



Currency (Royal Australian Mint) Determination 2015 (No. 6)

made under section 13A(1) of the

Currency Act 1965

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About this compilation

This compilation

This is a compilation of the *Currency (Royal Australian Mint) Determination 2015 (No. 6)* that shows the text of the law as amended and in force on 19 December 2015 (the **compilation date**).

The notes at the end of this compilation (the **endnotes**) include information about amending laws and the amendment history of provisions of the compiled law.

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For more information about any editorial changes made in this compilation, see the endnotes.

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If the compiled law is modified by another law, the compiled law operates as modified but the modification does not amend the text of the law. Accordingly, this compilation does not show the text of the compiled law as modified. For more information on any modifications, see the series page on the Legislation Register for the compiled law.

Self-repealing provisions

If a provision of the compiled law has been repealed in accordance with a provision of the law, details are included in the endnotes.

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1 Name of determination

This determination is the *Currency (Royal Australian Mint) Determination 2015 (No. 6)*.

3 Authority

This determination is made under paragraph 13(2)(b) and subsection 13A(1) of the *Currency Act 1965*.

4 Definitions

In this determination:

Act means the *Currency Act 1965*.

5 Specification of denominations and standard compositions

- (1) This section is made for paragraph 13(2)(b) of the Act.
- (2) The Act has effect, on and after the day on which this determination commences, as if:
 - (a) there were included in the Schedule to the Act the references to denominations of money specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to this determination; and
 - (b) there were specified in the Schedule to the Act opposite to each such denomination, as the standard composition of coins of that denomination, the standard composition specified for the denomination in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to this determination.
- (3) This section does not affect any other determination made for paragraph 13(2)(b) of the Act.

6 Standard weight, design and dimension of coins

- (1) This section is made for subsection 13A(1) of the Act.
- (2) On and after the day when this determination commences, each item of the table in Part 1 of Schedule 1 specifies the standard weight, the allowable variation from that standard weight, the design and the dimensions of a coin whose denomination is specified, or taken to be specified in the Schedule to the Act.
- (3) A reference in Schedule 1 to the maximum diameter or other dimension of a coin is, for a coin that is tetrdecagonal, a reference to the shortest diameter of the coin.
- (4) Each item of the table in Part 2 of Schedule 1 explains a symbol used to describe the design of coins specified in Part 1 of Schedule 1.

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- (5) This section does not affect any other determination made under subsection 13A(1) of the Act.

Schedule 1—Standard weight, design and dimension of coins

Note: See sections 5 and 6.

Part 1—Specifications of coins

1 Specifications

Each item of the following table specifies the standard weight, the allowable variation from that standard weight, the design and the dimensions of a coin.

Specifications of coins									
Item	Denomination	Standard composition	Standard weight and allowable variation (g)	Maximum diameter (mm) or other dimension	Maximum thickness (mm)	Shape	Edge	Obverse	Reverse
1	20c	Copper and nickel	11.30 ± 0.78	28.65	2.92	S1	E1	O1	R1
2	20c	Copper and nickel	11.30 ± 0.78	28.65	2.92	S1	E1	O1	R2
3	\$5	At least 99.9% silver	$31.10 + 2.00$	40.50	8.30	S1	E2	O2	R3
4	20c	Copper and nickel	11.30 ± 0.78	28.65	2.92	S1	E1	O1	R4
5	\$1	At least 99.9% silver	$31.10 + 1.80$	40.60	4.00	S1	E1	O1	R5
6	\$1	At least 99.9% silver	$31.10 + 1.80$	40.60	4.00	S1	E1	O1	R6
7	\$10	At least 99.99% gold	$3.11 + 0.09$	17.65	1.65	S1	E1	O1	R7
8	50c	Copper and nickel	15.37 ± 1.00	31.81	2.85	S2	E2	O1	R8
9	\$1	Copper, aluminium and nickel	9.00 ± 0.66	25.12	3.46	S1	E3	O3	R9
10	\$1	At least 99.9% silver	11.66 ± 0.50	25.20	3.25	S1	E3	O3	R9
11	\$10	At least 99.99% gold	$3.11 + 0.09$	17.65	1.65	S1	E1	O3	R9
12	\$1	At least 99.9% silver	$31.103 + 1.80$	40.60	4.00	S1	E1	O3	R10

