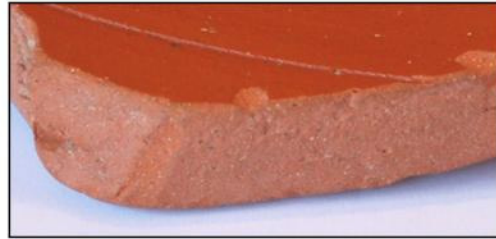


## Roman Samian Ware

Samian Ware was high status table ware. The red-slipped bowls, dishes and cups were imported from Gaul. Red colour-coated beakers were also imported from there and the Rhineland. Romano-British potteries (i.e. British potteries producing Roman-style pots) also made their versions of these items.



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A sherd of Samian Ware showing the fabric.

**Samian Ware was sometimes highly decorated. Here are some examples from the Jewry Wall Museum, Leicester, collection**



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