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Corrections/Updates



## MALDIVE ISLANDS – Vol. 65(2), pp.113–15

**Update:** Scott Publishing has assigned numbers to the issues listed in Vol. 65(2). The updates listed below are in the order listed on pages 113–15.

- Sc#3148a–d & Sc#3158 SS (Birds of Prey of the Indian Ocean)
- Sc#3147a–d & Sc#3157 SS (Owls of the Indian Ocean)
- Sc#3165a (50th Anniversary of the Red List)
- Sc#3238 SS (Third Intl Conf. SIDS)
- Sc#3268a–d & Sc#3278 SS (Owls & Mushrooms)
- Sc#3262a–d & Sc#3272 SS (Pigeons & Fruits)
- Sc#3265a–d & Sc#3275 SS (Birds of Prey)
- Sc#3263a–d & Sc#3273 SS (Water Birds & Corals)
- Sc#3266a–d & Sc#3276 SS (Seabirds & Shells)
- Sc#3264a–d & Sc#3274 SS (Wading Birds & Insects)
- Sc#3269a–d & Sc#3279 SS (Terns & Lighthouses)
- Sc#3261a–d & Sc#3271 SS (Songbirds)
- Sc#3267a–d & Sc#3277 SS (Bee-eaters & Orchids)
- Sc#3260a–d & Sc#3270 SS (Pelicans)

## ST. THOMAS & PRINCE ISLANDS – Vol. 65(2), pp.122–27

**Update:** Scott Publication has assigned numbers to a several issues listed in Vol. 65(2). I have listed them here in the order I listed them, starting with bee-eaters.

- Sc#2640a,d & Sc#2660 SS (50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Forth Bridge)
- Sc#2648a,b (50th Anniversary of Red List)
- Sc#2720a–d & Sc#2740 SS (Bee-eaters)
- Sc#2719a–d & Sc#2739 SS (Hummingbirds)
- Sc#2727a,d & Sc#2747 SS (Global Climate)
- Sc#2721a–d & Sc#2741 SS (Grapes & Birds)
- Sc#2718a–d & Sc#2738 SS (Hornbills)
- Sc#2717a–d & Sc#2737 SS (Pheasants)
- Sc#2725a (Predators)
- Sc#2716a–d & Sc#2736 SS (Secretary-bird)
- Sc#2764a–d & Sc#2784 SS (Flamingos)
- Sc#2763a–d & Sc#2783 SS (Kingfishers)
- Sc#2762a–d & Sc#2782 SS (Parrots)
- Sc#2808a–d & Sc#2825 SS (Birds of Prey)
- Sc#2807a–d & Sc#2824 SS (Owls)
- Sc#2795a–c & Sc#2796 SS (World Young Stamp Exhibition)
- Sc#2881a–d & Sc#2899 SS (Rainforest Parrots)
- Sc#2882a–d & Sc#2900 SS (Harpy Eagle)
- Sc#2883a–d & Sc#2901 SS (Toucans)
- Sc#2884a–d & Sc#2902 SS (Owls)
- Sc#2930a–d & Sc#2950 SS (John J. Audubon)

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

Sc#2922d & Sc#2942 SS (Lighthouse)  
 Sc#2967a-d & Sc#2986 SS (Owls)  
 Sc#2955b,d (31st Asia Intl. Stamp Exhibition)  
 Sc#3012a-d & Sc#3032 SS (Raptors)  
 Sc#3011a-d & Sc#3031 SS (Birds of St. Thomas)  
 Sc#2999a-d & Sc#3019 SS (Lighthouses)  
 Sc#2998a & Sc#3018 SS (Malaysia Sc#821 s-o-s)  
 Sc#3010a-d & Sc#3030 SS (Plovers)

**SIERRA LEONE – Vol. 65(2), p.133**

**Correction:** African Emerald Cuckoo has been corrected to Asian Emerald Cuckoo (*Chrysococcyx maculatus*).

**SOLOMON ISLANDS – Vol. 65(2), pp.133–35**

**Update:** Scott Publishing has assigned numbers to the following issues.

Sc#1766a-d with Sc#1766a for the owl (Taiwan Protected Species)  
 Sc#1812a-d & Sc#1832 SS (Seabirds)  
 Sc#1813a-d & Sc#1833 SS (Australian Hawks)  
 Sc#1814a-d & Sc#1834 SS (Owls)  
 Sc#1861a-d & Sc#1881 SS (Frigatebirds)  
 Sc#1862a-d & Sc#1882 SS (Terns)  
 Sc#1863a-d & Sc#1883 SS (Monarch Flycatchers)  
 Sc#1864a-d & Sc#1884 SS (Honeyeaters)  
 Sc#1890a-d & Sc#1910 SS (Owls)  
 Sc#1891a-d & Sc#1911 SS (Birds of Prey)

**TOGO – Vol. 64(3), p.185**

**Update:** I listed an issue of 11 April 2014 for Jackass Penguin with a 1900fr SS. Another 1900fr SS for this species was also issued, but with a date of 7 May 2014. Still no Scott number. You may want to manually add this to the listing on page 185 underneath the other 1900fr SS listed.

**UNITED STATES – Vol. 65(3), p.216**

**Correction:** Sc#5003 was listed as (49c). Correct to (93c) as this stamp was for the three ounce rate, not the one ounce stamp rate. Thanks to Carol J. Edholm of Washington state for catching this error.

**New Issues**

Scott#	Denom	Common Name/Scientific Name	Family/Subfamily	Code
<b>ARUBA</b>				
<b>2016 March 31 (Owls) (Set/4)</b>				
480	140c	Burrowing Owl, <i>Athene cunicularia arubensis</i> (two owls)	Strigidae	<b>A</b>
481	200c	Same species (one owl)	Strigidae	
482	320c	Same species (three owls)	Strigidae	
483	650c	Same species (owl in flight) (Scott incorrectly has value as 65c)	Strigidae	
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>				
<b>2015 October 27 (Animals in War) (SS/5 &amp; Bklt/10 s/a)</b>				
4377	70c	Rock Dove, <i>Columba livia</i>	Columbidae	<b>C</b>
4378a		SS/5 (Sc#4374–78)		
4383	70c	Same design (s/a)	Columbidae	
4383a		Bklt/10 (2ea Sc#4379–83) (s/a)		
<b>2016 February 9 (Banknotes &amp; Coin)</b>				
4451	\$1	Emu, <i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i> (perf 14½×14)	Casuariidae	<b>C</b>
4451a	\$1	Emu, <i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i> (perf 13½×14)	Casuariidae	
4451b		Bklt/4 (Sc#4451a)		

