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Dear Collectors

In this edition of the *Stamp Bulletin* we are finally able to bring you the complete range of products released to celebrate the Royal Wedding of HRH Prince William and Miss Catherine Middleton. The range includes products that will be highly sought after by collectors – a stamp and medallion cover (released on the day of the wedding), a stamp and coin cover complete with Australian coin minted by the Royal Australian Mint (RAM) and another very limited stamp and coin cover featuring the only British commemorative coin produced for the Royal Wedding. The featured coin is a specially minted British five-pound coin from the British Royal Mint in South Wales. The two PNCs will be released in Australia within days of the wedding along with an instant sheetlet of 10 x 60c stamps.

This edition also brings you a stamp issue released at the beginning of April. Lake Eyre is an issue of four photographic stamp designs highlighting the dramatic change to the Lake Eyre basin since the return of flood waters to the area. The issue includes the first of the new international denominations. The transformation is especially amazing when you look at the amount of new growth and the bird life that now abounds there.

In May we bring you a special "Rub and Smell" sheetlet pack (as featured on page three). Farming Australia: native plants promotes the importance of four of Australia's commercially cultivated industries. There is a sheetlet of 10 x 60c stamps finished with a layer of varnish, which has been impregnated with the familiar

aroma of eucalyptus oil. This is also a feature of the front cover of the pack.

Two territory stamp issues to be released in June could not be more different in subject – AAT Icebergs and Christmas Island Crabs. Icebergs is presented in a block of four configuration and draws attention to the light and colour of the AAT seascape and its frozen features. We also get up close and personal with some of the shy crustaceans of Christmas Island through the photography used in the stamps of Christmas Island Crabs.

A significant Australian stamp issue this year, and one that will please the many military-based theme collectors, is of a se-tenant pair for the Royal Australian Navy 1911 – 2011. To be released in June, the issue includes a handsome stamp and coin cover complete with a Perth Mint coin.

In addition to bringing you the latest Australia Post releases, I would like to take this opportunity to thank collectors for their purchase of Australia's first charity sheetlet of stamps, which was released to assist in raising valuable funds for victims of recent natural disasters. The stamp images used in the sheetlet continue to act as a timely reminder of just how unpredictable Mother Nature can be. If you have not already purchased a sheetlet I encourage the fraternity of stamp collectors, both here and overseas, to support this very worthy cause.

Regards

Michael Zsolt  
Manager, Philatelic

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## Farming Australia: Native Plants



### The fresh, clean fragrance of eucalyptus ...

A very special “Rub and Smell” sheetlet of 10 x 60c gummed stamps highlights the importance of native plants and their place in Australian horticulture and native plant production.

The unmistakable fragrance of Australian eucalyptus oil escapes when the stamps are gently rubbed. The sheetlet pack is part of the range of products available with the Farming Australia: Native Plants stamp issue featured on page 12 of this *Bulletin*.

Farming Australia “rub and smell” sheetlet pack

\$6.45

1682128

60c

The dry

\$3.10

In flood

\$1.55

New growth

\$2.25

Bird life



FIRST DAY OF ISSUE  
4 APRIL 2011  
MARREE SA 5733



1679402 Sheetlet s/a  
(five x \$2.25)



1679401 Sheetlet s/a  
(five x \$1.55)

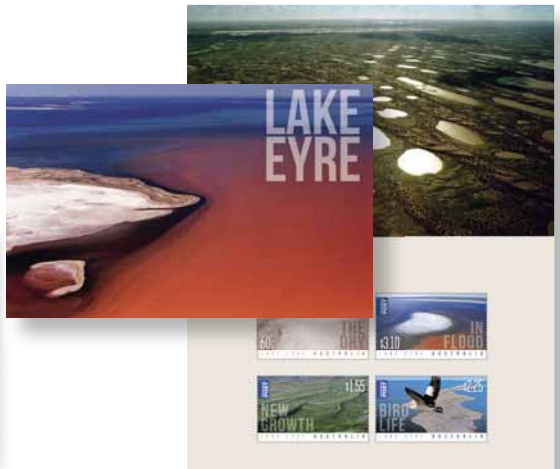
Lake Eyre is located 700 kilometres north of Adelaide in the deserts of central Australia. A salt lake of tectonic origin, it lies asymmetrically in the south-western corner of the closed inland drainage basin. With an area of 1,140,000 square kilometres, Lake Eyre Basin is one of the largest internal drainage areas in the world, and on the rare occasions that it fills it is the largest lake in Australia. The lowest parts of the lake lie 15.2 metres below sea level; the lowest point in Australia.

During the rainy season the rivers from outback Queensland flow towards the lake through the Channel Country. The amount of water from the monsoon determines whether water will reach the lake and how deep it is likely to be.

Recent heavy rains have caused water to flow into Lake Eyre from the east and north for the first time in 20 years. This seldom occurs and has triggered an explosion of life in the region, attracting water birds such as Australian Pelicans, Silver Gulls,



1679002 First day cover



1679126 Stamp pack



### ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS

This issue includes two self-adhesive sheetlets of five international stamps for the convenience of posting to friends and family overseas; a handy size for your wallet.

Red-necked Avocets, Banded Stilts and Gull-billed Terns. Prior to recent times the lake has filled to capacity on only three occasions in the last 150 years.

#### The dry (60c)

Lake Eyre is located in the central Australian desert and is characterised by great salt pans.

#### In flood (\$3.10)

In strong La Niña years the lake can fill. The rainfall of 2010 sent flood waters into the catchment basin.

#### New growth (\$1.55)

Desert areas previously ravaged by dust storms are now lush and green.

#### Bird life (\$2.25)

The higher rainfall has prompted a variety of birds to migrate back to the area.



### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date 4 April 2011

FDI withdrawal date 2 May 2011

Denomination 1 x 60c, 1 x \$1.55,  
1 x \$2.25, 1 x \$3.10

Stamp design Dong Ung  
Australia Post Design Studio

Product design Rachelle Flynn  
Australia Post Design Studio

Printer McKellar Renown

Paper (s/a) Tullis Russell (B100 s/a)

Printing process Lithography

Stamp size 50mm x 30mm

Perforations 14.4 x 14

Sheet layout Modules of 50 (2 x 25)

National postmark Marree, SA 5733

1679220 Maxicard set of 4

\$2.25 Royal Wedding (int) 60c Royal Wedding



1687142 Minisheet

Royal weddings are usually very grand affairs orchestrated amid great pomp and ceremony, and, since Princess Margaret's wedding to the Earl of Snowden in 1960, watched on television by millions of viewers worldwide. The expected viewing audience for the royal wedding of HRH Prince William to Miss Catherine Middleton is expected to exceed recorded viewing numbers for earlier royal weddings.

Westminster Abbey, featured on the minisheet of this official stamp issue, has been the traditional venue for royal weddings since Prince William's great-grandfather, the then Duke of York, married Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, the late Queen Mother, there in 1923. The next royal wedding to be held in the Abbey was that of his grandmother, the then Princess Elizabeth, now Queen Elizabeth II, to Prince Philip in 1947.



1687002 First day cover



1687013 First day cover (with minisheet)

### ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS

The limited edition stamp and medallion cover from this stamp issue will be released on the day of the wedding and postmarked 29 April 2011. This will be a popular item for collectors.

