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Underglaze

Printing in a single color on earthenware and stoneware 1780-1820

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The same print was used twice on the body of the mug. Its shape suggests it was designed for the well of a round plate rather than for the oblong surface of a mug.



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View of the printed inner border.

Shape Type

Miscellaneous

Pattern Type

Chinese, Asian and Other Exotic Themes

Date

1795 - 1805

Dimensions

- Height: 15.50 in (39.37 cm)
- Length: 15.50 in (39.37 cm)

Maker

Unknown

**Description:**

Mug printed in underglaze black with the Precarious Chinaman pattern. Examples of this pattern from the Cambrian Pottery, Swansea, bear dates between 1798 and

1801. The pattern was made elsewhere, and the version on this example may well be from Staffordshire. Underglaze black as well as underglaze brown prints were used at this time both in Staffordshire and at Swansea. The Duke of Rutland,

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