<b>AUSTRALIA</b> (continued)		<b>2016 March 1</b> (Items with Same Letter) (Strip/5 & Bklt/10)	<b>C</b>
4452	\$1	Brown Noddy, <i>Anous stolidus</i>	Laridae
4456a		Horiz strip/5 (Sc#4452–56) (perf 14¾×14)	
4457	\$1	Same design	Laridae
4457a		Bklt/10 (Sc#4457) (die cut 11¼) (s/a)	
		<b>2016 March 31</b> (Owls) (SS/4, 8ea Bklt/2, & Bklt/10)	<b>A</b>
4499	\$1	Rufous Owl, <i>Ninox rufa</i>	Strigidae
4499a		Bklt/2 (Sc#4499)	
4500	\$1	Australasian Grass-Owl, <i>Tyto longimembris</i>	Tytonidae
4500a		Bklt/2 (Sc#4500)	
4500b		Bklt/2 (Sc#4499–4500)	
4501	\$1	Sooty Owl, <i>Tyto tenebricosa</i>	Tytonidae
4501a		Bklt/2 (Sc#4501)	
4501b		Bklt/2 (Sc#4500–01)	
4502	\$1	Southern Boobook, <i>Ninox novaeseelandiae</i>	Strigidae
4502a	\$1	Bklt/2 (Sc#4502)	
4502b		Bklt/2 (Sc#4501–02)	
4502c		Bklt/2 (Sc#4499 & Sc#4502)	
4502d		SS/4 (Sc#4499–4502) (perf 14×13½)	
4503	\$1	Australasian Grass-Owl, <i>Tyto longimembris</i>	Tytonidae
4504	\$1	Sooty Owl, <i>Tyto tenebricosa</i>	Tytonidae
4505	\$1	Rufous Owl, <i>Ninox rufa</i>	Strigidae
4506	\$1	Southern Boobook, <i>Ninox novaeseelandiae</i>	Strigidae
4506a		Bklt/10 (2ea Sc#4503, Sc#4506 & 3ea Sc#4504–05) (die cut 11¼×10¾) (s/a)	
<b>AUSTRALIAN ANTARCTIC TERR.</b>		<b>2015 September 9</b> (Pest Eradication) (Set/4)	<b>B</b>
L192	70c	King Penguin, <i>Aptenodytes patagonicus</i> (with dog)	Spheniscidae
<b>AZERBAIJAN</b>		<b>2016 May 12</b> (Eagles) (Pair) (Joint issue with Belarus)	<b>A</b>
1112a	60g	Golden Eagle, <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Accipitridae
1112b	60g	Steppe Eagle, <i>Aquila nipalensis</i>	Accipitridae
<b>BOLIVIA</b>		<b>2015 May 16</b> (Endangered Animals) (Set/4)	<b>A</b>
1612	5.50b	Giant Coot, <i>Fulica gigantea</i>	Rallidae
		(Cap: <i>Fulica cornuta</i> for Horned Coot) (would be new to the Aviary, if it were correct)	
1615	50b	Harpy Eagle, <i>Harpia harpyja</i>	Accipitridae
		<b>2015 June 25</b> (50th anniv. Relations with South Korea) (Horiz Pair)	<b>A</b>
1616a	2b	Scaly-sided Merganser, <i>Mergus squamatus</i>	Anatidae
1616b	2b	Palkachupa Cotinga, <i>Phibalura boliviana</i>	Cotingidae
<b>CANADA</b>		<b>2015 September 14</b> (Haunted Canada) (MS/5 & Bklt/10)	<b>C</b>
2860b	(85c)	American Crow, <i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i> (in tree)	Corvidae
2860		MS/5 (Sc#2860a–e) (perf 12½×13)	
	Margin	LL: Same species	Corvidae
2864	(85c)	American Crow, <i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>	Corvidae
2865a		Bklt/10 (2ea Sc#2861–65) (die cut 13¼) (s/a)	
		<b>2016 July 12</b> (Birds of Canada) (MS/5+label & Bklt/10)	<b>A</b>
2929a	(85c)	Rock Ptarmigan, <i>Lagopus muta</i>	Phasianidae
2929b	(85c)	Great Horned Owl, <i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Strigidae
2929c	(85c)	Common Raven, <i>Corvus corax</i>	Corvidae
2929d	(85c)	Atlantic Puffin, <i>Fratercula arctica</i>	Alcidae
2929e	(85c)	Sharp-tailed Grouse, <i>Tympanuchus phasianellus</i>	Phasianidae
		(This species was previously shown on a Saskatchewan Wildlife Stamp)	Vol. 65(3)

**CANADA** (continued)

2929		MS/5+label (Sc#2929a–e) (perf 13×13¼)	
2930	(85c)	Sharp-tailed Grouse, <i>Tympanuchus phasianellus</i>	Phasianidae
2931	(85c)	Great Horned Owl, <i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Strigidae
2932	(85c)	Atlantic Puffin, <i>Fratercula arctica</i>	Alcidae
2933	(85c)	Common Raven, <i>Corvus corax</i>	Corvidae
2934	(85c)	Rock Ptarmigan, <i>Lagopus muta</i>	Phasianidae
2934a		Bklt/10 (2ea Sc#2930–34) (die cut 13½×13¾) (s/a)	

**CHAD****2012 November 5** (Birds) (MS/4, 2ea SS/2, & 4ea SS/1)**A**

N/A	350fr	Sudan Golden Sparrow, <i>Passer luteus</i> (single bird)	Passeridae
N/A	350fr	Same species (two birds)	Passeridae
N/A	500fr	Northern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicus</i> (UR)	Meropidae
N/A	500fr	Yellow-shouldered Widowbird, <i>Euplectes macroura</i> (LL)	Ploceidae
N/A	1700fr	MS/4 (above)	
	Margin	corners: Yellow-shouldered Widowbird, <i>Euplectes macroura</i>	Ploceidae
N/A	350fr	Sudan Golden Sparrow, <i>Passer luteus</i> (single bird)	Passeridae
N/A	350fr	Same species (two birds) (also in UR margin)	Passeridae
N/A	SS 700fr	SS/2 (above)	
N/A	500fr	Northern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicus</i>	Meropidae
N/A	500fr	Yellow-shouldered Widowbird, <i>Euplectes macroura</i>	Ploceidae
N/A	SS 1000fr	SS/2 (above)	
	Margin	UR: Yellow-crowned Bishop, <i>Euplectes afer</i>	Ploceidae
N/A	SS 350fr	Sudan Golden Sparrow, <i>Passer luteus</i> (single bird)	Passeridae
	Margin	R: Same species (six birds ♂ & ♀)	Passeridae
N/A	SS 350fr	Sudan Golden Sparrow, <i>Passer luteus</i> (two birds)	Passeridae
	Margin	R: Same species (three birds ♂ & ♀)	Passeridae
N/A	SS 500fr	Northern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicus</i>	Meropidae
	Margin	Top: Northern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicus</i>	Meropidae
		UR: Green Bee-eater, <i>Merops orientalis</i>	Meropidae
		LR: Swallow-tailed Bee-eater, <i>Merops hirundineus</i>	Meropidae
N/A	SS 500fr	Yellow-shouldered Widowbird, <i>Euplectes macroura</i>	Ploceidae
	Margin	UR: Yellow-crowned Bishop, <i>Euplectes afer</i>	Ploceidae
		MR: Red-collared Widowbird, <i>Euplectes ardens</i>	Ploceidae
		LR: Orange-bishop Widowbird, <i>Euplectes franciscanus</i>	Ploceidae

**2012 November 5** (Birds) (MS/4, 2ea SS/2, & 4ea SS/1)**A**

N/A	350fr	Corn Crake, <i>Crex crex</i>	Rallidae
N/A	350fr	Same species (with chick)	Rallidae
N/A	500fr	Cape Teal, <i>Anas capensis</i> (UL)	Anatidae
N/A	500fr	African Darter, <i>Anhinga rufa</i> (LR)	Anhingidae
N/A	SS 1700fr	MS/4 (above)	
	Margin	corners: African Darter, <i>Anhinga rufa</i>	Anhingidae
N/A	350fr	Corn Crake, <i>Crex crex</i>	Rallidae
N/A	350fr	Same species (with chick)	Rallidae
N/A	SS 700fr	SS/2 (above)	
	Margin	LR: Corn Crake, <i>Crex crex</i>	Rallidae
N/A	500fr	Cape Teal, <i>Anas capensis</i>	Anatidae
N/A	500fr	African Darter, <i>Anhinga rufa</i>	Anhingidae
N/A	SS 1000fr	SS/2 (above)	
	Margin	UR: Egyptian Goose, <i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>	Anatidae
		LR: Great Egret, <i>Ardea alba</i>	Ardeidae

