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Information

The Princely House of Liechtenstein is celebrating two special anniversaries this year: "Princess Marie of Liechtenstein" (face value: CHF 2.00) celebrates her 80th birthday on 14 April 2020 and "Prince Hans-Adam II of Liechtenstein" (face value: CHF 4.30) celebrates his 75th on 14 February 2020. Philately Liechtenstein is commemorating the birthdays of the princely couple with a souvenir sheet consisting of two stamps with staggered perforation and classy-looking hot-foil embossing in gold.

The current head of state, Prince Hans-Adam II, was born in 1945 as the eldest son of Prince Franz Josef II and Princess Gina. He is the first Prince of Liechtenstein to have grown up in Liechtenstein and the

fifteenth reigning Prince of Liechtenstein. After the reigning Prince handed over the government affairs to his eldest son, Hereditary Prince Alois, in 2004, he devoted himself to the administration of the Princely House's assets which he still does to this day.

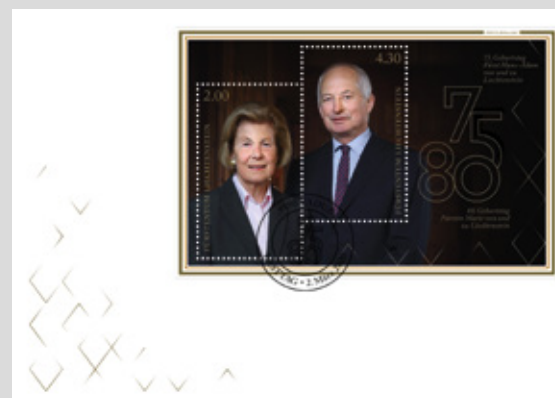
In 1967, Hans-Adam II married Countess Marie-Agláé Kinsky of Wchinitz and Tettau. Born in Prague in 1940, her family was expelled five years later from what was then Czechoslovakia and fled to Germany. In Liechtenstein, Princess Marie has always been very committed to furthering social institutions.