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Clause 1

Specifications of coins									
Item	Denomination	Standard composition	Standard weight and allowable variation (g)	Maximum diameter (mm) or other dimension	Maximum thickness (mm)	Shape	Edge	Obverse	Reverse
13	\$10	At least 99.9% silver	155.51 + 3.00	65.50	6.00	S1	E1	O3	R11
14	\$30	At least 99.9% silver	1000 + 9.50	100.90	14.50	S1	E1	O3	R12
15	\$5	At least 99.99% gold	1.56 + 0.20	14.40	1.20	S1	E1	O4	R13
16	\$15	At least 99.99% gold	3.11 + 0.09	17.75	1.65	S1	E1	O4	R14
17	\$25	At least 99.99% gold	7.77 + 0.20	21.90	2.10	S1	E1	O4	R15
18	\$50	At least 99.99% gold	15.55 + 0.20	30.20	2.20	S1	E1	O4	R16
19	\$100	At least 99.99% gold	31.10 + 0.20	34.20	3.10	S1	E1	O4	R17

Part 2—Explanation of symbols

2 Symbols used in Part 1

Each item of the following table contains an explanation of a symbol used in Part 1 of this Schedule to describe the shape, edge design, obverse design and reverse design of a coin.

Explanation of symbols used in Part 1			
Item	Design Feature	Symbol	Explanation
1	Shape	S1	Circular
2	Shape	S2	Tetradecagonal
3	Edge	E1	Continuously milled
4	Edge	E2	Plain
5	Edge	E3	Interrupted milling
6	Obverse	O1	A design consisting of an effigy of Queen Elizabeth II and the following: (a) ‘ELIZABETH II’; (b) ‘AUSTRALIA’; (c) the inscription, in numerals, of a year; (d) ‘IRB’.
7	Obverse	O2	A design consisting of an effigy of Queen Elizabeth II and the following: (a) ‘ELIZABETH II’; (b) ‘AUSTRALIA’; (c) the inscription, in numerals, of a year; (d) ‘IRB’ all enclosed by a circular border.
8	Obverse	O3	A design consisting of an effigy of Queen Elizabeth II and the following: (a) ‘ELIZABETH II’; (b) ‘AUSTRALIA’; (c) the inscription, in numerals, of a year; (d) Arabic numerals for the amount, in dollars, of the denomination of the coin, followed by ‘DOLLAR’, or ‘DOLLARS’ as the case requires; (e) ‘IRB’; (f) 2 representations of a dot.

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Explanation of symbols used in Part 1

Item	Design Feature	Symbol	Explanation
9	Obverse	O4	<p>A design consisting of an effigy of Queen Elizabeth II and the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) 'ELIZABETH II'; (b) 'AUSTRALIA'; (c) Arabic numerals for the amount, in dollars, of the denomination of the coin, followed by 'DOLLAR', or 'DOLLARS' as the case requires; (d) 'IRB'; (e) 3 representations of a dot; <p>all enclosed by an ornamental border, including representations of phases of the moon and a stylised representation of a monkey, a rooster, a dog, a pig, a rat, an ox, a tiger, a rabbit, a dragon, a snake, a horse and a goat.</p>
10	Reverse	R1	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the background, a stylised representation of a netball; and (b) superimposed on the representation of the netball, the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) in the centre, a representation the Netball World Cup trophy; (ii) 'NETBALL WORLD CUP'; (iii) 'SYDNEY 2015'; (iv) '20'.
11	Reverse	R2	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the background, a stylised representation of a netball; and (b) superimposed on the representation of the netball, the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) in the centre, a representation the Netball World Cup trophy; (ii) 'NETBALL WORLD CUP'; (iii) 'SYDNEY 2015'; (iv) '20'; (v) the letter 'S' enclosed by a circle.
12	Reverse	R3	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a stylised representation of a netball hoop fitted with a net; and (b) in the foreground and partially obscuring the hoop and the net, a representation of a netball containing irregular shapes and the inscription 'Sydney 2015'; and (c) the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) '5 DOLLARS'; (ii) 'NETBALL WORLD CUP'; (iii) the designer's initials 'AS'.
13	Reverse	R4	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a circle; and (b) a representation of men marching; and (c) a representation of a man holding a rifle over one shoulder; and