**CHAD** (continued)

N/A	SS 350fr	Corn Crake, <i>Crex crex</i> (also in UR & LR margin)	Rallidae
N/A	SS 350fr	Corn Crake, <i>Crex crex</i> (with chick) (also in LR margin)	Rallidae
N/A	SS 500fr	Cape Teal, <i>Anas capensis</i>	Anatidae
	Margin	Bot: Gadwall, <i>Anas strepera</i>	Anatidae
		MR: Northern Pintail, <i>Anas acuta</i>	Anatidae
		UR: Northern Shoveler, <i>Anas clypeata</i>	Anatidae
N/A	SS 500fr	African Darter, <i>Anhinga rufa</i>	Anhingidae
	Margin	Top: Little Bittern, <i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>	Ardeidae
		UR: Common Snipe, <i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	Scolopacidae
		LR: African Openbill, <i>Anastomus lamelligerus</i>	Ciconiidae

**2012 December 5** (Birds of Prey) (MS/6, SS/4, SS/2, & 6ea SS/1)**A**

N/A	550fr	Greater Spotted Eagle, <i>Clanga clanga</i> (on rock)	Accipitridae
N/A	550fr	Lesser Kestrel, <i>Falco naumanni</i>	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Greater Spotted Eagle, <i>Clanga clanga</i> (on branch)	Accipitridae
N/A	550fr	Red-necked Falcon, <i>Falco chicquera</i> (facing right)	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Same species (frontal view)	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Lesser Kestrel, <i>Falco naumanni</i> (♂ & ♀)	Falconidae
N/A	3300fr	MS/6 (above)	
N/A	550fr	Lesser Kestrel, <i>Falco naumanni</i>	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Red-necked Falcon, <i>Falco chicquera</i> (frontal view)	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Same species (facing right)	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Lesser Kestrel, <i>Falco naumanni</i>	Falconidae
N/A	SS 2200fr	SS/4 (above)	
	Margin	MR: Gray Kestrel, <i>Falco ardosiaceus</i>	Falconidae
		UR: Red-footed Falcon, <i>Falco vespertinus</i>	Falconidae
N/A	550fr	Greater Spotted Eagle, <i>Clanga clanga</i> (on rock)	Accipitridae
N/A	550fr	Same species (on branch)	Accipitridae
N/A	SS 1100fr	SS/2 (above)	
	Margin	UR: Steppe Eagle, <i>Aquila nipalensis</i>	Accipitridae
N/A	SS 550fr	Greater Spotted Eagle, <i>Clanga clanga</i> (on rock) (also R margin)	Accipitridae
N/A	SS 550fr	Same species (on branch) (also R margin)	Accipitridae
N/A	SS 550fr	Lesser Kestrel, <i>Falco naumanni</i>	Falconidae
N/A	SS 550fr	Red-necked Falcon, <i>Falco chicquera</i> (facing right)	Falconidae
N/A	SS 550fr	Same species (frontal view)	Falconidae
N/A	SS 550fr	Lesser Kestrel, <i>Falco naumanni</i>	Falconidae

**2013 April 18** (Scouts with Birds & Mushrooms) (SS/2)**B**

N/A	800fr	Giant Kingfisher, <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>	Alcedinidae
	SS Margin	ML: Cut-throat, <i>Amadina fasciata</i>	Estrildidae
		UL: Long-tailed Glossy-Starling, <i>Lamprotornis caudatus</i>	Sturnidae
		Top: Long-crested Eagle, <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>	Accipitridae
		UR: Osprey, <i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Pandionidae
		Bot: Fulvous Whistling-Duck, <i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>	Anatidae

**2014 January 14** (Jean-Jacques Audubon) (MS/2 & SS/2)**B**

N/A	200fr	Canada Warbler, <i>Cardinella canadensis</i>	Parulidae
N/A	200fr	White-crowned Pigeon, <i>Patagioenas leucocephala</i>	Columbidae
	SS Margin	UL: Red-shouldered Hawk, <i>Buteo lineatus</i>	Accipitridae
		Top: Summer Tanager, <i>Piranga rubra</i>	Cardinalidae
		UR: Hoopoe, <i>Upupa epops</i>	Upupidae
		LL: Great Horned Owl, <i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Strigidae
		Bot: Hen Harrier, <i>Circus cyaneus</i>	Accipitridae

<b>2014 January 14</b> (Cook & Ross) (MS/2 & 2ea SS/1)			<b>B</b>
N/A	300fr	(Cook) African Black-headed Oriole, <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>	Oriolidae
N/A	300fr	(Ross) Snow Petrel, <i>Pagodroma nivea</i>	Procellariidae
		Cape Petrel, <i>Daption capense</i>	Procellariidae
N/A	600fr	MS/2 (above)	
	Margin	UL: Jameson's Firefinch, <i>Lagonosticta rhodopareia</i>	Estrildidae
		LL: Orange-cheeked Waxbill, <i>Estrilda melpoda</i>	Estrildidae
N/A	SS 300fr	(Cook) African Black-headed Oriole, <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>	Oriolidae
	Margin	UL: Black-collared Barbet, <i>Lybius torquatus</i>	Lybiidae
		LR: Yellow-breasted Barbet, <i>Trachyphonus margaritatus</i>	Lybiidae
N/A	SS 300fr	(Ross) Snow Petrel, <i>Pagodroma nivea</i>	Procellariidae
		Cape Petrel, <i>Daption capense</i>	Procellariidae
	Margin	UL: Ross's goose, <i>Chen rossii</i>	Anatidae
		LL: Emperor Penguin, <i>Aptenodytes forsteri</i>	Spheniscidae
<b>2014 January 14</b> (Albert Schweitzer) (MS/2 & SS/1)			<b>B</b>
N/A	550fr	Rosy Bee-eater, <i>Merops malimbicus</i>	Meropidae
N/A	SS 550fr	UL: Wood Warbler, <i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i>	Phylloscopidae
		LL: Palm-nut Vulture, <i>Gypohierax angolensis</i> (Cap: <i>Pypohierax</i> )	Accipitridae
		Bot: Copper Sunbird, <i>Cinnyris cupreus</i>	Nectariniidae
		UR: African Darter, <i>Anhinga rufa</i>	Anhingidae
		LR: Knob-billed Duck, <i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i> (Cap: <i>Sarkidiornis</i> )	Anatidae
<b>CHINA (Taiwan)</b>			<b>C</b>
<b>2016 March 29</b> (Giuseppe Castiglione Paintings) (Set/8)			
4290	\$5	Barn Swallow, <i>Hirundo rustica</i>	Hirundinidae
4292	\$9	Common Rosefinch, <i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>	Fringillidae
4294	\$10	Vinous-throated Parrotbill, <i>Paradoxornis webbianus</i>	Paradoxornithidae
4296	\$12	Yellow-billed Grosbeak, <i>Eophona migratoria</i>	Fringillidae

### CONGO DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC (Kinshasa)

This country seems to have an identity crisis problem. The Congo Democratic Republic changed its name to the Republic of Zaire in November 1971. The last issues assigned numbers for the country name Congo Democratic Republic were dated 24 October 1971, according to the 2017 Scott Stamp Catalogue. The first numbers assigned by Scott Publishing for stamps under Zaire were issues of 18 December 1971. The last Scott numbers assigned to issues of Zaire were for 10 December 2002.

All the issues listed below carry the country name Congo Democratic Republic and were issued after 10 December 2002, as were the issues listed in *Biophilately* Vol. 57(2) and Vol. 57(3). None of the issues listed in these two volumes and the ones listed below have had any numbers assigned by Scott Publishing.

In an email inquiry two years ago with the Editor of Scott Publishing, one of the reasons given was that the Congo Democratic Republic had been experiencing a lot of strife and no one at the postal administration kept a position long enough for Scott Publishing to get any reliable answers to what issues are valid and what might be "illegal."

[Ed. note: The current Congo D. R. stamps are printed with FC denominations. These initials stand for franc Communauté Financière d'Afrique (African Financial Community). There are two CFA franc currencies (West African and Central African). They are effectively interchangeable. The policy in *Biophilately* is to list them as francs with an "fr" abbreviation.]

