

# Traditional New Year painting - Pig eating taro leaves (Vietnames: Lợn ăn lá ráy)

Southeast Asian Collection

Accession Nr.: 61.1.3 

Type: woodblock print

Date of production: between 1950 and 1960

Place of production: Bắc Ninh province, Đông Hồ village, Vietnam, Southeast Asia

Materials/Technique  
s: paper, coloured woodblock print

Dimensions: height: 25 cm  
width: 35. 7 cm

The image, made in the Đông Hồ workshop in Vietnam, shows a pig eating a taro leaf, with a yin-yang symbol on the side. This New Year woodcut (associated with the Tet celebrations), wishing good luck, abundance and fertility, was part of a series of originally 15 woodcut in the Museum's collection.

