

# The Original



50 years builds true legacy. The Original Krugerrand is a timeless symbol of South Africa's distinctive heritage. It has stood witness to the unfolding of history. It has endured as a symbol of prosperity and discovery. 50 years on, it remains relevant in a world of endless change. In celebration, the Original 1967 coin has been re-issued in limited numbers (1967 issued) with a privy mark. It's the exclusive gold coin that started it all, revitalised for a new generation.

SOUTH AFRICAN MINT



"Celebrating craftsmanship for the discerning collector"

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KRUGERRAND 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY RANGE

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# FOREWORD

In celebration of half a century of the legendary This brochure is a showcase of the wide range Krugerrand, we introduce to you the 2017 of Krugerrand products available in 2017; some are Krugerrand 50th anniversary range. We invite you new products that you can expect to see regularly to join us in celebrating the legacy of this iconic from 2017 onwards, and others, once-o editions gold coin with a new, extended product range that available only for this anniversary year.

is sure to appeal to coin collectors new and old. The 50th anniversary range has been extended With over 120 years of expertise in coin making, to include new metals and sizes. The number the South African Mint has become one of the most five and fifty appear regularly among the new recognised and well-regarded mints globally, with sizes symbolising the fifty years or five decades a focus on crafting high quality, expertly struck of Krugerrand craftsmanship and artistry. The coins for the discerning collector. We focus on iconic design of the original gold bullion coin has maintaining product excellence by adhering to a prevailed throughout the 2017 anniversary range in tradition of high quality and innovation to enhance the various coin sizes and metals. our product quality.

Join us as we celebrate another year of South African coin-making excellence with the 2017 Krugerrand 50th Anniversary range.

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"Crafted with pride, created for prosperity"



# INTRODUCTION

### THE KRUGERRAND STORY

On 3 July 1967, the South African Mint, through a In 1980, the fractional Krugerrands (1/2 oz, 1/4 South African Reserve Bank and Chamber of Mines oz and 1/10 oz) were added to the range to assist of South Africa mandate, struck the first 1 oz 22 the smaller buyer in acquiring gold at an a ordable price. In the same year, the Krugerrand had become carat gold bullion coin. Gold has always personified ultimate wealth and prestige, and for collectors the universally preferred means of trading gold, no other metal can match the quality and lustre at one point accounting for a colossal 90% of the of coins struck in fine gold. Gold also fulfilled a global gold coin market. patriotic duty. Interestingly, although Krugerrands are legal

During the late 1960s and early 1970s, when tender, they do not have a face value (denomination). South Africa's annual gold production averaged The value of each coin is directly related to the value 75% of total gold output in the western world, the of its gold content, based on the daily gold price. promotion of gold was considered vital, especially Krugerrands are issued as bullion coins made in following the collapse of the Gold Standard in unlimited quantities for investors, as well as proof-1971. The idea behind the Krugerrand was to put quality collectors' coins made in limited quantities gold in the hands of the 'man on the street' by with a certificate of authenticity. making smaller pieces available to the public at Today, the Krugerrand is regarded as the world's most widely held and actively traded gold an a ordable price. Containing 1 troy ounce of pure gold the 1 oz Krugerrand became the first bullion coin. legal tender gold coin and the vehicle to drive the demand for South African gold.

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# INTRODUCTION

leading mints and has over the years earned a cause coins to be coined'. The two divisions that worldwide reputation for its appealing designs, exceptional craftsmanship and the high quality of Coins (formerly Numismatics) - are responsible for its coins, winning numerous international awards in the production of South Africa's circulation coins the process.

The South African Mint is a wholly owned coins respectively. subsidiary of the South African Reserve Bank The Krugerrand is minted by the South African Mint, (SARB), and falls within the bank's 'Currency in partnership with sister company, Rand Refinery. Cluster' established in accordance with the SARB

## THE SOUTH AFRICAN MINT STORY

The South African Mint is one of the world's Act, which authorises the SARB to 'coin coins or make up the Mint - Circulation Coins and Collectable (for the local and export markets) and collectable With the exception of a maximum 2000 limited edition World Money Fair 2017 1/10 oz gold bullion coins and a maximum 2000 units of the loz gold bullion coins, the 50th anniversary privy mark is only applied to proof and premium uncirculated Krugerrand 50th anniversary coins.



