

Collector's Guide to
First Day
COVERS
&
FOLDERS
OF INDIA WITH
Set of Stamps,
Se-tenant Stamps &
Miniature Sheets



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The hobbies of Autograph, Philatelic and Numismatic collection have given him new energy and enthusiasm. For him any such hobby is a worship that keeps him pure, fit and healthy. People have hobbies for happiness and harvesting profit in future. For him it is for keeping good health too.

As a collector of various collectibles, he has faced many a difficulties in collecting, understanding and arranging the collection. The same may be happening to new collectors and they might be facing similar hurdles too. To overcome such situations and to encourage various hobbies and to preserve such a classic collection of Indian heritage, he is tirelessly working hard. Apart from writing books on various hobbies, he has also made attempts through websites.

His two websites www.indiannumismatics.com and www.indianautographs.com have made landmarks in their respective hobby-fields of Numismatics and Autograph collection.

In 2008, The Numismatic Society of India Varanasi, Indian Coin Society, Nagpur and Indian National Trust for Art Culture and Heritage, Gwalior have awarded him the 'Life Time Achievement Award' for his innumerable and invaluable contribution to Indian Numismatics and Para-numismatics in all its aspects.

In 2009, he has been considered as National record holder by Limca Book of Records and has been placed as record holder for his collections of Autographs and Indian Canteen Tokens.

In the same year 2009, Gujarat Coin Society took cognisance of his excellent works and achievements and has also given him 'Life Time Achievement Award' for his outstanding service to numismatic fraternity. He has rendered his services as Chairman in Coinex-2006 and Coinex-2010, which were National Level Numismatic Exhibitions organised by Gujarat Coin Society, Ahmedabad. And he has successfully accomplished his mission.

In 2011, Lohana Maha Parishad, Ahmedabad has awarded him an International level 'Vishisht Raghuvanshi Pratibha Award' recognising and appreciating his vivid activities and hobbies.

Print media and TV media have, time and again, covered his various themes of collection.

Through this book 'Collector's Guide to First Day Covers and Folders of India with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheets', he has made a painstaking effort to give a direction and dimension to organize this fascinating subject of modern Indian philately.



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Dedicated to
Ba & Bapuji... my parents....
with love, regards & gratitude

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Message



Perhaps once in a generation a book like 'Collector's Guide to First Day Covers & Folders of India with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheets' comes along. I would say it is more than a book/catalogue, there is a living energy in it, one you would probably feel as you hold it & flip through the chapters. It has the power to create an experience in readers, and change their collections for the better.

The same flame of philatelic inspiration that illuminated philatelists over 100 years ago still glows within the collectors of 21st century. Times change, collecting habits evolve, but philately endures. The joy derived from the anticipation of a purchase, adds to the mystique of philatelic experience. It's that 'anticipation' that has mystified philatelists for over a century & it's one of the basic joys of the hobby.

Many philatelic friends have told me over the years that they could have improved their collections if only they had more money to spend on stamps or covers. My opinion says that money is an important source but not the only key to philatelic success. I have known dozens of collectors who inject huge amounts of money into their collections, but they were neither happy nor their collections improved. They needed guidance about what to collect, which they were not able to tap and hence they could not complete their collection.

In recent times, a new category for FDC has been incorporated at all the levels of exhibitions. It seems that the charm and charisma of FDCs has been accepted and acknowledged. And I believe that in future, the demand & salability of these items will gradually increase.

Normally, majority of philatelists are always in cash crunch. They have limited resources. Now it is for them to utilise amongst their resources in best possible manner. There are innumerable philatelic items attracting the philatelist, but he has to set a limit to pursue which collection he can complete. Otherwise there will be jungles of philatelic materials instead of a garden which he & his family members could have cherished.

I knew Mr. Praful Thakkar as a stalwart in numismatics. He has given new dimension in numismatic field by writing many books. He has also authored a classic book on Autographs. Times change, inner passion for hobby remains and his shift into philatelic hobby begins since last few years. He has authored a book 'Collector's Guide to First Day Covers & Folders of India 1947 - 1964 Official & Private' which was a success. Many collectors started organizing their private covers collection & this subject became vibrant. This book will also enthuse many collectors into this new arena of modern philately. Many new covers, I hope, will surface after this publication. This is a first publication of its kind with pricing on FDCs & Folders with Set of Stamps, Se-tenants, Miniature Sheets and many more collectibles. Painstaking effort has been made by him in his endeavour to serve philately. His motto 'Share the knowledge - Spread the knowledge' will help the philatelic fraternity. Here an humble effort has been made for collectors to organize their collections with simple numbering system. This is a modern subject which has huge philatelic potential. Most of the collectors do buy FDCs & folders from post offices; but this book will give them a focus to organize their FDCs & folders which are very colourful & good to look at. I would like to tell the collectors that this is the '**future book**' in Indian philately with the involvement of large number of philatelists. It can be our future goal which will determine our actions in the present.

Various checklists, illustrations and rare items are displayed in color so as to give an idea as to how the collection will look in totality. Pricing has also been done so that the collector in pursuing his missing items can get a guidance. I am sure that if a collector organizes according to this guidance he will satisfy himself the most & feel proud about his organized possession. If I were to sum up, the essence of the book 'Collector's Guide to First Day Covers & Folders of India with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheets' in one phrase, it would be 'Present Moment Awareness'.

I wish him all the success in this endeavour.

In Happiness & Peace,

Mainak Kathiara
President Emeritus
Gujarat Philatelists Association

Preface

From my childhood I have lived in my own world of hobbies. I had, and even now have, fascination of collecting autographs, numismatic items and Philatelic objects. They are favorite themes as they are educating, energizing and enriching hobbies. They all have given me new energy and enthusiasm. All the three hobbies have very attracting, fascinating and interesting themes of objects for the collector. I have enjoyed and am enjoying these hobbies as a collector. For me any such hobby is a worship that keeps me pure, fit and healthy. People have hobbies for happiness and harvesting profit in future. For me it is for keeping good health too. Therefore, my life's motto is *'Hobby is for Health & Hobby is for Happiness'*.

During my pursuit of these hobbies I have experienced collector's pranks. I have realized that collector needs right information, proper way of presentation and items of his hobby at a reasonable price. In short, he requires a touchstone to measure his efforts and to further improve his collection. For this he requires a good Guide. And hence I have made humble efforts by presenting some Collector's Guides in Numismatic and philatelic fields for the benefit of Collector in particular and hobby in general.

In 2010, I made a maiden attempt to present, in the Philatelic field, a little or less known wonderful thematic subject of Classic Private First Day Covers of the first decade of Independence. I got a very good response from India and abroad. My effort was appreciated and I received awards in International Exhibitions at Portugal, South Africa, USA in Washington and Chicago, Japan and Indonesia between 2010 and 2012.

Nowadays, in philatelic fraternity, focus on modern Indian philately has gathered grounds. It has carved out an important niche in the hearts of new philatelists and collectors. This has happened because in last few years India Post has issued varieties of stamps, se-tenants, Miniature sheets, Sheetlets, Presentation Packs, FDCs and many more philatelic items which have attracted the collectors not only in India but all over the world. Since 1947, approximately more than 2300 stamps must have been issued along with their respective FDCs and folders. I as a collector of FDCs found it difficult to properly preserve all these FDCs and folders.

However, during my pursuit of collecting FDCs, folders etc, I found that this subject can be narrowed down to substantial size without losing its collecting pleasure. Hence I selected this subject of FDCs of Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets which form the total of about 450. And their Folders also may be of equal numbers. This theme has a small gamut and it can be managed easily.

This subject of modern philately is a fascinating section which is capable to delight the collector's eyes with various sizes, color shades, cancellation marks, legends and creative designs which have a religious, cultural, historical, political and commercial overtone. It has colors, creativity and charisma.

In this book, I have made an effort to present this subject with all its facets. I have made a conscious effort to make my entire collector's guide as concise & compact as possible without compromising on content in order to make them affordable and easy to use for all. In this Guide, I have tried to maximize the number of examples. There might be some more which are yet to surface and I wish that they all may see the light of day and delight collectors.

This Guide is my attempt to show collectors glimpses of FDCs of Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets which can be a fascinating philatelic theme. I, as collector of FDCs, have made all efforts to be accurate but if at all there are any lapses I request readers to draw my attention to the same so that corrections could be effected in future editions.

I hope this guide book becomes useful to Stamp lovers and philatelists of Indian philately.

15 February, 2013, Ahmedabad

Praful Thakkar

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Format

1. Here in this collector's guide, mere listing of all the First Day Covers and Folders is not intended. This is an effort where I have tried to focus on three sections of FDCs and Folders which are attractive and are fast getting attention of collectors of modern philately viz. FDCs & Folders with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets. The period covered is from 1947 to 2012 with a special effort to present FDCs and Folders of Pre-Independence period too. I have also made an humble effort to present FDCs and Folders, wherever possible, of Definitive Stamps, Overprinted Military Stamps etc.

2. I humbly accept that I am not an authority or a historian of the subject. I am a collector of First Day Covers and Folders and am trying to share the understanding of this focused and fascinating section with fellow philatelists.

3. The book is divided in three major sections.

(a) **Introduction** - In section of Introduction detailed explanations of creative varieties/variations and numbering system of Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniatures Sheets are given. Here a chapter is given of "Some Creative Varieties & Variations" where one can see the constructive efforts and creative imaginations of philatelists to make this subject more attractive and artistic. The charm and charisma of the theme lies in creating and collecting FDCs & Folders with Miniature Sheets.

(b) **Catalogue** - In Catalogue section, information of respective stamps are given along with their Print details and value. In Se-tenant section details of format are given along with all other details. In Miniature Sheets' section FDCs with Miniature Sheets are shown. The creative philatelists have used their imagination in various ways in preparing FDCs with Ms as they are sometimes bigger than the FDCs. Wherever possible, at the end of each sub-section, pictures giving glimpses of respective Folders, brochures, Souvenir Albums etc are also given. This section is divided in three major categories with their sub-sections as under:

FDCs & Folders with Set of Stamps

- (i) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' _ Pre-Independence India
- (ii) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' _ Commemorative
- (iii) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' _ Definitive _ Regular
- (iv) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' _ Definitive _ Military
- (v) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' _ Service

FDCs & Folders with Se-tenant Stamps

- (i) FDCs with Se-tenant stamps
- (ii) Glimpses of Folders with 'Se-tenant Stamps'
- (iii) FDCs with 'Se-tenant Stamps' of India Possible from MS

FDCs & Folders with Miniature Sheets

- (i) FDCs with MS
- (ii) Glimpses of Folders with MS

Glimpses of Folders, Bulletins, Souvenir Albums etc.

Glimpses of some Presentation Packs

- (i) Issued by India Post
- (ii) Issued by Regional Postal Circles/GPO

(c) **Checklists** - In Checklists section, one can find Checklists on various subjects particularly falling in the purview of this book. This will facilitate the collectors to find out their missing items to complete the collection. It is as if a ready guide. One important checklist is of Total issue of Commemorative Stamps, Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheet. This Checklist gives idea that from 1947 to 2012, there are about 2300 beautiful stamps issued by India Post and out of this approximately 216 are Set of Stamps, 128 are Se-tenant Stamps and 106 are Miniature Sheets. Thus this subject of FDCs of Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets will form the total of about 450. And their Folders also may be of equal numbers. Thus this subject can be narrowed down to substantial size without losing its collecting pleasure. This theme has a small gamut and it can be managed easily.

4. This subject of modern philately is a fascinating section which is capable to delight the collector's eyes with various sizes, color shades, cancellation marks, legends and creative designs which have a religious, cultural, historical, political and commercial overtone. It has colors, creativity and charisma. In this book, I have made an effort to present this subject with all its facets. An attempt is made to give glimpses of various Official FDCs, Folders, VIP Folders, Presentation Folders, Presentation Packs, Souvenir Albums etc issued by Indian Postal Department. As no official FDC is issued for Miniature Sheet Of Mahatma Gandhi with Khadi stamp issued in INDIPEX 2010, some Private FDCs are shown.

5. Today the class of stamp collectors is increasing in India. This interesting hobby not only gives pleasure of collection, but also works as the avenue of investment and source of income as its by-products. There are collectors who collect the philately items as hobbyists for happiness and subsequently harvest a rich return when they sell them. Like any other hobby, this hobby is also having a great potential. Hence along with the details of FDCs and Folders, an effort is made to present their value. It may be clarified that this assessment is subjective and indicative only. It is not final. The valuation depends upon various factors like condition, rarity and availability of such items. However, collectors are requested to take all precautions and make their own assessment while procuring particular FDCs and Folders. They have to use their own personal discretion and take appropriate decision in evaluation. We, The author, publisher or distributors, do not hold any responsibilities regarding price guide or valuation.

6. The illustrations of FDCs and Folders are not of actual size. To make optimum use of Space, most of FDCs and Folders have been reduced in size.

Numbering System

The subject of FDCs and various Folders with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets is very wide. The entire subject is presented here in main three categories.

A. FDCs and Folders with Set of Stamps

B. FDCs and Folders with Se-tenant Stamps

C. FDCs and Folders with Miniature Sheets

To give a different identity to each type in each category, I have tried to develop a systematic numbering system in each category with specific pattern.

The basic norms are as under :

1. All FDCs and Folders with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets will have first 3 letters as " SET", "SNT" and "MS" respectively. These letters will indicate the major category.
2. The next two numerical numbers will indicate the last two digits of the year in which these stamps are issued. For example SET 74, SNT 74 and MS 74 will indicate that these FDCs or Folders are of year (19)74 respectively.
3. After the underscore, either "FDC" or "Folder" is written which show their section. (a) If the FDC is a Private one, after FDC into bracket "(Private)" is written. (b) If the FDC is from Pre-Independence period & Private one, then after FDC into bracket "(PRE_ IND_ PVT)" is written. (c) If the FDC is of 1st Series of Definitive Stamps, then after FDC into bracket "(1st Series-Def)" is written. (d) If the FDC is of Military Definitive Stamps, then after FDC into bracket "(Military-Def) Ovpt Laos" and other respective places of Forces are written. (e) If the FDC has some variety, then after FDC into bracket (of Khadi cloth) is written.
4. Again after the underscore, (a) a numerical number is given which will show the running number of that philatelic item as per its chronological issue by the Postal Department. (b) If there are more than one variety found or issued for a particular philatelic item, then it is shown with a small alphabet "a", "b" or "c" after the last numerical number.
5. Number of Folders are shown below the details of FDCs in each category. The numbers are the same as those of FDCs. (1) For normal or regular folders, only "Folder" is written without any suffix added in the bracket. (2) If the folder is VIP folder, then VIP Folder is written. (3) If the folder is a Presentation folder, then Presentation Folder is written.
6. Presentation Packs is the subject which has sporadic issues. Each stamp, se-tenant or MS do not have the Presentation Pack. Hence here little change is made in numbering system. (1) Here the numbers are given year wise and issuing authority wise. (2) All Presentation Pack numbers will start with PP and followed by two numerical numbers which will indicate the last two digits of the year of issue. (3) Then next to underscore issuing authority is indicated with two letters. In case of India Post it is IP while in case of Regional Post it is IP-Calicut, Kerala etc. (4) Next to this is a word or phrase which can give the idea about the theme. (5) Lastly the continuous numerical number is given.

Thus one can find numbering of various FDCs and Folders as under:

SET Section :

1. FDCs with Set of Stamps SET 48_FDC_2, 3, 4 etc.
2. FDCs of different size or different cancellations with Set of Stamps SET 50_FDC_1a, 1b, 1c etc.
3. FDCs with Definitive Set of Stamps SET 48_FDC(1st Series-Def)_1, 2 etc.
4. FDCs with Definitive-Military Set of Stamps SET 48_FDC(Military-Def)_Ovpt. Laos_1, 2 etc.
5. FDCs with Pre-Independence Set of Stamps SET 29_FDC (PRE_ IND_ PVT)_1

SNT Section :

6. FDCs with Se-tenant Stamps SNT 80_FDC_3
7. FDCs with some variety with Se-tenant Stamps SNT 88_FDC (of Khadi cloth)_9b
8. FDCs with Se-tenant Stamps from MS SNT 87_FDC (MS 14)_1 etc.

MS Section :

9. FDCs with Miniature Sheet MS 73_FDC_1, 2, 3 etc.
10. FDCs Privately issued with Miniature Sheet MS 73_FDC (Private)_1, 2, 3 etc.

Folder Section :

11. Folders with Miniature Sheet MS 73_Folder_1
12. Folders with Set of Stamps SET 73_Folder_1 etc.
13. Folders with Set of Stamps SET 73_VIP Folder_1 etc.
14. Folders with Set of Stamps SET 73_Presentation Folder_1 etc.
15. Folders with Se-tenant Stamps SNT 74_Folder_1 etc.
16. Folders with Se-tenant Stamps SNT_VIP Folder_1 etc.

Presentation Pack Section :

17. PP of India Post ... PP 07_IP_Buddha_2
18. PP of Regional Post ... PP 05_RP_Calicut_Dandi_1

It is rightly said that "Philately is King of Hobbies". It is a delightful hobby that sharpens and satisfies our aesthetic tastes. Through this hobby, we expand our knowledge of and interaction with the world we live in. We do get interesting details of politics, history, prominent personalities, national and international events, geography, flora and fauna, agriculture, science, monuments, soldiers, warriors, scientists, arms and ammunition, modes of transport etc by collecting stamps. This process of learning becomes more delightful through visuals and brief write-ups. In addition, philately cultivates a meticulous and focused attention to detail. It also helps to make friends across boundaries and age limits.

1. Stamps

1.1 Postage stamp, begun as a piece of paper in token of receipt of postage, has gradually assumed additional functions. It is a mode of commemorating, celebrating and promoting national heritage and events. It plays a great role as an ambassador. It symbolizes a brand image of postal administration. It is truly a statement of sovereignty of a nation. It actually frames national identity and carries an important message to both the outside world and the home population. Stamps are thus referred to as bearers of nationalist thoughts, beliefs and principles.

1.2 As stamps have dual character, (1) one as a "Token of Postage" and (2) other as "Cultural Ambassador", in return they give us two categories of Stamps viz. Definitive and Commemorative.

(1) The first one is Definitive Stamps which are meant for day-to-day use as a token of payment of postage on mail articles. These incorporate less complicated design inputs, entailing minimum expenditure in their manufacture, and are printed in large quantities over longer periods. The three sets of definitive stamps issued in 1949, 1955 and 1957 outlined an official view of India as a cultural, economic and territorial nation. After India's independence, the medium of postage stamps was initially used to highlight the country's rich historic and cultural heritage mostly Hindu, Buddhist, Muslim, Sikh and Jain temples, sculptures, monuments and fortresses through Archeological Stamps (1949). Subsequently in 2nd Series of Definitive Stamps (1955), achievements in science and technology as well as its socio-economic Development by depicting themes like the Five Year Plans, Steel Plants, Dams etc are shown. In the 3rd series of Definitive Stamps (1957), India's territorial boundaries are shown through Map Series. 'The Map of India Series' carries the same image of the map of India in various shades with an attractive arabesque pattern down the left-hand-side. The map highlights the main river systems and mountain ranges and does not include internal boundaries. In subsequent Series of Definitive Stamps, India's rich cultural and natural heritage and various Development Projects came to be showcased along with great builders of nation.

(2) The second one is Commemorative Stamps. They are designed and printed with greater aesthetic inputs. They are brought out to denote special occasions such as inaugurations, jubilees, centenaries, birth or death anniversaries, special exhibitions, meetings etc. It is noteworthy that a large number of occasional commemorative stamps celebrated the heroes of the nationalist freedom struggle. All these Commemorative Stamps are manufactured in limited quantities and generate great interest among philatelists and collectors.

1.3 Over the period, mode and pattern of issue of stamps have seen variations. We see more than one stamp issued on the same day in a form of a Set. We have seen from 1974 when first Se-tenant Stamps of Mathura Museum was issued, every year many stamps are issued in Se-tenant formats. And till 2012 about 126 Se-tenant stamps are issued. From 1973 when first Miniature Sheet of India International Philatelic Exhibition was issued, about 106 Miniature Sheets are issued. All these Stamp-Format can be affixed on FDC or Folder and can be cancelled with First Day Postmark. This is a fascinating theme and is a subject matter of this book.

2. First Day Covers

Keeping in mind the information about stamps, let us understand First Day Covers. First Day Covers are issued on the first day of availability of new set of postage stamps. Three basic elements are brought out together to create First Day Cover. (1) There should be a cover official or private, with or without cachet appropriate to the theme of stamp (2) Stamp or Stamps issued and (3) First Day Official cancellation postmark.

3. Folders

Whenever any special stamp is issued, along with its First Day Cover with befitting cachet, a publicity brochure or an information folder is also brought out. It contains a brief write-up on the subject, designs, name of the designer and also technical data of the stamp. The brief write-up provided in a folder enlightens us with appropriate details of stamps which may be presenting politics, history, prominent personalities, national and international events, geography, flora and fauna, agriculture, science, monuments, soldiers, warriors, scientists, arms and ammunition, modes of transport etc. Thus process of learning becomes more delightful through visuals and brief write-ups. In addition, it cultivates a meticulous and focused attention to detail.

4. Postmarks or Cancellations

Along with the issue of Stamps and FDCs, Indian Postal Department issues a special Postmark with subject of the stamp, issue date and name of the philatelic bureau. Variations in sizes of such Official Postmarks have also come to the notice. These are known as "Official Cancellations". Some philatelists have also made a sincere effort to prepare FDCs and use them commercially with appropriate stamps affixed on such covers. These covers are commercially used FDCs with official cancellation on properly stamped cover. Such FDCs are rare and carry more value.

However, where the bureau facility was not available, collectors have tried to obtain cancellation of the same date from different Post Offices. These are known as "Date Cancellations". Some elite and senior philatelists have also tried to obtain the date cancellation of places of Post Offices connected with the theme of postal stamps. These are known as "Special Place Cancellations".

5. First Day Covers with 'Set of Stamps' - Predecessors of 'Se-tenant stamps'

5.1 Many a time Indian Postal Department issue more than one stamp on the same day. Between 1947 and 1974, on various occasions, more than one stamp has been issued on the same day. Such stamps were issued in 'Set' depicting a specific theme or subject. Issue of such 'Set' continued even after 1974 i.e. after the introduction of Se-tenant stamps. Such 'Set of Stamps' depicting a specific subject and issued on the same day can be a very good collectible on FDCs. In Se-tenant stamps, two or more stamps of a particular subject are joined together and issued either in the form of Miniature Sheet, regular sheet or sheetlet. While in 'Set of Stamps', such subject is presented in two or more separate stamps which are issued on the same day in separate sheets.

All the stamps issued on the same day form a 'Set' and if they are affixed on one First Day Cover, such FDCs will be as colourful, attractive and interesting as Se-tenant FDCs. Moreover, a 'Set of Stamps' on First Day cover has its own philatelic worth as the FDC has some design on the cover along with the First Day Cancellation. During the pursuit of collecting such official FDCs with 'Set of Stamps', one may also find some First Day Cancelled Private covers or Special covers having some thematic and artistic design appropriate to the 'Set of Stamps'.

Thus, collecting official and private or special FDCs with 'Set of Stamps', can be a very good subject with thematic focus.

5.2 As such, 'Set of Stamps' series started with 2 stamps of Independence issued on 15th December, 1947. And then it was followed by Mahatma Gandhi mourning issue of 4 stamps issued in 1948, UPU 4 stamps issued in 1949, Republic of India 4 stamps issued in 1950, Asian Games 2 stamps issued in 1951, Poet series of 6 stamps issued in 1952 and so on. It is true that one may experience difficulties in collecting FDCs of 'Set of Stamps' from 1947 to 1956. They are little scarce. However, Gandhi mourning FDC with all 4 stamps including Rs.10 stamp will be very rare as in 1948 Rs.10 was really a very high amount for the people to spend. However, at present, FDCs of 'Set of Stamps' from 1957 onwards are easily available at affordable price and one can build a wonderful thematic collection of such FDCs. These FDCs contain variety of themes and are beautiful. They have all the charisma to attract collector's and connoisseur's eye as they are made with exquisite art and creative colour combination.

5.3 First Day Covers containing 'Set of Stamps' of Wild life Preservation (7/10/1963), Indian Birds (31/12/1968), Indian Miniature Paintings (5/05/1973), Indian Masks (15/04/1974), Indian Classical Dances (20/10/1975), Indian Wild Life (1/10/1976), Indian Flowers (1/07/1977), Modern Indian Paintings (23/03/1973), Museums of India (27/07/1978), Brides (30/12/1980), Tribes (30/05/1980), Butterflies (01/09/1981), Himalayan Flowers (29/05/1982), Forts of India (03/08/1984), Indian Trees (19/11/1987), Himalayan Peaks (19/05/1988), Historic Cities of India (24/12/1990), Tribal Dancers (30/04/1991), Orchids of India (12/10/1991), Yogasana (30/12/1991), Adventure Sports (29/04/1992), Birds of Prey (30/12/1992), Mountain Locomotives (16/04/1993), Indian Cricketers (13/03/1996), Indian Musical Instruments (29/12/1998), Sea Shells of Andaman & Nicobar Islands (30/12/1998), Indigenous Breeds of Cattle (23/04/2000), Corals of India (22/08/2001), Golden Voices of Yesteryears (15/05/2003), Waterfalls of India (3/10/2003), Snakes (12/11/2003) and many more 'Set of Stamps' on FDCs are real masterpiece of creative design prepared by our India Post.

5.4 Over and above these 'Set of Stamps', we do have colourful and creative combination of Olympic Sport stamps and Personality stamps of writers, poets, social reformers and Freedom Fighters. All these series present ever shining Indian History and Heritage which give us a feel of proud and privileged Indians.

During my pursuit of collecting FDCs of 'Set of Stamps', some very interesting and exceptional aspects came to my notice.

5.5 In some cases, two or three official FDCs with two or more 'Set of Stamps' are issued.

They are as under:

(A) For Republic of India (2a, 3 ½a, 4a & 12a-Dt.02/10/1969), three official covers of different sizes (110mmx168mm, 128mmx158mm and 102mmx228mm) have been issued. However design on all the three covers is the same.

(B) For Kalidasa (15nP & Re.1.03- Dt.22/06/1960), two types of official covers have been issued by Indian Postal Department. One is a longer one (23 cms x 10.2 cms.) and other is a smaller one (15.4 cms x 9 cms.) of regular size of that time.

(C) For 67th Anniversary of Subhash Chandra Bose (15nP & 55 nP-Dt.23/01/1964), two types of small official covers have been issued. One is with a design of Indian National Army & I.N.A. inscribed Logo showing map of India and the other one is depicting I.N.A. Martyrs' Memorial, Singapore.

(D) For Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi (20p, 75p, 1Re & 5 Rs-Dt.02/10/1969) again two official covers have been issued. In one cover on the left Gandhiji is shown in a standing position and in other Gandhiji is shown in a sitting position.

5.6 I have also noted that in some two or three cases along with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant stamps are also issued on the same day. The examples are as under:

(A) India's Struggle for Freedom (9/08/1983- Two Se-tenant Stamps and one single stamp),

(B) India's Space Programme (29/09/2000-Two Se-tenant Stamps & two Set of Stamps) and

(C) Madhubani: Mithila Paintings (15/10/2000- Two Se-tenant Stamps & three 'set of stamps').

Such FDCs can form the part in both collections viz. Se-tenant Stamps and Set of Stamps.

5.7 One unusual cancellation is noticed on the FDC cover of Indian Mutiny Centenary (15nP & 90nP- Dt. 15/08/1997).

Here there are two covers seen with two official cancellations dated 15/08/1957 & 16/08/1957. Only these two stamps have 2 official cancellations of 2 different dates. This has happened so because at some places Post offices were closed on 15/08/1957, being a public holiday to celebrate Independence Day. Hence a notification was issued to give cancellation also on 16/08/1957 on FDCs. This resulted in 2 First Day cancellations of 15/08/1957 & 16/08/1957 with red, blue and black rubber stamps.

From 1947 to 2012 about 216 First Day Covers are issued where more than one stamp (issued on the same day) are affixed. Thus this is a very interesting thematic subject of collection with a limited thematic focus.

6. First Day Covers with Se-tenant Stamps of India

6.1 Stamps with different designs that are attached to one another are called "se-tenant" by stamp collectors.

6.2 "Se-tenant" translates from French as meaning "holding together or "joined together". In French the word is pronounced "seh-tah-NOHN," while many American collectors pronounce it "seh-TEH-nent." The term is used to describe attached stamps that are different from one another.

6.3 Se-tenant stamps began as issues of separate designs that were simply attached to one another which may be either one or more. They may have their attachments in horizontal or vertical strips or both types in one block of four. Sometimes, they may have attachments even at corner points. Moreover, we also find issues where the stamps are part of a larger continuous design.

6.4 Se-tenant Stamps can be available either from regular sheets or Sheetlets and from Miniature Sheets. Collectors around the world are fascinated by the various combinations of se-tenant stamps. Such items are not only collected as mint (unused) stamps, but also postal used and saved intact on a mailed cover. It has its own charm and charisma on FDC. Many creative philatelists are making variety covers with different variations. One can have glimpses of such varieties and variations in this book.

6.5 The occurrence of se-tenant stamps has increased dramatically during the past 30 years. For many years, whenever a sheet of stamps was printed, every stamp on the sheet would have the same design. However now, Se-tenant stamps or labels are printed from the same plate and sheet and adjoin one another. They differ from each other by design, color, denomination or overprint. They may have a continuous design too.

6.6 There are differing ways of preparing a se-tenant sheet. They may be joined in a

(1) Horizontal pair of two (2) Vertical strip of three (3) Horizontal strip of three (4) Vertical strip of four (5) Horizontal strip of four (6) Variety of same Se-tenant stamps with block of four and vertical & horizontal strips (7) Horizontal strip of five (8) Vertical Strip of five (9) Horizontal & vertical both pattern in one block (10) Block of four with separate design stamps (11) Block of four forming continuous and compact design (12) Vertical strip of two continuous and compact design (13) Horizontal strip of two continuous and compact design (14) Four Se-tenant Stamps forming a Diamond shape (15) Se-tenant stamps forming an odd shape (16) Joint issue Se-tenant stamps with subject of another country on one stamp (17) Se-tenant Stamps with tete-beche format

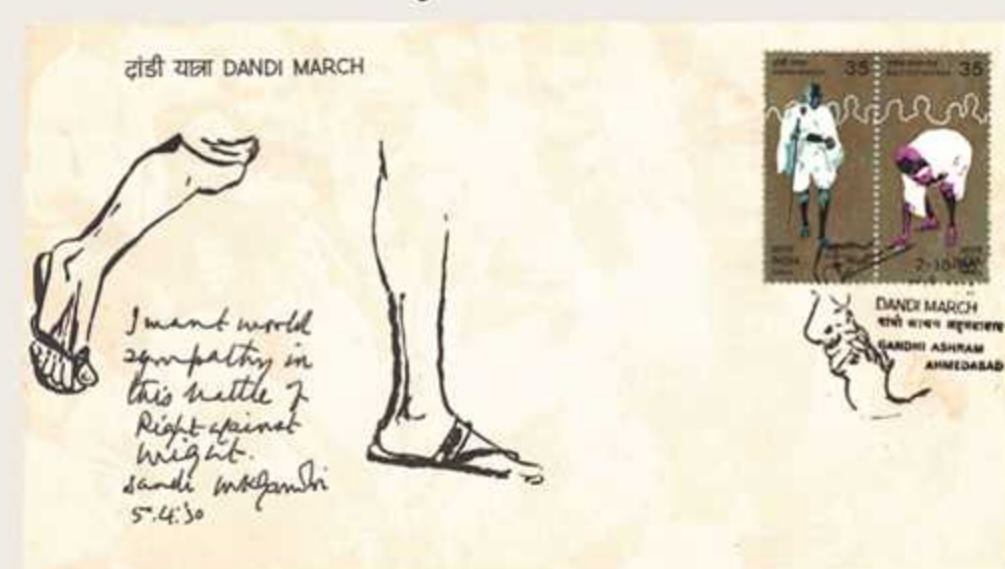
6.7 Some examples of these are highlighted here.

1. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Horizontal pair of two.

Mathura Museum 9/10/1974



50th Anniversary of Dandi March 2/10/1980



2. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Vertical strips of three.

Sangeet Natak Akademi 22/12/2003



4th CISM Military World Games 14/10/2007



3. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Horizontal strips of three.

Sangeet Natak Aakademi 22/12/2003



Children's Day 14/11/2008



4. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Vertical strip of four

Endangered birds 5/10/2006

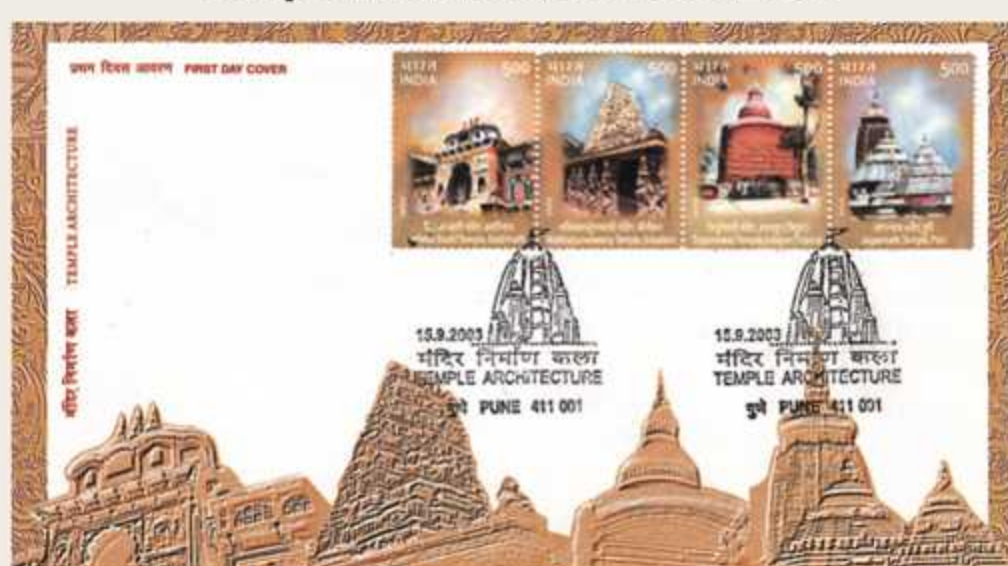


Landmark Bridges 17/06/2007



5. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with horizontal strip of four

Temple Architecture 15/09/2003



3rd Commonwealth Youth Games 12/10/2008



6. FDC of Variety of same Se-tenant stamps with block of four and vertical & horizontal strips.

In such designs the stamps are arranged like a checkerboard, with the different designs alternating in each row horizontally and vertically. Political Leaders 15/8/2000 and Medicinal Plants 7/04/2003 are sterling examples of all the 3 types.

Medicinal Plants 7/04/2003

Block of Four



Vertical Strip



Horizontal Strip



7. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Horizontal strip of five

Gallantry Awards 28/01/2000



8. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Vertical strip of five

National Parks 31/05/2007



9. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Horizontal & Vertical both pattern in one block

Renewable Energy 12/11/2007



Himalayan Lakes 6/11/2006



10. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Block of four having separate designs on stamps

Dandi March 7/04/2005



Rural Indian Women 15/10/1997



11. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Block of four forming one continuous and compact design. Such four se-tenant stamps that combine to create one design are called a "quadripartition" (pronounced "kwod-rih-par-TISH-en)."

Se-tenant stamps of Michelangelo 28/06/1975, 4 Se-tenant stamps of President Review of the Fleet 12/02/1984, 4 Se-tenant stamps of Indian National Congress 28/12/1985 etc are the examples of this type.

Se-tenant stamps of Michelangelo 28/06/1975



Se-tenant stamps of Indian National Congress 28/12/1985



12. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Vertical strip of two forming one continuous and compact design

National Savings 30/06/1998



13. FDC of Se-tenant Stamps with Horizontal strip of two forming one continuous and compact design

Satyajit Ray 11/01/1994, Mahatma Gandhi 2/10/1994, 100 years of Cinema 11/01/1995 and Dr. Salim Ali 12/11/1996 are such examples.

Satyajit Ray 11/01/1994



Mahatma Gandhi 2/10/1994



14. FDC of four Se-tenant Stamps forming a Diamond shape

Beijing Olympic Games 8/08/2008



15. FDC of two Se-tenant stamps forming an odd shape

Giant Tortoise 2/2/08/2008



16. FDC of Joint issue Se-tenant stamps with subject of another country on one stamp

Indo-Soviet 16/08/1990, Indo-Japan 26/04/2002, Indo-France 29/11/2003, Indo-Korea 10/12/2003, Indo-Iran 16/08/2004, Indo-Cyprus 12/04/2006, Indo-Mongolia 1/09/2006, Indo-China 11/07/2008 are examples of this type.

Indo-Soviet 16/08/1990



Indo-Mongolia 1/09/2006



17. FDCs of Se-tenant Stamps with tete-beche format

Border Roads Organization Silver Jubilee 10/10/1985 and Bombay Sappers 21/02/1990 are such examples.

Border Roads Organization Silver Jubilee 10/10/1985



Bombay Sappers 21/02/1990



7. First Day Covers with Miniature Sheets of India

7.1 A miniature sheet or souvenir sheet is a small group of postage stamps attached to the sheet on which they were printed. Such stamps may be of special issues commemorating anniversary, centenary, theme or event. The number of stamps on MS ranges from one to about 12. MS of Geet Govind and MS with Zodiac Signs are the sterling examples. Both the stamps and the entire sheet are valid for mailing, although they are almost always sold above face value and kept in mint collection by collectors.

7.2 India Post has issued various types of Miniature Sheets with variety of different combinations.

(1) MS having imperforate stamps (2) MS having margins or selvage of the sheet having additional legend of event or occasion printed (3) MS having a full picture of which the stamp(s) is (are) just a small part (4) MS having ornamental designs, price, emblems and logo(s) which are not the part of stamp(s) (5) MS where stamps are in se-tenant position while the same stamps are not se-tenants in regular issue (6) MS having appropriate fragrance (7) MS of Joint Issue of 2 countries with theme of other country on 1 stamp (8) MS having only single stamp (9) FDC with MS with only one stamp and issued only in the form of Souvenir Sheet

7.3 Some examples of these are highlighted here.

1. FDC with MS having imperforate stamps.

India International Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi issued on 14/11/1973 is a MS without perforation.

India International Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi issued on 14/11/1973



2. FDC with MS having margins or selvage of the sheet having additional legend of event or occasion printed.

World Philatelic Exhibition - New Delhi 20-29 January 1989 issued on 17/10/1987, Centenary of 'Satyagraha' 2/10/2007 etc. are MSs of this type.

**World Philatelic Exhibition - New Delhi
20-29 January 1989 issued on 17/10/1987**



**Centenary of 'Satyagraha'
2/10/2007**



3. FDC with MS having a full picture of which the stamp(s) is (are) just a small part.

150 Years of Railways in India issued on 16/04/2002, 2500 Years of 'Mahaparivirvana' of the Buddha 2/05/2007 and Horses of India 9/11/2009 are MSs of this type.

2500 Years of 'Mahaparivirvana' of the Buddha 2/05/2007



Horses of India 9/11/2009



4. FDC with MS having ornamental designs, price, emblems and logo(s) which are not the part of stamp(s).

Explore India Millenium Year 2000 of 31/03/2000 and XIX Commonwealth Games 18/10/2009 are MSs of this type.

Explore India Millenium Year 2000 31/03/2000



XIX Commonwealth Games 18/10/2009



5. FDC with MS where stamps are in se-tenant position while the same stamps are not se-tenants in regular issue.

Aero India 2003, Bangalore, on Centenary Year of Man's First Flight 5/02/2003, 151st Anniversary of Government Museum in Chennai 19/06/2003 and Nature India - Snakes: Python, Pit Viper, King Cobra, Gliding Snake 12/11/2003 are the MSs of this type. In such cases, regular stamp sheets are issued which are not having Se-tenant stamps.

Aero India 2003, Bangalore, on Centenary Year of Man's First Flight 5/02/2003



Nature India - Snakes: Python, Pit Viper, King Cobra, Gliding Snake 12/11/2003



6. FDC with MS having appropriate fragrance.

Sandalwood (Santalum Album) of 13/12/2006 and Fragrances of Roses of 7/02/2007 are of this type.

Sandalwood (Santalum Album) of 13/12/2006



Fragrances of Roses of 7/02/2007



7. FDC with MS of Joint Issue of 2 countries with theme of other country on 1 stamp

50th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations between India and Japan 26/04/2002, India - Mongolia : Joint Issue (Arts and Crafts) 11/09/2006 and India - China : Joint Issue, Buddhist Temples 11/07/2008 are MSs of this type.

50th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations between India and Japan 26/04/2002



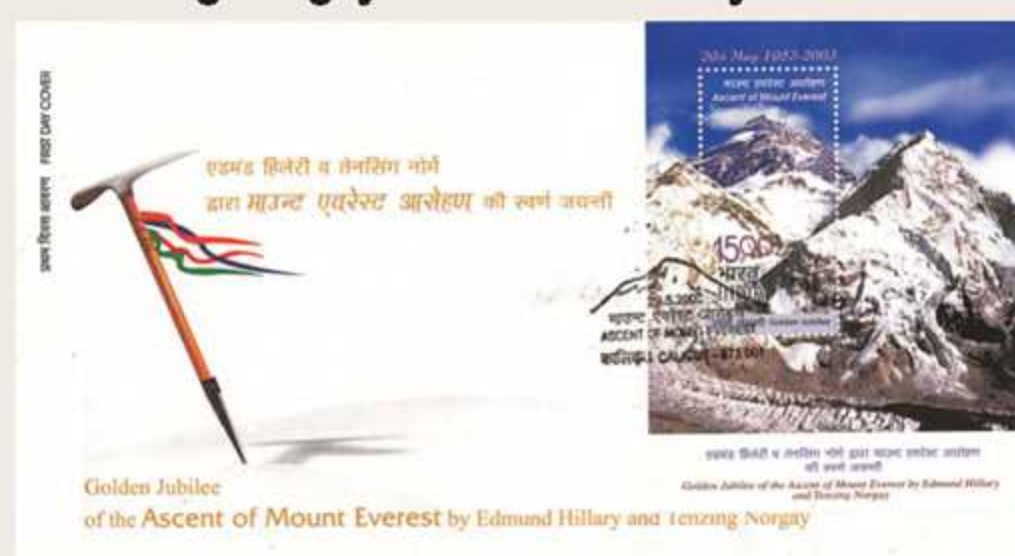
India - China : Joint Issue, Buddhist Temples 11/07/2008



8. FDC with MS having only single stamp

Golden Jubilee of the Ascent of Mount Everest by Tenzing Norgay & Edmund Hillary 29/05/2003, Madhubala 18/03/2008 and Taj Mahal, Agra 16/12/2004 are some MSs of this type.

Golden Jubilee of the Ascent of Mount Everest by Tenzing Norgay & Edmund Hillary 29/05/2003



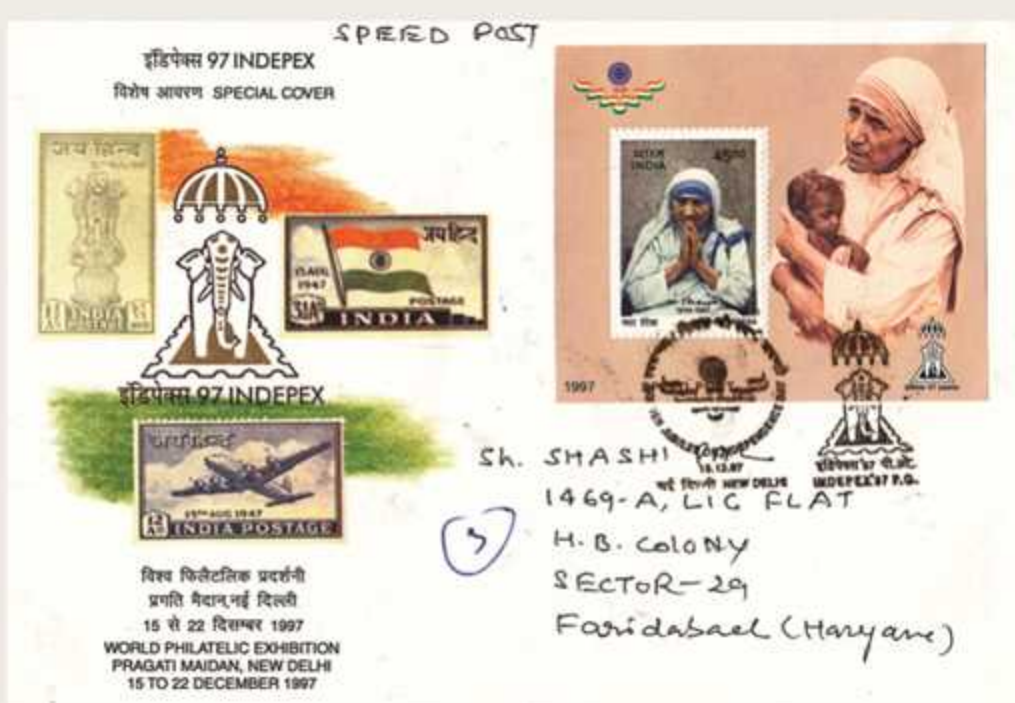
Madhubala 18/03/2008



9. FDC with MS with only one stamp and issued only in the form of Souvenir Sheet

Mother Teresa 15/12/1997, Mahatma Gandhi Khadi Stamp 12/02/2011 issued during INDIPEX 2011 and Philately Day 12/10/2012 are the examples of such Souvenir Sheets.

Mother Teresa 15/12/1997



Mahatma Gandhi Khadi Stamp 12/02/2011



Philately Day 12/10/2012



7.4 As modern miniature sheets contain interesting artwork as part of the decorative selvage, they are bigger in size. Hence it is difficult for the collectors to affix the MS on FDC and get cancelled. However, they find various ways to affix MS on FDC and getting it first day cancelled. We do find MS on two joined official FDCs or we find them on private plain cover (MS of Zodiac Signs or Geet Govind are the examples).

However, a handful of usages may be found as philatelic covers which can be a rare creative, charismatic, and thematic subject of FDCs with MS duly cancelled on official, plain or private covers.

8. First Day Covers with 'Definitive Stamps' of India

8.1 Definitive Stamps are those Postage stamps which are issued by Postal Department for regular consumer mail usage. They are sold for prolonged period of time unlike Commemorative and other special stamps offered for a limited period of time and are frequently replaced by a new issue or series.

The term 'Definitive Stamp' is used in contrast with a 'Commemorative Stamp' issued to honor a person or mark a special event and available only for a limited time. It is observed that commemorative stamps are issued for a special anniversary or to celebrate an event, achievement, famous person or any other theme. As against this, definitive stamps are issued regularly by all small or big Post offices over the counter for daily use.

8.2 Unlike Commemorative stamps which have three to six different value denominations, a definitive issue or series includes stamps in a range of denominations sufficient to cover many or all postal rates. The underlining concept is that values should be sufficient to make up all possible charges using as few stamps as possible. The range of values varies by time and postal needs, but the focus is on all pervading coverage.

The in-between values are usually chosen to "make change" efficiently. The relevant example is of 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50 paisa stamps in a decimal currency. It is common to include all values between 1 and 10, multiples of 5 from 10 to 50, and multiples of 10 from 50 to 100. Additional "oddball" values may reflect specific common rates, and if the series lasts for a period of time, there may be a number of such unusual values.

Generally the smallest value will be the smallest unit of currency, or smallest fractional postal rate; for instance, the 1957 Definitive series of Map of India has smallest stamps of 1np, 2np, 3np etc. Similarly, 1949 Archeological series and 1955 Five Year Plan series have stamps of 3p, 6p, 9p etc. The highest value of the series is generally quite large, typically from 50-100 times higher than the normal small denomination. Such typical values include 10 Rs, 15 Rs, 50 Rs etc. Such high value stamps are not often seen by the average person as they are most common for heavy parcels and packets.

8.3 Definitive 'issue' generally means a single stamp or set of stamps put on sale all at the same time. On the other hand, Definitive 'Series' is spread out over for a few years.

Since definitive series are issued over a period of time and are reprinted to meet postal demand, they often contain more variation than is typically found in stamps that have a single print run. Different printing methods like Litho or Photogravure, experimenting with phosphors, changing watermarks and different perforations are common and prevalent source of variation in stamps. Many philatelists study these differences as part of their hobby and try to collect all the varieties of each stamp. Some varieties are particularly rare and can be more valuable than others of the same stamp that may look the same to the casual observer.

8.4 Definitive are the workhorse stamps of a country, and as such, they tend to be small, with designs reflecting history, culture and achievements of the country.

Many a time such Definitive stamps present portrait of national leaders who have shaped the country as social reformers, freedom fighters or political leaders. This is a commendable effort of India Post as it gives an opportunity or opens a window to the young generation to get inspiration from such national leaders who have sacrificed their lives for the freedom and progress of the country.

For example, 1st Definitive Archeological series (1949) present historical monuments of India, 2nd Definitive series (1955) depicts Agriculture and Multipurpose Projects of India and 6th Definitive series presents different aspects of Rural Prosperity of India. We have also Special Definitive stamps of our great national leaders like Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, Sardar Vallbhbhai Patel, Subhash Chandra Bose and Dr. B.R.Ambedkar. Recently we have the Definitive series of Builders of Modern India.

Moreover, India Post has also made a very commendable effort in presenting Pictorial Definitive stamps of Flora & Fauna of various parts of our country.

8.5 Till now, India Post has issued 10 Series of Definitive Stamps:

- (a) 1st Definitive Archeological series (1949) present historical monuments of India
- (b) 2nd Definitive series (1955) depict Agriculture and Multipurpose Projects of India
- (c) 3rd Definitive Series (1957) depict Map of India (Andaman, Nicobar & Lakshadweep Islands are not shown in the design)
- (d) 4th Definitive Series (1965-1975) present Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion and Other subjects.
- (e) 5th Definitive Series (1974) also present similar subjects of 4th Series with some modifications.
- (f) 6th Definitive series (1979) present different aspects of Rural Prosperity of India.
- (g) 7th Definitive Series (1986) depict Family Planning, Energy Conservation, Science and Technology
- (h) 8th Definitive Series (1994) present some Special Definitive showing Health and other themes.
- (i) 9th Definitive Series (2000) present Flora and Fauna of India.
- (j) 10th Definitive Series (2008) present Builders of Modern India

8.6 Since 1949 till this date, India Post has issued above referred 10 Definitive Series along with some Special Definitive. In some Series official FDCs and Folders or Postal Bulletins are issued.

Some useful information and details are shared for the benefit of collectors and philatelists.

1. (a) For the 1st Series of Archeological Monuments and 2nd Series of Five Year Plan, specially printed First Day Covers were brought out on 15th August 1949 and 26th January 1955 respectively with special cachet postmarks to go with them.
 (b) For subsequent issues in both the series, however, no FDCs or special postmarks were provided.
 (c) Information Bulletin/Folder containing facsimiles of all the issues were also brought out for both the series.
 (d) Bulletin Folder for the Archaeological Series was in English and was brought in two types of paper. One was normal paper while the other one was thick and had very sharp and clear print. Probably, the Bulletin Folder on thick paper was meant for VIPs and this is very rare to find.
 (e) Folders for the Five Year Plan Series were brought out in English and Hindi.
2. For 3rd Series of Map Of India Stamps, no official FDC or Folder was brought out. However on its issue date of 1st April 1956, a special cachet postmark was provided. Subsequent issues of the series could, however, be cancelled with post office date-postmarks only.
3. (a) In respect of the Fourth Definitive Series (1965-75), dated FDCs with different designs, were brought out for all the issues (except the 4p and 25p stamps), but these were cancelled with normal date-stamps only.
 (b) For the 4p, 15p, 25p and Rs. 10 issues, Information Sheets were also brought out for all the denominations.
4. (a) For the Fifth Definitive Series (1975-79), undated standard FDCs in 2 sizes (but with the same design) were provided for all the issues.
 (b) The earlier issues in the series up to the middle of 1976 were cancelled with date-postmarks only, but for the later issues, the caption 'First Day of Issue' was added to the date-stamps.
 (c) Folders were issued for all the stamps in the series.
5. Two undated standard FDCs with an enlarged stamp-design at left, were provided for issue in the Sixth Definitive Series (1980-86), one without a background for the stamp, and the other with it.

It has come to the notice that a Private Cover was issued by Datia Philatelic Society on 27-05-1980 featuring stamps of Nehru and Gandhi.

Nehru-Gandhi Definitive Stamps - 25-07-1980



Stamps affixed to all these covers were cancelled with the postmark 'First Day of Issue'. No folders were issued for any of the stamps in this series.

It should be mentioned, though standard FDCs (without dated mentioned) were brought out for issues of the Fifth and Sixth Definitive Series, in the absence of adequate supplies of these at the Philatelic Bureaux, collectors were often forced to take the postmarks on plain commercial envelopes.

6. (a) For issues of the Seventh Definitive Series (1986-), undated First Day Covers specially designed with cachet of subjects of Science and Technology, were brought out for use with sets of stamps issued on particular dates.
 (b) No Folders were issued for any of the stamps in this Series.
7. For the 8th Series, We also find undated special cover with picture of Indian one horned Rhinoceros and legend VIII Definitive Series: The Natural Heritage of India. This cover was launched with the issue of 2 Stamps on Tiger-Sunderbans Biosphere Reserve and (1000p) and Leopard Cat (500p). This cover was used for other stamps of the series also.
8. It has also come to the notice that a Special Cover was issued for Special Definitive Series of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Dr B. R. Ambedkar in 2000 & 2001. All these 3 Stamps have been issued on different dates. Here a note is taken only about the issue of a Special Cover.
9. However, it seems, subsequently for 9th and 10th Series of Definitive Stamps, Official Folders and FDCs have not been brought and the postmark provided for the day of issue consisted of the date-stamp only, with the text 'First Day of Issue'.

8.7 Observations:

In 6th Series stamp of 100 (Hybrid Cotton) was issued on 17/06/1980 and the same design stamp was issued on 10/11/1983 with the difference of perforations. One was of 14 1/2x14 and another was of 13 Perforations.

In 6th Series stamp of 200 (Handloom weaving) was issued on 07/12/1980 and the same design stamp was issued on 10/11/1983 with the difference of perforations. One was of 14 1/2x14 and another was of 13 Perforations.

In 6th Series stamp of 325 (Oranges) was issued on 28/12/1982 and the same design stamp was issued on 12/08/1985 with the difference of position of watermark. In one case it was of upright and in another it was left side

Definitive Stamp of 100 (Hybrid Cotton)
Same design on 17/06/1980 & 10/11/1983



Definitive Stamp of 200 (Handloom Weaving)
Same design on 07/12/1980 & 10/11/1983



Definitive Stamp of 325 (Oranges)
Same design on 28/12/1982 & 12/08/1985



9. Folders/Brochures with varieties and formats issued along with Stamps of India

9.1 Indian Postal Department has issued various types of normal Folders/Brochures for Commemorative and Definitive Stamps with special cachet postmarks for information of general public. However, in few cases FDCs and Folders are not issued.

9.2 It should, however, be noted that till 1962 these Folders were issued by Postal Department as publicity material. They were meant for promotion of sales of new stamps, and hence they were distributed free. But, since these contained useful background information on the themes of the issues and technical data on the stamps, there was a gradual increase in their demand. The first Folder with price of 7 Naye Paise was published with the Red Cross Centenary issue of 8-5-1963.

9.3 Since 1947 till date, stamps and their details have been presented in various ways. For collectors' understanding, mainly they can be put as under:

1. Philatelic bulletins
2. Information Brochures
3. Publicity Display Cards
4. Publicity Brochures
5. Booklet Folders
6. Souvenir Albums with facsimile stamps
7. Souvenir Albums with actual stamps
8. Souvenir Albums with original stamps given to very high dignitaries and foreign delegates
9. VIP Folders
10. VIP Folders for Se-tenant Stamps
11. VIP Presentation Folders for Set of Stamps
12. VIP Presentation Albums
13. Normal Folders for Commemorative Stamps
14. Normal and VIP Folders for Definitive Stamps
15. Folders separately produced in two languages-Hindi & English

1. Philatelic Bulletins

In the beginning, immediately after Independence, in some cases Philatelic Bulletins are issued by Indian Postal Department in case of Commemorative and Definitive Stamps. These Postal Bulletins did have facsimile pictures of stamps along with some details about the stamp. Some philatelists of those days have affixed stamps on such bulletins/brochures and got them first day cancelled.

Republic of India 26-1-1950



which in its turn symbolises the importance of the "Charkha" in India's rural economy. The words "Republic of India" and "Inauguration January 26, 1950" are inscribed along the sides of the stamp. On one of the sides appear the word "POSTAGE" and the denominational value in English. In the top right hand corner of the issue is inscribed the word "INDIA" and the value of the stamp in Hindi (Ubrangri script).

The values are 20, 10, 5, and 2 annas respectively.

There are 15 perforations in each stamp.

The stamps have been printed on watermark paper bearing a multiple of five related star all over.

The printing process employed is "offset".

Except the 20 anna value, which is vertical in design, the remaining three values are horizontal, each measuring 1.18" x 1.56".

The 2 anna denomination is a full sheet of each denomination is 120.

The number of stamps in a full sheet of each denomination is 120.

The stamps are printed in limited quantities and will remain on sale concurrently with the corresponding denominations in the existing series until stocks are exhausted.

The stamps were designed by Messrs. B. J. Banner & Co. Ltd., Calcutta, and have been printed by the India Security Press, North Bomb.

Simultaneously with these stamps, a First Day Cover and a Folder will also be brought out. The designs for these have been obtained through the courtesy of the Commercial Arts Section of the P. D. J. School of Arts, Bombay.

K. Narasimha
DIRECTOR-GENERAL

2. Information Brochures

Here in this Brochure, details about Mahatma Gandhi's life is given along with the Space for the 4 Memorial Stamps. Philatelists have affixed Gandhi Memorial Stamps on this Brochure and got them cancelled. There are no technical data of stamps given in this Memorial Stamp Brochure. On the Brochure Producer of this Brochure is not mentioned. Only "Printed in India" words are seen at the back.

Mahatma Gandhi 15-8-1948



4. Publicity Brochures

In early years of Independence, like Philatelic Bulletins, Publicity Brochures are also issued by Indian Postal Department in case of Commemorative and Definitive Stamps. These Publicity Brochures also have facsimile pictures of stamps along with some details about the stamp. As in earlier case of Philatelic Bulletins, some philatelists of those days have affixed stamps on such brochures and got them first day cancelled.

Saints & Poets 1-10-1952



3. Publicity Display Cards

These Cards were meant for putting up on the Notice Board of various Post Offices to inform the general public about upcoming Postal stamps.

Independence Commemorative Issue 1947



5. Booklet Folders

In the early years, issue of Folders was not a regular feature. On some occasions, they were brought out as Complimentary colorful 'booklet-folders' which were brought out for presentation to dignitaries and important persons. They were mounted with set of special stamps and did not carry much of printed text. Later, these types of Complimentary "Booklet-Folders" were changed and are seen in form of white art-paper folders for presentation. These Folders were issued in conjunction with ordinary normal Folders which are issued with details of stamps.

2500th Buddha Jayanti 24-5-1956



6. Souvenir Albums with facsimile stamps

Indian Postal Department has also issued " Souvenir Albums with facsimile stamps " on specific occasion of Indian Postage Centenary. The jacket of the Albums are found in Blue, Black, Green and Red colors. The inner pages Contain facsimiles of Indian Stamps from 1854 to 1054.

Indian Postage Stamp Centenary 1-10-1954



7. Souvenir Albums with original stamps

Indian Postal Department had issued some Souvenir Albums with original stamps of Commemorative and Definitive Stamps for presenting them to VIPs.

