

## Denominations and Characteristics of the Coins

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### CURRENCY ACT (CHAPTER 69)

Pursuant to section 17(5) of the Currency Act, it is hereby notified for general information that the denominations and characteristics of the coins to be issued on 8th December 1999 by the Board of Commissioners of Currency, Singapore, are as shown in the Schedule.

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DESCRIPTION OF THE \$5 MILLENNIUM COMMEMORATIVE COINS								
Denomination	Metal	Standard Weight (g)	Standard Diameter (mm)	Standard Thickness (mm)	Shape	Edge	Design of Obverse	Design of Reverse
5 Dollars (Proof)	Outer Ring: 999 Fine Silver Inner Core: 999.9 Fine Gold	53.953 ± 0.30/-0.20	33.00 ± 0.20	5.30 ± 0.20	Scallop	Plain	The Singapore Arms in the centre with the latent image below it. The latent image bears the year-date "2000" and BCCS logo. A ring of beads surrounds the Singapore Arms. The word "SINGAPORE" in the 4 official languages is around the circumference of the coin. A holographic effect is on the Singapore Arms and latent image. The position of the mintmark is at 5 o'clock.	The design features a swirl that joins the numeral 1 to represent a breakthrough in all areas of human knowledge. Graphically, it is a focused breakthrough that combines the strengths and spirits of all Singaporeans uniting behind a shared heritage and a common vision.
5 Dollars (Proof)	Outer Ring: Copper 75% Nickel 25% Inner Core: Copper 92% Aluminium 6% Nickel 2%	6.50 ± 0.20	23.30 ± 0.20	2.20 ± 0.20	Scallop	Plain	The Singapore Arms in the centre with the latent image below it. The latent image bears the year-date "2000" and BCCS logo. A ring of beads surrounds the Singapore Arms. The word "SINGAPORE" in the 4 official languages is around the circumference of the coin. The position of the mintmark is at 5 o'clock.	The numeral 1 also poses as the letter "I" to represent the innovative spirit that comes with the ultimate breakthrough. And the numeral 1 also means total unity, one common identity. This spirit of oneness is paramount to succeed into the 21st century as a nation, a country with one common identity. The design also signifies the move from the 20th to the 21st century.
5 Dollars (Circulation)	Outer Ring: Copper 75% Nickel 25% Inner Core: Copper 92% Aluminium 6% Nickel 2%	6.70 ± 0.17	23.30 ± 0.125	2.30 ± 0.152	Scallop	Plain	The Singapore Arms in the centre with the latent image below it. The latent image bears the year-date "2000" and BCCS logo. A ring of beads surrounds the Singapore Arms. The word "SINGAPORE" in the 4 official languages is around the circumference of the coin.	Basically, the design has also incorporated the inscription and the element of the Singapore Millennium Celebration logo.