1687126 Stamp pack





1687252 Stamp and medallion cover

Released 29 April 2011



Limited to 10,000

In May 1960, the Queen's younger sister, Princess Margaret, followed suit when she married photographer Antony Armstrong-Jones. Their wedding was the first royal wedding to be broadcast on television and gave the viewing audience a memorable glimpse at attending guests from around the world. The title Earl of Snowdon was created for the groom upon his marriage.

The Queen's only daughter, Princess Anne, married Captain Mark Phillips in a televised ceremony at Westminster Abbey in 1973. Unlike his mother, aunt and sister, Prince Charles married Lady Diana Spencer in the larger St Paul's Cathedral in 1981, watched by a worldwide television audience of more than 750 million people.

The last royal marriage to take place in Westminster Abbey was that of Prince William's uncle, Prince Andrew, who became the Duke of York upon his marriage in 1986. Prince William was a page boy on the occasion.



1687182 Booklet of 10 s/a

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date	12 April 2011
FDI withdrawal date	10 May 2011
Denomination	1 x 60c, 1 x \$2.25
Stamp and product design	Jo Muré
Printer	Australia Post Design Studio
Printer	RA Printing
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell (B100 s/a)
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp/minisheet size	26mm x 37.5mm / 106mm x 70mm
Perforations	13.86 x 14.6
Sheet layout	Modules of 50 (2 x 25)
National postmark	Williamstown, Vic 3016



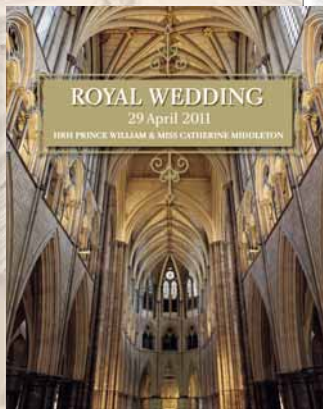
1687220 Maxicard set of 2



6673500 Special stamp and coin cover with British £5 coin.

The special stamp and coin cover featuring a British £5 coin from The Royal Mint and limited to just 2,500 will be released 4 May 2011. This item is only available from the Philatelic Bureau from that date and is limited to three per customer. This product is not part of standing orders.

Keep an eye out for another stamp and coin cover to be released on 20 May 2011 featuring a coin from the Royal Australian Mint!



6673130 Instant sheetlet pack



Sheetlet available separately

This range of products captures the actual wedding day of the happy couple and complements the official stamp issue released earlier. An instant sheetlet of 10 x 60c gummed stamps uses an image of this important historic event and will be available within days of the ceremony.

There are two postal and numismatic covers – the first featuring a coin from the Royal Australian Mint and the second with a British £5 coin from The Royal Mint.

**A blank first day cover is available to enable collectors to produce their own first day covers.**

#### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date	4 May 2011
Denomination	1 x 60c
Stamp and product design	Jo Muré Australia Post Design Studio
Printer	McKellar Renown
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell (B100 s/a)
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp/sheetlet size	35mm x 35mm / 148mm x 210mm
Perforations	14.28 x 14.28
Sheet layout	Sheetlet of 10
National postmark	Williamstown, Vic 3016

6673182 Booklet of 10 S/A



6673005 Blank cover





1686250 Souvenir Stamp Sheet

In 2011, the Royal Military College (RMC) at Duntroon celebrates 100 years of preparing officers for service in Australia's permanent military forces. Following Lord Kitchener's 1910 report to the Minister for Defence on the operation of military colleges in the United States, Britain and Canada, Colonel William Throsby Bridges set about establishing the RMC on a former sheep station near Canberra named "Duntroon".

On 27 June, the Governor-General, Lord Dudley, officially opened the RMC, and the first intake of candidates began their training under Brigadier-General William Throsby Bridges, as he was by then known.



1686360 Postal and numismatic cover (PNC)

60c Dame Nellie Melba



This stamp issue commemorates the 150th anniversary of the birth of Australia's first international "superstar", soprano Dame Nellie Melba (1861-1931).

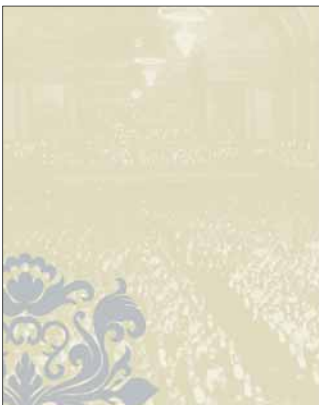
Melba was born Helen Porter Mitchell at Richmond, Melbourne and made her debut at the Melbourne Town Hall in 1884. After an audition in Paris, Mitchell adopted the name Melba (after her home city), and made her debut on the European opera stage in Brussels in 1887. After a triumphant season at Covent Garden in London in 1887, Melba was feted all over Europe. She became best known for her interpretation of Mimi in Puccini's *La Bohème*, which she premiered at the Royal Opera House in London in 1899.

From 1904 Melba began recording and issued more than 100 records, in the process helping to establish the



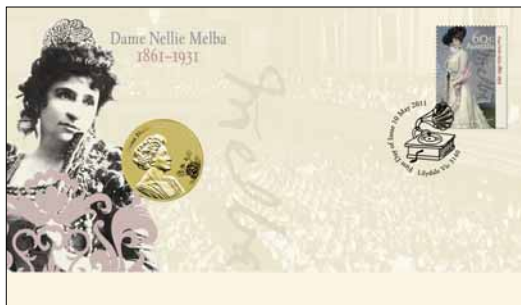
1698220 Maxicard

1698130 Stamp pack



ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS

The stamp is based on a portrait, entitled *Madame Melba*, by Australian artist Rupert Bunny. The oil on canvas was begun in Paris in 1901 and completed in London the following year, after which it was shown at the Royal Academy. The stamp also bears Melba's signature – which graces many publicity picture postcards printed during her career.



1698360 Postal and numismatic cover (PNC) featuring a Perth Mint coin.

gramophone. In 1920 she also became the first artist of international standing to participate in direct radio broadcasts.

Her glittering career continued until the 1920s. In 1927 Melba was appointed Dame Grand Cross of the Order of the British Empire (GBE). Suffering ill health, she returned to Australia in early 1931 and died in Sydney a few weeks later.

In 1909, Melba bought a property at Coldstream, a small town 50 kilometres east of Melbourne. She is buried at the Lilydale cemetery in Victoria, near her beloved Coombe Cottage at Coldstream in the Yarra Valley. Coombe Cottage is now the residence of Melba's granddaughter, Pamela, Lady Vestey.



