



## A pair of Japanese Imari dishes, 18th century POA

A pair of Japanese Imari dishes, 18th century, decorated in underglaze cobalt blue, overglaze enamels and gilt to the central roundels with a stylised landscape scene comprising clouds, a grassy river bank, swirling waters and overhanging boughs of cherry blossom, the rims with four alternating shaped cartouches containing either a ho-ho bird in flight or a single blossom against scrolling foliage; all against a dense karakusa ground in underglaze blue, the reverse with three sprays of foliage and central pseudo-Chenghua mark within concentric circles.

Dimensions:

Diameter: 30cm. (12in.)

<b>Material and Technique</b>	Porcelain with underglaze cobalt blue and overglaze enamel decoration in the Imari palette
<b>Origin</b>	Japanese
<b>Period</b>	18th Century
<b>Diameter</b>	30cm. (12in.)

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