### **50 YEAR ANNIVERSARY**

In celebration of half a century of gold coin by Coert Steynberg. The prancing springbok was first depicted on the 1947 5 shilling coin which minting we introduce the most monumental celebrated the visit of the British royal family to coin yet: the 50 oz Gold Proof Krugerrand Coin. Representing an ounce for every year since the South Africa. minting of the very first Krugerrand in 1967, this The obverse of the coins depicts the same bust coin carries the consequence of 50 years of coin of President Kruger which appeared on the reverse craftsmanship and artistry. of the £1 and £1/2 and later R2 and R1 gold coins In addition to the 50 oz gold proof coin, a host from 1952 to 1982.

of new gold proof coins have been added, including a 5 oz gold proof on the larger end o67+201 of the spectrum as well as a 1/20 oz gold proof and a once-o 1/50 oz gold proof on the smaller end. In another daring new approach, limited edition 1 oz Krugerrands are now being minted in both silver and platinum to

add diversity and distinction to the range.

The iconic design of the original gold bullion coin is carried through the 2017 anniversary range in the uncirculated Krugerrand coins. various sizes and metals. The design on the reverse The mark is applied to the entire 2017 proof, premium uncirculated and the highly-limited World depicts a prancing springbok, South Africa's national animal, originally designed and engraved Money Fair 2017 1/10 oz gold bullion coins.



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The 50th anniversary 'privy' or 'mint' mark was developed as a key identifier for all the collectable 2017 Krugerrand coins. This exclusive privy mark depicts a large numerical fifty, encircled by the words "1967-

2017" at the top and "Year Anniversary" along the bottom, to read: "1967-2017 50 Year Anniversary". The mark can be found above the rear of the iconic prancing springbok on all 2017 proof and premium



# A MODERN DAY CLASSIC

To pay homage to 50 years of numismatic These improvements can be noted in the excellence, the designers at the SA Mint undertook an sharpness seen, for instance, in the Aloe and the intensive re-examination of the original Krugerrand. landscape detailing. Taking into account both the coin's history and Because of this approach, our 2017 50th future, they sought to bring refreshed nuance and anniversary collection is a range that is more distinctive and illustrious than any we have been

elegance to this globally recognised design. By using modern techniques and approaches, able to produce thus far. It is this continuation the designers were able to re-introduce and of our legacy of craftsmanship that has kept the enhance details that had been lost over the Krugerrand at the forefront of global gold coin decades. The result of this renewal is a design with production, making it better and more detailed increased definition, detail and artistic vibrancy. than ever.

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# CLASSIC GOLD PROOF RANGE

**COIN FEATURES** 



KRUGERRAND GOLD

**2017 1 oz Proof** 

## KRUGERRAND GOLD

## 2017 1/2 oz Proof



### LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 5000

This collector's coin amplifies the craft and technique associated with the original bullion coin. The 2017 proof coins are hand positioned and pressed several times at a lower weight, allowing for immaculate transfer of detail and finish. Every 1 oz gold proof Krugerrand has 1 troy ounce of gold. Proof coins are hand packed and encapsulated to maintain mint condition.



LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 3000

As one of the classic members of the Krugerrand family, the 50th anniversary 1/2 oz gold proof coin stands as testament to the legacy of craftsmanship expected by collectors the world over. As the first step towards making the Krugerrand even more accessible, this is one of the three coins, which laid the foundation for all subsequent fractional editions.

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KRUGERRAND GOLD

2017 1/4 oz Proof

## KRUGERRAND GOLD

# 2017 1/10 oz Proof



### LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 5000

With delicacy of design backed by generations of craftsmanship, the 1/4 oz gold proof coin forms an integral part of the Krugerrand family and a pillar of any coin collection.



LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 15 000

As one of the iconic members of the Krugerrand family, the 1/10 oz gold proof coin brings together tradition, craftsmanship, and distinction making it the perfect homage to 50 years of superlative coin design. Previously the smallest in the Krugerrand coin range; the 1/10 oz coin is now followed by two smaller coins in th 50th anniversary range.

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# GOLD PROOF 50TH ANNIVERSARY ADDITIONS

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### KRUGFRRAND GOLD

# 1967 1 oz Vintage Re-issue

# KRUGERRAND GOLD **2017 5 oz Proof**



### LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 500

With an ounce for every decade in the legacy of the Krugerrand, the new 5 oz gold proof coin adds weight and significance to the Krugerrand family. The 2017 proof coins are hand positioned and pressed five times at a lower weight, allowing for the immaculate transfer of detail. Proof coins are hand packed and encapsulated to maintain mint condition

REVERSE

LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 1967

The 1967 vintage 1 oz coin is a re-issue of the original, carrying the prestige of the full 50 years of Krugerrand craft and distinction. First minted on the 3rd of July 1967, it set what can be understood as the new global gold standard. Every 1 oz gold Krugerrand has 1 troy ounce of gold.