<b>2007 November 21</b> (Baden-Powell) (MS/6 & SS/1)			<b>A</b>
N/A	600fr	Eastern Screech-Owl, <i>Megascops asio</i>	Strigidae
N/A	600fr	Tawny Owl, <i>Strix aluco</i>	Strigidae
N/A	600fr	Great Horned Owl, <i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Strigidae
N/A	600fr	Spectacled Owl, <i>Pulsatrix perspicillata</i>	Strigidae
N/A	600fr	Papuan Hawk-Owl, <i>Uroglaux dimorpha</i>	Strigidae
N/A	600fr	Northern Saw-whet Owl, <i>Aegolius acadicus</i>	Strigidae

**CONGO DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC** (continued)

N/A	SS 600fr	Tawny Owl, <i>Strix aluco</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	LL: Eurasian Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo bubo</i>	Strigidae	
		Bot: Crested Owl, <i>Lophostrix cristata</i>	Strigidae	
		UR: Pel's Fishing-Owl, <i>Scotopelia peli</i>	Strigidae	
<b>2007 November 21</b> (100th anniv. Boy Scouts) (MS/4)				<b>A</b>
N/A	480fr	African Wood-Owl, <i>Strix woodfordii</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	480fr	Fraser's Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo poensis</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	480fr	African Wood-Owl, <i>Strix woodfordii</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	480fr	African Scops-Owl, <i>Otus senegalensis</i>	Strigidae	
<b>2011 May 18</b> (Birds of Prey) (SS/3 & 3ea SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Bateleur, <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	900fr	Bald Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	900fr	Martial Eagle, <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	UR: Secretary-bird, <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	Sagittariidae	
		MR: Bateleur, <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	Accipitridae	
		MR: Short-toes Eagle, <i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	Accipitridae	
		LR: White-backed Vulture, <i>Gyps africanus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	SS 900fr	Bateleur, <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	LR: Bateleur, <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	Accipitridae	
		LL: African Fish-Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	Accipitridae	
		(Cap: <i>Balaena mysticetus</i> , which is the Bowhead Whale)		
N/A	SS 900fr	Bald Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	LL: White-backed Vulture, <i>Gyps africanus</i>	Accipitridae	
		LR: Short-toed Eagle, <i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	SS 900fr	Martial Eagle, <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	LL: Secretary-bird, <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	Sagittariidae	
		LR: Bateleur, <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	Accipitridae	
<b>2011 May 18</b> (Owls) (SS/3 & 3ea SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Pearl-spotted Owlet, <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	900fr	African Grass-Owl, <i>Tyto capensis</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	900fr	Spotted Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo africanus</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	Top & LR: African Grass-Owl, <i>Tyto capensis</i>	Tytonidae	
		UR: Pel's Fishing-Owl, <i>Scotopelia peli</i>	Strigidae	
		MR: Pearl-spotted Owlet, <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>	Strigidae	
		MR: Spotted Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo africanus</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	SS 900fr	Pearl-spotted Owlet, <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	LL: African Wood-Owl, <i>Strix woodfordii</i>	Strigidae	
		LR: African Barred-Owlet, <i>Glaucidium capense</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	SS 900fr	African Grass-Owl, <i>Tyto capense</i>	Tytonidae	
	Margin	LL: Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
		LR: Madagascar Red Owl, <i>Tyto soumagnei</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	SS 900fr	Spotted Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo africanus</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	LL: Pel's Fishing-Owl, <i>Scotopelia peli</i>	Strigidae	
		LR: African Scops-Owl, <i>Otus senegalensis</i>	Strigidae	
<b>2011 May 18</b> (Birds) (SS/3 & 3ea SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	675fr	Lilac-breasted Roller, <i>Coracias caudatus</i>	Coraciidae	
N/A	675fr	White-browed Robin-Chat, <i>Cossypha heuglini</i>	Muscicapidae	
N/A	675fr	Fork-tailed Drongo, <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>	Dicruridae	

**CONGO DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC** (continued)

	Margin	Top: Yellow-throated Longclaw, <i>Macronyx croceus</i>	Motacillidae
		UR: Black-collared Barbet, <i>Lybius torquatus</i>	Lybiidae
		MR: Red-collared Widowbird, <i>Euplectes ardens</i>	Ploceidae
		MR: U/I sp. (Cap: <i>Agaborins pullamus</i> )	
		LR: Grey-headed Bushshrike, <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>	Malaconotidae
N/A	SS 675fr	Lilac-breasted Roller, <i>Coracias caudatus</i>	Coraciidae
	Margin	LL: Eastern Yellow-billed Hornbill, <i>Tockus flavirostris</i>	Bucerotidae
		LR: Brown-hooded Kingfisher, <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>	Alcedinidae
N/A	SS 675fr	White-browed Robin-Chat, <i>Cossypha heuglini</i>	Muscicapidae
	Margin	LL: <i>Anaplectes rubriceps</i> (Cap: <i>Tisserin écarlate</i> )	Ploceidae
		LR: Northern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicus</i>	Meropidae
N/A	SS 675fr	Fork-tailed Drongo, <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>	Dicruridae
	Margin	LL: Hoopoe, <i>Upupa epops</i>	Upupidae
		LR: Little Bee-eater, <i>Merops pusillus</i>	Meropidae

**2012 October 22** (Parrots) (MS/4 & 4ea SS/1)**A**

Supposedly, a SS/1 exists for each of the four stamps, but I have not been able to locate them on any website.

N/A	850fr	Brown-necked Parrot, <i>Poicephalus robustus</i>	Psittacidae
N/A	850fr	Meyer's Parrot, <i>Poicephalus meyeri</i>	Psittacidae
N/A	850fr	Gray Parrot, <i>Psittacus erithacus</i>	Psittacidae
N/A	850fr	Red-fronted Parrot, <i>Poicephalus gulielmi</i>	Psittacidae
	Margin	MR: Red-fronted Parrot, <i>Poicephalus gulielmi</i>	Psittacidae
		UR: Brown-necked Parrot, <i>Poicephalus robustus fuscicollis</i>	Psittacidae

**2012 October 22** (Lovebirds & Parakeets) (MS/4 & 4ea SS/1)**A**

Supposedly, a SS/1 exists for each of the four stamps, but no examples have been seen.

N/A	720fr	Fischer's Lovebird, <i>Agapornis fischeri</i>	Psittaculidae
N/A	720fr	Black-cheeked Lovebird, <i>Agapornis nigrigenis</i>	Psittaculidae
N/A	720fr	Red-headed Lovebird, <i>Agapornis pullarius</i>	Psittaculidae
N/A	720fr	Rose-ringed Parakeet, <i>Psittacula krameri</i>	Psittaculidae
	Margin	UR: Rose-ringed Parakeet, <i>Psittacula eques</i>	Psittaculidae
		(The bird looks like a Rose-ringed Parakeet, but has a species name <i>eques</i> , which I do not find listed in Clements Checklist.) [Ed. note: According to Birdlife International, <i>P. eques</i> is the Mauritius Parakeet.]	

**2012 October 22** (Hornbills) (MS/4 & 4ea SS/1)**A**

Supposedly, a SS/1 exists for each of the four stamps, but no examples have been seen.