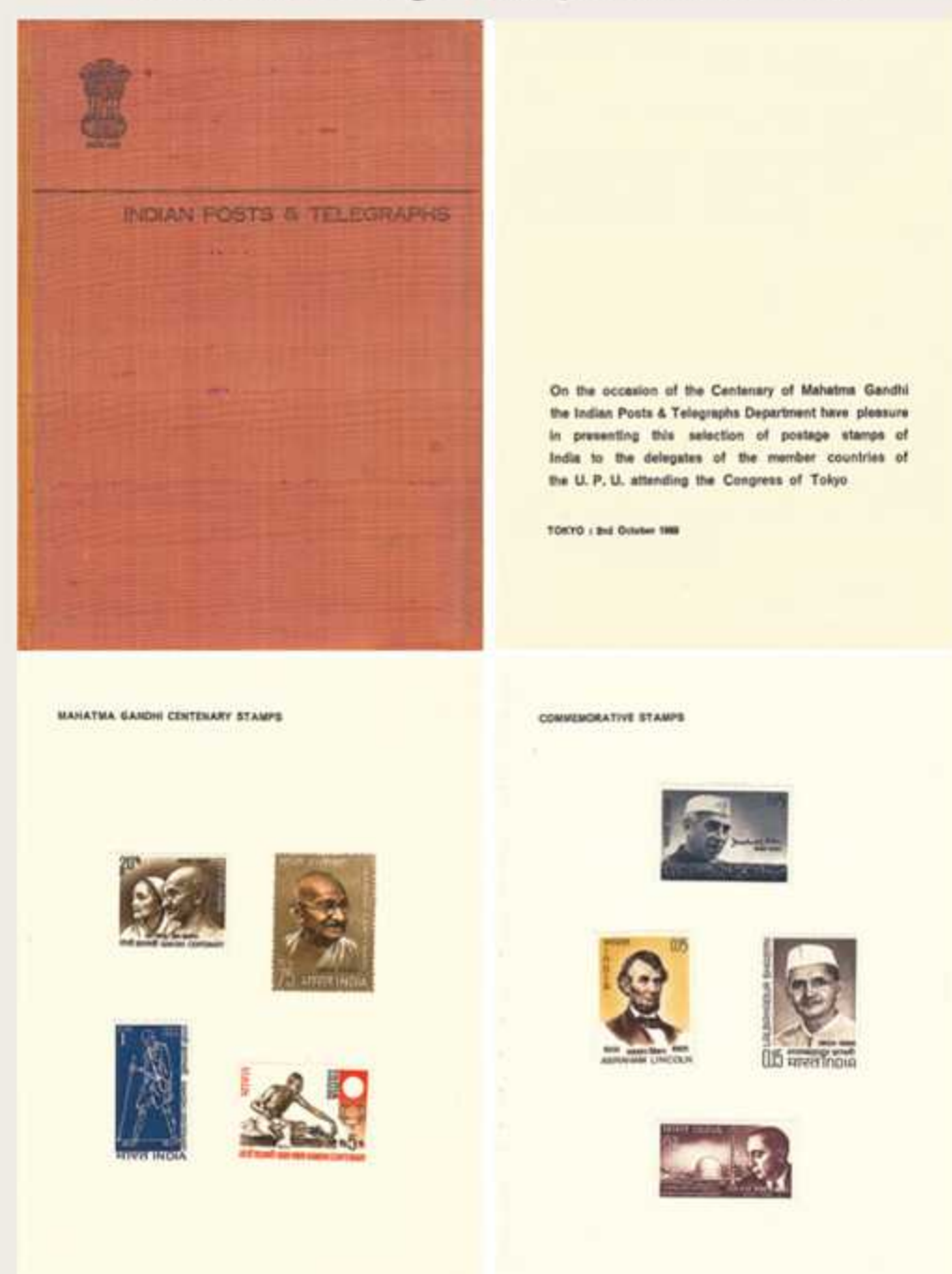
Five Year Plan Series of Definitive Stamps 26-1-1955



8. Souvenir Albums with original stamps given to very high dignitaries and foreign delegates

On few occasions Indian Postal Department has issued "Souvenir Albums with original stamps" for distribution to very high dignitaries and foreign delegates. The black and golden album prepared with Mahatma Gandhi stamps of 15-8-1948 printed by Courvoisier of Switzerland was specially prepared for presentation to very high dignitaries. On the occasion of the centenary of Mahatma Gandhi on 2/10/1969, the Indian Posts & Telegraphs Department has presented a souvenir album with a selection of postage stamps of India to the delegates of the member countries of the UPU attending the Congress of Tokyo.

Selected Postage stamps on 2-10-1969



10. VIP Folders for Se-tenant Stamps

There are no special folders issued for Se-tenant Stamps or Miniature sheets as they mostly contain regular Commemorative Stamps in specific forms. However, we do find some VIP Folders for "Se-tenant Stamps". It seems there are only 5 VIP Folders issued for Se-tenant Stamps viz. Mathura Museum (9-10-1974), Michelangelo (28-6-1975), Dandi March (2-10-1980), India's Struggle for Freedom (9-8-1983) and President's Review of the Fleet (12-2-1984). Others have not come to the notice.

Michelangelo 28-6-1975



9. VIP Folders for Set of Stamps

These types of Complimentary art-paper Presentation Folders meant for dignitaries, are popularly known as VIP Folders in Indian Philatelic fraternity. They are made of white folded art-board and carry no background information on the stamps issued. Hence, they are distinguished from the colorful 'booklet-folders' which were brought out in the earlier years for presentation to dignitaries.

Dances of India 20-10-1975

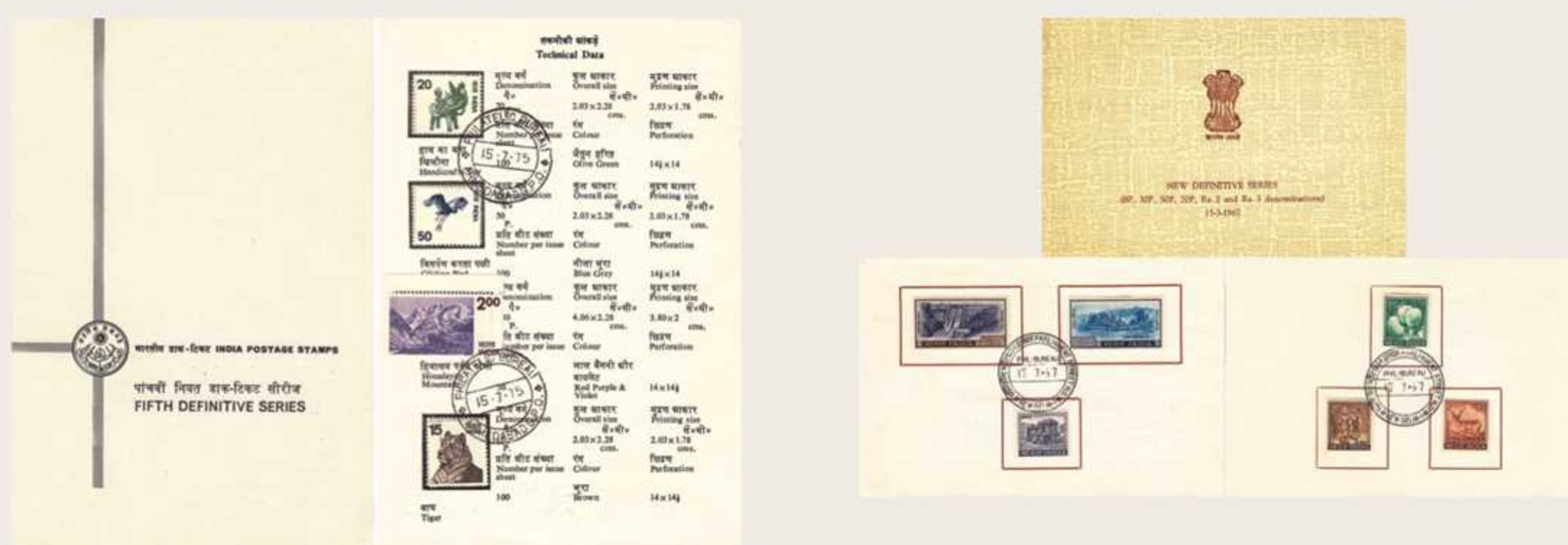


11. VIP Presentation Albums

In respect of some of the issues, in addition to the usual 'printed information sheets', special VIP Presentation Folders are specially made hardbound, with raw silk and handmade paper, VIP Presentation Albums are also prepared by the Postal department. They contain specimens of the commemorative stamps mounted on them which are either mint or cancelled with the special postmark. In some such albums First Day Covers duly cancelled are also put for presentation to invitees at functions organized for the formal release of stamps.

Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose 23-1-1964





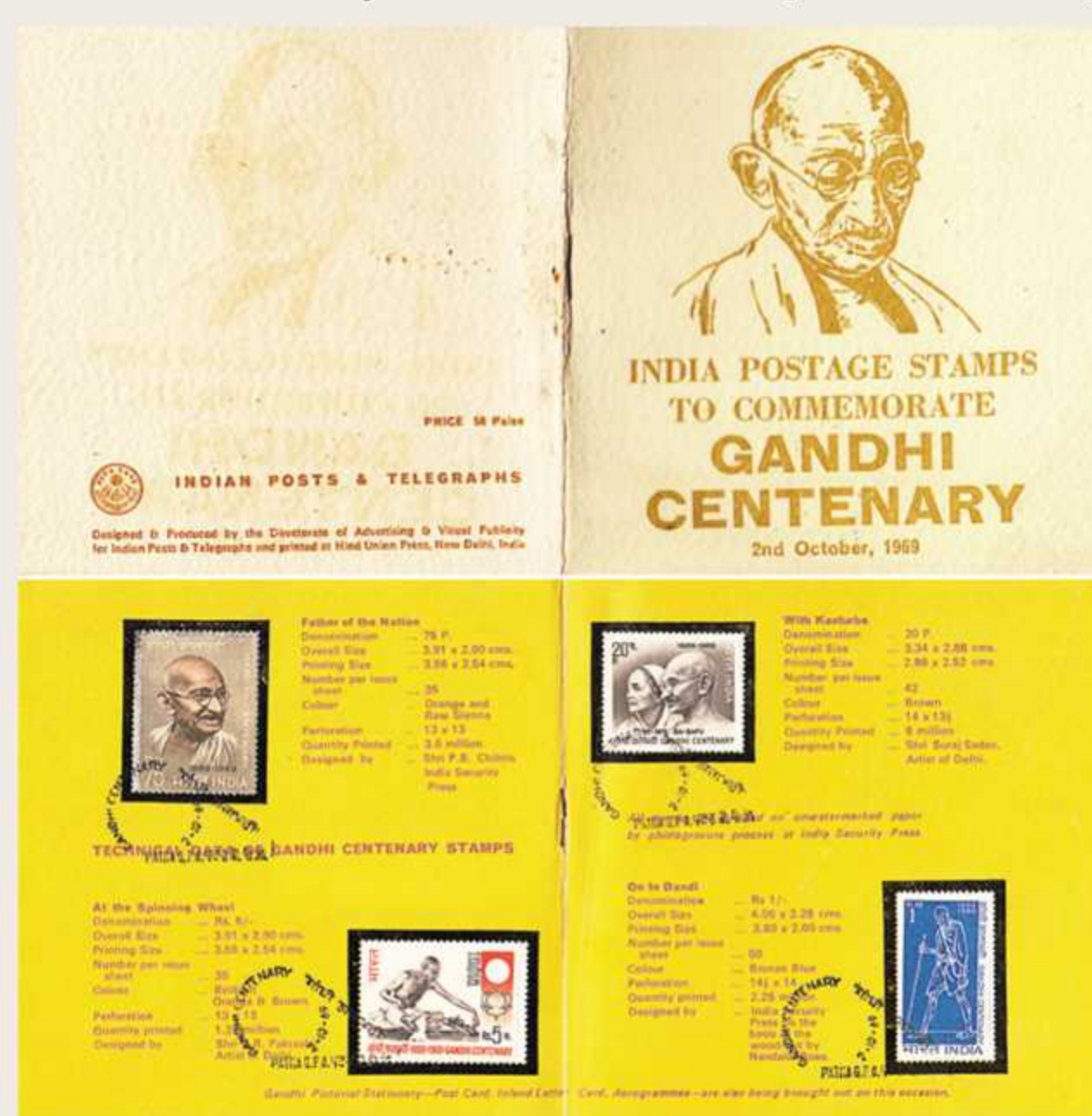
15. Folders separately produced in two different languages-Hindi & English

Such folders are found in Commemorative and Definitive stamps. Folders of Gandhi Centenary Commemorative Stamps 2-10-1969 and Five Year Plan Series Definitive Stamps 26-1-1955 are the sterling examples of this variety.

SET - Gandhi Centenary Commemorative Stamps 2/10/1969 - Hindi



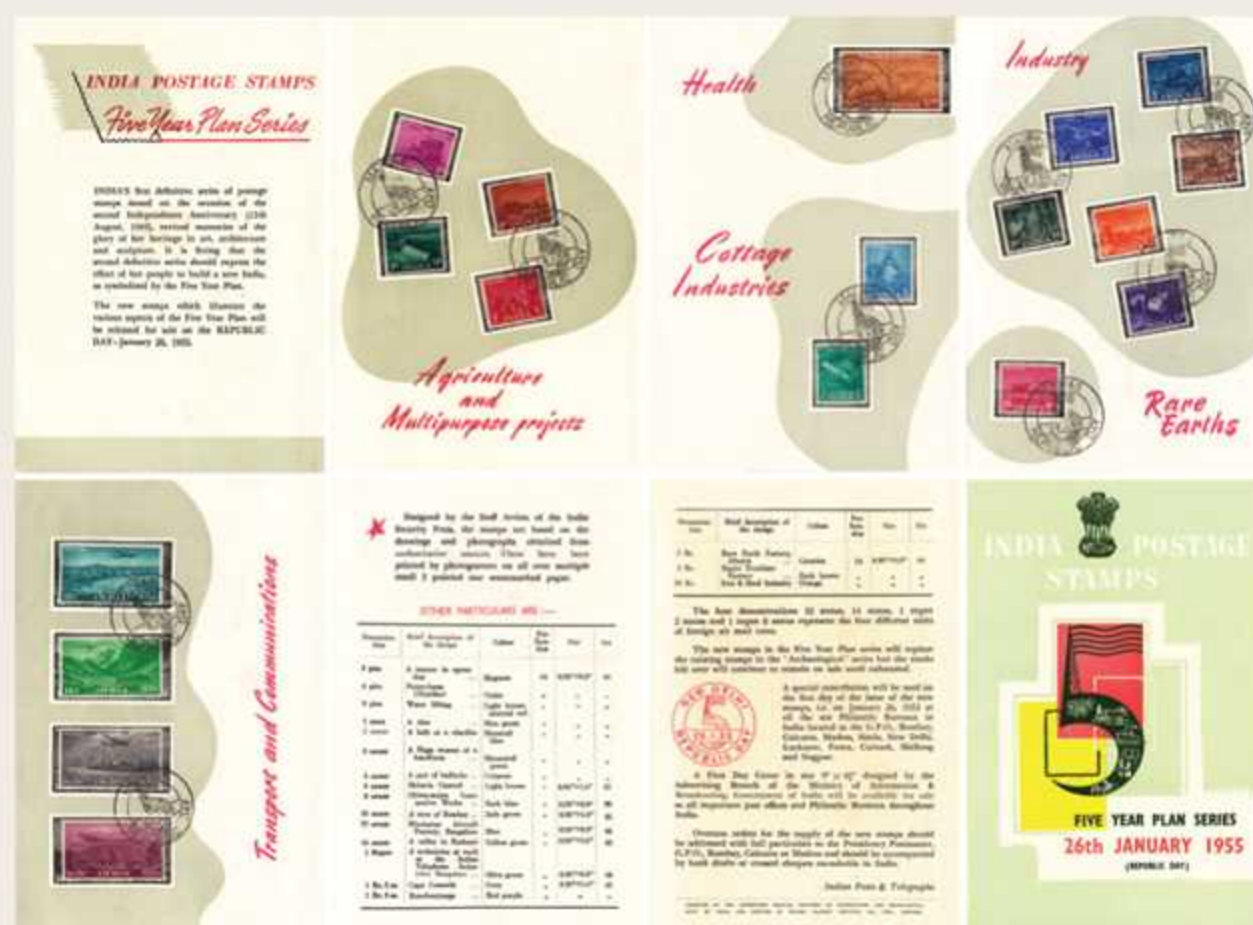
SET - Gandhi Centenary Commemorative Stamps 2/10/1969 - English



SET - Five Year Plan Definitive Series 26-1-1955 -Hindi



SET - Five Year Plan Definitive Series 26-1-1955 -English



Focus:

This book has focused on First Day Covers and Folders of all varieties which has used Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps or Miniature Sheets in any format. In this book an effort is made to present creative varieties and variations of different FDCs/Folders. Any serious FDC collector requires a measuring rod or touchstone to measure and test his efforts to further improve his collection and presentation. I was in great need of such touchstone. I could not find a ready Guidebook which can fulfill my requirement.

In pursuing my need I landed upon a project of making such Guidebook which will be useful to many collectors.

The next few pages are shared with collectors who are pursuing this hobby for their happiness.

In early Independence Days, we have seen many creative varieties in First Day Covers which were artistically made by philatelists and collectors. They were colorful, creative and charismatic.

In modern philately, as the varieties of stamps have increased we find various types of thematic stamps either issued as Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps or Miniature Sheets. Sometimes they are issued even in Sheetlet form.

Some creative varieties of FDCs of the above three themes can be classified as under:

1. FDCs with variations in Cancellations
2. Combo FDCs from regular sheets and Miniature Sheets
3. FDCs with two different sizes of Stamps
4. FDCs prepared with changing placements of Stamps
5. FDCs prepared in different shapes from the sheet or Sheetlet of stamps
6. Commercially used FDCs
7. FDCs with autographs of associated personalities
8. FDCs with Se-tenant Stamps with Margins, Color Codes etc.
9. FDCs of Tete Beche stamps

An effort is made here to present glimpses of some such FDCs.

1. FDCs with variations in Cancellations

(a) FDCs with colored cancellations -

On some FDCs apart from regular black cancellation, blue or red rubber stamp type cancellations are seen.

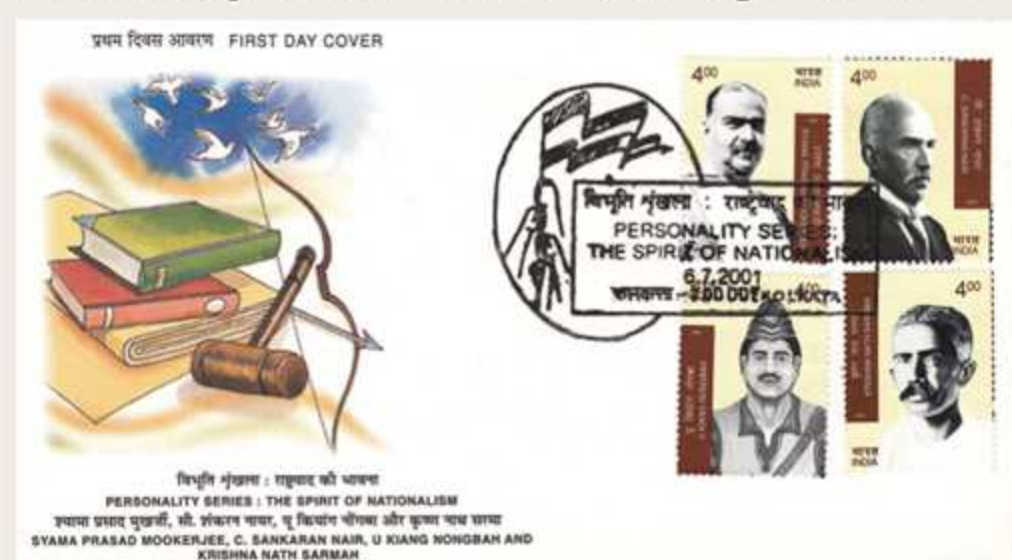
Sea Shells of Andaman & Nicobar - Blue Cancellation of 30/12/1998 First Official Airmail Flight, Allahabad to Naini Red cancellation of 18/02/1961



(b) FDCs with different sized cancellations -

Different sized cancellation postmarks are found from different Philatelic Bureaus.

Personality Series of 06/07/2001-Big Cancellation



Personality Series of 06/07/2001-Small Cancellation



(c) FDCs with tied cancellations -

Such FDCs are more desirable and valuable particularly with Se-tenant stamps and Miniature Sheets.

Se-tenant of Satyajit Ray with tied cancellation - 11/01/1994 MS of INDIA - 89 with tied cancellation of 17/10/1987



(d) FDCs with cancellations of Big & Small letters

28/6/1975

Michelangelo

Se-tenant Block of Four with two different cancellations with big & small letters

Type-1

Type-2



(e) FDCs with different shaped cancellations

8/6/1998

Air India Golden Jubilee of International Flight

Se-tenant Horizontal Pair of two with two different cancellations in round and oval shapes

Round Cancellation

Oval Cancellation



(f) FDCs with two different cancellations given on two events on same day

2/10/2007

Centenary of Satyagraha

United Nations declared 2nd October, 2007 as International Day of Non-Violence. On that day a Special cover was issued by India Post.

Hence we find, two different cancellations of this date - on official FDC & on UN Special Cover of International Day of Non-violence

Type-1

Type-2



(g) FDCs with two official cancellations with different dates -

Two stamps (15np & 90np) were issued to commemorate Centenary of India's First Struggle for Independence on 15/08/1957. As at some places Post Offices were closed on 15/08/1957, being a public holiday to celebrate Independence Day, a notification was issued to give cancellation on 16/08/1957 on FDC. Thus we find two official cancellations of 15/8/1957 and 16/08/1957 for Stamps of Centenary of First Struggle for Freedom. Moreover they are found in blue, red and black ink.

Centenary of India's First Struggle for Independence on 15/08/1957

Official cancellation of 15/8/1957



Official cancellation of 16/08/1957



(h) FDCs with Mirror Image cancellations

20/12/1994
Baroda Museum

Regular image in Cancellation



Mirror image of Bombay in cancellation



(i) Special Place cancellations -

Cancellations on FDCs of Special Place associated with issued stamps will carry more value than the regular Bureau cancellations.

Asian Games New Delhi Cancellation of 4/03/1951



Gandhi Centenary Sabarmati Cancellation of 2/10/1969



Stamps of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose with cancellation of Netaji Bhavan, Calcutta - 23/01/1964



2. Combo FDCs from regular sheets and Miniature Sheets

National Children's Day 14/11/2006



India-China Joint Issue 11/7/2008



Indian Institute of Science 14/12/2008



3. FDCs with two different sizes of Stamps

12/2/2006

9th President Fleet Review, Visakhapatnam

Stamps with the normal size of 52.5 mm



Two Stamps towards right of 54.5 mm



Two Stamps towards left of 54.5 mm



14/11/2006

National Children's Day

Stamps with the height of 28 mm



Stamps with the height of 31 mm



4. FDCs prepared with changing placements of Se-tenant Stamps

Se-tenant Pair of stamps with interchanging locations

9/10/197
Mathura Museum



2/10/1980
50th Anniversary of Dandi March



30/01/1998

Mahatma Gandhi:50th Death Anniversary

Se-tenant Block of Four stamps with interchanging locations

Format-1



Format-2



Format-3



Format-4



22/11/2007

Renewable Energy

Se-tenant Stamps with Vertical & Horizontal combinations with interchanging locations



5. FDCs prepared in different shapes from the sheet or sheetlet of stamps

2/1/2008

Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands

'S' & 'Z' Types

Format-1 - 'S' Type



Format-2 - 'S' Type



Format-1 - 'Z' Type



Format-2 - 'Z' Type



2/1/2008

Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands

'Y' & 'Y' Mirror Image Types

Format-1 - 'Y' Type



Format-2 - 'Y' Type



Format-1 - 'Y' Mirror Image



Format-2 - 'Y' Mirror Image



6. First Day Commercial used covers - Such first day commercially used covers are more valuable

FDC of Mahatma Gandhi used as Regd. on 15/08/1948



FDC of MS of Handicrafts of India-used as Speed Post on 15/11/2002



FDC of Se-tenant block of four of 75th Anniversary of 'Dandi March' used as Airmail Regd. on 5/04/2005



7. FDCs with autographs of associated personalities

2/10/1969 Gandhi Centenary

FDC signed by Nirmala Gandhi (Daughter-in-law of Mahatma Gandhi)



9/11/2009 Horses of India

FDC signed in release function by dignitaries

(1) Karuna Pillai - CPMG Gujarat (2) Radhika Doraiswamy, Secretary, Post Dept., New Delhi (3) Mr. Brahmabhatt, Proposer of these stamps



8. FDCs of Se tenant Stamps with Margins, Color Codes etc.

Letter Box - 18/10/2005



9. FDCs of Tete Beche stamps with first day cancellations - They are very rare and valuable.

Tete Beche Stamps of Border Roads - 10/10/1985



Tete Beche Stamps of Bombay Sappers 21/02/1990



FDCs & Folders with Set of Stamps

- (i) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' - Pre-Independence India
- (ii) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' - Commemorative
- (iii) Glimpses of Folders with 'Set of Stamps' - Commemorative
- (iv) Glimpses of VIP Folders & VIP Presentation Folders of Set of Stamps
- (v) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' - Definitive Regular
- (vi) Glimpses of Folders with 'Set of Stamps' - Definitive Regular
- (vii) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' - Definitive Military
- (viii) Glimpses of FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' - Service

"Simple stamp is dumb;
when it is cancelled, it whispers;
but when it is having First Day Cancellation on First Day Cover, it sings."

First Day Covers with Set of Stamps - Pre-Independence of India

(All these Covers are Private as there were no Official FDCs issued in those days. All of them may not have full Set of Stamps on them. They are illustrated here as varieties of different Private FDCs. Any new variety in particular date may be included after adding an alphabet letter to the last number.)



SET 29_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_1

Air Mail Series

Date : 22/10/1929 & 20/12/1929 **Denomination & Description :** 3a, 4a, 6a, 8a & 12a - All stamps showing Aircraft: De Havilland D. H. 66 Hercules designed by R. Grant (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (3) Offset Litho (3) Stamp of 2a was issued on 20/12/1929 and is considered as part of this series **Value : ₹ 75000**



SET 31_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_2

Inauguration of New Delhi

Date : 9/2/1931 **Denomination & Description :** 1/4a (Purana Qilla), 1/2a (War Memorial Arch-India Gate), 1a (Council House), 2a (Viceroy's House), 3a Government of India Secretariat & 1r (Dominion Column & Secretariat). (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (3) Offset Litho (4) Registered used cover with Cancellation of New Delhi on 9/2/1931 and delivery mark at the back **Value : ₹ 35000**



SET 35_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_3a

Silver Jubilee of H. M. King George V reign

Date : 6/5/1935 **Denomination & Description :** 1/2a (Gateway of India, Bombay), 9p (Victoria Memorial, Calcutta), 1a (Rameswaram Temple), 1 1/4a (Taj Mahal-Agra), 2 2/1a (Golden Temple, Amritsar) & 8a (Pagoda in Mandalay, Burma) (7 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (3) Offset Litho **Value : ₹ 20000**



SET 35_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_3b

Silver Jubilee of H. M. King George V reign

Date : 6/5/1935 **Denomination & Description :** 1/2a (Gateway of India, Bombay), 9p (Victoria Memorial, Calcutta), 1a (Rameswaram Temple), 1 1/4a (Taj Mahal-Agra), 2 2/1a (Golden Temple, Amritsar) & 8a (Pagoda in Mandalay, Burma) (7 Stamps) - Only 4 Stamps on cover **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (3) Offset Litho (4) Cancellation of Calcutta with Slogan "Support the Jubilee Fund" **Value : ₹ 5500**



SET 35_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_3c

Silver Jubilee of H. M. King George V reign

Date : 6/5/1935 **Denomination & Description :** 1/2a (Gateway of India, Bombay), 9p (Victoria Memorial, Calcutta), 1a (Rameswaram Temple), 1 1/4a (Taj Mahal-Agra), 2 2/1a (Golden Temple, Amritsar) & 8a (Pagoda in Mandalay, Burma) (7 Stamps) - Here is only 1 Stamp on cover. **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (2) Perf: 13 1/2 x14 (3) Offset Litho (4) King George V's photo facing left **Value : ₹ 5500**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4a

King George VI Coronation

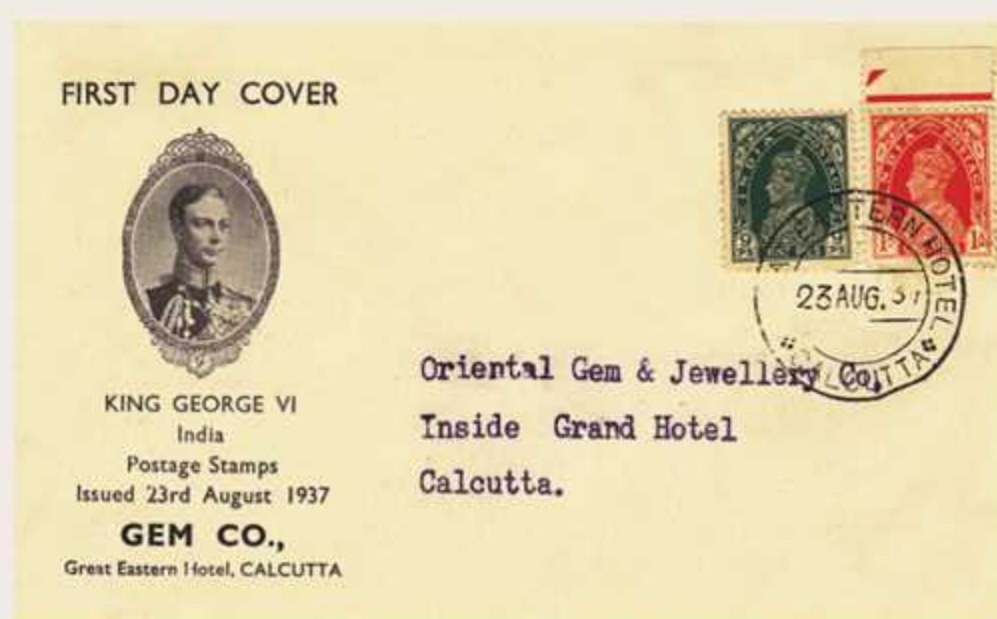
Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) King George VI's photo facing left **Value : ₹ 7500**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4b

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) King George VI's photo facing left with flags **Value : ₹ 5000**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4c

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) King George VI's photo facing right in oval shape frame **Value : ₹ 4000**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4d

King George VI Coronation

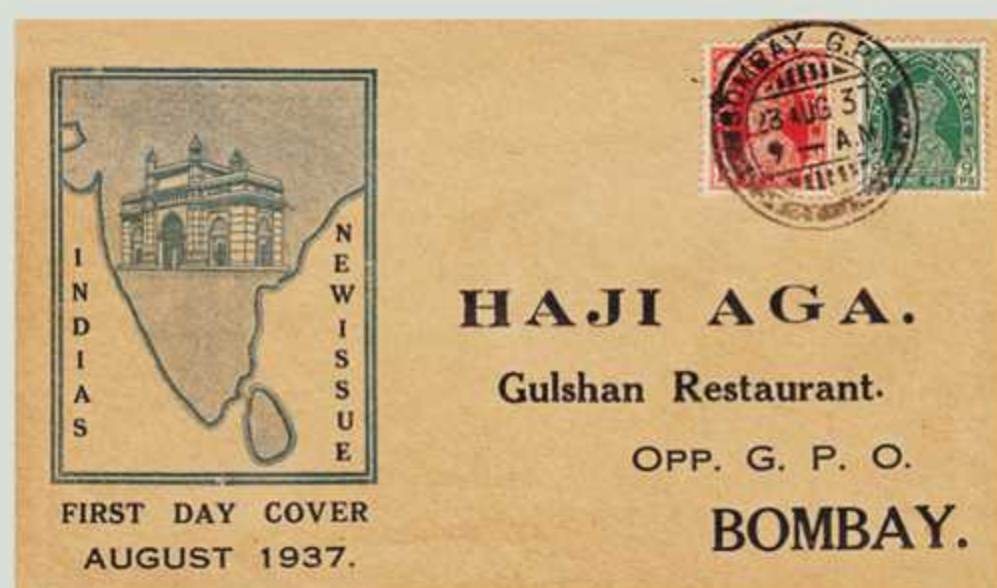
Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) King George VI's photo facing in an oval frame with Royal Crown on top **Value : ₹ 2500**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4e

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) King George VI's photo facing left and map of India **Value : ₹ 6000**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4f

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) A cachet showing lower half of India with Gate Way of India in Center **Value : ₹ 5000**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4g

King George VI Coronation

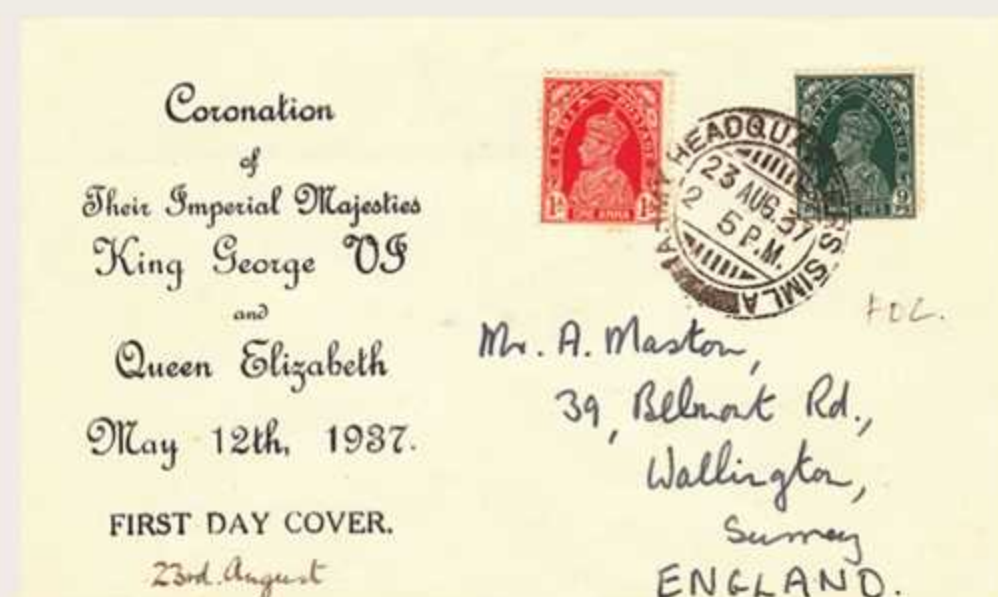
Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (up to 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) King George VI and Queen Elizabeth's photos in joint frame with Royal and flag of UK (4) This cover has stamps of all 4 British Monarchs viz. Queen Victoria, Edward VII, King George V & King George VI **Value : ₹ 6000**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4h

King George VI Coronation

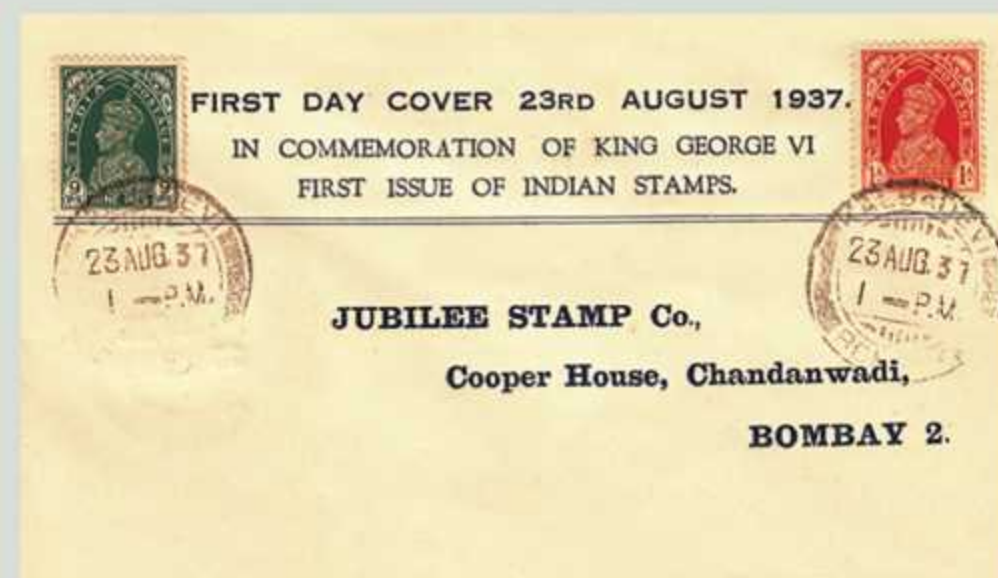
Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (up to 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) Hand painted drawing **Value : ₹ 2000**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4i

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (up to 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) With legend of Coronation **Value : ₹ 3500**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4j

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (up to 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" **Value : ₹ 1500**



SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_4k

King George VI Coronation

Date : 23/8/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 1a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (up to 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" **Value : ₹ 3500**



SET 37_Folder (PRE-IND_PVT)_5

Modes of Mail Transport in use in India with head of King George VI at right

Date : 15/12/1937 **Denomination & Description :** 2 (Dak Runner), 2a 6p (Dak Bullock Cart), 3a (Tonga Post), 3a 6p (Camel Post), 4a (R. M. S. Post), 6a (Ship Post), 8a (Motor Post) & 12a (Mail Plane) (8 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13/12x14 (up to 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) All modes of Transport Stamps used on one cover **Value : ₹ 15000**

SET 37_Folder (PRE-IND_PVT)_5
Value : ₹ 7000



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6a

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIAPOSTAGE" **Value: ₹ 5000**

SET 46_Folder (PRE-IND_PVT)_6a
Value: ₹ 5000



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6b

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIAPOSTAGE" **Value: ₹ 4000**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND)_6c

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIAPOSTAGE" **Value: ₹ 2500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6d

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIAPOSTAGE" **Value: ₹ 2500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6e

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIAPOSTAGE" **Value: ₹ 700**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6f

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) "V" for Victory **Value: ₹ 3000**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6g

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) With legend "India provided the largest Volunteer Army ever raised 2, 500, 000 Men" **Value : ₹ 1500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6h

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

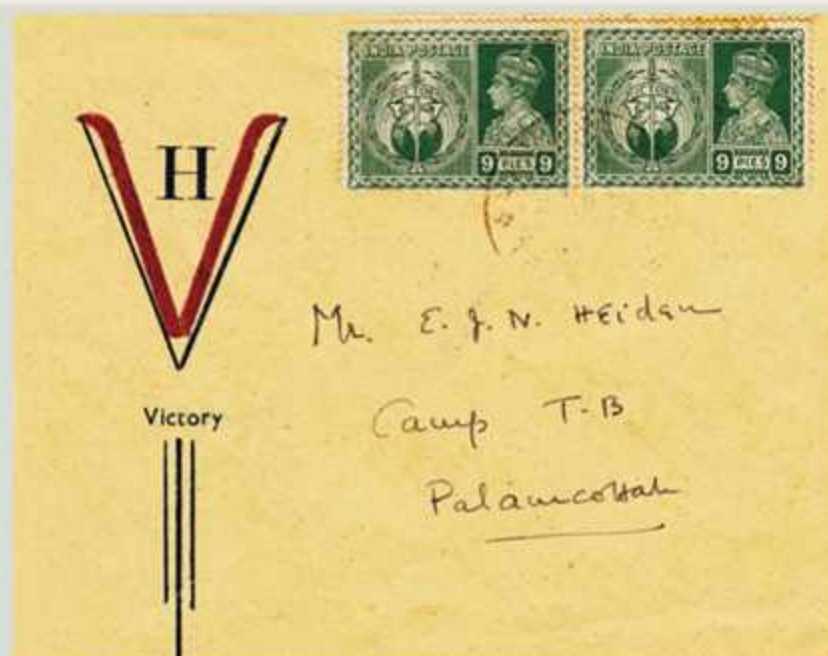
Date : 2/1/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 1 1/2a & 3 1/2a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (3) "V" for Victory **Value : ₹ 3000**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_7a

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 8/2/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" **Value : ₹ 3000**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_7b

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 8/2/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (4) "V" for Victory **Value : ₹ 1500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_7c

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 8/2/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (4) "V" for Victory **Value : ₹ 2800**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_7d

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 8/2/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (4) "V" for Victory **Value : ₹ 3500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_7e

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

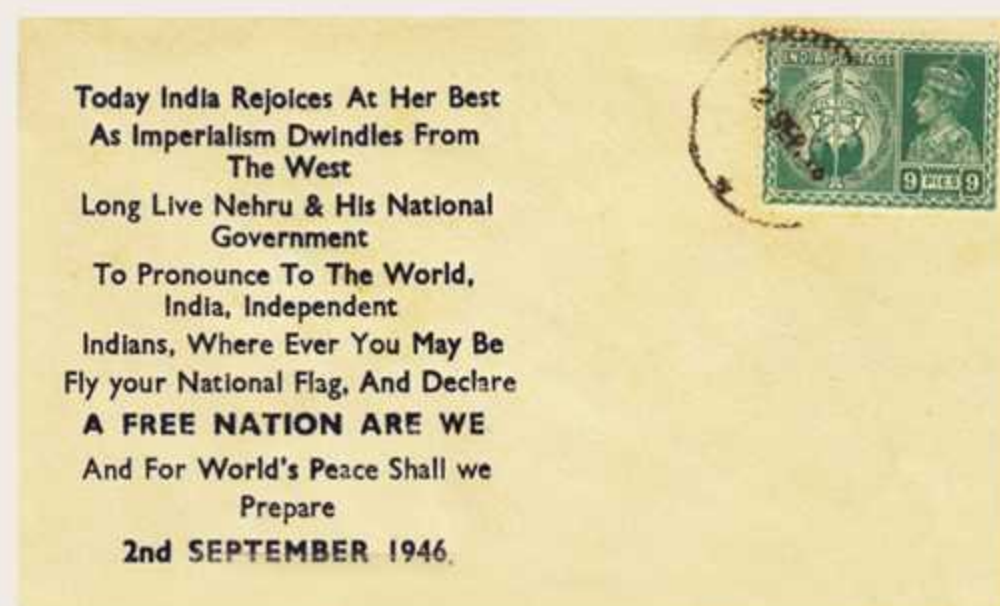
Date : 8/2/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" **Value : ₹ 2500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_7f

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date : 8/2/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (4) Picture of King George VI on left **Value : ₹ 6000**

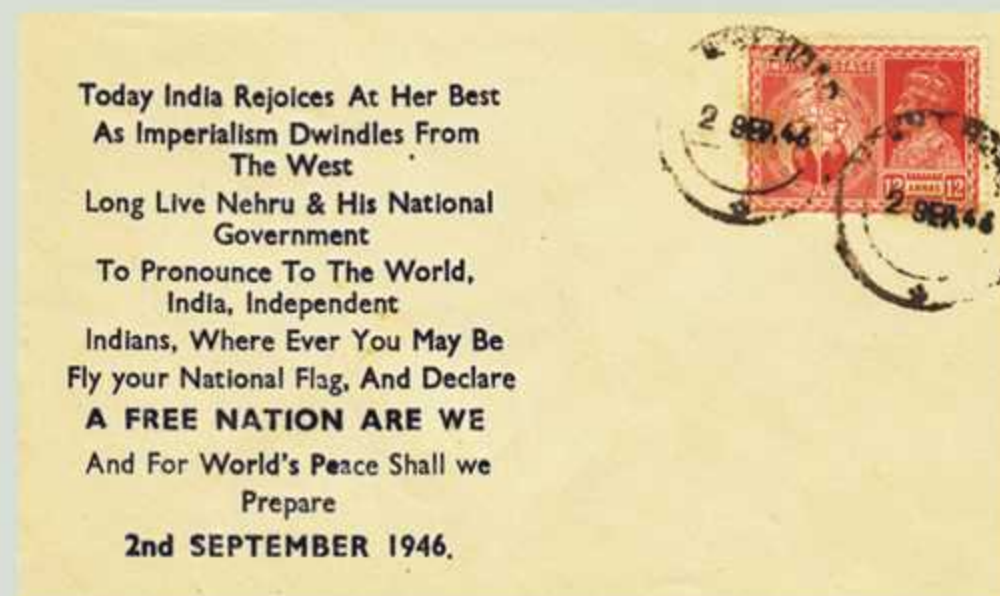


SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_8a

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date cancellation of 2/9/1946 indicates the day of National Government.

Date : 2/9/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (4) On left legend of formation of National Government "Today India rejoices at her best, as Imperialism dwindles from the West. Long live Nehru & his National Government to pronounce to the World, India Independent. Indians, wherever you may be , fly your National Flag and declare, A FREE NATION ARE WE and for World's Peace shall we prepare - 2nd September 1946" **Value : ₹ 2500**



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_8b

Victory of Allied Powers in World War II

Date cancellation of 2/9/1946 indicates the day of National Government.

Date : 2/9/1946 **Denomination & Description :** 9p & 12a (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) Watermark: Multi Star (2) Perf: 13 Litho (3) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE" (4) On left legend of formation of National Government "Today India rejoices at her best, as Imperialism dwindles from the West. Long live Nehru & his National Government to pronounce to the World, India Independent. Indians, wherever you may be , fly your National Flag and declare, A FREE NATION ARE WE and for World's Peace shall we prepare - 2nd September 1946" **Value : ₹ 2500**

**SET 47_FDC (Private)_1****Independence**

Date : 21/11/1947 & 15/12/1947 **Denomination :** 3 1/2a, 1 1/2a & 12a **Description :** (1) Indian National Flag (2) Ashoka Capital (State Emblem of India) (3) Douglas DC - 4 Plane **Quantity :** 3 1/2a - 2.3 Mill. in sheet of 96, 1 1/2a - 22.7 Mill in sheet of 144 & 12a - 2.4 Mill in sheet of 160 **Remarks :** All stamps have Date 15 Aug. 1947 and slogan "JAI HIND" printed on them, 3 1/2a stamp is issued on 21/11/1947 and other two are on 15/12/1947. All three are taken together as Set **Value : ₹ 15000 for Private cover; ₹ 5000 for normal plain cover**

SET 47_Folder_1**Value : ₹ 18000****SET 47_VIP Folder_1****Value : ₹ 7000****SET 47_Publicity Card Folder_1****Value : ₹ 5000****SET 48_FDC_2****First Anniversary of Independence-Mahatma Gandhi mourning Issue**

Date : 15/8/1948 **Denomination :** 1 1/2a, 3 1/2a, 12a & 10r **Description :** Photo of Mahatma Gandhi front facing on first 3 stamps and left side facing on 10r stamp **Quantity :** 1 1/2a-25 Mill, 3 1/2a-2.5 Mill, 12a-3.75 Mill & 10r-0.25 Mill, all stamps in sheet of 50 **Remarks :** Stamps printed by Courvoisier, La Chaux de Fonds, Switzerland **Value : ₹ 75000**

SET 48_Information Brochure_2**Value : ₹ 50000****SET 48_Presentation Folder_2****Value : ₹ Extremely Rare****SET 49_FDC_3****75th Anniversary of Formation of Universal Postal Union (U.P.U.)**

Date : 10/10/1949 **Denomination :** 9p, 2a, 3 1/2a, 12a **Description :** Globe, Envelope & Lion Capital **Quantity :** 9p-1.1 Mill, 2a-1.6 Mill, 3 1/2a-0.8 Mill & 12a-0.8 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 128 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1500**

SET 49_Folder_3**Value : ₹ 1500****SET 49_VIP Folder_3****Value : ₹ 2000****SET 49_Presentation Folder_3****Value : ₹ 3500**

Presentation Folder in form of Booklet Folder with U.P.U. (10-10-1949) & Republic of India Stamps (26-1-1950)

**SET 50_FDC_4a****Inauguration of Republic of India _ Long Cover**

Date : 26/1/1950 **Denomination :** 2a, 3 1/2a, 4a, 12a **Description :** (1) Rejoicing Crowds (2) Quill, Ink-well & Verse (3) Ear of Corn & Plough (4) Spinning-wheel & Cloth **Quantity :** 2a-19.7 Mill, 3 1/2a-1.2 Mill, 4a-6.9 Mill & 12a-2.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 128 **Remarks :** Long cover Size 230x112 mms Bulletin Folder did have facsimile pictures of stamps along with some details about the stamp. **Value : ₹ 3500**

SET 50_Bulletin Folder_4**Value : ₹ 30000****SET 50_VIP Folder_4****Value : ₹ 2000****SET 50_Presentation Folder_4****Value : ₹ 3500**

Presentation Folder in form of Booklet Folder with U.P.U. (10-10-1949) & Republic of India Stamps (26-1-1950)

**SET 50_FDC_4b****Inauguration of Republic of India_ Small Cover**

Date : 26/1/1950 **Denomination :** 2a, 3 1/2a, 4a, 12a **Description :** (1) Rejoicing Crowds (2) Quill, Ink-well & Verse (3) Ear of Corn & Plough (4) Spinning-wheel & Cloth **Quantity :** 2a-19.7 Mill, 3 1/2a-1.2 Mill, 4a-6.9 Mill & 12a-2.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 128 **Remarks :** Small cover Size 169x112 mms **Value : ₹ 1200**

SET 50_FDC_4c**Inauguration of Republic of India_ Large Cover**

Date : 26/1/1950 **Denomination :** 2a, 3 1/2a, 4a, 12a **Description :** (1) Rejoicing Crowds (2) Quill, Ink-well & Verse (3) Ear of Corn & Plough (4) Spinning-wheel & Cloth **Quantity :** 2a-19.7 Mill, 3 1/2a-1.2 Mill, 4a-6.9 Mill & 12a-2.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 128 **Remarks :** Large cover Size 158x127 mms **Value : ₹ 2700**





SET 51_FDC_5

First Asian Games, New Delhi

Date : 4/3/1951 **Denomination :** 2a, 12a **Description :** Torch of Asian Games **Quantity :** 2a-7.3 Mill, 12a-2.4 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 160 **Remarks :** Normal Date cancellations from Bureaus. Special Cancellation is from New Delhi marked with Asian Games **Value : ₹ 1000**

No Folder is seen.



SET 52_FDC_6

Indian Saints & Poets

Date : 1/10/1952 **Denomination :** 9p, 1a, 2a, 4a, 4 1/2a, 12a **Description :** (1) Kabir (2) Tulsidas (3) Meera Bai (4) Surdas (5) Ghalib (6) Rabindranath **Quantity :** 9p-15.3 Mill, 1a-14.3 Mill, 2a-9.3 Mill, 4a-5.2 Mill, 4 1/2a-4.1 Mill & 12a-2.6 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 160 in two panes of 80 stamps each with gutter in between **Remarks :** Cancellations in Hindi & English are marked. Bulletin Folder did have facsimile pictures of stamps along with some details about the stamp. In Silk-VIP Folder, on page of Tagore, position of write-up in Hindi and Bengali are reversed. **Value : ₹ 3500**

SET 52_Bulletin Folder_6
Value : ₹ 10000

SET 52_VIP Folder_6
Value : ₹ 3500

SET 52_Silk-VIP Folder_6
Value : ₹ 7000



SET 53_FDC_7

Conquest of Mount Everest

Date : 2/10/1953 **Denomination :** 2a, 14a **Description :** Mount Everest **Quantity :** 2a--9.6 Mill, 14a-2.4 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1100**

No Folder is seen.



SET 53_FDC_8

Centenary of Indian Telegraphs

Date : 1/11/1953 **Denomination :** 2a, 12a **Description :** Telegraph Poles of 1851 & 1951 **Quantity :** 2a-9.1 Mill, 12a-2.2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 1100**

SET 53_VIP Folder_8
Value : ₹ 800



SET 54_FDC_9

Postage Stamp Centenary

Date : 1/10/1954 **Denomination :** 1a, 2a, 4a, 14a **Description :** (1) Mail Transport (2) Airmail & Pigeon Post (3) Mail Transport (4) Airmail & Pigeon Post **Quantity :** 1a-13.2 Mill, 2a-13.2 Mill, 4a-6.1 Mill & 14a-2.8 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** VIP folders are issued. Some Souvenir Albums are also issued in Red, Blue, Green & Black jackets with facsimile stamps from 1854 to 1954 **Value : ₹ 500**

SET 54_VIP Folder_9
Value : ₹ 750

SET 54_Souvenir Albums_9
Value : ₹ 12000 (Set of 4 color albums)



SET 56_FDC_10

2500th Buddha Jayanti

Date : 24/5/1956 **Denomination :** 2a, 14a **Description :** (1) Bodhi Tree (2) Round Parasol & Bodhi Tree **Quantity :** 2a-8.1 Mill, 14a-0.72 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Only VIP Booklet folders are issued. **Value : ₹ 1500**

SET 56_Booklet Folder_10
Value : ₹ 1000



SET 57_FDC_11a

Centenary of the First Struggle for Freedom - 15/08/1957 Cancellation

Date : 15/8/1957 **Denomination :** 15np, 90np **Description :** (1) Laxmi Bai (Rani of Jhansi) (2) Banyan Shrine **Quantity :** 15np-18.5 Mill in sheets of 45 & 90np-1 Mill in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Here there are two covers seen with two official cancellations dated 15/08/1957 & 16/08/1957. Only these two stamps have 2 official cancellations of 2 different dates with red, blue and black rubber stamps. **Value : ₹ 700**

No Folder is seen.



SET 57_FDC_11b

Centenary of the First Struggle for Freedom - 16/08/1957 Cancellation

Date : 16/8/1957 **Denomination :** 15np, 90np **Description :** (1) Laxmi Bai (Rani of Jhansi) (2) Banyan Shrine **Quantity :** 15np-18.5 Mill in sheets of 45 & 90np-1 Mill in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Here there are two covers seen with two official cancellations dated 15/08/1957 & 16/08/1957. Only these two stamps have 2 official cancellations of 2 different dates with red, blue and black rubber stamps. **Value : ₹ 1500**



SET 57_FDC_12

National Children's Day

Date : 14/11/1957 **Denomination :** 8np, 15np, 90np **Description :** (1) Nutrition (2) Education (3) Recreation **Quantity :** 8np-15 Mill, 15np-45 Mill & 90np-100 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 42 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 57_Folder_12
Value : ₹ 150

SET 57_VIP Folder_12
Value : ₹ 600



SET 57_FDC_13

Centenary of Indian Universities

Date : 31/12/1957 **Denomination :** 10np x 3 **Description :** (1) Bombay University (2) Calcutta University (3) Madras University **Quantity :** Bombay-2.6 Mill in sheets of 45, Calcutta-2.5 Mill & Madras-2.6 Mill in sheets of 42 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 57_VIP Folder_13
Value : ₹ 250



SET 58_FDC_14

Silver Jubilee of Indian Air Force

Date : 30/4/1958 **Denomination :** 15np, 90np **Description :** Westland Wapiti Biplane & Hawker Hunter **Quantity :** 15np-11.7 Mill, 90np-1.4 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 450**

SET 58_VIP Folder_14
Value : ₹ 500



SET 60_FDC_15a

Kalidasa (Poet & Dramatist) - Long Cover

Date : 22/6/1960 **Denomination :** 15np, 1r3np **Description :** (1) Yaksha appealing to the clouds (from Meghduta) (2) Shakuntala writing a letter to King Dushyanta (from Shakuntala) **Quantity :** 15np-30.6 Mill, 1r3np-15.4 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Long sized Cover of 228x102 mms **Value : ₹ 700**

SET 60_Folder_15
Value : ₹ 800



SET 60_FDC_15b

Kalidasa (Poet & Dramatist)_ Small Cover

Date : 22/6/1960 **Denomination :** 15np, 1r3np **Description :** (1) Yaksha appealing to the clouds (from Meghduta) (2) Shakuntala writing a letter to King Dushyanta (from Shakuntala) **Quantity :** 15np-30.6 Mill, 1r3np-15.4 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Small sized Cover of 154x90 mms **Value : ₹ 500**



SET 61_FDC_16a

50th Anniversary of First Official Airmail Flight, Allahabad to Naini

Date : 18/2/1961 **Denomination :** 5np, 15np, 1r **Description :** (1) 'First Aerial Post' cancellation (2) Air India Boeing 707 Air Liner & Bi-plane (3) Henri Pecquet flying Bi-plane & 'First Aerial Post' cancellation **Quantity :** 5np-5 Mill in sheets of 42, 15np-2.5 Mill & 1r-1 Mill in sheets of 48 **Remarks :** Pictures of planes of 1911 and 1961 in an oblong circle with inscription **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 61_Folder_16

Value : ₹ 1500

SET 61_VIP Folder (Invitation cum Folder)_16

Value : ₹ 3000



SET 61_FDC_16b

50th Anniversary of First Official Airmail Flight, Allahabad to Naini

Date : 18/2/1961 **Denomination :** 5np, 15np, 1r **Description :** (1) 'First Aerial Post' cancellation (2) Air India Boeing 707 Air Liner & Bi-plane (3) Henri Pecquet flying Bi-plane & 'First Aerial Post' cancellation **Quantity :** 5np-5 Mill in sheets of 42, 15np-2.5 Mill & 1r-1 Mill in sheets of 48 **Remarks :** Picture of M. Piquet on his bi-plane, which carried the first aerial post in 1911 **Value : ₹ 300**



SET 61_FDC_17

Centenary of Archeological Survey of India

Date : 14/12/1961 **Denomination :** 15np, 90np **Description :** (1) Yaksha (Pitalkhora Caves) (2) Seal of Indus-valley Civilisation (Kalibangan) **Quantity :** 15np-3.5 Mill, 90np-1.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 42 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 500**

SET 61_Folder_17

Value : ₹ 500



SET 63_FDC_18

Defence Campaign

Date : 15/8/1963 **Denomination :** 15np, 1r **Description :** (1) Artillery & Army Helicopter (2) Sentry on duty & parachute dropping supplies **Quantity :** 15np-3 Mill, 1r-1.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 40 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 150**

SET 63_Folder_18

Value : ₹ 250



SET 63_FDC_19

Wild Life Preservation

Date : 7/10/1963 **Denomination :** 10np, 15np, 30np, 50np, 1r **Description :** (1) Gaur (Wild Ox) (2) Himalayan Lesser Panda (3) Indian Elephant (4) Tiger (5) Indian Lion **Quantity :** 10np-5 Mill in sheets of 42, 15np-5 Mill, 30np-5 Mill, 50np-4 Mill & 1r-4 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 350**

SET 63_Folder_19

Value : ₹ 2000

SET 63_VIP Folder_19

Value : ₹ 1500

**SET 64_FDC_20a****67th Birth Anniversary of Subhash Chandra Bose (Freedom Fighter)**

Date : 23/1/1964 **Denomination :** 15np, 55np **Description :** (1) Subhash Chandra Bose & INA Insignia (2) Bose leading Indian National Army **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Cachet of Picture of INA Logo **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 64_Folder_20
Value : ₹ 200

SET 64_VIP Folder_20
Value : ₹ 350

SET 64_VIP Presentation Album_20
Value : ₹ 3000

**SET 64_FDC_20b****67th Birth Anniversary of Subhash Chandra Bose (Freedom Fighter)**

Date : 23/1/1964 **Denomination :** 15np, 55np **Description :** (1) Subhash Chandra Bose & INA Insignia (2) Bose leading Indian National Army **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Cachet of Picture of INA Martyr's Memorial Singapore **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 64_Folder_20
Value : ₹ 200

SET 64_VIP Folder_20
Value : ₹ 350

SET 64_VIP Presentation Album_20
Value : ₹ 3000

**SET 68_FDC_21****XIX Olympic Games, Mexico City**

Date : 12/10/1968 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r **Description :** Athlete's Legs & Olympic Rings **Quantity :** 4 Mill each in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 68_Folder_21
Value : ₹ 100

SET 68_VIP Folder_21
Value : ₹ 100

**SET 68_FDC_22****Indian Birds**

Date : 31/12/1968 **Denomination :** 20p, 50p, 1r, 2r **Description :** (1) Red-billed Blue Magpie (2) Brown-fronted pied Wood Pecker (3) Slaty-headed Scimitar Babbler (4) Yellow-backed Sunbird **Quantity :** 20p & 50p-5 Mill each, 1r & 2r-3 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SET 68_Folder_22
Value : ₹ 250

SET 68_VIP Folder_22
Value : ₹ 700

**SET 69_FDC_23a****Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi**

Date : 2/10/1969 **Denomination :** 20p, 75p, 1r, 5r **Description :** (1) Gandhiji & his wife (2) Mahatma Gandhi (3) Gandhi on the Dandi March (4) Gandhi with Charkha **Quantity :** 20p-8 Mill in sheets of 42, 75p-3.5 Mill in sheets of 35, 1r-2.25 Mill in sheets of 50 & 5r-1.25 Mill in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** (1) Picture of Gandhi in sitting posture (2) Various Special Place Cancellations like Sabarmati Ashram, Sewagram etc are available **Value : ₹ 500**

SET 69_Folder_23
Value : ₹ 600

SET 69_VIP Folder_23
Value : ₹ 1800

SET 69_Publicity Card Folder_23
Value : ₹ 750

**SET 69_FDC_23b****Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi**

Date : 2/10/1969 **Denomination :** 20p, 75p, 1r, 5r **Description :** (1) Gandhiji & his wife (2) Mahatma Gandhi (3) Gandhi on the Dandi March (4) Gandhi with Charkha **Quantity :** 20p-8 Mill in sheets of 42, 75p-3.5 Mill in sheets of 35, 1r-2.25 Mill in sheets of 50 & 5r-1.25 Mill in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** (1) Picture of Gandhi in standing posture (2) Various Special Place Cancellations like Sabarmati Ashram, Sewagram etc are available **Value : ₹ 500**



SET 70_FDC_24

India National Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi

Date : 23/12/1970 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r **Description :** Children examining hands holding magnifier stamps on Gandhi - 1969 stamp **Quantity :** 20p-5 Mill, 1r-3 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value: ₹ 75**

SET 70_Folder_24
Value: ₹ 75

SET 70_VIP Folder_24
Value: ₹ 100



SET 72_FDC_25

XX Olympic Games, Munich

Date : 10/8/1972 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r45p **Description :** (1) Hockey Player (2) Various Sports & 1972 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value: ₹ 75**

SET 72_Folder_25
Value: ₹ 75

SET 72_VIP Folder_25
Value: ₹ 75



SET 72_FDC_26

Birth Centenary of Bhai Vir Singh, T. Prakasham, Vemana & Bertrand Russell

Date : 16/10/1972 **Denomination :** 20p x 3, 1r45p **Description :** (1) Bhai Vir Singh (2) T. Prakasham (3) Vemana (4) Bertrand Russell **Quantity :** Bhai Vir Singh, T. Prakasham-3 Mill each in sheets of 35, Vemana & Bertrand Russell -3 Mill each in sheets of 42 **Remarks :** ... **Value: ₹ 75**

SET 72_Folder_26
Value: ₹ 75

SET 72_VIP Folder_26
Value: ₹ 100



SET 72_FDC_27

Asia-72 (3rd Asian International Trade Fair, New Delhi)

Date : 3/11/1972 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r45p **Description :** (1) Logo of Asia '72 (2) Hand of Buddha in 'Abhaya Mudra' **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value: ₹ 75**

SET 72_Folder_27
Value: ₹ 75

SET 72_VIP Folder_27
Value: ₹ 75



SET 73_FDC_28

25th Anniversary of Independence (2nd Issue)

Date : 26/1/1973 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r45p **Description :** (1) Ashoka Chakra interlocked by 'Naga' (2) National tri-coloured smoke from Gnat Fighters & India Gate **Quantity :** 20p-3 Mill, 1r45p-1.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value: ₹ 75**

SET 73_Folder_28
Value: ₹ 75

SET 73_VIP Folder_28
Value: ₹ 75



SET 73_FDC_29

Indian Miniature Paintings

Date : 5/5/1973 **Denomination :** 20p, 50p, 1r, 2r **Description :** (1) Radha-Kishangarh School (2) Kathak Dance Duet (3) Dhola & Maru (4) Elephant being tamed by a Prince **Quantity :** 20p-5 Mill, 50np-3 Mill, 1r-2 Mill & 2r-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value: ₹ 125**

SET 73_Folder_29
Value: ₹ 200

SET 73_Presentation Folder_29
Value: ₹ 750



SET 73_FDC_30

Centenary Series

Date : 21/7/1973 **Denomination :** 20p, 30, 50p, 1r **Description :** (1) Michael M. Dutt (2) Vishnu D. Paluskar (3) Dr. G. Armauer Hansen (4) Nicolaus Copernicus **Quantity :** 20p-1 Mill, 30p-1 Mill, 50p-1 Mill & 1r-1.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 125**

SET 73_Folder_30

Value : ₹ 125



SET 73_FDC_31

Personalities Series - Romesh Chunder Dutt, K.S. Ranjitsinhji, Birth Centenary of Vithalbhai Patel

Date : 27/9/1973 **Denomination :** 20p, 30p, 50p **Description :** (1) R.C. Dutt (Historian) (2) K.S. Ranjitsinhji (Cricketer) (3) Vithalbhai Patel (Freedom Fighter) **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 125**

SET 73_Folder_31

Value : ₹ 125



SET 73_FDC_32

'INDEPEX-73' - India International Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue)

Date : 14/11/1973 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r, 2r **Description :** (1) 'All Roads to Delhi' (2) Ceremonial Elephant & Independence 1 1/2a stamp of 1947 (3) Peacock **Quantity :** 20p-5 Mill, 1r-3 Mill & 2r-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 73_Folder_32

Value : ₹ 150

SET 73_VIP Folder_32

Value : ₹ 750

SET 73_Presentation Album_32

Value : ₹ 1250



SET 74_FDC_33

Indian Masks (Used in dance drama)

Date : 15/4/1974 **Denomination :** 20p, 50p, 1r, 2r **Description :** (1) Sun, (2) Moon, (3) Narashimha (4) Ravana **Quantity :** 20p-5 Mill, 50p-3 Mill, 1r-2 Mill & 2r-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 74_Folder_33

Value : ₹ 200



SET 74_FDC_34

Indian Personalities Series

Date : 3/7/1974 **Denomination :** 25p x 3 **Description :** (1) Maithili Sharan Gupta (2) Jainarain Vyas (Patriot & Statesman) (3) Utkal Gourab Madhusudan Das (Social Reformer) **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 74_Folder_34

Value : ₹ 100



SET 74_FDC_35

Personalities Series

Date : 15/7/1974 **Denomination :** 25p, 50p, 1r **Description :** (1) Kandukuri Veeresalingam (Social Reformer) (2) Tipu Sultan (Patriot) (3) Max Mueller (German Indologist) **Quantity :** 25p-3 Mill, 50p-2 Mill & 1r-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 74_Folder_35

Value : ₹ 100



SET 74_FDC_36

Centenary of Universal Postal Union (U.P.U.)

