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CURRENCY ACT (CHAPTER 69)

CURRENCY (DENOMINATIONS AND CHARACTERISTICS OF COINS) NOTIFICATION 2019

Pursuant to section 17(5) of the Currency Act, it is notified for general information that the denominations and characteristics of the coins to be issued on 1 January 2020 by the Monetary Authority of Singapore are as shown in the Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE

DESCRIPTION OF THE 2020 CHINESE ALMANAC COINS (YEAR OF THE RAT) TO BE ISSUED ON 1 JANUARY 2020

Denomination	\$2	
Metal	999 Fine Silver	Nickel-plated 99% Zinc
Standard Weight	7.776 g + 0.15 g	20.000 g + 1.70 g
Standard Diameter	27.00 mm ± 0.30 mm	40.70 mm ± 0.40 mm
Standard Thickness	1.90 mm ± 0.40 mm	2.90 mm ± 0.40 mm
Shape	Round	
Edge	Milled	
Design of Obverse	1. The background of the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin and the \$2 nickel-plated zinc proof-like coin is shiny silver.	
	2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date "2020" below it.	
3. The word "SINGAPORE" appear of the 4 official languages and is experience of the Singapore Coat of the Sing		ages and is engraved on the

Denomination	\$2
Design of Reverse	1. The background of the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin and the \$2 nickel-plated zinc proof-like coin is shiny silver.
	2. The \$2 silver proof-like colour coin and the \$2 nickel-plated zinc proof-like coin share a common design which features —
	(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;
	(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;
	(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;
	(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat; and
	(e) the denomination "\$2" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter.
	3. The weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin are engraved above the denomination of the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin.
	4. The rat featured in the \$2 silver proof-like colour coin is in colour.

\$2 Silver Proof-like Colour Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$2 Nickel-plated Zinc Proof-like Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

Denomination	\$5		
Metal	999 Fine Silver		999.9 Fine Gold
Standard Weight	31.104 g + 0.40 g		1.000 g + 0.05 g
Standard Diameter/ Length and	45.00 mm ± 0.40 mm		1. Length: 15.00 mm ± 0.30 mm 2. Width: 8.70 mm
Width			$\pm 0.30 \text{ mm}$
Standard Thickness	3.80 mm ± 0.70 mm	3.30 mm ± 0.70 mm	0.80 mm ± 0.30 mm
Shape	Octagon	Floral	Rectangle
Edge	Plain		·
Design of Obverse	1. The background of the \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin is shiny silver.		*
	2. The background of the \$5 gold brilliant uncirculated coin is shiny gold.		
	3. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date "2020" below it.		
	4. The word "SINGAPORE" appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.		
	5. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o'clock for the \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin.		
Design of Reverse	1. The background of the \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin is shiny silver.		
	2. The background of the \$5 gold brilliant uncirculated coin is shiny gold.		
	3. The \$5 silver proof coin and the \$5 silver proof colour coin share a common design which features —		
	of the	foreground, with	n log, engraved in the centre its tail and body partially pod and the trees that are

Denomination	\$5
	engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;
	(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;
	(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;
	(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;
	(e) the denomination "\$5" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and
	(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.
	4. The rat featured in the \$5 silver proof colour coin is in colour.
	5. The \$5 gold brilliant uncirculated coin features —
	(a) a rat engraved in the centre;
	(b) the denomination "\$5" engraved and placed at 6 o'clock, below the rat; and
	(c) the weight in grams and fineness of the coin, engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the rat.

\$5 Silver Proof Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$5 Silver Proof Colour Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$5 Gold Brilliant Uncirculated Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

Denomination	\$20	
Metal	999 Fine Silver	999.9 Fine Gold
Standard Weight	155.518 g + 1.00 g	7.776 g + 0.05 g
Standard Diameter	65.00 mm ± 0.80 mm	21.96 mm ± 0.30 mm
Standard Thickness	9.50 mm ± 1.50 mm	1.60 mm ± 0.40 mm
Shape	Round	
Edge	Plain	Milled
Design of Obverse	1. The background of the \$20 silver proof coin is shiny silver.	
	2. The background of the shiny gold.	ne \$20 gold proof coin is
	3. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date "2020" below it.4. The word "SINGAPORE" appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.	
	5. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o'clock.	
Design of Reverse	1. The background of the \$20 silver proof coin is shiny silver.	
	 The background of the \$20 gold proof coin is shiny gold. The \$20 silver proof coin and the \$20 gold proof coin share a common design which features — 	
	the centre of the and body partial pod and the tree	a wooden log, engraved in e foreground, with its tail ly covering an observatory is that are engraved in the respectively of the middle
	-	boardwalk engraved in the niddle ground, with the

Denomination	\$20	
	boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;	
	(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;	
	(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;	
	(e) the denomination "\$20" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and	
	(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.	

