

SA857945

Large 19th Century `Grand Tour` Malachite Tazza

Price

GBP 8,900

| USD \$12,134 | EUR 10,385

Item Reference: SA857945

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 33 cm (13.0")

Width = 27 cm (10.6")

Depth = 27 cm (10.6")

Description

A spectacular early C19th Russian malachite tazza of good scale and elegant form. The circular shallow dish with silvered-bronze mounted rim of stylized leaf design, raised on a faceted spreading socle with octagonal pedestal with repeated octagonal plinth. 13" high x 10.75" diameter. Circa 1820-40. Price includes free delivery throughout the UK. Provenance: Christies 31/01/2018 Lot 207 (from the Collection of Sir David and Lady Tang and Property from Bywell Hall, Northumberland and Property from Howe). Design by I.I. Galberg dating from 1820-40 and produced at the Ekaterinburg Imperial Lapidary Factory. The Neo-Classical form of the tazze and the use of malachite is typical of works produced at Ekaterinburg, founded in 1751 and the second of the Imperial Lapidary factories to be established. A malachite tazze of neo-classical design was acquired by George IV for Windsor Castle, and is still in the Royal Collection.

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