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32.69mm

## KRUGFRRAND GOLD

## 2017 1/50 oz Proof





### LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 12000

With ever evolving technology and a legacy of unrivalled craftsmanship, we introduce a new size in the 1/20 oz gold proof Krugerrand: the delicate and intricate tribute to 50 years of iconic collector's coins. The fractional coins acknowledge the original intention of the Krugerrand as the means of enabling gold ownership among everyday people and with the expansion to the 1/20 oz, this ideal is made even more attainable.



### LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 50 000

With the introduction of the once-o 1/50 oz gold proof coin, we provide a glimpse at the future of intricacy and artistry while commemorating 50 years of ever evolving craftsmanship and integrity. As the most accessible addition to the Krugerrand family, the 1/50 oz gold proof coin focuses on perfecting intricate and highly detailed artistry while remaining true to the Krugerrand coin. The new 1/50 oz is an absolute novelty that will only be produced for the 50th anniversary of the Krugerrand.

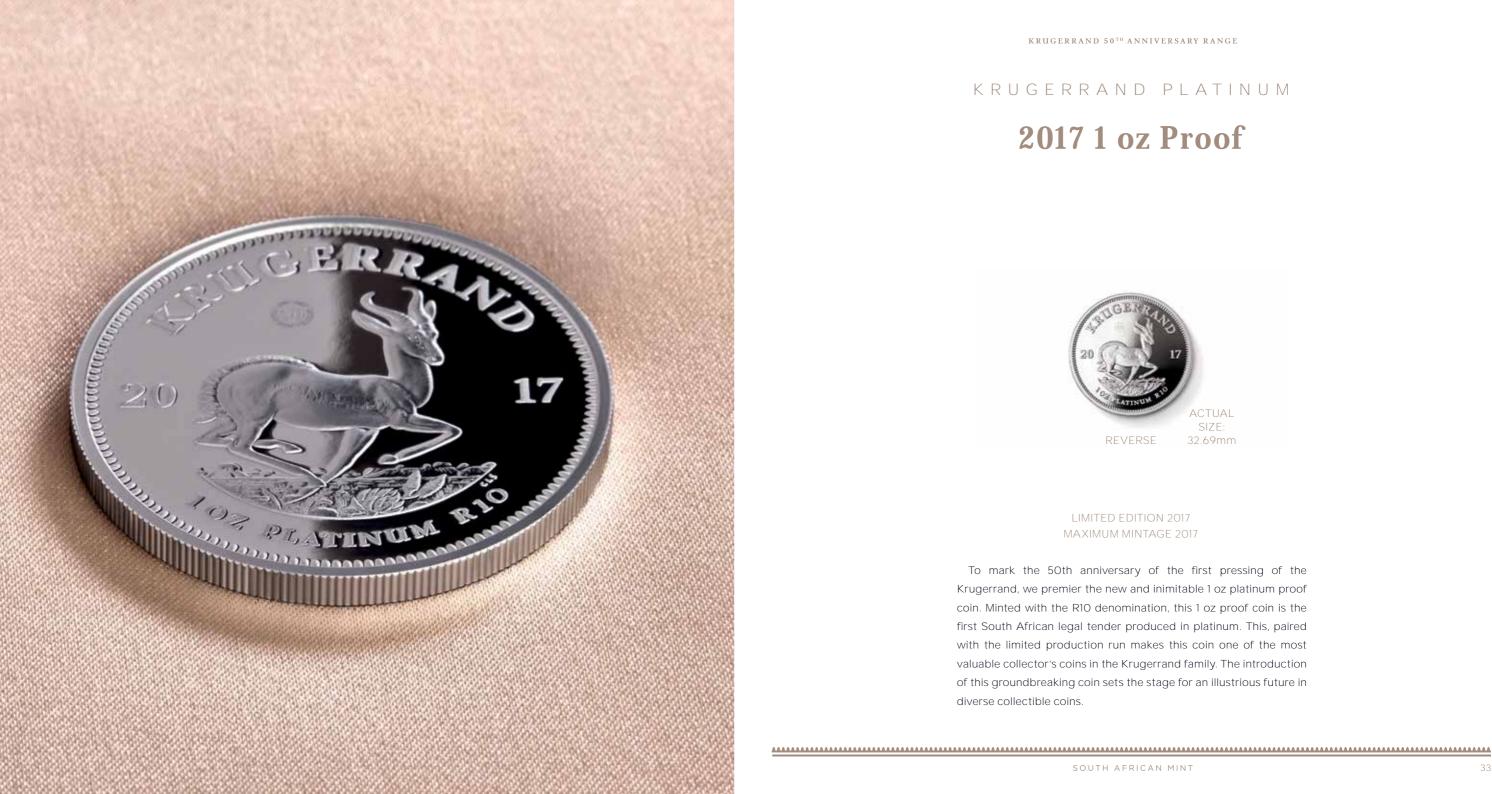
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# KRUGERRAND PLATINUM

