

McHugh Shapes 36 to 148

This page covers the McHugh shapes numbered from 36 to 96A. There are many shapes missing in this range, but I am sure that some of the numbers in this sequence were never used. Between 36 and 69 there are only 4 gaps, but between 69 and 96A I only have examples of shapes. If you happen to have examples in your collection that I don't have I would love to include them; so if you can send me pictures that I can use I will gladly credit you with providing them. So click the "Read more" link to see them all.

McHugh Pottery Shapes by Shape Number
Shape 36 to 148 Sugar Bowl Shape 36

height to top lid knob 8 cm (3.12") This sugar bowl is clearly marked 36; this is the first example I have seen of this shape. It looks to be as if the lid and the base came out of the factory as a set. I have had a collector tell me that he had a teapot marked 36. Perhaps 36 was a number issued against a tea set, would love to hear from anybody with any other examples of a 36. Vase - Shape 37

height 22cm (8.75")

Sugar Bowl - Shape 37

Dated 1934

Dated 1935

height 8 cm (3.2")

Sugar Bowl with Lid - Shape 37

Dated 1934 There are 3 variations of shape 37 - the first is a large twin handle vase. The second is a tri-handle pot which comes also with a lid. The curator of the "Erin May Collection" tells me that he has seen two examples of shape 37 with a lid. It could be argued that the lid comes from something else and that this shape does not have a lid - I will leave this argument until I have further information.

Vase - Shape 38

Both Vase are dated 1935

height 12.5cm (5") Vase - Shape 38A

Height 20 cm (8")

Pin Dish - Shape 39

height 3 cm (1.25")

Ashtray - Shape 39

Shape 34 comes in two variations, with cigarette rest or without.

Vase - Shape 40

left vase dated 1934 - right vase dated 1935

height 9cm (3.6")

Vase - Shape 41

Left not dated - Right dated 1934

height 14.5 cm (5.75")

Vase - Shape 42

Left not dated - Right dated 1934

height 13.5 cm (5.38")

height 30 cm (12")Note the height variation between these 3 vase, all have the same shape number but one is huge. Vase - Shape 43

height 15 cm (6")

Vase - Shape 44

height 11.5 cm (4.5")

Vase - Shape 45

height 12.5 cm (5")

Vase - Shape 46

Left vase not dated - Right vase dated 1935

height 15cm (6")

Vase - Shape 47

height 20 cm (8")

Vase - Shape 48

height 23 cm (9.1")

Vase - Shape 49

height 20cm (8")

Trinket Bowl - Shape 50

height 7.5 cm (3")

Vase - Shape 51

height 15 cm (6")

Vase - Shape 52

left dated 1924 - right not dated

Height 20 cm (8")

Teapot - Shape 52

16.5 cm (6.5") across the top from the edge of the handle to the lip of the spout.

7 9.5 cm (3.75") tall This is the only example I have seen of a McHugh Teapot marked as a number 52, but it is clearly marked 52. It is a one cup teapot, it was purchased with a creamer and a sugar bowl (see photo of complete teaset on McHugh Shapes Other). Vase - Shape 53

Dated 1934

Height 30 cm (12")

Vase - Shape 54

Dated 1935

Height 17 cm (6.75")

Vase - Shape 54

height 26 cm (10.25")

Image courtesy of Ross & Sharron Pentreath
Note: There are two examples of pots marked as shape number 54, Ross says the number on the base of his is very clear. Is the mark on the base of one of these a mistake made at the time of production, I don't know. The Erin May collection has an example of this shape, but it is clearly marked as shape 90. This is an enigma, may be things will come clearer in the future (photo of shape 90 near the bottom of the page). Flower Bowl with Flower - Aid Shape 55

Dated 1934

Height 5 cm (2"), diameter 28 cm (11")

height 5 cm (2") diameter of 12.5 cm (5")
This is a very small example of a Shape 55 float bowl and from, it is the bowl that is small, the frog is much the same size as the other examples I have seen. Candle Stick - Shape 56 26cm (10.25") tall base diameter of 15.5 cm (6.2")

Candle Stick - Shape 57

One of these was listed on eBay some time ago,

it was a candle holder with a handle for carrying it Have you got an example of this Shape?

Shape 58 No example known! Have you got an example of this Shape?

Shape 59

height 28 cm (11")

Cylinder Vase - Shape 60

Height ranges from 20 cm (8") to 36 cm (14")

Shape 61

height 12.5cm (5")

Vase - Shape 62

height 15cm (6")

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Vase - Shape 63

height 9cm (3.5")

Vase - Shape 64

height 10 cm (4")

Vase - Shape 65

height 15 cm (6")

Vase - Shape 66

height 16 cm (6.3")

Vase - Shape 67

height 13.5 cm (5.32")

Vase - Shape 69

height 13.5 cm (5.25")

Jardiniere - Shape 75

height 16.5 cm (6.5")

diameter 21 cm (8.25")

Vase - Shape 76

height 9 cm (3.5") & 14 cm (5.5") diameterThis is a very interesting example, note the ribbed strap handles, this is the only example I have seen of this style of decoration on McHugh pottery. This style of decoration comes up on John Campbell Pottery, but not McHugh.

Vase - Shape 90

height 25 cm (10") tall The vase held by the Erin May Collection leaves us with a conundrum, it is clearly marked 90 to the base, but it is the same shape and size as the shape 54 that Ross & Sharron Pentreath provided the details (see photo under shape 54). Deco Handle Pitcher - 96A

height 25 cm (10") The example have pictured here does not have a shape number, but Paul McHugh tells me that he has an example fo this shape and that it is clearly marked 96A Vase - Shape 98

height 26 cm (10.25") tall

Image courtesy of Ross & Sharron Pentreath

Pitcher - Shape 148

23.5 cm (9.25") tall

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Vase - Shape A

8 cm (3.12") tall - diameter of 12.5 cm (5") This is the only example I have seen of this shape, it appears to be a variation of Shape 18, it is clearly marked to the base as a Shape A.