220.01.20 mint ★★ CHF 6.30 220.01.21 cancelled ☉ CHF 6.30

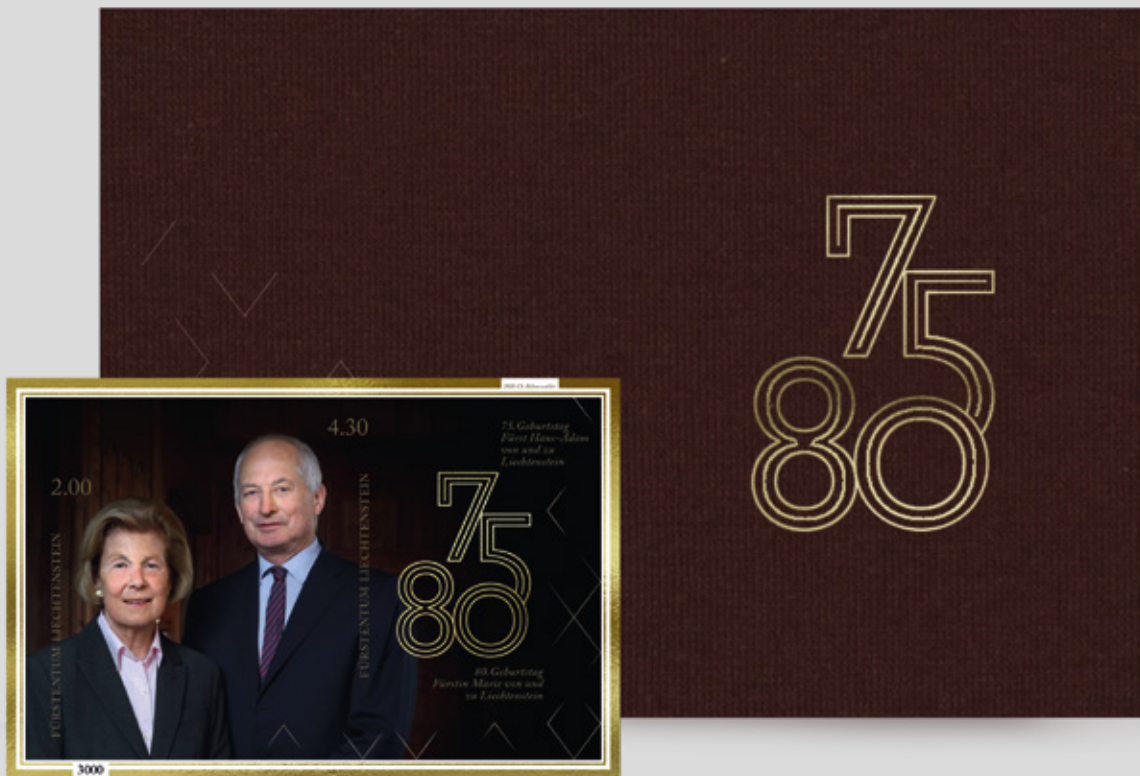


220.01.62 MK 475 CHF 8.30



220.01.57 FDC/BL CHF 7.30

Issue	75th Birthday of Prince Hans-Adam II / 80th Birthday of Princess Marie of Liechtenstein
Face value/subject	CHF 2.00 Princess Marie of Liechtenstein CHF 4.30 Prince Hans-Adam II of Liechtenstein
Stamp format	30 x 50 mm
Perforation	13 ¼ x 13 ¼
Sheet format	110 x 72 mm
Design	Christine Böhmwalder, Götzis
Printing	5-colour offset CMYK + Pantone gold + gold hot-foil stamping Cartor Security Printing, Meaucé la Loupe
Paper	Truwhite FSC Mix Credit 110 g/m ² , gummed
Quantity	33'000 Souvenir Sheets



220.01.22 unperforated special edition CHF 75.00

In addition to the regular issue of the special souvenir sheet "75th Birthday of Prince Hans-Adam II / 80th Birthday of Princess Marie of Liechtenstein", an imperforated special issue limited to 3000 units with a face value is also available. This special issue is printed on **real silk** and is supplied in a high-quality folder. The special edition costs CHF 75.00.

To ensure that all those ordering this special edition have the same chance at receiving it, all the orders received will be collected until **28 February 2020** and then lots will be drawn for allocating it.

This year's Europa stamps, which are issued every year by the member states of the association of European public postal operators (PostEurop), focus on the theme of ancient postal routes. Philately combines its two commemorative stamps "Stagecoach" and "Mounted Messenger" (both with a face value of CHF 1.50) as a combination print on a miniature sheet of two stamps twice. Designer René Wolfinger made the issue appear nostalgic through steel engraving.

If you look for ancient postal routes in Liechtenstein, you will inevitably come across the Lindau Messenger. This was a transport service that operated between the trading centres at the time in Lindau at Lake Constance and the Italian city of Milan up to 1826 and carried goods, money and letters. It is assumed that the Lindau Messenger was already travelling

along the arduous route, which reached its peak on the Splügen Pass at 2113 metres above sea level, on a fairly regular basis towards the end of the 15th century.

One of the five legs of the journey led the Messenger on his way from Feldkirch southwards through present-day Liechtenstein, which he left again at the Luziensteig in Balzers towards Chur.



220.02.20 mint ** CHF 6.00

220.02.21 cancelled © CHF 6.00



220.02.30 mint ** CHF 3.00 220.02.31 cancelled © CHF 3.00



220.02.52 FDC CHF 4.00



220.02.51 FDC/U1 CHF 5.00



220.02.62 MK 476 CHF 5.00

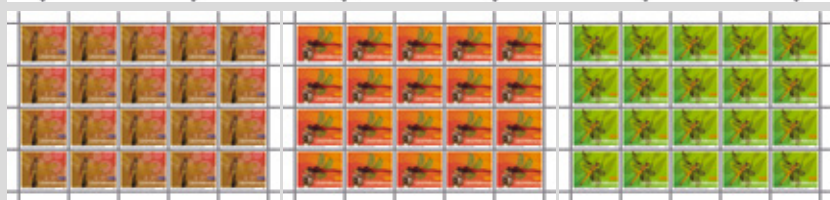
Issue	Europa – Messenger Post
Face value/subject	CHF 1.50 Stagecoach CHF 1.50 Mounted Messenger
Stamp format	50 x 40 mm
Perforation	14 x 14
Sheet format	200 x 135 mm
Design	René Wolfinger, Balzers
Printing	3-colour offset Cartor Security Printing, Meaucé la Loupe
Paper	Truwhite FSC Mix Credit 110 g/m ² , gummed
Quantity	42'000

