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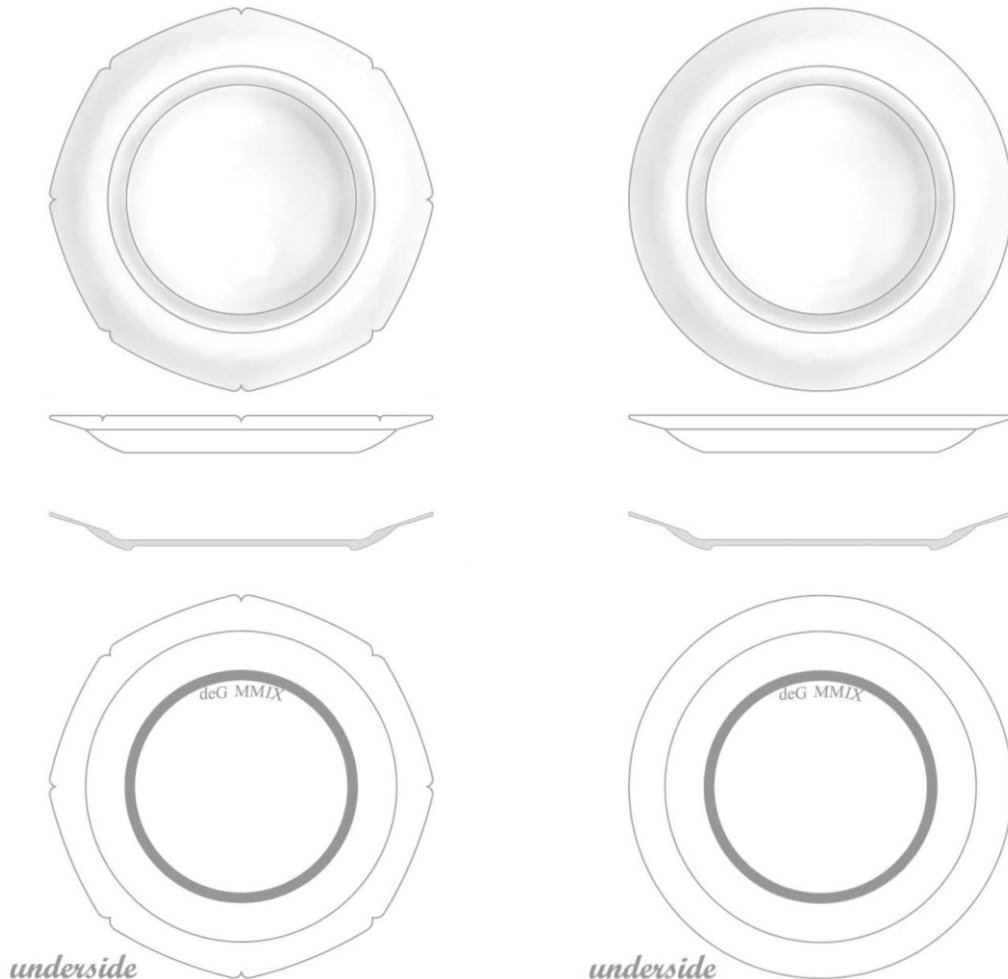
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**Information on Porcelain Tableware Shapes and Ordering Procedures
covering the de Gournay Dinner Service Collection**

Shapes

The de Gournay Dinner Service Collection offers a choice of two shape styles, Octagonal (shown on the left below throughout) and Round. A single service may use one style exclusively or mix the two. The design of each piece has been reproduced from original 18th Century models with modifications to de Gournay's design where necessary to ensure that each is suitable for contemporary dining.

Plates are offered in Charger (12½"/320mm), Dinner (11"/280mm), Salad (9"/230mm), Dessert (7½"/191mm) and Side (6½"/165mm) sizes;