1698182 Booklet of 20 s/a

1698002 First day cover



TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date	10 May 2011
FDI withdrawal date	7 June 2011
Denomination	1 x 60c
Stamp design	Passmore Design
Product design	Jo Muré
Printer	McKellar Renown
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell (B100 s/a)
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp size	26mm x 37.5mm
Perforations	14.6 x 13.86
Sheet layout	Sheetlet of 10
National postmark	Lilydale, Vic 3140

60c Eucalyptus Oil 60c Australian Honey 60c Macadamia Nuts 60c Tea Tree Oil



# FARMING native plants

First day of issue 17 May 2011  
NEW FARM QLD 4005

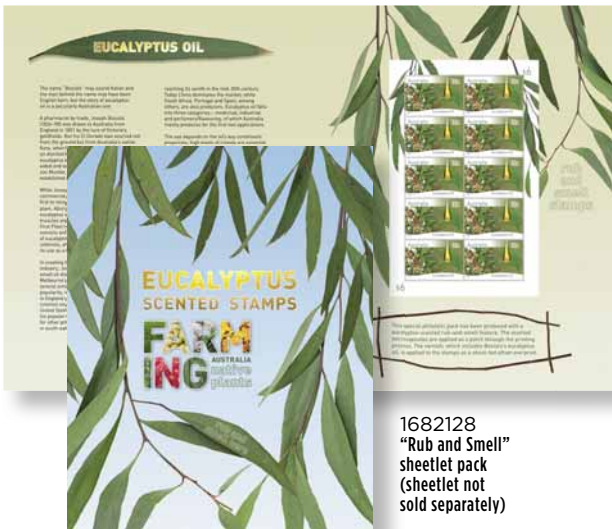
## ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS

This stamp issue includes a special sheetlet pack of 10 stamps infused with the clean, fresh smell of Australian eucalyptus oil. Gently rubbing the stamps will release the oil's fragrance.

This issue represents four of Australia's largest native horticultural industries: eucalyptus oil, honey, macadamia nuts and tea tree oil. All four commercially cultivated industries have an export market.

The eucalyptus oil industry, which began in 1852 in Victoria, has been called the first truly Australian industry. Today Australia accounts for only 10 per cent of the total world production, but it is regaining some of the market share for medicinal oil lost to China. Australian oil derives from the Blue Mallee, grown mainly in central Victoria with some production in NSW. Eucalyptus oil has a wide range of industrial and medicinal uses.

The honey industry is worth about \$50 million annually of which around 50 per cent is exported. Bees are declining worldwide and consequently Australian honey is highly sought after. While the honey bee *Apis mellifera* is not native to Australia (introduced in 1822) 80 per cent of honey is



1682128  
"Rub and Smell"  
sheetlet pack  
(sheetlet not  
sold separately)



1682002 First day cover



1682209  
Roll of 100

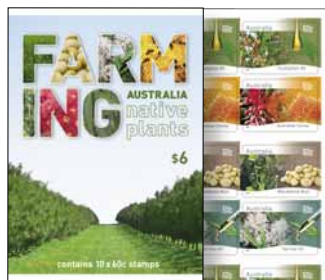


1682241 Gutter strip with design

derived from native flora such as eucalyptus flowers. Honey is produced in every state and territory, with 45 per cent coming from NSW.

Australia is the world's largest producer of macadamia nuts, with the industry currently worth around \$110.7 million. NSW accounts for more than 60 percent of production and Queensland for around 40 per cent. There is also a tiny industry in Tasmania. Around 75 per cent of Australian macadamia nuts are exported.

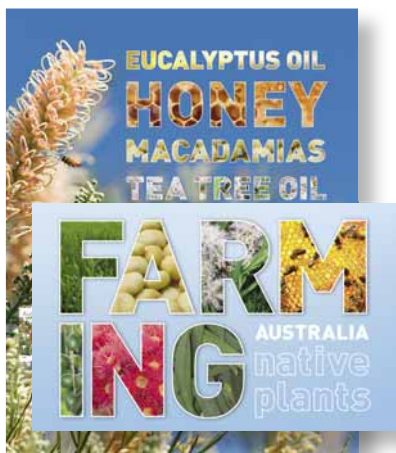
A potent natural compound with antibacterial, anti-fungal, anti-inflammatory and antiviral properties, Tea tree oil is our second most successful native horticultural industry (after macadamias), earning around \$30 million annually. The tea tree *Melaleuca alternifolia* is native to the northern rivers region of NSW. Main Camp in northern NSW is the world's largest tea tree plantation.



1682182 Booklet of 10 s/a



1682220 Maxicard set of 4



1682127 Stamp pack

TECHNICAL DETAILS	
Issue date	17 May 2011
FDI withdrawal date	14 June 2011
Denomination	4 x 60c se-tenant
Stamp design	Wayne Rankin
Product design	Sharon Rodziewicz Australia Post Design Studio
Printer	McKellar Renown
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell (B100 and B90 s/a)
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp/Sheetlet size	37.5mm x 26mm / 95mm x 150mm
Perforations	13.86 x 14.6
Sheet layout	Modules of 50 (2 x 25) with design
National postmark	New Farm, Qld 4005

60c

Striated jade iceberg

60c

Enoded iceberg

60c

Jade iceberg

60c

Blue iceberg



**ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS**

The background image of the minisheet shows the changing colours and hues of opalescent blue projected against the white landscape of Antarctica. The stamps are presented in a block of four.

Including all its islands and ice shelves, Antarctica is nearly twice the size of Australia, covering 13,661,000 square kilometres. The Australian Antarctic Territory is 5,896,500 square kilometres, or 42 per cent of the region.

Antarctica is the driest, windiest and coldest continent on earth with the lowest earth temperature ever recorded (89.2°C) at Vostok, in the AAT, in 1983. Antarctica and its surrounding ocean are dominated and shaped by the presence of snow and ice.

Literally meaning ice mountain, an iceberg is a large piece of ice formed from freshwater that has broken off from a snow-formed glacier or ice-shelf and is floating in open water. The size of icebergs varies and can range from between one and 75 metres above sea level. The largest recorded icebergs have been carved, or broken off, from the Ross Ice Shelf in Antarctica.



For the full stamp product  
[auspost.com.au/stamps](http://auspost.com.au/stamps)



1685182 Booklet of 10 s/a



1685126 Stamp pack



1685142 Minisheet

Iceberg B-15, when photographed in 2000, measured 295 km long by 37 km wide, with a surface area of 11,000 kilometres. Icebergs are generally described by shape and include tabular, dome, pinnacle, wedge and dry-dock-an eroded iceberg resulting in a "hole".

Only one-tenth of the volume of an iceberg is usually above water, and its underwater portion can be difficult to judge by looking at the portion above the surface. Icebergs are monitored worldwide by the US National Ice Centre (NIC), established in 1995. The organisation names and tracks all Antarctic icebergs.

The stamps in this issue capture the beauty of icebergs, revealing their different shapes, colours, effects and textures.



1685220 Maxicard set of 4



1685013 First day cover (with minisheet)



1685002 First day cover

#### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date	7 June 2011
FDI withdrawal date	5 July 2011
Denomination	4 x 60c block of four
Stamp and product design	Lynette Traynor Australia Post Design Studio
Printer	RA Printing
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell (B100 s/a)
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp size	37.5mm x 26mm
Minisheet size	135mm x 72mm
Perforations	13.86 x 14.6
Sheet layout	Modules of 50 (2 x 25)
National postmark	Kingston, Tas 7050

60c HMAS Australia

60c HMAS Sydney (IV)



**ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS**

The postal and numismatic cover features a \$1 coin released by Perth Mint to celebrate this milestone in Australian naval history.



From settlement in 1788 to 1859, Australia depended on units detached from the Royal Navy based in Sydney to provide naval defence. In 1859, Australia was established as a separate British Naval Station and, until 1913, a squadron of the Royal Navy was maintained in Australian waters. This Australian unit was to be paid for and controlled by the Australian Commonwealth and was to be eventually manned by Australian personnel.