Like in the first part of the series, the motifs for the second and last part of these colourful definitives were taken by nature photographer Xaver Roser. He captured the dragonflies on camera in the Ruggeller Riet nature reserve in Liechtenstein.

The "White Featherleg" dragonfly (face value: CHF 0.85) is, true to its name, basically white and is easily confused with other featherleg dragonfly species. The "Red-veined Darter" (face value: CHF 1.30) is a very frequent migrant. It usually produces two, sometimes even three generations a year.

The "Scarlet Darter" (face value: CHF 1.80) is a typical species of the Mediterranean region, which has spread increasingly northwards in recent years probably due to global warming. The complete body of adult males of this species is bright red and reaches a length of about forty millimetres.

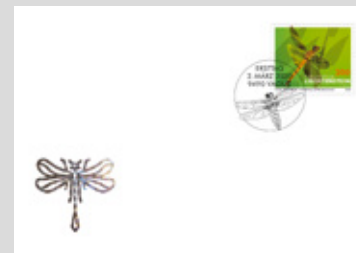
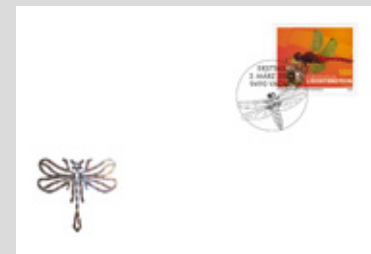
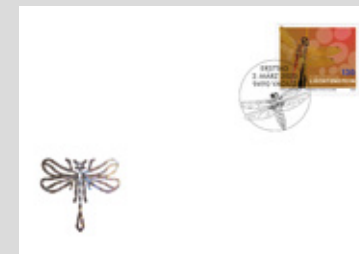
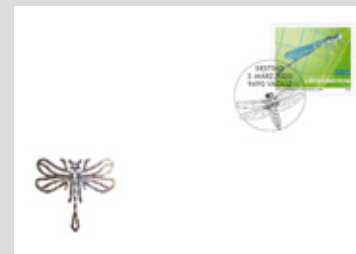
In Austria and Germany, the "Spotted Darter" dragonfly (face value: CHF 2.00) is an endangered species and is classified as "vulnerable" on the Red List in Switzerland. It has completely black legs and its wings have dense venation compared to other members of its species.



220.03.20 mint ** CHF 119.00 220.03.21 cancelled © CHF 119.00



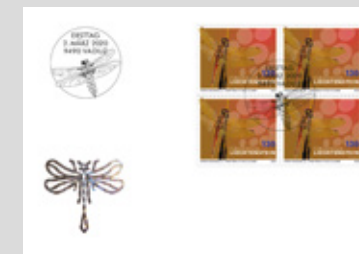
220.03.30 mint ** CHF 5.95
220.03.31 cancelled © CHF 5.95



220.03.51 FDC/U1 CHF 9.95



220.03.54 FDC/U4 CHF 27.80





220.03.62 MK 477 CHF 9.95



220.03.40 mint ** CHF 23.80
220.03.41 cancelled ☉ CHF 23.80

Issue Dragonflies – II
Face value/subject CHF 0.85 White Featherleg
 CHF 1.30 Red-veined Darter
 CHF 1.80 Scarlet Darter
 CHF 2.00 Spotted Darter
Stamp format 38 x 32 mm
Perforation 12 x 12 3/4
Sheet format 208 x 146 mm
Design Armin Hoop, Ruggell
 Xaver Roser, Ruggell
Printing 4-colour offset CMYK
 Gutenberg AG, Schaan
Paper UPM Raflatac, 110 g/m², white,
 Unik OBA free/perm/K80W,
 self-adhesive (water-soluble)
Quantity Definitive stamps

A graphically designed "Network" (face value: CHF 2.20), predominantly in pastel colours, on a new commemorative stamp symbolises the 25-year membership of the Principality of Liechtenstein in the European Economic Area (EEA). Designer Hans Peter Gassner used partial UV coating to highlight nine colours of the design – colours found in all the flags of all EEA member states.

