

SA1230863

Monumental Japanese Imari charger, C19th 71cm (28") diameter

Price

GBP 5,500

| USD \$7,499 | EUR 6,418

Item Reference: SA1230863

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 13 cm (5.1")

Width = 71 cm (28.0")

Depth = 71 cm (28.0")

Description

A wonderfully large and impressive Japanese Imari porcelain charger, measuring 71cm (28 inches) in diameter, exuberantly decorated in the traditional palette of underglaze blue, iron red, green enamels and rich gilding. The central medallion depicts a magnificent phoenix poised above flowering paulownia branches, framed by scrolling borders and brocade reserves. Surrounding panels contain lively figural scenes beneath blossoming trees, alternating with dramatic coiled dragons amid clouds. Butterflies, floral sprays and elaborate gilt arabesques enrich the pale blue diaper-patterned ground, creating a remarkably dense and harmonious composition. The reverse is painted in underglaze blue with trailing flowering foliage and a geometric border. Monumental in scale, richly coloured and finely detailed, this spectacular charger makes a commanding decorative statement in any interiors. 65739. DNYKZ

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