Date : 3/10/1974 **Denomination :** 25p, 1r, 2r **Description :** (1) U.P.U. Emblem (2) Birds & Nest & U.P.U. Emblem (3) Arrows encircling globe **Quantity :** 25p-5 Mill, 1r & 2r-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Specimen issues with value obliterated by black bars exist. **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 74_Folder_36

Value : ₹ 150



SET 74_FDC_37

National Children's Day & 25th Anniversary of UNICEF in India

Date : 14/11/1974 **Denomination :** 25p x 2 **Description :** (1) Cat (2) Indian Dancers **Quantity :** Cat-3 Mill in sheets of 35, Indian Dancers-3 Mill in sheets of 30 **Remarks :** Cancellation is in two boxes showing name of the Post Office in one box and in other "First Day of Issue" legend **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 74_Folder_37

Value : ₹ 75

SET 74_VIP Folder_37

Value : ₹ 100



SET 75_FDC_38

Indian Birds (2nd Series)

Date : 28/4/1975 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Indian Pitta (2) Headed Oriole (3) Western Tragopan (4) Monal Pheasant **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100-2 Mill & 200-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Specimen issues with value obliterated by black bars exist. **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 75_Folder_38

Value : ₹ 200

SET 75_VIP Folder_38

Value : ₹ 250



SET 75_FDC_39

Personalities Series - Mir Anees (Poet), Ahilyabai Holkar (Great Ruler)

Date : 4/9/1975 **Denomination :** 25x2 **Description :** (1) Mir Anees (2) Chhatri of Ahilyabai at Maheshwar (M.P.) **Quantity :** Mir Anees-3 Mill in sheets of 54 & Ahilyabai Holkar-3 Mill in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** --- **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 75_Folder_39

Value : ₹ 75

SET 75_VIP Folder_39

Value : ₹ 75



SET 75_FDC_40

Indian Classical Dancers

Date : 20/10/1975 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 75, 100, 150, 200 **Description :** (1) Bharata Natyam (2) Orissi (3) Kathak (4) Kathakali (5) Kuchipudi (6) Manipuri **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 75-3 Mill, 100-2 Mill, 150-2 Mill, 200-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 75_Folder_40

Value : ₹ 250

SET 75_VIP Folder_40

Value : ₹ 400



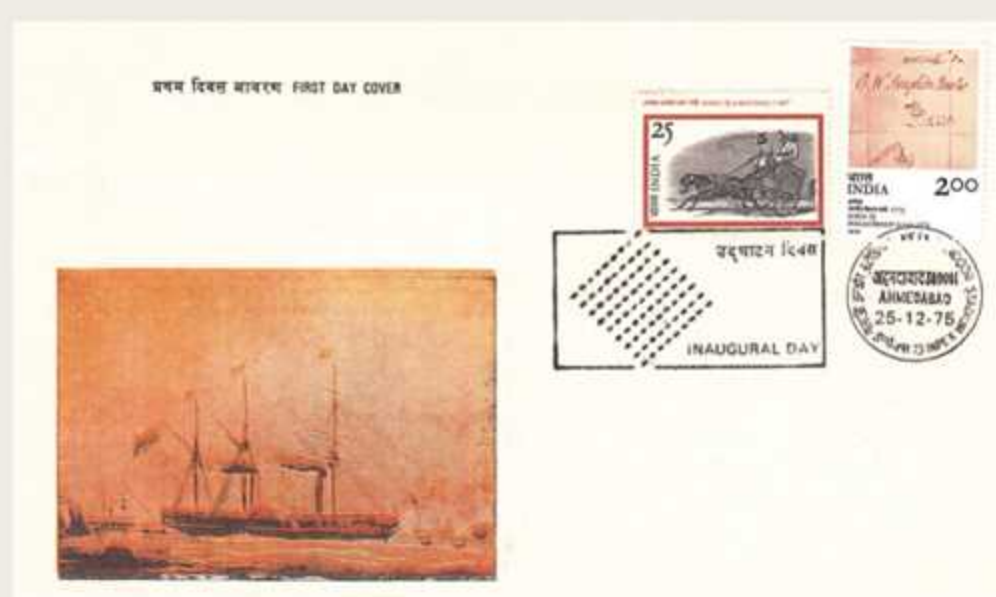
SET 75_FDC_41

Personalities Stamp Series - 650th Death Anniversary of Ameer Khusrau (Poet), V.K. Krishna Menon (Statesman), Birth Bicentenary of Bahadur Shah Zafar (Last Mughal Emperor & Poet)

Date : 24/10/1975 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100 **Description :** (1) Ameer Khusrau (2) V.K. Krishna Menon (3) Poem by Bahadurshah Zafar **Quantity :** 25-3 Mill, 50-3 Mill & 100-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 75_Folder_41

Value : ₹ 150

**SET 75_FDC_42****'INPEX-75' - Indian National Philatelic Exhibition, Calcutta****Date :** 25/12/1975 **Denomination :** 25, 200 **Description :** (1) Early Mail-cart (2) Indian Bishop Mark (1775 A.D.) **Quantity :** 25p-3 Mill, 200-2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100****SET 75_Folder_42****Value : ₹ 100****SET 75_VIP Folder_42****Value : ₹ 150****SET 76_FDC_43****Indian Locomotives****Date :** 15/5/1976 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) WDM2, Diesel B.G. Locomotive Diesel Locomotive Works, Varanasi (1963) (2) F/1, M.G. Steam Locomotive Ajmer Railway Workshop (1895) (3) WP/1, B.G. Steam Locomotive Chittaranjan Loco. Works (1963) (4) GIP No. 1, Steam Locomotive Vulcan Foundry, England (1853) **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200****SET 76_Folder_43****Value : ₹ 200****SET 76_VIP Folder_43****Value : ₹ 250****SET 76_FDC_44****XXI Olympic Games, Montreal****Date :** 17/7/1976 **Denomination :** 25, 100, 150, 280 **Description :** (1) Shooting (2) Shot-put (3) Hockey (4) Sprinting **Quantity :** 25-3 Mill, 100, 150 & 280-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200****SET 76_Folder_44****Value : ₹ 200****SET 76_VIP Folder_44****Value : ₹ 250****SET 76_FDC_45****Indian Wild Life****Date :** 1/10/1976 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Swamp Deer (2) Indian Lion (3) Leopard (4) Caracal **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 225****SET 76_Folder_45****Value : ₹ 225****SET 76_VIP Folder_45****Value : ₹ 500****SET 77_FDC_46****Indian Flowers****Date :** 1/7/1977 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Lotus (2) Tree-Rhododendron (3) Kadamba (4) Gloriosa Lily **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200****SET 77_Folder_46****Value : ₹ 200****SET 77_VIP Folder_46****Value : ₹ 250****SET 77_FDC_47****'INPEX-77' - 3rd National Philatelic Exhibition, Bangalore****Date :** 12/10/1977 **Denomination :** 25, 200 **Description :** (1) Early Postman of Punjab (2) 'Lion & Palm Tree' Essay **Quantity :** 25-3 Mill, 200-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100****SET 77_Folder_47****Value : ₹ 100****SET 77_VIP Folder_47****Value : ₹ 150**



SET 77_FDC_48

'ASIANA-77' - First Asian International Philatelic Exhibition, Bangalore

Date : 19/10/1977 **Denomination :** 100, 300 **Description :** (1) Scarlet 'Scinde Dawks' of 1952 (1st stamp in Asia) (2) Foreign mail arriving at Bombay in 1927 **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of **Remarks :** .. **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 77_Folder_48
Value : ₹ 100

SET 77_VIP Folder_48
Value : ₹ 150



SET 77_FDC_49

National Children's Day

Date : 14/11/1977 **Denomination :** 25, 100 **Description :** (1) Cats (2) Friends **Quantity :** 25-3 Mill & 100-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** .. **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 77_Folder_49
Value : ₹ 75

SET 77_VIP Folder_49
Value : ₹ 100



SET 77_FDC_50

Indian Personalities - J. Phooley & S. Bapat

Date : 28/11/1977 **Denomination :** 25x2 **Description :** (1) Jotirao Phooley (Humanitarian & Social Reformer) (2) Senapati Pandurang Mahadev Bapat (Freedom Fighter) **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 77_Folder_50
Value : ₹ 75

SET 77_VIP Folder_50
Value : ₹ 100



SET 78_FDC_51

Conquest of Kanchenjunga (31 May 1977)

Date : 15/1/1978 **Denomination :** 25, 100 **Description :** (1) Climber crossing a crevasse (2) Indian Flag near summit **Quantity :** 25-3 Mill & 100-2 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 78_Folder_51
Value : ₹ 100

SET 78_VIP Folder_51
Value : ₹ 100



SET 78_FDC_52

Modern Indian Paintings

Date : 23/3/1978 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) 'Two Vaishnavas' (Jamini Roy) (2) 'The Mosque' (Sailoz Mookherjee) (3) 'Head' (Rabindranath Tagore) (4) 'Hill Women' (Amrita Sher Gil) **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 78_Folder_52
Value : ₹ 200

SET 78_VIP Folder_52
Value : ₹ 300



SET 78_FDC_53

Museums of India

Date : 27/7/1978 **Denomination :** 25, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) 'Airavat' 19th century A.D. Kachchh Museum (Bhuj) (2) 'Kalpadruma' 2nd century A.D. Indian Museum (Calcutta) (3) Both sides of Kushan Gold Coin, 1st century A.D. National Museum (New Delhi) **Quantity :** 25-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Special Place cancellations of some Museum locations also exist **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 78_Folder_53
Value : ₹ 200

SET 78_VIP Folder_53
Value : ₹ 300

**SET 79_FDC_54****International Year of the Child**

Date : 5/3/1979 **Denomination :** 25, 100 **Description :** (1) Gandhi with Child (2) Indian I.Y.C. Emblem
Quantity : 25-5 Mill & 100-3 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 79_Folder_54
Value : ₹ 100

SET 79_VIP Folder_54
Value : ₹ 150

**SET 79_FDC_55****'INDIA-80' - Indian International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue) Mail carrying Aircrafts**

Date : 15/10/1979 **Denomination :** 30, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) De Havilland Puss Moth (1932) (2) 'Chetak' Helicopter (3) Boeing-737 Jet Aircraft (4) Boeing-747 Jumbo Jet **Quantity :** 30-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 79_Folder_55
Value : ₹ 150

SET 79_VIP Folder_55
Value : ₹ 200

**SET 80_FDC_56****'INDIA-80' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue)**

Date : 25/1/1980 **Denomination :** 30, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Army Post Office & Post-marks (2) Money Order record of 1879 & coins of that period (3) Two sides of a 2a copper prepayment ticket (4) Sri Rowland Hill & Birth Place at Kidderminster **Quantity :** 30-5 Mill, 50-3 Mill, 100 & 200-2 Mill each, all stamps in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 80_Folder_56
Value : ₹ 150

SET 80_VIP Folder_56
Value : ₹ 200

**SET 80_FDC_57****XXII Olympic Games, Moscow**

Date : 19/7/1980 **Denomination :** 100, 280 **Description :** (1) High Jumping (2) Show Jumping **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 80_Folder_57
Value : ₹ 100

SET 80_VIP Folder_57
Value : ₹ 100

**SET 80_FDC_58****Brides in Traditional Indian Costumes**

Date : 30/12/1980 **Denomination :** 100x4 **Description :** (1) Tamilnadu (2) Rajasthan (3) Kashmir (4) Bengal **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 80_Folder_58
Value : ₹ 100

SET 80_VIP Folder_58
Value : ₹ 150

**SET 81_FDC_59****Tribes of India**

Date : 30/5/1981 **Denomination :** 10x4 **Description :** (1) Bhil (2) Dandami Maria (3) Toda (4) Khamnagan Naga **Quantity :** Naga, Bhil & Toda-2 Mill, Dandami Maria-1.5 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 125**

SET 81_Folder_59
Value : ₹ 125

SET 81_VIP Folder_59
Value : ₹ 150



SET 81_FDC_60

IX Asian Games, New Delhi

Date : 28/7/1981 **Denomination :** 100x2 **Description :** (1) Games Logo 'Jantar Mantar' (2) Stylised Hockey Player & Mascot 'Appu' **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 81_Folder_60
Value : ₹ 150

SET 81_VIP Folder_60
Value : ₹ 100



SET 81_FDC_61

Indian Flowering Trees

Date : 1/9/1981 **Denomination :** 35, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Flame of the Forest (2) Crateva (3) Golden Shower (4) Bauhinia **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 81_Folder_61
Value : ₹ 150

SET 81_VIP Folder_61
Value : ₹ 200



SET 81_FDC_62

Indian Butterflies

Date : 20/10/1981 **Denomination :** 35, 50, 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Northern Jungle Queen (2) Red Lace Wing (3) Map Butterfly (4) Kaiser-e-Hind **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 81_Folder_62
Value : ₹ 200

SET 81_VIP Folder_62
Value : ₹ 200



SET 82_FDC_63

Festival of India, London - Ancient Sculpture

Date : 23/3/1982 **Denomination :** 200, 305 **Description :** (1) Deer Family (Stone Carving) (2) Kalia-Mardana (Bronze) **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 82_Folder_63
Value : ₹ 100

SET 82_VIP Folder_63
Value : ₹ 100



SET 82_FDC_64

Himalayan Flowers

Date : 29/5/1982 **Denomination :** 35, 100 **Description :** (1) Blue Poppy (2) Showy Inula (3) Cobra Lily (4) Brahma Kamal **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 82_Folder_64
Value : ₹ 200

SET 82_VIP Folder_64
Value : ₹ 250



SET 82_FDC_65

Festival of India, Contemporary Art

Date : 17/9/1982 **Denomination :** 200, 305 **Description :** (1) 'Bindu' by S.H. Raza (2) 'Between the spider and the lamp' by M.F. Husain **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 125**

SET 82_Folder_65
Value : ₹ 125

SET 82_VIP Folder_65
Value : ₹ 150

**SET 82_FDC_66****IX Asian Games, New Delhi (6th Issue)**

Date : 19/11/1982 **Denomination :** 50, 200, 285, 325 **Description :** (1) Cycling (2) Javelin-throwing (3) Discus-throwing (4) Football **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 82_Folder_66
Value : ₹ 200

SET 82_VIP Folder_66
Value : ₹ 250

**SET 82_FDC_67****IX Asian Games, New Delhi, (7th Issue)**

Date : 25/11/1982 **Denomination :** 200, 285 **Description :** (1) 'Enterprise Dinghie's Race' (2) Rowing **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 82_Folder_67
Value : ₹ 100

SET 82_VIP Folder_67
Value : ₹ 100

**SET 82_FDC_68****'INPEX-82' - National Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi**

Date : 30/12/1982 **Denomination :** 50, 200 **Description :** (1) RMS Van in Vintage Composite Rail Coach & Silhouette of Steam Locomotive (2) 1st stamps of Pre & Post Independence India **Quantity :** 2 Mill each, 50 in sheets of 35 & 200 in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 82_Folder_68
Value : ₹ 100

SET 82_VIP Folder_68
Value : ₹ 150

**SET 83_FDC_69****Non-aligned Summit Conference, New Delhi**

Date : 7/3/1983 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) 7th Non-aligned Summit Logo (2) Nehru **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 83_Folder_69
Value : ₹ 100

SET 83_VIP Folder_69
Value : ₹ 100

**SET 83_FDC_70****Commonwealth Day**

Date : 14/3/1983 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Shore Temple Mahabalipuram (2) Gomukh of Gangotri Glacier **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 83_Folder_70
Value : ₹ 100

SET 83_VIP Folder_70
Value : ₹ 100

**SET 83_FDC_71****India's Struggle for Freedom 1st Series**

Date : 9/8/1983 **Denomination :** 50x3 **Description :** (1) Meera Behn (2) Mahadev Desai (3) Quit India Resolution (8th Aug 1942) **Quantity :** Quit India-2 Mill in sheets of 20, M. Desai & Meera Behn-1.5 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** "The above set marks the beginning of a project under which 4 to 6 stamps would be issued every year, till 1997-the 50th year of India's Independence, to complete the story of the struggle through stamps. All issues of Freedom Fighter Series have similar type of design-Portrait within National Tricolour vertical or diagonal border". **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 83_Folder_71
Value : ₹ 250

SET 83_VIP Folder_71
Value : ₹ 500



SET 83_FDC_72

Indian Wild Life - Endangered Primates

Date : 1/10/1983 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Golden Langur (2) Lion-tailed Macaque **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 83_Folder_72
Value : ₹ 200

SET 83_VIP Folder_72
Value : ₹ 300



SET 83_FDC_73

Bicentenary of Manned Flight

Date : 21/11/1983 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) 'Udan Khatola' India's 1st Hot Air Balloon & Taj Mahal (2) 1st Montgolfier Balloon **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 83_Folder_73
Value : ₹ 100

SET 83_VIP Folder_73
Value : ₹ 150



SET 83_FDC_74

7th Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting, New Delhi

Date : 23/11/1983 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Commonwealth Logo (2) Early 19th century Goanese Couple **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 83_Folder_74
Value : ₹ 100

SET 83_VIP Folder_74
Value : ₹ 100



SET 84_FDC_75

Leaders of Sepoy Mutiny (First War of Independence)

Date : 10/5/1984 **Denomination :** 50x4 **Description :** (1) Taty Tope (2) Nana Sahib (3) Begum Hazrat Mahal (4) Mangal Pandey **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 84_Folder_75
Value : ₹ 200

SET 84_VIP Folder_75
Value : ₹ 250



SET 84_FDC_76

XXIII Olympic Games, Los Angeles

Date : 28/7/1984 **Denomination :** 50, 100, 200, 250 **Description :** (1) Basketball (2) High Jumping (3) Floor Exercises (4) Weightlifting **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 84_Folder_76
Value : ₹ 200

SET 84_VIP Folder_76
Value : ₹ 250



SET 84_FDC_77

Forts of India

Date : 3/8/1984 **Denomination :** 50, 100, 150, 200 **Description :** (1) Gwalior Fort (M.P.) (2) Vellore Fort (T.N.) (3) Simhagad Fort (Maharashtra) (4) Jodhpur Fort (Rajasthan) **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 84_Folder_77
Value : ₹ 200

SET 84_VIP Folder_77
Value : ₹ 300

**SET 84_FDC_78****Indian Roses**

Date : 23/12/1984 **Denomination :** 150, 200 **Description :** (1) Mrinalini (2) Sugandha **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 84_Folder_78
Value : ₹ 150

SET 84_VIP Folder_78
Value : ₹ 200

**SET 85_FDC_79****Bougainvillea**

Date : 5/6/1985 **Denomination :** 50, 100 **Description :** (1) Mahara (2) H.B. Singh **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 85_Folder_79
Value : ₹ 150

SET 85_VIP Folder_79
Value : ₹ 200

**SET 85_FDC_80****1st Summit Meeting of South Asian Association for Regional Co-operation, Dhaka, Bangladesh**

Date : 8/12/1985 **Denomination :** 100, 300 **Description :** (1) Map showing Member Countries (2) Flags of Member Nations **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each, 100 in sheets of 35 & 300 in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 85_Folder_80
Value : ₹ 150

SET 85_VIP Folder_80
Value : ₹ 150

**SET 86_FDC_81****'INPEX-86' - 5th India National Philatelic Exhibition, Jaipur**

Date : 14/2/1986 **Denomination :** 50, 200 **Description :** (1) Hawa Mahal & 1st stamp of Jaipur State 1904 (2) Mobile Camel Post Office in Thar Desert **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 86_Folder_81
Value : ₹ 100

**SET 86_FDC_82****75th Anniversary of First Official Airmail Flight, Allahabad-Naini**

Date : 18/2/1986 **Denomination :** 50, 300 **Description :** (1) Humber Sommer Bi-plane & later mail planes & 1911 postmark (2) Modern Indian Airlines Plane & Humber Sommer Bi-plane **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each, 50 in sheets of 35 & 300 in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 86_Folder_82
Value : ₹ 150

**SET 86_FDC_83****X Asian Games, Seoul**

Date : 16/9/1986 **Denomination :** 150, 300 **Description :** (1) Volleyball, (2) Hurdling **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 86_Folder_83
Value : ₹ 150



SET 86_FDC_84

40th Anniversary of United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)

Date : 11/12/1986 **Denomination :** 50, 500 **Description :** (1) Growth Monitoring (2) Innoculating a baby **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 86_Folder_84

Value : ₹ 200



SET 86_FDC_85

50th Anniversary of Corbett National Park (U.P.)

Date : 15/12/1986 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Indian Elephant (2) Gharial **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 86_Folder_85

Value : ₹ 150

SET 86_VIP Folder_85

Value : ₹ 700



SET 87_FDC_86

Centenary of South Eastern Railway

Date : 28/3/1987 **Denomination :** 100, 150, 200, 400 **Description :** (1) Service to five Steel Plants & S.E. Railway Insignia (2) PL type Narrow Gauge Locomotive on Naupada-Gurupur Sec. (3) Electro Locomotive on Viaduct 1987 on Kottavasla-Kirandul Sec. (4) ZE type Narrow Gauge Locomotive on Gondia-Nagpur Sec. **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 87_Folder_86

Value : ₹ 200



SET 87_FDC_87

'INDIA-89' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (1st Issue)

Date : 15/6/1987 **Denomination :** 50, 500 **Description :** (1) Stylised Swan, regarded as messenger of good news (Exhibition Logo) (2) Hall of Nations, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 87_Folder_87

Value : ₹ 100



SET 87_FDC_88

Asia Regional Conference of the Rotary International

Date : 14/10/1987 **Denomination :** 60, 650 **Description :** (1) Map of Asia & Rotary Logo (2) Oral Polio Vaccination **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 87_Folder_88

Value : ₹ 200



SET 87_FDC_89

Centenary of Service to Blind

Date : 15/10/1987 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Blind boy, Braille books & Computer (2) Eye donation by a deceased person **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 87_Folder_89

Value : ₹ 150



SET 87_FDC_90

'INDIA-89' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue)

Date : 17/10/1987 **Denomination :** 60, 150, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Iron Pillar, Delhi (2) India Gate, New Delhi (3) Dewan-e-Khas in Red Fort, Delhi (4) Old Fort, Delhi **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 87_Folder_90

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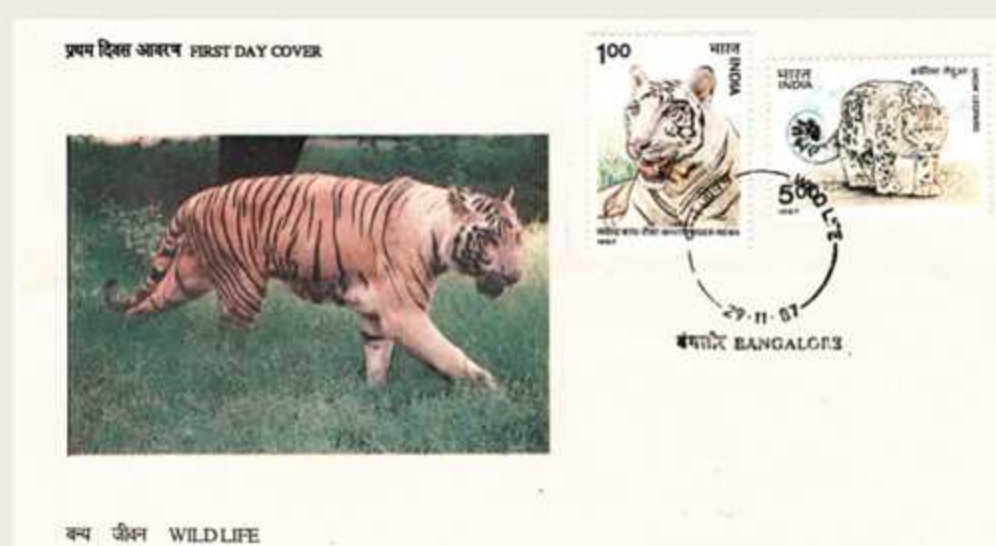
SET 87_FDC_91

Indian Trees

Date : 19/11/1987 **Denomination :** 60, 150, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Chinara (2) Pipal (3) Sal (4) Banyan **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 400**

SET 87_Folder_91

Value : ₹ 300



SET 87_FDC_92

Wild Life

Date : 29/11/1987 **Denomination :** 100, 500 **Description :** (1) White Tiger (2) Snow Leopard **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 87_Folder_92

Value : ₹ 300



SET 88_FDC_93

Himalayan Peaks

Date : 19/5/1988 **Denomination :** 150, 400, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Broad Peak (2) K-2 (Godwin Austen) (3) Kanchenjunga (4) Nanda Devi **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 500**

SET 88_Folder_93

Value : ₹ 400



SET 88_FDC_94

Sports-1988 and XXIV Olympic Games, Seoul

Date : 17/9/1988 **Denomination :** 60, 500 **Description :** (1) I.O.A. Logo (2) India's success in 12 disciplines since Independence **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 88_Folder_94

Value : ₹ 300



SET 88_FDC_95

'INDIA-89' - World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue)

Date : 9/10/1988 **Denomination :** 400, 500 **Description :** (1) Bangalore G.P.O. (2) Bombay G.P.O. **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheetlets of 5 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 88_Folder_95

Value : ₹ 150



SET 88_FDC_96a

Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru Birth Centenary (1989), (1st Issue)

Date : 14/11/1988 **Denomination :** 60, 100 **Description :** (1) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru (2) Portrait of Nehru at Central Hall of Parliament **Quantity :** 60-10 Mill & 100-1 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 15 **Remarks :** FDC on normal paper **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 88_Folder_96

Value : ₹ 100



SET 88_FDC (of Handmade Paper)_96b

Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru Birth Centenary (1989), (1st Issue)

Date : 14/11/1988 **Denomination :** 60, 100 **Description :** (1) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru (2) Portrait of Nehru at Central Hall of Parliament **Quantity :** 60-10 Mill & 100-1 Mill, all stamps in sheets of 15 **Remarks :** FDC on Handmade paper and was meant for distribution to VIPs **Value : ₹ 1000**



SET 88_FDC_97

'INDIA-89' - World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (4th Issue)

Date : 20/12/1988 **Denomination :** 60, 650 **Description :** (1) D.L.O. Cancellation (1886) (2) R.M.S. Cancellation (1864) **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheetlets of 5 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 88_Folder_97

Value : ₹ 150



SET 89_FDC_98

'INDIA-89' - World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (5th Issue)

Date : 20/1/1989 **Denomination :** 60, 150, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Stamp Collecting (2) Travellers Coach & Post Office (3) Travancore Anchal Stamp of 2 Chukrams (4) Early Indian Philatelic Magazine **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheetlets of 5 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 89_Folder_98

Value : ₹ 200



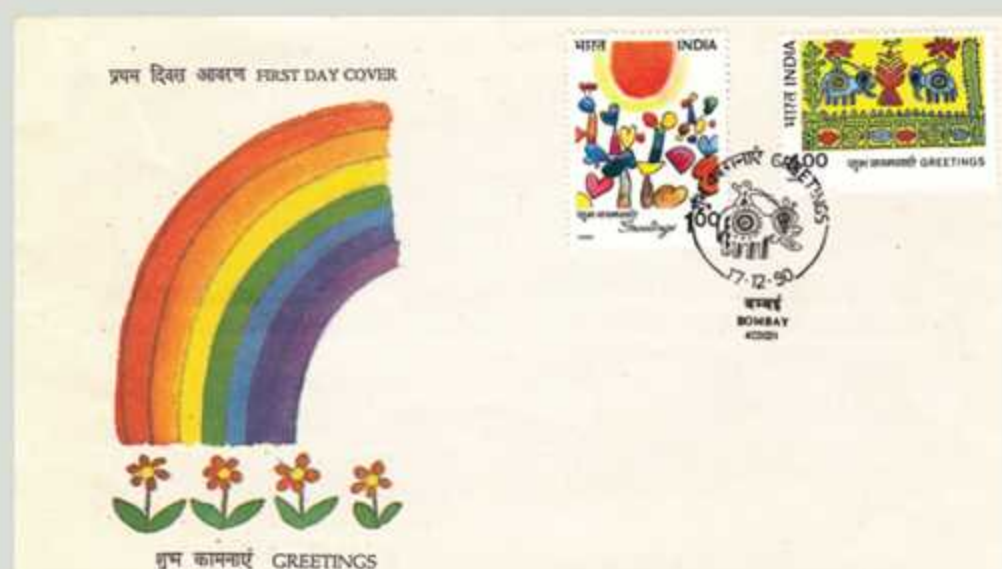
SET 90_FDC_99

XI Asian Games, Beijing, China

Date : 29/9/1990 **Denomination :** 100, 400x2, 650 **Description :** (1) Kabbadi (2) Athletics (3) Cycling (4) Archery **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 90_Folder_99

Value : ₹ 250



SET 90_FDC_100

Greetings

Date : 17/12/1990 **Denomination :** 100, 400 **Description :** (1) Hearts & Flowers (2) Ceremonial Elephants **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 90_Folder_100

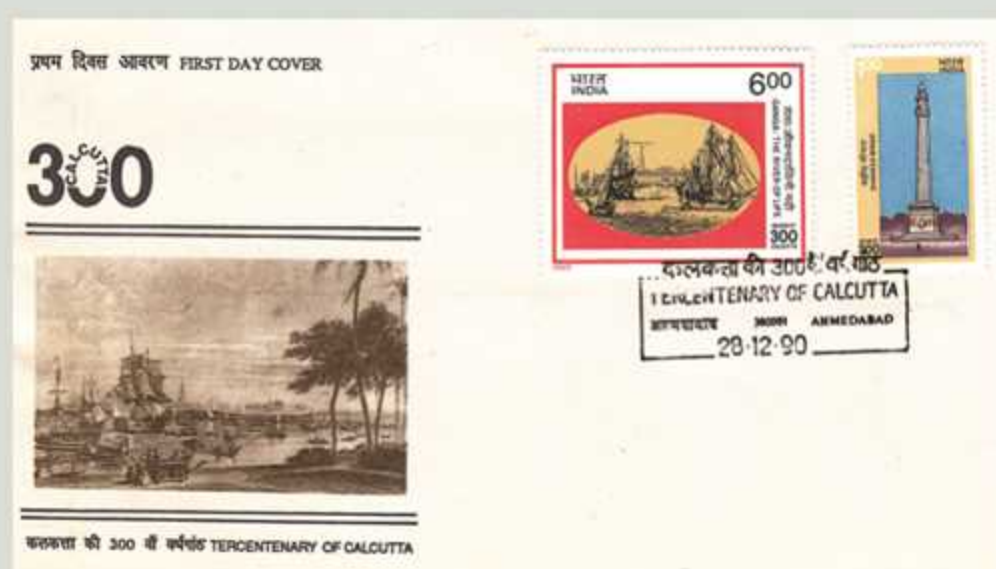
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**SET 90_FDC_101****Historic Cities of India**

Date : 24/12/1990 **Denomination :** 400, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Palace & Sand Dunes, Bikaner (2) Charminar Gate, Hyderabad (3) Barabati Fort & Orissi Dancer, Cuttack (4) Kanaka Das & Udipi Temple
Quantity : 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 90_Folder_101

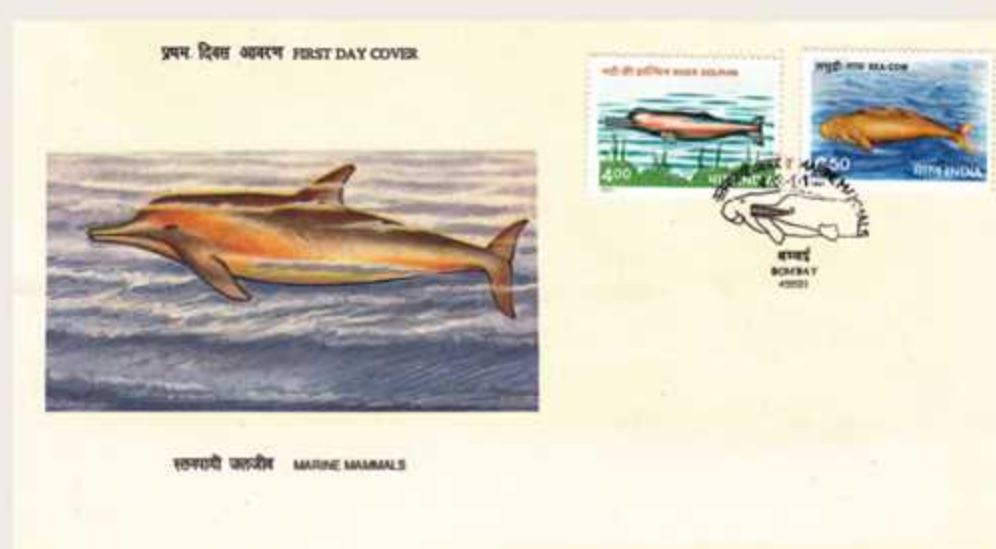
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**SET 90_FDC_102****Calcutta Tercentenary**

Date : 28/12/1990 **Denomination :** 100, 600 **Description :** (1) Octoriony Monument (Shaheed Minar) (2) 18th century shipping on the Ganges & Old Fort William
Quantity : 1.5 Mill each, 100 in sheets of 40 & 200 in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 90_Folder_102

Value : ₹ 150

**SET 91_FDC_103****Endangered Marine Mammals**

Date : 4/3/1991 **Denomination :** 400, 650 **Description :** (1) River Dolphin (2) Sea Cow
Quantity : 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 91_Folder_103

Value : ₹ 200

**SET 91_FDC_104****Tribal Dances**

Date : 30/4/1991 **Denomination :** 250, 400, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Valar (Garasias of Rajasthan) (2) Kayang (Kinners of H.P.) (3) Hozagiri (Reangs of Tripura) (4) Velakali (Kundividians & Nairs of Kerala)
Quantity : 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 91_Folder_104

Value : ₹ 200

**SET 91_FDC_105****Keshav Shankar Pilla (Cartoonist & Founder of Children's Book Trust [CBT])**

Date : 31/7/1991 **Denomination :** 400, 650 **Description :** (1) Shankar awarded Padma Vibhushan (2) 'The Big Show !'
Quantity : 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 91_Folder_105

Value : ₹ 150

**SET 91_FDC_106****Orchids of India**

Date : 12/10/1991 **Denomination :** 100, 250, 300, 400, 500, 650 **Description :** (1) Cymbidium Aloifolium (2) Paphiopedilum Venustum (3) Aerides Crispum (4) Cymbidium Bicolour (5) Vanda Spathulata (6) Cymbidium Devonianum
Quantity : 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 91_Folder_106

Value : ₹ 300



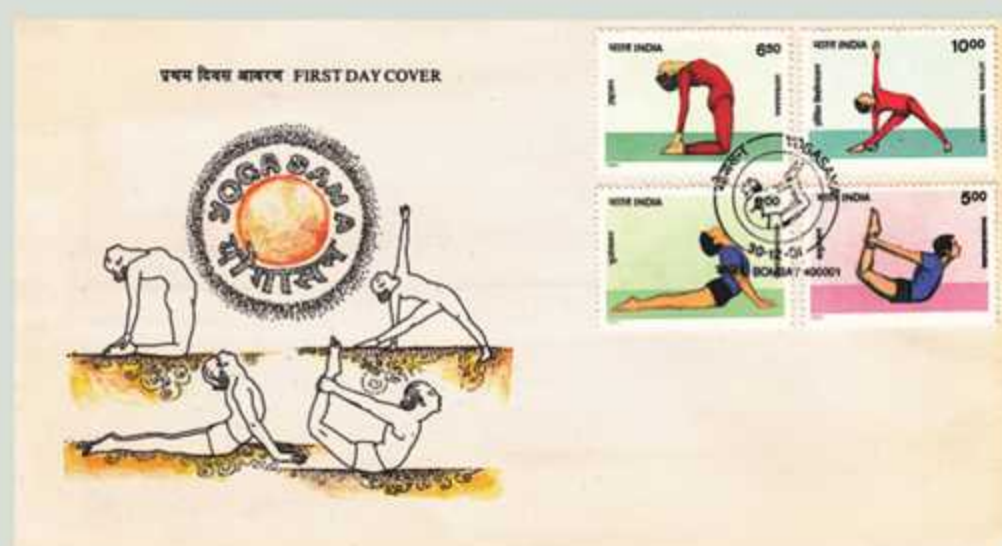
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Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya (Patriot & Patron of Handicrafts)

Date : 29/10/1991 **Denomination :** 100, 650 **Description :** (1) Couple on Horse (Embroidery) (2) Traditional Puppet **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 91_Folder_107

Value : ₹ 150



SET 91_FDC_108

Yogasana

Date : 30/12/1991 **Denomination :** 200, 500, 650, 1000 **Description :** (1) Bhujangasana (2) Dhanurasana (3) Ustrasana (4) Utthita Trikonasana **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 91_Folder_108

Value : ₹ 250



SET 92_FDC_109

Adventure Sports

Date : 29/4/1992 **Denomination :** 200, 400, 500, 1100 **Description :** (1) Hand Gliding (2) Wind Surfing (3) River Rafting (4) Skiing **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 600**

SET 92_Folder_109

Value : ₹ 600



SET 92_FDC_110

XXV Olympics, Barcelona

Date : 8/8/1992 **Denomination :** 100, 600, 800, 1100 **Description :** (1) Discus Throw (2) Gymnastics (3) Hockey (4) Boxing **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 600**

SET 92_Folder_110

Value : ₹ 600



SET 92_FDC_111

50th Anniversary of 'Quit India' Movement 1942

Date : 9/8/1992 **Denomination :** 100, 200 **Description :** (1) Spinning Wheel (2) Gandhi **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SET 92_Folder_111

Value : ₹ 350



SET 92_FDC_112

Birds of Prey

Date : 30/12/1992 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 800, 1100 **Description :** (1) Osprey (2) Peregrine Falcon (3) Lammergeier (4) Himalayan Golden Eagle **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 750**

SET 92_Folder_112

Value : ₹ 750



SET 93_FDC_113

Mountain Locomotives

Date : 16/4/1993 **Denomination :** 100, 600, 800, 1100 **Description :** (1) Neral-Matheran Rly. (2) Darjeeling-Himalayan Rly. (3) Nilgiri Mountain Rly. (4) Kalka-Simla Rly. **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 600**

SET 93_Folder_113

Value : ₹ 600



SET 93_FDC_114

Indian Flowering Trees

Date : 9/10/1993 **Denomination :** 100, 600, 800, 1100 **Description :** (1) Jarul (The Pride of India Tree) (2) Khumphi (Yellow Silk Indian Tree) (3) Panjara (The Indian Coral Tree) (4) Paras-Pipal (The Indian Tulip Tree) **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 400**

SET 93_Folder_114

Value : ₹ 400



SET 95_FDC_115

50th Anniversary of the United Nations

Date : 26/6/1995 **Denomination :** 100, 600 **Description :** (1) Handshake (2) Work on UN Agencies **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 95_Folder_115

Value : ₹ 150



SET 96_FDC_116

Cricketers of India

Date : 13/3/1996 **Denomination :** 200x4 **Description :** (1) Col. C.K. Nayudu (2) Vinoo Mankad (3) Prof. D.B. Deodhar (4) Vijay Merchant **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 96_Folder_116

Value : ₹ 200



SET 96_FDC_117

'Ritu-Rang' Miniature Paintings on four seasons

Date : 13/3/1996 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Vasant (2) Greeshm (3) Varsha (4) Hemant **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 96_Folder_117

Value : ₹ 200



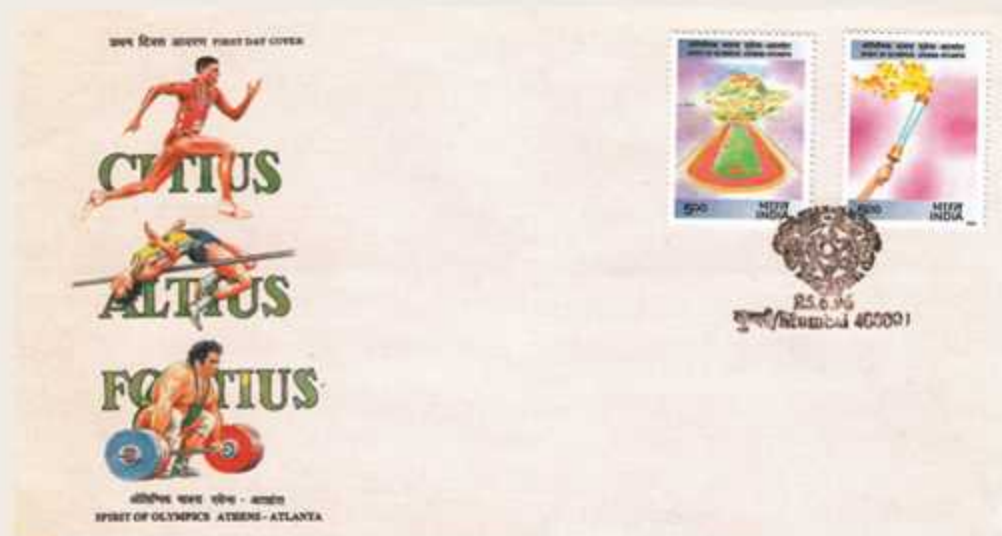
SET 96_FDC_118

Himalayan Ecology

Date : 10/5/1996 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Blood Pheasant (2) Markhor (3) Himalayan Poppy (4) Phen Kamal **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 400**

SET 96_Folder_118

Value : ₹ 400



SET 96_FDC_119

XXVI Olympic Games, Atlanta and 100 Years of Modern Olympics

Date : 25/6/1996 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Marble Stadium (Athens) & Parthenon (2) Hand holding Olympic Torch **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 96_Folder_119

Value : ₹ 150



SET 97_FDC_120

'INDEPEX-97' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue) Beaches of India

Date : 11/8/1997 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 1000, 1100 **Description :** (1) Gopalpur-on-Sea (Orissa) (2) Kovalam (Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala) (3) Anjuna (Goa) (4) Bogmalo (Goa) **Quantity :** 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 97_Folder_120

Value : ₹ 250



SET 97_FDC_121

50th Anniversary of Birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeobotany, Lucknow. Fossils

Date : 11/9/1997 **Denomination :** 200, 200, 600, 1000 **Description :** (1) Williamsonia Sewardiana (2) Glossopteris (3) Pentoxylon (4) Birbalsahnia **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** Erroneously the captions of 200 & 1000 denominations were interchanged. Stamp of 200 denomination is actually Williamsonia Sewardiana and of 1000 denomination is Birbalsahnia Divyadarshanil. **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 97_Folder_121

Value : ₹ 200



SET 98_FDC_122

Indian Musical Instruments

Date : 29/12/1998 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 800, 1000 **Description :** (1) Rudra Veena (2) Flute (3) Pakhawaj (4) Sarod **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 400**

SET 98_Folder_122

Value : ₹ 300

SET 98_VIP Folder_122

Value : ₹ 1400



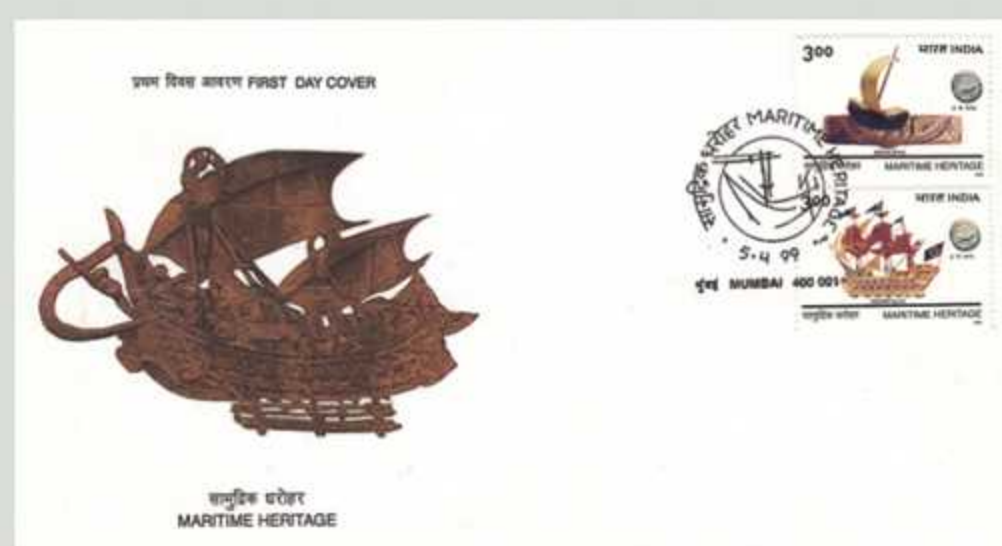
SET 98_FDC_123

International Year of the Ocean : Sea Shells of Andaman & Nicobar Islands

Date : 30/12/1998 **Denomination :** 300x3, 1100 **Description :** (1) Rock/Murex Shell (2) Horned Helmet (3) Cowrie (4) Spider Shell **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 98_Folder_123

Value : ₹ 300



SET 99_FDC_124

Maritime Heritage

Date : 5/4/1999 **Denomination :** 300x2 **Description :** (1) Terracotta Model Boat, Lothal, of 2200 B.C. & Indus Seal (2) Ghurab (Sailing Ship) Kanhoji Angre, 1700 A.D. Lead Coin - Satavahana Period 2nd Century A. D. **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 99_Folder_124

Value : ₹ 150

**SET 99_FDC_125**

Heroes of Struggle for Freedom : Sardar Ajit Singh, Swami Ramanand Teerth, Vishwambhar Dayalu Tripathi and Swami Keshawanand

Date : 15/8/1999 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Sardar Ajit Singh (2) Swami Ramanand Teerth (3) Vishwambhar Dayalu Tripathi (4) Swami Keshawanand **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SET 99_Folder_125

Value : ₹ 350

**SET 99_FDC_126**

Linguistic Harmony of India. 50th Anniversary of 'Hindi Diwas' (1862-65)

Date : 14/9/1999 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Ramdhari Sinha 'Dinkar' (Philosopher, Poet & Writer) (2) Jhaverchand Kalidas Meghani (Poet & Writer) (3) Rambriksh Benipuri & Statue of Horse (Patriot, Writer & Journalist) (4) Kazi Nazrul Islam, Pen & Village scene (Revolutionary Poet & Lyricist) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 99_Folder_126

Value : ₹ 250

**SET 99_FDC_127**

Endangered Species : Asiatic Lion (Panthera Leo Persica)

Date : 4/10/1999 **Denomination :** 300x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Lionesses (2) Lion & Lioness (3) Lioness with Cubs (4) Two Lions **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 99_Folder_127

Value : ₹ 300

**SET 99_FDC_128**

India's March Towards Progress & Development

Date : 9/10/1999 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) A.D. Shroff (Economist & Industrialist) (2) A.B. Walawalkar (Railway Engineer, Father of Konkan Railway) & Route of Konkan Railway (3) Chhaganlal K. Parekh (Social Reformer) & Medical Staff with child (4) Dr. T.M.A. Pai (Educator & Reformer) & Hospital **Quantity :** A.D. Shroff-0.5 Mill in sheets of 35, A.B. Walawalkar-0.4 Mill in sheets of 35, Chhaganlal K. Parekh-1.4 Mill in sheets of 35, Dr. T.M.A. Pai-0.55 Mill in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 99_Folder_128

Value : ₹ 250

**SET 99_FDC_129**

125th Anniversary of Universal Postal Union : Traditional Rural Arts & Crafts

Date : 9/10/1999 **Denomination :** 300x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Four Headed Mask for Chhau Dance, W.B. & Bihar (2) 'A Myth of Creation' (Painting of Rathwa Tribe) (3) 'Fertility Ring' of Muria Tribe, Bastar, M.P. (4) Necklace of Conch Shell of Angami Tribe, Nagaland **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 99_Folder_129

Value : ₹ 250

**SET 99_FDC_130**

Modern Masters of Indian Classical Music

Date : 19/10/1999 **Denomination :** 300x2 **Description :** (1) Ustad Allaiddin Khan (Sarod Player) (2) Musiri Subramania Iyer (Singer) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 42 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 99_Folder_130

Value : ₹ 150



SET 99_FDC_131

Freedom Fighters & Social Reformers

Date : 9/12/1999 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) A. Iyer & 'Meenakshi' Temple (2) Dr. P. Deshmukh & Symbols of Agriculture (3) I.K. Yagnik & Newspaper (4) P. Kakkan & Symbols of Agriculture **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 99_Folder_131

Value : ₹ 250



SET 00_FDC_132

Birth Centenaries of Socio-Political Personalities

Date : 17/2/2000 **Denomination :** 300x3 **Description :** (1) Balwantrao Mehta (Pioneer of Panchayati Raj Concept) (2) Dr. Harekrushna Mahatab (Builder of Modern Orissa) (3) Arun Kumar Chanda (Leader of Postal & R.M.S. Trade Union) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

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Value : ₹ 250



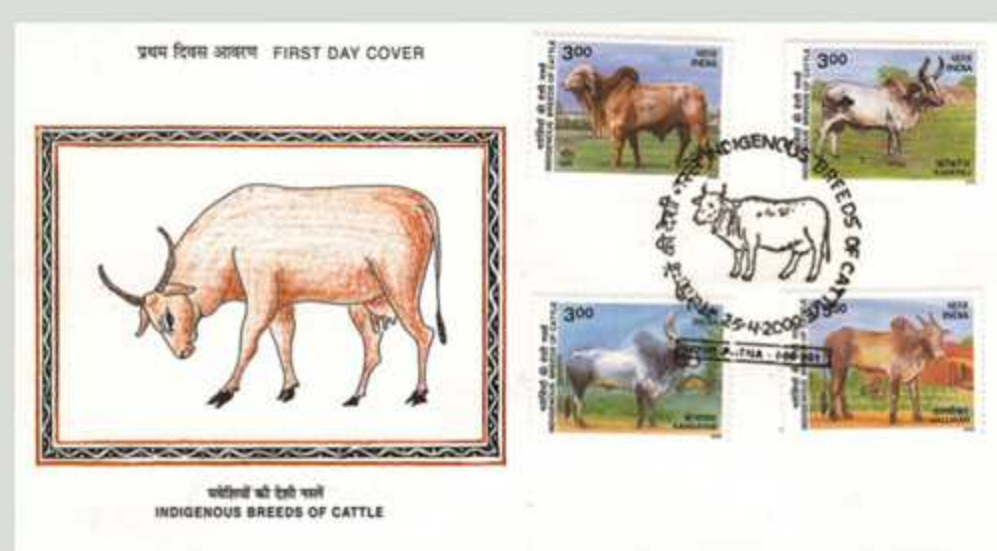
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'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (1st Issue) : Natural Heritage of Manipur and Tripura

Date : 31/3/2000 **Denomination :** 300x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) (1) Siroi Lily (2) Sangai Deer (3) Wild Guava (4) Slow Loris **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps issued on 7 Apr 2000 **Value : ₹ 400**

SET 00_Folder_133

Value : ₹ 300



SET 00_FDC_134

Indigenous Breeds of Cattle

Date : 25/4/2000 **Denomination :** 300x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Kankrej, Gujarat (2) Kangayam T.N. (3) Gir, Gujarat (4) Hallikar, Karnataka **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 00_Folder_134

Value : ₹ 300



SET 00_FDC_135

'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue) : Migratory Birds

Date : 24/5/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Rosy Pastor (2) Garganey Teal (3) Forest Wagtail (4) White Stork **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 plus 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 10 sets **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps issued on 24 May 2000 **Value : ₹ 400**

SET 00_Folder_135

Value : ₹ 300



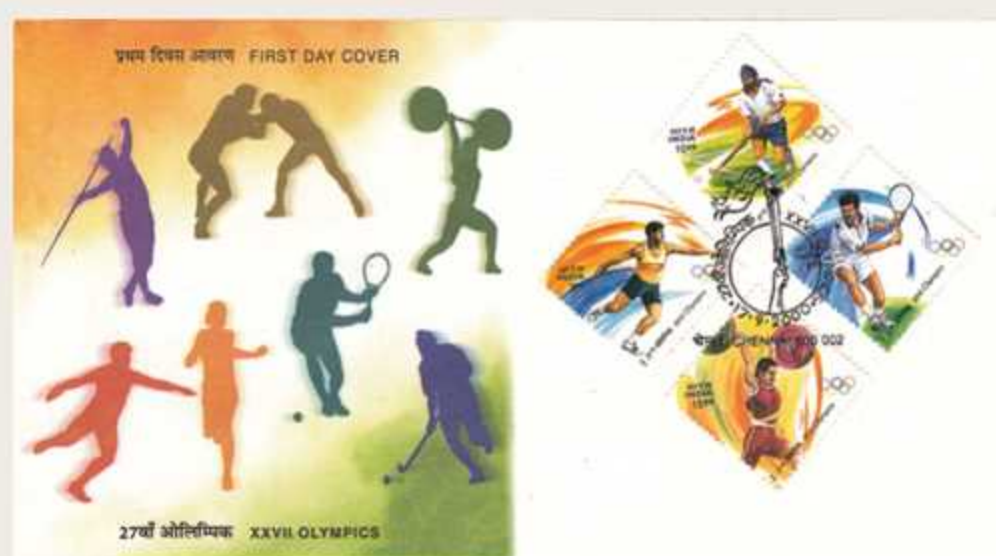
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Social & Political Leaders

Date : 15/8/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) V.L. Pandit (Diplomat) (2) B.R. Srinivasan (Leader of Depressed Classes) (3) Jagal Choudhary (Social Reformer) (4) Radha Gobinda Baruah (Journalist & Reformer) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SET 00_Folder_136

Value : ₹ 350



SET 00_FDC_137

XXVII Olympics, Sydney

Date : 17/9/2000 **Denomination :** 300, 600, 1000, 1500 **Description :** (1) Discus (2) Tennis (3) Hockey (4) Weightlifting **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 00_Folder_137

Value : ₹ 300



SET 00_FDC_138

India's Space Programme

Date : 29/9/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Oceansat-1 (2) Insat-3B in Orbit (3) India in Space **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 and 20 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SET 00_Folder_138

Value : ₹ 350



SET 00_FDC_139

Madhubani Mithila Paintings

Date : 15/10/2000 **Denomination :** 300x3, 500, 1000 **Description :** (1) Krishna with Gopies (2) Flower Girls (3) Bali & Sugriva (4) Lotus Plant Motif, 'Kohbar-Ghar' Mural **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 and 20 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 800**

SET 00_Folder_139

Value : ₹ 600



SET 00_FDC_140

'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (3rd Issue) : Games & Jewellery

Date : 7/12/2000 **Denomination :** 300x6 **Description :** (1) Bead Necklace from Indus Valley, c. 2500 B.C. (2) Gold Necklace from Taxila, c. 1st cent. A.D. (3) Turban Ornament (Sarpech) (4) Navaratna Necklace, c. 18th cent. (5) 'Tali', Bridal Necklace from South India, 19th cent. (6) 'Kanthla', Temple Necklace from Rajasthan, 18th cent. **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with four stamps from above with portrait of D.N. Jatia (Philatelist) issued on 11 Dec 2000 **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 00_Folder_140

Value : ₹ 300



SET 00_FDC_141

Personalities Series : Historical

Date : 31/12/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Prithviraj Chauhan, Ruled from Delhi (2) Raja Bhamashah, Dewan of Mewar (3) Rajarshi Bhagyachandra, King of Manipur (4) General Zorawar Singh, Governor of Kishtwar **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 00_Folder_141

Value : ₹ 300



SET 01_FDC_142

50 Years of Republic. Personality Series

Date : 25 & 27/1/2001 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Sane Guruji (Social Reformer) (2) E.M.S. Namboodiripad (Marxist Theoretician) (3) Giani Gurumukh Singh Musafir (Akali Reformer) (4) Prof. N.G. Ranga (Social Reformer) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** Stamp of Sane Guruji is issued on 25/01/2001. While other three are issued on 27/01/2001. However FDC cachet shows the pictures of all 4. **Value : ₹ 1500**

SET 01_Folder_142

Value : ₹ 300



SET 01_FDC_143

50 Years of Republic. Personality Series

Date : 27/1/2001 **Denomination :** 300x3 **Description :** (1) E.M.S. Namboodiripad (Marxist Theoretician) (2) Giani Gurumukh Singh Musafir (Akali Reformer) (3) Prof. N.G. Ranga (Social Reformer) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** Again this FDC is 2nd variety of stamps of 27/01/2001 **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 01_Folder_143

Value : ₹ 200



SET 01_FDC_144

India's Struggle for Freedom - Great Revolutionaries

Date : 29/1/2001 **Denomination :** 300x2 **Description :** (1) Jubba Sahni (2) Yogendra Shukla & Baikunth Shukla **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 01_Folder_144

Value : ₹ 250



SET 01_FDC_145

International Fleet Review

Date : 18/2/2001 **Denomination :** 300x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Tarangini (Sail Training Ship) (2) Pal (Maratha Navy, 18th cent.) (3) Galbat (Maratha 18th cent.) (4) IFR-2001 Logo (Painting of Boat of Mohenjodaro period) **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 01_Folder_145

