



FLOWERING TEATIME

For the past five years, Dutch artist Wouter Dolk and Royal Copenhagen's own form and decoration designers have worked closely together on a unique reinterpretation of one of the oldest dinner wares in the company's history, Blue Flower from the 1800's. The result is a new and complete product line called *blomst* which unites the past with the present in an elegant manner.

The name of the series *blomst* is Danish for 'flowers', and is kept throughout all global markets, as a tribute to Royal Copenhagen's 240-year-old Danish heritage.

Each individual piece of *blomst* is painted by hand and carries its own delicate flower. To capture the three-dimensional and sculptural quality of each flower, the flowers have been transferred to the porcelain using a one-brushstroke technique, making the cobalt blue flowers to stand out against the white base. As such every single element represents a unique work of art in itself.

TEAPOT

The unique teapot is one of the series' profile items. The teapot is decorated with tree peony flowers, also known as the 'queen of flowers' and regarded as bringing good fortune and noble spirit to all those who grow them. The Tree Peony flowers decorate each side of the tea pot with a fallen leaf resting on its lid.

The chic upright form is inspired by Asian baskets, and is accented with quiet details such as the spout and the subtle pillar base, that are typical for Asian serving vessels. The rounded fixed bail handle in porcelain gracefully accentuates the details of the form, and is a perfect example of the craft and technical know-how repeated in every piece of porcelain from Royal Copenhagen.

The pot has capacity of 1 litre and includes a metal strainer insert that allow the tea to flow free and ensures that it can develop its flavours optimally. Recommended retail price €160.

CUP AND SAUCER

blomst is an art of balance between contrasts. Each piece combines the past with the present, aesthetics with function, and softness with sharpness. With a classic and traditional piece such as the cup and saucer, the sophisticated and contrasting design comes into the limelight, and the feminine flowers are broken up by the form's minimalist edges.

The cup and saucer are decorated with either a soft fuchsia or a lily rich in detail, and under each cup hides a special feature which takes cues from the past and the original Blue Flower service. The cup has a capacity of 220 ml. Recommended retail price €75.

MUG

Like the other upright pieces in the *blomst* series, the four mugs are raised on a subtle pillar base, just as the traditional standing elements of the Blue Flower service. The angular shape of the mugs' body is extended by a timeless Danish-inspired handle. The mugs are identical in size and shape, and are decorated with four different beautiful flowers – all hand-painted in the characteristic cobalt blue, which encircle the outside of the mug. The four flowers chosen to decorate the elegant mugs are the dahlia, the sweet pea, the camellia and the narcissus.

Destined to be a favourite for tea or coffee, the mug joins the collection as a stylish everyday classic. The mugs have a capacity of 330 ml. Recommended retail price €75.