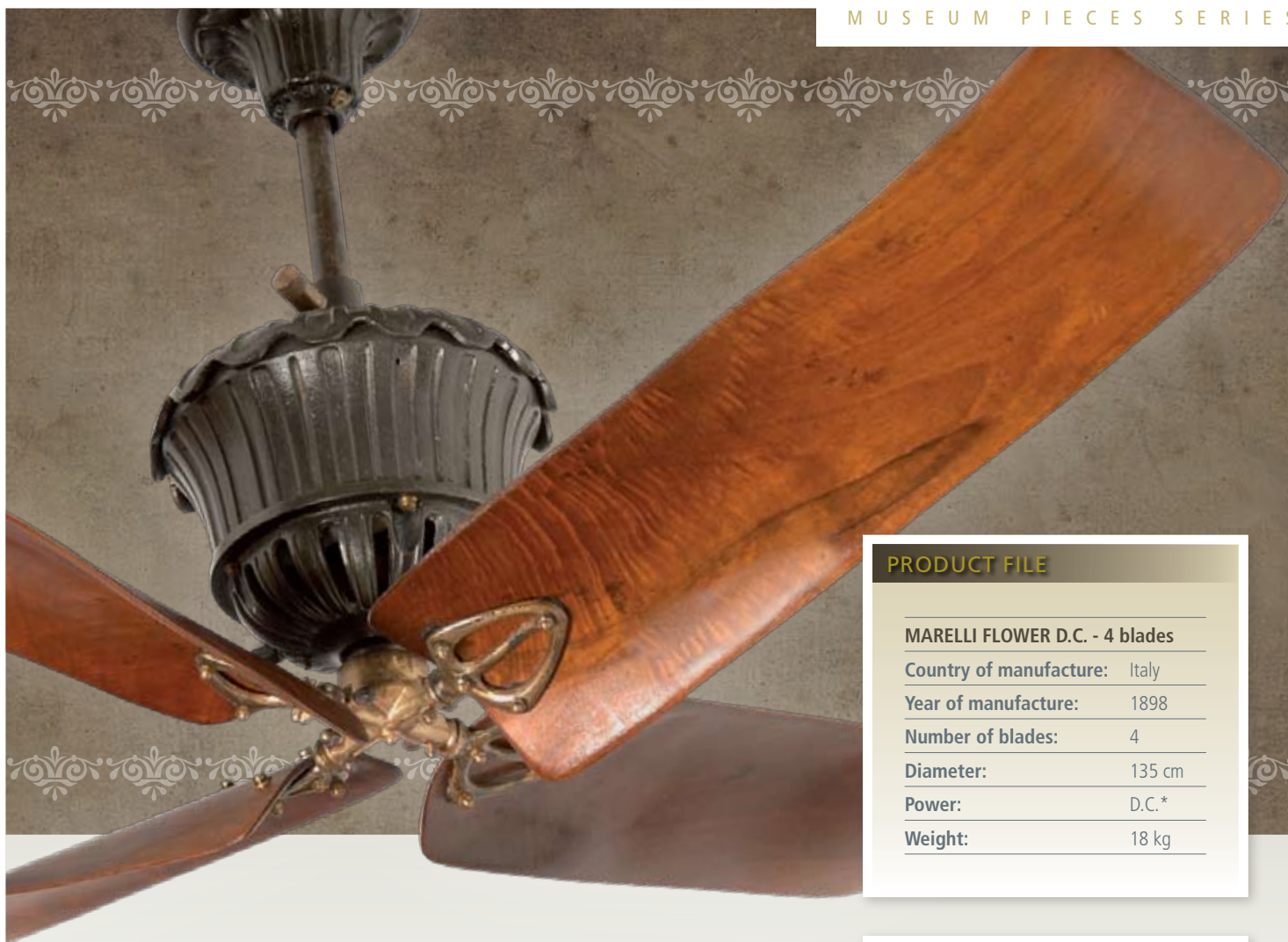


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PRODUCT FILE

MARELLI FLOWER D.C. - 4 blades

Country of manufacture:	Italy
Year of manufacture:	1898
Number of blades:	4
Diameter:	135 cm
Power:	D.C.*
Weight:	18 kg

PRODUCT FILE

MARELLI FLOWER D.C. - 3 blades

Country of manufacture:	Italy
Year of manufacture:	1898
Number of blades:	3
Diameter:	135 cm
Power:	D.C.*
Weight:	17 kg

MARELLI FLOWER D.C.