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (d) in the foreground, and partially obscuring the circle, a representation of a man holding the Australian flag over one shoulder; and (e) in the background, a representation of a street, including a building, rooftops and trees; and (f) the number '20'; and (g) surrounding the circle, the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 'AUSTRALIA REMEMBERS'; (ii) 'COO-EE MARCH – 1915'.;
14	Reverse	R5	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a representation of a crocodile appearing to emerge from splashing water; and (b) a representation of soil; and (c) in the background, a stylised representation of water and a horizontal line; and (d) the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 'SALTWATER CROCODILE'; (ii) 'MONTY – ONE DOLLAR'; (iii) '1 oz .999Ag'; (iv) the designer's initials 'TD'.
15	Reverse	R6	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a representation of an Australian bush scene, including hilly terrain, trees, a stream and grass; and (b) a representation of a female kangaroo with a joey in her pouch, positioned over grass and facing left; and (c) the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 'ONE DOLLAR'; (ii) '1oz .999 Ag'.
16	Reverse	R7	As for item 15, replacing the reference in subparagraph (c)(ii) to '1oz .999 Ag' with '1/10oz .9999 Au'.
17	Reverse	R8	<p>A design consisting of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the background, a representation of leafy vines; and (b) in the foreground, a stylised representation of a monkey swinging on leafy vines and holding a fruit; and (c) a representation of the Chinese character pronounced 'hóu' and meaning 'monkey'; and (d) '50'.

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Item	Design Feature	Symbol	Explanation
18	Reverse	R9	A design consisting of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a representation of a monkey positioned over leafy branches; and (b) a representation of the Chinese character pronounced ‘hóu’ and meaning ‘monkey’; and (c) four lunes containing identical design elements incorporating the representation of a flame; and (d) the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) ‘2016’; (ii) ‘YEAR OF THE MONKEY’.
19	Reverse	R10	A design consisting of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a representation of a monkey positioned over leafy branches; and (b) a representation of the Chinese character pronounced ‘hóu’ and meaning ‘monkey’; and (c) four lunes containing identical design elements incorporating the representation of a flame; and (d) the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) ‘2016’; (ii) ‘YEAR OF THE MONKEY’; (iii) ‘1oz .999 Ag’
20	Reverse	R11	As for item 19, replacing the reference in subparagraph (d)(iii) to ‘1oz .999 Ag’ with ‘5oz. 999 Ag’.
21	Reverse	R12	As for item 19, replacing the reference in subparagraph (d)(iii) to ‘1oz .999 Ag’ with ‘1kg .999 Ag’.
22	Reverse	R13	A design consisting of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a stylised representation of a monkey positioned over leafy, flowering branches; and (b) a representation of the Chinese character pronounced ‘hóu’ and meaning ‘monkey’; and (c) the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) ‘2016’; (ii) a stylised representation of the designer’s initials ‘AB’; (iii) ‘1/20oz .9999 Au’.
23	Reverse	R14	As for item 22, replacing the reference in subparagraph (c)(iii) to ‘1/20oz .9999 Au’ with ‘1/10oz .9999 Au’.
24	Reverse	R15	As for item 22, replacing the reference in subparagraph (c)(iii) to ‘1/20oz .9999 Au’ with ‘1/4oz .9999 Au’.
25	Reverse	R16	As for item 22, replacing the reference in subparagraph (c)(iii) to ‘1/20oz .9999 Au’ with ‘1/2oz .9999 Au’.
26	Reverse	R17	As for item 22, replacing the reference in subparagraph (c)(iii) to ‘1/20oz .9999 Au’ with ‘1oz .9999 Au’.

