

# Basic Detail Report

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## Filigree Bonbon Dish

### Date

Late 19th century

### Medium

Metal (Silver)

### Description

Small silver filigree plate with large central floral or radiant design surrounded by pointed leaves which turn upwards at the end. There is a large central orb, and small silver balls between the rays near the center. Each ray ends with a ball which expands and is tipped with six smaller balls, surrounded by a point. The plate sits on

three silver filigree legs. While there is a strong tradition of filigree in decorative arts most of it was imported to Buenos Aires as there was not a strong local filigree making tradition. This plate was most likely made in Portugal and then imported to Buenos Aires.

### Dimensions

Overall: 7/8 x 5 1/2 in. (2.2 x 14 cm)