

Ceramic roof figure: piece of a dragon fish

Chinese Collection

Accession Nr.:	97.28.1 
Type:	ceramics; architectural fragment
Date of production:	19th century Qing dynasty
Place of production:	Shiwan kiln, Guangdong province, China
Materials:	earthenware
Techniques:	glazed
Dimensions:	height: 37 cm length 45 cm
Acquisition:	collection of Ferenc Hopp

Figures of fish dragons decorated, among others, the ridges and edges of roofs. On ridges, the mythical beasts are facing each other, while on edges they face the eaves end.