Value : ₹ 250



SET 01_FDC_146

Personalities Series : The Spirit of Nationalism

Date : 6/7/2001 **Denomination :** 400x4 **Description :** (1) Krishna Nath Samah (Social Reformer) (2) C. Sankaran Nair (Lawyer) (3) Syama Prasad Mookerjee (Politician) (4) U. Kiang Nongbah (Martyr) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 01_Folder_146

Value : ₹ 300



SET 01_FDC_147

Corals of India

Date : 22/8/2001 **Denomination :** 400x2, 1500, 4500 **Description :** (1) Mushroom Coral (2) Digitate Coral (3) Velvet Coral (4) Staghorn Coral **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SET 01_Folder_147

Value : ₹ 250



SET 01_FDC_148

Personality Series. Poetry and Performing Arts

Date : 9/10/2001 **Denomination :** 400x3 **Description :** (1) Bharathidasan (Tamil Poet) (2) Lachhu Maharaj (Kathak Dancer & Choreographer) (3) Master Mitraser (Writer & Folk Singer) **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 01_Folder_148

Value : ₹ 200

SET 01_FDC_149

Greetings

Date : 18/12/2001 **Denomination :** 300, 400 **Description :** (1) Flowers, Fireworks & Christmas Tree (2) Butterflies & Flowers **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 150**

SET 01_Folder_149

Value : ₹ 150



SET 01_FDC_150

'INPEX-EMPIREPEX-2001' - National Stamp Exhibition, Nagpur. Temple Architecture

Date : 22/12/2001 **Denomination :** 400x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Kedarnath Temple (2) Tryambakeshwar Temple (3) Aundha Nagnath Temple (4) Rameshwaram Temple **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 250**

SET 01_Folder_150

Value : ₹ 350

SET 01_VIP Presentation Folder_150

Value : ₹ 1250



SET 02_FDC_151

'Bauddha Mahotsav' Festival

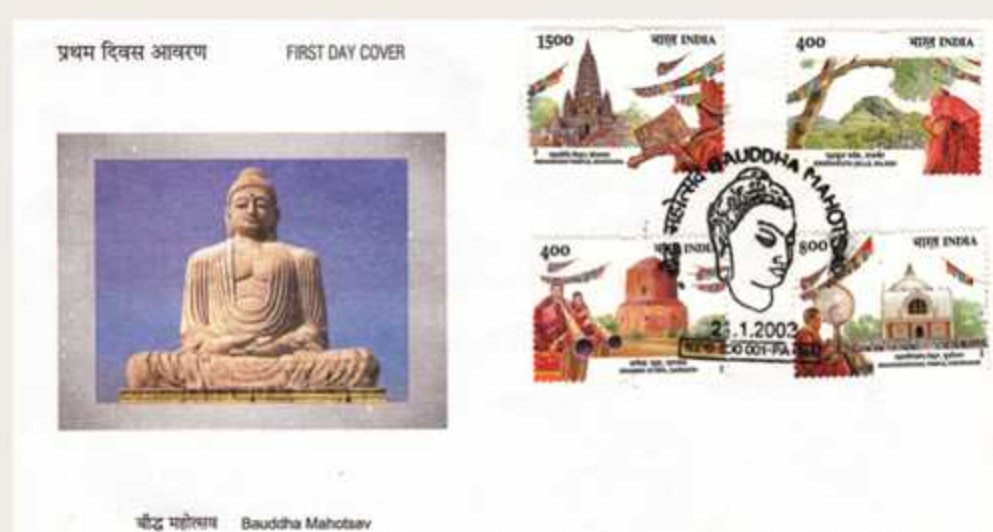
Date : 21/1/2002 **Denomination :** 400x2, 800, 1500 **Description :** (1) Gridhakuta Hills, Rajgir (2) Dhamek Stupa, Samath (3) Mahaparinirvana Temple (4) Mahabodhi Temple, Bodhgaya **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 300**

SET 02_Folder_151

Value : ₹ 300

SET 02_VIP Presentation Folder_151

Value : ₹ 1250



SET 02_FDC_152

Indian Literature

Date : 22/6/2002 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Babu Gulabrai (2) Pandit Suryanarayan Vyas **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 100**

SET 02_Folder_152

Value : ₹ 100



SET 02_FDC_153

Social Reformers

Date : 12/9/2002 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Ayyan Kali (2) Chandraprabha Saikiani (3) Gora **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 150**

SET 02_Folder_153

Value : ₹ 150





SET 02_FDC_154

8th Session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, New Delhi

Date : 30/10/2002 **Denomination :** 500x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Rhizophora Mucronata (2) Nypa Fruticans (3) Bruguiera Gymnorhiza (4) Sonneratia Alba **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps and background of mangrove forest **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 02_Folder_154

Value : ₹ 200



SET 02_FDC_155

Forts of Andhra Pradesh

Date : 31/12/2002 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Golconda Fort (2) Palace of Chandragiri Fort **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 27 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 02_Folder_155

Value : ₹ 150



SET 03_FDC_156

Aero India 2003, Bangalore on Centenary Year of Man's First Powered Flight

Date : 5/2/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) 'Hindustan Trainer No. 2' First Aircraft Mfg. in India (2) 'Marut' Ground Attack Aircraft (3) Light Combat Aircraft World's smallest multirole Aircraft (4) 'Dhruv' state-of-the-art Helicopter for Indian Armed Forces **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 20 having thematic border **Remarks :** MS with the above four stamps **Value : ₹ 600**

SET 03_Folder_156

Value : ₹ 500



SET 03_FDC_157

Golden Voices of Yesteryears

Date : 15/5/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kishore Kumar (2) Mukesh (3) Mohammed Rafi (4) Hemant Kumar **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with the above four stamps forming a composite design with border **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 03_Folder_157

Value : ₹ 250



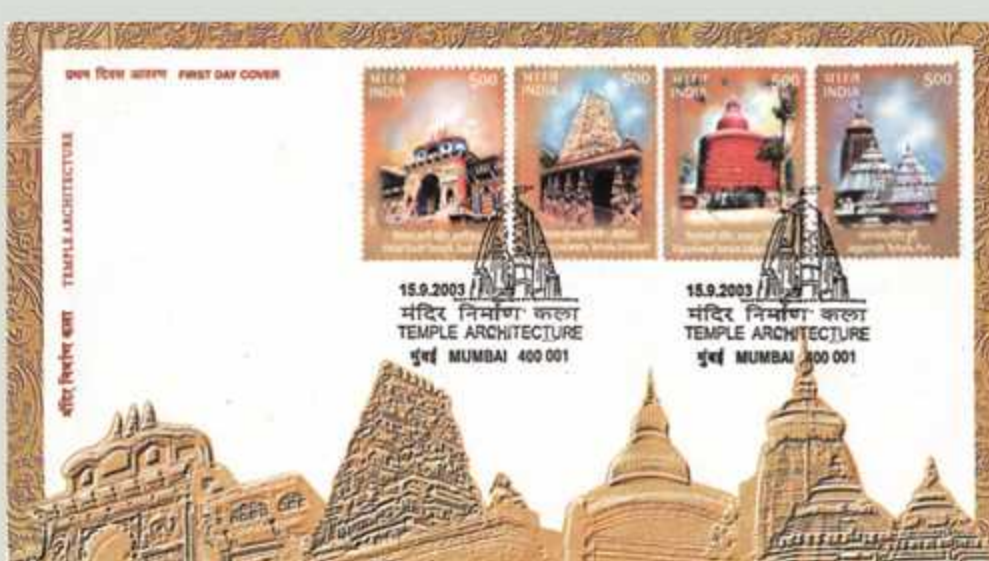
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151st Anniversary of Government Museum, Chennai

Date : 19/6/2003 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500 **Description :** (1) 'Natesa', 12th cent. Bronze from Tanjavur (2) Sculptured Medallion from Amravati (circa. 150 AD) (3) Museum Theatre **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 20 (both 500) and 10 (1500) with a view of National Art Gallery, Chennai in border **Remarks :** MS with the above three stamps and other exhibits of the museum in border **Value : ₹ 500**

SET 03_Folder_158

Value : ₹ 400



SET 03_FDC_159

Temple Architecture

Date : 15/9/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Vishal Badri Temple (Badrinath) (2) Mallikarjunaswamy Temple (Sri Sailam) (3) Tripureswari Temple (Udaipur, Tripura) (4) Jagannath Temple (Puri, Orissa) **Quantity :** 2.4 Mill each in sheetlets of 16 single stamps plus 0.6 Mill each in sheetlets of four sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 800**

SET 03_Folder_159

Value : ₹ 500

**SET 03_FDC_160****Waterfalls of India**

Date : 3/10/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Athirapalli Falls (Sholayar Forest) (2) Kempty Falls (Uttaranchal) (3) Kakolat Falls (Bihar) (4) Jog (Gerusoppa Falls) (Sharavati River, Karnataka) **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps artistically framed forming a composite design with background **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 03_Folder_160

Value : ₹ 200

**SET 03_FDC_161****Nature India - Snakes**

Date : 12/11/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Python (2) Bamboo Pit Viper (3) King Cobra (4) Gliding Snake **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps forming a composite design with background **Value : ₹ 300**

SET 03_Folder_161

Value : ₹ 200

**SET 03_FDC_162****Personality Series : Folk Music**

Date : 29/12/2003 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Lalan Fakir (2) Allah Jilai Bai **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 03_Folder_162

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 04_FDC_163****The Great Trigonometrical Survey**

Date : 28/6/2004 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Trigonometrical Design (2) Nain Singh (3) Radhanath Sikdar **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 45 **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps & border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 04_Folder_163

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 06_FDC_164****Endangered Birds of India**

Date : 5/10/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Manipur Bush -Quail (2) Lesser Florican (3) Greater Adjutant Stork (4) Nilgiri Laughing Thrush **Quantity :** 3.0 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 sets with thematic border **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps in block of four with thematic border **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 06_Folder_164

Value : ₹ 200

**SET 07_FDC_165****Fragrance of Roses**

Date : 7/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bhim (2) Delhi Princess (3) Jawahar (4) Neelam **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** MS with above four setenant stamps in blocks of four **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 07_Folder_165

Value : ₹ 150



SET 07_FDC_166

Fairs of India

Date : 27/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Pushkar Fair (Rajasthan) (2) Sonepur Fair (Bihar) (3) Carnival (Goa) (4) Baul Mela (West Bengal) **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 12 with thematic border **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps in setenant block of four with thematic border **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 07_Folder_166

Value : ₹ 100



SET 07_FDC_167

2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha

Date : 2/5/2007 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Prince Siddhartha (2) Meditating Buddha (3) Asectic Buddha (4) Image of Buddha (5) 'Dharma Chakra' & aspects of 'Hinayana Buddhism' (6) 'Bhramasparsha' Buddha holding nectar in jar **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 15 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 07_Folder_167

Value : ₹ 200



SET 07_FDC_168

150 Years of First War of Independence

Date : 9/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500, 1500 **Description :** (1) Battle at Kanpur (2) Battle of Lucknow **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each **Remarks :** MS with above pair with thematic border **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 07_Folder_168

Value : ₹ 100



SET 07_FDC_169

Landmark Bridges of India

Date : 17/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Pamban Bridge (2) Vidyasagar Setu Bridge (3) Howrah Bridge (4) Mahatma Gandhi Setu Bridge **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 4 **Remarks :** MS with the above four stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 07_Folder_169

Value : ₹ 100



SET 07_FDC_170

Platinum Jubilee of Indian Air Force

Date : 8/10/2007 **Denomination :** 500x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) 'Dhrub' Advanced Light Helicopter (2) Westland Wapiti Biplane (3) IL-8 MK-1, Fight Refueller Aircraft (4) AWACS Air borne warning & control system **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 24 34 & 5 in sheets of 40 & 6 & 7 in 16 **Remarks :** MS with all the types of Airplanes in the background with Air Force Monogram and 75 years **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 07_Folder_170

Value : ₹ 100



SET 07_FDC_171

Children's Day

Date : 14/11/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Theme : The Magic of the Night **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with outer space midnight scene in the background **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 07_Folder_171

Value : ₹ 75

**SET 07_FDC_172****Renewable Energy**

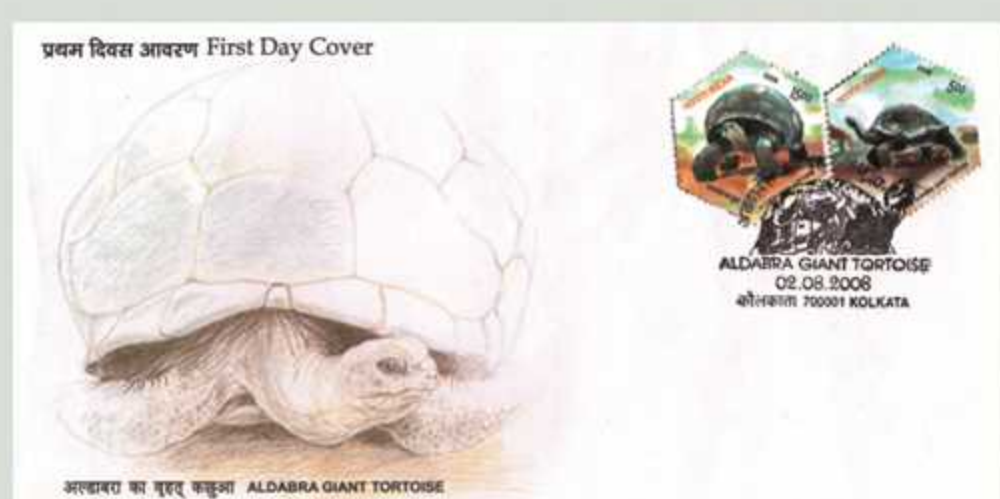
Date : 22/11/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Solar Energy (2) Biomass Energy (3) Wind Energy (4) Small Hydro Power **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 3 blocks plus 3 horizontal stamps each, and sheetlets of 18 individual stamps **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 07_Folder_172**Value : ₹ 150****SET 08_FDC_173****Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands**

Date : 2/1/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Papilio Mayo (Male) (2) Andaman Mormon (Female) (3) Andaman Club Tail (Male) (4) Pachliopta Rhodifer (Female) **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 6 blocks, in sheetlets of 24 individual stamps with outline diagrams of each butterfly in the border **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps and border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 08_Folder_173**Value : ₹ 150****SET 08_FDC_174****Jasmine**

Date : 26/4/2008 **Denomination :** 500, 1500 **Description :** (1) Jasmine Flowers - Green (2) Jasmine Flowers - Violet **Quantity :** 500-1 Mill & 1500-3 Mill, both in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps forming a composite design with the background with fragrance of jasmine **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 08_Folder_174**Value : ₹ 100****SET 08_FDC_175****Adwaitya Aldabra Giant Tortoise of Alipore Zoo, Kolkata - Hexagonal Design**

Date : 2/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500, 1500 **Description :** Aldabra Giant Tortoise **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 13 (500-5, 1500-8) or (500-8, 1500-5) **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 08_Folder_175**Value : ₹ 100****SET 08_FDC_176****30th Anniversary of Indian Coast Guard**

Date : 12/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Domier Fixed Wing Aircraft (2) Advanced Light Helicopter (3) Hovercraft (4) Patrol Vessel **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of four blocks **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with border depicting details of above four vehicles in land and sea **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 08_Folder_176**Value : ₹ 100****SET 08_FDC_177****Festivals of India : Durga Puja, Dussehra and Deepavali**

Date : 7/10/2008 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Goddess Durga (Dussehra, Kolkata) (2) Deepavali Lamps (3) Elephants & Procession (Dussehra, Mysore) **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps and thematic background **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 08_Folder_177**Value : ₹ 100**



SET 08_FDC_178

National Children's Day 'India of My Dreams'

Date : 14/11/2008 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Education, Scientific & Economic Development (2) India on Moon (3) Communal Harmony **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps in setenant **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 08_Folder_178

Value : ₹ 75



SET 08_FDC_179

60th Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy, Hyderabad

Date : 27/11/2008 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** Sardar Patel Academy Police Training **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 08_Folder_179

Value : ₹ 100



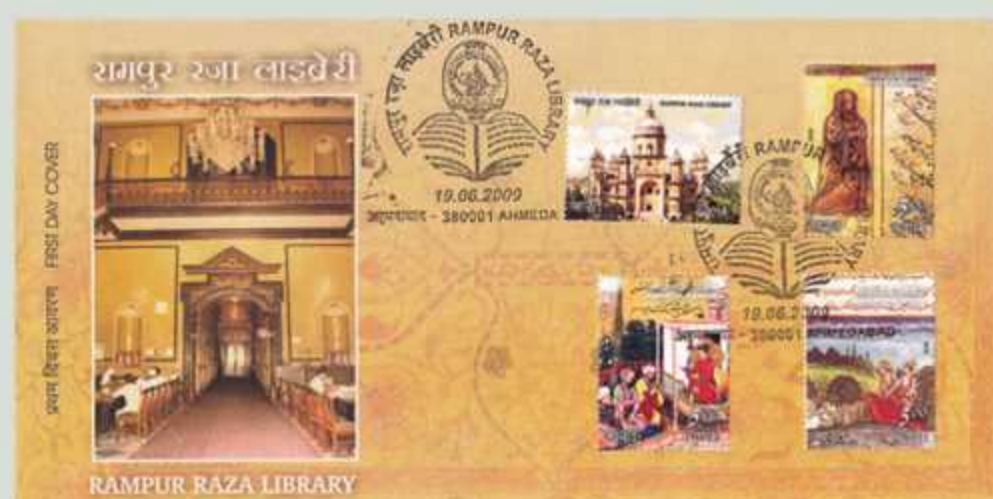
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10th Anniversary of Brahmos Supersonic Cruise Missile

Date : 22/12/2008 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** Warship Launching Brahmos Fighter Planes, Missile on land **Quantity :** 500-2 Mill, 2000-1 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps with slight variations forming a composite design with the borders **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 08_Folder_180

Value : ₹ 100



SET 09_FDC_181

Rampur Raja Library, Uttar Pradesh

Date : 19/06/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Library Building (2) Ram and Laxman with Persian script by Sumer Chand (3) Illustration from Diwan-i-Hafiz (4) Madonna holding book Jahangir's Album **Quantity :** 1.0 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with borders depicting some other collections in the library **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 09_Folder_181

Value : ₹ 100



SET 09_FDC_182

Heritage Railway Stations of India

Date : 16/08/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Howrah (2) Mumbai CST (3) Chennai Central (4) Old Delhi **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 24 **Remarks :** MS with above four setenant stamps **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 09_Folder_182

Value : ₹ 100



SET 09_FDC_183

Rare Fauna of North East India

Date : 01/10/2009 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Barbe's Leaf Monkey (2) Red Panda (3) Marbled Cat **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 09_Folder_183

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 09_FDC_184****Dilwara & Ranakpur Heritage Jain Temple**

Date : 14/10/2009 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Dilwara Temple (2) Ranakpur Temple **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 20 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 09_Folder_184

Value : ₹ 75

**SET 09_FDC_185****Horses of India**

Date : 9/11/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Manipuri (2) Kathiawari (3) Marwari (4) Zanskari **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS Horses in sketches & photographs **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 09_Folder_185

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 09_FDC_186****Children's Day**

Date : 14/11/2009 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Tiger Green-Yellow (2) Deer Red-Green **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 09_Folder_186

Value : ₹ 75

**SET 09_FDC_187****Greetings**

Date : 1/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Designs in four colours - Blue, Orange, Brown & Green-Yellow **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with the above stamps **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 09_Folder_187

Value : ₹ 75

**SET 09_FDC_188****Traditional Indian Textiles Commemoration**

Date : 10/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kalamkari (2) Apa Tani Weaves (3) Kanchipuram (4) Banaras Silk **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** MS stamps with horizontal strip of 4 **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 09_Folder_188

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 09_FDC_189****Preserve the Polar Regions and Glaciers**

Date : 19/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Penguin & Polar Bear on ice floes **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** MS stamps within glaciers design **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 09_Folder_189

Value : ₹ 100

SET 10_FDC_190a

Astrological Signs

Date : 14/4/2010 **Denomination :** 500x12 **Description :** (1) Aquarius (2) Pisces (3) Aries (4) Taurus (5) Gemini (6) Cancer (7) Leo (8) Virgo (9) Libra (10) Scorpio (11) Sagittarius (12) Capricorn **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS Astrological Sign **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 10_Folder_190a

Value : ₹ 300



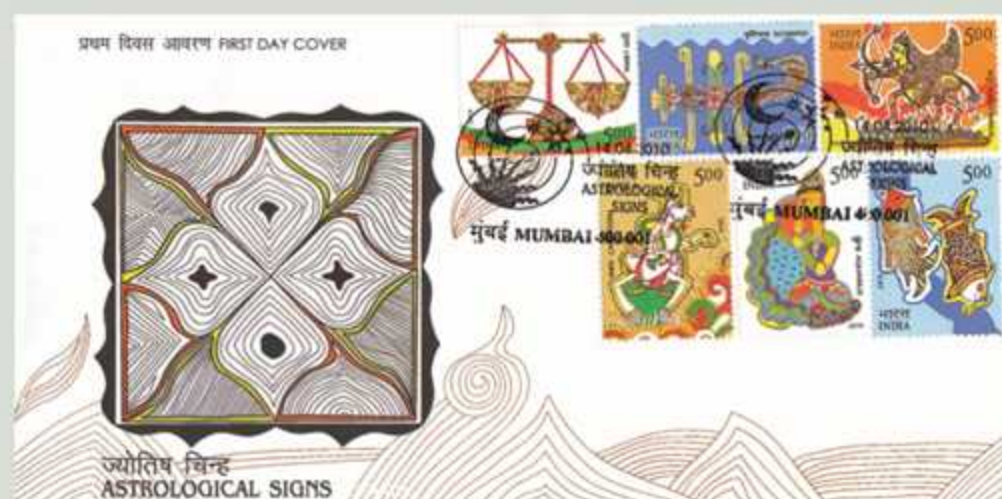
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Astrological Signs

Date : 14/4/2010 **Denomination :** 500x12 **Description :** (1) Aquarius (2) Pisces (3) Aries (4) Taurus (5) Gemini (6) Cancer (7) Leo (8) Virgo (9) Libra (10) Scorpio (11) Sagittarius (12) Capricorn **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS Astrological Sign **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 10_Folder_190b

Value : ₹ 300



SET 10_FDC_191

Postal Heritage Buildings

Date : 13/5/2010 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Udagamandalam H.P.O. (2) Nagpur G.P.O. (3) Shimla G.P.O. (4) Cooch Behar H.P.O. (5) Lucknow G.P.O. (6) Delhi G.P.O. **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 24 **Remarks :** MS stamps with a sketch of Heritage Buildings **Value : ₹ 200**

SET 10_Folder_191

Value : ₹ 200



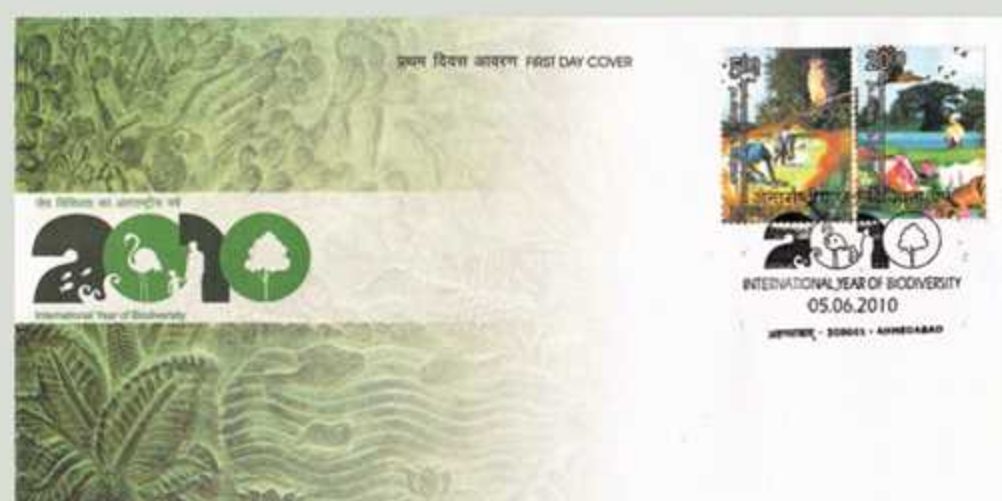
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International Year of Biodiversity

Date : 5/6/2010 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** International Year of Biodiversity **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS within a jungle scene **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 10_Folder_192

Value : ₹ 100



SET 10_FDC_193

Queen's Baton Relay XIX Commonwealth Games

Date : 25/6/2010 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** XIX Commonwealth Games **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS stamps showing the Baton Relay route on the world map **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 10_Folder_193

Value : ₹ 100



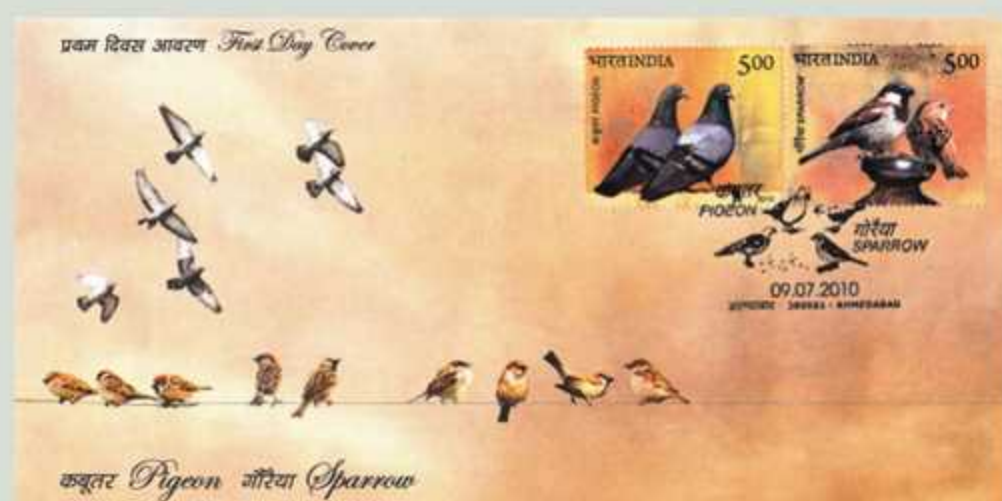
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Birds of India

Date : 9/7/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Sparrow (2) Pigeon **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 30 **Remarks :** MS Sparrow & Pigeons showing in home atmosphere **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 10_Folder_194

Value : ₹ 100



**SET 10_FDC_195****Commonwealth Games (2nd Series)**

Date : 1/8/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Talkatora Stadium (2) Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium
Quantity : 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 18 **Remarks :** MS with panoramic view of the stadiums **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 10_Folder_195

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 10_FDC_196****Indian Princely States Postage Stamps**

Date : 6/10/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Sirmaur (2) Indore (3) Bamra (4) Cochin
Quantity : 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** MS with backdrop of antique gem & jewellery **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 10_Folder_196

Value : ₹ 150

**SET 10_FDC_197****Children's Day**

Date : 14/11/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kites (2) Puppets (3) Pin Wheels (4) Dolls
Quantity : Nasik-0.8 Mill each in sheets of 49x36 puppets in 35 **Remarks :** MS children playing with toys
Value : ₹ 100

SET 10_Folder_197

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 10_FDC_198****Musicians**

Date : 3/12/2010 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Veenai Dhannamal (Musician & Veena Player)
 (2) T.N. Rajarathinam (Singer & Tabla Player) & Nageshbaram (a wind instrument) Player (3) Thanjavur
 Balasaraswathi (Musician) **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 10_Folder_198

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 10_FDC_199****India-Mexico Joint Issue**

Date : 15/12/2010 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** (1) Jarabi Tapatio Dance & The Mexican Hat
 Dance (2) Kalbelia Dance of Rajasthan **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above two
 stamps surrounded by musicians and dancers in the background **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 10_Folder_199

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 10_FDC_200****Crafts Museum, Pragati Maidan**

Date : 21/12/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) 'Madhubani' Art (2) Wood Carving **Quantity :** 0.3
 Mill each in sheets of 25 **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps & backdrop of crafts museum pieces
Value : ₹ 75

SET 10_Folder_200

Value : ₹ 75



SET 11_FDC_201

'INDEPEX-2011' - 100 Years of Airmail commemorating 100 Years of Allahabad-Naini Flight

Date : 12/2/2011 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) U.P. Exhibition (2) Pequets Flight Card (3) Pequets Flight Path (4) Flight over Yamuna Design Line **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each stamps **Remarks :** MS comprised of above 4 stamps with design surrounded by exhibition & flight cancellation coins, plans & other postmarks **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 11_Folder_201

Value : ₹ 100



SET 11_FDC_202

Legendary Heroines of India

Date : 13/2/2011 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Devika Rani (2) Kanan Devi (3) Meena Kumari (4) Nutan (5) Savitri (6) Leela Naidu **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** MS comprised of above 6 Heroines cinema reels and additional still shots of different pictures **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 11_Folder_202

Value : ₹ 100



SET 11_FDC_203

Rabindranath Tagore 150 Years of Birth Anniversary

Date : 7/5/2011 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Rabindranath Tagore as a Poet & Writer (2) Rabindranath Tagore as a Dramatist & Painter **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 25 **Remarks :** MS depicting the above 2 stamps his work and Nobel Prize in the background **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 11_Folder_203

Value : ₹ 75



SET 11_FDC_204

2nd Africa-India Forum Summit 2011

Date : 25/5/2011 **Denomination :** 500, 2500 **Description :** (1) Indian Elephant (2) African Elephant **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with the above 2 stamps and Map of India and Africa superimposed one on the other **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 11_Folder_204

Value : ₹ 75



SET 11_FDC_205

80th Year of Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi

Date : 5/8/2011 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Neo Buddhist Dome (2) Jaipur Column (3) Mughal Jallies (4) Mughal Garden **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill in sheets of 35 & 12 each **Remarks :** MS depicting 4 stamps as above with Rashtrapati Bhawan in the background **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 11_Folder_205

Value : ₹ 75



SET 11_FDC_206

Children's Day

Date : 14/11/2011 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** Based on designs by children on the theme 'save the tiger selected by childrens' competition **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** MS with the above 2 stamps and different paintings of Tigers drawn by children in the background **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 11_Folder_206

Value : ₹ 75

**SET 11_FDC_207****Presidents' Fleet Review, Mumbai**

Date : 19/12/2011 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Submarine (2) Warship (3) Presidential Yacht (4) Naval Aircraft **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 24 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 11_Folder_207

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 11_FDC_208****Archaeological Survey of India 150 Years Anniversary**

Date : 20/12/2011 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** (1) Pre historic clay models of animals (2) Pre historic seals from ancient excavation **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps and scenes of Prehistoric excavations in the background **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 11_Folder_208

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 12_FDC_209****Civil Aviation**

Date : 14/3/2012 **Denomination :** 2000, 500x3 **Description :** Piquet Demonstration to modern air crafts and aerodromes **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with the background of different air crafts used in civil aviation during the last 100 years **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 12_Folder_209

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 12_FDC_210****800th year of 'Urs' of Khwaja 'Garib Nawaz' Moinuddin Chishti**

Date : 27/5/2012 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** (1) Devotional Songs by the Devotees (2) The Tomb of Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti, Ajmer **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each **Remarks :** Consisted of one setenant pair and with the 'Urs' celebrating devotees **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 12_Folder_210

Value : ₹ 100

**SET 12_FDC_211****Shekhawati (Rajasthan) & Warli (Maharashtra) Paintings**

Date : 20/6/2012 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** (1) Warli Painting (2) Shekhawati Painting **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 32 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 12_Folder_211

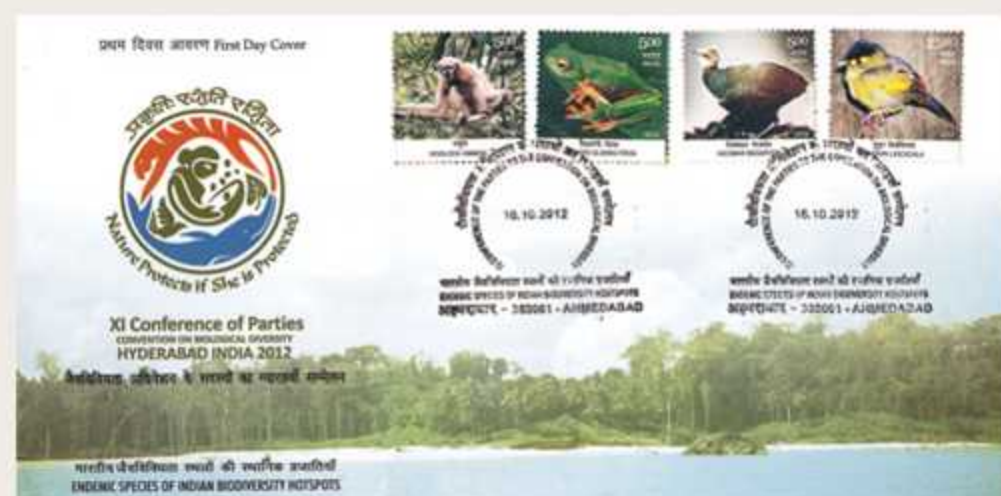
Value : ₹ 75

**SET 12_FDC_212****London 2012 Olympic Games Comm.**

Date : 25/7/2012 **Denomination :** 2000x2, 5000x2 **Description :** (1) Volleyball (2) Rowing (3) Sailing (4) Badminton **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** MS consisting of four stamps Volleyball, Sailing, Rowing & Badminton **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 12_Folder_212

Value : ₹ 100



SET 12_FDC_213

Endemic Species of Indian Biodiversity Hotspots

Date : 16/10/2012 **Denomination :** 500x3 & 2500 (4) **Description :** (1) Hoolock Gibbon (2) Venated Gliding Frog (3) Nicobar Megapode (4) Bugun Liocichla **Quantity :** **Remarks :** MS consisting of above four stamps **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 12_Folder_213

Value : ₹ 100



SET 12_FDC_214

India Israel - Joint Issue, Festival of lights

Date : 5/11/2012 **Denomination :** 500x2 (2) **Description :** (1) Deepavali (2) Hanukkah **Quantity :** **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 12_Folder_214

Value : ₹ 100



SET 12_FDC_215

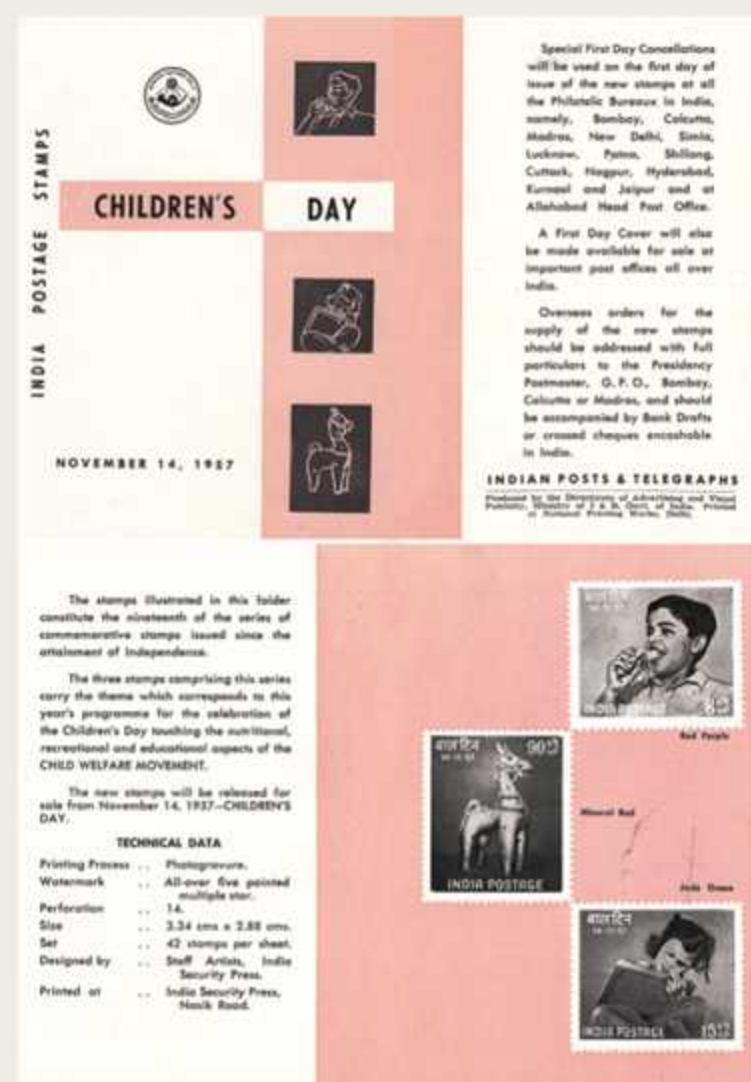
Lighthouses of India

Date : 23/12/2012 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 (2) **Description :** (1) Mahabalipuram (Mamallapuram) Lighthouse (2) Alleppey (Alappuzha) Lighthouse **Quantity :** **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 75**

SET 12_Folder_215

Value : ₹ 75

Glimpses of Folders with Set of Stamps - Commemorative



SET 57_Folder_12

14/11/1957

National Children's Day
Value : ₹ 150

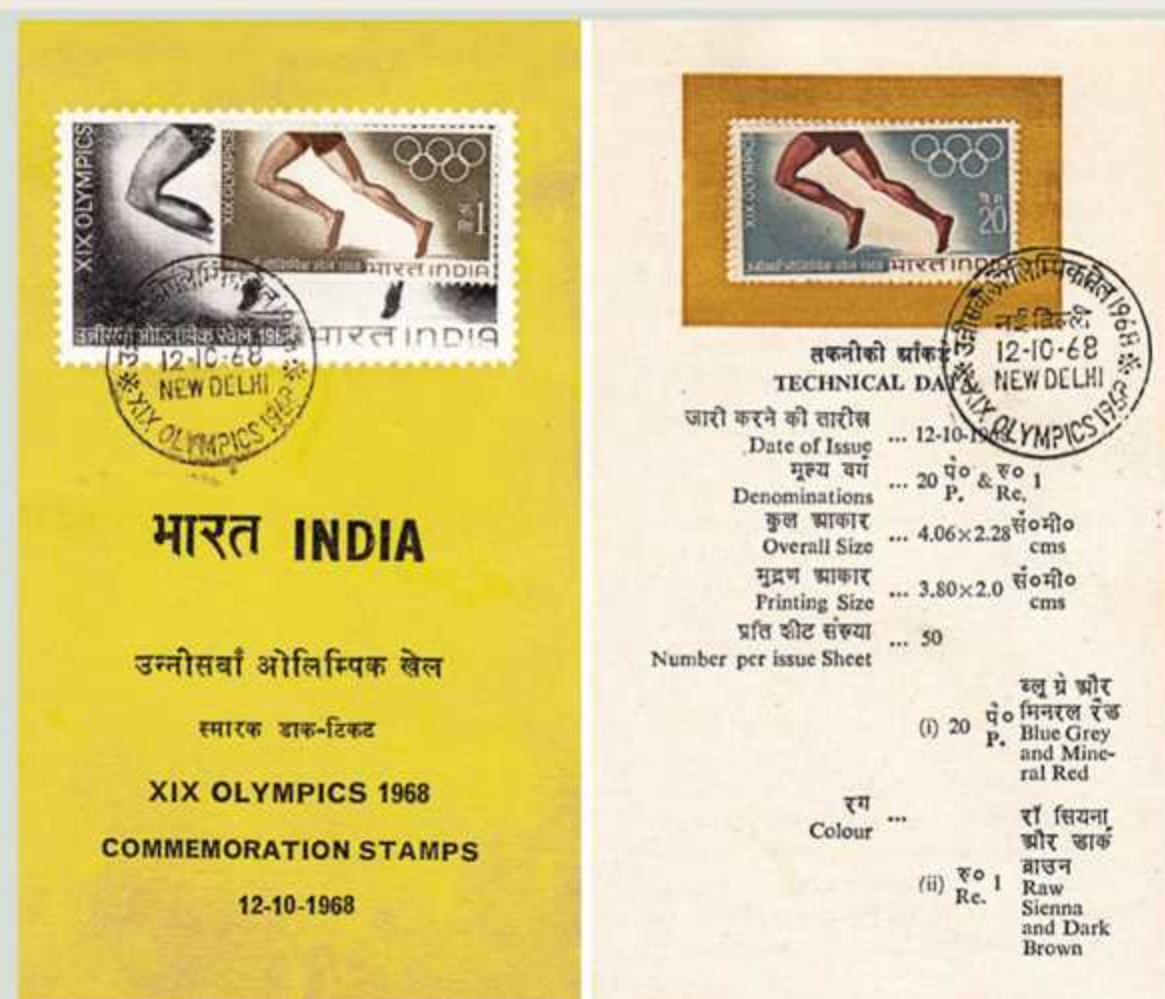
SET 61_Folder_17

14/12/1961

Centenary of Archeological Survey of India
Value : ₹ 500

SET 64_Folder_20

23/1/1964

67th Birth Anniversary of Subhash Chandra Bose (Freedom Fighter)
Value : ₹ 200

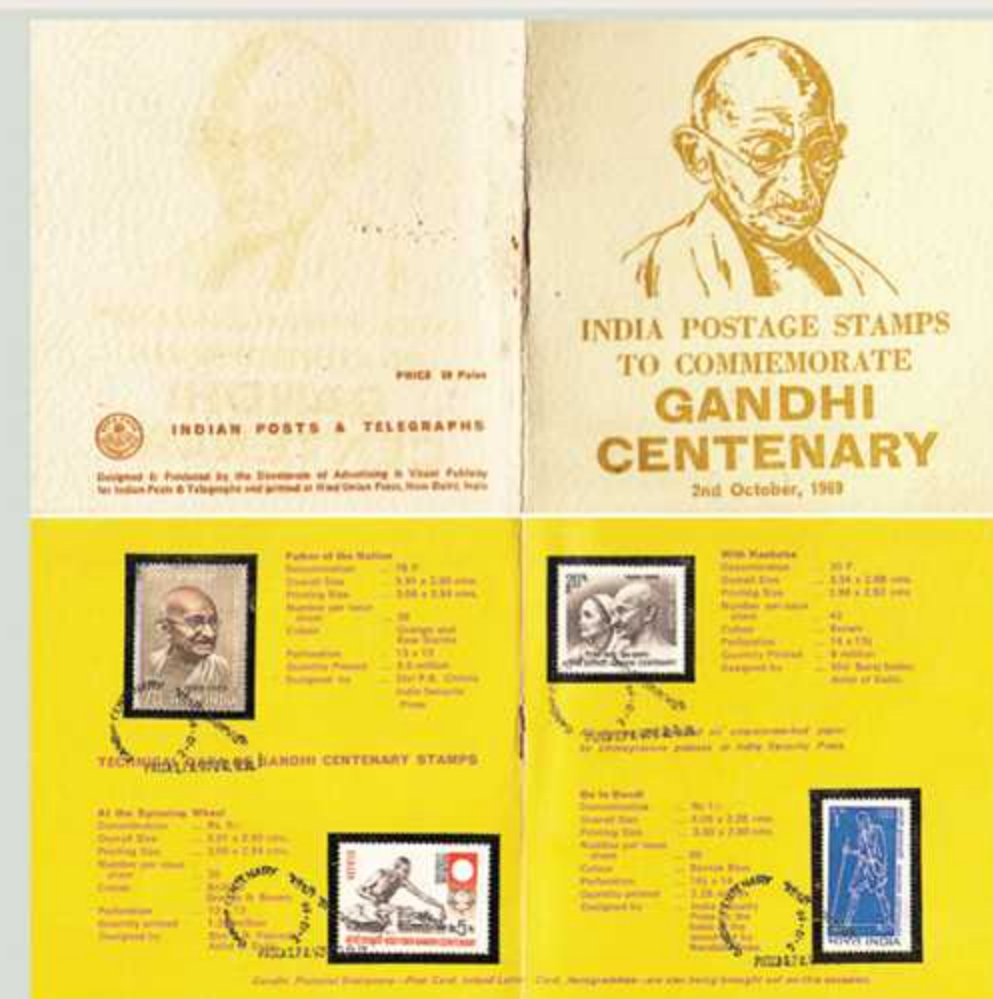
SET 68_Folder_21

12/10/1968

XIX Olympic Games, Mexico City
Value : ₹ 100

SET 68_Folder_22

31/12/1968

Indian Birds
Value : ₹ 250

SET 69_Folder_23_English

2/10/1969

Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi
Value : ₹ 600

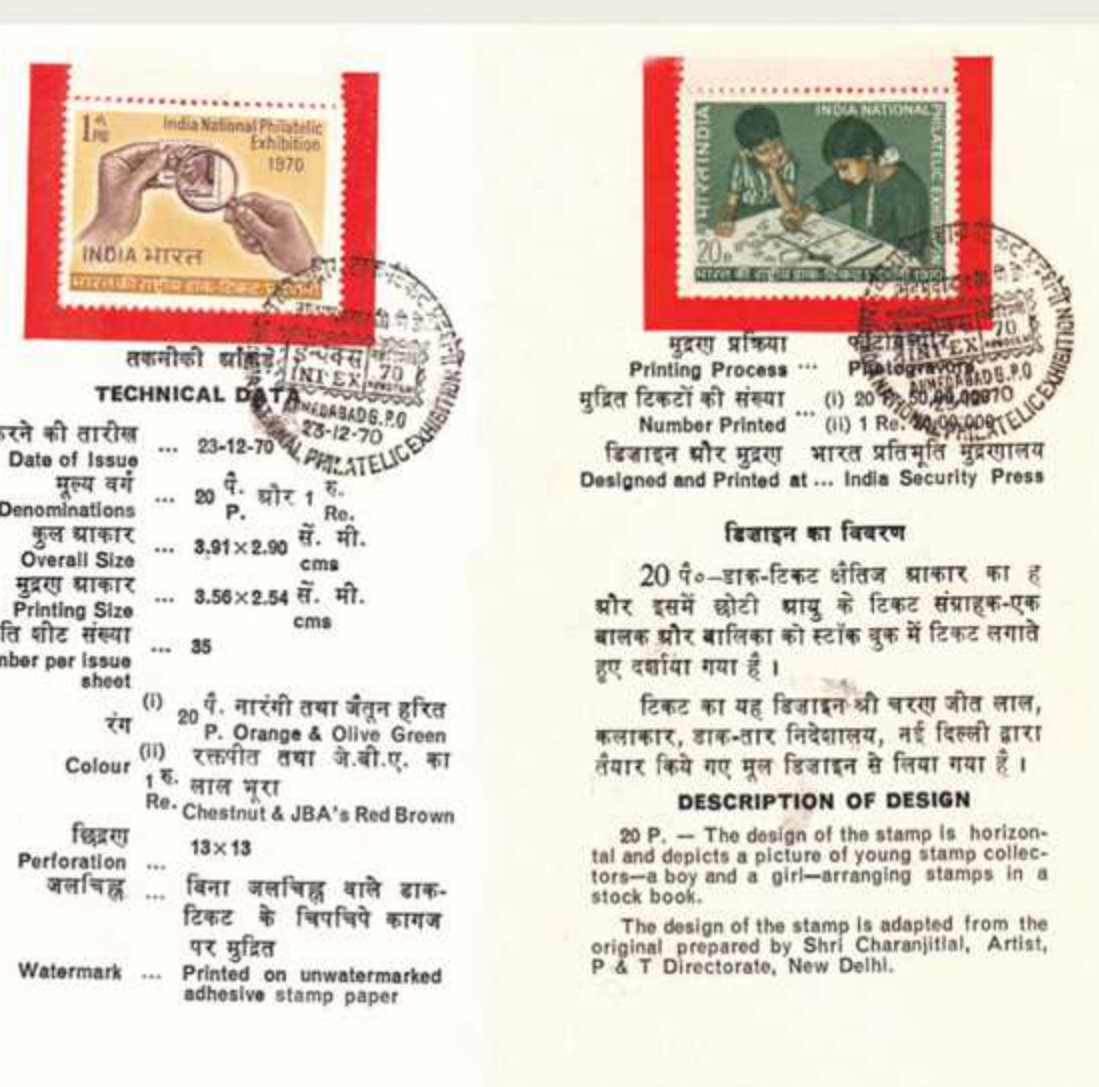
SET 69_Folder_23_Hindi

2/10/1969

Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi
Value : ₹ 600

SET 70_Folder_24

23/12/1970

India National Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi
Value : ₹ 75

तकनीकी जानकारी
TECHNICAL DATA

	वेमना VEMANA	बर्ट्रैंड रसल BERTRAND RUSSELL	टी. प्रकाशम T. PRAKASHAM	भाई वीर सिंह BHAIR VIR SINGH
मूल्य वर्ग Denomination	20 पैसे P.	20 पैसे P.	20 पैसे P.	20 पैसे P.
कुल आकार Overall size	3.34 x 2.88 सें.मी. cms.	3.34 x 2.88 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.
मुद्रण आकार Printing size	2.987 x 2.524 सें.मी. cms.	2.987 x 2.524 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.
प्रति शीट संख्या Number per issue sheet	42	42	35	35
रंग Colour	काला और सफेद Black and White	नीला काला Blue Black	बादामी Hornet Brown	बजरी Plum
छिद्र Perforation	13½ x 14	13½ x 14	13 x 13	13 x 13
जलचिह्न Watermark	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper.

ये चारों डाक-टिकटों में से एक-एक कीमत का डाक-टिकट तथा कोई बालू मीलों पर डाक-टिकटों में से एक-एक कीमत का डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित है।
These four stamps are each of the value of one rupee and are printed on the India Security Press, Nasik Road, by Photogravure process will be released on the October 16, 1972.

SET 72_Folder_26
16/10/1972

Birth Centenary of Bhai Vir Singh, T. Prakasham, Vemana & Bertrand Russell
Value : ₹ 75

तकनीकी जानकारी
TECHNICAL DATA

	20 पैसे P.	145 पैसे P.
मूल्य वर्ग Denomination	20 पैसे P.	145 पैसे P.
कुल आकार Overall size	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.
मुद्रण आकार Printing size	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.
प्रति शीट संख्या Number per issue sheet	35	35
रंग Colour	नारंगी और काला Orange and Black	नारंगी और काला Orange and Black
छिद्र Perforation	13 x 13	13 x 13
जलचिह्न Watermark	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper.
मुद्रण प्रक्रिया Printing Process	फोटोग्राव्यूर Photogravure	फोटोग्राव्यूर Photogravure

DESCRIPTION OF DESIGNS
The design of both the stamps is vertical. The insigne of Asia 72 appears on the 20 Paise stamp and the hand of Buddha in 'Abhaya Mudra' is adopted on Rs. 1.45 stamp.

भारतीय डाक-तार विभाग
INDIAN POSTS & TELEGRAPHS

मूल्य 10 पैसे
Price 10 P.

Designed and produced by the Directorate of Advertising & Visual Publicity, Ministry of I. & B., Govt. of India, New Delhi for the Indian Posts & Telegraphs Department and printed at Recorder Press, New Delhi-110049.

8/18/72-PPI November 1972 davy

SET 72_Folder_27
3/11/1972

Asia-72 (3rd Asian International Trade Fair, New Delhi)
Value : ₹ 75

भारतीय लघु चित्रकारी
INDIAN MINIATURE PAINTINGS

TERMS OF SALE
Orders for the stamps of the new series should be addressed to the India Security Press, Nasik Road, 400001. The stamps will be released on the October 16, 1972.

भारतीय डाक-तार विभाग
INDIAN POSTS & TELEGRAPHS

मूल्य 25 पैसे
Price 25 P.

SET 73_Folder_29
5/5/1973

Indian Miniature Paintings
Value : ₹ 200

तकनीकी जानकारी
TECHNICAL DATA

	20 पैसे P.	30 पैसे P.	50 पैसे P.	1 पैसे P.
मूल्य वर्ग Denomination	20 पैसे P.	30 पैसे P.	50 पैसे P.	1 पैसे P.
कुल आकार Overall size	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.
मुद्रण आकार Printing size	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.
प्रति शीट संख्या Number per issue sheet	35	35	35	35
रंग Colour	हरी और बादामी Olive green & chestnut	मिनरल रेड Mineral Red	लाल और हरी Red and Green	नीला और लाल Blue & Red
छिद्र Perforation	13 x 13	13 x 13	13 x 13	13 x 13
जलचिह्न Watermark	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.
मुद्रित टिकटों की संख्या Quantity printed	10 लाख 1 Million	10 लाख 1 Million	10 लाख 1 Million	15 लाख 1.5 Million

ये चारों डाक-टिकटों में से एक-एक कीमत का डाक-टिकट तथा कोई बालू मीलों पर डाक-टिकटों में से एक-एक कीमत का डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित है।
These four stamps are each of the value of one rupee and are printed on the India Security Press, Nasik Road, by Photogravure process will be released on July 21, 1973.

SET 73_Folder_30
21/7/1973

Centenary Series
Value : ₹ 125

तकनीकी जानकारी
TECHNICAL DATA

	रोमेश चंद्र दत्त ROMESH CHUNDER DUTT	कुमार की रणजीत सिंहजी K.S. RANJITSINHJI	विठ्ठल भाई पटेल VITHALBHAI PATEL	श्री सुमिंदर सिंह SHRI SUMINDER SINGH
मूल्य वर्ग Denomination	20 पैसे P.	30 पैसे P.	50 पैसे P.	20 पैसे P.
कुल आकार Overall size	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.
मुद्रण आकार Printing size	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.
प्रति शीट संख्या Number per issue sheet	35	35	35	35
रंग Colour	गहरा भूरा Dark Brown	हरी और बादामी Olive Green & chestnut	बादामी Hornet Brown	लाल और हरी Red and Green
छिद्र Perforation	13 x 13	13 x 13	13 x 13	13 x 13
जलचिह्न Watermark	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.	विना जलचिह्न तथा डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित Printed on unwatermarked Adhesive Stamp paper in sheets.
मुद्रित टिकटों की संख्या Quantity printed	15 लाख 1.5 Million	15 लाख 1.5 Million	15 लाख 1.5 Million	15 लाख 1.5 Million

ये चारों डाक-टिकटों में से एक-एक कीमत का डाक-टिकट तथा कोई बालू मीलों पर डाक-टिकटों में से एक-एक कीमत का डाक-टिकट कागज पर मुद्रित है।
These four stamps are each of the value of one rupee and are printed on the India Security Press, Nasik Road, by Photogravure process will be released on September 27, 1973.

SET 73_Folder_31
27/9/1973

Personalities Series
Value : ₹ 125

INDIPEX-73 COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS

The first stamp was issued on 8.1.1973 announcing the India International Philatelic Exhibition, 1973. The logo which is shown on the stamp depicts symbolically the National Bird, Peacock. (Design by Shri Suminder Singh).

The 2 Re. stamp has on it the gorgeous Peacock, dancing its magnificent pose with superb grace. (Design by Shri A. Ramchandran).

The 20 p. stamp shows in a stylized way all roads leading to Delhi where Indipex-73 is being held. Design by Shri Suminder Singh.

तकनीकी जानकारी
TECHNICAL DATA

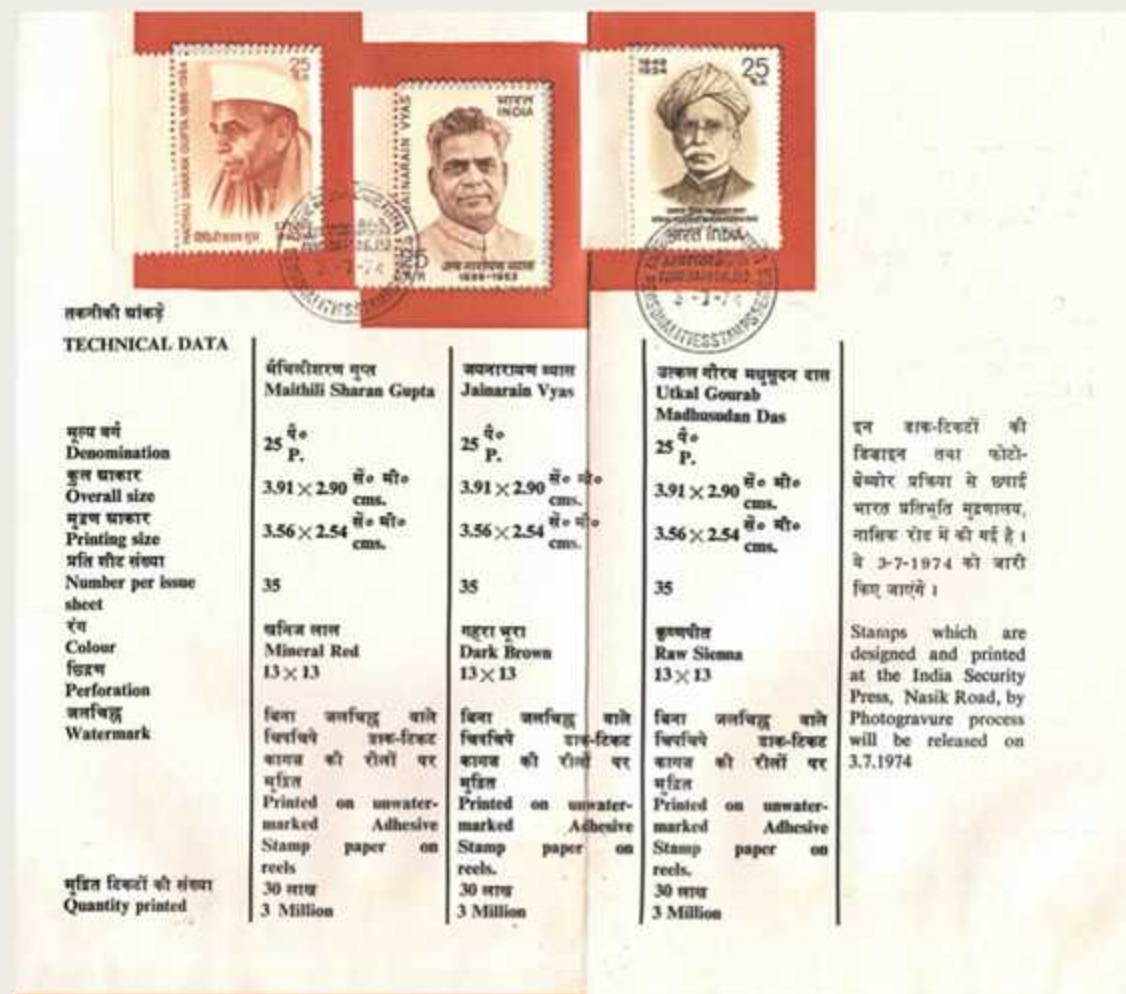
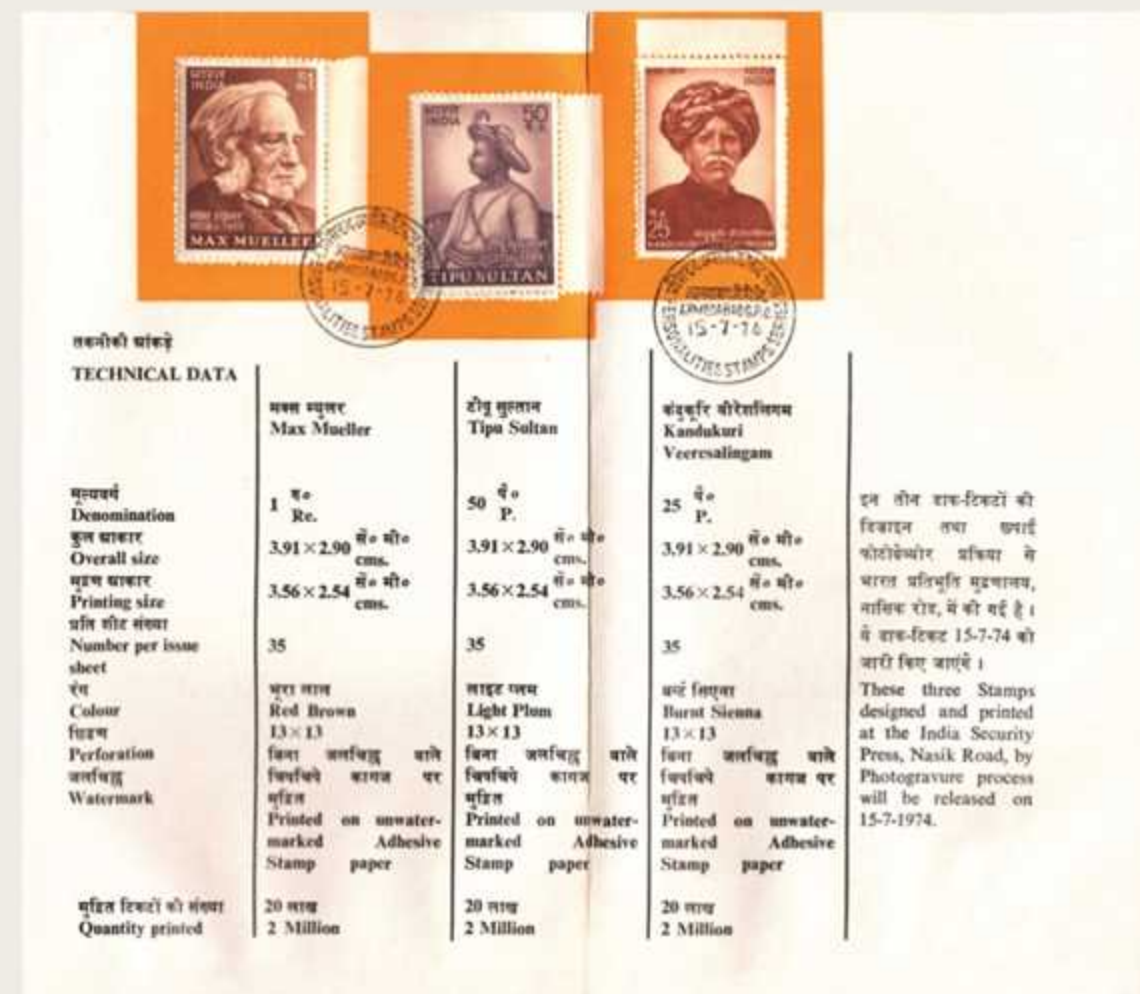
	1 Rs. 1.45	2 Re. 1.00	3 Rs. 2.00	4. 0.20 p.
मूल्य वर्ग Denomination	1 Rs. 1.45	2 Re. 1.00	3 Rs. 2.00	4. 0.20 p.
कुल आकार Overall size	3.91 x 2.90 सें.मी. cms.	5.8 x 3.91 सें.मी. cms.	5.8 x 3.91 सें.मी. cms.	5.8 x 3.91 सें.मी. cms.
मुद्रण आकार Printing size	3.56 x 2.54 सें.मी. cms.	5.435 x 3.55 सें.मी. cms.	5.435 x 3.55 सें.मी. cms.	5.435 x 3.55 सें.मी. cms.
रंग Colour	लिलैक काला और सुनहरा Lilac Black and Gold	बहुवर्णीय Multicolour	बहुवर्णीय Multicolour	बहुवर्णीय Multicolour
छिद्र Perforation	13 x 13	13 x 13	13 x 13	13 x 13
प्रति शीट संख्या No. per sheet	50	40	40	40
मुद्रित टिकटों की संख्या Quantity printed	3 millions	3 millions	2 millions	5 millions

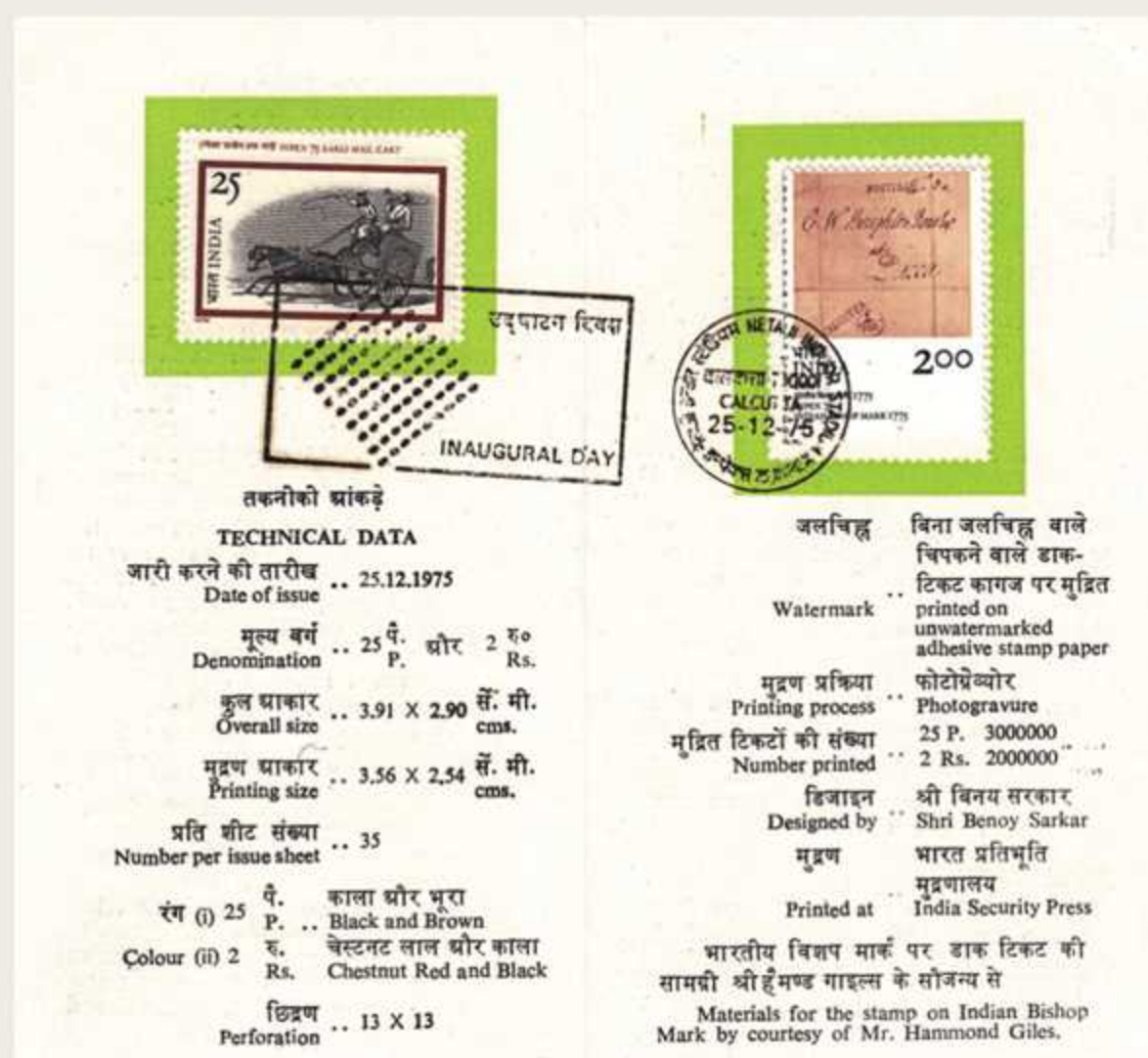
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PRICE : 10P.

