

SA1208356

Japanese Kutani porcelain dragon ewer with phoenix spout c. 1880–1900

Price

GBP 400

| USD \$541 | EUR 468

Item Reference: SA1208356**Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 30.5 cm (12.0")

Width = 21.5 cm (8.5")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

A large Japanese Kutani porcelain covered ewer of late Meiji date, combining refined modelling with a highly decorative sculptural form. The spout is formed as a phoenix head, while the handle takes the form of a dragon mask and curved body, creating a strong and unusual visual composition. The decoration is executed in iron-red enamels with gilding, arranged in reserves against a dense ground in the traditional Kutani aka-e manner, with kacho-ga motifs of birds and flowering branches. Mark: Kutani, red script ??, indicating it was made in Kutani. A well-executed Kutani ewer with strong decorative presence and clear collector appeal. Dimensions Height: 30.5 cm Width: 21.5 cm Depth: 13 cm Weight: 904 g Condition Surface star crack to the base, confined to the enamel/glaze layer and not reactive under UV; otherwise in excellent condition. Shipping & Packaging Please study the accompanying photographs carefully as they form an integral part of this description. If you have any questions, we will be happy to answer them. The item will be shipped with full tracking and insurance. It is important to note that shipping costs include labour, packaging and postage.

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