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Binding:

Binding of yellow parchment, made slightly later than the manuscript itself. Three codicological units.

History:

The manuscript was probably created in France – the titles of Latin texts are given in French. Analysis of the writing indicates the 17th century. On first sight, the manuscript seems uniform. A closer inspection reveals that it includes three codicological units. They were probably stored together before binding, as indicated by an unbroken original foliation. The volume also bears bifolio numbering at the bottom of the page. The third codicological unit lacks this numbering, which indicates that at the very beginning all three units were stored separately. Thanks to the filigree visible on the front protective card, the binding is dated to the 18th century. The manuscript is absent from the accession register of the Königlische Bibliothek in Berlin. Therefore, it must have reached the library before 1828 (date of introduction of the accession register). The copy contains various text in French and Latin. Texts in French: ff. 55r^o-72v^o, 97r^o-108v^o, 108v^o-110r^o, 111r^o-124v^o, 124v^o-125v^o, 127r^o-141r^o, 143r^o-157v^o, 159r^o-164v^o, 165v^o-173r^o, 175r^o-187r^o, 189r^o-191v^o, 193r^o-195r^o, 197v^o-212v^o, 213r^o-234v^o, 239r^o-243v^o, 245r^o-248r^o ; texts in Latin: ff. 2r^o-20r^o, 21r^o-24v^o, 25r^o-36r^o, 37r^o-54r^o, 73r^o-82r^o, 83r^o-96r^o, 235r^o-238v^o.

Content:

CODIX VARIORUM TRACTATUUM CONFADACIONUM ET PACIUM HELVETIORUM CUM GALLIS - INITORUM AB ANNO 1499 USQUE AD 1614. The manuscript contains copies of famous treaties between the Kingdom of France and the Cantons of Switzerland in the 1499-1614 period. Most of them was published.