SET 73_Folder_32
14/11/1973

'INDEPEX-73' - India International Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue)
Value : ₹ 150

SET 74_Folder_33
15/4/1974Indian Masks (Used in dance drama)
Value : ₹ 200SET 74_Folder_34
3/7/1974Indian Personalities Series
Value : ₹ 100SET 74_Folder_35
15/7/1974Personalities Series
Value : ₹ 100SET 74_Folder_36
3/10/1974Centenary of Universal Postal Union (U.P.U.)
Value : ₹ 150SET 75_Folder_38
28/4/1975Indian Birds (2nd Series)
Value : ₹ 200SET 75_Folder_39
4/9/1975Personalities Series
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20/10/1975Indian Classical Dancers
Value : ₹ 250SET 75_Folder_41
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Value : ₹ 150



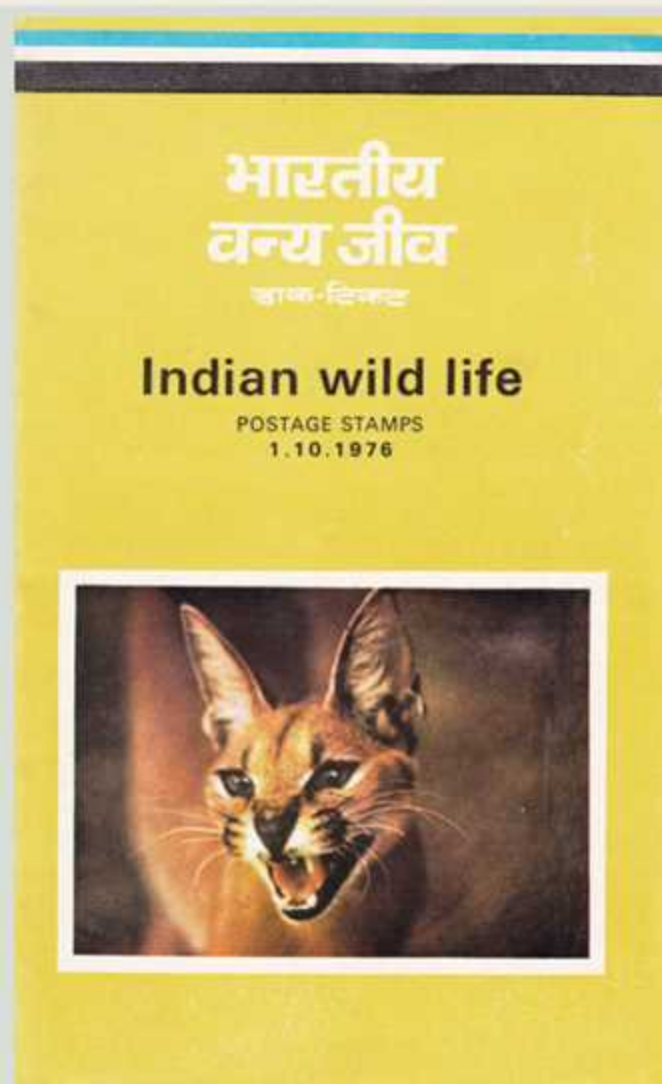
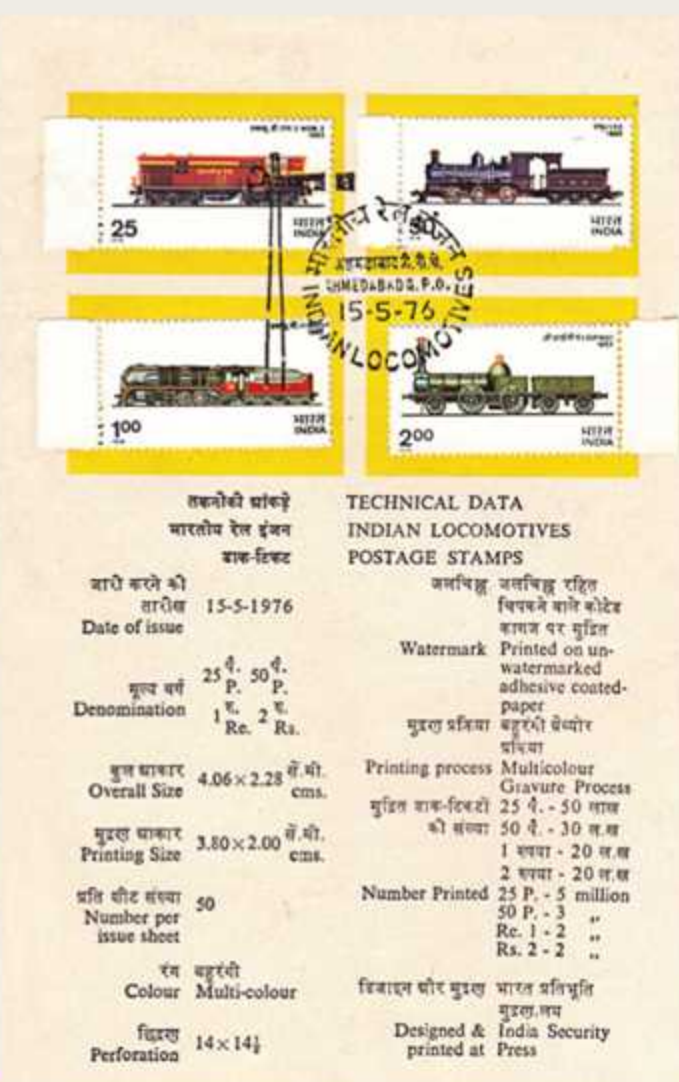
SET 75 Folder 42
25/12/1975

'INPEX-75' - Indian National Philatelic Exhibition, Calcutta
Value : ₹ 150



SET 76 Folder 43
15/5/1976

Indian Locomotives
Value : ₹ 250



SET 76 Folder 45
1/10/1976

Indian Wild Life
Value : ₹ 225



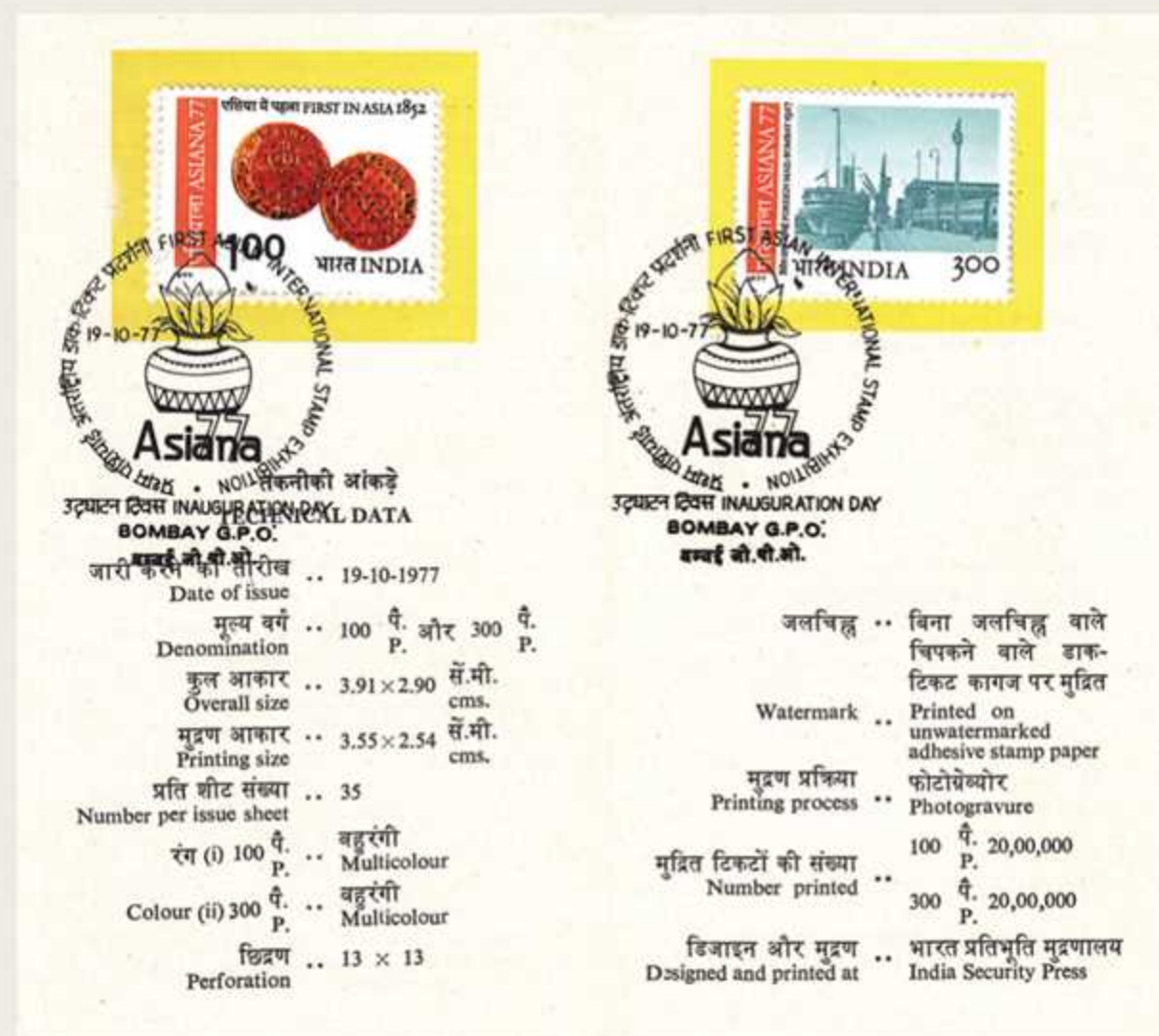
SET 77 Folder 46
1/7/1977

Indian Flowers
Value : ₹ 200



SET 77 Folder 47
12/10/1977

'INPEX-77' - 3rd National Philatelic Exhibition, Bangalore
Value : ₹ 100



SET 77 Folder 48
19/10/1977

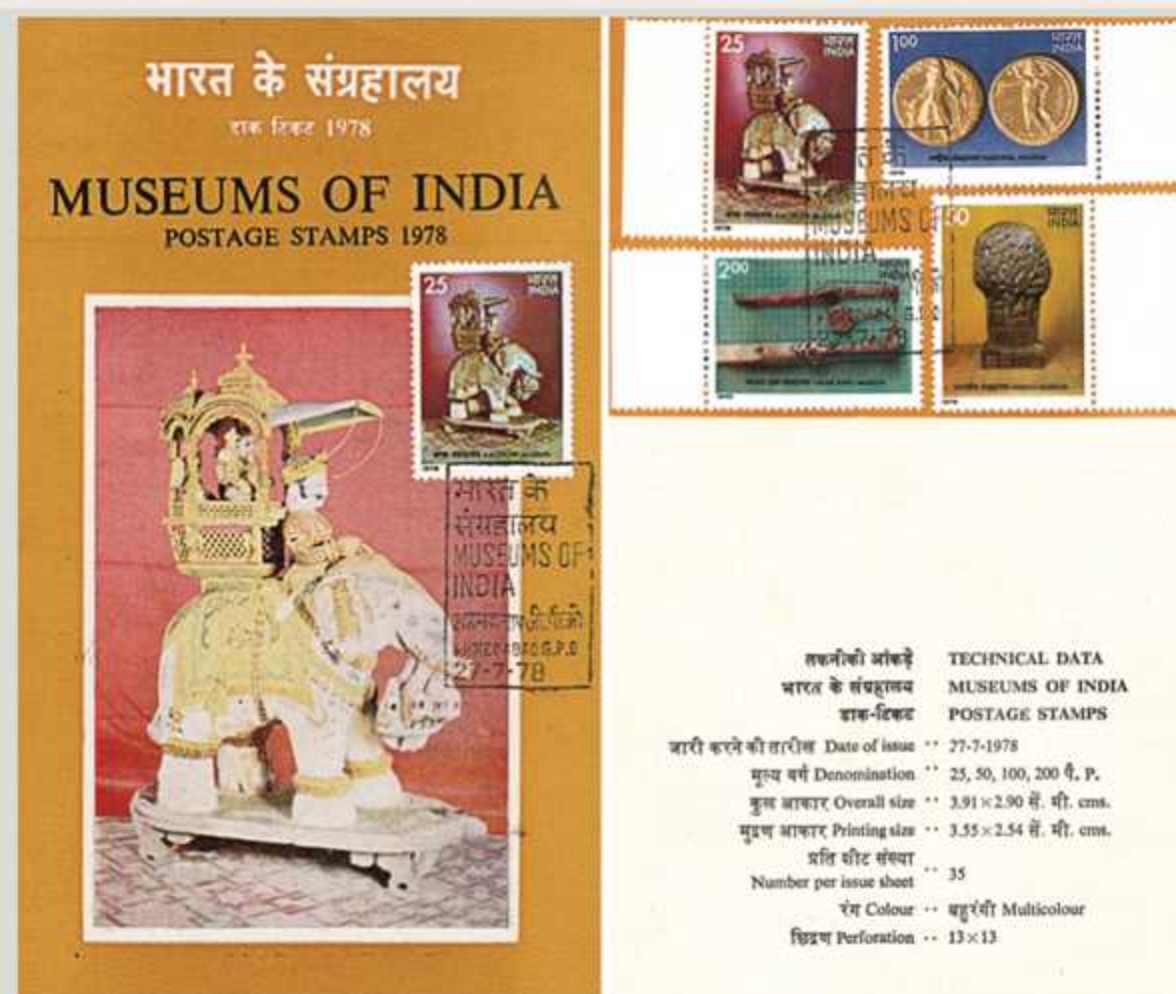
'ASIANA-77' - First Asian International Philatelic Exhibition, Bangalore
Value : ₹ 100



SET 77_Folder_50
28/11/1977
Indian Personalities - J. Phooley & S. Bapat
Value : ₹ 75



SET 78_Folder_52
23/3/1978
Modern Indian Paintings
Value : ₹ 200



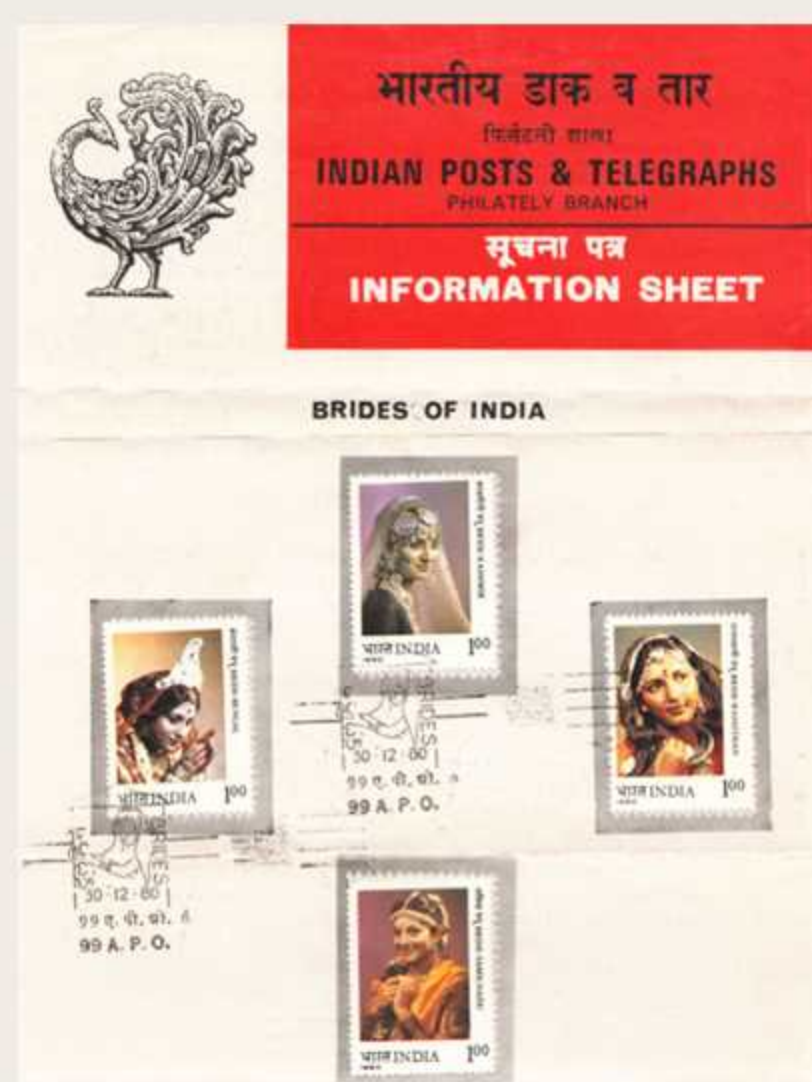
SET 78_Folder_53
27/7/1978
Museums of India
Value : ₹ 200



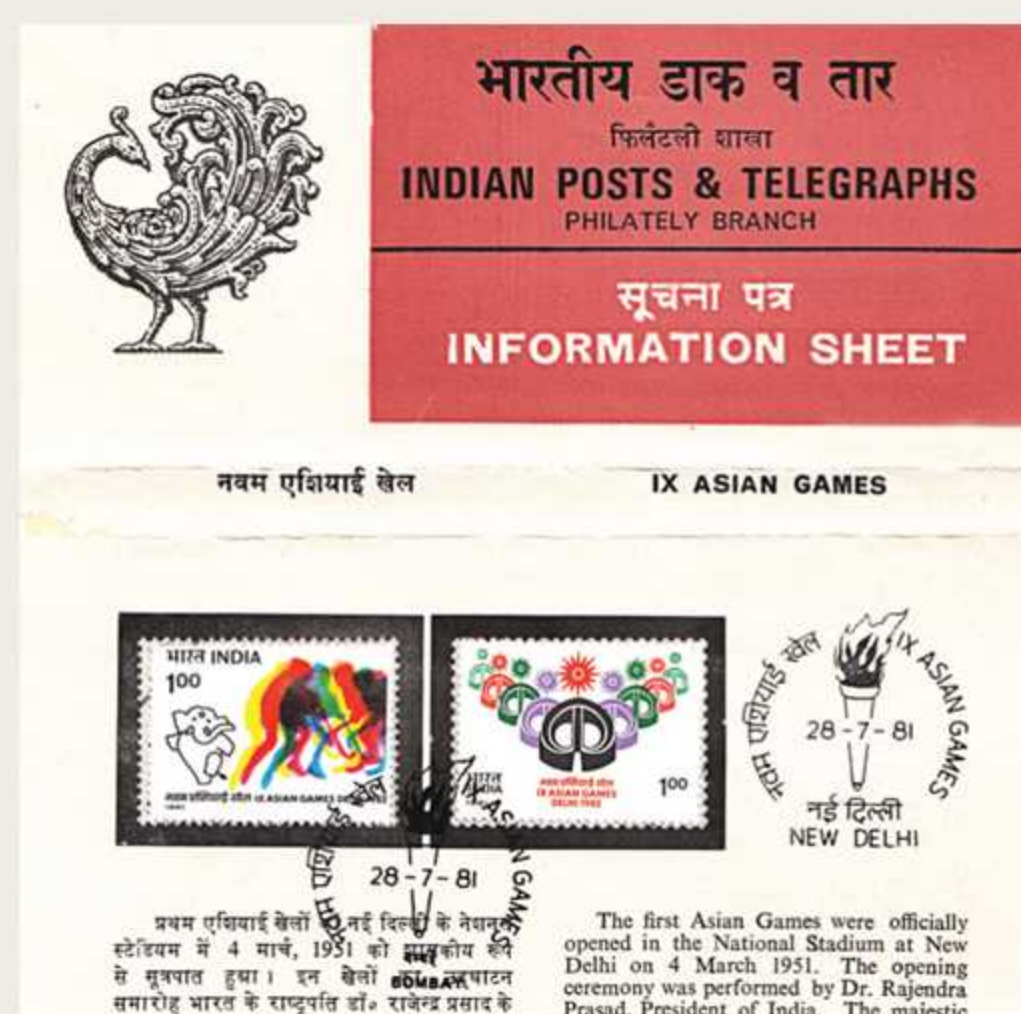
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25/1/1980
'INDIA-80' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue)
Value : ₹ 150



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19/7/1980
XXII Olympic Games, Moscow
Value : ₹ 100



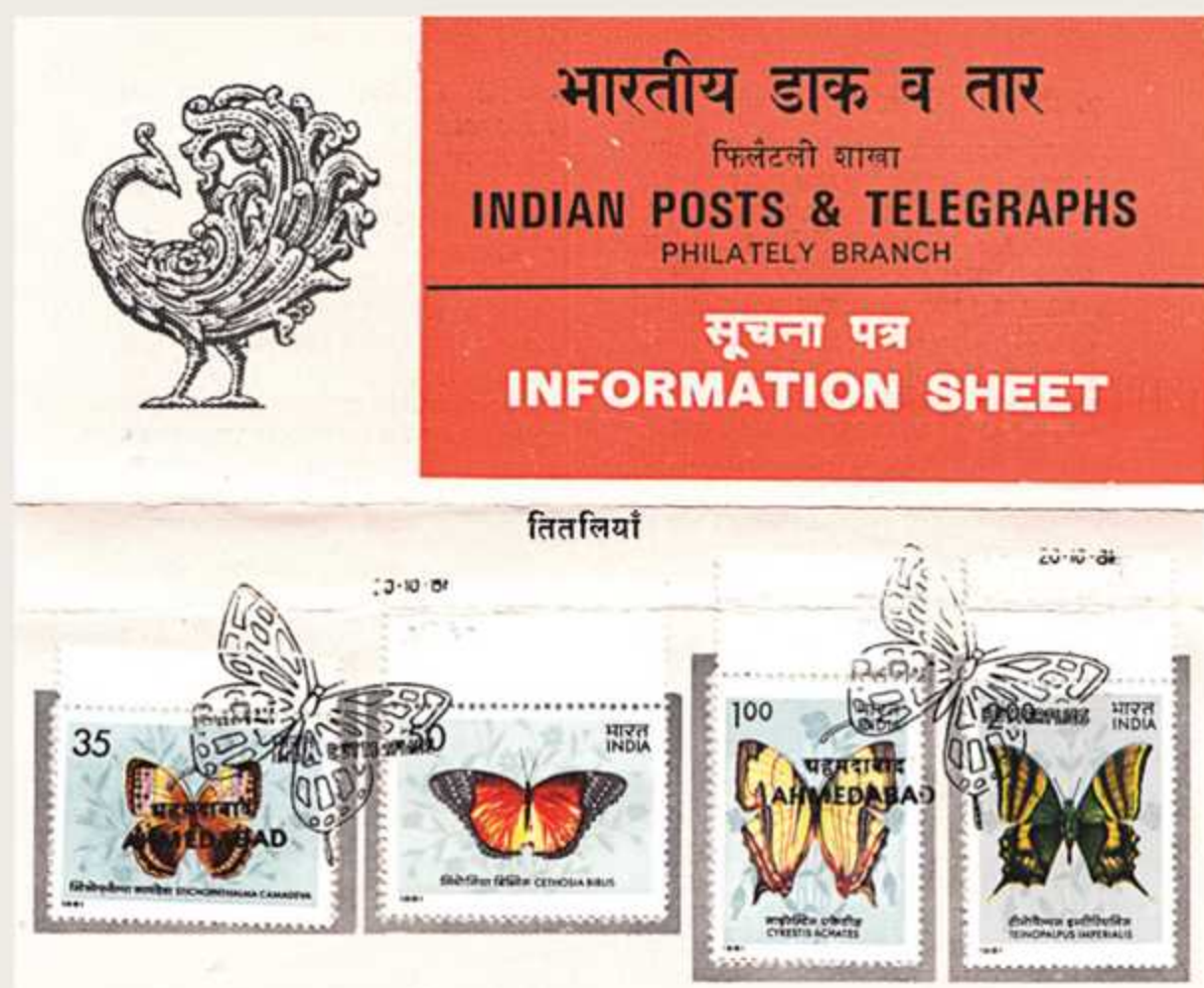
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Brides in Traditional Indian Costumes
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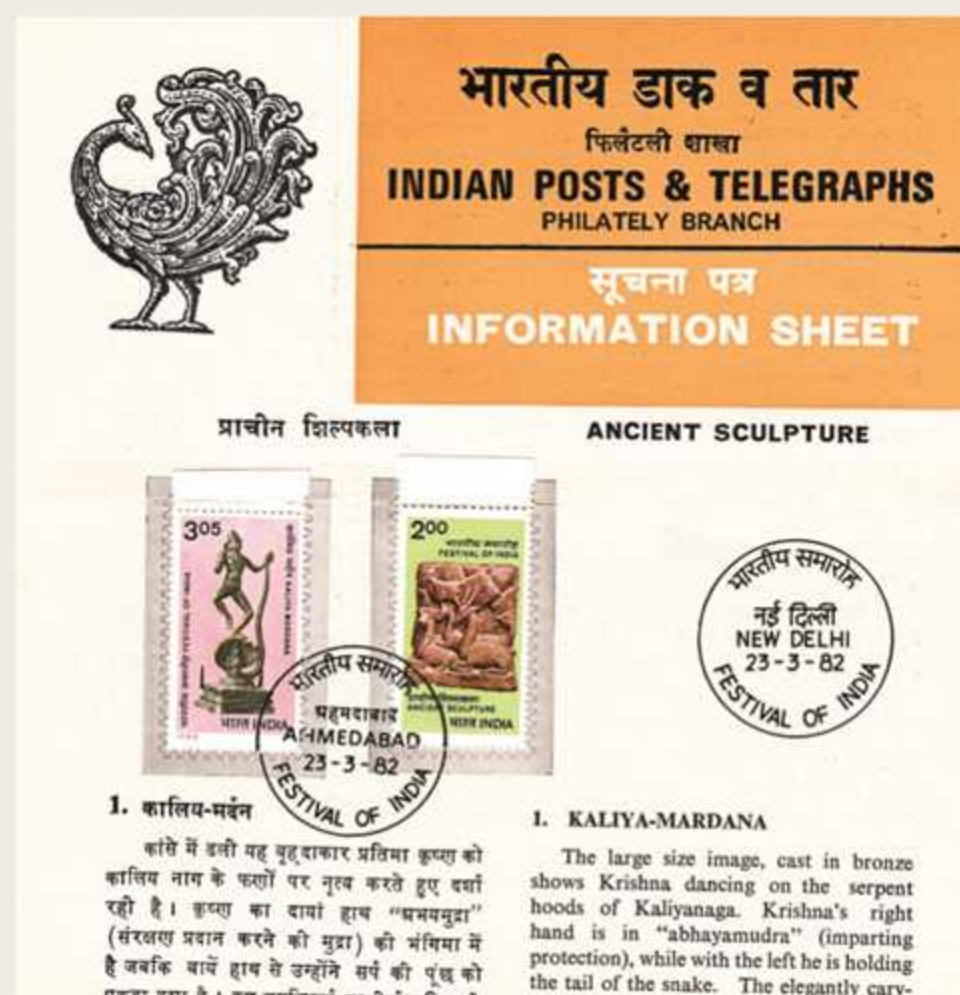
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28/7/1981
IX Asian Games, New Delhi
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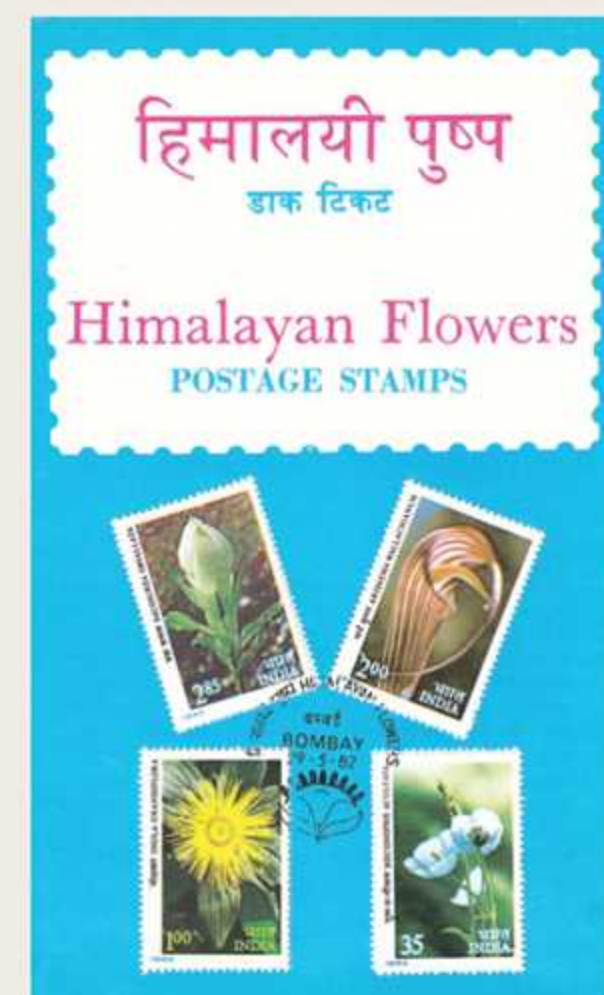
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1/9/1981
Indian Flowering Trees
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20/10/1981
Indian Butterflies
Value : ₹ 200



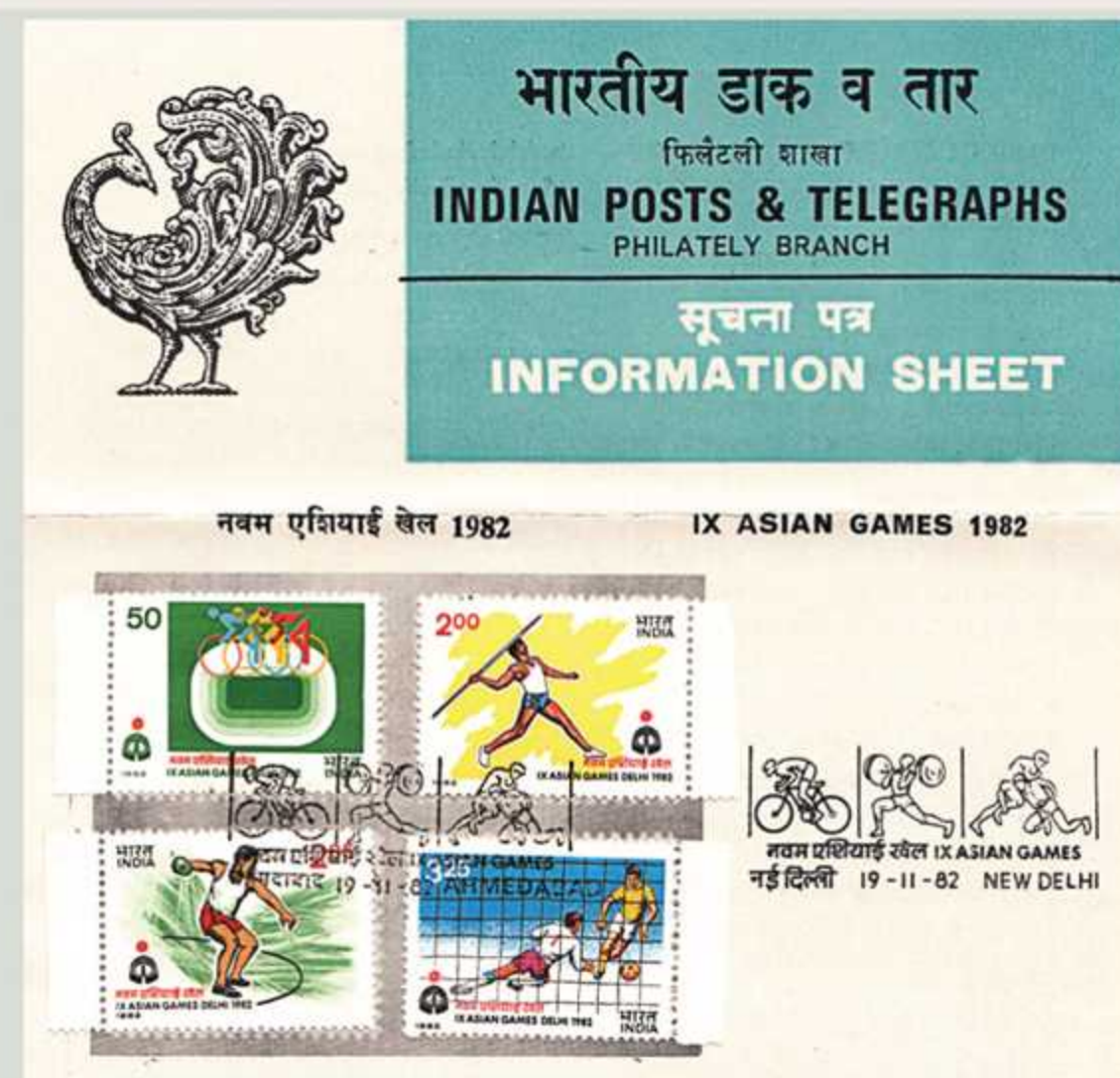
SET 82_Folder_63
23/3/1982
Festival of India, London - Ancient Sculpture
Value : ₹ 100



SET 82_Folder_64
29/5/1982
Himalayan Flowers
Value : ₹ 200



SET 82_Folder_65
17/9/1982
Festival of India, Contemporary Art
Value : ₹ 125



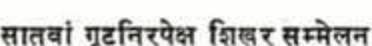
SET 82_Folder_66
19/11/1982
IX Asian Games, New Delhi (6th Issue)
Value : ₹ 200



SET 82_Folder_67
25/11/1982
IX Asian Games, New Delhi, (7th Issue)
Value : ₹ 100



SET 82_Folder_68
30/12/1982
'INPEX-82' - National Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi
Value : ₹ 100



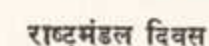
SEVENTH NON-ALIGNED SUMMIT



सातवां मुद्रनिरपेक्ष शिखर सम्मेलन 7 से 11 मार्च, 1983 तक नई दिल्ली में आयोजित किया जा रहा है। इस शिखर सम्मेलन से पूर्व ये सम्मेलन बेलग्रेड (1961), काहिरा (1964), लुपाका (1970), अल्जियर्स (1973), कोलम्बो

The Seventh Non-Aligned Summit is being held in New Delhi from 7th to 11th March, 1983. The earlier Summits were held in Belgrade (1961), Cairo (1964), Lusaka (1970), Algiers (1973), Colombo

Non-aligned Summit Conference, New Delhi
Value : ₹ 100



COMMONWEALTH DAY



राष्ट्रमंडल की सुक्रांत पद्धति का प्रारंभ हो गया।
न्यूजीलैंड और दक्षिण अफ्रीका के साथ देशों के एक
अनीपचारिक संगठन के रूप में हुई जहाँ ब्रिटेन के
नागरिक काफी तादाद में आकर बस गए थे।
१९२६ में वेल्श-मुक्त ने राष्ट्रमंडल के सदस्य देशों
की हैसियत और उनके आपसी संबंधों की पहली
परिभाषा दी थी। इस परिभाषा में कहा गया था
कि "ये ब्रिटिश साम्राज्य के अंतर्गत स्वायत्त समुदाय
हैं जिनकी बाबराद की हैसियत है और ये अपने

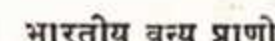
The Commonwealth started as an informal organisation of the countries with large number of settlers from Britain i.e. Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. In 1926, Balfour Formula gave the first definition of the status and mutual relationship of the member countries. It stated that, "they are autonomous communities within the British Empire".

Commonwealth Day
Value : ₹ 100



...I am not going to be satisfied with anything short of complete freedom We shall do or die. We shall either free

India's Struggle for Freedom 1st Series
Value : ₹ 250



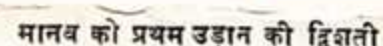
INDIAN WILDLIFE



जीव-जंतुओं और पेड़-पौधों का संतुलन
जाति को केवल प्रकृति को देने के लिए है
सिखी है अतः ये जीव-संतुलन के पक्ष में हैं

Fauna and flora are not only nature's gift to mankind but also vital elements in the biosphere that maintains our life.

Indian Wild Life - Endangered Primates
Value : ₹ 200



BI-CENTENNIAL OF MAN'S FIRST FLIGHT



प्रवास की प्रथम कालिका उद्यान में गुडबारों का प्रयोग किया गया था। 12 वीं फ्रांस के अनेक नामक स्थान के फ्रांस के कागज निर्माता जोसफ 2 वीं की घोषणा में घोषणा करने में पाया कि यदि कपड़े के बंधन में गिरा हुआ न हो जाए तो वह

Balloons were used in man's first successful attempts at flying. In 1783, Joseph & Jacques Etienne, Montgolfier brothers, French paper manufacturers at Annonay, France, discovered that a fabric

Bicentenary of Manned Flight
Value : ₹ 100



XXIII OLYMPICS



ओलिम्पिक खेलों की शुरुआत ईसा पूर्व 14वीं

The origin of the Olympic Games goes

XXIII Olympic Games, Los Angeles
Value : ₹ 200



SET 84_Folder_77

3/8/1984

Forts of India

Value : ₹ 200



SET 84_Folder_78

23/12/1984

Indian Roses

Value : ₹ 150



SET 85_Folder_79

5/6/1985

Bougainvillea

Value : ₹ 150



SET 86_Folder_81

14/2/1986

'INPEX-86' - 5th India National Philatelic Exhibition, Jaipur

Value : ₹ 100



SET 86_Folder_84

11/12/1986

40th Anniversary of UNICEF

Value : ₹ 200



SET 86_Folder_85

15/12/1986

50th Anniversary of Corbett National Park (U.P.)

Value : ₹ 150

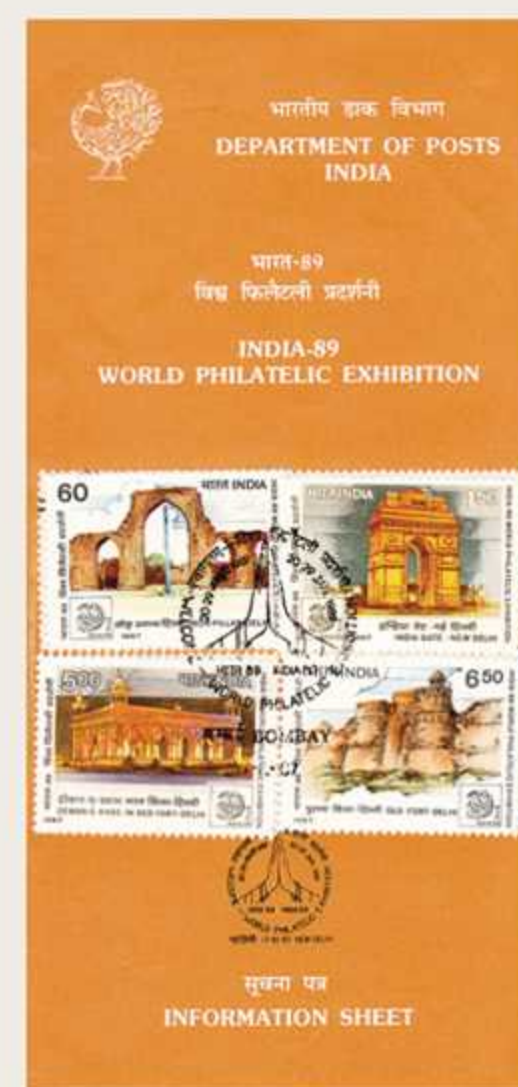


SET 87_Folder_87

15/6/1987

'INDIA-89' - Int. Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (1st Issue)

Value : ₹ 100

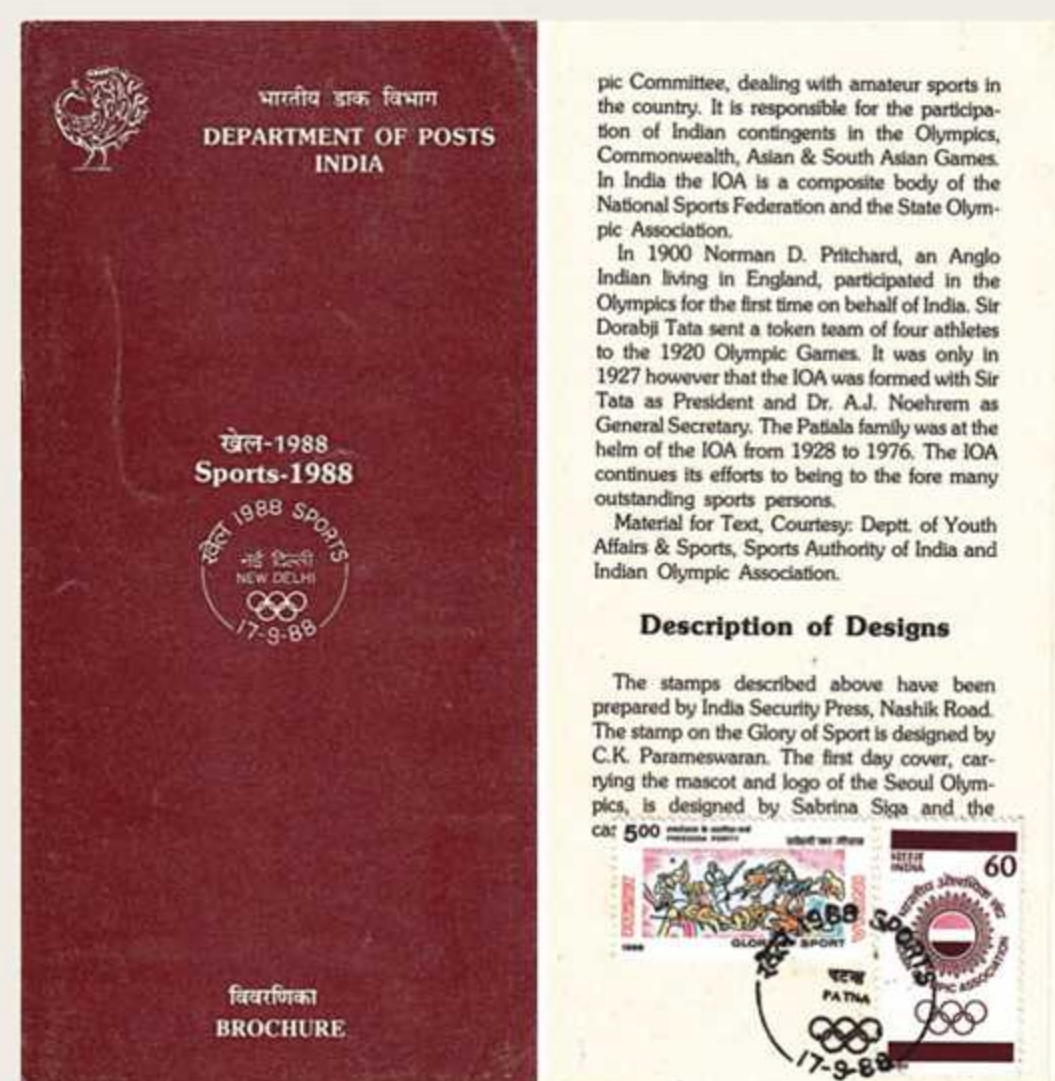


SET 87_Folder_90

17/10/1987

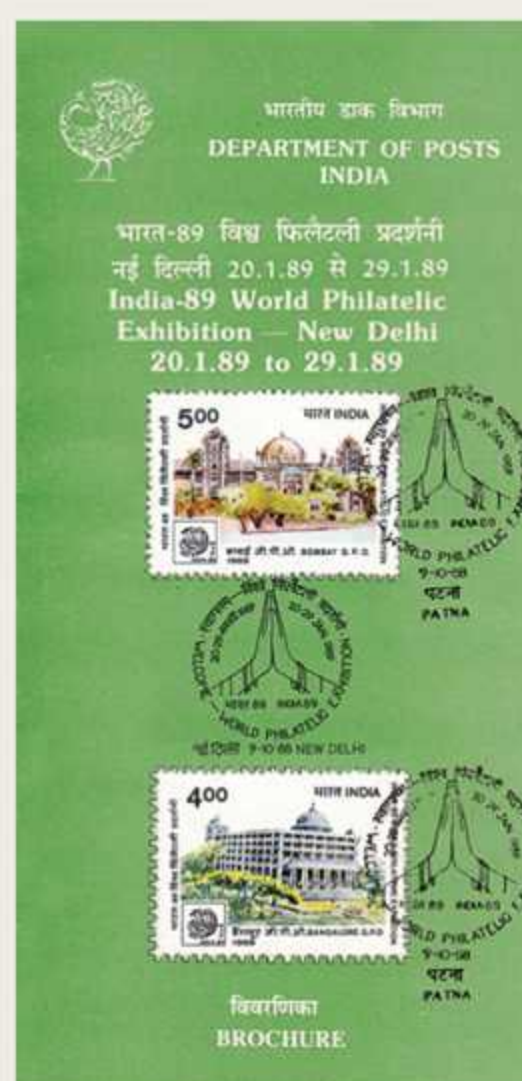
'INDIA-89' - Int. Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue)

Value : ₹ 200



SET 88_Folder_94
17/9/1988

Sports-1988 and XXIV Olympic Games, Seoul
Value : ₹ 300



SET 88_Folder_95
9/10/1988

'INDIA-89' - World Phila. Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue)
Value : ₹ 150



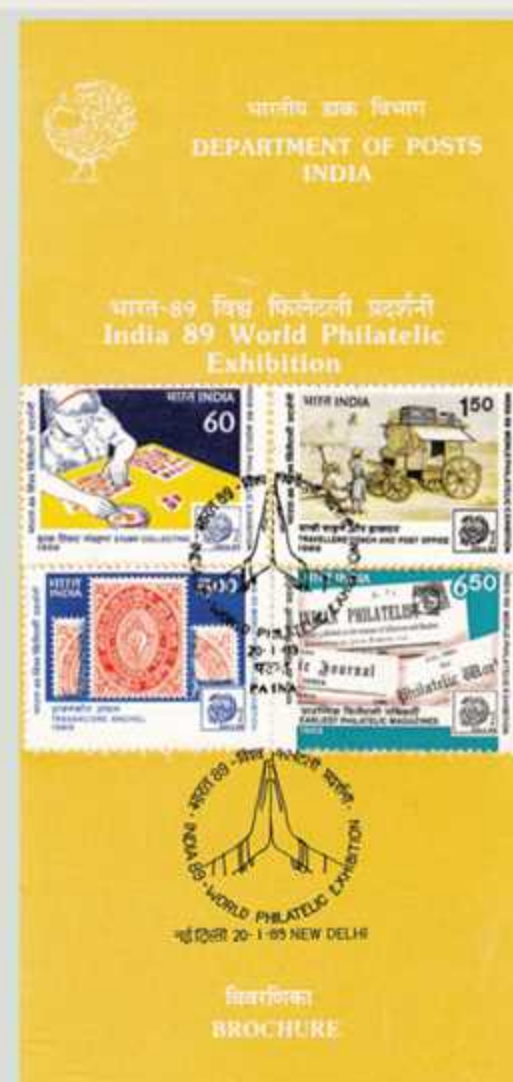
SET 88_Folder_96
14/11/1988

Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru Birth Centenary (1989), (1st Issue)
Value : ₹ 100



SET 88_Folder_97
20/12/1988

'INDIA-89' - World Phila. Exhibition, New Delhi (4th Issue)
Value : ₹ 150



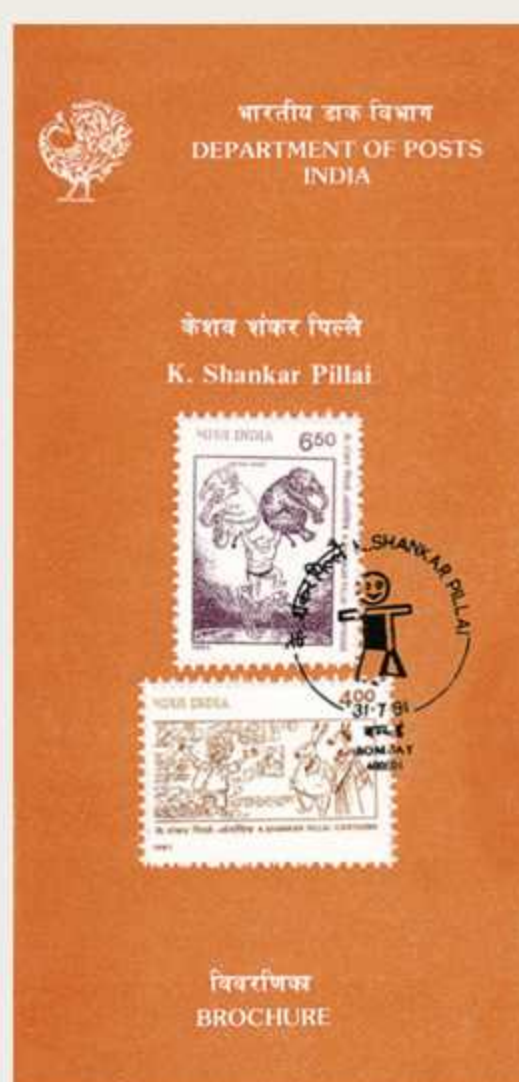
SET 89_Folder_98
20/1/1989

'INDIA-89' - World Phila. Exhibition, New Delhi (5th Issue)
Value : ₹ 200



SET 90_Folder_100
17/12/1990

Greetings
Value : ₹ 100



SET 91_Folder_105
31/7/1991

Keshav Shankar Pillai
Value : ₹ 150



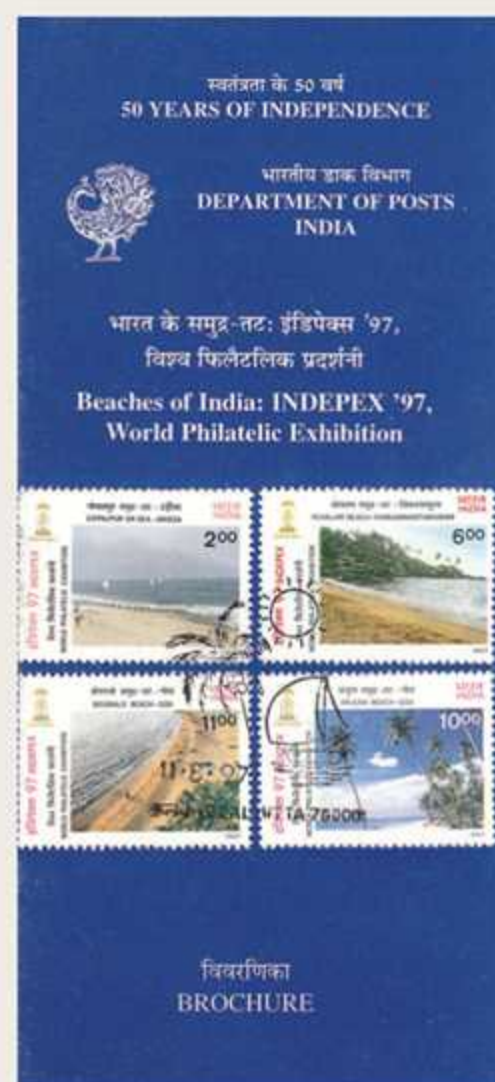
SET 91_Folder_107
29/10/1991

Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya
Value : ₹ 150

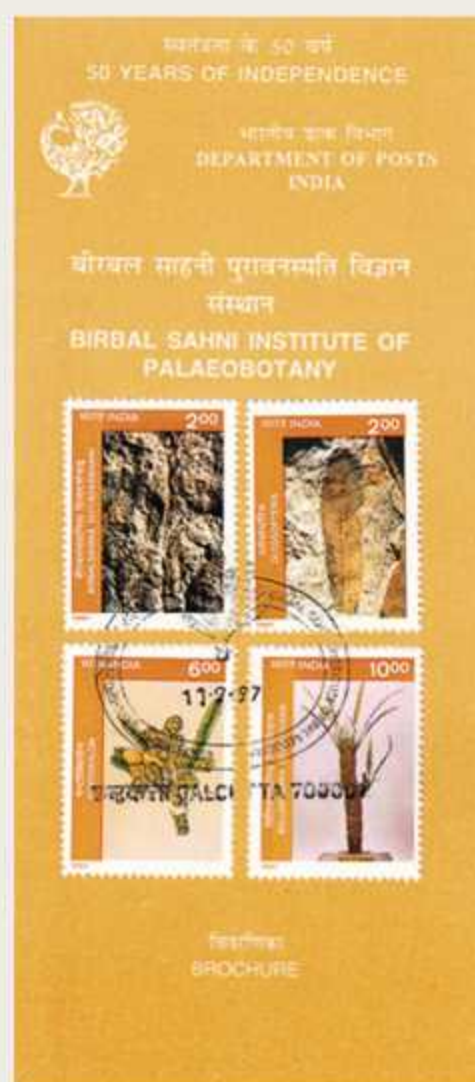


SET 92_Folder_111
9/8/1992

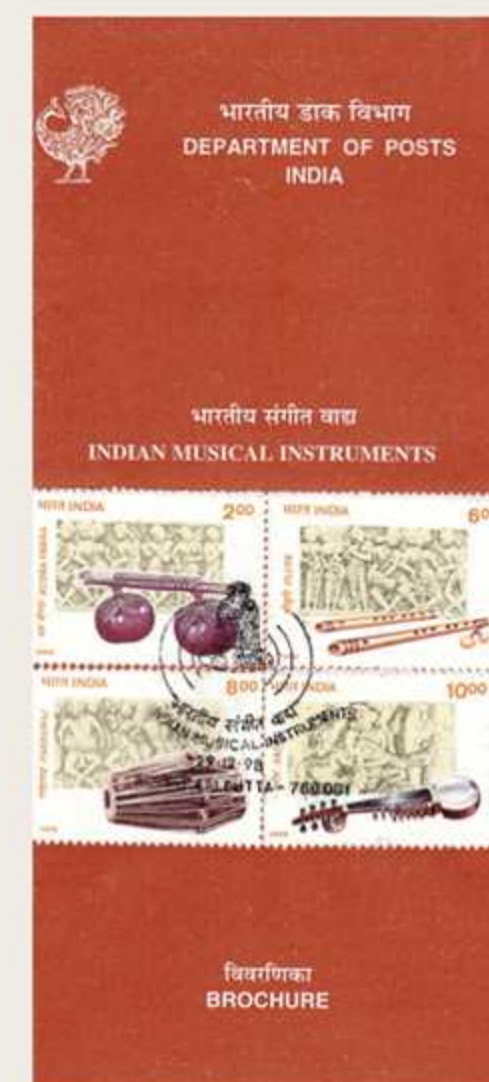
50th Anni. of 'Quit India' Movement 1942
Value : ₹ 350



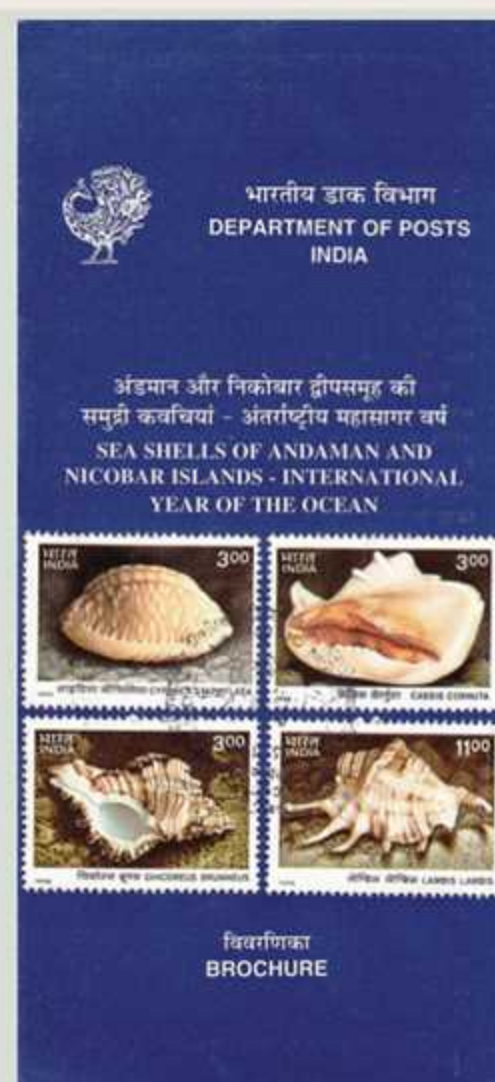
SET 97_Folder_120
11/8/1997
'INDEPEX-97' - Beaches of India
Value : ₹ 250