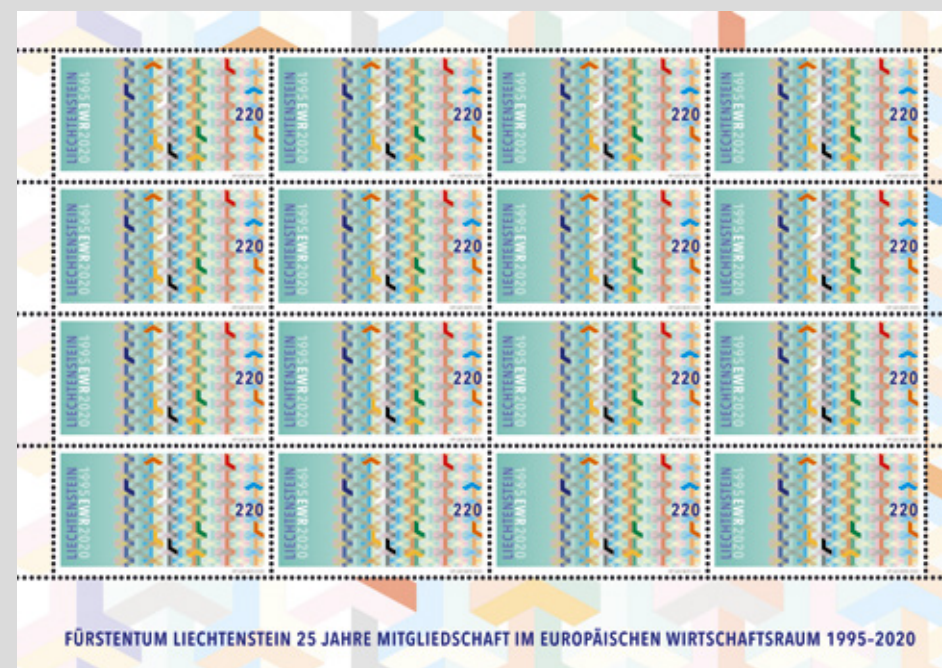
The 28 members of the European Union and the three EEA/EFTA states Liechtenstein, Iceland and Norway are united in a single market through the EEA. Their citizens have the right to make use of the

four fundamental freedoms: the free movement of goods, persons, services and capital. In addition, the EEA Treaty prohibits any discrimination on grounds of nationality.

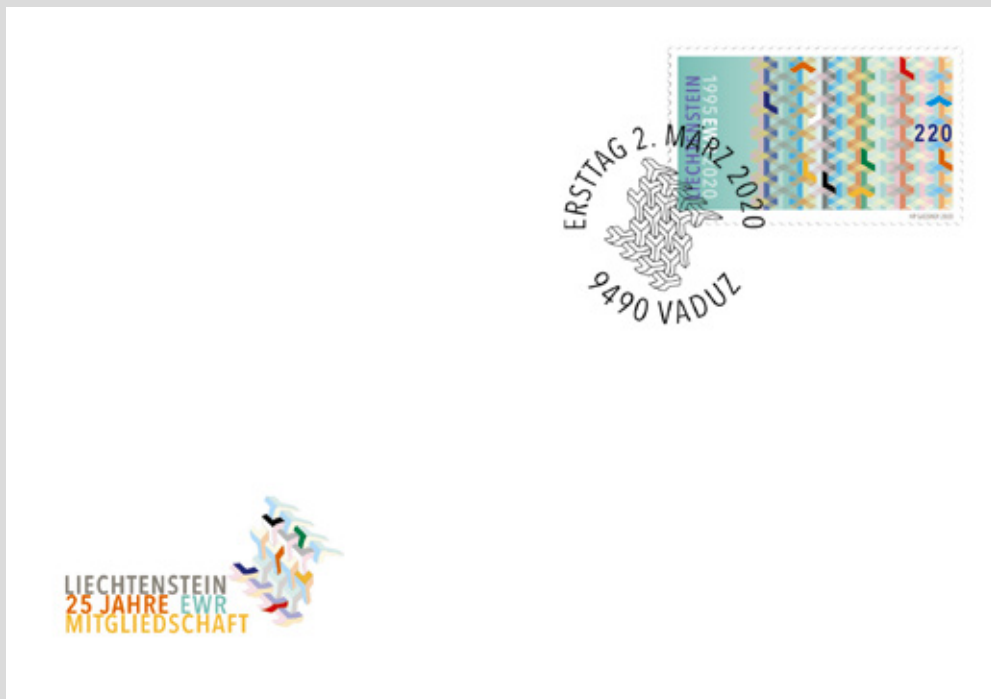
The vote on Liechtenstein's accession to the EEA in December 1992 can be regarded as one of the most important in the country's recent history. With an 87 percent turnout, 55.8 percent voted in favour of EEA membership despite the fact that their Swiss neighbours had rejected such an accession for their country a week earlier by an extremely narrow majority.