COIN FEATURES

**Timeless prosperity** in one of the world's most precious metals.





# KRUGERRAND PLATINUM **2017 1 oz Proof**



### LIMITED EDITION 2017 MAXIMUM MINTAGE 2017

To mark the 50th anniversary of the first pressing of the Krugerrand, we premier the new and inimitable 1 oz platinum proof coin. Minted with the R10 denomination, this 1 oz proof coin is the first South African legal tender produced in platinum. This, paired with the limited production run makes this coin one of the most valuable collector's coins in the Krugerrand family. The introduction of this groundbreaking coin sets the stage for an illustrious future in diverse collectible coins.

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50 years of the iconic Krugerrand celebrated in the exquisite 2017 Krugerrand 1 oz Silver Proof Coin.

## **COIN FEATURES**



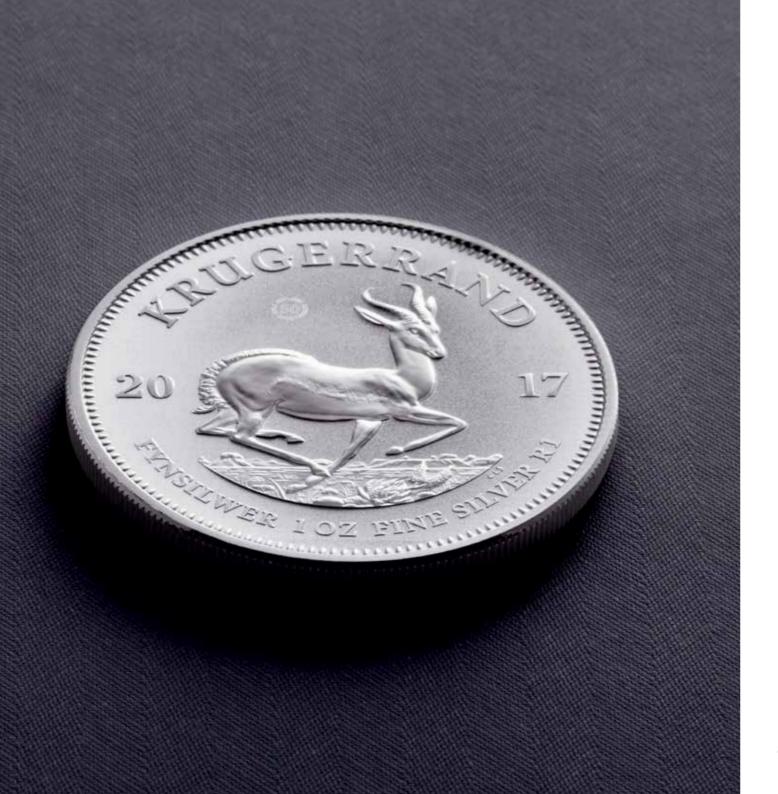
KRUGERRAND SILVER

# **2017 1 oz Proof**



Utilising the brilliant lustre of the purest silver available, the silver 1 oz proof features unparalleled gloss that highlights the distinctive Krugerrand design, making it an irresistible addition to any collection. As with the original gold coin minted on 3 July 1967, the silver Krugerrand range bears the undeniable weight of the Krugerrand legacy and carries it forward with superior technological advancements. Each coin is hand positioned and pressed several times at a lower weight, allowing for immaculate transfer of detail and ensuring a truly beautiful gloss every time.

