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New Issue Listings

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CORRECTIONS/UPDATES

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UPDATE: Scott Publishing has assigned numbers to this set of owl stamps of Sc4630-4633, which has a confirmed issue date of Sept. 10, 2006. This same set of four owl stamps were issued on Nov. 16, 2006, overprinted in gold, for the Belgica 2006 World Youth Stamp Exhibition.

NEW ISSUES

DENMARK

2009, MAR. 25

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Nature/Mons Klint; four se-tenant stamps, of which only one is of a bird; A SS has the four stamps, and a booklet contains ten of the 5.50kr bird stamps; Designer, Martin Morck, Steen Drozd Lund, Tommy Kaae, and Nils Natrop; Offset by Post Denmark Stamps.

1431 5.50kr Peregrine Falcon, *Falco peregrinus*

INDONESIA

2008, NOV. 15

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Provincial flora and fauna , pane of eleven se-tenant 2,500rupee stamps and a label (each stamp shows a plant and an animal—nine of the stamps show a bird); Des. Pidi Baiq; Offset by Perum Peruri; Sc#2168a-k is the assigned number for this issue.

2168a	2,500rupee	Bali Myna, <i>Leucopsar rothschildi</i>	
2168d	2,500rp	Black-naped Oriole, <i>Oriolus chinensis</i>	
2168e	2,500rp	Helmeted Hornbill, <i>Rhinoplax vigil</i>	
2168f	2,500rp	Moluccan King Parrot, <i>Alisterus amboinensis</i>	
2168g	2,500rp	Rufous-tailed Shama, <i>Trichixos pyrropygus</i>	
2168h	2,500rp	Twelve-wired Bird-Of-Paradise, <i>Seleucidis melanoleucus</i>	
2168i	2,500rp	Blue-crowned Hanging Parrot, <i>Loriculus galgulus</i>	
2168j	2,500rp	Platen's (Snoring) Rail, <i>Aramidopsis plateni</i>	V58(1)
2168k	2,500rp	Great Argus, <i>Argusianus argus</i>	

2008, MAR. 7

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I had no prior "New Issue" advance information on this issue. The issue is a miniature sheet with two 5,000 rupee stamps for the 2008 Taipei Exhibition. One of the stamps is a bird; The number for this sheet is Sc2132a&b.

2132a 5,000rp Southern Cassowary, *Casuaris casuaris*

2008**A***

No information available for this SS issued for the Jakarta 2008 Intl Stamp Exhibition.

2165 5,000rp Brahminy Kite, *Haliastur Indus*

2005, JUNE 5**A***

No advance information on a two-stamp SS issued for Environment Care-Save Mangrove Forests; one stamp has a bird.

2073 1,500rp Milky Stork, *Mycteria cinerea*

JAPAN**2008, AUG. 8****A***

A miniature sheet of ten stamps (Sc#3052a-j), this for the “Treaty of Peace and Friendship Between Japan and People’s Republic of China”. Two stamps have birds. The values are all 80-yen and 3052 e, f, have the two birds.

3052 80yen Mandarin Duck, *Aix galericulata*

2008, JULY 1**A***

No advance information for this MS for Hokkaido Local Autonomy Law, 60th Anniversary; Sheet contains five 80-yen stamps (Sc#3040a-e); Top portion of MS contains one stamp of a crane with a photo of the crane in the surrounding area of the top portion.

3040a 80yen Red-crowned Crane, *Grus japonensis*

2008, JUNE 8**A***

No advance notification of this issue in the “New Issues” section of Linn’s Stamp News. Scott lists the issue as “Year of Exchange Between Japan and Brazil” and is a miniature sheet of ten stamps (Sc#3028a-j). Only one stamp has a bird.

3028j 80yen Toco Toucan, *Ramphastoo toco*

2008, APR. 18**A***

Pane of five se-tenant 80-yen stamps with five different designs from a traditional painting for Philately Week; Des. not reported; Photogravure, but no printer information reported; The sheet has two strips of the five stamps and Sc#3019-23 was assigned to this issue.

3019 80yen Japanese White-Eye, *Zosterops japonicus*

3021 80y Little Egret, *Egretta garzetta*

3023 80y Snowy Plover, *Charadrius alexandrinus*

JERSEY**2008, OCT. 21****A***

An issue of six stamps, entitled *Migrating Birds*, was designed by Nick Parlett; Offset by Cartor in sheets of ten and in miniature sheets of six with designs se-tenant.