SET 97_Folder_121
11/9/1997
Birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeobotany, Lucknow : Fossils
Value : ₹ 200



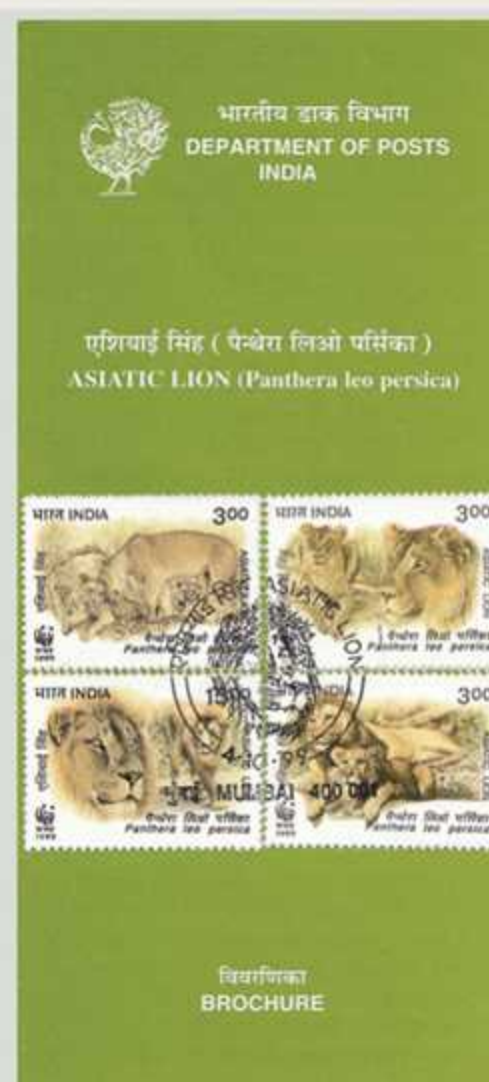
SET 98_Folder_122
29/12/1998
Indian Musical Instruments
Value : ₹ 300



SET 98_Folder_123
30/12/1998
Sea Shells of Andaman & Nicobar Islands
Value : ₹ 300



SET 99_Folder_124
5/4/1999
Maritime Heritage
Value : ₹ 150



SET 99_Folder_127
4/10/1999
Endangered Species : Asiatic Lion (Panthera Leo Persica)
Value : ₹ 300



SET 99_Folder_129
9/10/1999
125th Anni. of U.P.U. : Traditional Rural Arts & Crafts
Value : ₹ 250



SET 00_Folder_136
15/8/2000
Social & Political Leaders
Value : ₹ 350



SET 00_Folder_138
29/9/2000
India's Space Programme
Value : ₹ 350



SET 00_Folder_141
31/12/2000
Personalities Series : Historical
Value : ₹ 300



SET 01_Folder_148
9/10/2001
Personality Series : Poetry and Performing Arts
Value : ₹ 200



SET 01_Folder_149
18/12/2001
Greetings
Value : ₹ 150



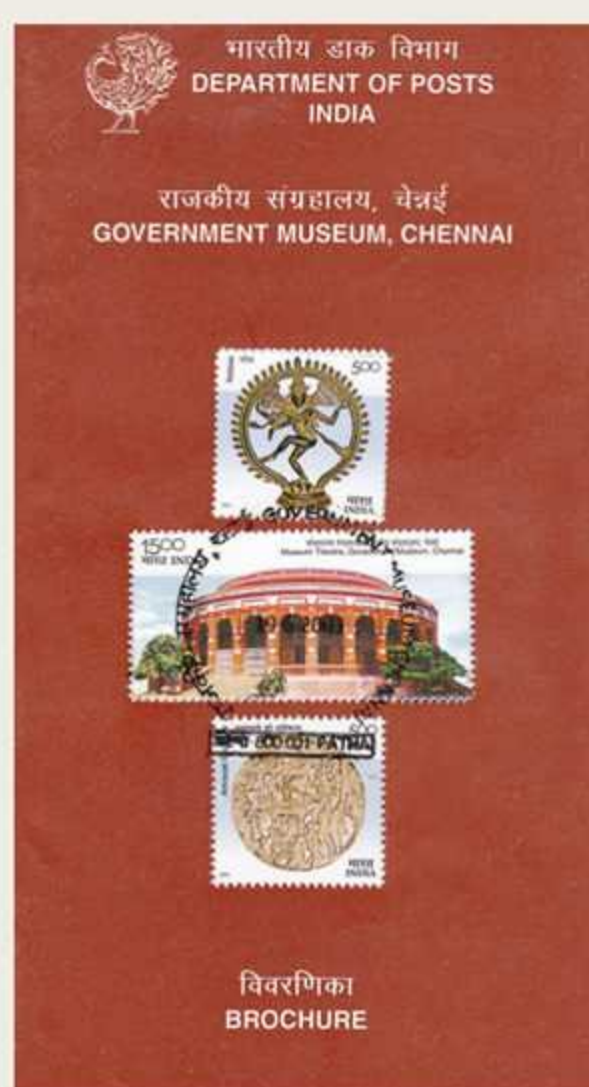
SET 02_Folder_151
21/1/2002
'Bauddha Mahotsav' Festival
Value : ₹ 300



SET 03_Folder_156
5/2/2003
Aero India 2003, Bangalore on Centenary Year of Man's First Powered Flight
Value : ₹ 500



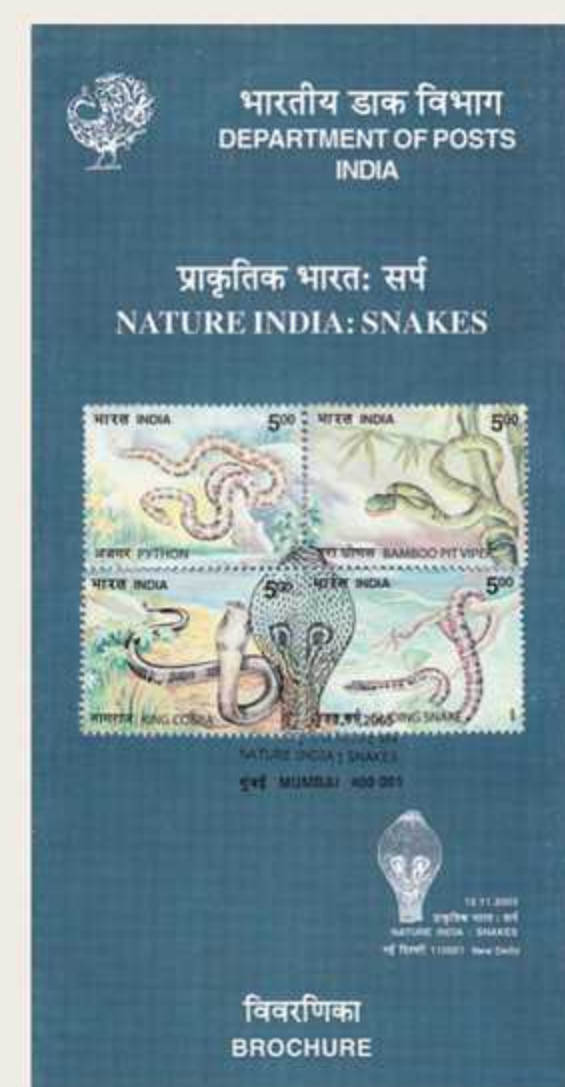
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15/5/2003
Golden Voices of Yesteryears
Value : ₹ 250



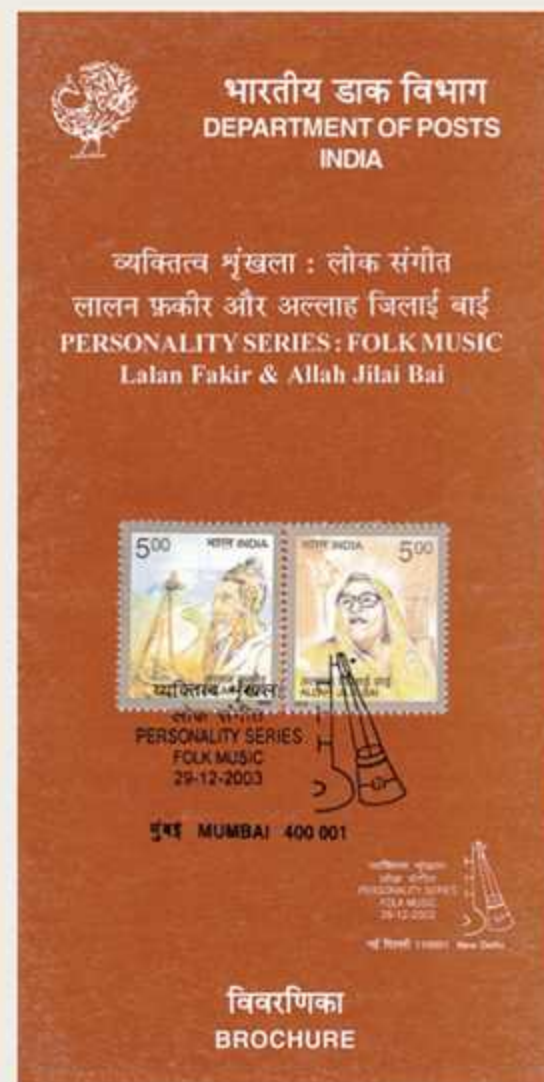
SET 03_Folder_158
19/6/2003
151st Anniversary of Government Museum, Chennai
Value : ₹ 400



SET 03_Folder_160
3/10/2003
Waterfalls of India
Value : ₹ 200



SET 03_Folder_161
12/11/2003
Nature India - Snakes
Value : ₹ 200



SET 03_Folder_162
29/12/2003
Personality Series : Folk Music
Value : ₹ 100



SET 04_Folder_163
28/6/2004
The Great Trigonometrical Survey
Value : ₹ 100



SET 06_Folder_164
5/10/2006
Endangered Birds of India
Value : ₹ 200



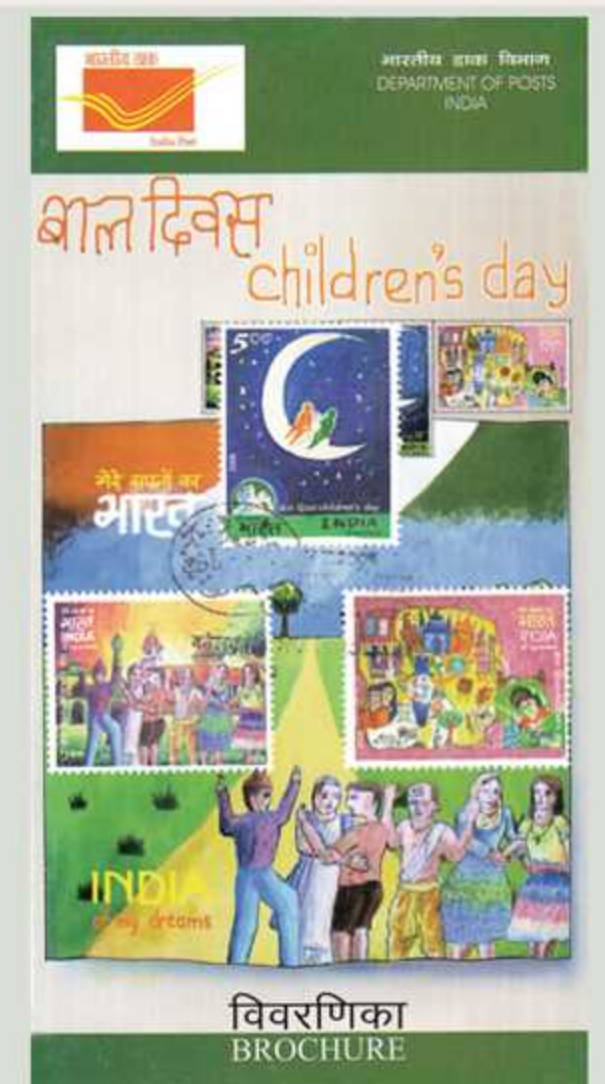
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14/11/2007
Children's Day
Value : ₹ 75



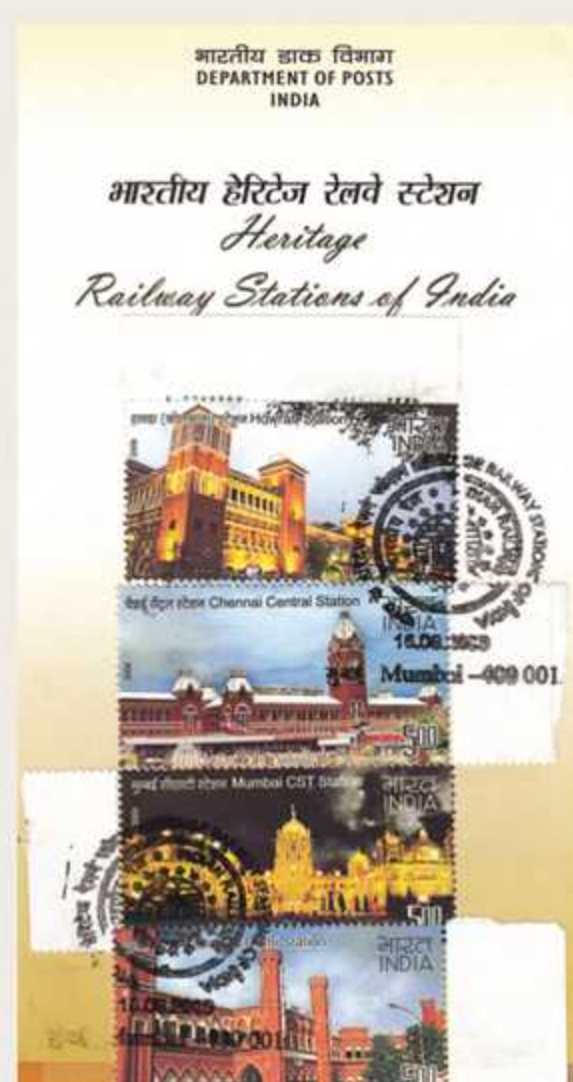
SET 08_Folder_174
26/4/2008
Jasmine
Value : ₹ 100



SET 08_Folder_177
7/10/2008
Festivals of India : Durga Puja, Dussehra and Deepavali
Value : ₹ 100



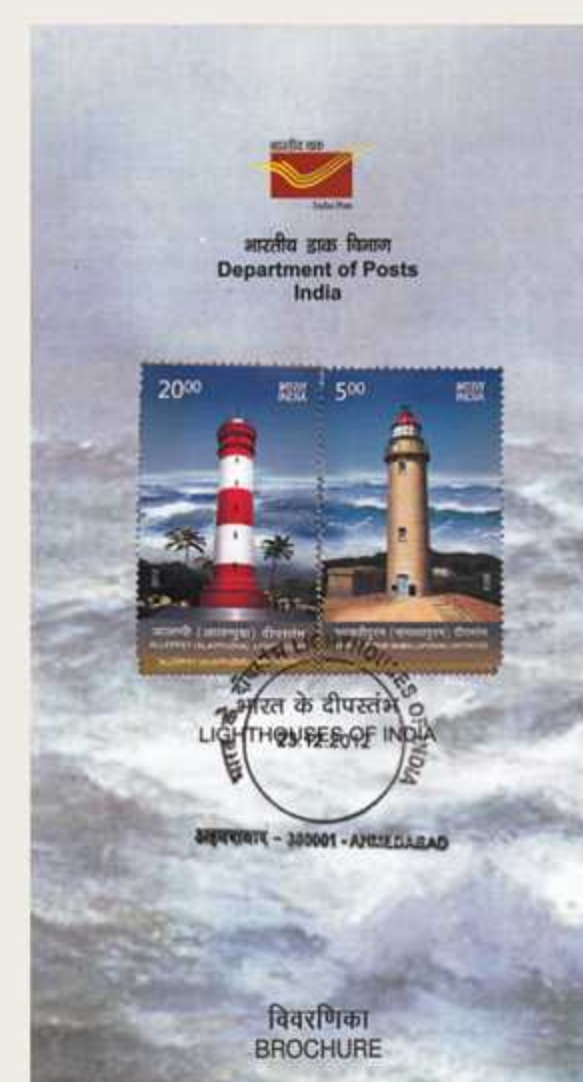
SET 08_Folder_178
14/11/2008
National Children's Day
Value : ₹ 75



SET 09_Folder_182
16/8/2009
Heritage Railway Stations of India
Value : ₹ 100



SET 12_Folder_214
5/11/2012
India Israel - Joint Issue, Festival of Lights
Value : ₹ 100

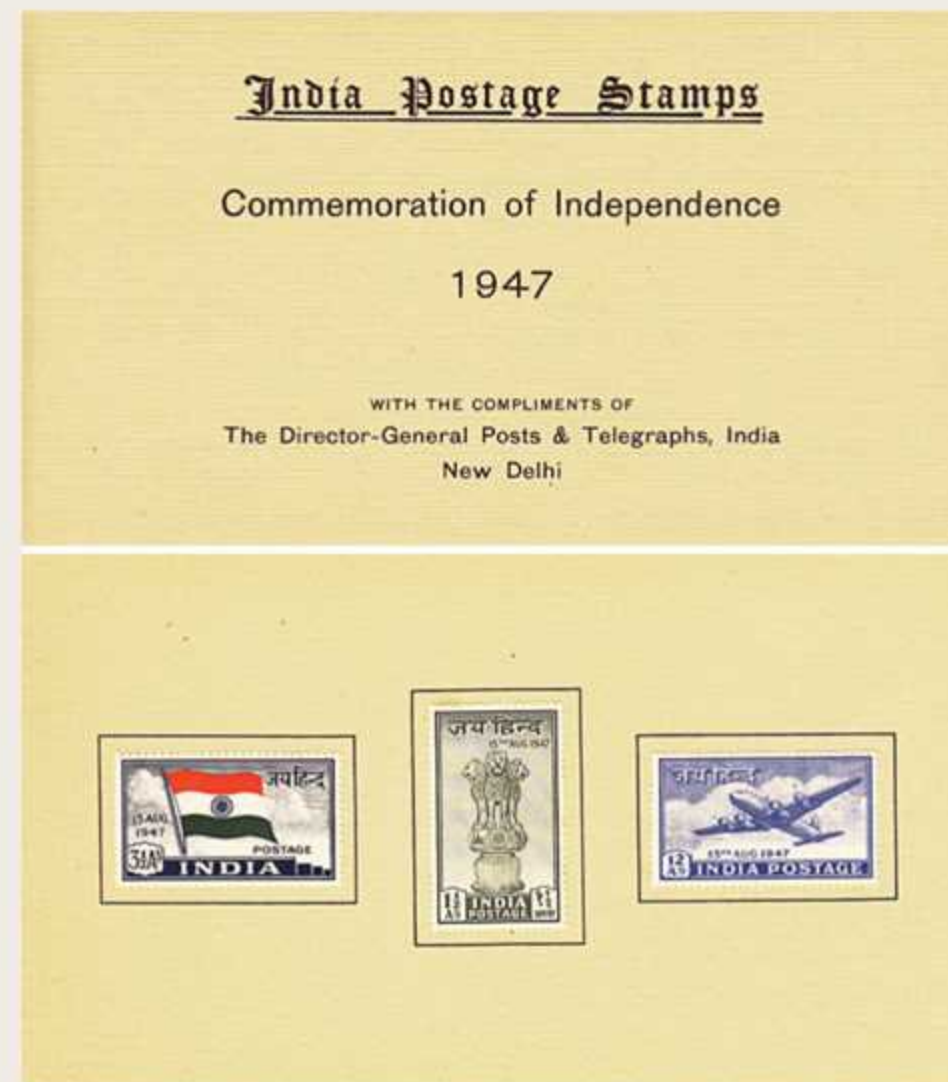


SET 12_Folder_215
23/12/2012
Lighthouses of India
Value : ₹ 75

Glimpses of VIP Folders & VIP Presentation Folders of Set of Stamps



SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND_PVT)_6
2/1/1946
Victory of Allied Powers in World War II
Value : ₹ 5000



SET 47_VIP Folder_1
21/11/1947 & 15/12/1947
Independence
Value : ₹ 7000



SET 49_VIP Folder_3
10/10/1949
75th Anniversary of Formation of
Universal Postal Union (U.P.U.)
Value : ₹ 2000



SET 57_VIP Folder_12
14/11/1957
National Children's Day
Value : ₹ 600



SET 57_VIP Folder_13
31/12/1957
Centenary of Indian Universities
Value : ₹ 250



SET 58_VIP Folder_14
30/4/1958
Silver Jubilee of Indian Air Force
Value : ₹ 500



SET 61_VIP Folder (Invitation cum Folder)_16
18/2/1961
50th Anniversary of First Official Airmail Flight
Value : ₹ 3000



SET 64_VIP Folder_20
23/1/1964
67th Birth Anniversary of Subhash Chandra Bose (Freedom Fighter)
Value : ₹ 350



SET 68_ VIP Folder_22
31/12/1968
Indian Birds
Value : ₹ 700



SET 69_ VIP Folder_23
2/10/1969
Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi
Value : ₹ 1800



SET 73_ VIP Folder_29
5/5/1973
Indian Miniature Paintings
Value : ₹ 750



SET 75_ VIP Folder_40
20/10/1975
Indian Classical Dancers
Value : ₹ 400



SET 76_ VIP Folder_44
17/7/1976
XXI Olympic Games, Montreal
Value : ₹ 250



SET 77_ VIP Folder_46
1/7/1977
Indian Flowers
Value : ₹ 250



SET 78_ VIP Folder_52
23/3/1978
Modern Indian Paintings
Value : ₹ 300



SET 78_ VIP Folder_53
27/7/1978
Museums of India
Value : ₹ 300



SET 79_ VIP Folder_55
15/10/1979
'INDIA-80' - Indian International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue) Mail carrying Aircrafts
Value : ₹ 200



SET 80_ VIP Folder_56
25/1/1980
'INDIA-80' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue)
Value : ₹ 200



SET 81_ VIP Folder_62
20/10/1981
Indian Butterflies
Value : ₹ 200



SET 82_ VIP Folder_68
30/12/1982
'INPEX-82' - National Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi
Value : ₹ 150



SET 83_ VIP Folder_72
1/10/1983
Indian Wild Life - Endangered Primates
Value : ₹ 300



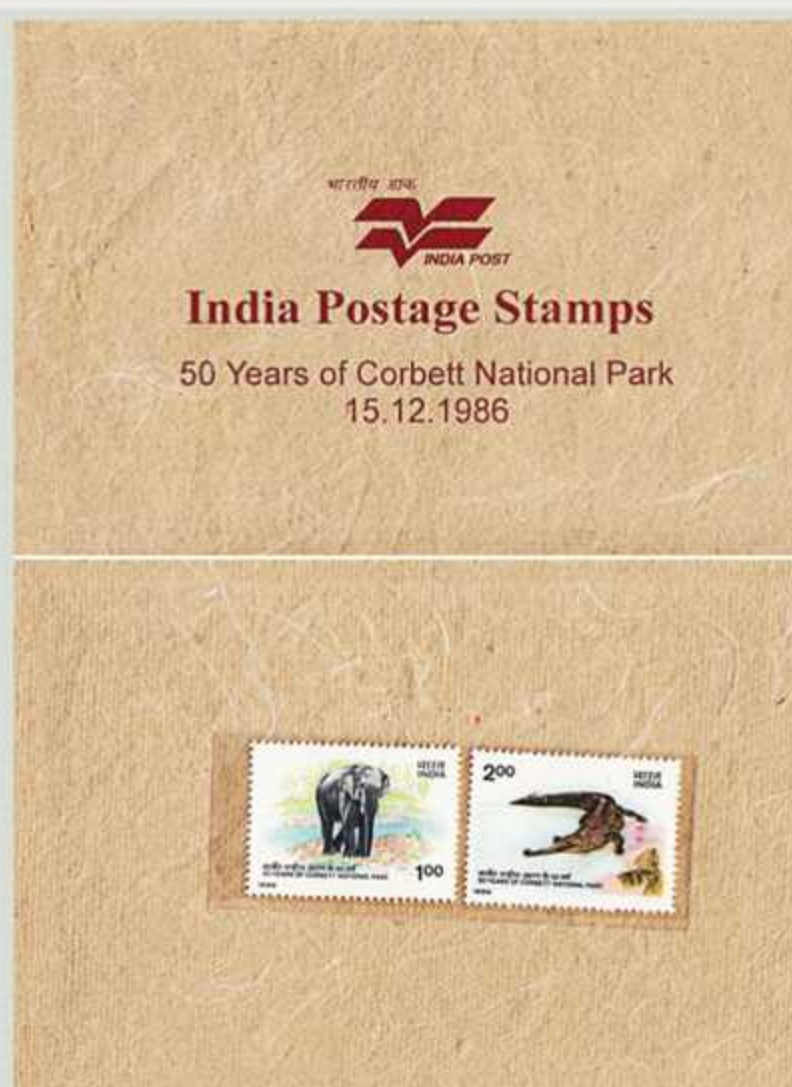
SET 83_VIP Folder_74
23/11/1983
7th Commonwealth Heads of Govt. Meeting
Value : ₹ 100



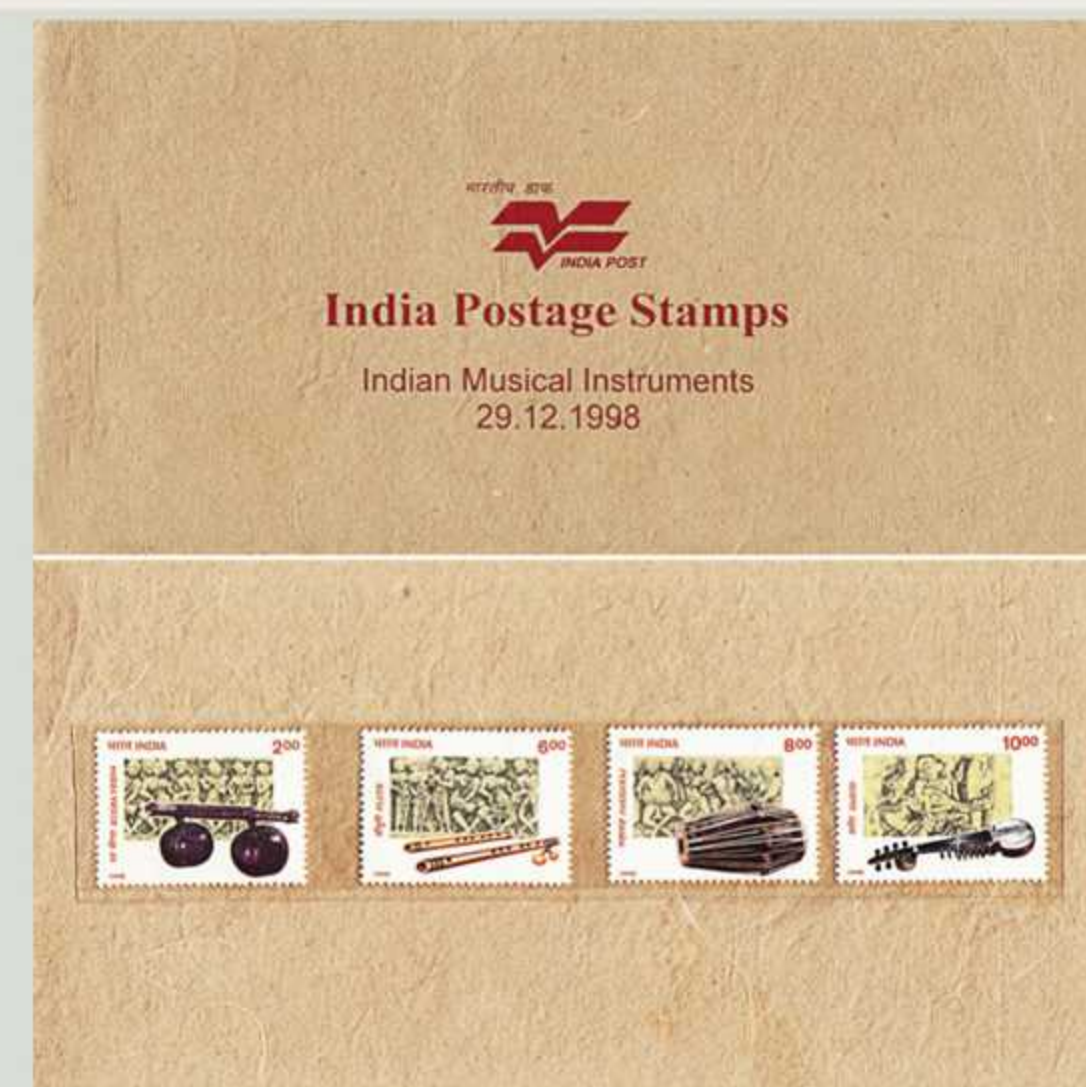
SET 84_VIP Folder_76
28/7/1984
XXIII Olympic Games, Los Angeles
Value : ₹ 250



SET 84_VIP Folder_77
3/8/1984
Forts of India
Value : ₹ 300



SET 86_VIP Folder_85
15/12/1986
50th Anniversary of Corbett National Park (U.P.)
Value : ₹ 700



SET 98_VIP Folder_122
29/12/1998
Indian Musical Instruments
Value : ₹ 1400



SET 01_VIP Presentation Folder_150
22/12/2001
'INPEX-EMPIREPEX-2001' : Temple Architecture
Value : ₹ 1250



SET 02_VIP Presentation Folder_151
21/1/2002
'Buddha Mahotsav' Festival
Value : ₹ 1250

First Day Covers with Set of Stamps - Definitive Regular



SET 49_FDC (1st Series-Def)_1a



SET 49_FDC (1st Series-Def) on two covers 1b & 1c



SET 49_FDC (1st Series-Def)_1a, 1b & 1c

Archeological & Historical Objects

Date : 15/8/1949 **Denomination & Description :** (1) 3p-Elephant Motif (Ajanta Caves) (2) 6p-Powerful Horse (Sun Temple, Konark) (3) 9p-Trimurti (Elephanta Caves) (4) 1a-Bodhisattva (Lucknow Museum-Die 1) (5) 2a-Nataraja (Thiruvellangadu), (6) 3a-East Gate of Sanchi Stup (Bodh Gaya) (7) 3 1/2a-Mahabodhi Temple (Bodh Gaya-Bright Blue) (8) 4a-Lingraj Temple (Bhuvaneshwar-Lake), (9) 6a-Tomb of Mhd.Adil Shah (Gol Gumbad, Bijapur) (10) 8a-Kandarya Mahadeva Temple (Khajuraho) (11) 12a-Golden Temple (Amritsar) (12) 1Re.-Victory Tower (Chitorgarh) (13) 2Rs.-Red Fort (Delhi) (14) 5Rs.-Taj Mahal (Agra) (15) 10Rs.-Qutb Minar(Delhi) & (16) 15Rs. Satrunjaya Temple(Palitana, Gujarat) (16 Stamps) **Quantity :** Printing of stamps was done as under : 3p to 2a in sheets of 320, 2 1/2as to 4as in sheets of 224, 6as to 12as in sheets of 200, 1r to 10r in sheets of 160 and 15r in sheets of 120 **Remarks :** (1) In this series, posture of Bodhisattva (Die-1) was wrongly shown. This was corrected subsequently on 15/07/1950 by issue of stamp with Die-2 showing correct posture. (2) All stamps on one FDC is extremely rare. We do find all 16 stamps divided in 2 or more covers. (3) Folder of this 1st Series is in the form of Bulletin. **Value : ₹ 60000 on one cover & ₹ 50000 on two covers.**

SET 49_Folder_1st Series-Def_1

Value : ₹ 75000



SET 49_FDC (1st Series-Def)_2

Archeological & Historical Objects

Date : 30/4/1951 **Denomination & Description :** (1) 2 1/2a-Mahabodhi Temple (Bodh Gaya-Lake) (2) 4a-Lingraj Temple (Bhuvaneshwar-Bright blue)

Quantity : Printing of stamps was done as under : 2 1/2as to 4as in sheets of 224 **Remarks :** (1) As 3 1/2as value was withdrawn, its design was used in new 2 1/2as value in lake color. (2) Foreign letter post-rate by surface mail was increased from 3 1/2as to 4as. So color of 4as was changed from lake to bright blue as per UPU convention. **Value : ₹ 10000**

SET 55_FDC (2nd Series-Def)_3

Five Year Plan Series

Date : 26/1/1955 **Denomination & Description :** (1) 3p-Tractor (2) 6p-Power-loom (3) 9p-Water-lifting by Persian Wheel (4) 1a-Tilaiya Dam (D.V.C.) (5) 2a-Lady at a Charkha (6) 3a-Naga Woman at a Handloom (7) 4a-Bullocks & Plough (8) 6a-Malaria Control Measures (9) 8a-Chitraranjan Locomotive Works (10) 10a-Marine Drive, Bombay (West) (11) 12a-Hindustan Aircraft Factory (12) 14a-A Valley in Kashmir (North) (13) 1 Re.-Indian Telephone Industries-Bangalore (14) 1Re.2a-Cape Comorin (South) (15) 1Re.8a-Kanchenjunga (East) (16) 2Rs.-Rare Earth Factory-Alwaye, Kerala (17) 5Rs.-Fertiliser Factory, Sindri, Bihar (18) 10Rs.-Iron & Steel Plant, Rourkela (18 Stamps)

Quantity : Printing of stamps was done as under : Small size stamps in sheets of 90 and large size stamps (6a, 10a, 14a, 1r2a & 1r8a) in sheets of 45. **Remarks :** (1) 10a, 14a, 1r2a & 1r8a represent the four different units of Foreign Airmail rates. (2) Folders of this series are issued in Hindi and English. **Value : ₹ 25000**

SET 55_Folder (2nd Series-Def)_3

Value : ₹ 45000



SET 57_FDC (3rd Series-Def)_4

Map of India Series - Star Watermark

Date : 1/4/1957 **Denomination & Description :** ((1) 1 N.P. (2) 2 N.P. (3) 3 N.P. (4) 5 N.P. (5) 6 N.P. (6) 10 N.P. (7) 13 N.P. (8) 20 N.P. (9) 25 N.P. (10) 50 N.P. (11) 75 N.P. (11 Stamps) **Quantity :** Printing of stamps was done as under : Small size stamps in sheets of 90 and large size stamps (6a, 10a, 14a, 1r2a & 1r8a) in sheets of 45. **Remarks :** (1) Andaman-Nicobar & Lakshdweep Islands are not shown in the design of Map. (2) This Series was introduced to meet the requirement that arose from introduction of new decimal currency system i.e. 100 naye paise=1 rupee w.e.f. 01 April 1957 (3) As there was no Official FDC issued for this series of Definitive stamps, there were many Private FDCs issued showing Decimal currency or Map of India on their cachets (4) These stamps were having **Star Watermark**. (5) In this series, stamps of 8nP (7/05/1958), 15nP & 90nP (16/01/1958) were issued in subsequent year with "N.P." written as "nP". **Value : ₹ 5000**





SET 58_FDC (3rd Series-Def)_5

Map of India Series

Date : 16/1/1958 **Denomination & Description :** ((1) 15np (2) 90np (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** All values of stamps were printed in sheets of 90. **Remarks :** (1) In this series, stamps of 8nP (7/05/1958), 15nP & 90nP (16/01/1958) were issued in subsequent year with "N.P." written as "nP". (2) We do find Simple FDC with date cancellation on above referred 2 stamps. **Value : ₹ 1500**



SET 58_FDC (3rd Series-Def)_6

Map of India Series - Ashokan Watermark

Date : 27/10/1958 **Denomination & Description :** ((1) 2np (2) 5np (3) 10np (4) 20 N.P. (5) 25np (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** All values of stamps were printed in sheets of 90. **Remarks :** (1) Between 1958 to 1960, previously shown 11 (1/04/1957) + 3 (16/01/1958 & 7/05/1958) + 4 stamps of 1r, 2r, 5r & 10r (1959) = Total 18 stamps were issued with Ashokan watermark. (2) We do find Private FDC of BDS Production mentioning Ashokan Watermark with above referred 5 stamps. **Value : ₹ 3500**



SET 66_FDC (4th Series-Def)_7

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others

Date : 1/7/1966 **Denomination & Description :** ((1) 0.06 (Konark Elephant) (2) 0.10 (Electric Locomotive) (3) Re 1 (Mediaeval Sculpture) (3 Stamps) **Quantity :** Paisa values were printed in sheets of 100 and Rupee values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) 'Naya paisa' is replaced by 'Paisa'. (2) Photogravure. (3) Paisa values in one color. Rupee values in two colors. (4) In 6p, 10p, and 15p denominations are written only as decimal figures without currency code. **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 66_Folder (4th Series-Def)_7

Value : ₹ 300



SET 67_FDC (4th Series-Def)_8

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others

Date : 15/3/1967 **Denomination & Description :** 8p (Chittal), 30p (Indian Dolls), 50p (Mangos), 70p (Hampi Chariot), 2Rs (Dal Lake, Kashmir). & 5Rs (Bhakra Dam, Punjab) (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** Paisa values were printed in sheets of 100 and Rupee values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) 'Naya paisa' is replaced by 'Paisa'. (2) Photogravure. (3) Paisa values in one color. Rupee values in two colors. **Value : ₹ 500**

SET 67_Folder (4th Series-Def)_8

Value : ₹ 750

SET 67_VIP Folder (4th Series-Def)_8

Value : ₹ 2000



SET 67_FDC (4th Series-Def)_9

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others

Date : 16/10/1967 **Denomination & Description :** 2p (Bidriware), 3p (Brassware), 5p (Family Planning), 20p (Gnat Fighter) & 60p (Somnath Temple) (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** Paisa values were printed in sheets of 100 and Rupee values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) 'Naya paisa' is replaced by 'Paisa'. (2) Photogravure. (3) Paisa values in one color. Rupee values in two colors. **Value : ₹ 150**

SET 67_Folder (4th Series-Def)_9

Value : ₹ 400

SET 67_VIP Folder (4th Series-Def)_9

Value : ₹ 500



SET 75_FDC (4th Series-Def)_10

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others

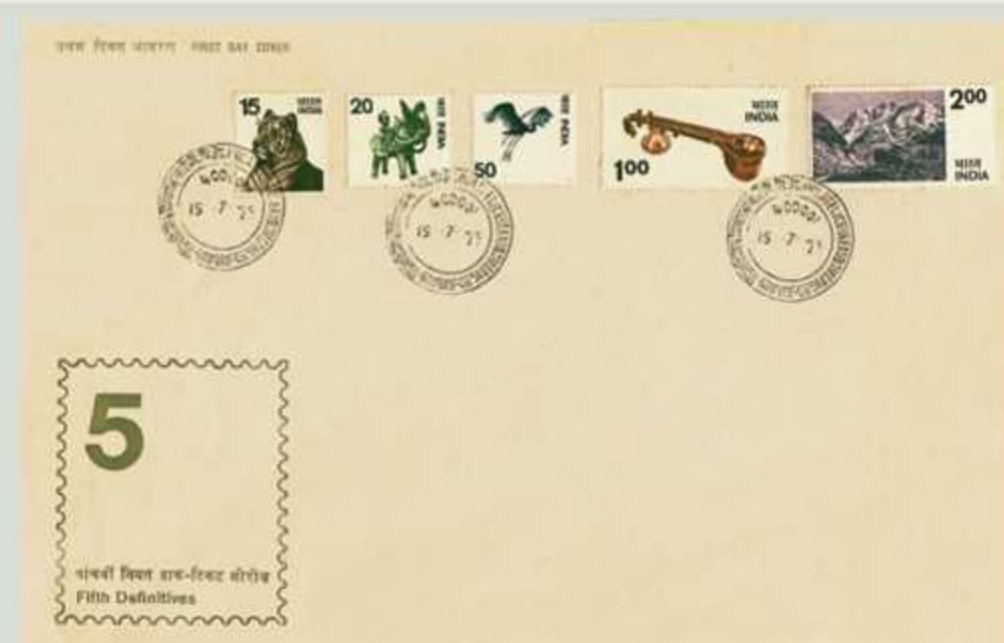
Date : 1/3/1975 **Denomination & Description :** 2p (Bidriware) & 5p (Family Planning) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Both stamps are printed in sheets of 90. 5p stamp was subsequently printed in sheets of 100. Some quantity of 5p were printed in slightly reduced format. **Remarks :** Watermark: Large Star and 'INDIA GOVT' in sheet (Indigenous paper) **Value : ₹ 500**

**SET 74_FDC (5th Series-Def)_11****Modification of 4th Series**

Date : 1/10/1974 **Denomination & Description :** 15p (Tiger-Blackish brown background) & 1r (Veena) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of 15p in sheets of 100 and 1r in sheets of 50 are printed. **Remarks :** (1) Values expressed with 'p' or 'Re'. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Paisa values in one color. Rupee values in two colors. (4) Ashokan Watermark. **Value : ₹ 100**

SET 74_FDC (5th Series-Def)_11

Value : ₹ 200

**SET 75_FDC (5th Series-Def)_12****Modification of 4th Series**

Date : 15/07/1975 **Denomination & Description :** 15 (Tiger), 20 (Handicraft Toy Horse), 50 (Gliding Bird), 100 (Veena) & 200 (Himalayas) (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of paisa value in sheets of 100 and Rupee values in sheets of 50 are printed. **Remarks :** (1) Values expressed in numerals only. (2) Photogravure printing (4) Watermark: Ashokan. **Value : ₹ 250**

SET 75_Folder (5th Series-Def)_12

Value : ₹ 500

**SET 76_FDC (5th Series-Def)_13****Modification of 4th Series**

Date : 1/11/1976 **Denomination & Description :** 2 (Bidri vase), 5 (Family Planning), 10 (Electric Locomotive), 60 (Somnath Temple), 500 (Bhakra Dam, Punjab) & 1000 (Atomic Reactor, Trombay) (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of paisa value in sheets of 100 and Rupee values in sheets of 50 are printed. **Remarks :** (1) Values expressed in numerals only. (2) Photogravure printing (4) Watermark: Ashokan. **Value : ₹ 3000**

**SET 79_FDC (6th Series-Def)_14****Rural Prosperity**

Date : 26/11/1979 **Denomination & Description :** 5 (Pisciculture) & 25 (Poultry) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of paisa value in sheets of 100; values of 100 denominations in sheets of 70 and other values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) 5 (Pisciculture – Wmk. Large Star-Photogravure printing) & 25 (Poultry-Wmk. Ashokan-Photogravure) **Value : ₹ 100**

**SET 81_FDC (6th Series-Def)_15****Rural Prosperity**

Date : 25/3/1981 **Denomination & Description :** 2 (Adult Education), 5 (Pisciculture), 15 (Technology in Agriculture), 20 (Child Health), 225 (Cashew) & 280 (Apples) (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of paisa value in sheets of 100; values of 100 denominations in sheets of 70 and other values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) 5 (Pisciculture – Wmk. Large Star-Photogravure) & 25 (Poultry-Wmk. Ashokan-Photogravure printing) **Value : ₹ 300**

**SET 82_FDC (6th Series-Def)_16****Rural Prosperity**

Date : 25/1/1982 **Denomination & Description :** 10 (Irrigation) & 50 (Dairy) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of paisa value in sheets of 100; values of 100 denominations in sheets of 70 and other values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Perf. 14x14 1/2 **Value : ₹ 100**



SET 82_FDC (6th Series-Def)_17

Rural Prosperity-Nehru & Gandhi

Date : 5/7/1982 **Denomination & Description :** 5 (Pisciculture), 10 (Irrigation), 15 (Technology in Agriculture), 20 (Child Health), 25 (Poultry), 35 (Family Planning) & 50 (Dairy) plus 35 (Gandhi), 35 (Nehru) (9 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of paisa value in sheets of 100; values of 100 denominations in sheets of 70 and other values in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Perf.13 **Value : ₹ 1500**



SET 83_FDC (6th Series-Def)_18

6th Series - Stamps of Nehru & Gandhi

Date : 25/1/1983 **Denomination & Description :** 50x2 (Nehru & Gandhi) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Printed in sheets of 100 **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure **Value : ₹ 150**



SET 85_FDC (6th Series-Def)_19

6th Series - Rural Prosperity

Date : 8/8/1985 **Denomination & Description :** 5 (Pisciculture), 10 (Irrigation), 15 (Technology in Agriculture), 20 (Child Health), 100 (Hybrid Cotton), 325 (Oranges) (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** ... **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**



SET 87_FDC (7th Series-Def)_20

Family Planning, Energy Conservation and Technology

Date : 27/2/1987 **Denomination & Description :** 35 & 60 (Both stamps of Family Planning) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of small size (35, 40, 75) in sheets of 100; large size (60, 100, 500, 2000 & 5000) in sheets of 50. **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Perf.13 **Value : ₹ 250**



SET 94_FDC (8th Series-Def)_21

Family Planning, Energy Conservation and Technology

Date : 11/7/1994 **Denomination & Description :** 75 (Family Planning Immunization) & 100 (Family Planning) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of 75, 100 & 300 in sheets of 100; 500 in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Perf.13 **Value : ₹ 200**



SET 2000_FDC (9th Series-Def)_22

Flora & Fauna

Date : 30/4/2000 **Denomination & Description :** 500 (Leopard Cat) & 1000 (Tiger at Sunderbans-Biosphere Reserve) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of 25, 50, 100 & 200 in sheets of 100; 300, 400 & 500 in sheets of 70; 1000, 1500, 2000 & 5000 in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Perf.13 (4) All the issues except 300 & 5000 exist issued without gum. **Value : ₹ 350**



SET 2000_FDC (9th Series-Def)_23

Flora & Fauna

Date : 20/7/2000 **Denomination & Description :** 25, 50, 100 & 300 (4 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of 25, 50, 100 & 200 in sheets of 100; 300, 400 & 500 in sheets of 70; 1000, 1500, 2000 & 5000 in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Perf. 13 (4) All the issues except 300 & 5000 exist issued without gum. **Value : ₹ 600**



SET 2000_FDC(9th Series-Def)_24

Flora & Fauna

Date : 20/7/2000 **Denomination & Description :** 1500 (Butterfly) & 2000 (Amaltas) (2 Stamps) **Quantity :** Stamps of 25, 50, 100 & 200 in sheets of 100; 300, 400 & 500 in sheets of 70; 1000, 1500, 2000 & 5000 in sheets of 50 **Remarks :** (1) Wmk. Ashokan. (2) Photogravure printing (3) Perf. 13 (4) All the issues except 300 & 5000 exist issued without gum. **Value : ₹ 300**



SET 08_FDC (10th Series-Def_Pvt)_25

Builders of Modern India

Date : 1/12/2008 **Denomination & Description :** 25p (Jawaharlal Nehru), 500 (Indira Gandhi) & 500 (Rajiv Gandhi) (3 Stamps) **Quantity :** -- **Remarks :** Stamp of Jawaharlal Nehru has 'p' written after the denomination **Value : ₹ 100**



SET 09_FDC (10th Series-Def_Pvt)_26

Builders of Modern India

Date : 1/3/2009 **Denomination & Description :** 100 (Mahatma Gandhi), 200 (Dr. B.R. Ambedkar) 300 (Satyajit Ray), 400 (Homi Jahangir Bhabha), 1500 (JRD Tata) & 2000 (Mother Teresa) (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** ... **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**



SET 09_FDC (10th Series-Def_Pvt)_27

Builders of Modern India

Date : 11/5/2009 **Denomination & Description :** 50p (E.V. Ramasami), 1000 (C.V. Raman) & 5000 (Rukmini Devi Arundale) (3 Stamps) **Quantity :** -- **Remarks :** Stamp of E.V. Ramasami has 'p' written after the denomination **Value : ₹ 200**

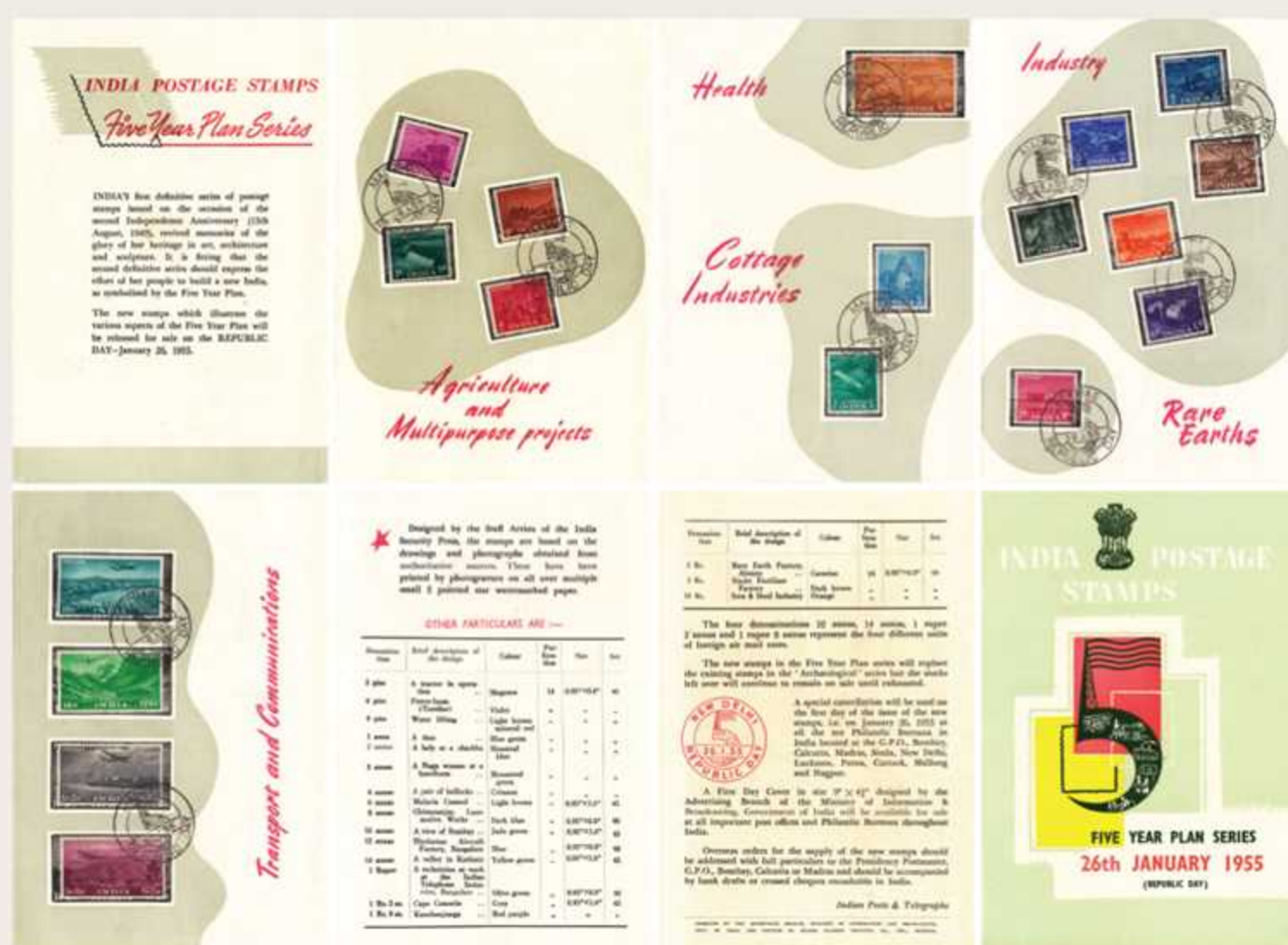
Glimpses of Folders with Set of Stamps - Definitive Regular



Set 49_1st Series-Def_Bulletin Folder_1
15/8/1949
Archeological Series



Set 49_1st Series-Def_Bulletin Folder_1a
15/8/1949
Archeological Series
₹ 75000



Set 55_2nd Series-Def_Folder (English)_2
26/1/1955
Five Year Plan Series
₹ 45000 (Complete Cancelled Folder)

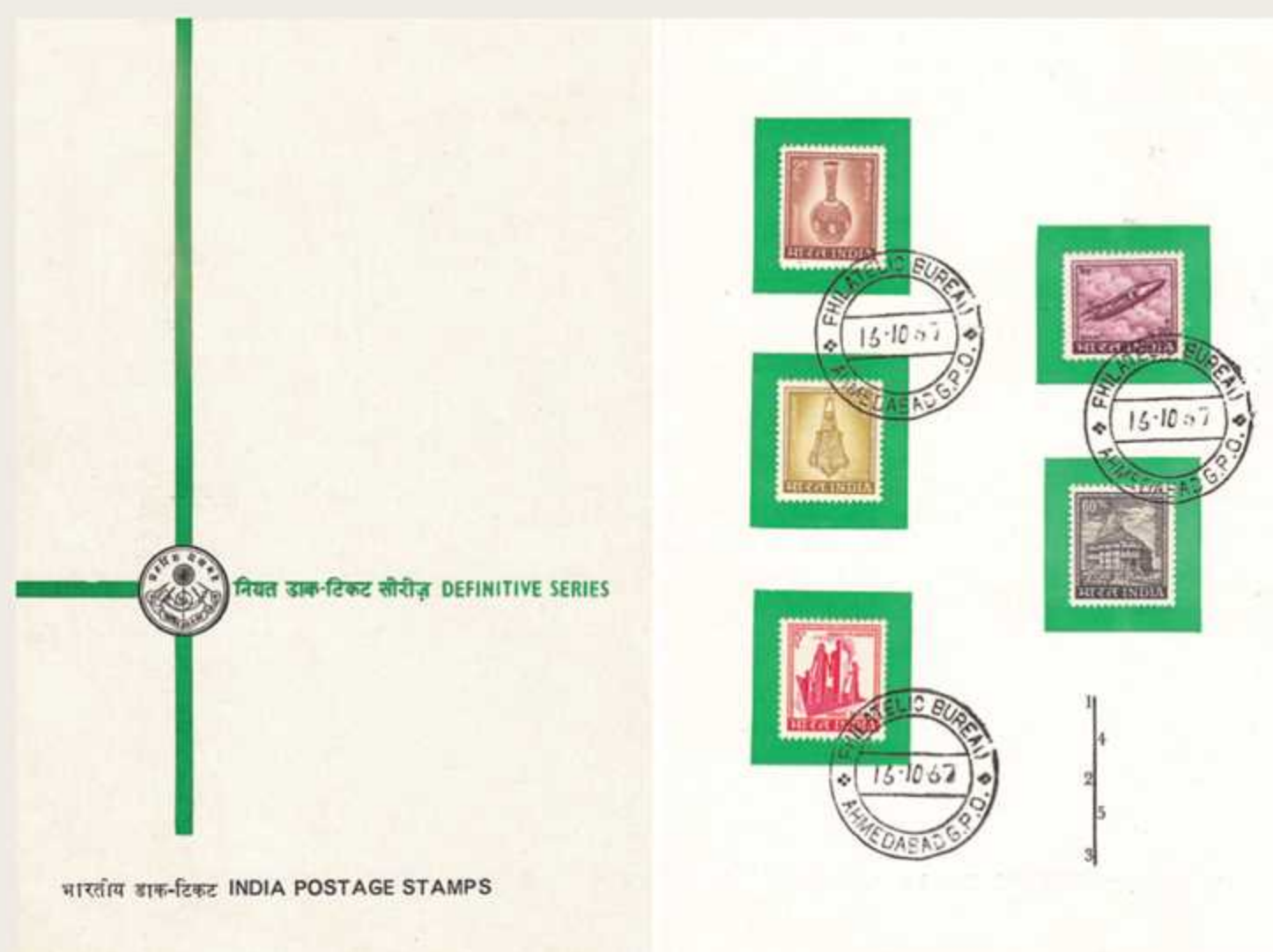


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26/1/1955
Five Year Plan Series
₹ 700 (Blank Folder)



SET 66_Folder (4th Series-Def)_7
1/7/1966

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others
₹ 300



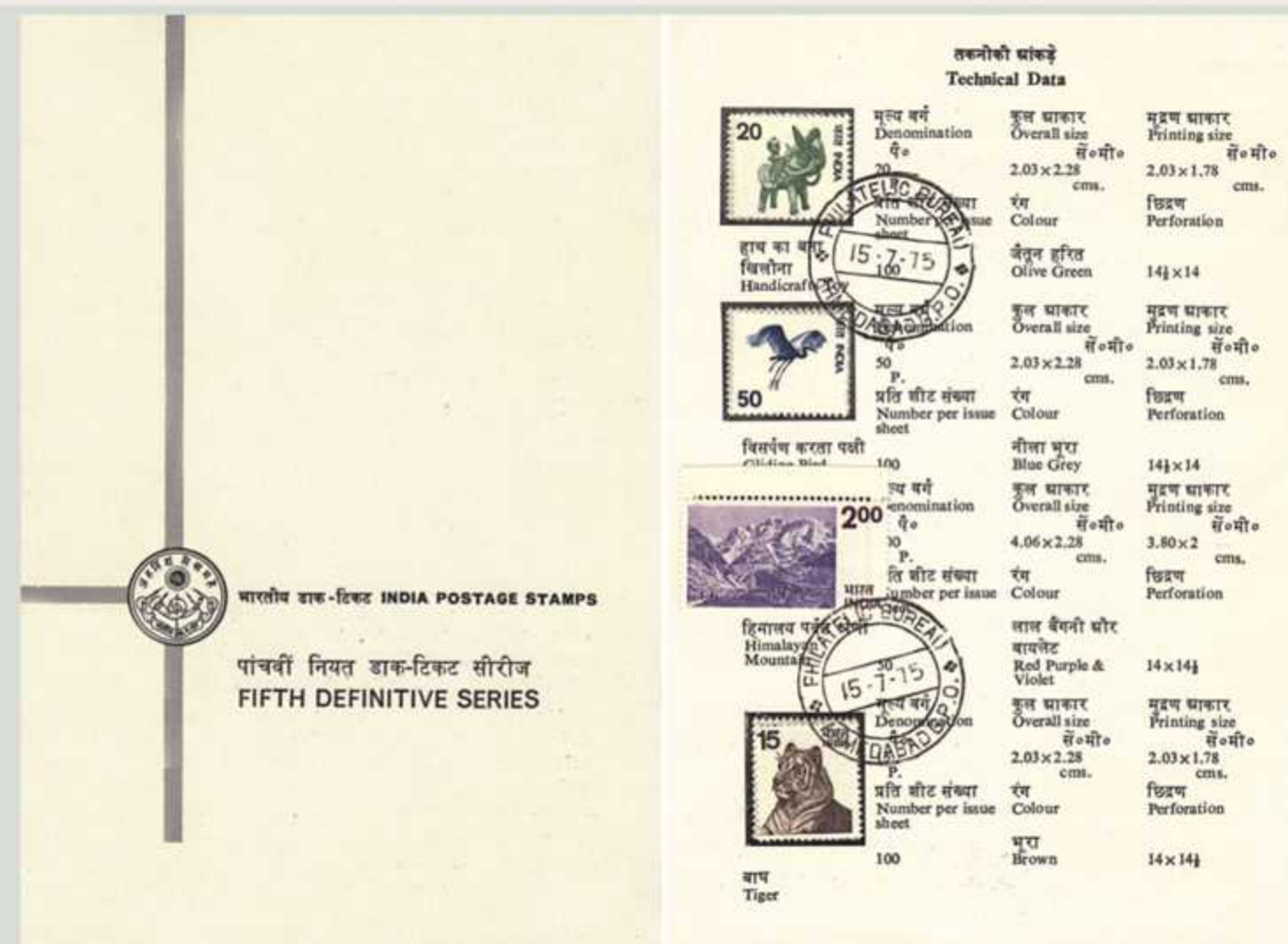
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16/10/1967

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others
₹ 400



SET 74_Folder (5th Series-Def)_11
1/10/1974

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others with Modification
₹ 200