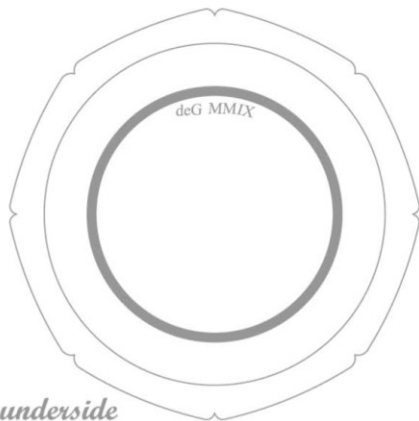




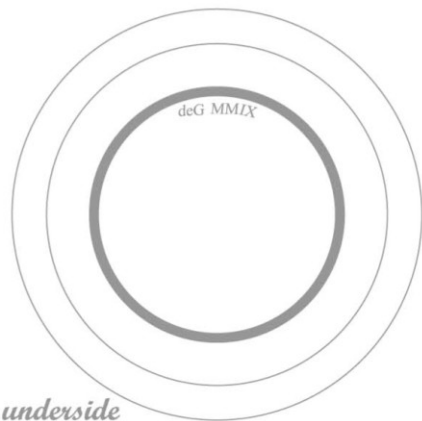
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Bowls are offered in Soup (9"/232mm) and Dessert (7½"/190mm) sizes:



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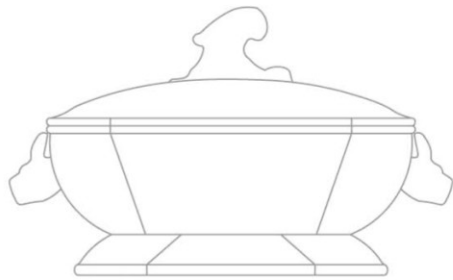
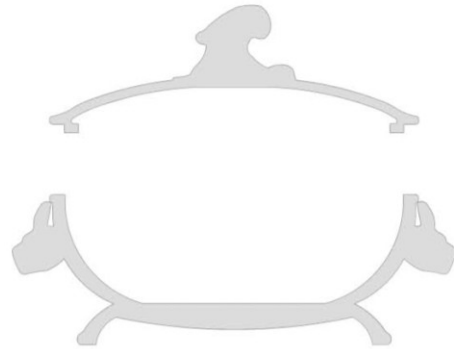
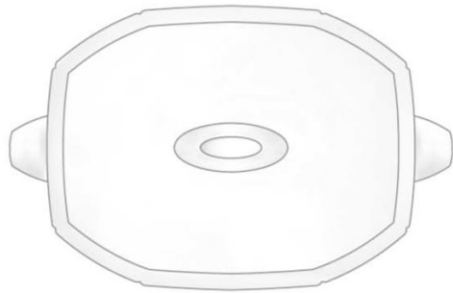
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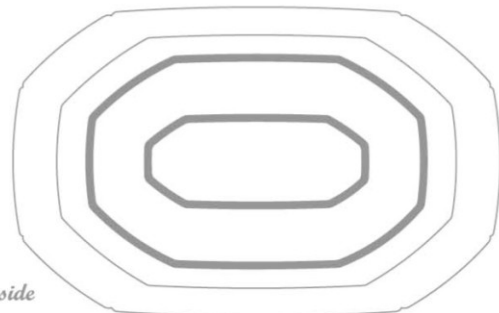
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Serving Tureens are usually ordered with matching stands. Octagonal body sizes are Extra large (16"/406mm), Large (14"/360mm), Medium (12"/306mm) and small (10"/260mm) measured as the longest dimension of the main tureen body;



