

Cup

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The beaker is complete; a break has been repaired with glue. It is cylindrical with sides. The wall flares out at the top and is topped by a rim in line with it, with a flat top. The wall curves towards the bottom at the base. It rests on a milled foot. The underside of the base is recessed and flat. The foot is beveled and free of glaze ; The decoration is molded and hand-painted in underglaze blue over glaze. The decoration is vegetal. The molded decoration is visible on the wall, which is fluted with wavy corners, and continues to the rim. The painted decoration is on the outside. It consists of a blue-painted herbaceous terrace supporting a tall willow tree and a flowering, leafy shrub. Two birds twirl in the sky on the opposite wall. A shiny brown, iron-based plaster covers the top of the rim.

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Date 1891 c

Materials ceramics, fine hard-paste porcelain from China

Measurements 6,1 x 6,635 cm

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On display