



Archived Data from U-M Fine Arts Library Sotheby's Catalog Search

Description

This TSV (tab-separated value) document includes the catalog title, sale location, sale date, and sale number for 8471 Sotheby's auction catalogs representing sales of fine and decorative arts from 1875-2015 that are held in the Fine Arts Library's collection. You can search SCIPPIO: Art and Rare Book Sales Catalog for these and other auction catalogs.

Data Source

This data was produced in the 1960s through 2012 by staff of the Fine Arts Library as a long-running project to preserve information about Sotheby's catalogs held in the Fine Arts Library.

Column Descriptions

- **CatID:** A unique identifier for each row of this dataset
- **SaleDate:** Date of the auction in YYYY-MM-DD format
- **Title:** The title of the auction catalog, which reflects its subject matter (e.g., Works by Pablo Picasso, Portrait Miniatures, Persian Art)
- **LocName:** Location of the auction (e.g., London, New York, Hong Kong)
- **SaleNumber:** A unique identifier for the sale