



# PALEONTOLOGY

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## New Listings

Scott#	Denom	Common Name/Scientific Name	Family/Subfamily	Code
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### BENIN

2019

175fr on 50fr. *Dimorphodon sp*

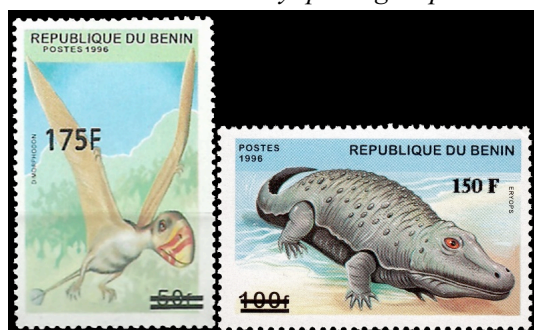
Dimorphodontidae

A

150fr on 100fr. *Eryops megacephalus*

Eryopidae

A



150fr on 75fr. *Dunkleosteus sp*

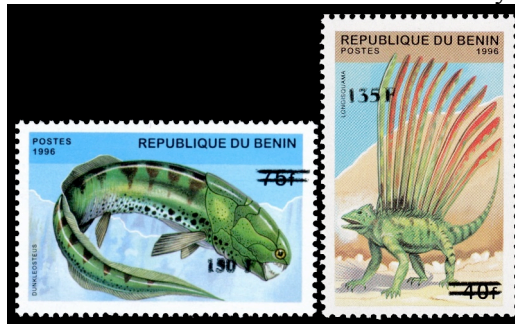
Dunkleosteidae

A

135fr on 40fr. *Longisaurus sp.*

Sphenacodontidae?

A



These are two more of the same 1996 set, overprinted in 2000. These are not listed in catalogs.

### CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC 2020 January 27

(Dinosaurs) (set of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

850fr *Ceratops horridus*

Ceratopsidae

A

850fr *Diplodocus longus*

Diplodocidae

A

850fr *Tyrannosaurus rex*

Tyrannosauridae

A

850fr *Allosaurus fragilis*

Allosauridae

A

SS 3300fr *Stegosaurus stenops*

Stegosauridae

A

Margin: *Tyrannosaurus rex*; *Ceratops horridus*

As above

Z

### GUINEA BISSAU

2020 February 7

(Shell and Fossils) (set of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

100fr *Elrathia kingii*

Allokistocaridae

A

Venus Comb Murex, *Murex pecten*

Muricidae

A

500fr *Keichousaurus hui*

Keichousauridae

A

Fighting Conch, *Strombus pugilis*

Strombidae

A

750fr *Tyrannosaurus rex*

Tyrannosauridae

A

1500fr *Turritella terebr*

Turritellidae

A

Trilobites

Class Trilobita

A

SS 3000fr Chambered or Pearly Nautilus, *Nautilus pompilius*

Nautilidae

A

Ammonite nautilus

Order Ammonitida

A

Margin: *Tyrannosaurus re*

Tyrannosauridae

Z

Queen Conch, *Lobatus gigas*

Strombidae

Z

### HUNGARY

2020 March 4 (The Bakony Dinosaurs. (II)) (M/S of 6)

200f *Hungarobatrachus szukacsi*

Order Ranoidea

A

200f *Mochlodon vorosi*

Rhabdodontidae

A

200f *Bauxitornis mindszentiae*

Avisauridae

A

**HUNGARY (continued)**

200f	<i>Atractosteus sp</i>	Lepisosteidae	A
200f	Side-necked Turtle, <i>Foxemys trabanti</i>	Bothremydidae	A
200f	<i>Doratodon carcharidens</i>	Suborder Notosuchia	A
Sold for 200f each on the date of issue			

**LIBERIA****2020 January 3**(Dinosaurs) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

a.	\$200	<i>Einosaurus procurvicornis</i>	Ceratopsidae	A
b.	\$200	<i>Parasaurolophus walkeri</i>	Hadrosauridae	A
c.	\$200	<i>Apatosaurus ajax</i>	Diplodocidae	A
d.	\$200	<i>Stegosaurus stenop</i>	Stegosauridae	A
e.	\$200	<i>Coelophysis bauri</i>	Coelophysidae	A
f.	\$200	<i>Pachycephalosaurus wyomingensis</i>	Pachycephalosauridae	A
SS \$1200		<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i>	Tyrannosauridae	A
		Margin: <i>Parasaurolophus walkeri</i> ; <i>Apatosaurus ajax</i>	As above	Z