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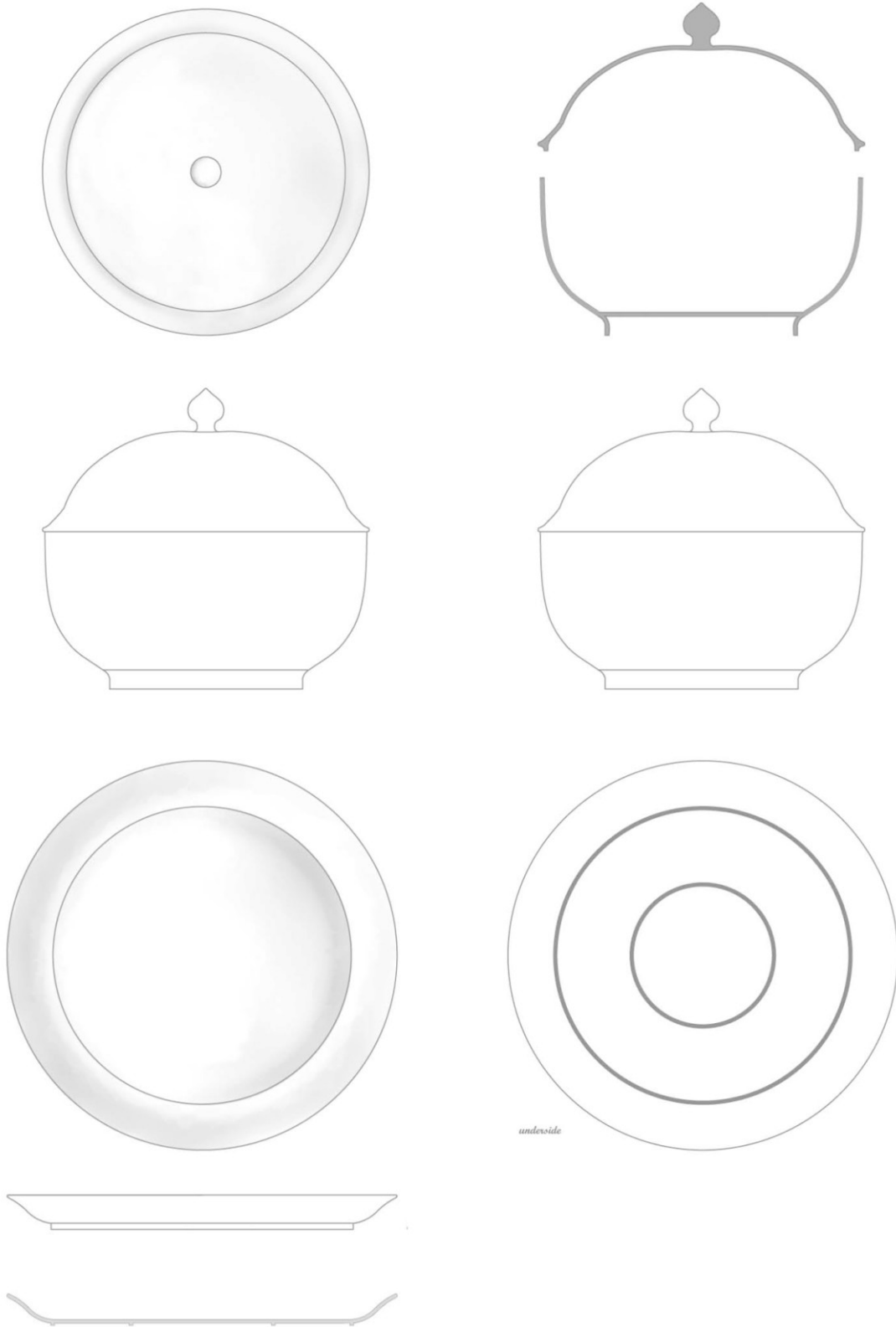




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A round serving Tureen is also available in Large (13 ½" / 342mm size with a matching stand;

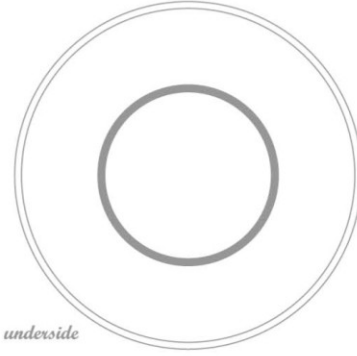




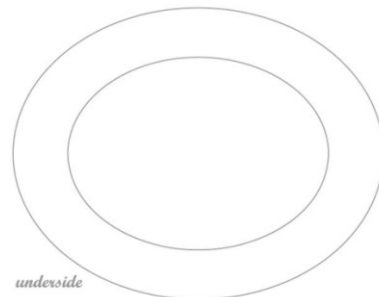
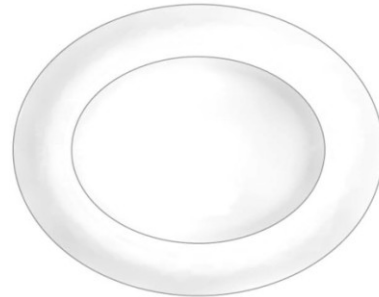
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Punchbowls are not offered in Octagonal style. Salad (10"/250mm), Fruit (12"/300mm) and Punch (16"/400mm) diameter sizes are available;



Serving Platters are offered in 12"/300mm, 14"/350mm, 16"/400mm and Fish (20"/500mm) length versions;