Italy - 1898

Flower D.C. is the first ceiling fan manufactured by Ercole Marelli. With a 135 cm blade diameter, it came in the 3-bladed and 4-bladed versions. Direct-current and rotating shaft characterized the first electrical engines, with brushes and collectors conducting power.

Around 1905 alternating-current engines replaced this technology: this is why today it is extremely difficult to come across such type of fans. Ascribable to the Art Nouveau style, the engine body takes after the tulip's shape. Our Fantique collection includes 6 pieces, finely restored and in perfect working conditions.

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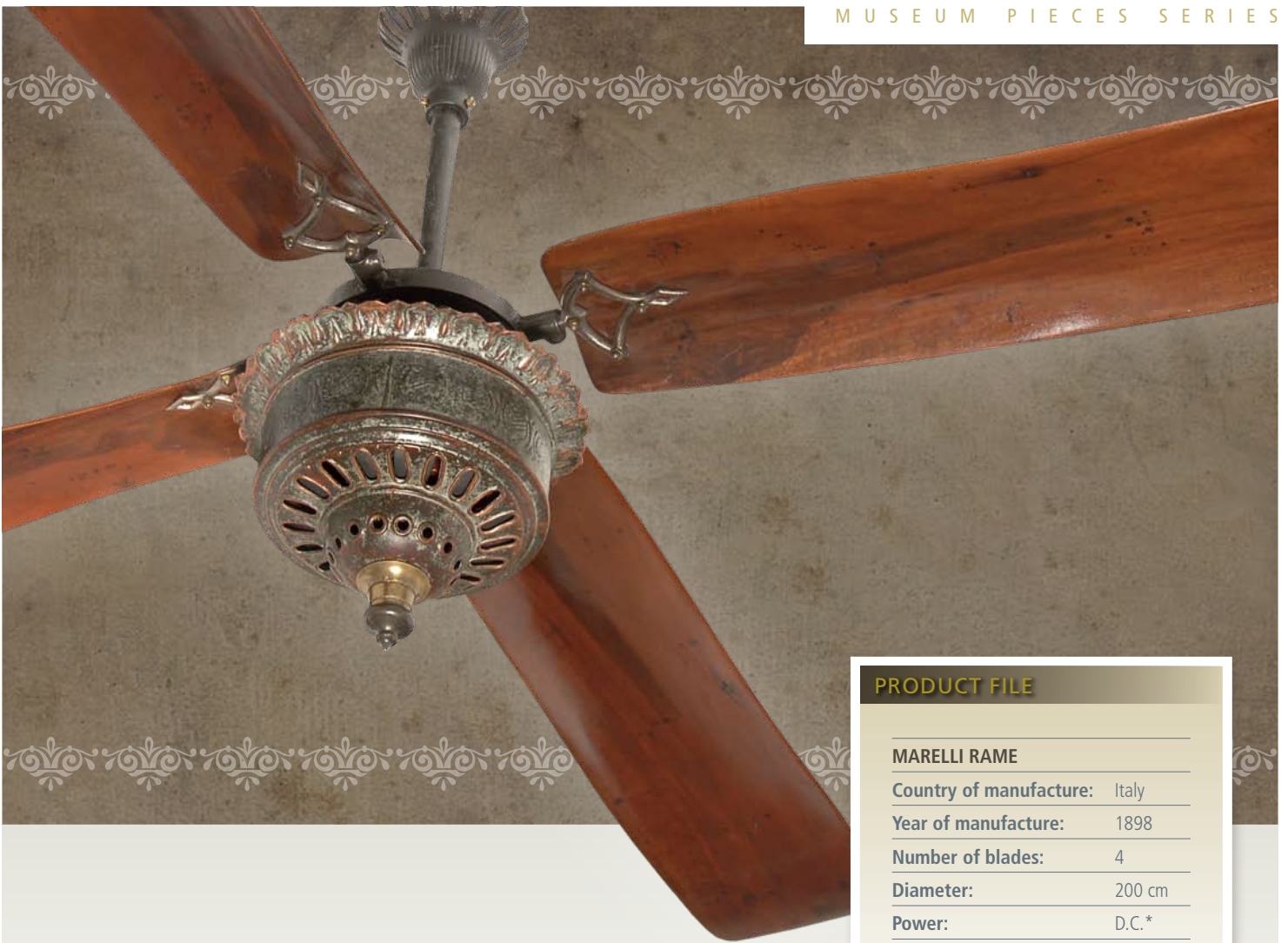
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PRODUCT FILE