**MALDIVE IS.****2020 February 12**(Dinosaurs) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

20r		<i>Stegosaurus stenops</i>	Stegosauridae	A
		<i>Eudimorphodon ranzii</i>	Eudimorphodontidae	A
20r		<i>Pteranodon longiceps</i>	Pteranodontidae	A
		<i>Ceratops horridus</i>	Ceratopsidae	A
20r		<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i>	Tyrannosauridae	A
		<i>Dilophosaurus wetherilli</i>	Dilophosauridae	A
20r		<i>Ankylosaurus magniventris</i>	Ankylosauridae	A
		<i>Utahraptor ostrommaysi</i>	Dromaeosauridae	A
SS 60r		<i>Velociraptor mongoliensis</i>	Dromaeosauridae	A
Margin:		<i>Pteranodon longiceps</i> ; <i>Eudimorphodon ranzii</i> ; <i>Ceratops horridus</i> ; <i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i>	As above	Z

**2020 February 12**(Shells and Fossils) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

20r		<i>Nautilus belauensis</i>	Nautilidae	A
20r		Ammonite fossil	Ammonitida	A
20r		<i>Mesosaurus sp.</i> fossil	Mesosauridae	A
20r		Giant Clam, <i>Tridacna giga</i>	Cardiidae	A
SS 60r		<i>Strombus gigas</i>	Strombidae	A
Margin:		Trilobite fossil	Class Trilobita	Z

**2020 February 12**(Flying Dinosaurs) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

“Flying Dinosaurs” is the wrong term. Dinosaurs are terrestrial animals per definition. Correct name of the set should be “Flying Reptiles”

22r		<i>Quetzalcoatlus northropi</i>	Azhdarchidae	A
22r		<i>Tapejara wellnhoferi</i>	Tapejaridae	A
22r		<i>Cearadactylus atrox</i>	Order Pterodactyloidea	A
22r		<i>Rahonavis ostromi</i>	Dromaeosauridae?	A
SS 70r		<i>Dimorphodon macronyx</i>	Dimorphodontidae	A
		<i>Anurognathus ammoni</i>	Anurognathidae	A
Margin:		<i>Cearadactylus atrox</i>	Order Pterodactyloidea	Z
		<i>Sordes pilosus</i>	Ramphorhynchidae	Z

**ST. THOMAS & PRINCE IS.****2020 February 4**(Dinosaurs) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

1,00d		<i>Apatosaurus ajax</i>	Diplodocidae	A
31,00d		<i>Deinonychus antirrhopus</i>	Dromaeosauridae	A
31,00d		<i>Dicraeosaurus hansemanni</i>	Dicraeosauridae	A

**ST. THOMAS & PRINCE IS. (continued)**

31,00d	<i>Gigantspinosauros sichuanensis</i>	Stegosauridae?	A
Margin:	<i>Brachylophosaurus canadensis</i>	Hadrosauridae	A
124,00d	<i>Brachylophosaurus canadensis</i>	Hadrosauridae	A
	Margin: <i>Apatosaurus ajax</i> ; <i>Deinonychus antirrhopus</i> ; <i>Dicraeosaurus hansemanni</i> ; <i>Gigantspinosauros sichuanensis</i>	As above	Z

**SIERRA LEONE****2020 January 30**(Dinosaurs) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>

10000le	<i>Brachiosaurus altithorax</i>	Brachiosauridae	A
	<i>Pteranodon longiceps</i>	Pteranodontidae	A
10000le	<i>Spinosauros aegyptiacus</i>	Spinosauridae	A
10000le	<i>Allosaurus fragilis</i>	Allosauridae	A
10000le	<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i>	Tyrannosauridae	A
10000le	<i>Triceratops horridus</i>	Triceratopsidae	A
20000le	<i>Tyrannosaurus rex</i>	Tyrannosauridae	A
SS 20000le	<i>Triceratops horridus</i>	Triceratopsidae	A
Margin:	<i>Allosaurus fragilis</i> ; <i>Brachiosaurus altithorax</i> ; <i>Pteranodon longiceps</i>	As above	Z