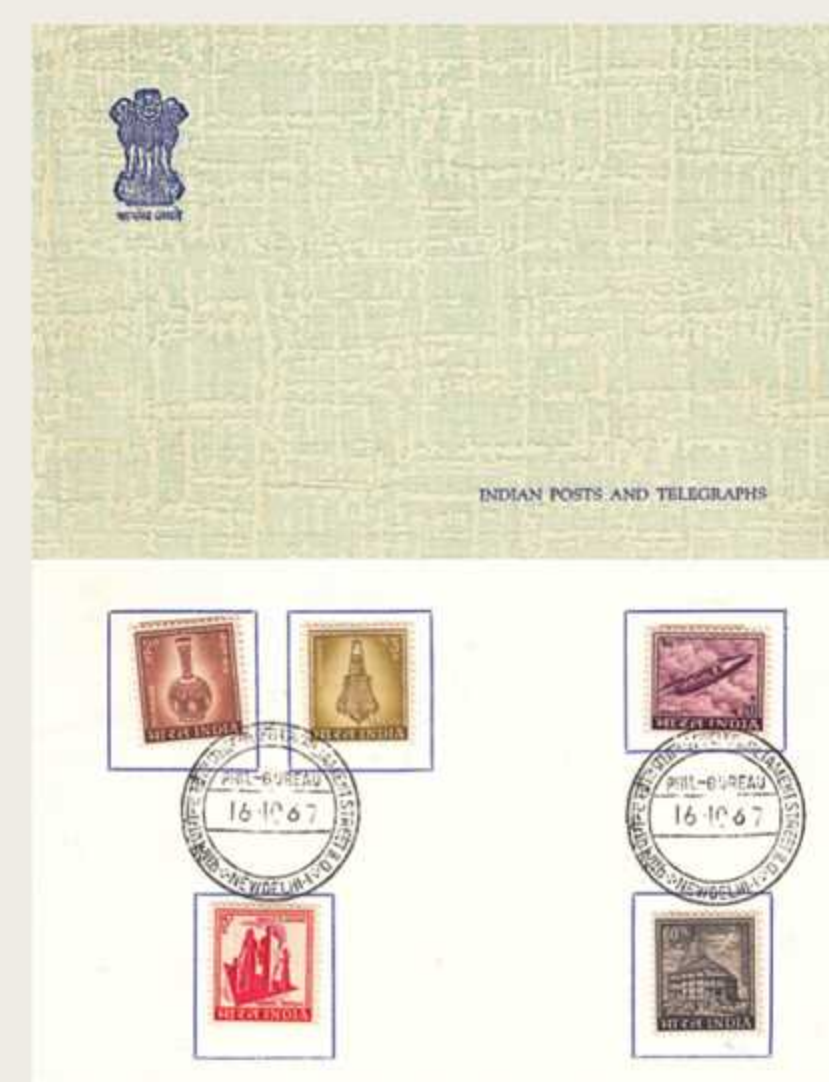
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15/07/1975

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others with Modification
₹ 500



SET 67_VIP Folder(4th Series-Def)_8
15/3/1967

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others
₹ 2000



SET 67_VIP Folder(4th Series-Def)_9
16/10/1967

Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotion & Others
₹ 500

First Day Covers with Set of Stamps - Definitive Military

SET 53_FDC (Military-Def)_Ovpt. Korea_1

Overprinted Korea

Date : 17/10/1953 **Denomination & Description:** (1) 3p-Elephant Motif (2) 6p-Powerful Horse (3) 9p-Trimurti (4) 1a-Bodhisatva (5) 2a-Nataraja (6) 2 1/2a-Mahabodhi Temple (Bodh Gaya-Lake) (7) 3a-East Gate of Sanchi Stup (7) 3 1/2a-Mahabodhi Temple (Bodh Gaya-Bright Blue) (8) 4a-Lingraj Temple (9) 6a-Tomb of Mhd.Adil Shah (10) 8a-Kandarya Mahadeva Temple (11) 12a-Golden Temple (12) 1Re.-Victory Tower (12 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) 'Bharatiya Sangraksha katak Korea' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps (2) Three Indian Field Post offices FPO 739, 740 & 741 looked after Postal Activities. **Value :** ERR (with this first day cancellation of 17/10/1953) - ₹ 20000 for this 1st day cancelled cover; Other covers of 1954 with later date cancellations - ₹ 6000



SET 53_FDC (Military-Def)_Ovpt. Korea_1a

Overprinted Korea

Date : 17/10/1953 used on 18/2/1954 **Denomination & Description:** (1) 9p-Trimurti (Elephanta Caves) (2) 6p-Powerful Horse (Sun Temple, Konark) (2 stamps) (3) 3p-Elephant Motif (Ajanta Caves) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) 'Bharatiya Sangraksha katak Korea' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps (2) Three Indian Field Post offices FPO 739, 740 & 741 looked after Postal Activities. **Value :** ₹ 5000



SET 54_FDC (Military-Def)_Laos (Vientiane)_2

Overprinted Laos (Vientiane) - Archeological Series

Date : 1/12/1954 **Denomination & Description:** (1) 3p-Elephant Motif (Ajanta Caves) (2) 1a-Bodhisatva (Lucknow Museum-Die 1) (3) 2a-Nataraja (Thiruvelangadu), (4) 8a-Kandarya Mahadeva Temple (Khajuraho) (5) 12a-Golden Temple (Amritsar (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Laos' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Laos-Vientiane **Value :** ₹ 3000



SET 54_FDC (Military-Def)_Cambodia_3

Overprinted Cambodia - Archeological Series

Date : 1/12/1954 **Denomination & Description:** (1) 3p-Elephant Motif (Ajanta Caves) (2) 1a-Bodhisatva (Lucknow Museum-Die 1) (3) 2a-Nataraja (Thiruvelangadu), (4) 8a-Kandarya Mahadeva Temple (Khajuraho) (5) 12a-Golden Temple (Amritsar (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Cambodge' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Cambodia-Phnompenh **Value :** ₹ 3000



SET 54_FDC (Military-Def)_Vietnam (Saigon)_4

Overprinted Vietnam (Saigon) - Archeological Series

Date : 1/12/1954 **Denomination & Description:** (1) 3p-Elephant Motif (Ajanta Caves) (2) 1a-Bodhisatva (Lucknow Museum-Die 1) (3) 2a-Nataraja (Thiruvelangadu), (4) 8a-Kandarya Mahadeva Temple (Khajuraho) (5) 12a-Golden Temple (Amritsar (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Vietnam - Saigon **Value :** ₹ 3000



SET 54_FDC (Military-Def)_Vietnam (Hanoi)_5

Overprinted Vietnam (Hanoi) - Archeological Series

Date : 1/12/1954 **Denomination & Description:** (1) 3p-Elephant Motif (Ajanta Caves) (2) 1a-Bodhisatva (Lucknow Museum-Die 1) (3) 2a-Nataraja (Thiruvelangadu), (4) 8a-Kandarya Mahadeva Temple (Khajuraho) (5) 12a-Golden Temple (Amritsar (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Vietnam - Hanoi **Value :** ₹ 3000



**SET 57_FDC (Military-Def) _ Laos (Vientiane)_ 6****Overprinted Laos (Vientiane) - Map Series**

Date : 1/4/1957 **Denomination & Description:** 2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Laos' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps
 (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Laos-Vientiane **Value : ₹ 3500**

**SET 57_FDC (Military-Def) _ Cambodia_ 7****Overprinted Cambodia - Map Series**

Date : 1/4/1957 **Denomination & Description:** 2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Cambodge' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps
 (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Cambodia-Phnom Penh **Value : ₹ 3500**

**SET 57_FDC (Military-Def) _ Vietnam (Saigon)_ 8****Overprinted Vietnam (Saigon) - Map Series**

Date : 1/4/1957 **Denomination & Description:** 2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps
 (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Vietnam - Saigon **Value : ₹ 3500**

**SET 57_FDC (Military-Def) _ Vietnam (Hanoi)_ 9****Overprinted Vietnam (Hanoi) - Map Series**

Date : 1/4/1957 **Denomination & Description:** 2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np (5 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) 'Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps
 (2) Cancellation shows 'Indian Army Post Office' International Commission - Vietnam - Hanoi **Value : ₹ 3500**

**SET 62_FDC (Military-Def) _ Congo_ 10****Overprinted U. N. Force (India) Congo**

Date : 15/1/1962 **Denomination & Description:** 1np, 2np, 5np, 8np, 13np & 50np (6 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) U. N. Force (India) Congo overprinted in English on the Map Series Stamps
 (2) India contributed to the UN's peace keeping operations in Congo in 1960-64. 6 Field Post Offices were established viz. FPO 660 (Leopoldville), 716 (Albertville), 762 (Elizabethville), 770, 771 & 777 (Kamina & Monono). The contingent finally closed in 1964. **Value : ₹ 400; For set of 6 FDCs ₹ 2000**

**SET 68_FDC (Military-Def) _ I. C. C. & ANIA_ 11****Overprinted I. C. C. & ANIA in Devanagari inscriptions in Red**

Date : 2/10/1968 **Denomination & Description:** 2p, 3p, 5p, 10p, 15p, 60p, 1Re & 2Re (8 Stamps) **Quantity :** NA
Remarks : (1) Overprinted I. C. C. in English and ANIA in Devnagari inscription in Red.
 (2) India was established as one of the three powers for International Commissions for Supervision and Control for the states of Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam. Four Field Post Offices were established - two in Vietnam (Saigon 742 and Hanoi 743) and one each in Laos (Vientiane - 744) and Cambodia (Phnom Penh - 745). These FPOs were finally wound up in 1975. **Value : ₹ 1000 set of 2 covers**

Glimpses of FDCs of Set of Stamps - Service

SET 67-74_FDC (Service)_5

Inscription BHARAT/SHASAKIYA in Devnagari

Date : 15/11/1967-1974 **Denomination :** 2p, 3p, 5p, 6p, 10p, 15p, 20p, 25p, 30p, 50p (10 Stamps) **Quantity :** In sheets of 100 **Remarks :** Design similar to the above; Lion Capital slightly smaller; Values expressed in PAISA (p) at both top corners; Large Star & 'INDIA GOVT' watermark; Perf 15x14; printing photogravure on indigenous paper. **Value : ₹ 750**



SET 76-81_FDC (Service)_7

Inscription BHARAT/SHASAKIYA in Devnagari

Date : 1/4/1976-1981 **Denomination :** 100, 200, 500, 1000 (4 Stamps) **Quantity :** In sheets of 100 **Remarks :** Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; Ashoka watermark to left; Perf 15x14 (100), 14 (200, 500, 1000); Photogravure; Gummed Paper. **Value : ₹ 1250**



SET 81_FDC (Service)_8

Inscription SERVICE/POSTAGE/INDIA in English

Date : 10/12/1981 **Denomination :** 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 35, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000 (11 Stamps) **Quantity :** In sheets of 140. Stamps are widely separated by dotted lines in the respective colours of the stamps. **Remarks :** Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; No watermark; Printed on thick cream paper with simulated perforations; Ungummed; Imperf; Offset. **Value : ₹ 2500**



SET 82_FDC (Service)_9

Inscription BHARAT/SHASAKIYA in Devnagari

Date : 22/11/1982 **Denomination :** 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000 (12 Stamps) **Quantity :** In sheets of 100 **Remarks :** Ashoka Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; Large Star & 'INDIA GOVT' watermark; Perf 12 1/2x13; Photogravure. **Value : ₹ 1250**



FDCs & Folders with Se-tenant Stamps

- (i) FDCs with Se-tenant Stamps
- (ii) Glimpses of FDCs with 'Se-tenant Stamps' of India Possible from MS
- (iii) Glimpses of Folders with 'Se-tenant Stamps' of India

First Day Covers are the "Birth Certificates" of Stamps
as the date in first day cancellation indicates the issue-date i.e. "Birth Date" of Stamps.

**SNT 74_FDC_1****Mathura Museum**

Date : 9/10/1974 **Denomination :** 25p & 25p **Description :** (1) Woman Flute Player (2) Vidyadhara with Garland **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheet of 24 pair **Remarks :**
Value : ₹ 150

SNT 74_Folder_1

Value : ₹ 150

SNT 74_VIP Folder_1

Value : ₹ 300

**SNT 75_FDC_2****500th Birth Anniversary of Michelangelo Buonarroti (Italian Painter & Sculptor)**

Date : 28/6/1975 **Denomination :** 50x4 **Description :** Creation of Sun, Moon & Planets and Creation of Man **SNT Format :** Block of four **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheet of 18 blocks **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 forming two composite designs in horizontal pairs **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 75_Folder_2

Value : ₹ 300

SNT 75_VIP Folder_2

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 80_FDC_3****50th Anniversary of Dandi March**

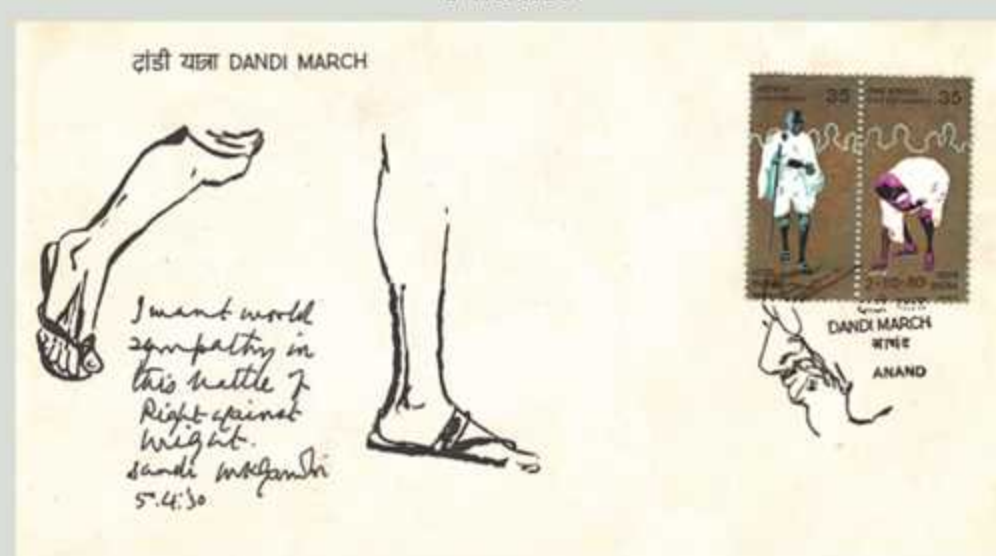
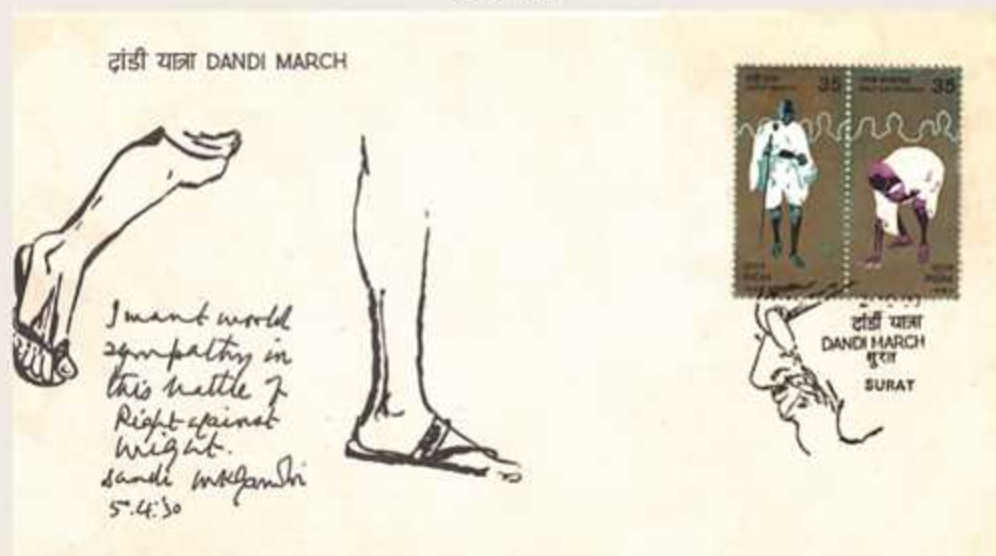
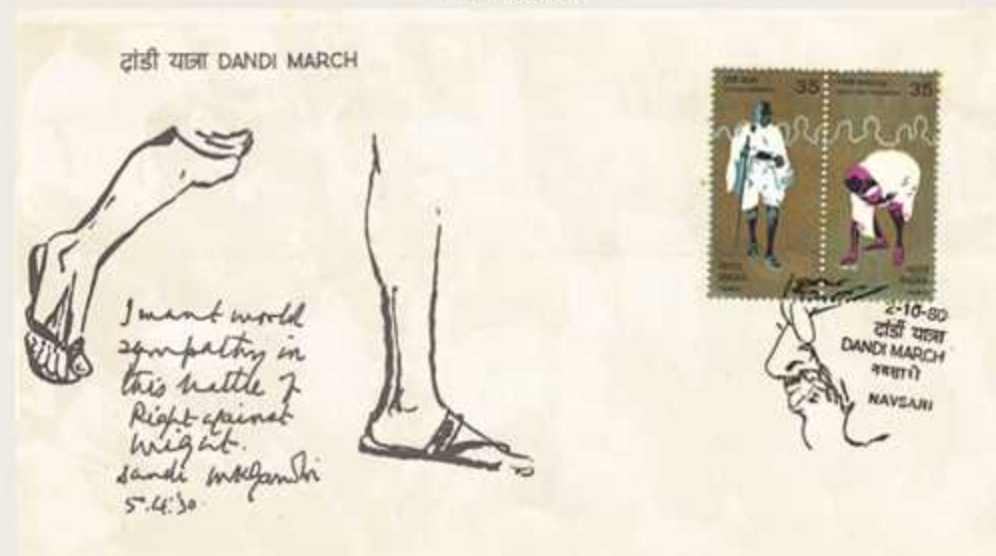
Date : 2/10/1980 **Denomination :** 35x2 **Description :** Gandhi Marching to Dandi & Picking Salt **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Cancellation:** Gandhi Ashram, Ahmedabad **Quantity :** 2 Mill each in sheets of 25 pairs **Remarks :** Set of 7 FDCs of Dandi March on Dandi Route of Gandhi Ashram Ahmedabad to Dandi via Nadiad, Anand, Bharuch, Surat, Navsari & Dandi are issued. **Value : ₹ 2500 (Set of 7 covers)**

SNT 80_Folder_3

Value : ₹ 150 (For Set of 7 folders ₹ 4500)

SNT 80_VIP Folder_3

Value : ₹ 300

Nadiad**Anand****Bharuch****Surat****Navsari****Dandi****SNT 83_FDC_4****India's Struggle for Freedom 1st Series**

Date : 9/8/1983 **Denomination :** 50x3 **Description :** (1) Meera Behn & (2) Mahadev Desai in Setenant form while (3) Quit India Resolution (8th Aug 1942) is single **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 20 Pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 83_Folder_4

Value : ₹ 150

SNT 83_VIP Folder_4

Value : ₹ 500





SNT 84_FDC_5

President's Review of the Fleet

Date : 12/2/1984 **Denomination :** 100x4 **Description :** (1) Hawker Siddeley Harrier (2) 'Vikrant' Aircraft Carrier (3) 'Vela' Submarine (4) 'Kashin' Destroyer **SNT Format :** Block of four **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 16 blocks **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 800**

SNT 84_Folder_5
Value : ₹ 800

SNT 84_VIP Folder_5
Value : ₹ 1500



SNT 85_FDC_6

25th Anniversary of Border Roads Organisation

Date : 10/10/1985 **Denomination :** 200 **Description :** Stylised Mountain Road **SNT Format :** Tete beche Vertical pair **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill in sheets of 50 tete-beche pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 5000**

SNT 85_Folder_6
Value : ₹ 5000



SNT 85_FDC_6a

25th Anniversary of Border Roads Organisation

Date : 10/10/1985 **Denomination :** 200 **Description :** Stylised Mountain Road **SNT Format :** Tete beche Horizontal pair **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill in sheets of 50 tete-beche pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 6000**

SNT 85_Folder_6
Value : ₹ 6000



SNT 85_FDC_7

Centenary of Indian National Congress

Date : 28/12/1985 **Denomination :** 100x4 **Description :** A.O. Hume (Founder) and early Congress Presidents & PM Rajiv Gandhi **SNT Format :** Block of four **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 12 blocks of 4 **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 700**

SNT 85_Folder_7
Value : ₹ 500



SNT 86_FDC_8

125th Anniversary of Indian Police

Date : 21/10/1986 **Denomination :** 150 & 200 **Description :** Early & Modern Policemen in various cadres **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 200 at left forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 800**

SNT 86_Folder_8
Value : ₹ 600



SNT 88_FDC (Normal)_9a

40th Anniversary of Independence

Date : 16/8/1988 **Denomination :** 60x2 **Description :** Tilak's proclamation in Marathi and painting by M.F. Husain **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 6 pairs **Remarks :** Vertical Setenant of 2 forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 350**

SNT 88_Folder_9
Value : ₹ 300

**SNT 88_FDC (of Hand made Paper)_9b****40th Anniversary of Independence**

Date : 16/8/1988 **Denomination :** 60x2 **Description :** Tilak's proclamation in Marathi and painting by M.F. Husain **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 6 pairs **Remarks :** (1) Vertical Setenant of 2 forming a composite design (2) Meant for distribution to VIPs **Value : ₹ 1000**

**SNT 90_FDC_10****Presentation of New Colours to Bombay Sappers**

Date : 21/2/1990 **Denomination :** 60x2 **Description :** Param Veer Chakra, Ashoka Chakra & Victoria Cross won by Bombay Sappers **SNT Format :** Tete-beche pair **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill in sheets of 50 i.e. 25 Tete-beche pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 3500**

SNT 90_Folder_10

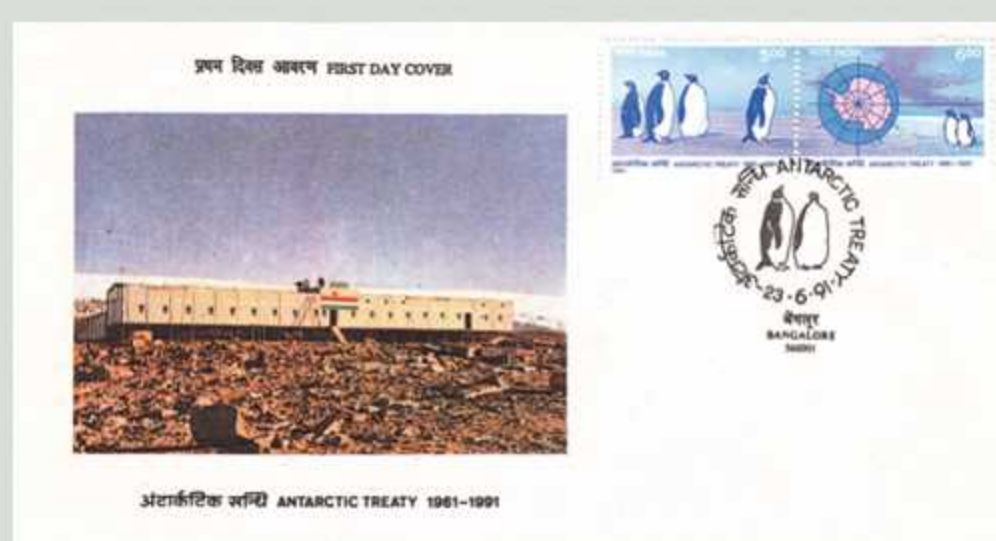
Value : ₹ 3500

**SNT 90_FDC_11****Indo-Soviet Friendship Issue**

Date : 16/8/1990 **Denomination :** 100 & 650 **Description :** (1) Painting on 'Life in India' by Tanya Vorontsova (2) St. Basil's Cathedral & Kremlin by Sanjay Adhikari **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 10 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 600**

SNT 90_Folder_11

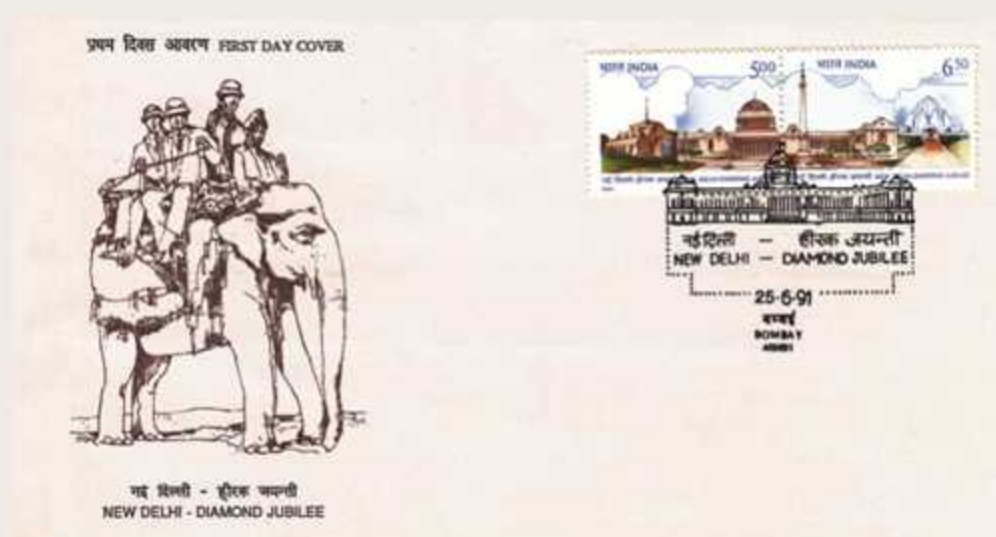
Value : ₹ 1000

**SNT 91_FDC_12****30th Anniversary of Antarctic Treaty**

Date : 23/6/1991 **Denomination :** 500 & 650 **Description :** (1) Emperor Penguins (2) Antarctic Map & Adelie Penguins **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Pair of 2 forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 600**

SNT 91_Folder_12

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 91_FDC_13****Diamond Jubilee of New Delhi**

Date : 25/6/1991 **Denomination :** 500 & 650 **Description :** (1) Iron Pillar, Rashtrapati Bhawan (2) Lotus Temple **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Pair of 2 forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 600**

SNT 91_Folder_13

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 91_FDC_14****Exponents of Modern Hindi Literature**

Date : 16/9/1991 **Denomination :** 200x2 **Description :** (1) Mahadevi Verma (Poetess) & 'Varsha' (2) Jayshankar Prasad (Poet & Dramatist) & 'Kamayani' **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1500**

SNT 91_Folder_14

Value : ₹ 2000



SNT 91_FDC_15

Greetings Stamps

Date : 30/9/1991 **Denomination :** 100 & 650 **Description :** (1) Frog (2) Symbolic Bird **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 15 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 400**

SNT 91_Folder_15

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 92_FDC_16

14th Congress of International Association for Bridge & Structural Engineering, New Delhi

Date : 1/3/1992 **Denomination :** 200x2 **Description :** (1) 'Gopuram' of Madurai Temple & 'Vidyasagar Bridge', Calcutta (2) Gate of Sanchi Stupa & Hall of Nations, New Delhi **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1400**

SNT 92_Folder_16

Value : ₹ 1800



SNT 92_FDC_17

Diamond Jubilee I.A.F.

Date : 8/10/1992 **Denomination :** 100 & 1000 **Description :** (1) Mikoyan Gurevich, MiG-29 Fighter & Ilyushin Il-76 Transport (2) MiG-27 Fighter & Westland Wapiti Biplane **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1500**

SNT 92_Folder_17

Value : ₹ 1800



SNT 94_FDC_18

Satyajit Ray (Film Director & Writer)

Date : 11/1/1994 **Denomination :** 600 & 1100 **Description :** S. Ray, Oscar & Scene from 'Pathar Panchali' **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 12 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 1100 at left and 600 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 800**

SNT 94_Folder_18

Value : ₹ 1200



SNT 94_FDC_19

125th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi

Date : 2/10/1994 **Denomination :** 600 & 1100 **Description :** Mahatma Gandhi & aspects of his life, National Tricolour background **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 12 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 600 at left and 1100 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 1200**

SNT 94_Folder_19

Value : ₹ 1200



SNT 94_FDC_20

Endangered Water Birds of India

Date : 23/11/1994 **Denomination :** 100, 600, 800 & 1100 **Description :** (1) Eastern White Stork (2) Black-necked Crane (3) Andaman Teal (4) Pink-headed Duck **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 10 blocks **Remarks :** Withdrawn shortly after issue as said the stamps being printed with water soluble ink. **Value : ₹ 4500**

SNT 94_Folder_20

Value : ₹ 4000

**SNT 94_FDC_21****Baroda Museum Centenary**

Date : 20/12/1994 **Denomination :** 600 & 1100 **Description :** Bronze 'Rishabhanatha' 6th cent. A.D. **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 1100 at left and 600 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 1400**

SNT 94_Folder_21

Value : ₹ 1200

**SNT 95_FDC_22****100 Years of Cinema**

Date : 11/1/1995 **Denomination :** 600 & 1100 **Description :** Early equipment, Cinema reel & Globe **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 1100 at left and 600 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 350**

SNT 95_Folder_22

Value : ₹ 300

**SNT 95_FDC_23****India-South Africa Cooperation : Mahatma Gandhi**

Date : 2/10/1995 **Denomination :** 100 & 200 **Description :** Gandhi as a young barrister & in his old age **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.05 Mill each in sheets of 25 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 95_Folder_23

Value : ₹ 400

**SNT 96_FDC_24****Birth Centenary of Dr. Salim Moizuddin Abdul Ali (Ornithologist, Ecologist, Conservationist & Writer)**

Date : 12/11/1996 **Denomination :** 800 & 1100 **Description :** Storks at nest in Bharatpur Bird Sanctuary & Dr. Salim Ali **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 1100 at left and 800 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 700**

SNT 96_Folder_24

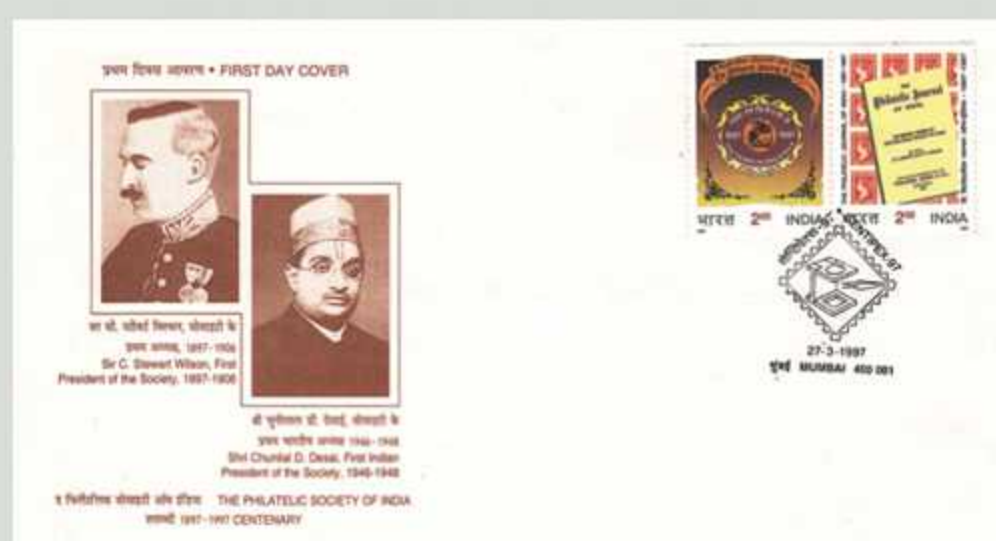
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**SNT 97_FDC_25****Parijat Tree**

Date : 8/3/1997 **Denomination :** 500 & 600 **Description :** Parijat Tree **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 500 at left and 600 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 97_Folder_25

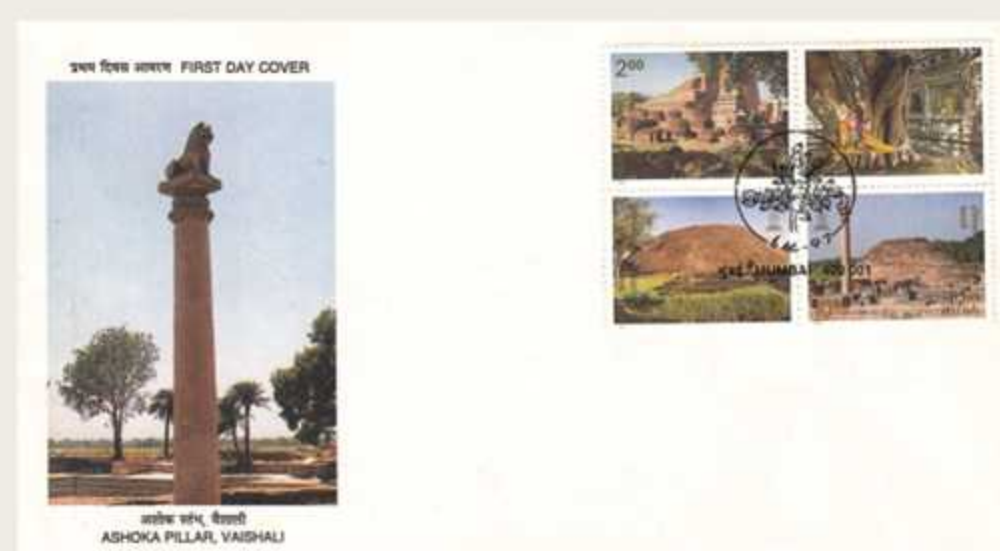
Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 97_FDC_26****Centenary of The Philatelic Society of India**

Date : 27/3/1997 **Denomination :** 200x2 **Description :** Society Centenary Emblem & 1st issue of Philatelic Journal **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 97_Folder_26

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 97_FDC_27

'INDEPEX-97' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue) Buddhist Cultural Sites

Date : 6/6/1997 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 1000 & 1100 **Description :** (1) Ruins of Nalanda University (Bihar) (2) Bodhi Tree (Bodhgaya, Bihar) (3) Stupa (Kushinagar, U.P.) (4) Stupa & Pillar (Vaishali, Bihar) **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 10 blocks **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 350**

SNT 97_Folder_27

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 97_FDC_28

'INDEPEX-97' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (4th Issue) Rural Indian Women in Traditional Costumes

Date : 15/10/1997 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 1000 & 1100 **Description :** Women in traditional costumes from (1) Arunachal Pradesh (2) Gujarat (3) Ladakh (4) Kerala **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 9 blocks **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 97_Folder_28

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 97_FDC_29

Centenary of Scindia School, Gwalior

Date : 20/10/1997 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Students in Medication 'Astachal' & Statue of Mahatma Gandhi (2) Gwalior Fort, Scindia School Bldg. & Founder Maharaja M.J. Scindia **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** ... **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 900**

SNT 97_Folder_29

Value : ₹ 1000



SNT 97_FDC_30

Indian Medicinal Plants

Date : 28/10/1997 **Denomination :** 200, 500, 1000 & 1100 **Description :** (1) Tulsi (2) Haridra (3) Sarpagandha (4) Ghritkumari **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 8 blocks **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 97_Folder_30

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 97_FDC_31

'INDEPEX-97' - International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (6th Issue) Post Office Theme

Date : 15/12/1997 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 1000 & 1100 **Description :** (1) Post Office Heritage Building, Pune (2) River Mail Boat Barge (Calcutta to Allahabad) (3) Jal Cooper (Philatelist) & Early Postmarks (4) 'S.S. Hindosthan' Mail Ship **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 9 blocks **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 97_Folder_31

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 98_FDC_32

50th Death Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi

Date : 30/1/1998 **Denomination :** 200, 600, 1000 & 1100 **Description :** Aspects of Mahatma Gandhi : Peasants Welfare, Social Upliftment, Salt Satyagraha & Communal Harmony **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 12 blocks **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 500**

SNT 98_Folder_32

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 98_FDC_33****Golden Jubilee of First Air-India International Flight**

Date : 8/6/1998 **Denomination :** 500 & 600 **Description :** Big Ben (London), Lockheed Super Constellation Airliner, Air India 'Maharaja' on the Globe & Gateway of India (Bombay) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 10 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant with 500 at left and 600 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 500**

SNT 98_Folder_33

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 98_FDC_34****Golden Jubilee of National Savings Organisation**

Date : 30/6/1998 **Denomination :** 500 & 600 **Description :** Theme : Collective Thrift in the March of the Nation **SNT Format :** Set of two **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 15 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant vertical Pair with 600 at top and 500 at bottom forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 500**

SNT 98_Folder_34

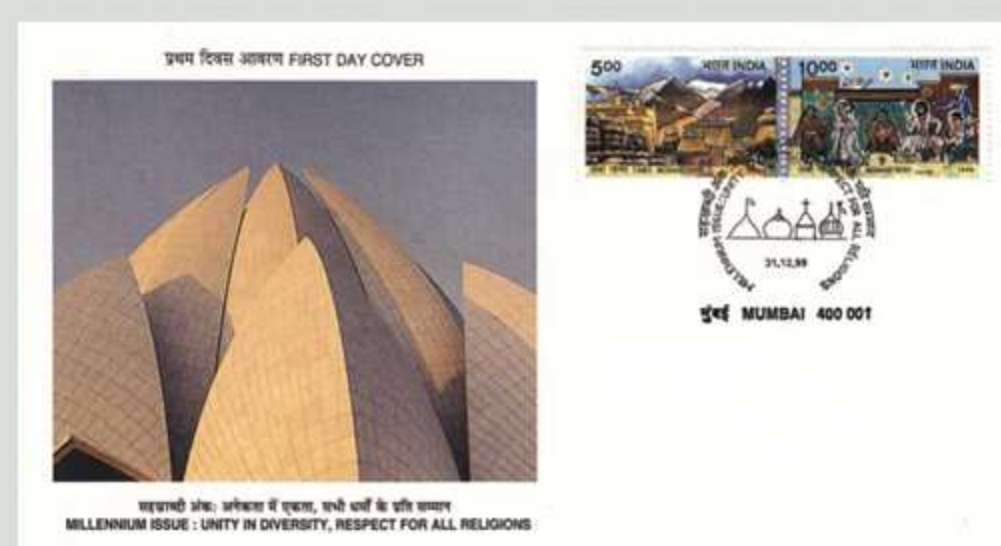
Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 98_FDC_35****Homage to Martyrs for Independence**

Date : 15/8/1998 **Denomination :** 300 & 800 **Description :** Years of Struggle : Attainment of Independence India's Achievements in Post-independence years **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 21 Pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 750**

SNT 98_Folder_35

Value : ₹ 900

**SNT 99_FDC_36****New Millennium : Unity in Diversity, Respect for all Religions**

Date : 31/12/1999 **Denomination :** 500 & 1000 **Description :** Tabo Monastery in Lahul & Spiti (H.P.) and Wall Painting in the main hall **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.7 Mill each in sheets of 16 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 900**

SNT 99_Folder_36

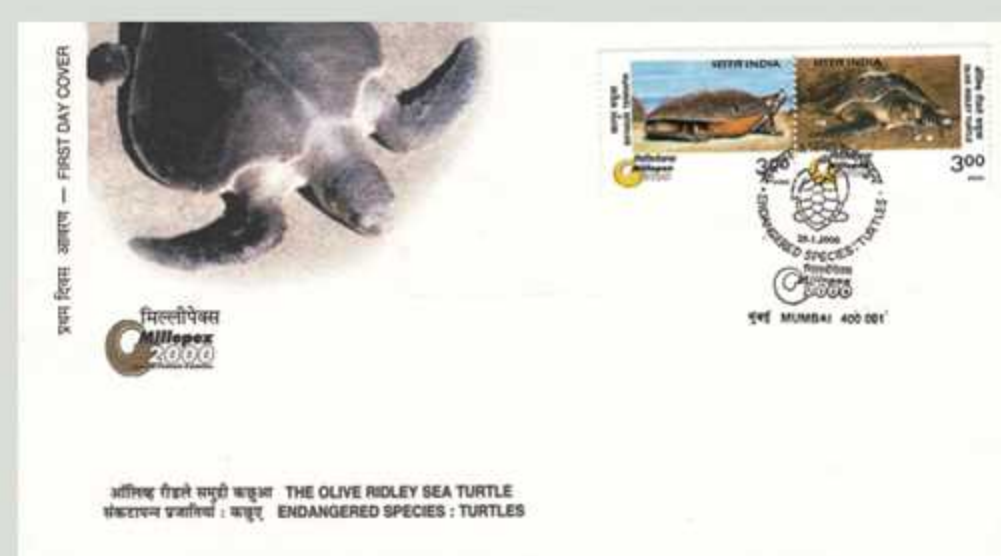
Value : ₹ 1000

**SNT 00_FDC_37****50th Anniversary of Republic (2nd Issue) : Gallantry Award Winners**

Date : 28/1/2000 **Denomination :** 300x5 **Description :** (1) Capt. Karam Singh, PVC & Regimental Badge (2) Havildar Abdul Hamid, PVC & Armed Jeep (3) Lance Naik Albert Ekka, PVC & Hand Grenades & Knife (4) Flying Officer N.J.S. Sekhon, PVC & Jet Fighter (5) Flying Officer M.N. Mulla, PVC & Warship **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of five **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 7 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1500**

SNT 00_Folder_37

Value : ₹ 1800

**SNT 00_FDC_38****'MILLEPEX-2000' - National Philatelic Exhibition, Bhubaneshwar. Endangered Species : Turtles**

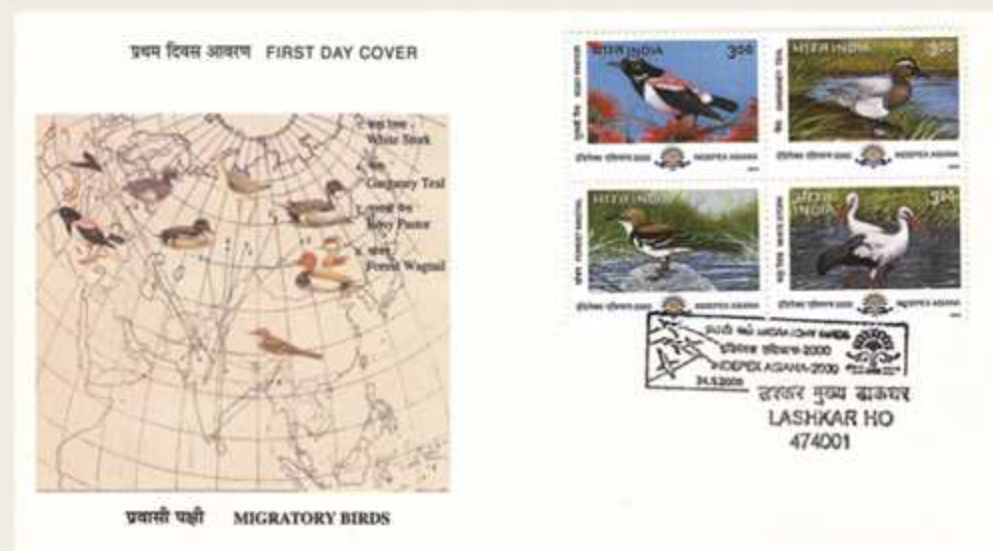
Date : 29/1/2000 **Denomination :** 300x2 **Description :** (1) Bagatur Terrapin (2) Olive Ridley Turtle **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 00_Folder_38

Value : ₹ 200

SNT 00_VIP Folder_38

Value : ₹ 750



SNT 00_FDC_39

'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue) : Migratory Birds - Official-1

Date : 24/5/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Rosy Pastor (2) Garganey Teal (3) Forest Wagtail (4) White Stork **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 plus 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 10 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1000**

SNT 00_Folder_39

Value : ₹ 800



SNT 00_FDC_40

'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue) : Migratory Birds - Official-2

Date : 24/5/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Rosy Pastor (2) Garganey Teal (3) Forest Wagtail (4) White Stork **SNT Format :** Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 plus 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 10 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 3000**

SNT 00_Folder_40

Value : ₹ 3000



SNT 00_FDC_41

'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue) : Migratory Birds - Official-3

Date : 24/5/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Rosy Pastor (2) Garganey Teal (3) Forest Wagtail (4) White Stork **SNT Format :** Vertical Strip of 4 put horizontally **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 40 plus 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 10 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 3000**

SNT 00_Folder_41

Value : ₹ 3000



SNT 00_FDC_42

Social and Political Leaders - Official-1

Date : 15/8/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) V.L. Pandit (Diplomat) (2) B.R. Srinivasan (Leader of Depressed Classes) (3) Jagal Choudhary (Social Reformer) (4) Radha Gobinda Baruah (Journalist & Reformer) **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 4500**

SNT 00_Folder_42

Value : ₹ 5000



SNT 00_FDC_43

Social and Political Leaders - Official-2

Date : 15/8/2000 (This is used on 07/10/2000) **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) V.L. Pandit (Diplomat) (2) B.R. Srinivasan (Leader of Depressed Classes) (3) Jagal Choudhary (Social Reformer) (4) Radha Gobinda Baruah (Journalist & Reformer) **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Strip of 4 put horizontally **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ Very Rare**

SNT 00_Folder_43

Value : ₹ Very Rare



SNT 00_FDC_44

Social and Political Leaders - Official-3

Date : 15/8/2000 (This is used on 07/10/2000) **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) V.L. Pandit (Diplomat) (2) B.R. Srinivasan (Leader of Depressed Classes) (3) Jagal Choudhary (Social Reformer) (4) Radha Gobinda Baruah (Journalist & Reformer) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ Very Rare**

SNT 00_Folder_44

Value : ₹ Very Rare

**SNT 00_FDC_45****India's Space Programme**

Date : 29/9/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) OCEANSAT-1 (2) INSAT-3B in Orbit (3) & (4) India in Space in Setenant form **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 and 20 pairs **Remarks :** Stamps of India in Space were printed as Setenant forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 350**

SNT 00_Folder_45**Value : ₹ 400****SNT 00_VIP Folder_45****Value : ₹ 1400****SNT 00_FDC_46****Madhubani Mithila Paintings**

Date : 15/10/2000 **Denomination :** 300x3, 500, 1000 **Description :** (1) 'Krishna with Gopies' (2) 'Flower Girls' (3) 'Bali & Sugriva' (4) & (5) Lotus Plant Motif, 'Kohbar-Ghar' Mural **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** Stamps of Madhubani paintings were printed as Setenant forming composite design **Value : ₹ 1200**

SNT 00_Folder_46**Value : ₹ 900****SNT 00_FDC_47****'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue) : Gems & Jewellery**

Date : 7/12/2000 **Denomination :** 300x6 **Description :** (1) Bead Necklace from Indus Valley, c. 2500 B.C. (2) Gold Necklace from Taxila, c. 1st cent. A.D. (3) Turban Ornament (Sarpech) (4) Navaratna Necklace, c. 18th cent. (5) 'Tali', Bridal Necklace from South India, 19th cent. (6) 'Kanthla', Temple Necklace from Rajasthan, 18th cent. **SNT Format :** Block of six **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 1200**

SNT 00_Folder_47**Value : ₹ 1500****SNT 00_FDC_48****'INDEPEX-ASIANA-2000' - 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue) : Gems & Jewellery**

Date : 7/12/2000 **Denomination :** 300x6 **Description :** (1) Bead Necklace from Indus Valley, c. 2500 B.C. (2) Gold Necklace from Taxila, c. 1st cent. A.D. (3) Turban Ornament (Sarpech) (4) Navaratna Necklace, c. 18th cent. (5) 'Tali', Bridal Necklace from South India, 19th cent. (6) 'Kanthla', Temple Necklace from Rajasthan, 18th cent. **SNT Format :** Vertical Strip **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** MS with four stamps (Gold, Turban, Navaratna & Bridal Necklace) from above with portrait of D.N. Jatia (Philatelist) issued on 11 Dec 2000 **Value : ₹ Very Rare**

SNT 00_Folder_48**Value : ₹ Very Rare**

Vertical Strip of Six is Very Rare

**SNT 01_FDC_49****Mahatma Gandhi : Man of the Millennium**

Date : 2/10/2001 **Denomination :** 400x2 **Description :** Mahatma Gandhi Salt March and Mahatma Gandhi **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal Pair forming a thematic design **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 01_Folder_49**Value : ₹ 350****SNT 01-VIP Presentation Folder_49****Value : ₹ 2500****SNT 01_FDC_50****Stories from Panchatantra (Indian Fables by Vishnugarman) - Geese & Tortoise**

Date : 17/10/2001 **Denomination :** 400x2 **Description :** (1) Geese & Tortoise talking (2) Tortoise flying with Geese **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal Pair forming a composite design. Stamps issued in se-tenant format in four different sheets. Combined FDCs of all four se-tenant pairs are known. **Value : ₹ 250 - All 4 Pairs of Setenant stamps on one cover ₹ 1000**

SNT 01_Folder_50**Value : ₹ 1200 (All 4 Setenant Stamps on Folder)**



SNT 01_FDC_51

Stories from Panchatantra (Indian Fables by Vishnusaarman) - Lion & Rabbit

Date : 17/10/2001 **Denomination :** 400x2 **Description :** (1) Lion & Rabbit (2) Lion & Rabbit at Well **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal Pair forming a composite design. Stamps issued in se-tenant format in four different sheets. Combined FDCs of all four se-tenant pairs are known. **Value : ₹ 250 - All 4 Pairs of Setenant stamps on one cover ₹ 1000**

SNT 01_Folder_51

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 01_FDC_52

Stories from Panchatantra (Indian Fables by Vishnusaarman) - Snake & Crow

Date : 17/10/2001 **Denomination :** 400x2 **Description :** (1) Snake attacking Crow's eggs (2) Snake attacked by Villagers **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal Pair forming a composite design. Stamps issued in se-tenant format in four different sheets. Combined FDCs of all four se-tenant pairs are known. **Value : ₹ 250 - All 4 Pairs of Setenant stamps on one cover ₹ 1000**

SNT 01_Folder_52

Value : ₹ 250



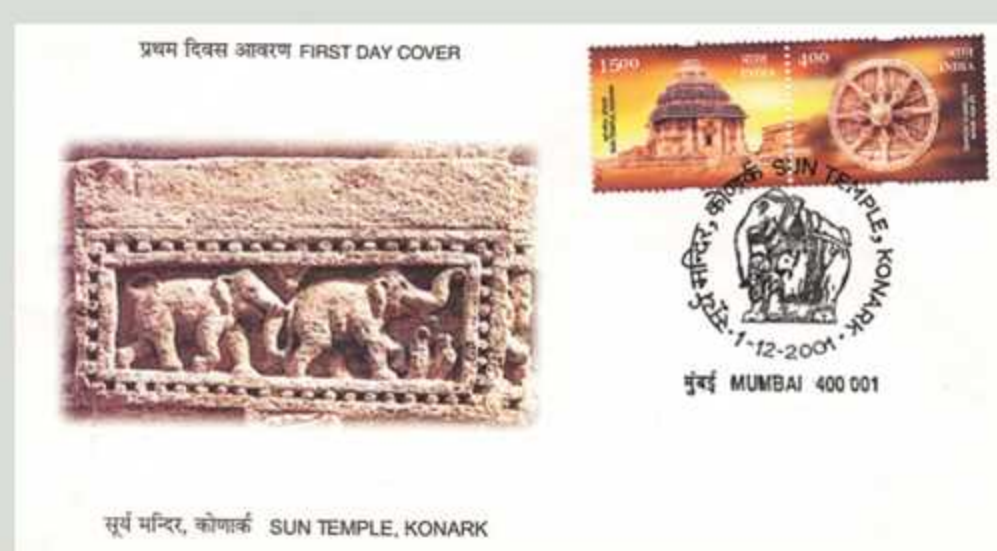
SNT 01_FDC_53

Stories from Panchatantra (Indian Fables by Vishnusaarman) - Monkey & Crocodile

Date : 17/10/2001 **Denomination :** 400x2 **Description :** (1) Monkey in Tree & Crocodile (2) Monkey on Crocodile's back **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal Pair forming a composite design. Stamps issued in se-tenant format in four different sheets. Combined FDCs of all four se-tenant pairs are known. **Value : ₹ 250 - All 4 Pairs of Setenant stamps on one cover ₹ 1000**

SNT 01_Folder_53

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 01_FDC_54

Centenary of Conservation at Sun Temple - Konark, Orissa

Date : 1/12/2001 **Denomination :** 400 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Sun Temple, Konark (2) Giant Carved Wheel **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 18 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal Pair with 1500 at left & 400 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 01_Folder_54

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 02_FDC_55

50th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations between India and Japan

Date : 26/4/2002 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Kabuki Actor (Japan) (2) Kathakali Dancer (India) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.6 Mill each in sheetlets of 8 pairs (Reversed setting on alternative row) having ornamental border **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 500**

SNT 02_Folder_55

Value : ₹ 350



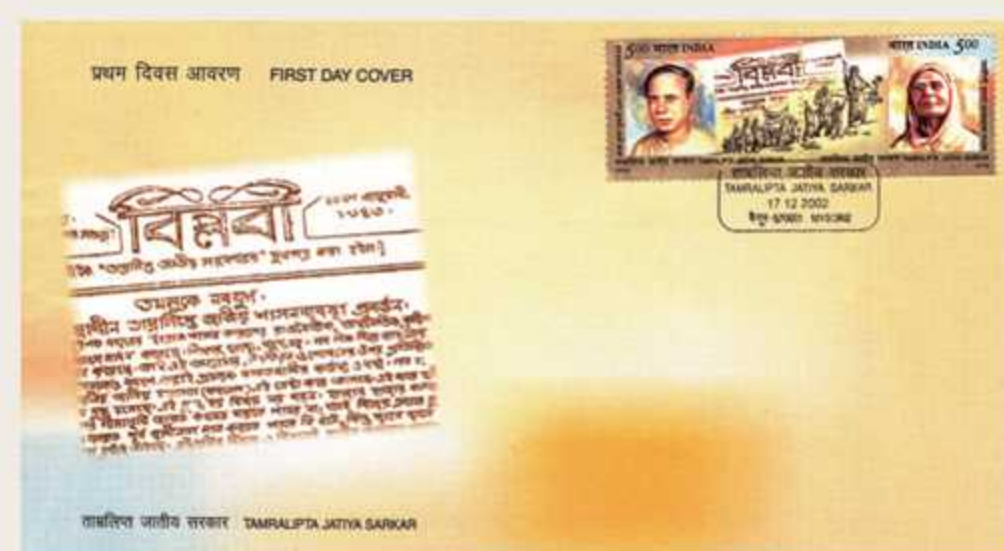
SNT 02_FDC_56

Handicrafts of India

Date : 15/11/2002 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Cane & Bamboo Artifacts (2) 'Thewa' Art (3) Patan's 'Patola' Fabrics (4) 'Dhokra' Casting **SNT Format :** Setenant of Block of four **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 12 blocks of four **Remarks :** Setenant of Block of four forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 02_Folder_56

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 02_FDC_57****60th Anniversary of National Government of Tamluk (Tamralipta Jatiya Sarkar)**

Date : 17/12/2002 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Ajoy Kumar Mukherjee, 'Biplabi' Newspaper of the Revolutionaries of Tamluk and Matangini Hazra **SNT Format :** Set of two **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** Setenant Pair forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 400**

SNT 02_Folder_57

Value : ₹ 300

**SNT 03_FDC_58****Medicinal Plants of India**

Date : 7/4/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Guggulu (2) Brahmi (3) Amla (4) Ashwagandha **SNT Format :** Setenant of Block of four **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 sets in four different settings, having thematic border and brief note on Medicinal Plant **Remarks :** Setenant horizontal, vertical strips or blocks of four of same or different stamps can be arranged. **Value : ₹ 2000**

SNT 03_Folder_58

Value : ₹ 1800

**SNT 03_FDC_59****Medicinal Plants of India**

Date : 7/4/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Guggulu (2) Brahmi (3) Amla (4) Ashwagandha **SNT Format :** Setenant of Vertical Strip of 4 put horizontally **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 sets in four different settings, having thematic border and brief note on Medicinal Plant **Remarks :** Setenant horizontal, vertical strips or blocks of four of same or different stamps can be arranged. **Value : ₹ 4000**

SNT 03_Folder_59

Value : ₹ 4000

**SNT 03_FDC_60****Medicinal Plants of India**

Date : 7/4/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Guggulu (2) Brahmi (3) Amla (4) Ashwagandha **SNT Format :** Setenant of Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 sets in four different settings, having thematic border and brief note on Medicinal Plant **Remarks :** Setenant horizontal, vertical strips or blocks of four of same or different stamps can be arranged. **Value : ₹ 4000**

SNT 03_Folder_60

Value : ₹ 4000

**SNT 03_FDC_61****Temple Architecture**

Date : 15/9/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Vishal Badri Temple (Garhwal Valley) (2) Mallikarjunaswamy Temple (Nallamali Hills, A.P.) (3) Tripureswari Temple (Udaipur, Tripura) (4) Jagannath Temple (Puri, Orissa) **SNT Format :** Set of four **Quantity :** 2.4 Mill each in sheetlets of 16 single stamps plus 0.6 Mill each in sheetlets of four sets. All sheetlets have same thematic border decoration **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 1800**

SNT 03_Folder_61

Value : ₹ 2500

**SNT 03_FDC_62****Jnanpith Award Winners (Malayalam)**

Date : 9/10/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) G.S. Kurup, Writing Desk & Chair (2) S.K. Pottekkatt, Vintage Steam Locomotive (3) T.S. Pillai, Water-wheel and Paddy Field of Kuttanad **SNT Format :** Horizontal strip of 3 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheetlets of 5 sets having border depicting various symbols pertaining to the subject personalities **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal strip of 3 **Value : ₹ 800**

SNT 03_Folder_62

Value : ₹ 1500



SNT 03_FDC_63

Greetings

Date : 30/10/2003 **Denomination :** 400x2, 500x2 **Description :** (1) Fish, Star Fish & Corals (2) Birds (3) Butterfly & Flowers (4) Squirrels **SNT Format :** Horizontal strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 10 sets **Remarks :** Setenant Horizontal strip of 4 **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 03_Folder_63

Value : ₹ 600



SNT 03_FDC_64

India-France Relationship : Joint Issue

Date : 29/11/2003 **Denomination :** 2200x2 **Description :** (1) Rooster Motif 15th cent. Painting (France) (2) Peacock Motif 19th cent. Minakari (India) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 16 **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 400**

SNT 03_Folder_64

Value : ₹ 300



SNT 03_FDC_65

30th Anniversary of Diplomatic Relations between India & Republic of Korea : Joint Issue - Ancient Observatories

Date : 10/12/2003 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Cheomseongdae Obs. (Gyeongju) 647 A. D. (Korea) (2) 'Jantar Mantar' (Jaipur) 1728 A. D. (India) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 8 pairs (Reversed settings in alternate rows) **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 03_Folder_65

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 03_FDC_66

Golden Jubilee of Sangeet Natak Akademi

Date : 22/12/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Music (2) Dance (3) Drama **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 3 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 30 **Remarks :** Setenant in different combinations can be made. **Value : ₹ 400**

SNT 03_Folder_66

Value : ₹ 750



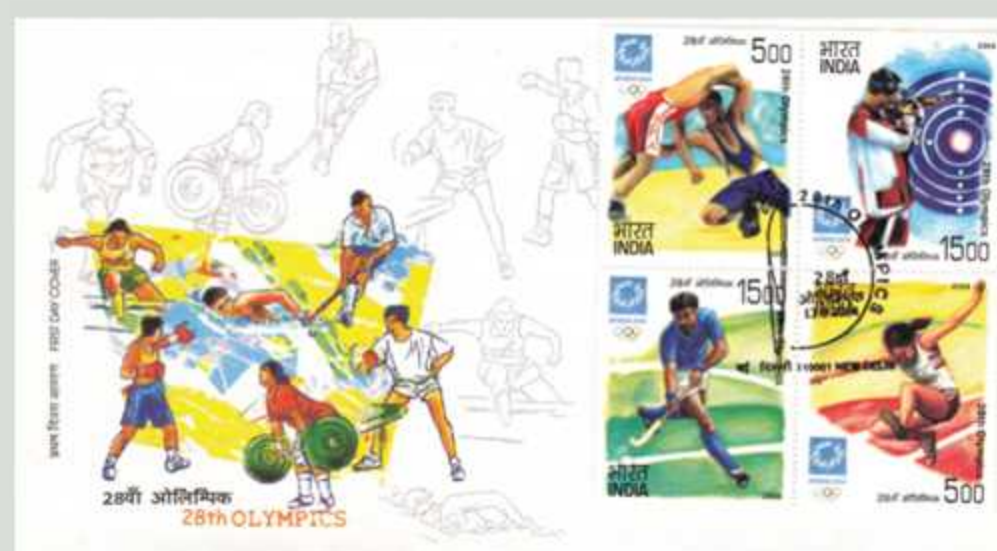
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Golden Jubilee of Sangeet Natak Akademi

Date : 22/12/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Music (2) Dance (3) Drama **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Strip of three **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 30 **Remarks :** Setenant in different combinations can be made. **Value : ₹ 400**

SNT 03_Folder_67

Value : ₹ 750



SNT 04_FDC_68

28th Olympic, Athens

Date : 13/8/2004 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Wrestling (2) Shooting (3) Hockey (4) Athletics **SNT Format :** Setenant of Block of four **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 4 sets of 4 **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 04_Folder_68

Value : ₹ 250



Date : 16/8/2004 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Kabir (2) Hafiz Shirazi **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 pairs having ornamental design **Remarks :** ...
Value : ₹ 200

Value : ₹ 200



Date : 4/10/2004 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Mail Steamer, Train, Dak Ghari & First Postage Stamp of India (2) First Airmail Flight, Mail Train, Runner & Early Post Mark (3) Calcutta G.P.O., First Post Independence Postage Stamp & Letter Box (2) Aspects of Modern Postal System **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 5 sets **Remarks :** Horizontal Setenant strip of 4 out of which 2 form a composite design. **Value :** ₹ 300

Value : ₹ 400



Date : 8/10/2004 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Neerja Bhanot & Ashoka Chakra (2) Randhir Prasad Verma & Ashoka Chakra **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of 14 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value :** ₹ 200

