

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

This section lists the definitions of acronyms, abbreviations, and code letters used throughout this journal. This listing does not include abbreviations used for the name of a taxonomic author, or commonly used symbols.

Checklist Codes:

Br	Branch	A	Subject is the primary design element
Fl	Flowers (with or without other plant parts)	B	Subject is only part of the main design
Fr	Fruit (including seeds, nuts, grains, etc.)	C	Subject is a minor representation
FrV	Grain head with sheaf or stalk	G	Subject is a generalized depiction
L	Lichen	R	Related subject (e.g., scientist, equipment)
M	Mushroom or fungus	S	Subject is a stylized or symbolic depiction
T	Trees (without flowers or fruit)	U	Subject is unidentified or unidentifiable
V	Various (vines, vegetables, roots, leaves, etc.)	X	Subject is a lookalike (e.g., mushroom cloud)
Wr	Wreath	Z	Subject is in the margin or selva
Wr*	Head wreath (or chaplet)	*	Subject depicted in natural colors

Acronyms and Abbreviations:

AAPE	American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors	NWF	National Wildlife Federation
anniv	anniversary	ovpt	overprinted
APC	American Philatelic Center (Bellefonte, PA)	perf	perforated
APS	American Philatelic Society	photo	photogravure
ATA	American Topical Association	ptg	painting or artwork
bkl	booklet	R	right position indicator
Cap	captioned	s/a	self-adhesive
CTO	canceled to order	Sc#	Scott Catalogue number
CTR	center position indicator	s-o-s	stamp on stamp
DS	deluxe sheet	sp.	species
Ed.	Editor	SS	souvenir sheet
Expo	Exposition	ssp.	sub-species
horiz	horizontal orientation	s/t	se-tenant
imperf	imperfurate	surch	surcharged
Intl.	International	UL	upper left position indicator
L	left position indicator	unwmk	un-watermarked
litho	lithography	UPU	Universal Postal Union
LL	lower left position indicator	UR	upper right position indicator
LR	lower right position indicator	US	United States
Mi#	Michel Catalog number	USPOD	United States Post Office Department
mm	millimeter	USPS	United States Postal Service
MS	miniature sheet	var.	variety
ML	middle left position indicator	vert	vertical orientation
MR	middle right position indicator	Vol	Volume
N/A	not applicable (or not available)	wmk	watermarked
nd	non-denominated	WWF	World Wildlife Federation
NTSS	National Topical Stamp Show	Yv#	Yvert & Tellier Catalog number