**SLOVENIA 2020 March 13 (MAMMAL FOSSILS IN SLOVENIA: *Prohyracodon telleri*)**€0.95 *Prohyracodon telleri*

Order Rhioncerotoidea

Due to the fact that *Prohyracodon*, Order Rhioncerotoidea, are known from few fragmentary fossils only, it's impossible to make precise reconstruction of the animal. Perhaps this is the reason for stamp designer to use reconstruction of similar animal: *Hyraodon nebraskensis*, from German book "Phylogenie der Mammalia, Stammesgeschichte der Säugetiere von Eric Thenius" published in Berlin 1969.

A

**SPAIN****2020 March 23**

(Museums) (Set/3)

€1 Museum of Human Evolution of Burgos

This year, three new Spanish museums are the central figures of the series Correos dedicates to the temples of art, history and culture in Spain. The first of the Premium Sheets is dedicated to the Museum of Human Evolution.

Located in the center of Burgos, it was designed by the architect Juan Navarro Baldeweg on a plot where the convent of San Pablo of the Dominican order once stood many centuries back. The museum was included in the declaration of the sites of Atapuerca as a World Heritage Site in 2015. The main aim of the Museum of Human Evolution is to preserve, map and disclose archaeological remains from the sites of the Sierra de Atapuerca.



The façade of the museum is seen in the stamp's motif, together with an image of the human skull known as Miguelón (classified as either late *Homo heidelbergensis* or as early *Homo neanderthalensis*, both Hominidae. It has been estimated to date to 430,000 years ago. ).

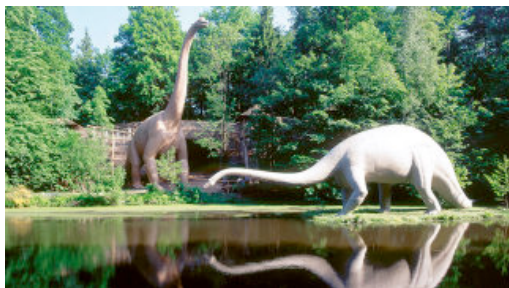
**TOGO****2020 February (Prehistoric water animals) (M/S of 4 & S/S 1)<sup>[\*1]</sup>**

800fr	<i>Megalodon</i> , <i>Carcharocles megalodon</i>	Otodontidae	A
800fr	<i>Anomalocaris canadensis</i>	Anomalocarididae	A
800fr	<i>Dinichthys terrella</i>	Dinichthyidae	A
800fr	<i>Liopleurodon ferox</i>	Pliosauridae	A
SS 3300fr	<i>Kronosaurus queenslandicu</i>	Pliosauridae	A
Margin:	<i>Carcharocles megalodon</i> ; <i>Dinichthys terrelli</i> ; <i>Anomalocaris canadensi</i>	As above	Z

**Germany 2019 June 25 definitive stamps of Post-Modern, private post operator in Saxony region.**  
 €2,50 (letters up to 1kg weight rate) Bautzen landscape







In 2019 local post company "Post Modern" who operate in Saxony (Sachsen) region of Germany, issued new definitive stamps with face values from 5 Euro-cent to 2.5 Euro that shows some major sightseeing of the region. Every self-adhesive stamp issued in a booklet of



10. with bigger images on a cover and postal rate table on the reverse side. 2.5 Euro is a price for Maximum letter, with weight between 501gr and 1kg.

One of these stamps shows a Sauropodid dinosaur figure from Dinosaur park at Bautzen.

The park contains over 200 life-size figures of dinosaurs and other prehistoric animals. Many of these animals presented in scenes that helps visitors envisage how they lived and fought for survival in primeval times

### Germany 2019 November 21 "Prehistoric times are alive" of "Brief und mehr", private post operator in Saxony region.

€0,70 (domestic letter up to 20gr weight rate) – *Triceratops* sp.,

Triceratopsidae

A

Reprint of two stamps, *Triceratops* and Bisons, from the set of 6 issued in 2017.