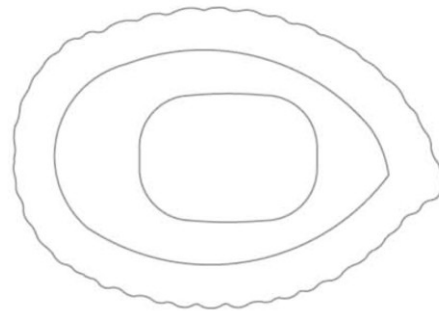




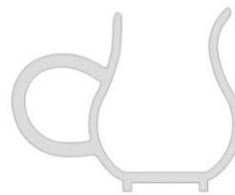
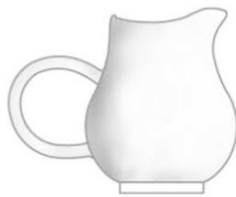
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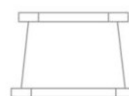
Sauceboat models can be either Leaf Shaped with a Stand or Double-spouted for gravy separation (not illustrated);



Cream Jug (3 ½ "/ 90mm tall);



Salts (3"/78mm long);

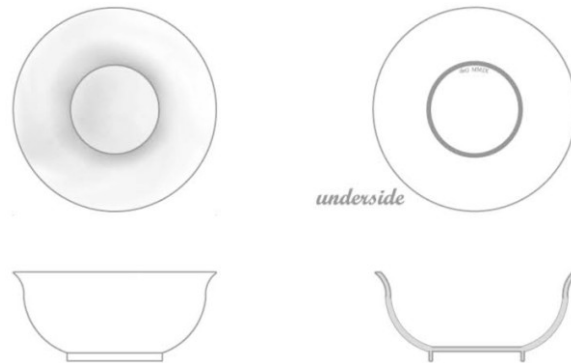




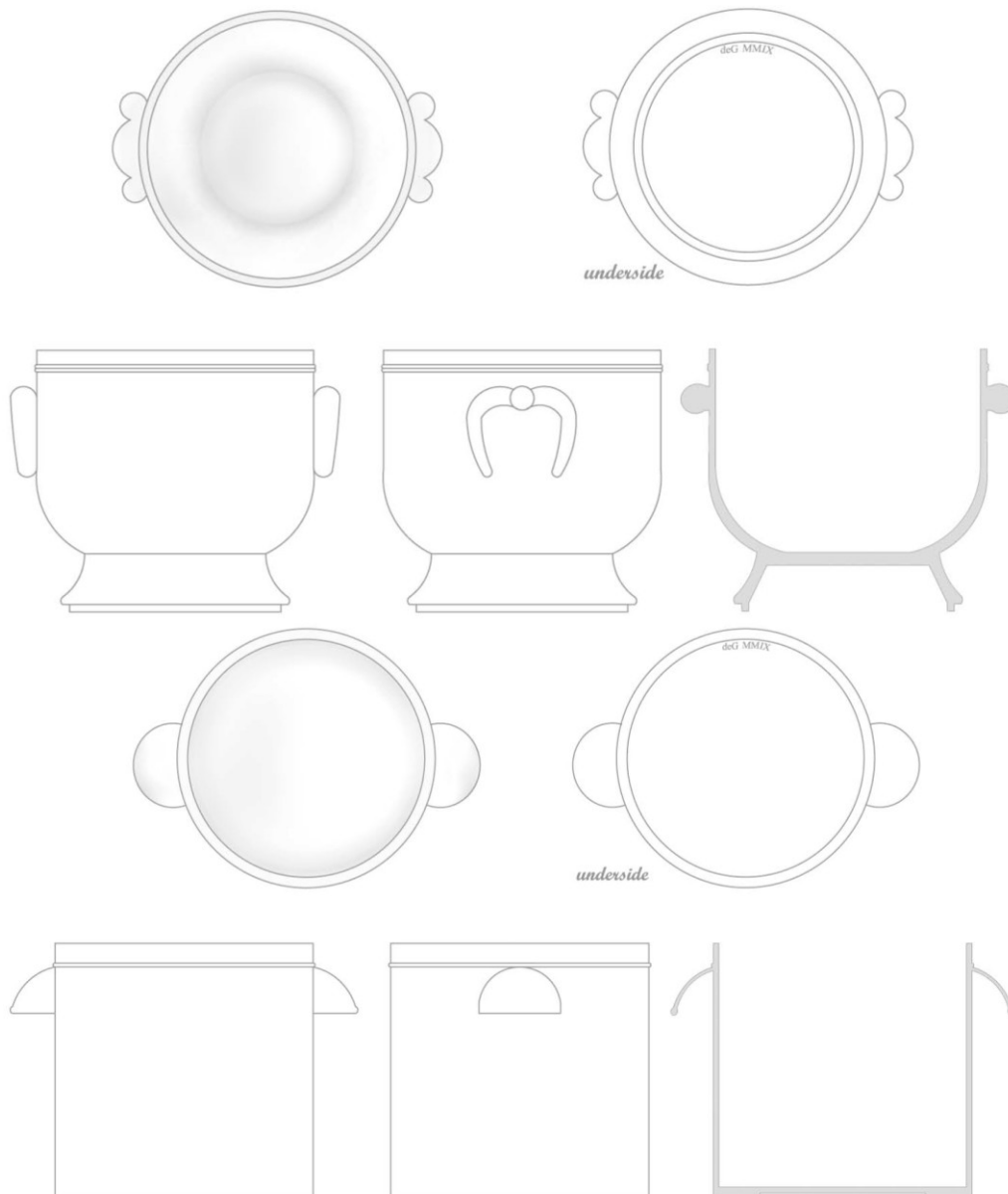
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Sugar or Rice bowl (5"/126mm diameter);