1342	35pence	Northern Wheatear, <i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>
1343	39p	Whinchat, <i>Saxicola rubetra</i>
1344	43p	European Pied Flycatcher, <i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>
1345	52p	Western Yellow Wagtail, <i>Motacilla flava</i>
1346	58p	Ring Ouzel, <i>Turdus torquatus</i>
1347	76p	Common Redstart, <i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>
1347a		Sheet of six.

A SS was also issued with three of the issued values (52, 58 & 76 pence) without white frames (Sc#1348a-c).

KOREA (NORTH)**2008, FEB. 5****A***

Parrots; No designer nor printer listed in the "New Issues" advance listing in Linn's; Offset, booklet of four is Sc#4726a.

4723	15won	Budgerigar, <i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>
4724	85w	Rosy-faced Lovebird, <i>Agapornis roseicollis</i>
4725	155w	Yellow-collared Lovebird, <i>Agapornis personata</i>
4726	170w	Budgerigar, <i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>

NAURU**2008, OCT. 14****A***

World Wildlife Fund, with four different values of a frigate bird; each stamp has the WWF panda emblem; Des. Jonathan Pointer; Offset by Lowe-Martin; Sheet of four is Sc#592a.

589	\$.25	Greater Frigate Bird, <i>Fregata minor</i>
590	.75	Same
591	1.00	Same
592	2.00	Same

NEW CALEDONIA**2008, DEC. 15****A***

This issue, "Lagoons Of New Caledonia" inscribed on UNESCO'S World Heritage List, is a SS with six 75fr stamps (Sc#1062a-f), but only one stamp of the six has a bird; Designers, A. Marais and B. Berton; Gravure by Philaposte.

1062a	75fr	Masked Booby, <i>Sula dactylatra</i>
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NEW ZEALAND**2009, MAR. 4****A***

Giants of New Zealand; a SS contains the five stamps of these giant extinct fauna; Two of the five are birds; Des. Dave Gunson; Offset by Southern Colour Print. Scout assigned numbers #2239-2243 to the set of five, with 2243a for the miniature sheet

2239 \$.50 New Zealand Giant Moa, *Dinornis giganteus*
 2242 2.00 Giant Eagle, *Harpagornis moorei*

NIGER**2007, NOV. 19****A***

Animal Wildlife; Three stamps in the set (Sc#1107-1109), but only one with a bird; Des. not reported; Offset by Tunisia Post Printer.

1109 600fr Ostrich, *Struthio camelus*.

NORFOLK ISL.**2009, FEB. 16****A***

Flora and fauna done up in mosaics; only one stamp is a bird; Des. Mary Butterfield; Offset by Southern Color Print; Sc#964-967 for the set of four and a self-adhesive booklet of two (Sc#968-969), no birds in the booklet.

966 \$.55 Red-tailed Tropicbird, *Phaethon rubricauda*

PAPUA NEW GUINEA**2008, SEPT. 3****A***

Birds of Paradise (the designs are from the 1964-65 birds series); The following listings were Offset by Southern Colour Print.

1327 85toea Emperor Bird-of-Paradise, *Paradisaea guilielmi*
 1328 3k Lawes's Parotia, *Parotia lawesii*
 1329 3.35k Brown Sicklebill, *Epimachus meyeri*
 1330 5.35k Magnificent Bird-of-Paradise, *Diphyllodes magnificus*

Pane of four se-tenant stamps (designs are from stamps issued in 1979 and 1973).

1331a 85toea Princess Stephanie's Astrapia, *Astrapia stephaniae*
 1331b 3k Crested Satinbird, *Cnemophilus macgregorii*
 1331c 3.35k King Of Saxony Bird-of-Paradise, *Pteridophora alberti*
 1331d 5.35k Ribbon-tailed Astrapia, *Astrapia mayeri*

1332 10k SS King Bird-of-Paradise, *Cicinnurus regius* (design from 1970).

PARAGUAY**2008, JULY 10****A***

Mercosar/Birds; Des. Ricardo Migliorisi; Offset by State Printer.

