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**[Italy Under the Reign of Augustus] Tabula Italiae Antiquae in Regionis XI ab Augusto  
divisae et tum ad mensuras itinerarias tum ad observationes astronomicas exactae . . .  
M.D. CCXV. Aug 26. . . . 1745**

**Stock#:** 82018  
**Map Maker:** De L'Isle  
**Date:** 1715  
**Place:** Paris  
**Color:** Outline Color  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 35 x 19.5 inches (plus text)  
**Price:** SOLD



**Description:**

***The Eleven Regions of Italy During Roman Times, with Roman Roads Shown***

Rare map of ancient Italy, engraved by Joanne Baptiste Liebaux for Guillaume De L'Isle in 1715.

The map illustrates the eleven regions of Italy established by Augustus. At the beginning of the Roman Imperial era, Italy was a collection of territories with different political statuses. Some cities, called municipia, had some independence from Rome, while others, the coloniae, were founded by the Romans themselves. Around 7 BC, Augustus divided Italy into eleven regions, as illustrated by the map.

To the side of the map is a chart displaying the subdivisions of the country as classed by hierarchy, with five separate levels of organization, which appear to be shown on the map. This chart bears a Mariette imprint from 1667.

A later state of the map also exists that bears the later imprint of De L'Isle's successor, Philippe Buache.

**Detailed Condition:**

Original hand-color in outline. Couple of wormholes around the centerfold. Additional engraved toponymic sheet onlaid to the left margin.