FRANCISCO DE GOYA Y LUCIENTES, PAINTER

CLASIFICACIÓN: DRAWINGS

SERIE: CAPRICHOS (PRINTS AND DRAWINGS, 1797-1799) (1B/85)



DATOS GENERALES

CRONOLOGÍA	Ca. 1797 - 1798
UBICACIÓN	The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, United States
DIMENSIONES	200 x 143 mm
TÉCNICA Y SOPORTE	
RECONOCIMIENTO DE LA AUTORÍA DE GOYA	Documented work
TITULAR	The Metropolitan Museum of Art
FICHA: REALIZACIÓN/REVISIÓN	09 Nov 2010 / 23 Jun 2023
INVENTARIO	518 (1972.118.295).

HISTORIA

Throughout the creative process of *The Caprices*, which had as their first germ some drawings from *Notebook A* and *Notebook B* and reached a greater definition of ideas in the series *Dreams*, Goya also produced numerous loose drawings. On Goya's death these drawings passed successively to his son Javier (+1854) and his grandson Mariano. They were acquired from him around 1861 by the collector and scholar Valentín Carderera. On his death in 1880 they were inherited by his nephew Mariano Carderera, from

whom the Prado Museum bought them by virtue of a Royal Order of 12 November 1886. With the exception of this drawing with the self-portrait of Goya, corresponding to the cover of *The Caprices* or Caprice 1, which Valentín Carderera donated to Romualdo Nogués y Milagro (+1899); by inheritance it passed to Manuel Nogués; subsequently to C. de Hauke and to Walter C. Baker (New York) who in 1971 donated it to the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York.

ANÁLISIS ARTÍSTICO

In the preparatory drawing Goya made for the first engraving in his series *The Caprice*s, he portrays himself with a long bust. The painter wears a top hat, a buttoned jacket and a grim expression on his face, as in the engraving. The only difference between the sketch and the print is that in the sketch the painter is depicted up to his elbow, while in the engraving he is depicted up to the start of his arm. On the paper he marked in sanguine the definitive dimensions that were later transferred to the print.

On the *verso* of the folio there are several sketches of Goya's face

EXPOSICIONES

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cat. 191

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Museum of Fine Arts Boston 1974
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Goya y el espíritu de la Ilustración
Museo Nacional del Prado Madrid 1988
from October 6th to December 18th 1988. Exhibited also at Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, January 18th to March 26th 1989; The Metropolitan Museum of Art, Nueva York, May 9th to July 16th 1989, Madrid curator Manuela B. Mena Marqués, scientific directors Alfonso E. Pérez Sánchez and Eleanor A. Sayre
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Goya. La década de Los Caprichos
Madrid 1992
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PALABRAS CLAVE

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