MARELLI RAME

Country of manufacture:	Italy
Year of manufacture:	1898
Number of blades:	4
Diameter:	200 cm
Power:	D.C. *
Weight:	40 kg

MARELLI RAME (COPPER MARELLI)

Italy - 1898

Marelli Rame is the first large-diameter, direct-current fan manufactured by this Italian company; it is unique indeed for its copper-coated, cast-iron body. Conceived for prestigious boardrooms and executive settings, it was marketed until early '900 and represents one of the rarest pieces in our collection, if not the most rare. There are in fact very few pieces worldwide, and ours is probably the only one still in working conditions. Recovered around the Parma province (Central Italy), in an old dairy farm out of business for more than 50 years, after more than a century the original engine was still in almost perfect conditions, thus testifying to Ercole Marelli's manufacturing excellence. The fan has then been accurately and lovingly restored and is a centerpiece of our collection.

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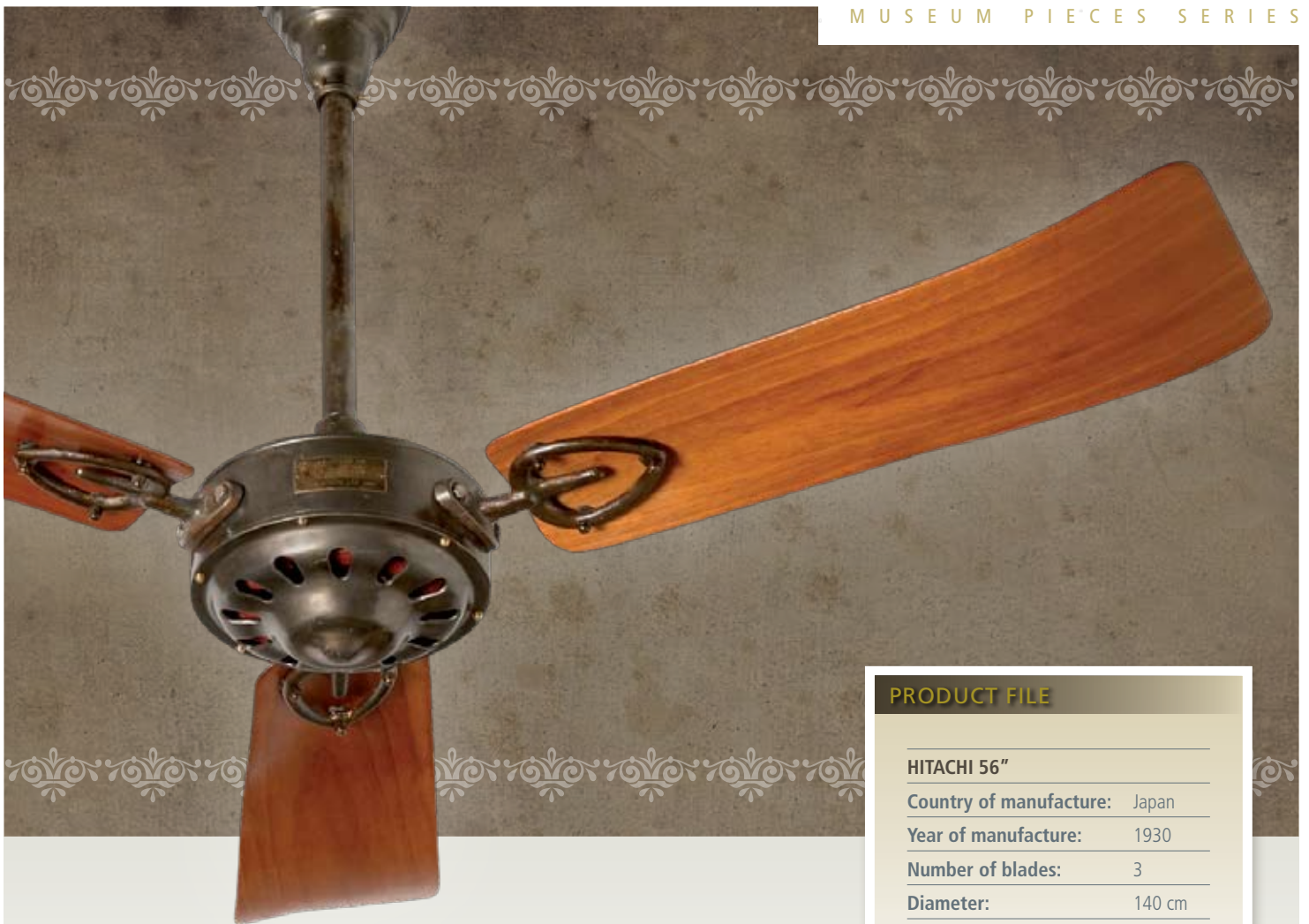


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PRODUCT FILE

HITACHI 56"

Country of manufacture:	Japan
Year of manufacture:	1930
Number of blades:	3
Diameter:	140 cm
Power:	80 watts
Weight:	20 kg

HITACHI 56"

Japan - 1930

Born in Japan in 1910 as a mere electrical repair shop, Hitachi manufactured few models of fans, and only for a short time. Tough competition from European and American brands was probably the reason why Hitachi did not pursue this sector. In any case, the company invested in other areas. The model we have found is therefore extremely rare and special, and only very few pieces are left worldwide.

The sober elegance of its body, the radial openings in the lower part, and the blades' brackets are distinguishing features of the Japanese design of that period as well as a reminder of the symbol of the Land of the Rising Sun.