In 1909 discussions held between the British Admiralty and Australian government resulted in the establishment of an Australian Fleet Unit consisting of at least a battle cruiser, three second-class cruisers, six destroyers, three submarines and a number of auxiliaries. The first units of this Navy, the destroyers HMA *Yarra* and *Parramatta*, reached Australian waters in November 1910 and in the following year on 10 July 1911, His Majesty King George V granted the title of



1684201 Sheetlet of 10



1684130 Stamp pack



1684182 Booklet of 20 s/a





1684360 Postal and numismatic cover (PNC)

“Royal Australian Navy” to the Commonwealth Naval Forces. On the 4 October 1913, the Australian Fleet entered Sydney Harbour for the first time and in October of the same year formal control of these units passed to the Commonwealth Naval Board, thus ending direct Imperial control.

At the outbreak of hostilities in 1914, the Australian fleet comprised a battle cruiser, six light cruisers, six destroyers, two submarines and numerous support and ancillary craft.

The stamps show an historic ship and a contemporary vessel together with personnel: the HMAS *Australia*, the first flagship of the new Australian fleet, which served 1913–1922; and the HMAS *Sydney*, one of the six guided missile frigates currently in service with the Royal Australian Navy.



1684220 Maxicard set of 2



1684002 First day cover

#### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date	14 June 2011
FDI withdrawal date	12 July 2011
Denomination	2 x 60c se-tenant
Stamp and product design	John White Australia Post Design Studio
Printer	McKellar Renown
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp/Sheetlet size	37.5mm x 26mm / 81mm x 59mm
Perforations	13.86 x 14.6
Sheet layout	Sheetlet of 10
National postmark	HMAS Cerberus, Vic 3920



1683002 First day cover

The land crabs of Christmas Island are remarkable for their abundance and the role they play in the ecology of the island's rainforest. Through their scavenging activities they recycle nutrients locked in fallen leaves. Their burrowing tills the soil and their browsing on tree fruits and shoots is probably an important factor in determining forest composition. Twenty-three land or freshwater crabs have been identified on the island.

#### Red crab *Gecarcoidea natalis* (60c)

The sight of the red crabs on their annual breeding migration is one of the outstanding natural spectacles of the world.

#### Robber crab *Birgus latro* (60c)

The robber crab lives mainly on fallen leaves and fruits of the rainforest, and is one of the largest and most common crabs on Christmas Island.

#### Jackson's crab *Karstarma jacksoni* (\$1.20)

Along with the red and blue crabs, Jackson's crab is thought to be endemic to Christmas Island and is found in cool, moist environments.

#### Blue crab *Discoplax hirtipes* (\$1.20)

The blue crab lives mainly on the fallen leaves and fruits of the rainforest and is one of the largest and most common crabs found on Christmas Island.

#### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Issue date	7 June 2011
FDI withdrawal date	5 July 2011
Denomination	2 x 60c, 2 X \$1.20 se-tenant
Stamp and product design	Jo Muré Australia Post Design Studio
Printer	McKellar Renown
Paper (s/a)	Tullis Russell
Printing process	Lithography
Stamp size	26mm x 37.5mm
Perforations	14.6 x 13.86
Sheet layout	Modules of 50 (2 x 25)
National postmark	Christmas Island, WA 6798

#### ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS

Se-tenant pairs of each denomination are presented vertically on the first day cover of this stamp issue.

# Your donation of just \$2 can make a difference.

Sales of Australia Post's first charity stamp sheetlet are assisting those affected by the floods which hit Queensland in January this year.

The sheetlet also reminds us of the natural elements we live with each day, and how easily they can turn our lives around.

We can make a difference to those putting their lives back together in the wake of this natural disaster Australia Post would like to urge all its collectors to support this important relief appeal.

A donation of \$2 is included with the sale price of each sheetlet of 10 x 60c stamps and a receipt for taxation purposes is incorporated in the product design.

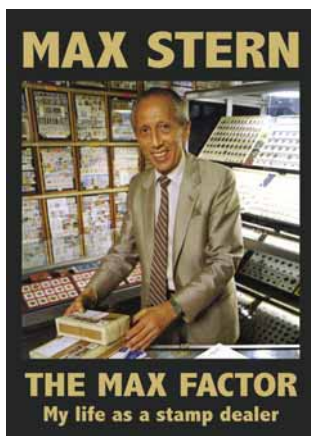
There was no official first day cover released with this stamp release. Collectors can use a suitable envelope to create their own by obtaining the first day of issue postmark from Brisbane GPO or the Philatelic Bureau.

**Premier's Flood Relief Appeal sheetlet \$8.00**

1614675



## The Max Factor - Max Stern's Story



Melbourne stamp dealer, Max Stern AM, has written a very interesting account of his experiences in the stamp trade.

Starting out at 17 in pre-war Bratislava (Slovakia), 90-year-old Max has been dealing in stamps for an astonishing 73 years. Following his arrival in Australia in 1948, Max and his late wife Eva, have operated a stamp shop in Melbourne's Port Phillip Arcade, off Flinders Street.

*The Max Factor* is a sequel to *My Stamp on Life* published in 2003. You can obtain a copy of this fascinating book from the Philatelic Bureau.

**The Max Factor book \$40.00**

1514677



Australian Government  
Royal Australian Mint



**\$14.95** 2011 \$1 Frosted Uncirculated Pad Printed Crimson Rosella Coin

1647372



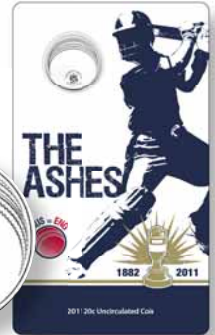
**\$14.95** 2011 \$1 Frosted Uncirculated Pad Printed Kookaburra Coin

1647373



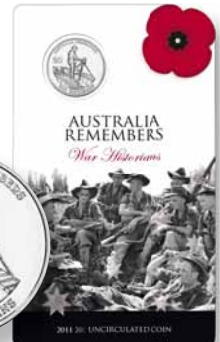
**\$15.00** 2011 AL/BR Uncirculated 4 Coin Set \$1C Mintmat, B Privy, S Privy, M Privy Rams Head

1647370



**\$6.95** 2011 20c Uncirculated Ashes Coin

1647367



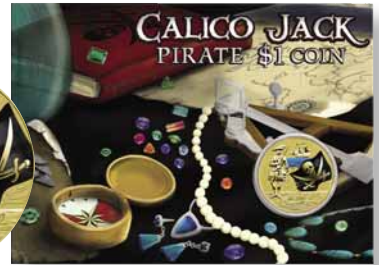
**\$6.95** 2011 20c Uncirculated Australia Remembers - War Historians Coin

1647371



**\$12.95** 2011 ANZAC RAAF \$1 Coin

1613894



**\$14.95** Young Collectors - 2011 Calico Jack Pirate \$1 coin

1613896



**\$105.00** 2011 Famous Naval Battles 1oz Silver Pr Midway Coin

1613895



**\$105.00** 2011 Great Composer Series Liszt 1oz Silver Pr

1613897

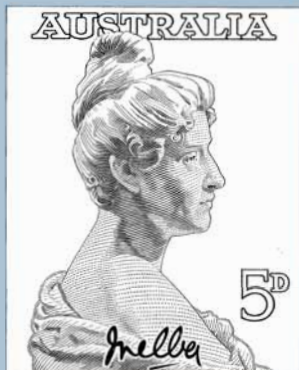


**\$14.95** 2011 Australian Koala 1/10oz Silver Bullion Coin

1613890



**RIGHT:** Key line drawing by engraver Bruce Stewart



### 1961 5d Dame Nellie Melba stamp

A five pence (5d) commemorative stamp was issued in 1961 for the birth centenary of Dame Nellie Melba (1861–1931), the stamp being the first to honour an Australian woman.