2865 5,000g Red-crested Finch, *Coryphospingus cucullatus*
 2866 6,000g Great Kiskadee, *Pitangus sulphuratus*

PERU**2008, NOV. 19****A***

No advance “New Issue” listing in Linn’s Stamp News for this single Peru stamp issue.

1660 7.50s Long-whiskered Owlet, *Xenoglaux loweryi* V57(4)

PHILIPPINES**2008, OCT. 23****A***

No advance information on this sheet issued for the 22nd Asian Intl. Stamp Exhibition held in Jakarta, in the *New Issues* section of Linn’s Stamp News. The sheet consists of seventeen bird stamps and thirteen labels. Nine of the birds are first time issuance on a stamp, as noted by Chuck Braun in the “New Birds In The Philatelic Aviary in V57(4). The sheet was assigned Scott #3177a-q and sold for 150p on Oct. 23, 2008.

3177a 7p Brahminy Kite, *Haliastur Indus*
 3177b 7p Olive-backed Sunbird, *Cinnyris jugularis*
 3177c 7p Purple-throated Sunbird, *Leptocoma sperata*
 3177d 7p Metallic-winged Sunbird, *Aethopyga pulcherrima* V57(4)
 3177e 7p Grey-headed Fish Eagle, *Ichthyophaga ichthyaetus*
 3177f 7p Plain-throated Sunbird, *Anthreptes malacensis* V57(4)
 3177g 7p Lina’s Sunbird, *Aethopyga linaraborai* V57(4)
 3177h 7p Mount Apo Sunbird, *Aethopyga boltoni* V57(4)
 (Stamp has just Apo Sunbird)
 3177i 7p Copper-throated Sunbird, *Leptocoma calcostetha*
 3177j 7p Flaming Sunbird, *Aethopyga flagrani* V57(4)
 3177k 7p Grey-hooded Sunbird, *Aethopyga primigenia* V57(4)
 3177l 7p Lovely Sunbird, *Aethopyga shelleyi* V57(4)
 3177m 7p Philippine Serpent-Eagle, *Spilornis holospilus*
 3177n 7p Philippine Hawk-Eagle, *Spizaetus philippensis* V57(4)
 3177o 7p Blue-crowned Racket-tail, *Prioniturus discurus* V57(4)
 3177p 7p Philippine Eagle-Owl, *Bubo philippensis*
 3177q 7p Common Flameback, *Dinopium javanense*

2008, MAR. 7**A***

Bird issue of bird type of 2007 but without blue lines at the bottom. This miniature sheet of all 7p stamps was for the 2008 Taipei Intl. Stamp Exhibition and the sheet sold for 125p. All these birds were previously listed in V57(1).

3151a 7p Mindanao Bleeding-Heart, *Gallicolumba crinigera*
 3151b 7p Nicobar Pigeon, *Caloenas nicobarica*
 3151c 7p Black-chinned Fruit-Dove, *Ptilinopus leclancheri*
 3151d 7p Metallic Pigeon, *Columba vitiensis*
 3151e 7p Pink-necked Pigeon, *Treron vernans*
 3151f 7p Amethyst Dove, *Phapitreron amethystinus*
 3151g 7p Gray Imperial-Pigeon, *Ducula pickeringii*
 3151h 7p Red Collared-Dove, *Streptopelia tranquebarica*

PHILIPPINES (contd.)

3151i	7p	Pied Imperial-Pigeon, <i>Ducula bicolor</i>
3151j	7p	Spotted Imperial-Pigeon, <i>Ducula carola</i>
3151k	7p	Great Philippine Eagle, <i>Pithecophaga jefferyi</i>
3151l	7p	Philippine Cockatoo, <i>Cacatua haematuropyhgia</i>
3151m	7p	Java Sparrow, <i>Padda oryzivora</i>
3141n	7p	Black-capped Kingfisher, <i>Actenoides hombroni</i>

ST. LUCIA**2008, NOV. 14****C***

This issue, to mark the 60th Anniversary of the University of the West Indies, was issued by the Bahamas (No Scott # as of yet), and by Belize (Sc#1216), has a small pelican in the upper left-hand corner of the stamp on a crest or coat-of-arms.

1255 \$5.00 Brown Pelican, *Pelecanus occidentalis*

SALVADOR**2007, DEC. 17****A***

Migratory birds; four se-tenant stamps and a SS; Des. not reported; Offset, printer not reported.