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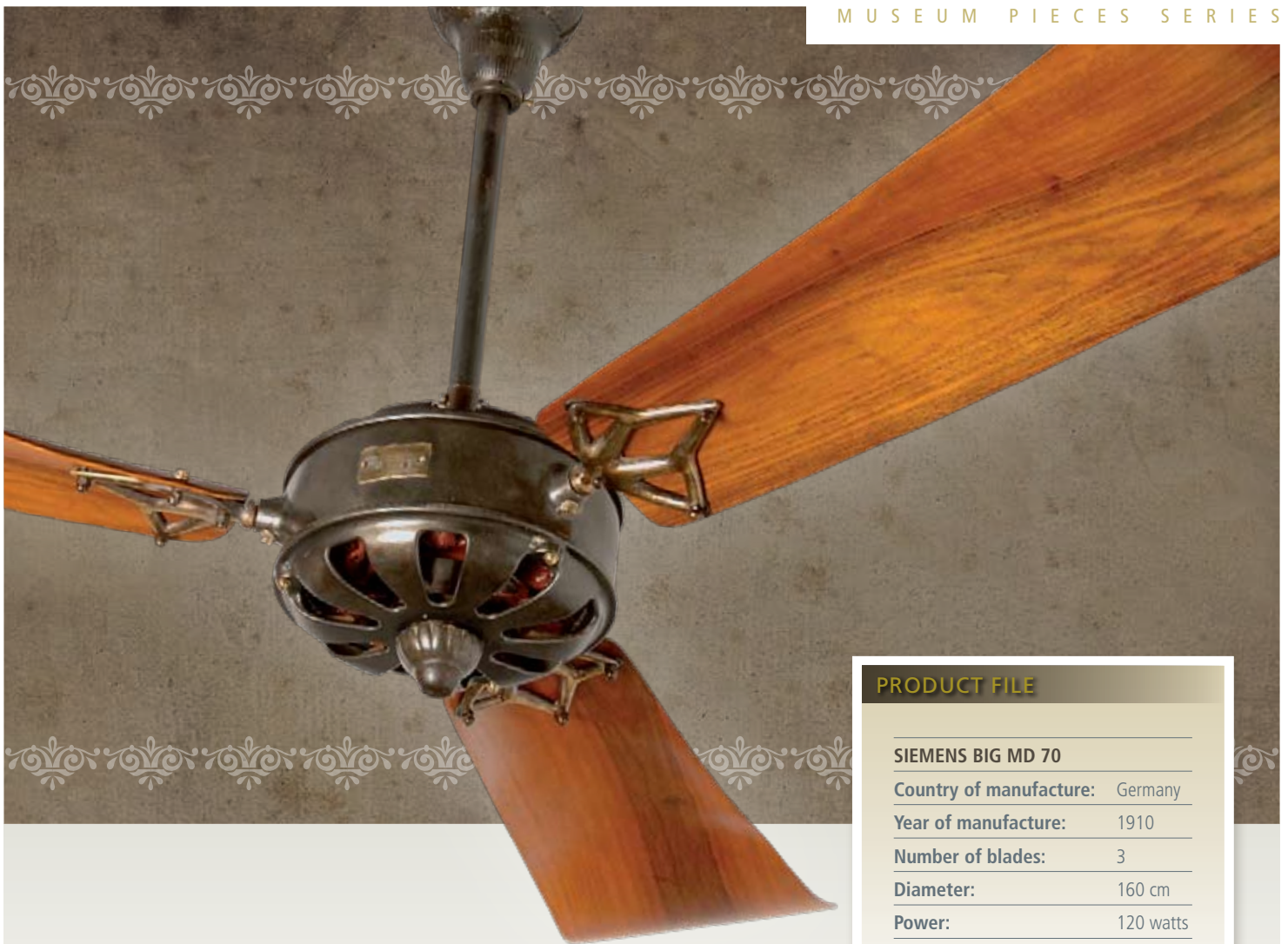


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PRODUCT FILE

SIEMENS BIG MD 70

Country of manufacture:	Germany
Year of manufacture:	1910
Number of blades:	3
Diameter:	160 cm
Power:	120 watts
Weight:	22 kg

SIEMENS BIG MD 70

Germany - 1910

Siemens was among the first European manufacturers of fans which were mainly targeted to the British colonial market, and therefore with frequency and voltage suitable to those countries. The catalogue of Siemens' historical Museum shows how during the first decade of 1900 the firm's Munich plant switched from the production of direct-current models to the production of two new alternating current fan models: MD 30 and MD 70.

They were two special models, with large openings in the engine body to ease its cooling-off, and equipped with an oil cup in the upper part to lubricate the engine shaft. Both these models, perfectly restored and in working conditions, are considered extremely rare.