In October 1960, the Stamp Advisory Committee endorsed several public suggestions that a stamp could be issued for Melba's centenary. Shortly afterwards, it was decided to incorporate the Melba theme in a series of definitive stamps featuring the theme "Australian Culture".

The Australian Culture series was envisaged as four stamps with the first representing music (Dame Nellie Melba), the second representing art (Tom Roberts) and the third and fourth featuring the Sydney Opera House and the new National Gallery of Victoria; both buildings being still under construction at the time. The four stamps were planned for issue in 1961 when, apart from the Melba centenary, it

was also the centenary of the National Gallery of Victoria.

Of necessity, the stamp depiction of the Sydney Opera House and the new National Gallery of Victoria would have to be an artist's impression of the finished buildings. Later, it was realised that any major alteration to either building would make the stamp(s) look anomalous. The Australian Culture series was abandoned. Nevertheless, the Melba stamp proceeded as a separate commemorative issue.

Initially, the Stamp Advisory Committee had favoured a photograph of Melba, perhaps in an operatic role, as the basis of the stamp design. Among the various source photographs obtained were some of a marble bust of Melba, created by Sir Bertram Mackennal (1863–1931), and held in the collection of the National Gallery of Victoria.

The specifications for the Melba stamp design required

a "medium" stamp size (23.5 x 28.5 mm); the bust to be depicted as a white figure against a dark background; the wording "CENTENARY 1961" or "1861–1961" to be incorporated; and Melba's signature to appear. (Dame Nellie Melba usually signed her name as simply "Melba"). Various preliminary versions of the stamp design were prepared by Bruce Stewart, an artist-engraver of the Note Printing Branch, Melbourne.

The Stamp Advisory Committee eventually recommended a simple version of the design in which Melba's signature, "AUSTRALIA" and "5d" were the only inscriptions. The Postmaster-General, C.W. Davidson, approved the design in May 1961. Bruce Stewart engraved the steel die of the Melba stamp, a process which usually took an engraver about two weeks to complete.

The next step involved preparing proofs of the steel die printed in different colours for the purpose of selecting the colour of the issued stamp. The die proofs were submitted in various shades of purple and blue, from which a shade of deep blue was chosen.

The 5d Melba stamp was issued on 20 September 1961 and remained on sale at post offices for about three weeks, with a longer period of sale at philatelic sales points. The 5d denomination was the basic rate of postage for a one ounce (28g) letter within Australia and to any member country of the Commonwealth.

## 100 years of the Northern Territory, 50,000 years of stories.

The Northern Territory was made independent of South Australia on 1 January 1911. It would remain under Commonwealth control for another 67 years until self-government, similar to that of already established states, was granted in 1978.

The theme for planned celebrations marking the centenary of the territory is "100 years of the Northern Territory, 50,000 years of stories."



### TECHNICAL DETAILS

Denomination 1 x 60c

Product design Jennifer Scalzo  
Australia Post Design Studio

Printer/Printing process GEON Tasmania / Lithography

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### Junction Park Stamp Festival (Qld) 2 May 2011

This event will be held at the Mcgregor State School Music Hall from 9am to 4pm.

### Mildura Annual Stamp and Coin Fair (Vic) 7 to 8 May 2011

This event will be held at the Sacred Heart hall, Mildura from 10am to 4pm on both days. Dealers will attend and there will also be an overprinted minisheet and souvenir envelope available. Please contact Lynne Douglass on 0350235891 for details.

### Orange Coin and Stamp Club Inc (NSW) Stamp Fair

**7 May and 4 June 2011**

The next stamp fairs will be held in Quinns's Arcade, Summer Street, from 9am to 4pm. There will be sales, valuations and advice. For information contact Norm Binns on 02 63623754 or email normanbinns@bigpond.com.au.

The club also holds regular meetings on the last Tuesday of the month at the Orange Community Information Centre, 79-81 Kite Street, Orange at 7.30pm.

### Narellan Coin and Stamp Fair (NSW) 8 May and 12 June 2011

This event will be held at the Narellan Community Centre Hall in Queen Street. Entry is free and dealers will attend. Buses also depart from Campbelltown and Picton railway stations into Narellan. For information contact 0409 304592.

### Wagga Stamp and Coin Fair (NSW) 14 and 15 May 2011

This event will be hosted by The Wagga Stamp Club Inc. at the Sturt Public School Hall, White Avenue, from 9am to 4pm each day. Admission is free. For details contact the secretary on 02 69223393.

### Punchbowl Stamp and Coin Fair (NSW)

**28 May and 25 June 2011**

This event will be held at the Punchbowl Masonic Hall, 29 Arthur Street and entry is free. Stamp and coin accessories will be available at the event.

### SCDAA Stamp and Coin Fair (NSW) 29 May 2011

This event will be held at the Petersham Town Hall, 107 Crystal Street, Petersham. Hours will be 9.30am to 4pm and admission is \$2 for adults.

### Warragul Stamp and Coin Fair (Vic) 4 June 2011

This event will be held from 9am to 4pm at the West Gippsland Arts Centre, Civic Place, Warragul. Admission is free. There is also ample parking available. Enquiries should be directed to 03 56221514.

### Stamps, Coins and Phonocards Fair (Vic)

**13 June 2011**

This event will be held at the Dromana Uniting Church Hall on Monday 13 June (Queens' Birthday weekend) from 9am to 4pm and admission is free.

### Geelong Stamp Exhibition (Vic) 5 to 7 August 2011

This event will be held at the Geelong West Town Hall.

## Stamp Reprints



single reprint



fifth reprint



International stamps  
Island Jewels (10c)  
6669067



Tropical Fish (5c)  
6672067



Tropical Fish (roll 4 x 60c)  
Pemara - strip  
6669191



Wildflowers (\$2)  
6670067



Wildflowers (\$5)  
6671067



International beaches  
(\$1.50)  
6677067  
Sheetlet of five S/A  
(\$7.50)  
6677250



## First Day of Issue Postmarks

### Lake Eyre

4 April 2011  
Marree, SA 5733

### Royal Wedding

12 April 2011  
Williamstown, Vic 3016  
(instant sheetlet)

4 May 2011  
Williamstown, Vic 3016

### Dame Nellie Melba 1861-1931

10 May 2011  
Lilydale, Vic 3140

### Farming Australia: native plants

17 May 2010  
New Farm, Qld 4005

### AAT Icebergs

7 June 2011  
Kingston, Tas 7050

### Christmas Island Crabs

7 June 2011  
Christmas Island, WA 6798

### Royal Australian Navy 1911-2011

14 June 2011  
HMAS Cerberus, Vic 3920

## Temporary Postmarks

### Royal Wedding

29 April 2011  
Features on the stamp and medallion cover. Impressions from the Postal Manager, Williamstown Vic 3016.

### Adelaide SA 5000

14 May 2011  
Inaugural Postcard Exhibition. Impressions from the Postal Manager at Rundle Mall retail post outlet, Adelaide, SA.