Two Wine Cooler models are offered. The upper illustration shows the Bowl (7½"/190mm diameter) model and the lower illustration the Bucket (8"/200mm diameter) model;

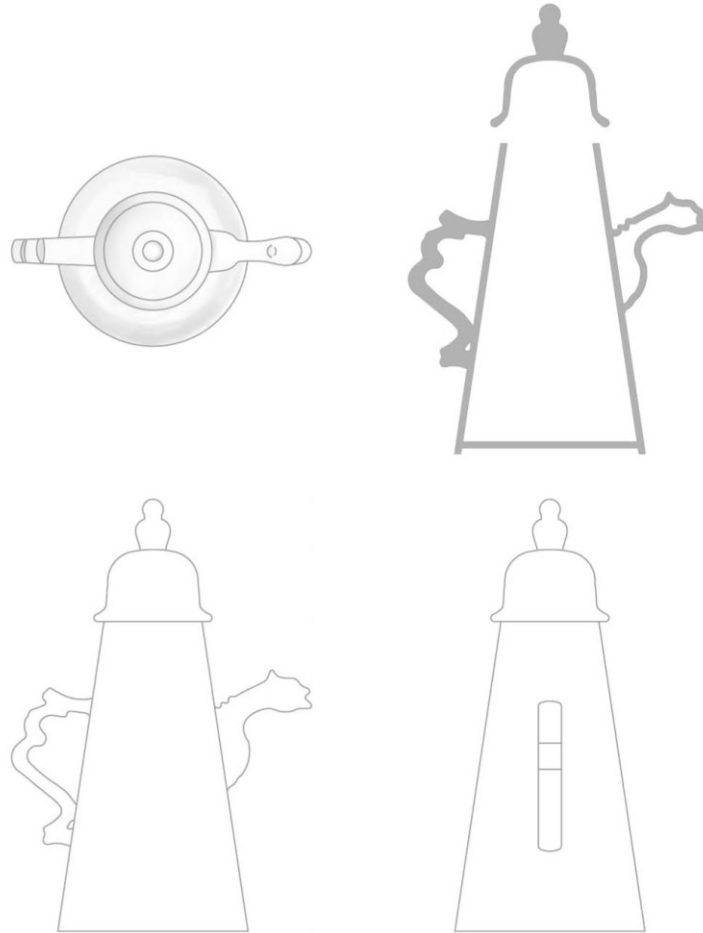




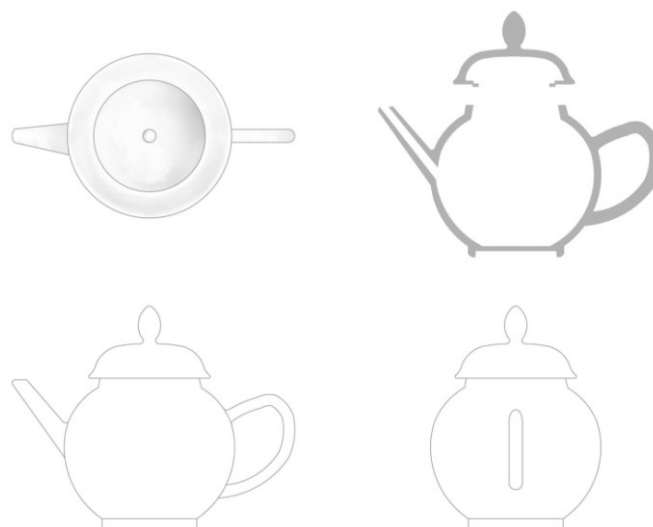
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Dragon Spout coffee pot (12" / 300mm tall);



Teapot (6" / 150mm tall);