New stamps use the same design, but new face values (70 cent instead of 60 cent) according to new post rate of domestic letters with weight up to 20gr. Original set of 6 stamps "125 anniversary of Natural History Museum of Muenster (NHMM)" issued on February 1<sup>st</sup> 2017.

### Personalized stamps

#### Spain

October 26 (Fossils of Aragon)

A Ammonite, *Albarracinites albarracinensis* from Albarracín (Teruel)

Order Ammonitida

A Trilobite, *Acadoparadoxides mureroensis* from Mureo (Zaragoza)

Acadoparadoxidae

A

Skull of marine crocodile, *Maledictosuchus riclaensis* from Ricla (Zaragoza)

Metriorhynchidae

A

Issued by the Society of Friends of the Museum of Natural Sciences of the University of Zaragoza (SAMPUZ) and Philatelic Association Zaragozana (ASFIZA)

### Other stamps to consider

#### Latvia 2020 February 14 "Unique Exhibits of the Latvian Museum of Natural History"

€2,69 Amber

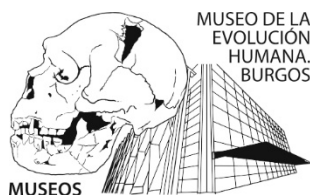
### Postmarks

#### Slovenia

2020 March 13

(MAMMAL FOSSILS IN SLOVENIA: *Prohyracodon telleri*)

Used on FDC and reproduced *Prohyracodon telleri*, Order Rhioncerotoidea skeleton as shown on the bottom-right side of the stamp.

**Spain****2020 March 23 (Museums) used on FDC****Hungary****2020 March 04 (THE WORLD OF THE BAKONY DINOSAURS (II)) used on FDC,**shows *Mochlodon vorosi*, Rhabdodontidae, as depicted on the background of the second stamp in the upper row.**Future issues**

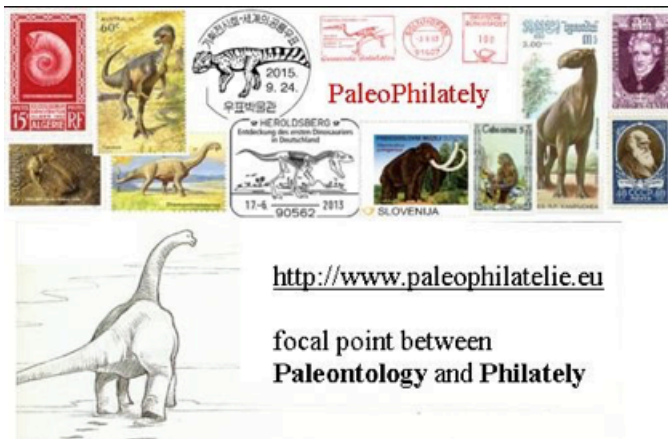
Russia. 2020 June 3 (originally planned for 2020 May 20) - Paleontologic heritage, set of 4 stamps.

**Notes:**

[\*1] - Commercial issue: stamps are issued with only one purpose - to sell for collectors. Stamps of countries who issued too many or too expensive stamps. Not recommended for serious collectors.

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**MID-CITIES STAMP CLUB EXPO HAS ORCHID THEME**

This annual stamp show in mid-November may be one of the only shows in the US, IF the virus settles down early enough. Their theme this year is "Orchids" and they would appreciate letting the Biology Unit members, who may be interested in exhibiting frames, or just 1 or 4 PAGE exhibits, know about the show. A Prospectus is available from the Biology Unit Secretary.

The two-day show will be on November 13 & 14. The 1 & 4 page exhibits have an entry fee of just one dollar and a cash award will be given to the most popular of each of those categories, as voted on by our attendees. Any exhibit qualifies, not just orchids or flowers. If any members would like to show an exhibit where APS qualified judges will send them a judging sheet to help them improve their exhibit, our frame fees are just \$6 per frame, whether single or multiple frames.

They have only 68 frames, but attract 26 dealers every year and the attendees like the silent auction, the chance board, the kids area and the piles of inexpensive stamps for beginners.