4 April 2011

### Lake Eyre

Supplement design set,  
booklet of 20  
Optional sheetlets of 5 x  
\$1.55 and \$2.25

4 May 2011

Royal Wedding instant sheetlet  
Supplement design set  
Optional S/A sheetlet of 10  
Refer to Bulletin 309 for more

10 May 2011

Birth of Dame Nellie Melba  
Supplement design set  
(gummed), design set S/A  
Optional sheetlet of 10, S/A  
booklet of 20

17 May 2011

Farming Australia: Native Plants  
Supplement design set,

booklet of 10  
Optional collector pack,  
booklet of 10, gutter 10, strip  
of 4

14 June 2011

Royal Australian Navy 1911 – 2011  
Supplement design set  
(gummed), design set S/A  
Optional sheetlet of 10, S/A  
booklet of 20

7 June 2011

AAT Icebergs  
Supplement design set  
(gummed), design set S/A  
minisheet, gutter BL4

7 June 2011

Christmas Island Crabs  
Supplement design set  
(gummed)

### Mail order codes

1684235	Australian Supplement	\$63.10
1684236	Australian Optional	\$84.70
1684239	AAT Icebergs Supplement	\$13.20
1684238	Christmas Island Crabs Supplement	\$3.60

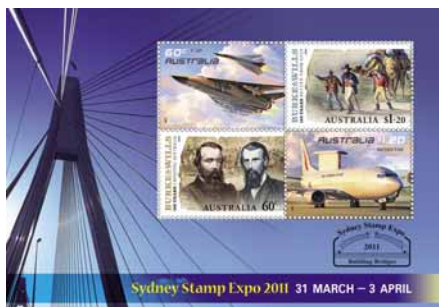
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### Sydney Stamp Show souvenir minisheet

### Adelaide SA 5000

14 May 2011  
Inaugural Postcard Exhibition. Impressions from the Postal Manager at Rundle Mall retail post outlet, Adelaide, SA.

This show minisheet features an interesting combination of two Air Force Aviation stamps and two from the Burke and Wills stamp issue.



Sydney Show minisheet \$3.60

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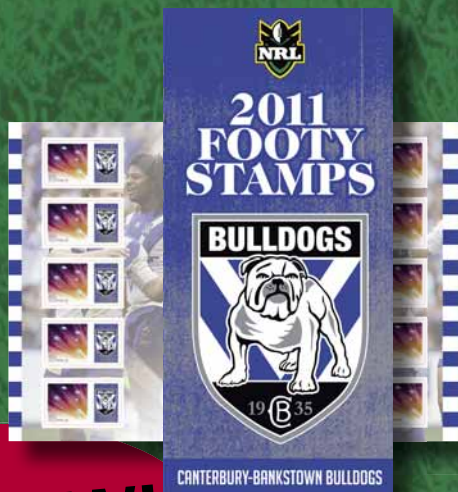
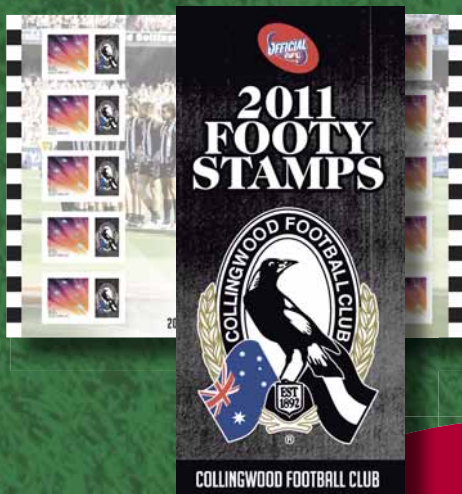
## New Issues

Mail order	Retail	Product description	Price	Withdrawal date
<b>4 April 2011</b>		<b>Lake Eyre</b>		
1679067		Stamps (1 x 60c, \$1.55, \$2.25, \$3.10)	\$7.50	TBA
1679005		Blank cover	\$0.30	TBA
1679002		First day cover (gummed)	\$7.80	TBA
1679126		Stamp pack	\$7.95	TBA
1679220		Maxicard set (4)	\$10.50	TBA
1679401		S/A sheetlet of 5 x \$1.55	\$7.75	TBA
1679402		S/A sheetlet of 5 x \$2.25	\$11.25	TBA
1679241		Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00	TBA
<b>12 April 2011</b>		<b>Royal Wedding (official stamp issue also listed in <i>Bulletin</i> 309)</b>		
1687067		Stamps (1 x 60c, 1 x \$2.25)	\$2.85	30 October 2011
1687142		Minisheet	\$2.85	30 October 2011
1687005		Blank cover	\$0.30	30 October 2011
1687002		First day cover (gummed)	\$3.15	<b>11 May 2011</b>
1687013		First day cover (minisheet)	\$3.15	<b>11 May 2011</b>
1687126		Stamp pack	\$6.15	30 October 2011
1687220		Maxicard set (2)	\$4.35	30 October 2011
1687182		S/A booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00	30 October 2011
1687241		Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00	30 October 2011
1687252		Stamp and medallion cover (10,000)	\$19.95	30 October 2011
<b>4 May 2011</b>		<b>Royal Wedding (instant stamp issue) * released 20 May 2011</b>		
6673067		S/A sheetlet of 10 x 60c	\$ 6.00	30 November 2011
6673005		Blank cover	\$0.30	30 November 2011
6673130		Royal Wedding instant sheetlet pack	\$6.45	30 November 2011
6673182		S/A booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00	30 November 2011
6673360		*Postal and numismatic cover (RAM)	\$15.95	30 November 2011
6673500		Postal and numismatic cover (Royal Mint) LTD	\$39.95	30 November 2011
<b>10 May 2011</b>		<b>Dame Nellie Melba 1861-1931</b>		
1698067		Stamp (1 x 60c)	\$0.60	30 November 2011
1698201		Sheetlet of 10	\$6.00	30 November 2011
1698005		Blank cover	\$0.30	30 November 2011
1698002		First day cover (gummed)	\$0.90	8 June 2011
1698130		Sheetlet pack	\$6.45	30 November 2011
1698220		Maxicard	\$1.35	30 November 2011
1698182		S/A booklet of 20 x 60c	\$12.00	30 November 2011
1698350		Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95	30 November 2011
<b>17 May 2011</b>		<b>Farming Australia - Native Plants</b>		
1682067		Stamps (4 x 60c)	\$2.40	30 November 2011
1682005		Blank cover	\$0.30	30 November 2011
1682002		First day cover (gummed)	\$2.70	15 June 2011
1682003		First day cover (s/a)	\$2.70	15 June 2011
1682127		Stamp pack	\$2.85	30 November 2011
1682128		"Smell and Rub" sheetlet pack	\$6.45	30 November 2011

