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## Japanese Arita blue and white kraak-style plate, c.1700 POA

Japanese Arita blue and white kraak-style plate, c.1700, decorated in deep cobalt blue to the central roundel with a pair of birds in flight, another pair below on the ground amongst grasses, seedpods and blooming peony heads, the wide rim with eight sections containing further flowers, blossom and artemisia leaves, the reverse with two floral sprays and spur marks.

Condition: Good

Notes: An Arita kraak-style plate with similar central design is in the collection of the V&A (1711-1876)

Material and Technique Ceramic with underglaze cobalt blue decoration

Origin Japanese

Period 18th Century

**Diameter** 31.7cm. (12 1/2 in.)

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