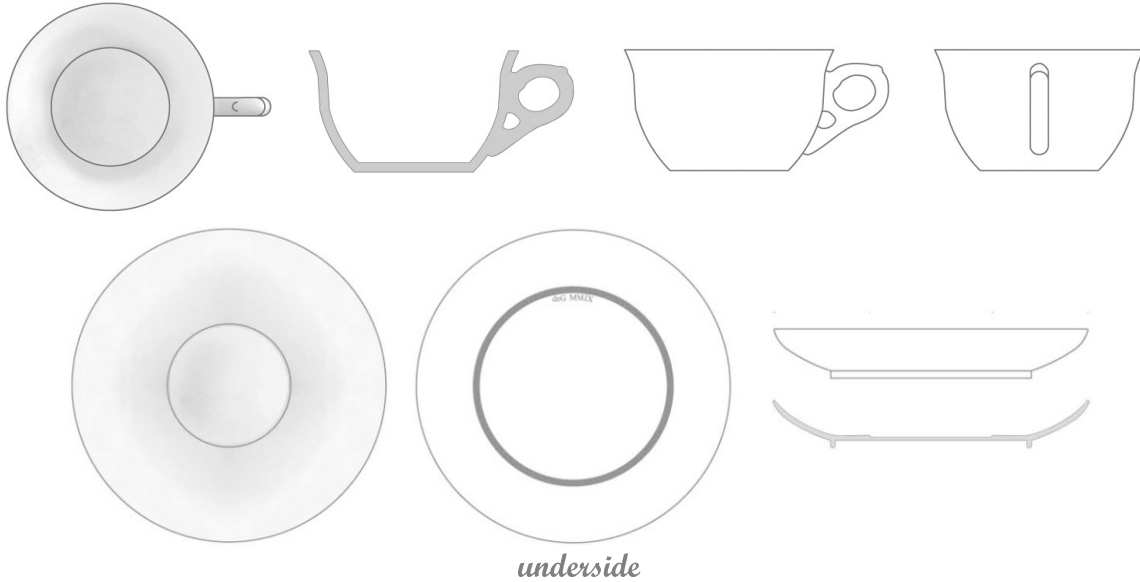


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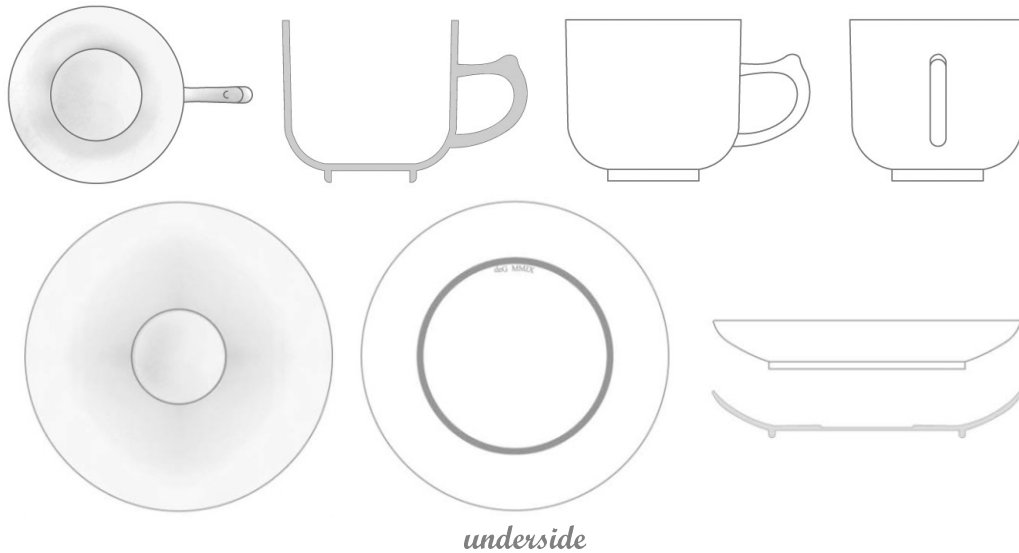
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Drinking cups are offered in Teacup (3½"/92mm diameter), Coffee Cup (3"/78mm diameter), Espresso Cup (2"/50mm diameter) or Coffee Mug (3"/78mm diameter) shapes with matching saucers where appropriate;