Mail order	Retail	Product description	Price	Withdrawal date
1682220		Maxicard set (4)	\$5.40	30 November 2011
1682182		S/A booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00	30 November 2011
1682209		Roll (100 x 60c)	\$60.00	30 November 2011
1682223		Collector pack	\$9.30	30 November 2011
1682241		Gutter 10 x 60c (with design)	\$6.00	30 November 2011
1682200		S/A strip of four	\$2.40	30 November 2011
<b>7 June 2011</b>		<b>Christmas Island Crabs</b>		
1683067		Stamps (2 x 60c, 2 x \$1.20)	\$3.60	31 December 2011
1683005		Blank cover	\$0.30	31 December 2011
1683002		First day cover (gummed)	\$3.90	6 July 2011
1683241		Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00	31 December 2011
1683242		Gutter 10 x \$1.20 (no design)	\$12.00	31 December 2011
<b>7 June 2011</b>		<b>AAT Icebergs</b>		
1685067		Stamps (4 x 60c)	\$2.40	31 December 2011
1685142		Minisheet	\$2.40	31 December 2011
1685005		Blank cover	\$0.30	31 December 2011
1685002		First day cover (gummed)	\$2.70	6 July 2011
1685013		First day cover (minisheet)	\$2.70	6 July 2011
1685126		Stamp pack	\$5.25	31 December 2011
1685220		Maxicard set (4)	\$5.40	31 December 2011
1685182		Booklet of 10 x 60c S/A	\$6.00	31 December 2011
1685241		Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00	31 December 2011
<b>14 June 2011</b>		<b>Royal Australian Navy 1911 - 2011</b>		
1684067		Stamps (2 x 60c)	\$1.20	31 December 2011
1684201		Sheetlet of 10	\$6.00	31 December 2011
1684005		Blank cover	\$0.30	31 December 2011
1684002		First day cover (gummed)	\$1.50	13 July 2011
1684130		Stamp pack	\$6.45	31 December 2011
1684220		Maxicard set (2)	\$2.70	31 December 2011
1684182		S/A booklet of 20 x 60c	\$12.00	31 December 2011
1684360		Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95	31 December 2011
<b>27 June 2011</b>		<b>Centenary of Duntroon</b>		
1686250		Souvenir stamp sheet	\$15.95	TBA
1686360		Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95	TBA
<b>30 May 2011</b>		<b>100 Years of the Northern Territory</b>		
6676226		Commemorative PPE	\$0.70	TBA

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For collectors wanting to apply a first day of issue postmark, this is GPO Brisbane, QLD 4000.

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## New customer



6673122 Instant Sheetlet Pack

6673005 Blank cover



## Capturing the Moment instant sheetlet pack

Make sure you don't miss the instant stamp sheetlet with a stamp image that captures this memorable event. The issue includes two complementing postal and numismatic covers (with coins from the Royal Australian Mint and the Royal Mint).

Royal Wedding (instant stamp issue)	Price	Qty	Value
6673122 S/A sheetlet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00		
6673005 Blank cover	\$0.30		
6673150 Royal Wedding instant sheetlet pack	\$6.45		
6673182 S/A booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00		
6673250 Chequebook	\$120.00		
6673360 Postal and numismatic cover RAM	\$15.95		
6673500 Postal and numismatic cover Royal Mint LTD *released 20 May 2011	\$39.95		
<b>Total</b>			



## New issues

M = mint (no postmark) PM = postmark

Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
<b>4 April 2011 Lake Eyre</b>				
1679067	Stamps (1 x 60c, \$1.55, \$2.25, \$3.10)	\$7.50		
1679005	Blank cover	\$0.30		
1679002	First day cover (gummed)	\$7.80		
1679126	Stamp pack	\$7.95		
1679220	Maxicard set (4)	\$10.50		
1679401	S/A sheetlet of 5 x \$1.55	\$7.75		
1679250	Chequebook	\$155.00		
1679402	S/A sheetlet of 5 x \$2.25	\$11.25		
1679251	Chequebook	\$225.00		
1679241	Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00		
1679240	Complete set of gutters	\$75.00		
<b>4 May 2011 Royal Wedding (instant stamp issue)</b>				
6673201	S/A sheetlet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00		
6673005	Blank cover	\$0.30		
6673130	Royal Wedding instant sheetlet pack	\$6.45		
6673182	S/A booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00		
6673250	Chequebook	\$120.00		
6673360	Postal and numismatic cover RAM	\$15.95		
6673500	Postal and numismatic cover LTD	\$39.95		
<b>10 May 2011 Dame Nellie Melba 1861-1930</b>				
1698067	Stamps (1 x 60c)	\$0.60		
1698172	Sheetlet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00		
1698005	Blank cover	\$0.30		
1698002	First day cover (gummed)	\$0.90		
1698130	Sheetlet pack	\$6.45		
1698220	Maxicard	\$1.35		
1698182	S/A booklet of 20 x 60c	\$12.00		
1698250	Chequebook	\$240.00		
1698360	Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95		

Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
1682250	Chequebook	\$120.00		
1682209	Roll (100 x 60c)	\$60.00		
1682223	Collector pack	\$9.30		
1682241	Gutter 10 x 60c (with design)	\$6.00		
1682200	S/A strip of four	\$2.40		
<b>7 June 2011 Christmas Island Crabs</b>				
1683067	Stamps (2 x 60c, 2 x \$1.20)	\$3.60		
1683005	Blank cover	\$0.30		
1683002	First day cover (gummed)	\$3.90		
1683241	Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00		
1683242	Gutter 10 x \$1.20 (no design)	\$12.00		
<b>7 June 2011 AAT Icebergs</b>				
1685067	Stamps (4 x 60c)	\$2.40		
1685142	Minisheet	\$2.40		
1685005	Blank cover	\$0.30		
1685002	First day cover (gummed)	\$2.70		
1685013	First day cover (minisheet)	\$2.70		
1685126	Stamp pack	\$5.25		
1685220	Maxicard set (4)	\$5.40		
1685182	Booklet of 10 x 60c S/A	\$6.00		
1685250	Chequebook	\$120.00		
1685241	Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00		
<b>14 June 2011 Royal Australian Navy</b>				
1684067	Stamps (2 x 60c)	\$1.20		
1684201	Sheetlet of 10	\$6.00		
1684005	Blank cover	\$0.30		
1684002	First day cover (gummed)	\$1.50		
1684130	Stamp pack	\$6.45		
1684220	Maxicard set (2)	\$2.70		
1684182	S/A booklet of 20 x 60c	\$12.00		

17 May 2011	Farming Australia – Native Plants				
1682067	Stamps (4 x 60c)	\$2.40			
1682005	Blank cover	\$0.30			
1682002	First day cover (gummed)	\$2.70			
1682003	First day cover (s/a)	\$2.70			
1682127	Stamp pack	\$2.85			
1682128	“Smell and Rub” sheetlet pack	\$6.45			
1682220	Maxicard set (4)	\$5.40			
1682182	S/A booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00			