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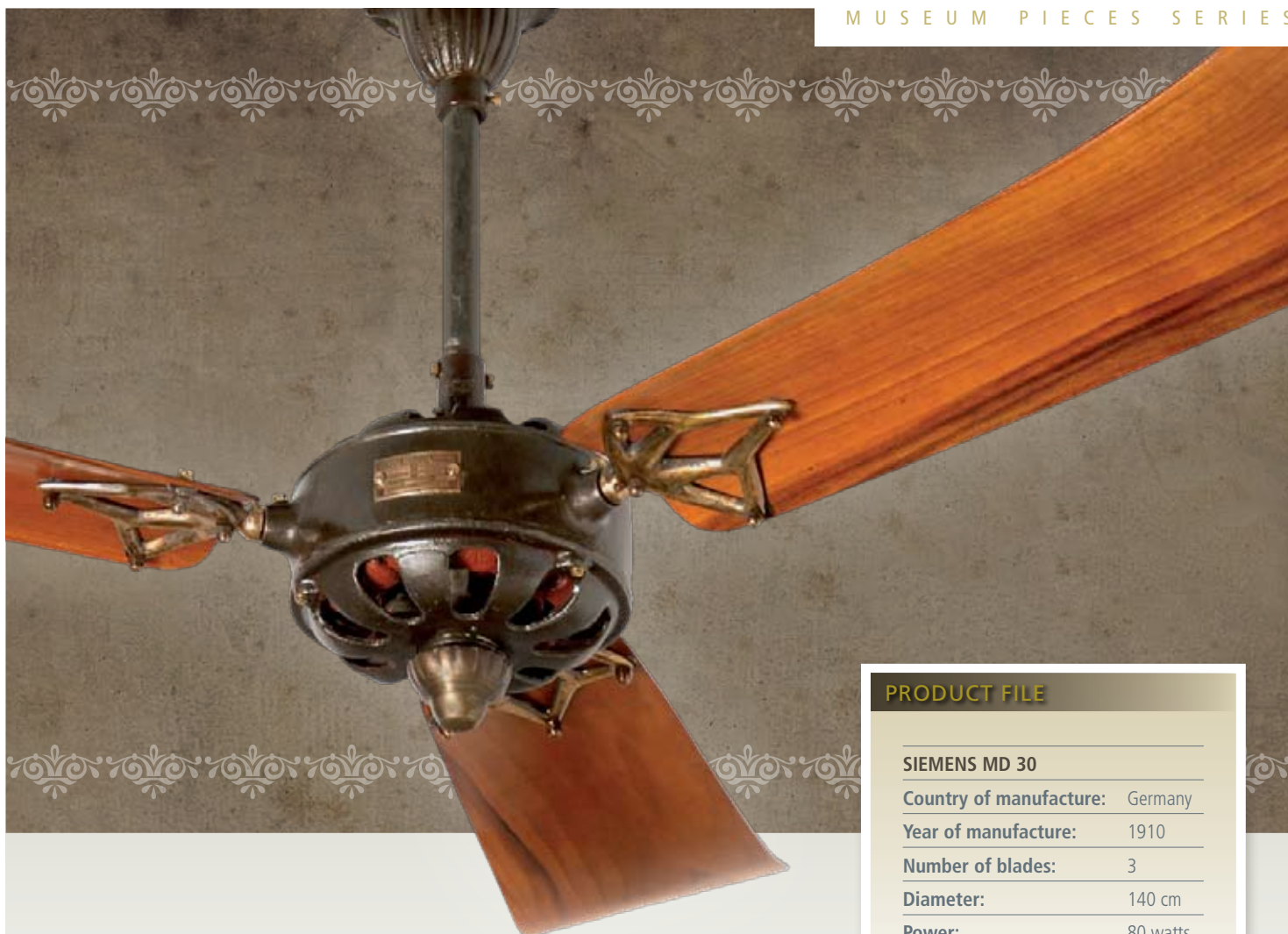


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PRODUCT FILE

SIEMENS MD 30

Country of manufacture:	Germany
Year of manufacture:	1910
Number of blades:	3
Diameter:	140 cm
Power:	80 watts
Weight:	13 kg

SIEMENS MD 30

Germany - 1910

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