Teacup (3½"/92mm diameter);



Coffee Cup (3"/78mm diameter);

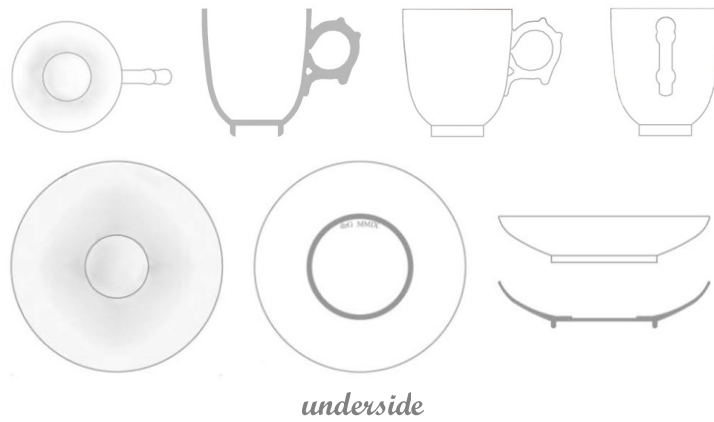




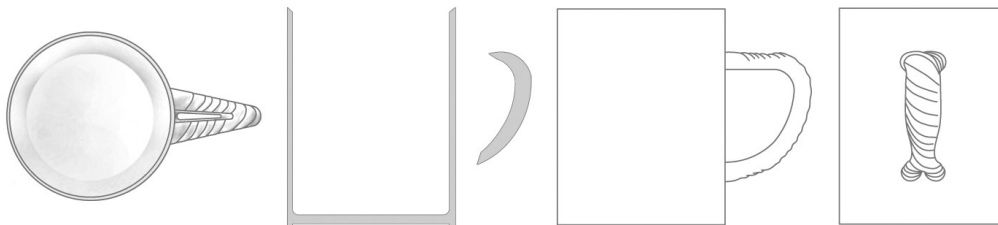
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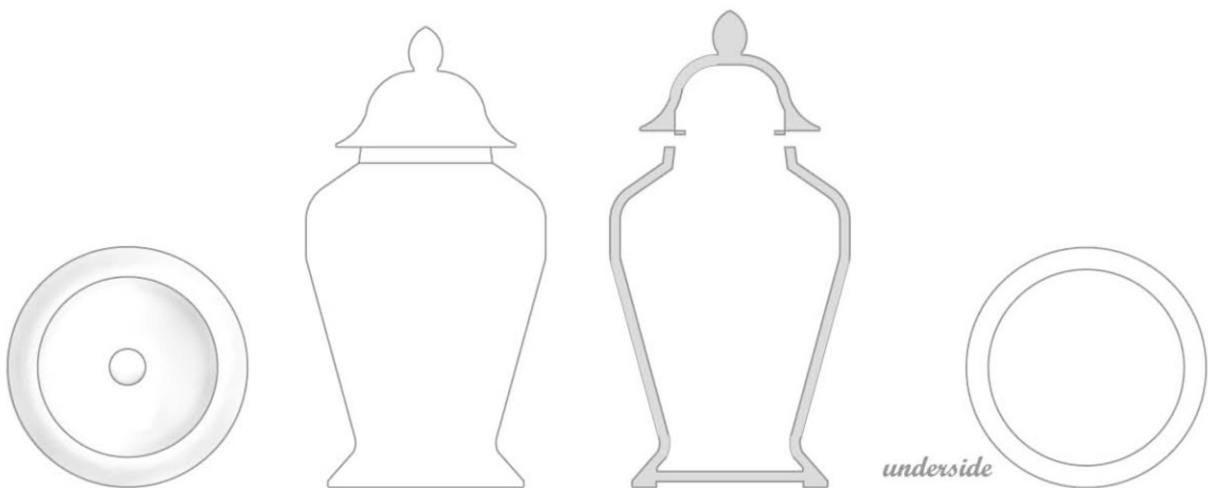
Espresso Cup (2"/50mm diameter);