\$20 Silver Proof Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

\$20 Gold Proof Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

Denomination	\$80	
Metal	999 Fine Silver	
Standard Weight	1000.000 g + 5.00 g	
Length and Width	1. Length: 114.50 mm ± 2.00 mm	
	2. Width: $60.50 \text{ mm} \pm 2.00 \text{ mm}$	
Standard Thickness	19.00 mm ± 4.00 mm	
Shape	Rectangle	
Edge	Plain	
Design of Obverse	1. The background of the \$80 silver proof-like coin is matt silver.	
	2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date "2020" below it.	
	3. The word "SINGAPORE" appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.	
Design of Reverse	1. The background of the \$80 silver proof-like coin is shiny silver.	
	2. The \$80 silver proof-like coin features —	
	(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod, bushes, trees and the boardwalk that are engraved in the left of the middle ground;	
	(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears, head, tail and body;	
	(c) bushes and trees in the middle ground on the left of the shelter and trees in the background on the right of the shelter;	

Denomination	\$80	
	(d) water features in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat and in the left of the foreground next to the wooden log;	
	(e) the denomination "\$80" engraved and placed at 3 o'clock, to the right of the rat overlapping the water feature and the stilts of the boardwalk in the right of the middle ground; and	
	(f) the weight in kilograms and fineness of the coin, engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter.	

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\$80 Silver Proof-like Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

Denomination	\$100	
Metal	999.9 Fine Gold	
Standard Weight	31.104 g + 0.10 g	
Standard Diameter	40.00 mm ± 0.40 mm	
Standard Thickness	2.50 mm ± 0.50 mm	
Shape	Octagon	
Edge	Plain	
Design of Obverse	1. The background of the \$100 gold proof coin is shiny gold.	
	2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date "2020" below it.	
	3. The word "SINGAPORE" appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.	
	4. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o'clock.	
Design of Reverse	1. The background of the \$100 gold proof coin is shiny gold.	
	2. The \$100 gold proof coin features —	
	(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;	
	(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;	
	(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;	

Denomination	\$100	
	(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;	
	(e) the denomination "\$100" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and	
	(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.	

\$100 Gold Proof Coin



Reverse Design



Obverse Design

Denomination	\$200	
Metal	999.9 Fine Gold	
Standard Weight	155.518 g + 0.20 g	
Standard Diameter	60.00 mm ± 0.80 mm	
Standard Thickness	5.50 mm ± 1.50 mm	
Shape	Round	
Edge	Plain	
Design of Obverse	1. The background of the \$200 gold proof coin is shiny gold.	
	2. The Singapore Coat of Arms is engraved in the centre of the coin with the year-date "2020" below it.	
	3. The word "SINGAPORE" appears once in each of the 4 official languages and is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms.	
	4. The mintmark is engraved on the coin around the Singapore Coat of Arms at 5 o'clock.	
Design of Reverse	1. The background of the \$200 gold proof coin is shiny gold.	
	2. The \$200 gold proof coin features —	

Denomination	\$200	
	(a) a rat standing on a wooden log, engraved in the centre of the foreground, with its tail and body partially covering an observatory pod and the trees that are engraved in the left and middle respectively of the middle ground;	
	(b) a shelter along a boardwalk engraved in the right of the middle ground, with the boardwalk and its stilts partially covered by the rat's ears and head;	
	(c) trees in the middle ground and background, on the left and right of the shelter respectively;	
	(d) a water feature in the right of the middle ground between the boardwalk and the rat;	
	(e) the denomination "\$200" engraved and placed at 12 o'clock, above the trees on the left of the shelter; and	
	(f) the weight in troy oz and fineness of the coin, engraved above the denomination of the coin.	

\$200 Gold Proof Coin





Reverse Design

Obverse Design

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