## Recent issues

Mail order code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
<b>8 March 2011</b>	<b>Floral Festivals Australia</b>			
1676067	Stamps (5 x 60c)	\$3.00		
1676126	Stamp pack	\$3.45		
1676220	Maxicard set (5)	\$6.75		
1676226	Set of international PPEs	\$14.55		
1676155	Aerogramme	\$1.30		
1676184	Prestige booklet	\$12.95		
1676240	Gutter 10 (with design)	\$6.00		
1676182	S/A booklet of 20	\$12.00		
1676210	Roll (200 x 60c)	\$120.00		
1676250	Chequebook (20 x 20 x 60c)	\$240.00		
1676223	Collector pack	\$11.10		
1676200	S/A strip of five	\$3.00		
<b>22 March 2011</b>	<b>Gallery Series (PTT) NGV Flowers</b>			
1677067	Stamps (5 x 60c)	\$3.00		
1677126	Stamp pack	\$3.45		
1677220	Maxicard set (5)	\$6.75		
1677241	Gutter 10 (with design)	\$6.00		
1677182	S/A booklet of 10	\$6.00		
1677250	Chequebook (10 x 20 x 60c)	\$120.00		
1677209	Roll (100 x 60c)	\$60.00		

1684250	Chequebook	\$240.00		
1684360	Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95		
<b>27 June 2011</b>	<b>Centenary of Duntroon</b>			
1686250	Souvenir stamp sheet	\$15.95		
1686360	Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95		
<b>30 May 2011</b>	<b>100 Years of the Northern Territory</b>			
6676226	Commemorative PPE	\$0.70		
	<b>Total</b>			

Mail order code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
<b>12 April 2011</b>	<b>Royal Wedding (official stamp issue)</b>			
1687067	Stamps (1 x 60c, 1 x \$2.25)	\$2.85		
1687142	Minisheet	\$2.85		
1687126	Stamp pack	\$6.15		
1687220	Maxicard set (2)	\$4.35		
1687182	S/A Booklet of 10 x 60c	\$6.00		
1687250	Chequebook	\$120.00		
1687241	Gutter 10 x 60c (no design)	\$6.00		
1687360	Stamp and medallion cover	\$19.95		
<b>12 April 2011</b>	<b>AFL and NRL Footy Stamps</b>			<b>\$6.95 each</b>
1674301	Adelaide	1675301	Broncos	
1674302	Brisbane	1675302	Bulldogs	
1674303	Carlton	1675303	Cowboys	
1674304	Collingwood	1675304	Dragons	
1674305	Essendon	1675305	Eels	
1674306	Fremantle	1675306	Knights	
1674307	Geelong	1675307	Panthers	
1674308	Gold Coast Suns	1675308	Rabbits	
1674309	Hawthorn	1675309	Raiders	
1674310	Kangaroos	1675310	Roosters	

167723	Collector pack	\$9.90			
167720	S/A strip of five	\$3.00			
<b>5 April 2100 Queen's 85th Birthday</b>					
1678067	Stamps (1 x 60c, 1 x \$2.25)	\$2.85			
167842	Minisheet	\$2.85			
1678726	Stamp pack	\$6.15			
1678720	Maxicard set (2)	\$4.35			
1678741	Gutter 10 (no design)	\$6.00			
1678360	Postal and numismatic cover	\$15.95			

## Coins

Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
1647366	2011 Six coin Proof year set	\$120.00		
1647365	2011 Six coin Unc year set	\$30.00		
1647363	2011 Six coin Blinky Bill Unc set	\$35.00		
1647364	2011 Six coin Blinky Bill Proof set	\$145.00		
1647361	2011 Aust. Wool Proof 2 coin set	\$45.00		
1647360	2011 Aust. Wool Unc 2 coin set	\$15.00		
1647362	2011 Wedding coin set	\$120.00		
1613373	2011 Lunar New Year gilded rabbit coin	\$99.50		
1613883	2011 Anniversary RMC Duntroon	\$115.00		
1613889	2011 1oz silver 100 years RAN	\$115.00		
1613882	2011 1oz silver gilded Koala coin	\$99.50		

## Also available

Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
<b>Souvenir stamp sheets</b>				
1514656	NRL 2010 Premiers	\$15.95		
1514654	AFL 2010 Premiers	\$15.95		
1514662	Race of the Century	\$15.95		

1674311	Melbourne	1675311	Sea Eagles
1674312	Port Power	1675312	Sharks
1674313	Richmond	1675313	Sea Eagles
1674314	St Kilda	1675314	Titans
1674315	Sydney	1675315	Warriors
1674316	West Coast	1675316	Wests Tigers
1674317	Western Bulldogs		
<b>Total</b>			

Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
1647367	2011 20c Unc. Ashes coin	\$6.95		
1647370	2011 Al/Br Unc. 4-coin set - Rams Head	\$15.00		
1647371	2011 20c Unc. War Historians coin	\$6.95		
1647372	2011 Frosted Unc. Air Series-Crimson Rose	\$14.95		
1647373	2011 Frosted Unc. Air Series-Kookaburra	\$14.95		
1613890	2011 Australian Koala 1/10oz silver coin	\$14.95		
1613894	2011 ANZAC RAAF \$1 coin	\$12.95		
1613895	Famous Naval Battles - Midway 1oz Sil Pr	\$105.00		
1613896	2011 Calico Jack Pirate \$1 coin	\$14.95		
1613897	2011 Liszt 1oz silver Pr. Great Composers	\$105.00		
<b>Total</b>				

Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price	Qty	Value
<b>Accessories</b>				
0903329	CC Stock Sheets (12) FDC - two strip	\$12.95		
0903324	(12) five strip	\$12.95		
0903325	(12) six strip	\$12.95		

1514663	Melbourne Cup 2010	\$15.95
1514644	Lost Soldiers of Fromelles	\$15.95
<b>Special product</b>		
1614675	Flood Relief Appeal Sheetlet	\$8.00
1514661	Melbourne 2010 cycling medallion cover	\$19.95
6675229	Sydney Show minisheet	\$3.60
<b>Accessories</b>		
0241351	Collecting Australian Stamps	\$9.95
0903270	First Day Cover Album ring binder	\$10.00
0903320	Collector's Choice binder (three-ring)	\$17.95
0903323	CC Stock Sheets (12) P-stamp sheets	\$15.95

0903326	(12) seven strip	\$12.95
0903328	(12) single strip	\$12.95
0903321	Collector's Choice tweezers	\$6.95
0903322	Collector's Choice magnifying glass	\$9.95
1514520	PNC and medallion cover protectors	\$1.00
<b>Seven Seas</b>		
1684235	Australian Supplement	\$63.10
1684236	Australian Optional	\$84.70
1684239	AAT Icebergs Supplement	\$13.20
1684238	Christmas Island Crabs Supplement	\$3.60
		<b>Total</b>

Impressions products		
Mail Order Code	Product Description	Price Qty Value
0308502	150th Melbourne Cup Presentation Folder	\$395.00
0308524	National Service Stamp & Coin Box	\$129.00
0308586	Macquarie Bicentenary Coin & Stamp	\$89.95
0308583	Emergency Services Set	\$89.95
0308557	Leatherette Bound Aeronautical Wallet	\$49.95
0308584	Guides (1960 & 2010) stamp & ingot set	\$29.95
		<b>Total</b>

<b>Subtotal</b>	
<b>Registered post</b>	
Domestic \$2.95	
International (up to \$100) A\$9.00	
<b>Postage and handling</b>	
Domestic \$5.00	
International A\$9.00	
<b>Order total</b>	

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