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KRUGERRAND SILVER

# **2017 1 oz Silver Premium Uncirculated**



The 1 oz silver Premium Uncirculated coin is a visually striking addition to any Krugerrand collection. Crafted with the latest technology, it perfectly demonstrates the highlights, shading and gloss that can be executed in a pure silver coin. All silver Krugerrands are minted with only the best fine silver and with 1 million units launched in this anniversary year, it embodies both accessibility and exclusivity.

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## KRUGERRAND

# **Common Obverse Details**

# **Gold Bullion Coins**



GOLD PROOF COINS



2017 1 OZ SILVER PREMIUM UNCIRCULATED COIN



2017 1 OZ SILVER PROOF COIN



2017 1 OZ PLATINUM PROOF COIN



2017 1 OZ BULLION REVERSE 32.69MM



2017 1/2 OZ BULLION REVERSE 27MM



COMMON OBVERSE

We present the 2017 Krugerrand gold bullion range above, consisting of the traditional 1 oz, 1/2 oz, 1/4 oz and 1/10 oz coins, as well as the limited edition World Money Fair 2017 1/10 oz coins bearing the o cial 50th anniversary mint mark. As of January of 2017, this range will be available for direct purchase from the South African Mint, giving you the perfect opportunity to take your piece of history and excellence.

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# KRUGERRAND





2017 1/4 OZ BULLION REVERSE 22MM

2017 1/10 OZ BULLION REVERSE 16.5MM



LIMITED EDITION WORLD MONEY FAIR 2017 1/10 OZ REVERSE 16.5MM

# KRUGERRAND COIN SETS

SET FEATURES









2017 1 oz Proof Platinum (32.69mm)



1967 1 oz Vintage Proof (32.69mm)









2016 1 oz Proof Gold (32.69mm)

2017 1 oz Proof Silver (38.725mm)



2017 1 oz Proof Gold (32.69mm)

# VINTAGE KRUGERRAND 5 COIN SET



There is no coin more iconic than the original 1 oz Krugerrand. Represented in this set in gold, platinum and silver collectors will have the chance to appreciate the beauty of the design as it plays out in three iterations. Each of the gold coins in this set marks an epoch in the legacy of the Krugerrand, making it an acknowledgement of the past, present and future of the 1 oz coin.



VINTAGE KRUGERRAND 5 COIN SET

"Capture the past, the present and the future"







1967 1 oz Vintage Proof (32.69mm)









2016 1 oz Proof Gold (32.69mm)



2017 1 oz Proof Gold

(32.69mm)





To celebrate 50 years of numismatic brilliance, we have created this 3 piece set to showcase the legacy of the Krugerrand, from past to present. To honour the original coin, we have returned to the original 1967 sketches and dies, applied the latest technical advances and produced the finest 1 oz gold coin ever produced.



VINTAGE KRUGERRAND 3 COIN SET

"Revisit the timeless classic"









2017 1/2oz Proof Gold (27mm)



2017 1 oz Proof Gold (32.69mm)



2017 1/20oz Proof Gold (12mm)







The Krugerrand Prestige Coin Set is an exclusive opportunity to embrace the legacy of the original Krugerrand coins and look ahead to a future of meticulous detail and artistry. This classic coin set is a modern iteration of one of the most iconic o erings of 2017.

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2017 1/10oz Proof Gold (16.5mm)



2017 1/50oz Proof Gold (8mm)

(22mm)

1967 1 oz Vintage Proof (32.69mm)







## PRESTIGE 6 COIN SET

"Embrace exclusive detail and artistry"













2017 1/20oz Proof Gold (12mm)







With the Fractional sets, we acknowledge the original intention of the Krugerrand as the means of enabling gold ownership in everyday people. Collectors treasure gold coins, not only for their significance, but their quality and lustre and with this set we provide them with those values at an attainable price.





2017 1/10oz Proof Gold (16.5mm)



2017 1/50oz Proof Gold (8mm)

2017 1/4oz Proof Gold (22mm)









FRACTIONAL 4 COIN SET

"Yours to own for prosperity"











2017 1/10oz Proof Gold (16.5mm)



2017 1/50oz Proof Gold (8mm)





2017 1/20oz Proof Gold (12mm)





Celebrate 50 years of the Krugerrand's enduring legacy with the smallest set in the 2017 collection. With the Fractional sets, we acknowledge the original intention of the Krugerrand as the means of enabling gold ownership in everyday people.



FRACTIONAL 3 COIN SET

"Created with pride, for all"

