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# 10 Amazing Facts on Chinese Dragons

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## 10 Amazing Facts on Chinese Dragons

Each of these dragons had a magical pearl that was reputed to multiply if it was touched. In terms of the fourth factor, from the ancient times, China is an agricultural country having a big population of farmers, and agriculture production is of great importance to farmers. In one group the dragons have five claws and backward turned heads, as on this jar, while in the other group the dragons have three claws and face forwards.

### What makes this very rare 'dragon' jar so special?

This was due to a combination of enthusiastic imperial patronage, technical ingenuity and the finest levels of artistry. It is very unusual to see such subtle techniques employed on such a large jar — a feature that underlines its great rarity. Shen-long governed the wind, clouds and rain on which all agrarian life depended.

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History of China Qin Shi Huang — the first emperor of China vietbao. Dragon is one member of the 12 Chinese zodiac animals, which are rat, ox, tiger, rabbit, dragon, snake, horse, sheep, monkey, rooster, dog and pig. Dragons are seen as lucky and good — quite different to the evil, dangerous, fire-breathing dragons of most Western stories.

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Chinese art often depicts a pair of dragons chasing or fighting over a flaming pearl.

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