N/A	600fr	African Gray Hornbill, <i>Tockus nasutus</i>	Bucerotidae
N/A	600fr	White-thighed Hornbill, <i>Ceratogymna albotibialis</i>	Bucerotidae
N/A	600fr	Black-and-white-casqued Hornbill, <i>Ceratogymna subcylindrica</i>	Bucerotidae
		(Cap: <i>Ceratogymna bycanistes</i> )	
N/A	600fr	Red-billed Dwarf Hornbill, <i>Tockus camurus</i>	Bucerotidae
	Margin	Black-casqued Hornbill, <i>Ceratogymna atrata</i>	Bucerotidae

**2013 July 30** (Hérons) (MS/2, SS/2 & 2ea SS/1)**A**

N/A	500fr	Black-headed Heron, <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>	Ardeidae
N/A	500fr	Goliath Heron, <i>Ardea goliath</i>	Ardeidae
	1000fr	MS/2 (above)	
SS 1000fr	SS/2 (above)		
	Margin	L: Striated Heron, <i>Butorides striata</i>	Ardeidae
		R: Intermediate Egret, <i>Mesophoyx intermedia</i> (Cap: <i>Egretta i.</i> )	Ardeidae
		LR: Purple Heron, <i>Ardea purpurea</i>	Ardeidae



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N/A	SS 500fr	Black-headed Heron, <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>	Ardeidae
	Margin	UR & LR: Purple Heron, <i>Ardea purpurea</i>	Ardeidae
N/A	SS 500fr	Goliath Heron, <i>Ardea goliath</i>	Ardeidae
	Margin	R: Intermediate Egret, <i>Mesophoyx intermedia</i> (Cap: <i>Egretta i.</i> )	Ardeidae

**ECUADOR** **2015 September 29** (150th anniv. ExpoAFE) (MS/25) **C**

2163a	75c	Resplendent Quetzal, <i>Pharomachrus mocinno</i>	Trogonidae
2163v	75c	Andean Cock-of-the-Rock, <i>Rupicola peruvianus</i>	Cotingidae
2163		MS/25 (Sc#2163a–y)	

**ESTONIA** **2016 February 17** (Bird of the Year) **A**

807	65c	Great Tit, <i>Parus major</i>	Paridae
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**GERMANY** **2016 March 1** (Juvenile Animals) (Set/2) **A**

2899	70c	Greylag Goose, <i>Anser anser</i> (goslings)	Anatidae
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**GUINEA-BISSAU**

Guinea-Bissau, a small African nation, obtained its independence on 10 September 1974. The population was estimated to be 1,250,000 in 1999. The currency for their stamps has varied from 100 centavos, which equaled 1 Escudo, to 100 centavos, which equaled 1 Peso, to 100 centimes which equaled 1 Franc.

The last issue assigned a Scott number was issued in September 2000, as per the 2017 Scott Stamp Catalogue. This is another country with an excessive stamp issuing policy, as Stamperija is their stamp issuing entity, generating more issues than needed or even used for their population size. Guinea-Bissau, since 2001 has issued 107 miniature sheets, most of them with four each, and some with six or eight stamps each, and 93 souvenir sheets.

[Ed. note: The current Guinea-Bissau stamps are printed with FCFA denominations. See note at Congo Democratic Republic. The policy in Biophilately is to list them as francs with an “fr” abbreviation.]

**2010 January 31** (Global Warming) (MS/5) **A**

N/A	800fr	Gentoo Penguin, <i>Pygoscelis papua</i>	Spheniscidae
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**2012 May 25** (Darwin & Dinosaurs) (MS/4) **B**

N/A	800fr	Archaeopteryx, <i>Archaeopteryx lithographica</i>	†Archaeopterygidae
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**2015 February 18** (Endangered Animals) (MS/4) **A**

N/A	800fr	Galapagos Penguin, <i>Spheniscus mendiculus</i>	Spheniscidae
N/A	800fr	Cattle Egret, <i>Bubulcus ibis</i> (with elephant)	Ardeidae

**2015 April 24** (Rhinoceroses) (MS/4) **A**

N/A	850fr	Cattle Egret, <i>Bubulcus ibis</i> (on rhino’s back)	Ardeidae
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**2015 May 26** (Water Birds) (MS/4) **A**

N/A	800fr	Common Snipe, <i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	Charadriidae
N/A	800fr	Gray Heron, <i>Ardea cinerea</i>	Ardeidae
N/A	800fr	Red-necked Phalarope, <i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>	Scolopacidae
N/A	800fr	Wattled Jacana, <i>Jacana jacana</i>	Jacanidae

**2015 September 25** (150th anniv. Lincoln Death) (MS/5) **B**

N/A	720fr	Bald Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i> (with Lincoln)	Accipitridae
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**2015 October 26** (Swifts) (MS/4) **A**

N/A	750fr	Common Swift, <i>Apus apus</i>	Apodidae
N/A	750fr	Pallid Swift, <i>Apus pallidus</i>	Apodidae
N/A	750fr	Mottled Spinetail, <i>Telacanthura ussheri</i>	Apodidae
N/A	750fr	Little Swift, <i>Apus affinis</i>	Apodidae
	Margin	MR: Common Swift, <i>Apus apus</i>	Apodidae
		ML: Mottled Spinetail, <i>Telacanthura ussheri</i>	Apodidae

<b>GUINEA-BISSAU (continued)</b>			<b>2015 October 26 (Osprey) (MS/4)</b>	<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Osprey, <i>Pandion haliaetus</i> (flying left)	Pandionidae	
N/A	750fr	Same species (two in flight)	Pandionidae	
N/A	750fr	Same species (head facing left)	Pandionidae	
N/A	750fr	Same species (on nest with chicks)	Pandionidae	
	Margin	ML & MR: Same species (in flight)	Pandionidae	
			<b>2015 October 26 (Owls) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>	<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	750fr	Pearl-spotted Owlet, <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	750fr	Pel's Fishing-Owl, <i>Scotopelia peli</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	750fr	African Wood-Owl, <i>Strix woodfordii</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Northern White-faced Owl, <i>Ptilopsis leucotis</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	LR: Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
		LL: African Scops-Owl, <i>Otus senegalensis</i>	Strigidae	
			<b>2015 October 26 (Storks) MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>	<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Black Stork, <i>Ciconia nigra</i>	Ciconiidae	
N/A	750fr	Marabou Stork, <i>Leptoptilos crumenifer</i>	Ciconiidae	
N/A	750fr	Saddle-billed Stork, <i>Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis</i>	Ciconiidae	
N/A	750fr	Yellow-billed Stork, <i>Mycteria ibis</i>	Ciconiidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Woolly-necked Stork, <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	Ciconiidae	
	Margin	UL: Yellow-billed Stork, <i>Mycteria ibis</i>	Ciconiidae	
		MR: White Stork, <i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	Ciconiidae	
		LL: Woolly-necked Stork, <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	Ciconiidae	
		LR: Black Stork, <i>Ciconia nigra</i>	Ciconiidae	
			<b>2015 December 19 (Lighthouses) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>	<b>B</b>
N/A	850fr	Rock Dove, <i>Columba livia</i>	Columbidae	
N/A	850fr	Black-headed Gull, <i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	Laridae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	U/I Gull species	Laridae	
			<b>2016 January 18 (Owls) (MS/6 &amp; SS/1)</b>	<b>A</b>
N/A	500fr	Bare-legged Owl, <i>Gymnoglaux lawrencii</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	500fr	Black-and-white Owl, <i>Ciccaba nigrolineata</i>	Strigidae	Vol. 65(2)
N/A	500fr	Long-eared Owl, <i>Asio otus</i> (Cap: <i>Asio abyssinicus</i> )	Strigidae	
N/A	500fr	Brown Fish-Owl, <i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	500fr	African Barred Owlet, <i>Glaucidium capense</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	500fr	Eastern Screech-Owl, <i>Megascops asio</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	Bot: Western Screech-Owl, <i>Megascops kennicottii</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Madagascar Red Owl, <i>Tyto soumagnei</i>	Tytonidae	
	Margin	UR & LL: Verreaux's Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo lacteus</i>	Strigidae	
			<b>2016 January 18 (African Fauna) (MS/6 &amp; SS/1)</b>	<b>A</b>
N/A	500fr	Yellow-billed Oxpecker, <i>Buphagus africanus</i> (with buffalo)	Buphagidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Bot: Great White Pelican, <i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>	Pelecanidae	
		Top: Greater Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>	Phoenicopteridae	
	Margin	UL: Great White Pelican, <i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>	Pelecanidae	
		UR: Greater Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>	Phoenicopteridae	
			<b>2016 April 16 (Birds of Prey) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>	<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Bald Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Accipitridae	
NA	750fr	Eurasian Griffon Vulture, <i>Gyps fulvus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	750fr	White-headed Vulture, <i>Trigonoceps occipitalis</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	750fr	African Fish-Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	Accipitridae	