Coffee Mug (3"/78mm diameter);



Lotus Seed vase (9"/234mm tall)

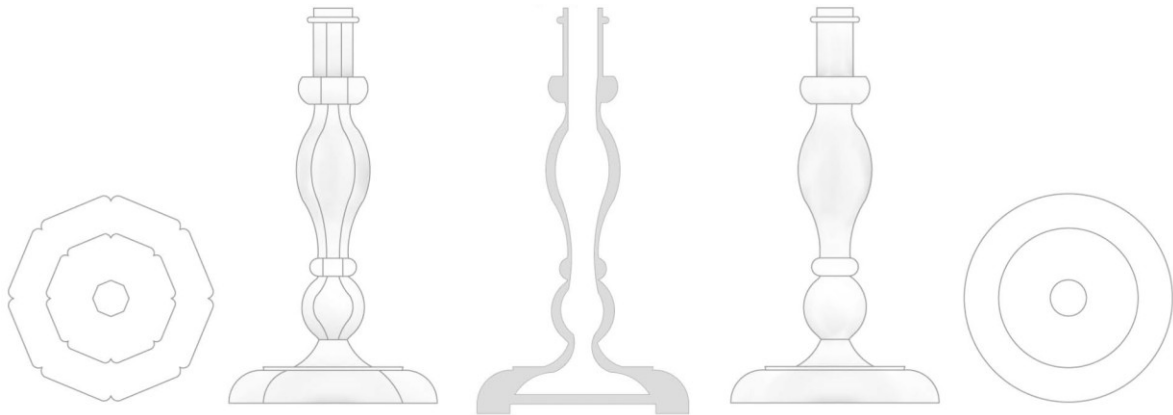




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Candle Stick (8½"/220mm tall);



Glazes

3 standard glazes are offered.

- Blanc de Chine* - pure brilliant white.
Celadon - tinged with a blue green hue.
Pearl - white tinged grey containing darker flecks.

Glaze Finishes

Each glaze colour can be ordered with either a dimpled 18th Century style *Orange Peel* or a *Smooth* surface. Samples of these and the glaze colours are shown at the back of the Dinner Service Collection Sample Folder.

Design Colours

All *de Gournay* Dinner Service pieces are hand-painted with modern lead free enamels and consequently are 'dishwasher-proof' so can be used for everyday dining if so desired. Colours are chosen by a client from our range, which includes every possible armorial colour and pieces are priced simply according to the number of different colours used (regardless of the number of shades of the same colour).

Design

de Gournay offer a range of authentic Chinese Export patterns, both armorial and non-armorial, from which clients choose one that is then tailored to suit their specific requirements. Commissions to reproduce an existing historic design from details provided by a client are welcomed and will be quoted individually.



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Antiquing

A variety of antique finishes are available upon request. These must be sampled to our client prior to an order for these being accepted by de Gournay.

Process

A client chooses a design, principal colours and which pieces will make up their service (there is no minimum order). *de Gournay* quote and the client pays a deposit. The design is then presented in sketch form for every item that has been proposed and changes are made as required by the client. A sample plate is made to this design using the specified colours and glaze. This process is repeated until the client is satisfied. Once service contents, design sketches and a sample plate are approved production begins. Sample plates will be charged separately on orders of less than £5,000 value (excluding VAT).

Cancellation

Orders can be cancelled at any stage prior to the final production go-ahead being given. Under such circumstances sample plates are charged at £250 each plus VAT and design sketch work is charged at 10% of total order value.

Lead Times

Production of a sample plate takes 4 to 6 weeks and design sketches can be completed in less than 2 weeks. Please allow 16 – 18 weeks for production and delivery of an order once the sample and design is approved.

Additional Terms

All porcelain remains the property of *de Gournay* until full payment has been received.

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