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London, Wednesday 5 February 2014, Sale #1508

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

69 lots sold
84 lots offered

Total: £ 5,392,100 / \$8,789,123 / €6,497,481
\$ 1.630 = £1 / € 1.205 = £1

82% sold by lot
87% sold by value

Lot	Description	Estimate (£)	Price Realised	Buyer
224	Marc Chagall (1887-1985), <i>L'Ange dans les fleurs</i> , executed circa 1925-26	300,000 - 500,000	£662,500 \$1,079,875 €798,313	European Private
254	Wassily Kandinsky (1866-1944), <i>Im glücklichen Hafen (In the Happy Harbour)</i> , executed in October 1923	200,000 - 300,000	£386,500 \$629,995 €465,733	European Private
249	Fernand Léger (1881-1955), <i>La grande parade sur fond jaune</i> , executed in 1953	200,000 - 300,000	£374,500 \$610,435 €451,273	US Private
209	Edgar Degas (1834-1917), <i>Femme à sa toilette</i> , drawn circa 1897	250,000 - 350,000	£290,500 \$473,515 €350,053	Asian Private
216	Egon Schiele (1890-1918), <i>Weiblicher Rückenakt, Strümpfe anziehend (Female Nude Pulling up Stockings, Back View)</i> , executed in 1918	80,000 - 120,000	£290,500 \$473,515 €350,053	Asian Private
217	Pablo Picasso (1881-1973), <i>Picador et femme</i> , executed on 8 June 1960	100,000 - 150,000	£290,500 \$473,515 €350,053	Asian Private
226	Marc Chagall (1887-1985), <i>Deux visages à l'oiseau</i> , executed in 1955	30,000 - 50,000	£254,500 \$414,835 €306,673	UK Private
243	Pablo Picasso (1881-1973), <i>Mousquetaire et courtisane</i> , drawn on 26 February 1968	150,000 - 250,000	£242,500 \$395,275 €292,213	European Trade
206	Marc Chagall (1887-1985), <i>Corbeille de fruits et bouquet dans la nuit</i> executed in June 1952	180,000 - 250,000	£218,500 \$356,155 €263,293	Asian Private
218	Pablo Picasso (1881-1973), <i>Femme accoudée</i> , executed in 1903	20,000 - 30,000	£182,500 \$297,475 €219,913	European Private

Cornelia Svedman, Head of Sale, Impressionist and Modern Works on Paper:

"This sale saw strong demand throughout, spanning the full range of works by the masters of modernity offered, from Degas to Kandinsky and Chagall. Further demonstrating the current breadth of appreciation for works on paper, it is notable that enthusiastic bidding from new and established collectors was truly global, with particular competition from pan-Asian, European and American collectors. The appeal of evocative provenance evident in the Evening Sales continued, with highlights including a Kandinsky watercolour given as a wedding present to Walter Gropius (lot 254) and Picasso drawings previously in the collection of Audrey Hepburn (lots 218-223)."

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Estimates do not include buyer's premium. Sales totals are hammer price plus buyer's premium and do not reflect costs, financing fees or application of buyer's or seller's credits.