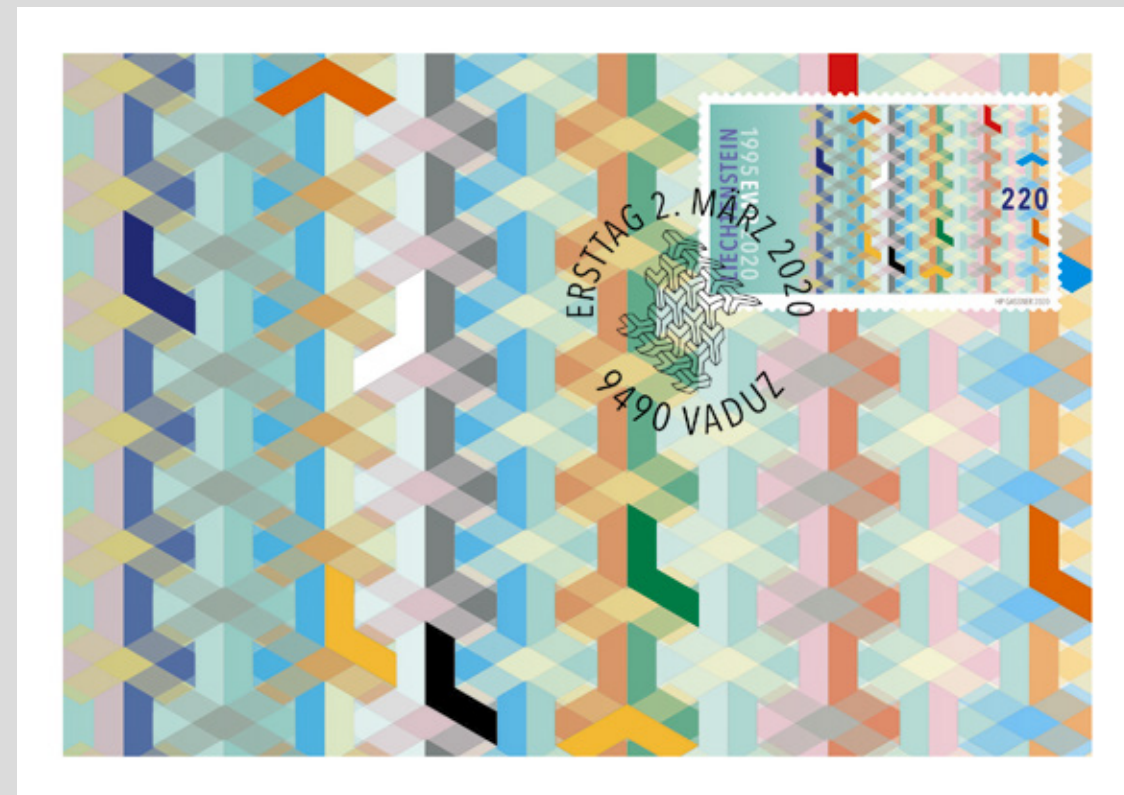
220.04.30 mint ** CHF 2.20
220.04.31 cancelled ☉ CHF 2.20