**GUINEA-BISSAU** (continued)

	Margin	UR: Peregrine Falcon, <i>Falco peregrinus</i>	Falconidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Peregrine Falcon, <i>Falco peregrinus</i>	Falconidae	
	Margin	Top: African Fish-Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	Accipitridae	
<b>2016 June 27</b> (Water Birds) (MS/4)				<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Black Skimmer, <i>Rynchops niger</i>	Rynchopidae	
N/A	750fr	Great Crested Grebe, <i>Podiceps cristatus</i>	Podicipedidae	
N/A	750fr	Atlantic Puffin, <i>Fratercula arctica</i>	Alcidae	
N/A	750fr	Great White Pelican, <i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>	Pelecanidae	
	Margin	UL: Common Tern, <i>Sterna hirundo</i>	Laridae	
		UR: Blue-footed Booby, <i>Sula nebouxii</i>	Sulidae	
<b>2016 June 27</b> (Lighthouses) (MS/4 & SS/1)				<b>B</b>
N/A	825fr	Yellowhammer, <i>Emberiza citronella</i> (Corbiere Lighthouse)	Emberizidae	
N//A	825fr	U/I Gull species (Tourlitis Lighthouse)	Laridae	
N/A	825fr	Atlantic Puffin, <i>Fratercula arctica</i> (Kjeungskjaer Lighthouse)	Alcidae	
N/A	SS 3300fr	Black-headed Gull, <i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	Laridae	
<b>2016 September 28</b> (Birds of Prey) (MS/5) (Circular)				<b>A</b>
The stamps are half in a larger circular sheet and half outside the larger sheet, in a clockwise rotation. In between each stamp are four birds in the background of the sheet.				
N/A	600fr	Eurasian Marsh-Harrier, <i>Circus aeruginosus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	600fr	Black Kite, <i>Milvus migrans</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	600fr	Pale Chanting Goshawk, <i>Melierax canorus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	600fr	Hooded Vulture, <i>Necrosyrtes monachus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	600fr	Tawny Eagle, <i>Aquila rapax</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	Top: Long-legged Buzzard, <i>Buteo rufinus</i>	Accipitridae	
		MR: Common Buzzard, <i>Buteo buteo</i>	Accipitridae	
		Bot: Lappet-faced Vulture, <i>Torgos tracheliotus</i>	Accipitridae	
		ML: Short-toed Eagle, <i>Circaetus gallicus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Common Kestrel, <i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	Falconidae	
	Margin	Top: Eurasian Griffon, <i>Gyps fulvus</i>	Accipitridae	
		MR: Egyptian Vulture, <i>Neophron percnopterus</i>	Accipitridae	
		Bot: Golden Eagle, <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Accipitridae	
		ML: Eurasian Sparrowhawk, <i>Accipiter nisus</i>	Accipitridae	
<b>2016 September 28</b> (Owls) (MS/5) (Circular-as above)				<b>A</b>
N/A	600fr	Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	600fr	European Scops-Owl, <i>Otus scops</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	600fr	Pharaoh Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo ascalaphus</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	600fr	Great Horned Owl, <i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	600fr	Burrowing Owl, <i>Athene cunicularia</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	Top: Burrowing Owl, <i>Athene cunicularia</i>	Strigidae	
		MR: Burrowing Owl, <i>Athene cunicularia</i>	Strigidae	
		Bot: Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
		ML: Great Horned Owl, <i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Western Screech-Owl, <i>Megascops kennicottii</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	Top: Burrowing Owl, <i>Athene cunicularia</i>	Tytonidae	
		MR: Pharaoh Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo ascalaphus</i>	Strigidae	
		Bot: Pharaoh Eagle-Owl, <i>Bubo ascalaphus</i>	Strigidae	
		ML: Burrowing Owl, <i>Athene cunicularia</i>	Strigidae	

<b>ITALY</b>		<b>2015 October 15</b> (End of World War I Postcard Illustration) (s/a)	<b>B</b>
3338	95c	Golden Eagle, <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Accipitridae
<b>KAZAKHSTAN</b>		<b>2016 April 8</b> (Aksu-Zhabagly Nature Reserve) (SS/3)	<b>A</b>
767c	200te	Lammergeier, <i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>	Accipitridae
<b>MALTA</b>		<b>2016 April 15</b> (WWF) (MS/4)	<b>A</b>
1559a	75c	Levantine Shearwater, <i>Puffinus yelkouan</i> (in flight to right)	Procellariidae
1559b	75c	Same species (in flight to left)	Procellariidae
1559c	75c	Same species (floating with wings raised)	Procellariidae
1559d	75c	Same species (four birds floating)	Procellariidae
1559	Margin	L: Same species (in flight)	Procellariidae
<b>ST. VINCENT-GRENADINES</b>		<b>2015 December 31</b> (Ducks of the Caribbean) (2ea MS/4 & 2ea SS/1)	<b>A</b>
4019a	\$3.25	Common Merganser, <i>Mergus merganser</i>	Anatidae
4019b	\$3.25	Bufflehead, <i>Bucephala albeola</i>	Anatidae
4019c	\$3.25	Common Pochard, <i>Aythya ferina</i>	Anatidae
4019d	\$3.25	Hooded Merganser, <i>Lophodytes cucullatus</i>	Anatidae
4019	Margin	UL: U/I species	
4020a	\$3.25	Smew, <i>Mergellus albellus</i>	Anatidae
4020b	\$3.25	Freckled Duck, <i>Stictonetta naevosa</i>	Anatidae
4020c	\$3.25	Surf Scoter, <i>Melanitta perspicillata</i>	Anatidae
4020d	\$3.25	Canvasback, <i>Aythya valisineria</i>	Anatidae
4020	Margin	Top: U/I species	
4021	SS \$10	Red-crested Pochard, <i>Netta rufina</i> (also in R margin)	Anatidae
4022	SS \$10	Torrent Duck, <i>Merganetta armata</i>	Anatidae
	Margin	L: U/I species	
		<b>2015 December 31</b> (Flamingos) (2ea MS/4, SS/2, & SS/1)	<b>A</b>
4023a	\$3.25	American Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i> (two wading)	Phoenicopteridae
4023b	\$3.25	Same species (multiple birds)	Phoenicopteridae
4023c	\$3.25	Same species (two facing each other)	Phoenicopteridae
4023d	\$3.25	Same species (head)	Phoenicopteridae
4023	Margin	Bot: Same species (multiple birds)	Phoenicopteridae
4024a	\$3.25	American Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i> (one wading)	Phoenicopteridae
4024b	\$3.25	Same species (head)	Phoenicopteridae
4024c	\$3.25	Same species (two birds)	Phoenicopteridae
4024d	\$3.25	Same species (one frontal view)	Phoenicopteridae
4024	Margin	L: Same species (head)	Phoenicopteridae
4025a	SS \$5	Same species (head facing right)	Phoenicopteridae
4025b	SS \$5	Same species (head facing left)	Phoenicopteridae
4026	SS \$10	Same species (also in L margin)	Phoenicopteridae
		<b>2015 December 31</b> (Egrets) (Pair, MS/4, & 2ea SS/1)	<b>A</b>
4027a	\$3.15	Great Egret, <i>Ardea alba</i> (standing)	Ardeidae
4027b	\$3.15	Same species (wings extended)	Ardeidae
4028a	\$3.25	Great Egret, <i>Ardea alba</i> (taking flight)	Ardeidae
4028b	\$3.25	Same species (in tree)	Ardeidae
4028c	\$3.25	Same species (head)	Ardeidae
4028d	\$3.25	Same species (in flight)	Ardeidae
4029	SS \$10	Same species (adult)	Ardeidae
	Margin	L: Same species (chick in nest)	Ardeidae
4030	SS \$10	Same species (chick in nest)	Ardeidae
	Margin	L: Same species (adult)	Ardeidae