Endnotes

Endnote 1—About the endnotes

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The endnotes provide information about this compilation and the compiled law.

The following endnotes are included in every compilation:

Endnote 1—About the endnotes

Endnote 2—Abbreviation key

Endnote 3—Legislation history

Endnote 4—Amendment history

Abbreviation key—Endnote 2

The abbreviation key sets out abbreviations that may be used in the endnotes.

Legislation history and amendment history—Endnotes 3 and 4

Amending laws are annotated in the legislation history and amendment history.

The legislation history in endnote 3 provides information about each law that has amended (or will amend) the compiled law. The information includes commencement details for amending laws and details of any application, saving or transitional provisions that are not included in this compilation.

The amendment history in endnote 4 provides information about amendments at the provision (generally section or equivalent) level. It also includes information about any provision of the compiled law that has been repealed in accordance with a provision of the law.

Editorial changes

The *Legislation Act 2003* authorises First Parliamentary Counsel to make editorial and presentational changes to a compiled law in preparing a compilation of the law for registration. The changes must not change the effect of the law. Editorial changes take effect from the compilation registration date.

If the compilation includes editorial changes, the endnotes include a brief outline of the changes in general terms. Full details of any changes can be obtained from the Office of Parliamentary Counsel.

Misdescribed amendments

A misdescribed amendment is an amendment that does not accurately describe the amendment to be made. If, despite the misdescription, the amendment can be given effect as intended, the amendment is incorporated into the compiled law and the abbreviation “(md)” added to the details of the amendment included in the amendment history.

If a misdescribed amendment cannot be given effect as intended, the abbreviation “(md not incorp)” is added to the details of the amendment included in the amendment history.

Endnote 2—Abbreviation key

ad = added or inserted	o = order(s)
am = amended	Ord = Ordinance
amdt = amendment	orig = original
c = clause(s)	par = paragraph(s)/subparagraph(s) /sub-subparagraph(s)
C[x] = Compilation No. x	pres = present
Ch = Chapter(s)	prev = previous
def = definition(s)	(prev...) = previously
Dict = Dictionary	Pt = Part(s)
disallowed = disallowed by Parliament	r = regulation(s)/rule(s)
Div = Division(s)	reloc = relocated
ed = editorial change	renum = renumbered
exp = expires/expired or ceases/ceased to have effect	rep = repealed
F = Federal Register of Legislation	rs = repealed and substituted
gaz = gazette	s = section(s)/subsection(s)
LA = <i>Legislation Act 2003</i>	Sch = Schedule(s)
LIA = <i>Legislative Instruments Act 2003</i>	Sdiv = Subdivision(s)
(md) = misdescribed amendment can be given effect	SLI = Select Legislative Instrument
(md not incorp) = misdescribed amendment cannot be given effect	SR = Statutory Rules
mod = modified/modification	Sub-Ch = Sub-Chapter(s)
No. = Number(s)	SubPt = Subpart(s)
	<u>underlining</u> = whole or part not commenced or to be commenced

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Endnote 3—Legislation history

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Number and year	Registration	Commencement	Application, saving and transitional provisions
Currency (Royal Australian Mint) Determination 2015 (No. 6)	17 June 2015 (F2015L00822)	18 June 2015 (s 2)	
Currency (Royal Australian Mint) Amendment Determination 2015 (No. 1)	18 Dec 2015 (F2015L02078)	Sch 1 (item 18): 19 Dec 2015 (s 2)	—

Endnote 4—Amendment history

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Provision affected	How affected
s 2	rep LA s 48D
Schedule 1	
Part 2	
Part 2	am 2015 No 1