

Large Totai Shippo Vase In Cloisonné Lacquer On Ceramic, Japan Meiji Era



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Period: 19th century
Condition: Bon état
Material: Ceramic
Diameter: 20 cm
Height: 56 cm

Description

Large vase in cloisonné lacquer (nuri shippo) on ceramic, decorated with birds among lotuses.Rare in these dimensions: 56 cm high !Used but very good condition. Japan, second half of the 19th century. The technique used to make this type of vase was very complex: the rough ceramic base was glued with copper partitions forming different cells according to a pre-established design. These cells, along with the base, were then filled with lacquer (sometimes with inclusions of metal or mother-of-pearl, as seen here on the Kingfisher heads). On our vase, the base has been reworked and textured to imitate tree bark, a delicate operation that was the source of a good deal of rejects. It is because of this complexity that total shippo vases were only produced for a short time, and are now highly

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