19th Century Monumental Polychrome Delft Faience Vase In Chinoiserie Style



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Earthenware

Description

Description :Standing 89 cm tall, this monumental polychrome Delft faience vase pairs an elongated silhouette with richly detailed hand-painted decoration. Its faceted body is broad at the shoulders and gradually tapers toward the foot. Against a warm ivory ground, cobalt blue, leafy green and iron red bring the tall panels to life. Long-beaked birds appear among flowering branches, stylized rockwork and small insects, with some shown in flight and others standing beneath the foliage.Narrow bands of red floral scrollwork divide the panels and emphasize the height of the vase. Around the shoulder, blue lion masks alternate with clusters of flowers, while a broad border of scrolling foliage, blossoms and patterned medallions frames the lower body. The domed lid repeats the floral motifs and is topped

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by a seated lion finial with one paw resting on a ball. Traces of restoration are visible around the base of the finial and on the underside of the lid, as shown in the detail photographs. A painted monogram appears underneath the vase.Dimensions H. 89 cm (35.04 in) Ø 37 cm (14.57 in)