



A Sancai Glazed Parrot - China, 18th, Kangxi Period



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Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Porcelain

Height : 10,8cm

Description

A sancai-glazed biscuit porcelain parrot. China, 18th Kangxi Period (1661-1722)

Height : 10,8cm

Provenance : European private collection

For a parrot of comparable size serving as a "toy", see:

- The Copeland Collection: Chinese and Japanese Ceramic Figures, William Sargent, 1991, pp. 88/89, Fig. 36.

Most small-scale parrots generally take the form of water droppers. This example is unusual in having no aperture and serving solely as a decorative object. The sancai glaze, applied in splashes, recalls the so-called 'egg-and-spinach'

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decoration.

A tiny chip at the tip of the beak. Otherwise in perfect condition. More information and photos available upon request.