1675a	\$.10	Cedar Waxwing, <i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>
1675b	.10	Northern Flicker, <i>Colaptes auratus</i>
1675c	.10	Northern Shoveler, <i>Anas clypeata</i>
1675d	.10	Peregrine Falcon, <i>Falco peregrinus</i>
1676	.50 SS	Painted Bunting, <i>Passerina ciris</i>

SAN MARINO**2008, NOV. 18****A***

No advance "New Issue" information available on this three-stamp set for the Intl Polar Year; Only one stamp has birds on this Sc#1768-1770 set.

1769 1,000euro Emperor Penguin, *Aptenodytes forsteri*

SENEGAL**2006****A***

No advance information in the "New Issues" section of Linn's Stamp News. I still have not been able to get my hands on this set. From photos downloaded from Birdtheme.org. The printers name of Cartor is printed on the stamps. Three different names are listed for four stamps in the margin at the bottom could be the designers; Litho method as listed in Scott Stamp Monthly June 2009 issue.

1615	30fr	Common Nightingale, <i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i> (stamp has <i>Phoenicurus</i> for species—Designer name? Abdou Azia Ba)
1616	75fr	Eastern Bluebird, <i>Sialia sialis</i> (Des. Papis Diouf)
1617	200fr	Eurasian Magpie, <i>Pica pica</i> (Des. Abdou Aziz Ba)
1618	400fr	Carrion Crow, <i>Corvus corone</i> (Des. Moda Ndiaye)

SIERRA LEONE**2006, DEC. 31****A***

A number of bird stamps from 1992 (Sc#1528-1546, 1546a&b) and 1995 (Sc#2152-2155) were reprinted with year "2006" on the bottom of the stamps. No additional Scott numbers were assigned to these stamps imprinted with the year "2006". I have listed the original Scott #'s for this update.

1541	200le	Superb Sunbird, <i>Cinnyris superbus</i>
1542	250le	Swallow-tailed Bee-eater, <i>Merops hirundineus</i>
1543	300le	Cabanis's Bunting, <i>Emberiza cabanisi</i>
1544	500le	Egyptian Plover, <i>Pluvianus aegyptius</i>
1545	750le	Northern White-faced Owl, <i>Ptilopsis leucotis</i>
1546	1000le	Blue Cuckooshrike, <i>Coracina azurea</i>
1546a	2000le	White-necked Rockfowl, <i>Picathartes gymnocephalus</i>
2153	5000le	Black-backed Puffbird, <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
2154	10000le	Northern Shrike, <i>Lanius excubitor</i>

SOUTH AFRICA**2008, JULY 1****A***

Air Post Stamps; Big Five of Birds, pane of 10 se-tenant nondenominated "inter-national airmail small letter" stamps with five designs; Des. Chris van Rooyen; Offset, printer not reported.

C85a	(4.90r)	Southern Ground-Hornbill, <i>Bucorvus leadbeateri</i>
C85b	(4.90r)	Kori Bustard, <i>Ardeotis kori</i>
C85c	(4.90r)	Ostrich, <i>Struthio camelus</i>
C85d	(4.90r)	Blue Crane, <i>Anthropoides paradiseus</i>
C85e	(4.90r)	Lammergeier, <i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>

TUVALU**2008, JULY 25****A***

Pane of six se-tenant \$1 stamps, "Birds of Tuvalu"; Des. and printing method and printer not reported on advance "New Issues" listing.

1070a	\$1.00	Magnificent Frigatebird, <i>Fregata magnificens</i>
1070b	1.00	Townsend's Warbler, <i>Dendroica townsendi</i>
1070c	1.00	Sooty Tern, <i>Onychoprion fuscatus</i> stamp has subspecies listed of <i>nubilosus</i>)
1070d	1.00	Brown Noddy, <i>Anous stolidus</i> (stamp has Common Noddy)
1070e	1.00	Masked Booby, <i>Sula dactylatra</i>
1070f	1.00	Red-tailed Tropicbird, <i>Phaethon rubricauda</i>

URUGUAY**2008, JUNE 20****A***

Mercosar issue; Des. Carlos Menck Freire; Offset by Sanfer SRL.

2231	12peso	Hepatic Tanager, <i>Piranga flave</i>
2232	37p	Plush-crested Jay, <i>Cyanocorax chrysops</i>