220.04.20 mint ** CHF 35.20 220.04.21 cancelled ☉ CHF 35.20



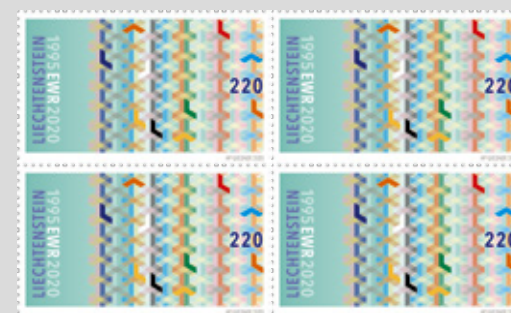
220.04.52 FDC CHF 3.20



220.04.62 MK 478 CHF 3.20



220.04.54 FDC/U4 CHF 9.80



220.04.40 mint ** CHF 8.80

220.04.41 cancelled © CHF 8.80

Issue	25 Years' Membership in the EEA
Face value/subject	CHF 2.20 Network
Stamp format	48 x 29 mm
Perforation	13 ¼ x 13
Sheet format	208 x 146 mm
Design	Hans Peter Gassner, Vaduz
Printing	4-colour offset CMYK + partial brilliant varnish Cartor Security Printing, Meaucé la Loupe
Paper	Truwhite FSC Mix Credit 110 g/m ² , gummed
Quantity	48'000



Issue date: 2 March 2020

220.21.20 mint ** CHF 10.00
220.21.21 cancelled © CHF 10.00

The official "dieMarke.li" collection sheets are issued twice yearly to mark special occasions. These sheets are also valid for postal use, published entirely independently and not linked to the official Principality of Liechtenstein stamp issues.

These sheets are available individually or on subscription, mint or cancelled. Due to the great demand all official collection sheets are available. For further information please visit the online shop at www.philatelie.li



Special Cover – Chinese New Year 2020
312.20.01 CHF 5.00

"dieMarke.li" postage stamps & stickers

No. 12 "Liechtenstein. The future of the past"

219.22.20 mint ** CHF 10.00
219.22.21 cancelled © CHF 10.00



No. 11 "Inland waterway transport in Swiss waters"

219.21.20 mint ** CHF 10.00
219.21.21 cancelled © CHF 10.00



No. 10 "The World of Han Meilin"
218.22.20 mint ** CHF 12.00
218.22.21 cancelled © CHF 12.00



Baby Girl (2019)
postage stamps & stickers
291.19.01 mint ** CHF 3.90



Baby Boy (2019)
postage stamps & stickers
291.19.02 mint ** CHF 3.90



Happy Birthday (2019)
postage stamps & stickers
291.19.03 mint ** CHF 3.90



2nd Stamp exhibition – Opening of the Postal Museum (1936) Souvenir sheet MiNr. Block 2

- 136.02.20 Souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 60.00
- 136.02.21 Souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 50.00
- 136.02.30l Pair out of souvenir sheet - 20Rp. left mint ** CHF 15.00
- 136.02.30r Pair out of souvenir sheet - 20Rp. right mint ** CHF 15.00
- 136.02.31l Pair out of souvenir sheet - 20Rp. left cancelled ☉ CHF 15.00
- 136.02.31r Pair out of souvenir sheet - 20Rp. right cancelled ☉ CHF 15.00
- 136.02.40 Block of four out of souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 30.00
- 136.02.41 Block of four out of souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 30.00
- 136.02.57 Block on first day cover - FDC/BL CHF 450.00



4th Stamp exhibition – 25 Years of the Postal Agreement – Mail-coach sheetlet (1946) Souvenir sheet

- 146.02.20 Souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 45.00
- 146.02.20f Souvenir sheet unused with hinge * CHF 30.00
- 146.02.21 Souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 50.00
- 146.02.30 Single stamp out of souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 15.00
- 146.02.31 Single stamp out of souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 20.00
- 146.02.57 Block on first day cover - FDC/BL CHF 65.00



