



CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY

**N°32104**

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**The Bag**

# IDENTIFICATION OF THE PIECE

## House

Bottega Veneta (Vicence, Italie)

## Model

The Mini Jodie Format Hobo compact (Serial: A008691971)

## Dimensions

22 x 14 x 5 cm (Knotted handle drop: 10 cm)

## Main Material

Lambskin Nappa leather (Intrecciato weaving technique)

## Color

Deep black

## Inner Lining

Tonal smooth calfskin

## Hardware

Gold-tone metal zipper

## Production Identifier

Authenticity tag sewn into the inner lining

(including the certified RFID chip and the matrix serial number specific to the Veneto workshops.)

## Owner

Ania Bourai

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**ANALYSIS  
PROTOCOL**

# ANALYSIS PROTOCOL

(Double-blind validated)

## Microscopic Examination of Materials and Weaving

Analysis under a binocular loupe (x40 magnification) focuses on the iconic Intrecciato weaving. The Nappa leather strips (fettucce) feature a laser cut with a strictly identical millimeter width throughout the entire piece. The examination confirms the total absence of stitching on the external face of the strips, an artisanal feat specific to Bottega Veneta which doubles the skin on itself (seamless technique) before weaving. The lambskin reveals to the touch and visual examination a natural grain of extreme suppleness, characteristic of the Grade A leathers used by the House.

## Study of Structure and Leather Goods

The architecture of the Mini Jodie is analyzed at its half-moon curvature and its iconic knot. The structural ultrasound of the knot confirms that it is not an added piece, but is organically sculpted from the extension of the braided leather strips of the bag's body. The transition between the woven body and the smooth handle is fluid, maintained by perfect internal tension. The top zipper follows the asymmetrical curve of the bag without puckering, demonstrating highly masterful template assembly.

## Typography and Internal Identifiers

Unlike other houses, Bottega Veneta advocates an external no-logo approach. Authentication therefore relies on the internal "BOTTEGA VENETA / MADE IN ITALY" stamping. Passed under our vector analysis software, the stamping reveals perfect kerning of the brand's characteristic Serif font. The small white certification tag sewn into the internal side seam was scanned under UV light, revealing the luminescent security thread. The radio frequency scan confirms the encrypted response of the integrated RFID chip.

## Metalwork and Mechanical Validation

The zipper track features individually polished teeth, offering a silent and snag-free glide despite the strong curvature of the bag. The gold-tone metal zipper pull, of a simple geometric shape, was subjected to a density analysis revealing a solid brass alloy. The base of the zipper pull features the discreet engraving "BOTTEGA VENETA", the depth of which was measured as constant by our micrometric probe.

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**EXPERTISE  
INFORMATION**

# EXPERTISE INFORMATION

## Places of Authentication

Paris, FRANCE

## Date of Authentication

03/2023

## Supervisor

Ms. Biagiotti

## Supervisor

Ms. Ruiter

## Condition Grading

Overall score awarded: 9/10 (Excellent condition)

- Exterior structure: Perfect. The natural elasticity of the Intrecciato weave is intact. No leather strip (fettucce) is stretched, scratched, or torn, including on primary friction zones such as the base of the bag.
- Interior space: The smooth inner calfskin is immaculate.
- Handle and Knot: The signature knot shows no sagging or excessive stretching related to carrying.
- Hardware: The gilding of the zipper is radiant. Only microscopic use scratches, inherent to the handling of the zipper pull, are noted under the loupe.

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**The Verdict**

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## Conclusion

Following our cross-analytical protocol, validated by two of our independent experts and supported by our structural tests, we declare the bag Bottega Veneta "Mini Jodie" in black woven Nappa leather described above as :

**AUTHENTIC**

The issuance of this official document immediately activates our Accuracy Guarantee. The authenticity of this piece is guaranteed for life by our House. The tamper-proof seal affixed today serves as proof of our total liability.

(We strive to provide the most accurate valuations possible, but in the unlikely event that an error is discovered, we stand behind our commitment to provide fair compensation to our clients.)

**Supervisor**

*biagiotti*

**Supervisor**

*de Ruiter*