

# CONDITION REPORT TEMPLATE

Professional condition reporting for collectible items

## ITEM DETAILS

Item Name / Reference ID

Victorian sterling silver cigarette case (c. 1890) — Ref: SAMPLE-001

Category

Silver / Personal Accessories

Materials

Sterling silver (hallmarked), gilt-washed interior

Dimensions / Weight

Approx. 9.5 x 7.0 x 1.0 cm; 145 g

## CONDITION OVERVIEW

Overall Condition (Excellent / Very Good / Good / Fair / Poor)

Good

General Condition Summary

Overall Good condition with normal age-related surface wear. Light scratching and small shallow dents consistent with handling and pocket use. Hinge operates smoothly; clasp closes securely. No active cracks or structural breaks observed.

## DETAILED CONDITION ASSESSMENT

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## DETAILED CONDITION ASSESSMENT (CONTINUED)

### Surface Wear / Patina

Even light surface scratches throughout; mild tarnish in recesses. A few small shallow dents on the front panel; edges show minor rubbing.

### Structural Integrity (cracks, breaks, losses)

Body is stable with no splits. Lid alignment is good; hinge pins appear intact. Closure engages properly; no looseness noted during visual inspection.

### Restoration / Repairs (if any)

No obvious restoration observed. No solder repairs visible at hinge or corners.

### Alterations or Replacements

No replacements noted. Interior gilt wash shows expected wear; no modern inserts observed.

## ADDITIONAL NOTES

### Age-related characteristics or observations

Typical late-19th-century wear for a functional silver case. Minor bruising/dings and oxidation consistent with age. Any engraved initials/monogram (if present) may affect market appeal depending on buyer.

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## REPORT PREPARATION

Prepared By

Sample Documentation (Demo)

Date Prepared

27 Feb 2026

Inspection Method (Visual / Handling / Limited)

Visual (non-invasive)

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