5th Stamp exhibition – Paintings sheetlet (1949) Souvenir sheet MiNr. Block 5 / MiNr. 278-280

- 149.04.20 Souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 120.00
- 149.04.20f Souvenir sheet unused with hinge * CHF 80.00
- 149.04.21 Souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 120.00
- 149.04.30 Single stamps out of souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 90.00
- 149.04.31 Single stamps out of souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 120.00
- 149.04.35 Single stamps out of souv. sheet unused w. hinge * CHF 40.00
- 149.04.57 Block on first day cover - FDC/BL CHF 180.00
- E981.01.007 Three out of souvenir sheet mint ** CHF 90.00
- E981.01.008 Three out of souvenir sheet cancelled ☉ CHF 120.00



Pro Patria - Landscapes (1941) 20 Rp./10 Rp., variety of colours,

- MiNr. 397b - Zumstein Nr. B14c
- E982.01.117 Stamp mint ** CHF 10.00
- E982.01.118 Full sheet mint ** CHF 240.00



Administrative stamps (D II)



Landscapes with imprint of a cross (1938) MiNr. 28y-36y

CH138.08.30 Series mint ** CHF 10.00

CH138.08.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 10.00



Helvetia with sword (1938) MiNr. 37z-45z

CH138.09.30 Series mint ** CHF 60.00

CH138.09.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 45.00



Landscapes with imprint "Officiel" (1942) MiNr. 46-63

CH142.05.30 Series mint ** CHF 65.00

CH142.05.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 60.00

CH142.05.35 Series unused with hinge * CHF 40.00



Technology and Landscape with imprint "Officiel" (1950) MiNr. 64-74

CH150.04.30 Series mint ** CHF 90.00

CH150.04.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 110.00

CH150.04.35 Series unused with hinge * CHF 50.00

SDN (D III) League of Nations in Geneva



Commemorative stamps for the Disarmament Conference in Geneva (1932) MiNr. 36-41

CH132.04.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 120.00



Mountain landscapes (1937) MiNr. 56

CH137.02.01g Stamp cancelled ☉ CHF 200.00



Pictures of the Völkerbunds- und Arbeitsamtgebäude (1938) MiNr. 57-60

CH138.10.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 25.00



Pictures of the Völkerbunds- und Arbeitsamtgebäude (1938) MiNr. 61-64

CH138.11.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 30.00



Symbolic representations (1939) MiNr. 65-67

CH139.08.30 Series mint ** CHF 40.00

CH139.08.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 50.00



Landscapes, historical pictures, symbolic representations (1944) MiNr. 70-90

CH144.04.30 Series mint ** CHF 90.00

CH144.04.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 110.00

CH144.04.35 Series unused with hinge * CHF 50.00

BIT (D IV) International Labour Organization in Geneva



Different representations (1924-1928)

MiNr. 22xl - Variety HFLVETIA

E982.01.119 Stamp cancelled ☉ (with certificate) CHF 900.00



Commemorative issue of the Conference on Disarmament in Geneva (1932) MiNr. 32-37

CH132.05.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 40.00



Mountain landscapes (1937) MiNr. 48

CH137.03.31 Stamp cancelled ☉ CHF 200.00



Pictures of the Völkerbunds- und Arbeitsamtgebäude (1938) MiNr. 49-52

CH138.12.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 25.00



Pictures of the Völkerbunds- und Arbeitsamtgebäude (1938) MiNr. 53-56

CH138.13.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 25.00



Symbolic representations (1939) MiNr. 57-59

CH139.09.30 Series mint ** CHF 30.00

CH139.09.31 Series cancelled ☉ CHF 60.00



Changed three-line overprint - landscapes, historical pictures, symbolic representations (1944) MiNr. 62-82