<b>SERBIA</b>		<b>2015 May 20</b> (European Nature Protection) (Set/2)		<b>C</b>
699	35d	Golden Eagle, <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Accipitridae	
<b>SLOVENIA</b>		<b>2016 May 27</b> (Birds) (Set/5) (s/a)		<b>A</b>
1179	25c	Green Woodpecker, <i>Picus viridis</i>	Picidae	
1180	30c	European Honey-Buzzard, <i>Pernis apivorus</i>	Accipitridae	
1181	50c	Hazel Grouse, <i>Bonasa bonasia</i>	Phasianidae	
1182	75c	Firecrest, <i>Regulus ignicapillus</i>	Regulidae	
1183	€1	European Bee-eater, <i>Merops apiaster</i>	Meropidae	
<b>SOLOMON ISLANDS</b>		<b>2015 May 24</b> (Singapore 2015 World Stamp Exhibition) (MS/4)		<b>A</b>
1768a	\$5	Eastern Crimson Sunbird, <i>Aethopyga siparaja</i>	Nectariniidae	
		<b>2015 September 25</b> (Dogs) (MS/4)		<b>B</b>
1887d	\$12	Mallard, <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> (in dog's mouth)	Anatidae	
		<b>2016 May 13</b> (Fauna) (4ea MS/4 & 4ea SS/1)		<b>A</b>
1984a	\$7	Emu, <i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i> (head facing left)	Dromaiidae	
1984b	\$7	Same species (walking)	Dromaiidae	
1984c	\$7	Same species (neck turned left)	Dromaiidae	
1984d	\$7	Same species (head facing right)	Dromaiidae	
2009	SS \$35	Same species	Dromaiidae	
	Margin	Top: Same species	Dromaiidae	
1985a	\$7	Tawny Owl, <i>Strix aluco</i>	Strigidae	
1985b	\$7	Long-eared Owl, <i>Asio otus</i>	Strigidae	
1985c	\$7	Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
1985d	\$7	Eastern Screech-Owl, <i>Megascops asio</i>	Strigidae	
2010	SS \$35	Spectacled Owl, <i>Pulsatrix perspicillata</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	Top: Snowy Owl, <i>Bubo scandiacus</i>	Strigidae	
1986a	\$7	Common Kingfisher, <i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Alcedinidae	
1986b	\$7	Brown Pelican, <i>Pelecanus occidentalis</i>	Pelecanidae	
1986c	\$7	Gray Crowned-Crane, <i>Balearica regulorum</i>	Gruidae	
1986c	\$7	Pacific Gull, <i>Larus pacificus</i>	Laridae	(new)
2011	SS \$35	Saddle-billed Stork, <i>Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis</i>	Ciconiidae	
	Margin	Top: American Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>	Phoenicopteridae\	
1987a	\$7	Jackal Buzzard, <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i>	Accipitridae	
1987b	\$7	Imperial Eagle, <i>Aquila heliaca</i>	Accipitridae	
1987c	\$7	Osprey, <i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Pandionidae	
1987d	\$7	Secretary-bird, <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	Sagittariidae	
2012	SS \$35	Golden Eagle, <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	Top: Great Philippine Eagle, <i>Pithecophaga jefferyi</i>	Accipitridae	
		<b>2016 May 13</b> (Endangered Animals) (MS/4)		<b>A</b>
1994d	\$7	African Penguin, <i>Spheniscus demersus</i>	Spheniscidae	
		<b>2016 May 13</b> (Fauna Stamps) (MS/4) (s-o-s)		<b>A</b>
1995a	\$7	Dalmatian Pelican, <i>Pelecanus crispus</i> (Romania Sc#3233)	Pelecanidae	
1995d	\$7	Broad-winged Hawk, <i>Buteo platypterus</i> (Grenada Sc#854)	Accipitridae	
<b>SRI LANKA</b>		<b>2016 February 2</b> (World Wetlands Day) (Set/4 & 4ea SS/1)		<b>A</b>
2005	7r	Fulvous Whistling-Duck, <i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i> (perf 13¼×12)	Anatidae	
2005a	SS 7r	SS/1 (in Anawilundawa Wildlife Sanctuary) (perf 13¼)		
	Margin	L: U/I Heron species		
2006	10r	Greater Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i> (perf 13¼×12)	Phoenicopteridae	
2006a	SS 10r	SS/1 (in Chundikulam National Park) (perf 13¼)		
	Margin	LL: Caspian Tern, <i>Sterna caspia</i>	Laridae	

**SRI LANKA** (continued)

2007	35r	Indian Spot-billed Duck, <i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i> (perf 13¼×12)	Anatidae
2007a	SS 35r	SS/1 (in Vankalai Wildlife Sanctuary) (perf 13¼)	
	Margin	L: U/I Egret species	
2008	50r	Caspian Tern, <i>Sterna caspia</i> (perf 13¼×12)	Laridae
2008a	SS 50r	SS/1 (in Adam's Bridge National Park) (perf 13¼) (also in margin)	

**TOGO**

I last updated the issues of Togo in Vol. 65(3) on pages 135–38. Togo, as a country, has begun issuing more stamps, in my opinion, that their own population probably never sees or uses very little. Here are some facts on this small west-African nation. Togo, or Togolaise Republic as its official name, has a population of 5.1 million, according to 2005 United Nations data. It occupies 56,785 sq. km.

It has a per capita gross income of \$350, per the World Bank in 2006. Thirty-two percent of the population live below the poverty line. The monetary unit is the CFA (*Communauté Financière d'Afrique*) commonly called a Franc. One Franc equals 100 centimes.

Between 5 June 2010 and 20 May 2016, 87 miniature sheets of four stamps each, and 70 souvenir sheets depicting birds have been issued. Scott Publishing has not assigned numbers to any of these stamps and these only represent issues having birds. Issues for other subjects are unknown to me as I only write on the subject of birds on stamps. Whether Togo issues stamps in booklets or coil rolls of stamps for their general population, is also unknown.

The last listing of stamps for Togo per the 2017 Scott Stamp Catalogue was 6 March 2010. I have discontinued purchasing issues from Togo and twelve other countries that I feel are only being issued to soak collectors out of their money.

The following issues represent stamps issued subsequent to the date of my last listings and a number of issues prior to 31 December 2015, that this author was unaware of when reporting prior issues for *Biophilately*.

<b>2013 June 3</b> (Halley VI Antarctic Station) (MS/4)				<b>B</b>
N/A	750fr	South Polar Skua, <i>Stercorarius maccormicki</i>	Stercorariidae	
N/A	750fr	Emperor Penguin, <i>Aptenodytes forsteri</i>	Spheniscidae	
<b>2013 July 22</b> (Parrots) (MS/3 & SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Senegal Parrot, <i>Poicephalus senegalus</i>	Psittacidae	
N/A	900fr	Rose-ringed Parakeet, <i>Psittacula krameri</i>	Psittaculidae	
N/A	900fr	Gray Parrot, <i>Psittacula erithacus</i>	Psittacidae	
		Each of the above stamps exists in a SS/1		
N/A	SS 2500fr	Brown-necked Parrot, <i>Poicephalus robustus</i>	Psittacidae	
	Margin	L: Rose-ringed Parakeet, <i>Psittacula krameri</i>	Psittaculidae	
<b>2013 August 30</b> (Water Birds) (MS/3 & SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	950fr	African Pygmy Goose, <i>Nettapus auritus</i>	Anatidae	
N/A	950fr	Little Grebe, <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Podicipedidae	
N/A	950fr	Spur-winged Goose, <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>	Anatidae	
N/A	SS 2500fr	Brown Booby, <i>Sula leucogaster</i>	Sulidae	
	Margin	LR: Cape Gannet, <i>Morus capensis</i>	Sulidae	
		LL: Comb Duck, <i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>	Anatidae	
<b>2013 August 30</b> (Secretary-bird) (MS/3 & SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	950fr	Secretary-bird, <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i> (facing right)	Sagittariidae	
N/A	950fr	Same species (two birds facing left)	Sagittariidae	
N/A	950fr	Same species (taking off)	Sagittariidae	
N/A	SS 2500fr	Secretary-bird, <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	Sagittariidae	
	Margin	Bot: Same species	Sagittariidae	