CH144.05.30 Series mint ** CHF 85.00

CH144.05.31 Series cancelled © CHF 100.00

CH144.05.35 Series unused with hinge * CHF 40.00



Changed three-line overprint - Technology and Landscape (1950) MiNr. 83-93

CH150.05.30 Series mint ** CHF 120.00

CH150.05.31 Series cancelled © CHF 160.00

CH150.05.35 Series unused with hinge * CHF 60.00



Symbolic representations (1956) MiNr. 94-102

CH156.01.30 Series mint ** CHF 10.00

CH156.01.31 Series cancelled © CHF 10.00

OIR (D VIII) International Refugee Organization in Geneva



Technology and Landscape/Historical pictures (1950) MiNr. 1-8

CH150.06.30 Series mint ** CHF 150.00

CH150.06.31 Series cancelled © CHF 150.00

CH150.06.35 Series unused with hinge * CHF 70.00

SDN (D III) Postage paid stamps



Swiss coat of arms and alpine roses with control number (1927)

MiNr. 11Ix-13Ix, Zumstein Nr. 11A-13A

CH127.01.30 Series mint ** CHF 25.00



Swiss coat of arms and alpine roses without control number (1927)

MiNr. 11Iix-13Iix, Zumstein Nr. 11B-13B

CH127.02.30 Series mint ** CHF 230.00



Nurses and portrait of Henri Dunant without control number (1935-1943) MiNr. 14Ily-16Ily, Zumstein Nr. 14By-16By

CH143.07.31 Series cancelled © CHF 30.00



Nurses and portrait of Henri Dunant with control number (1935-1943) MiNr. 14Ilyy-16Ilyy, Zumstein Nr. 14Cy-16Cy

CH143.08.31 Series cancelled © CHF 30.00



Black print-first day sheet – black print of the special stamp “50th Anniversary of the Pro Aero Foundation” (1988)

E982.02.021 Black print-first day sheet CHF 8.00



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New Head of Philately Liechtenstein

In mid-January 2020 Stefan Erne left Philately Liechtenstein at his own request. Stefan Erne worked as Head of Design at Philately Liechtenstein, and assumed responsibility for overall management in April 2016. Under his leadership numerous philatelic innovations were created, such as the paper cut postage stamps with the Chinese Signs of the Zodiac, the embroidered special postage stamps for the "300 Years of the Principality of Liechtenstein", and the special coins commemorating this anniversary, to name just a few. We thank Stefan Erne warmly for his commitment to the benefit of Philately Liechtenstein.

Liechtensteinische Post AG has secured the services of Christine Böhmwalder as the new Head of Philately Liechtenstein. She has many years' professional experience as Art Director at a Liechtenstein advertising

agency and has in the past designed a number of postage stamp issues for Philately Liechtenstein. We wish Christine Böhmwalder a good start and great success in her new, responsible role.



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Special postmark 25–26 January 2020	Chinese New Year	Philately Liechtenstein	Sereina Hatt, Vaduz	Rat and Pig	29 mm
Flag postmark * 1–29 February 2020	Liechtensteinische Post AG	Vaduz Post Office and Schaan Business Centre	Hans Peter Gassner, Vaduz	Logo Liechtensteinische Post AG	40x20 mm
Flag postmark * 2–31 March 2020	dieMarke.li	Vaduz Post Office and Schaan Business Centre	Armin Hoop, Ruggell	Logo dieMarke.li	40x20 mm
First-day postmark 2 March 2020	25 Years' Membership in the EEA	Philately Liechtenstein	Hans Peter Gassner, Vaduz	Network	32.6 mm
First-day postmark 2 March 2020	Dragonflies – II	Philately Liechtenstein	Peter Vetsch, Zurich	Dragonfly	32 mm
First-day postmark 2 March 2020	Europa – Messenger Post	Philately Liechtenstein	René Wolfinger, Balzers	Post horn	32 mm
First-day postmark 2 March 2020	75 th Birthday of Prince Hans-Adam II / 80 th Birthday of Princess Marie of Liechtenstein	Philately Liechtenstein	Christine Böhmwalder, Götzis	Typography	28 mm
Flag postmark * 1–30 April 2020	Philately Liechtenstein	Vaduz Post Office and Schaan Business Centre	Stefan Erne, Triesen	www.philateli.li	40x20 mm

* Flag postmark = repeated use

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