<b>TOGO (continued)</b>		<b>2013 August 30 (Raptors) (MS/3 &amp; SS/1)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	950fr	Palm-nut Vulture, <i>Gypohierax angolensis</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	950fr	Black-shouldered Kite, <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	950fr	Common Buzzard, <i>Buteo buteo</i>	Accipitridae	
N/A	SS 2500fr	European Honey-Buzzard, <i>Pernis apivorus</i>	Accipitridae	
	Margin	LL: African Fish-Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>	Accipitridae	
		LR: Black Kite, <i>Milvus migrans</i>	Accipitridae	
		<b>2013 December 5 (Rijksmuseum) (MS/4)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Mute Swan, <i>Cygnus olor</i> ("Le Cygne Menacant" ptg by Jan Asselijn)	Anatidae	
		<b>2013 December 5 (Predators) (MS/4)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	750fr	Red-tailed Hawk, <i>Buteo jamaicensis</i> (feeding on a bird)	Accipitridae	
		<b>2014 December 14 (Dogs) (MS/4)</b>		<b>C</b>
N/A	750fr	Mallard, <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> (in dog's mouth with hunter)	Anatidae	
		<b>2014 December 14 (Nehru) (MS/4)</b>		<b>B</b>
N/A	750fr	Indian Peafowl, <i>Pavo cristatus</i> (with Louis Mountbatten)	Phasianidae	
		<b>2015 October 26 (Owls) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Ashy-faced Owl, <i>Tyto glaucops</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	900fr	Collared Scops-Owl, <i>Otus lettia</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	900fr	Oriental Bay Owl, <i>Phodilus badius</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	900fr	Lesser Sooty-Owl, <i>Tyto multipunctata</i>	Tytonidae	
N/A	SS 3200fr	Australian Masked-Owl, <i>Tyto novaehollandiae</i>	Tytonidae	
	Margin	R: Barn Owl, <i>Tyto alba</i>	Tytonidae	
		<b>2015 October 26 (150th anniv. Lincoln Death) (MS/4)</b>		<b>C</b>
N/A	900fr	Bald Eagle, <i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Accipitridae	
		<b>2016 May 20 (Water Birds) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Belted Kingfisher, <i>Ceryle alcyon</i>	Alcedinidae	
N/A	900fr	Silver Gull, <i>Chroicocephalus novaehollandiae</i>	Laridae	
N/A	900fr	Tufted Puffin, <i>Fratercula cirrhata</i>	Alcidae	
N/A	900fr	American White Pelican, <i>Pelecanus erythrorhynchus</i>	Pelecanidae	
	Margin	UR: Northern Gannet, <i>Morus bassanus</i>	Sulidae	
		MR: Black-necked Stilt, <i>Himantopus mexicanus</i> ssp. <i>knudseni</i>	Recurvirostridae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Shore Plover, <i>Thinornis novaeseelandiae</i>	Charadriidae	Vol. 65(3)
	Margin	R: Greater Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>	Phoenicopteridae	
		<b>2016 May 20 (Pigeons &amp; Doves) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Orange Dove, <i>Ptilinopus victor</i>	Columbidae	
N/A	900fr	Rock Pigeon, <i>Columba livia</i>	Columbidae	
N/A	900fr	White Dove, <i>Streptopelia risoria</i> ???	Columbidae	
N/A	900fr	Nicobar Pigeon, <i>Caloenas nicobarica</i>	Columbidae	
	Margin	UR & MR: Rock Pigeon, <i>Columba livia</i>	Columbidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	European Turtle-Dove, <i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	Columbidae	
	Margin	Ctr: Jambu Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus jambu</i>	Columbidae	
		MR: Mariana Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus roseicapilla</i>	Columbidae	
		UR: Pink-headed Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus porphyreus</i>	Columbidae	
		UL: Eurasian Collared-Dove, <i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	Columbidae	
		<b>2016 May 20 (Owls) (MS/4 &amp; SS/1)</b>		<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	Great Gray Owl, <i>Strix nebulosa</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	900fr	Northern Hawk-Owl, <i>Surnia ulula</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	900fr	Little Owl, <i>Athene noctua</i>	Strigidae	

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N/A	900fr	Northern White-faced Owl, <i>Ptilopsis leucotis</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	MR: Ural Owl, <i>Strix uralensis</i>	Strigidae	
		LL: Little Owl, <i>Athene noctua</i>	Strigidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Long-eared Owl, <i>Asio otus</i>	Strigidae	
	Margin	MR & LR: Little Owl, <i>Athene noctua</i>	Strigidae	
		Top: Long-eared Owl, <i>Asio otus</i>	Strigidae	
<b>2016 May 20</b> (Bee-eaters) (MS/4 & SS/1)				<b>A</b>
N/A	900fr	L: European Bee-eater, <i>Merops apiaster</i>	Meropidae	
		R: Blue-cheeked Bee-eater, <i>Merops persicus</i>	Meropidae	
N/A	900fr	Southern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicoides</i>	Meropidae	
N/A	900fr	White-throated Bee-eater, <i>Merops albicollis</i>	Meropidae	
N/A	900fr	Blue-throated Bee-eater, <i>Merops viridis</i>	Meropidae	
	Margin	R: Southern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicoides</i>	Meropidae	
N/A	SS 3000fr	Top: Rainbow Bee-eater, <i>Merops ornatus</i>	Meropidae	
		Bot: Chestnut-headed Bee-eater, <i>Merops leschenaultia</i>	Meropidae	
	Margin	Top: Northern Carmine Bee-eater, <i>Merops nubicus</i>	Meropidae	
		Ctr: Purple-bearded Bee-eater, <i>Meropogon forsteni</i>	Meropidae	(new)
		MR: European Bee-eater, <i>Merops apiaster</i>	Meropidae	

**TRINIDAD & TOBAGO****2012** (Birds)**A**

888A	\$1	Channel-billed Toucan, <i>Ramphastos vitellinus</i> (Sc#515 surch)	Ramphastidae	
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**UNITED STATES****2016 August 2** (Pets) (Bklt/20) (s/a)**A**

5115	(47c)	Blue-and-yellow-Macaw, <i>Ara ararauna</i>	Psittacidae	
5124	(47c)	White-winged Parakeet, <i>Brotogeris versicolurus</i>	Psittacidae	
5125a		Bklt/20 (Sc#5106–25)		

**2016 August 4** (Songbirds in Snow) (Block/4 & Bklt/20) (s/a)**A**

5126	(47c)	Golden-crowned Kinglet, <i>Regulus satrapa</i>	Regulidae	
5127	(47c)	Cedar Waxwing, <i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>	Bombycillidae	
5128	(47c)	Northern Cardinal, <i>Cardinalis cardinalis</i>	Cardinalidae	
5129	(47c)	Red-breasted Nuthatch, <i>Sitta canadensis</i>	Sittidae	Vol. 65(3)
5129a		Block/4 (Sc#5126–29)		
5129b		Bklt/20 (5ea Sc#5126–29)		

**ZAMBIA****2014 May 2** (Birds)**A**

1178	2.50k	Blacksmith Plover, <i>Vanellus armatus</i> (Sc#928 surch)	Charadriidae	
1179	2.50k	Sacred Ibis, <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i> (Sc#929 surch)	Threskiornithidae	