Value : ₹ 200



Date : 25/10/2004 **Denomination :** 400x2 **Description :** (1) Kites (2) Dolls **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 28 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value :** ₹ 150

Value: ₹ 100



Date : 28/11/2004 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Khas Mahal, Agra Fort (2) Mussaman Burj & Amar Singh Gate **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 5 pairs
Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 200

Value : ₹ 400



Date : 9/1/2005 **Denomination :** 500x3, 1500 **Description :** (1) Himalayan Sheet Dog (2) Rampur Hound (3) Mudhol Hound (4) Rajapalayam **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in 4 strips of 4 se-tenants in an ornamental sheetlet **Remarks :** ... **Value :** ₹ 200

Value : ₹ 300



SNT 05_FDC_75

Flora & Fauna of North East India

Date : 24/3/2005 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Neofelis Nebulosa (2) Dillenia Indica Linn (3) (Clouded Leopard) Budorcas Taxicolor (Mishni Takin) (4) (Hindia-'Chalta') Nepenthes Khasiana (Pitcher Plant) **SNT Format :** Setenant stamps of Block of 4 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheets of 12 sheets **Remarks :****Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 05_Folder_75

Value : ₹ 300



SNT 05_FDC_76

75th Anniversary of 'Dandi March' (Salt Movement)

Date : 5/4/2005 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Marchers led by Gandhi (2) Headlines in 'Bombay Chronicle' (3) Course traversed during the march on 05/04/1930 (4) Writing of Gandhi **SNT Format :** Setenant stamps of Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 9 sets **Remarks :** ...**Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 05_Folder_76

Value : ₹ 400



SNT 05_FDC_77

150 Years of Indian Post : Letter Boxes

Date : 18/10/2005 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Victorian Letter Box (2) Penfold Letter Box (3) Cylindrical Letter Box (4) TV type Letter Box **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 5 sets **Remarks :** ...**Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 05_Folder_77

Value : ₹ 400



SNT 06_FDC_78

9th President Fleet Review, Visakhapatnam - Type-1

Date : 12/2/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Aircraft Carrier 'INS Viraat's Fighter Plane 'Sea Harrier' (2) Frigates 'Talwar' 'Brahmaputra' and anti-submarine seeking Helicopter (3) 'Sandhyak' Survey vessel and Patrol vessel 'Vigraha' (4) Submarines 'Sindhughosh' and 'Shishumar' **SNT Format :** Setenant stamps of Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 4 sets **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 with normal size **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 06_Folder_78

Value : ₹ 250



SNT 06_FDC_79

9th President Fleet Review, Visakhapatnam - Type-2

Date : 12/2/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Aircraft Carrier 'INS Viraat's Fighter Plane 'Sea Harrier' (2) Frigates 'Talwar' 'Brahmaputra' and anti-submarine seeking Helicopter (3) 'Sandhyak' Survey vessel and Patrol vessel 'Vigraha' (4) Submarines 'Sindhughosh' and 'Shishumar' **SNT Format :** Setenant stamps of Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 4 sets **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 with larger size **Value : ₹ 600**

SNT 06_Folder_79

Value : ₹ 500



SNT 06_FDC_80

9th President Fleet Review, Visakhapatnam - Type-3

Date : 12/2/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Aircraft Carrier 'INS Viraat's Fighter Plane 'Sea Harrier' (2) Frigates 'Talwar' 'Brahmaputra' and anti-submarine seeking Helicopter (3) 'Sandhyak' Survey vessel and Patrol vessel 'Vigraha' (4) Submarines 'Sindhughosh' and 'Shishumar' **SNT Format :** Setenant stamps of Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 4 sets **Remarks :** Setenant Block of 4 with larger size **Value : ₹ 600**

SNT 06_Folder_80

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 06_FDC_81****India-Cyprus : Joint Issue - Folk Dances**

Date : 12/4/2006 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Folk Dance 'Nati' (Himachal Pradesh) (2) Folk Dance 'Kouta' (Cyprus) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 9 pairs with thematic border **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 06_Folder_81

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 06_FDC_82****India-Mongolia : Joint Issue (Arts & Crafts)**

Date : 11/9/2006 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bronze Statue of Rao Dev (Bastar, M.P.) (2) Bronze Statue (Murun, Mongolia) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 9 pairs with thematic border **Remarks :** MS with above two se-tenant stamp with ornamental border **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 06_Folder_82

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 06_FDC_83****Endangered Birds of India**

Date : 5/10/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Manipur Bush - Quail (2) Lesser Florican (3) Greater Adjutant Stork (4) Nilgiri Laughing Thrush **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 sets with thematic border **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 06_Folder_83

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 06_FDC_84****Himalayan Lakes**

Date : 6/11/2006 **Denomination :** 500x5 **Description :** (1) Chandratat (Himachal Pradesh) (2) Roop Kund (Trisul Massif) (3) Tsangu (Sikkim) (4) Sela (Arunachal Pradesh) (5) Tsomo Riri (Jammu & Kashmir) **SNT Format :** Setenant stamps of Block of 5 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 4 sets of 5 stamps with thematic border **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 06_Folder_84

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 06_FDC_85****National Children's Day**

Date : 14/11/2006 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Theme : My favorite mythological hero (1) Krishna & (2) Karna **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 21 sets **Remarks :** Web-offset Setenant Pair **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 06_Folder_85

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 06_FDC_86****150 Years of Field Post Office (FPO)**

Date : 8/12/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Abroad, Desert, Mountain & Forest **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 5 strips of 4 stamps each **Remarks :** Web-offset Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 06_Folder_86

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 06_FDC_87

Stop Child Labour

Date : 26/12/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Child Labour engaged in various works (1) Street Circus (2) Field (3) Tea Stall (4) Field **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** Mill each in sheets of blocks of 4x6 sets **Remarks :** Web-offset **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 06_Folder_87

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 07_FDC_88

Fragrance of Roses

Date : 7/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bhim (2) Delhi Princess (3) Jawahar (4) Neelam **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four **Quantity :** Ptg: ISP, 0.8 Mill each MS. 0.4 Mill. (a) Sheets of 35 individual Stamps (b) Sheets of 4 blocks of 4 (c) Sheetlets of 4 horizontal strips with thematic border (d) Sheets of 5 Horizontal Strips (e) Sheets of 4 Horizontal Strips **Remarks :** Scented horizontal Se-tenant strip of four, Se-tenant block of four and individual stamps are issued having Rose Perfume. **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 07_Folder_88

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 07_FDC_89a

Fragrance of Roses

Date : 7/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bhim (2) Delhi Princess (3) Jawahar (4) Neelam **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 with white margins on 3 sides **Quantity :** Ptg: ISP, 0.8 Mill each MS. 0.4 Mill. (a) Sheets of 35 individual Stamps (b) Sheets of 4 blocks of 4 (c) Sheetlets of 4 horizontal strips with thematic border (d) Sheets of 5 Horizontal Strips (e) Sheets of 4 Horizontal Strips **Remarks :** Scented horizontal Se-tenant strip of four, Se-tenant block of four and individual stamps are issued having Rose Perfume. **Value : ₹ 600**

SNT 07_Folder_88

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 07_FDC_89b

Fragrance of Roses

Date : 7/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bhim (2) Delhi Princess (3) Jawahar (4) Neelam **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 from Sheetlet with legend and Roses **Quantity :** Ptg: ISP, 0.8 Mill each MS. 0.4 Mill. (a) Sheets of 35 individual Stamps (b) Sheets of 4 blocks of 4 (c) Sheetlets of 4 horizontal strips with thematic border (d) Sheets of 5 Horizontal Strips (e) Sheets of 4 Horizontal Strips **Remarks :** Scented horizontal Se-tenant strip of four, Se-tenant block of four and individual stamps are issued having Rose Perfume. **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 07_Folder_88

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 07_FDC_90

International Women's Day

Date : 8/3/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** Women's Day **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 5 sets **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 07_Folder_90

Value : ₹ 300



SNT 07_FDC_91

National Parks of India

Date : 3/5/2007 **Denomination :** 500x5 **Description :** (1) Bandipur National Park (Karnataka) (2) Madhumalai National Park (Tamilnadu) (3) Bandhavgarh National Park (Madhya Pradesh) (4) Periyar National Park & Tiger Reserve (Kerala) (5) Kaziranga National Park (Assam) **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Strip of 5 **Quantity :** 0.6 Mill each in sheets of Strips of 5 vertical **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 07_Folder_91

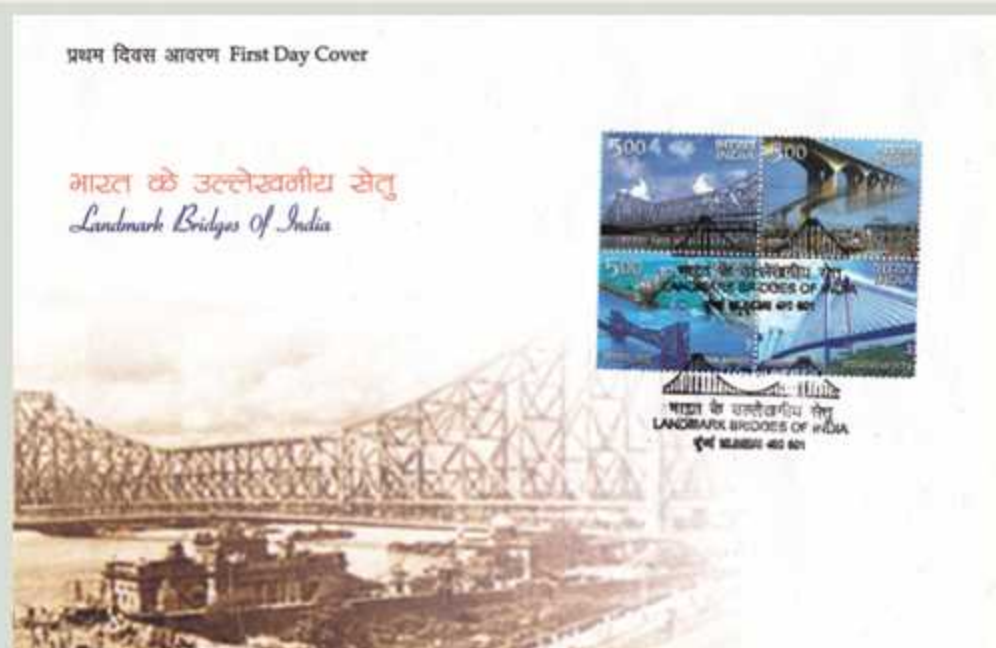
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**SNT 07_FDC_92****150 Years of First War of Independence**

Date : 9/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500, 1500 **Description :** (1) Battle at Kanpur (2) Battle of Lucknow **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical pair of 2 from Sheetlet **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill issued in sheetlets with 2 different individual denominations and one sheetlet with 8 vertical se-tenant pairs with illustrated War of Independence in the borders **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 07_Folder_92

Value : ₹ 150

**SNT 07_FDC_93****Landmark Bridges of India**

Date : 17/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Pamban Bridge (2) Vidyasagar Setu Bridge (3) Howrah Bridge (4) Mahatma Gandhi Setu Bridge **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of 4 **Quantity :** Stamps 0.8 Mill in sheets of 4 M.S. 0.4 Mill issued in 4 single sheets of 35 each, sheetlets of 4 Blocks of Se-tenant blocks and sheetlets of 4 vertical strips of 4. **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 07_Folder_93

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 07_FDC_94****Landmark Bridges of India**

Date : 17/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Pamban Bridge (2) Vidyasagar Setu Bridge (3) Howrah Bridge (4) Mahatma Gandhi Setu Bridge **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Strip of 4 **Quantity :** Stamps 0.8 Mill in sheets of 4 M.S. 0.4 Mill issued in 4 single sheets of 35 each, sheetlets of 4 Blocks of Se-tenant blocks and sheetlets of 4 vertical strips of 4. **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 07_Folder_94

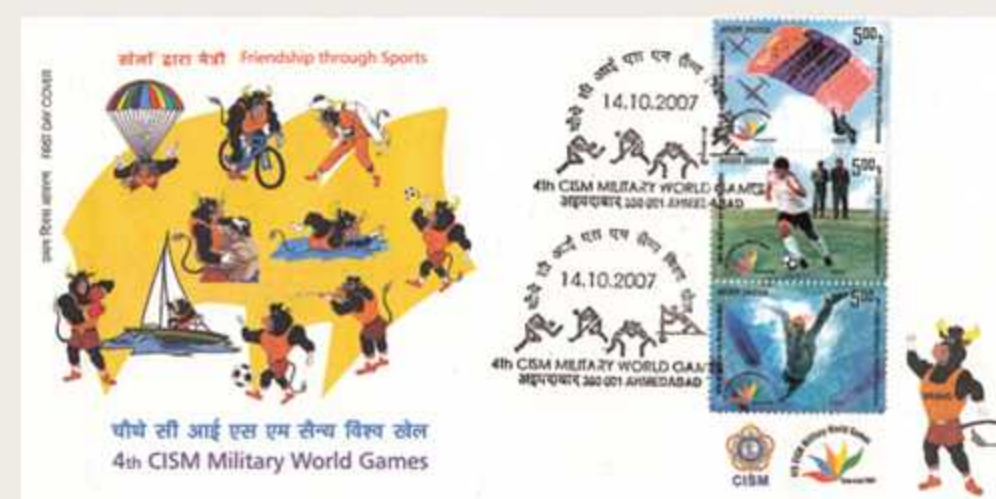
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**SNT 07_FDC_95****Centenary of 'Satyagraha'**

Date : 2/10/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Gradual evolution of 'Satyagraha' movement led by Mahatma Gandhi **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill in sheets with 7 Horizontal Strips of 4 each. M. S. 0.2 Mill. with 4 singles on the map of South Africa showing the working places of Mahatma Gandhi **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 07_Folder_95

Value : ₹ 200

**SNT 07_FDC_96****4th CISM (International Military Sports Council) Military World Games, Hyderabad & Mumbai**

Date : 14/10/2007 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Parachutist (2) Football (3) Diving **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Strip of 3 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 5 panes. Miniature sheet with one pane of 3 stamps **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 07_Folder_96

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 07_FDC_97****Renewable Energy**

Date : 22/11/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Solar Energy (2) Biomass Energy (3) Wind Energy (4) Small Hydro Power **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of four with 1 Vertical & 1 Horizontal pair **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of 3 blocks plus 3 horizontal stamps each, and sheetlets of 18 individual stamps. M. S. 0.2 Mill. **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 07_Folder_97

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 07_FDC_98

Greetings

Date : 15/12/2007 **Denomination :** 500x5 **Description :** (1) Rising Sun and Tree (2) Fish and Water Lily (3) Bird in Flight (4) Girl, Houses & Birds (5) Stars & Flowers **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 5 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 5 sets with different labels attached to each stamp. 2 Mill in sheetlets of 15 with separate label tabs attached to stamp **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 250**

SNT 07_Folder_98

Value : ₹ 400



SNT 08_FDC_99

Endemic Butterflies of Andaman and Nicobar Islands

Date : 2/1/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Papilio Mayo Male (2) Andaman Mormon Female (3) Andaman Club Tail Male (4) Pachliopta Rhodifer Female **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of 4 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 6 blocks, in sheetlets of 24 individual stamps with outline diagrams of each butterfly in the border **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 08_Folder_99

Value : ₹ 200



SNT 08_FDC_100

30th Anniversary of the Aga Khan Foundation

Date : 17/5/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Tomb of Humayun (2) Facets of Social Commitment **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 20 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_100

Value : ₹ 150



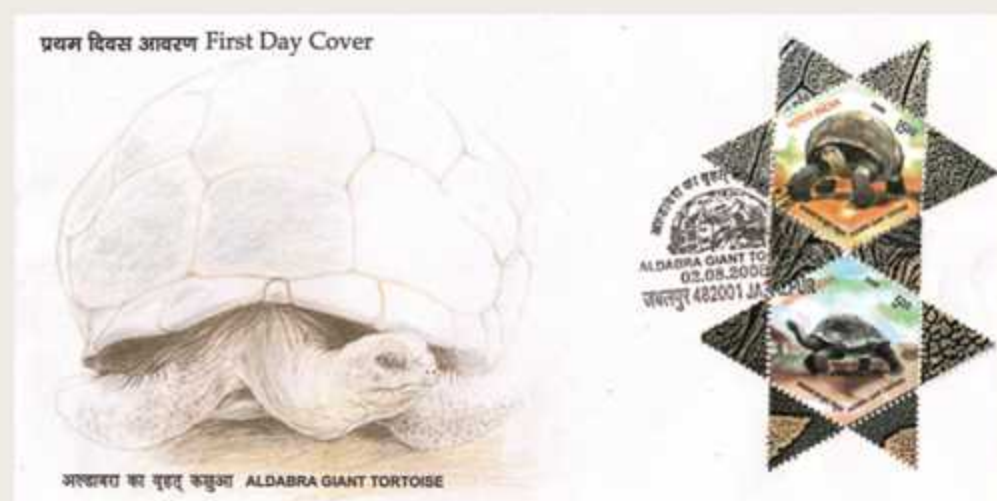
SNT 08_FDC_101

India-China Relationship: Joint Issue - Buddhist Temples

Date : 11/7/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Maha Bodhi Temple, Bodhi Gaya, India (2) White Horse Temple, Luoyang City, China **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps forming a composite design with the background **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_101

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 08_FDC_102

Adwaitya Aldabra Giant Tortoise of Alipore Zoo, Kolkata.

Date : 2/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** Aldabra Giant Tortoise **SNT Format :** Setenant Set of 2 **Quantity :** 3 Mill each in sheetlets of 13 (500-5, 1500-8) or (500-8, 1500-5) **Remarks :** Stamps with Hexagonal Design **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 08_Folder_102

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 08_FDC_103

XXIX Olympic Games, Beijing, China

Date : 8/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500x2, 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Olympic Torch (2) Shooting (3) Boxing (4) Archery **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of 4 in Diamond shape **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 8 blocks **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps forming a composite design with background **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_103

Value : ₹ 150

**SNT 08_FDC_104****30th Anniversary of Indian Coast Guard**

Date : 12/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Dornier Fixed Wing Aircraft (2) Advanced Light Helicopter (3) Hovercraft (4) Patrol Vessel **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheetlets of four blocks **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with border depicting details of above four vehicles in land and sea **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_104

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 08_FDC_105****Third Commonwealth Youth Games, Belewadi, Pune**

Date : 12/10/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Mascot Jigrr (2) Wrestling (3) Badminton (4) Hurdle Race **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in strips of 6 **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with thematic background **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_105

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 08_FDC_106****Merry Christmas**

Date : 8/12/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Mary & Jesus Star and Sheep **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 20 sets **Remarks :** Horizontal Setenant set of 2 with stamp of 2000 at left and 500 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_106

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 08_FDC_107****Centenary of the Indian Institute of Science**

Date : 14/12/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Indian Institute of Science Bangalore **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 1.5 Mill each in sheets of 12 sets **Remarks :** MS with above two se-tenant stamps forming a composite design with the border **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 08_Folder_107

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 09_FDC_108****Heritage Monuments Preservation by INTACH**

Date : 28/1/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Fort (Jaisalmer) (2) Monastery (Mongya, Leh) (3) St. Anny's Church (4) 'Qila Mubarak' Fort (Patiala) **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 9 sets **Remarks :** MS with above four se-tenant stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 150**

SNT 09_Folder_108

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 09_FDC_109****Spices of India**

Date : 29/4/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Black Pepper (2) Cinnamon (3) Turmeric, Coriander, Chilly (4) Cardamom (5) Clove **SNT Format :** Setenant Cross of five **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 6 sets **Remarks :** MS with above five se-tenant stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 09_Folder_109

Value : ₹ 150



SNT 09_FDC_110

Jayadeva (Poet) and Geetagovinda (Sanskrit verse)

Date : 27/7/2009 **Denomination :** 500x11 **Description :** Jayadeva (Poet) and Geetagovinda (Sanskrit verse) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Strip of 11 **Quantity :** 1 Mill each in sheets of 6 sets **Remarks :** FDC has Setenant Horizontal Strip of 11 which is affixed and folded **Value : ₹ 500**

SNT 09_Folder_110

Value : ₹ 500



SNT 09_FDC_111

Dilwara & Ranakpur Heritage Jain Temple

Date : 14/10/2009 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Dilwara Temple, Ranakpur Temple **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 20 sets **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 09_Folder_111

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 09_FDC_112

Little Sisters of the Poor

Date : 29/10/2009 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Jeanne Jugan Little Sisters of the Poor **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.5 Mill each in sheets of 40 se-tenant **Remarks :** Horizontal Setenant set of 2 with stamp of 2000 at left and 500 at right forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 09_Folder_112

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 09_FDC_113

India-Philippines : Joint Issue - Butanding and Gangetic Dolphin

Date : 16/11/2009 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Gangetic Dolphin (2) Butanding **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 09_Folder_113

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 09_FDC_114

Greetings

Date : 1/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Greetings **SNT Format :** Setenant Block of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 40 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 09_Folder_114

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 09_FDC_115

Traditional Indian Textiles

Date : 10/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kalamkari (2) Apa Tani Weaves (3) Kanchipuram (4) Banaras Silk **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.8 Mill each in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** Stamps issued single as well as in sheetlets with 4 horizontal strip of 4 **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 09_Folder_115

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 09_FDC_116****Preserve the Polar Regions and Glaciers**

Date : 19/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Penguin & Polar Bear on ice floes **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 20 pairs **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 09_Folder_116

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 10_FDC_117 & 118****Postal Heritage Buildings**

Date : 13/5/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Lucknow G.P.O. (2) Shimla G.P.O. (3) Udagamandalam H.P.O. (4) Cooch Behar H.P.O. **SNT Format :** 2 Vertical Strips of 2 Pairs of Setenant Stamps **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 24 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 10_Folder_117 (For 117 to 122)

Value : ₹ 300

**SNT 10_FDC_119 & 120****Postal Heritage Buildings**

Date : 13/5/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Udagamandalam H.P.O. (2) Nagpur G.P.O. (3) Delhi G.P.O. (4) Shimla G.P.O. **SNT Format :** 2 Vertical Strips of 2 Pairs of Setenant Stamps **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 24 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 300**

SNT 10_Folder_117 (For 117 to 122)

Value : ₹ 300

**SNT 10_FDC_121, 122 & 123****Postal Heritage Buildings**

Date : 13/5/2010 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Udagamandalam H.P.O. (2) Shimla G.P.O. (3) Delhi G.P.O. (4) Cooch Behar H.P.O. (5) Lucknow G.P.O. (6) Nagpur G.P.O. **SNT Format :** 3 Horizontal Strips of 2 Pairs of Setenant Stamps **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 24 **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 500**

SNT 10_Folder_117 (For 117 to 122)

Value : ₹ 500

**SNT 10_FDC_124****National Council of Education & Dr. Triguna Sen**

Date : 24/12/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) National Council of Education (2) Dr. Triguna Sen **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill each in sheets of 35 **Remarks :** 2 Setenant stamps forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 10_Folder_124

Value : ₹ 100

**SNT 12_FDC_125****Shekhawati (Rajasthan) & Warli (Maharashtra) Paintings**

Date : 20/6/2012 **Denomination :** 500, 2000 **Description :** (1) Warli Painting (2) Shekhawati Painting **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Pair of 2 **Quantity :** 0.3 Mill in sheets of 32, sheetlet 0.1 Mill with 8 pairs in se-tenants and with ornamental border **Remarks :** ... **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 12_Folder_125

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 12_FDC_126

London 2012 Olympic

Date : 25/7/2012 **Denomination :** 2000x2, 5000x2 **Description :** (1) Volleyball (2) Rowing (3) Sailing (4) Badminton **SNT Format :** Horizontal Setenant Strip of 4 **Quantity :** 0.4 Mill each in sheets of 20 **Remarks :** MS consisting of four stamps Volleyball, Sailing, Rowing & Badminton. Stamps set in a se-tenant block of four surrounded by different events and Olympic Logo **Value : ₹ 200**

SNT 12_Folder_126

Value : ₹ 300



SNT 12_FDC_127

India Israel : Joint Issue - Festivals of Lights

Date : 5/11/2012 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) **SNT Format :** Setenant Horizontal Pairs of 2 **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 12_Folder_127

Value : ₹ 100



SNT 12_FDC_128

India Israel : Joint Issue - Festivals of Lights

Date : 5/11/2012 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) **SNT Format :** Setenant Vertical Pairs of 2 **Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** **Value : ₹ 100**

SNT 12_Folder_128

Value : ₹ 100

Glimpses of First Day Covers with Se-tenant Stamps of India Possible from Miniature Sheets



SNT 96_FDC(MS 7)_2
10/5/1996
Himalayan Ecology
Block from MS



SNT 02_FDC(MS 14)_5
30/10/2002
Mangroves
Horizontal Strip from MS



SNT 03_FDC(MS 17)_7
7/4/2003
Medicinal Plants of India (Format changed)
Horizontal strip in Zigzag format from MS



SNT 03_FDC(MS 22)_11
12/11/2003
Nature India - Snakes
"S" type format from MS



SNT 04_FDC(MS 26)_12
28/6/2004
The Great Trigonometrical Survey
Horizontal Strip from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 42)_14
27/2/2007
Fairs of India
Block from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 44)_15a
2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha
2/5/2007
Two Pairs from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 44)_15b
2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha
2/5/2007
Combination from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 44)_15c
2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha
2/5/2007
Lying "L" shape from MS



MSNT 07_FDC(MS 44)_15d
2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha
2/5/2007
Block from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 44)_15e
2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha
2/5/2007
Block from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 45)_16
9/8/2007
150 Years of First War of Independence (Format changed)
Up-Down Pair from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 49)_17
8/10/2007
Platinum Jubilee of Indian Air Force
Block from MS



SNT 07_FDC(MS 50)_18
14/11/2007
Children's Day
Vertical Pair from MS



SNT 08_FDC(MS 55)_20
17/5/2008
30th Anniversary of the Aga Khan Foundation
Up-Down Pair from MS



SNT 08_FDC(MS 59)_21
7/10/2008
Festivals of India
"T" type format from MS



SNT 08_FDC(MS 63)_22
14/11/2008
National Children's Day
Horizontal Strip from MS



SNT 08_FDC(MS 65)_23
27/11/2008
60th Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel
National Police Academy, Hyderabad
Horizontal Pair from MS



SNT 09_FDC(MS 69)_25
29/4/2009
Spices of India (Format changed)
Cross type format from MS



SNT 09_FDC(MS 72)_26
16/8/2009
Heritage Railway Stations of India
Horizontal Strip from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 80)_28
14/4/2010
Astrological Signs
Suare running border from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 86)_28
1/8/2010
Commonwealth Games (2nd Series) (Format changed)
"S" type format of Pair from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 87)_29
3/10/2010
XIX Commonwealth Games, Delhi - 4 Games
Horizontal strip from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 88)_30
6/10/2010
Indian Princely States Postage Stamps
Horizontal strip from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 89)_32
14/11/2010
Children's Day
"T" type format from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 90)_33
15/12/2010
India-Mexico Joint Issue
Horizontal Pair from MS



SNT 10_FDC(MS 91)_34
21/12/2010
Crafts Museum, Pragati Maidan
Horizontal Pair from MS



SNT 11_FDC(MS 94)_35
12/2/2011
Indipex 2011 - 100 Years of Airmail
commemorating & Allahabad-Naini Flight
Vertical Pair from MS



SNT 11_FDC(MS 95)_36
13/2/2011
Legendary Heroines of India
Block from MS



SNT 11_FDC(MS 96)_37
7/5/2011
Rabindra Nath Tagore 150 Years of Birth Anniversary
Horizontal Pair from MS



SNT 11_FDC(MS 97)_38
25/5/2011
2nd Africa-India Forum Summit
Horizontal Pair from MS



SNT 11_FDC(MS 98)_39
5/8/2011
Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi
Block of four with 3 vertical & 1 horizontal format from MS



SNT 12_FDC(MS103)_44
25/7/2012
London Olympic Games
Block from MS



SNT 12_FDC(MS105)_45
16/10/2012
Endemic Species of Indian Biodiversity Hotspots
Two Pairs from MS

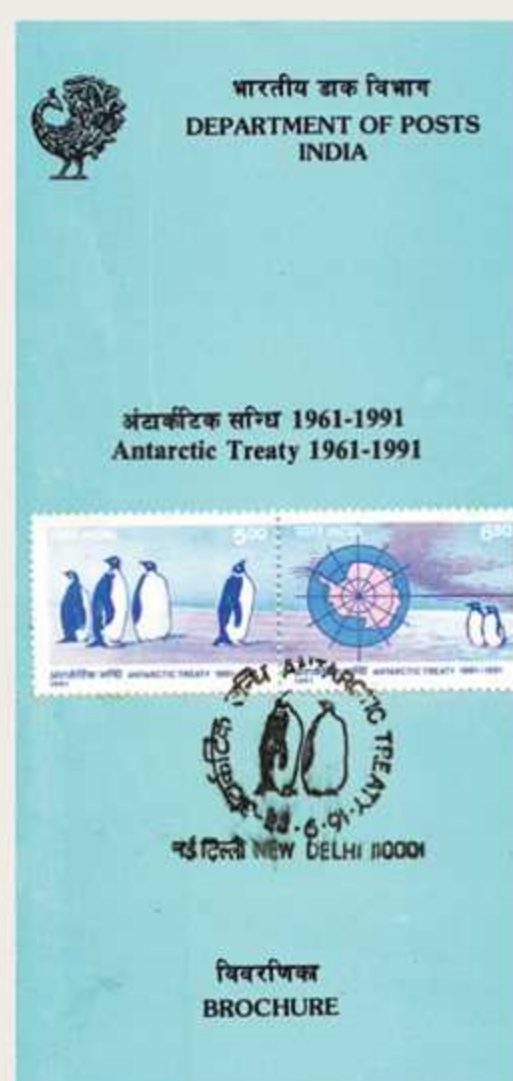


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23/12/2012
Lighthouses of India
Two Pairs from MS

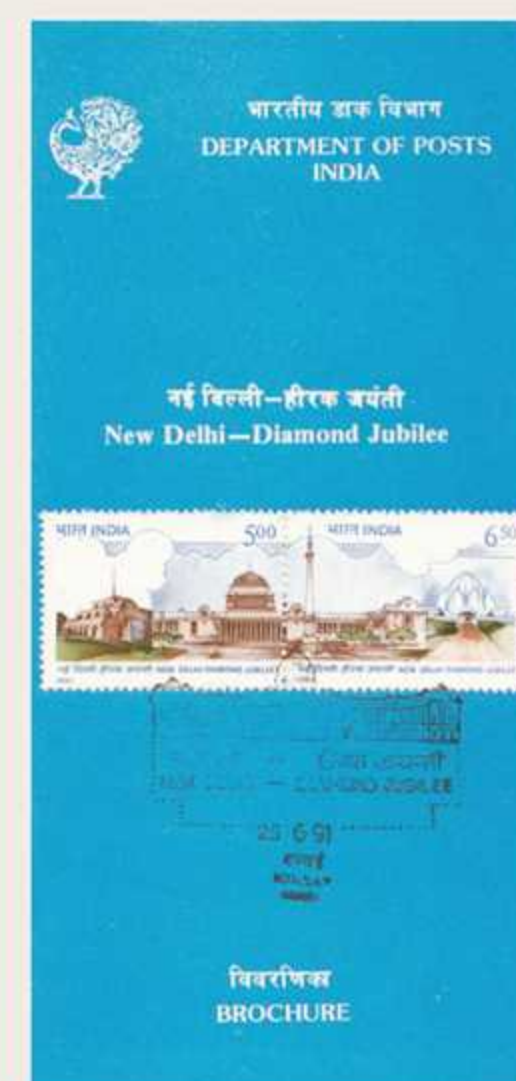
Glimpses of Folders with Se-tenant Stamps of India



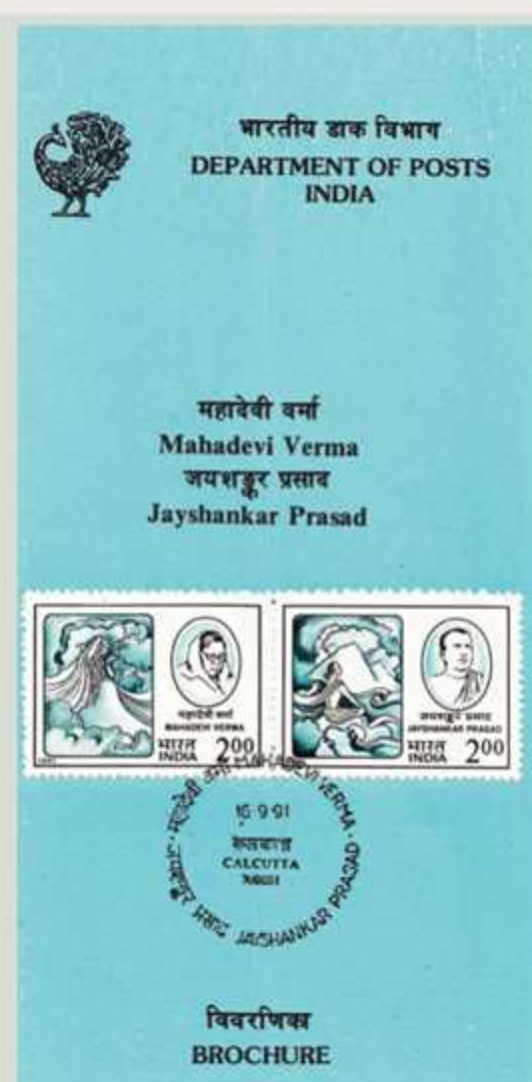
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16/8/1990
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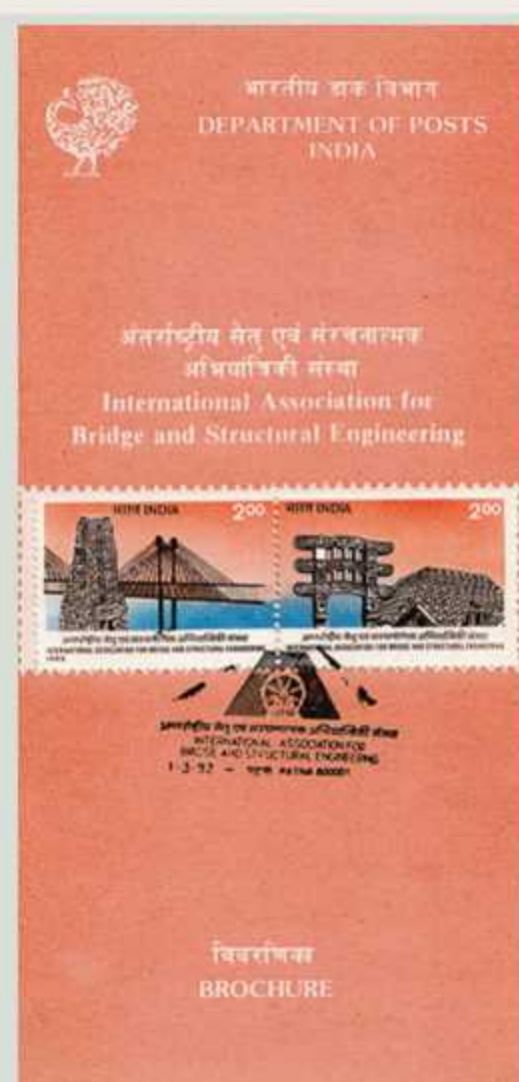
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30th Anniversary of Antarctic Treaty
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25/6/1991
Diamond Jubilee of New Delhi
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SNT 91_Folder_14
16/9/1991
Exponents of Modern Hindi
₹ 2000



SNT 92_Folder_16
1/3/1992
14th Congress of Bridge & Structural Engineering, New Delhi
₹ 1800



SNT 92_Folder_17
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Satyajit Ray (Film Director & Writer)
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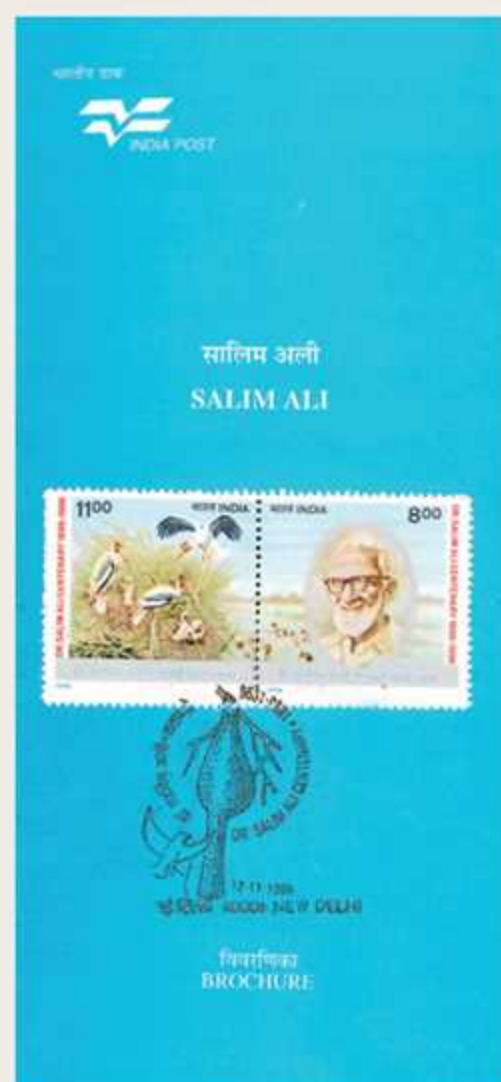
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20/12/1994
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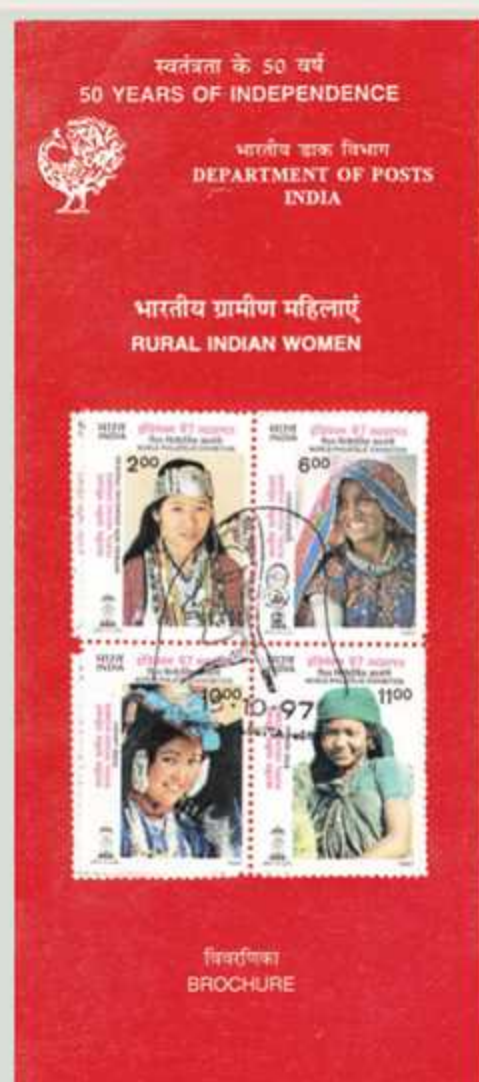
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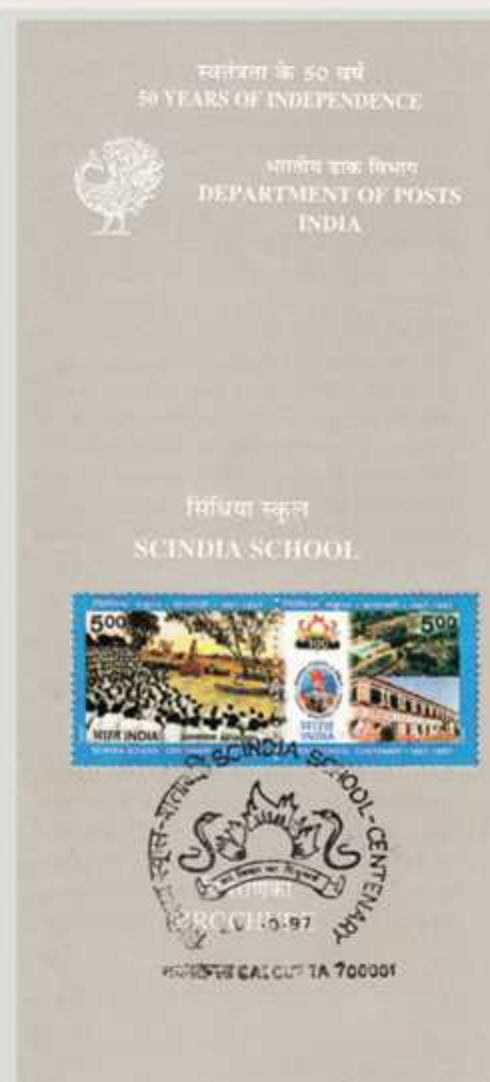
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27/3/1997
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'INDEPEX-97'- New Delhi (4th Issue) Rural Indian Women
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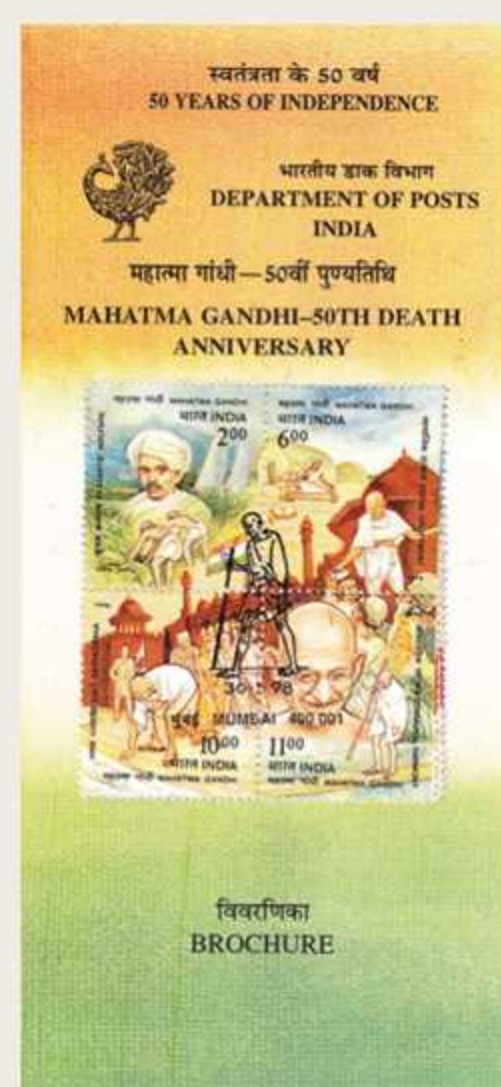
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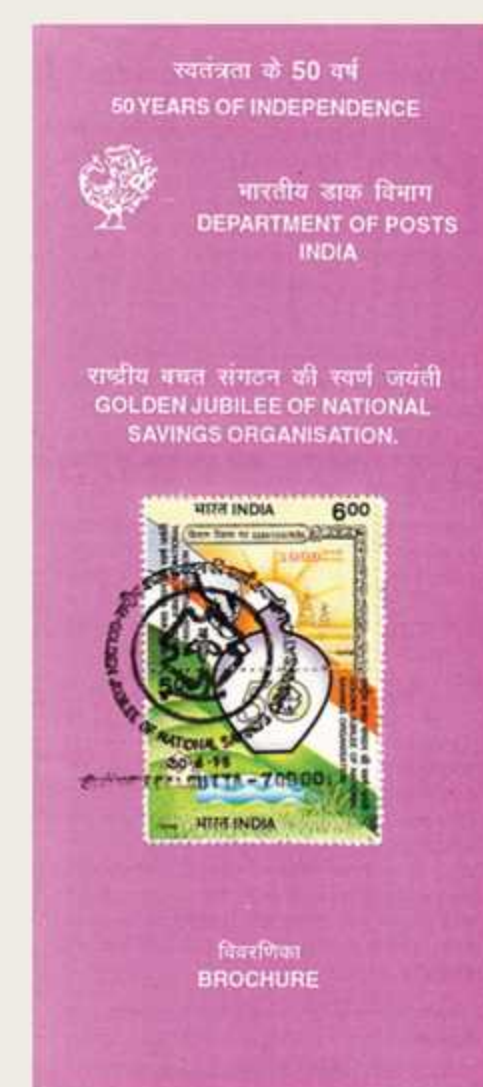
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28/10/1997
Indian Medicinal Plants
₹ 250



SNT 97_Folder_31
15/12/1997
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₹ 250



SNT 98_Folder_32
30/1/1998
50th Death Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi
₹ 500



SNT 98_Folder_34
30/6/1998
Golden Jubilee of National Savings Organisation
₹ 500



SNT 00_Folder_37
28/1/2000
Gallantry Award Winners
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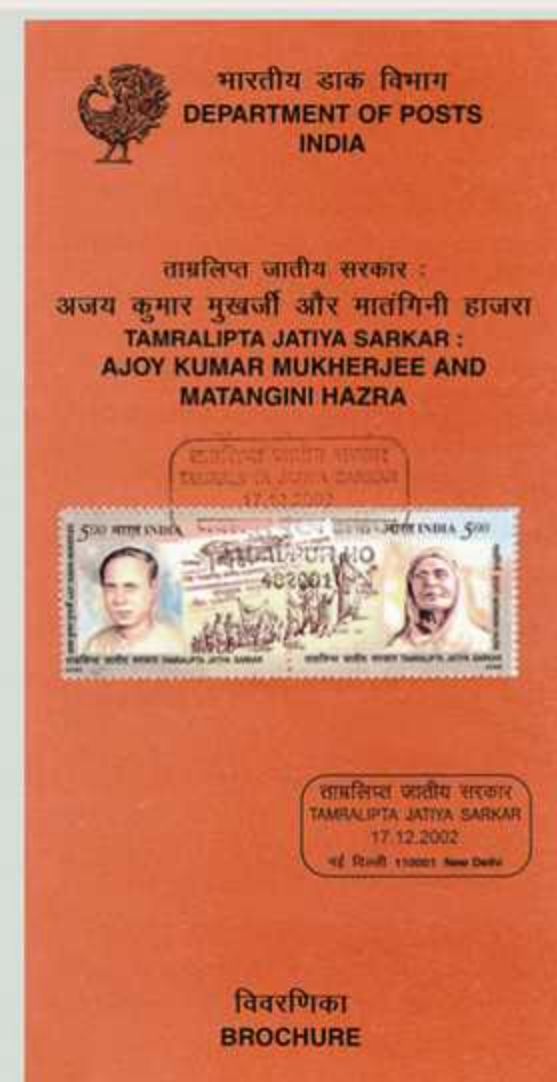
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Stories from Panchatantra
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15/11/2002
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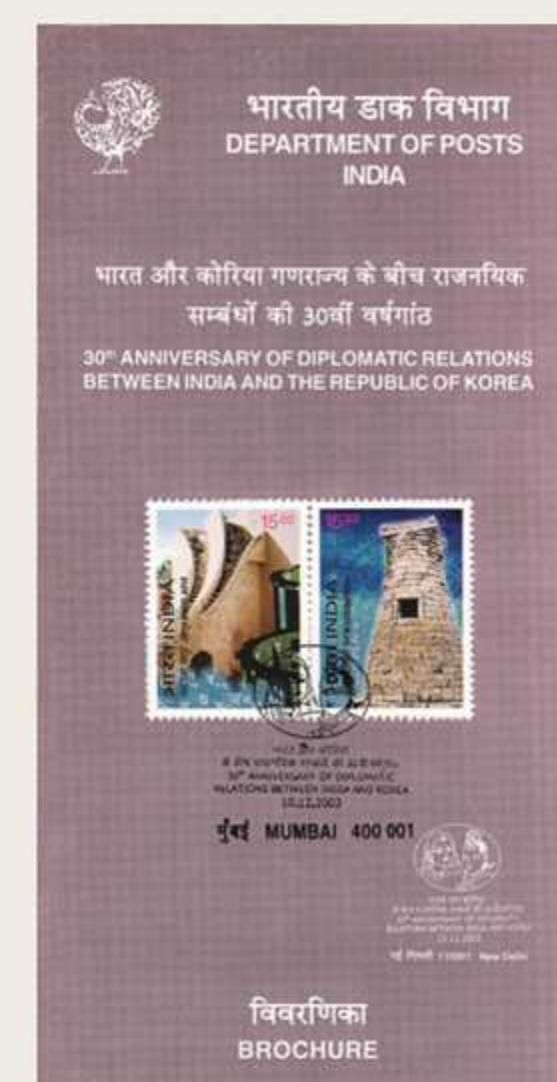
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Tamralipta Jatiya Sarkar
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Medicinal Plants of India
₹ 1800



SNT 03_Folder_64
29/11/2003
India-France : Joint Issue
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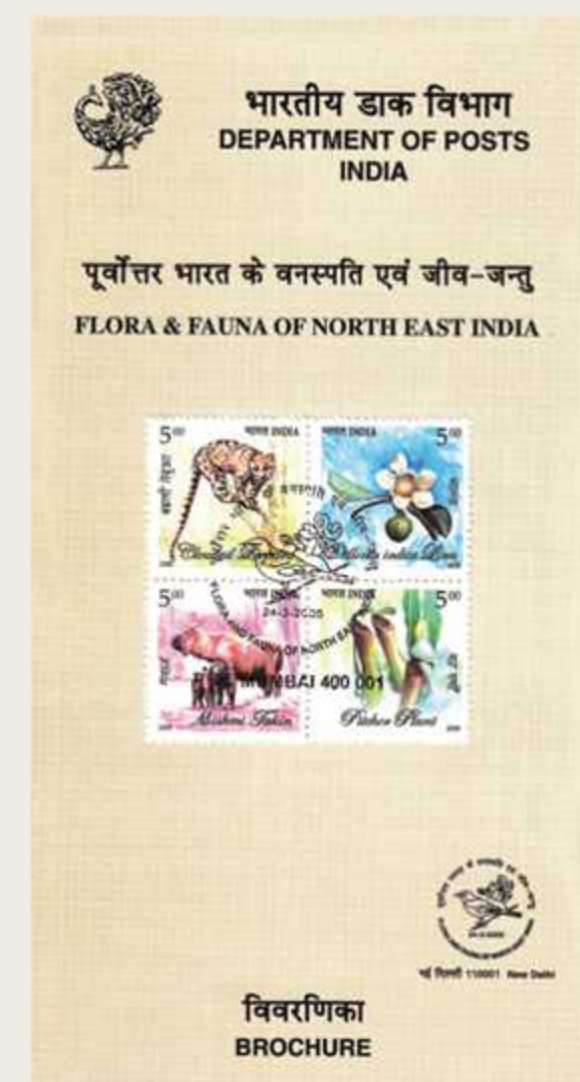
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India & Korea : Joint Issue - (Ancient Observatories)
₹ 200



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16/8/2004
India-Iran Joint Issue : Philosopher-Poets
₹ 200



SNT 04_Folder_71
8/10/2004
Ashoka Chakra Winners
₹ 200



SNT 05_Folder_75
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Flora & Fauna of North East India
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75th Anniversary of 'Dandi March' (Salt Movement)
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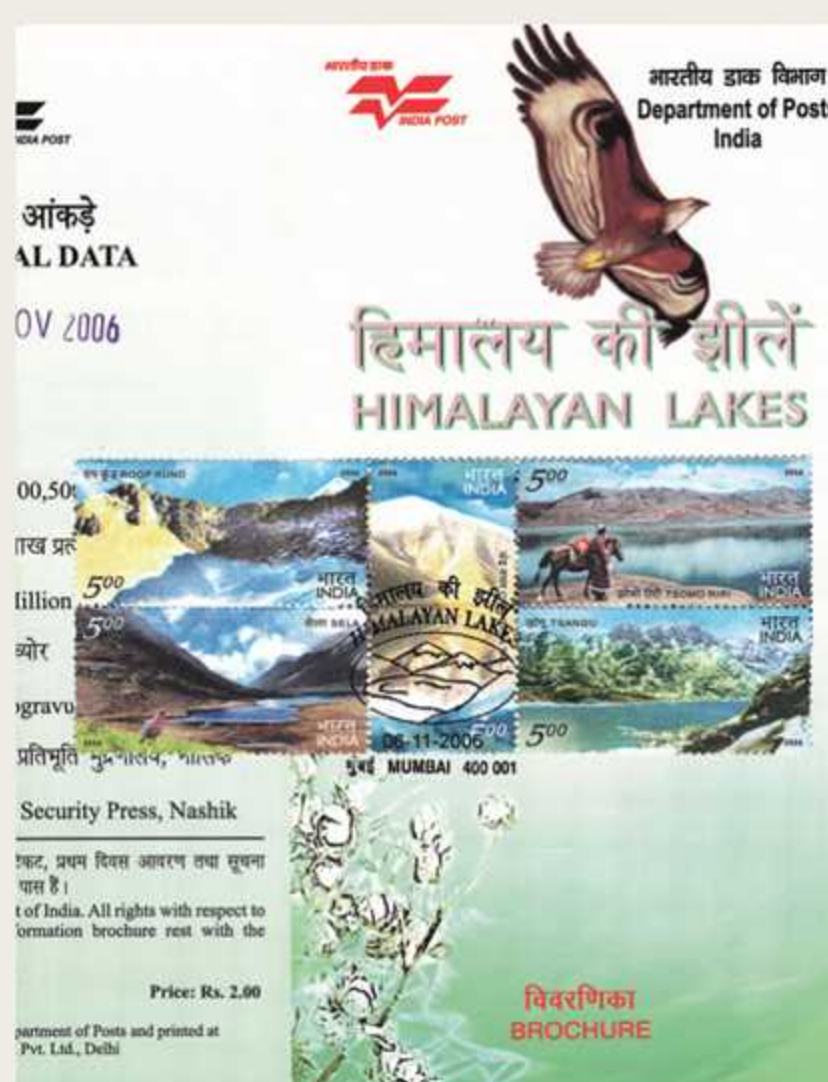
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12/4/2006
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India-Mongolia : Joint Issue (Arts & Crafts)
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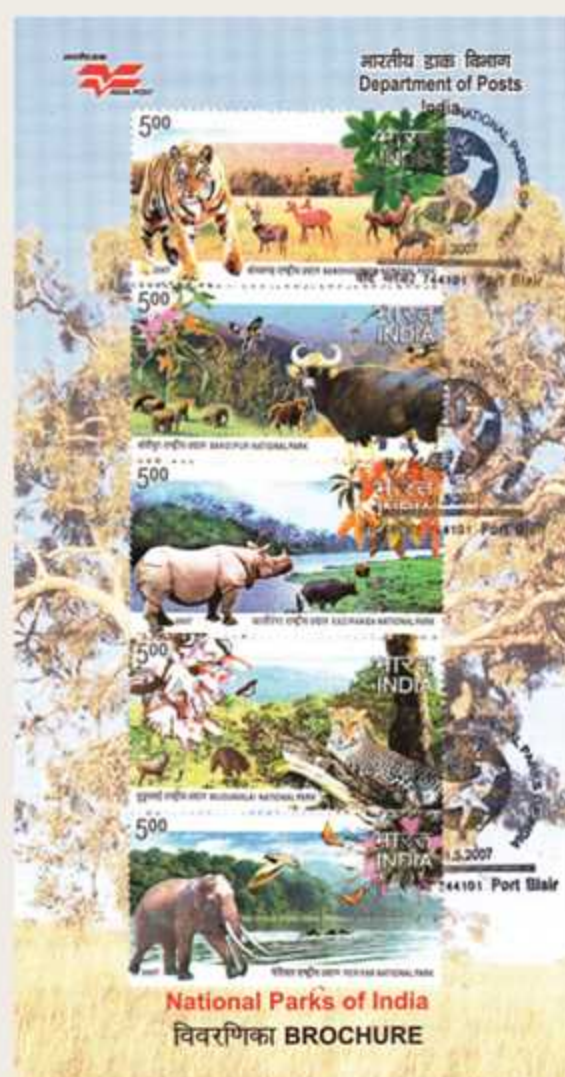
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26/12/2006
Stop Child Labour
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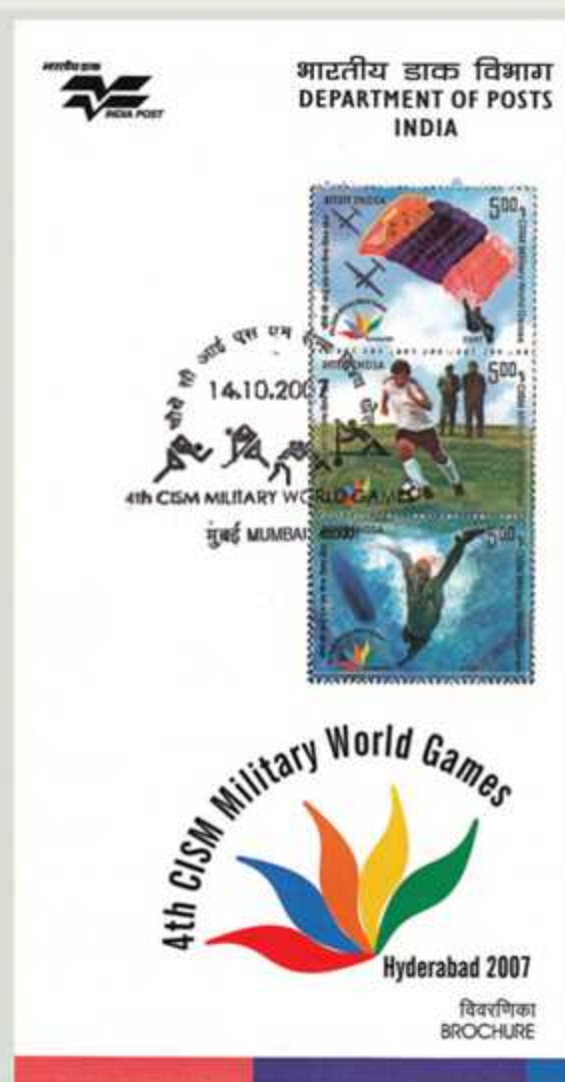
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National Parks of India
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SNT 07_Folder_92
9/8/2007
150 Years of First War of Independence
₹ 150



SNT 07_Folder_94
17/8/2007
Landmark Bridges of India
₹ 200



SNT 07_Folder_96
14/10/2007
4th CISM Military World Games, Hyderabad & Mumbai
₹ 100



SNT 08_Folder_99
2/1/2008
Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands
₹ 200



SNT 08_Folder_100
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India-China: Joint Issue (Buddhist Temples)
₹ 100



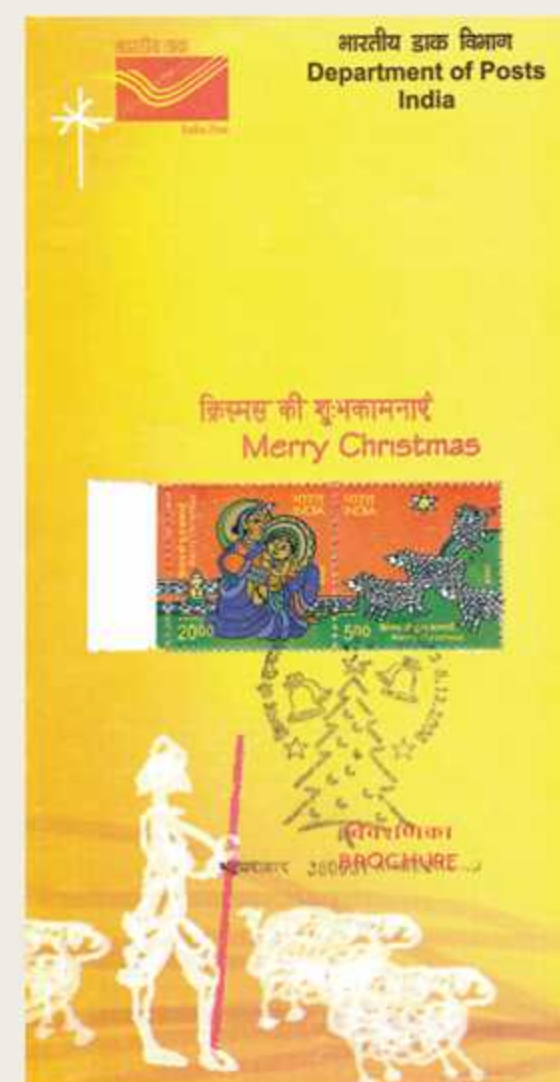
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Giant Tortoise of Alipore Zoo, Kolkata. (Hexagonal)
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8/8/2008
XXIX Olympic Games, Beijing, China
₹ 150



SNT 08_Folder_104
12/8/2008
30th Anniversary of Indian Coast Guard
₹ 100



SNT 08_Folder_106
8/12/2008
Merry Christmas
₹ 100



SNT 08_Folder_107
14/12/2008
Centenary of the Indian Institute of Science
₹ 100



SNT 09_Folder_111
14/10/2009
Dilwara & Ranakpur Heritage Jain Temple
₹ 100



SNT 09_Folder_112
29/10/2009
Little Sisters of the Poor
₹ 100



SNT 09_Folder_116
19/12/2009
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20/6/2012
Shekhawati (Rajasthan) & Warli (Maharashtra) Paintings
₹ 100

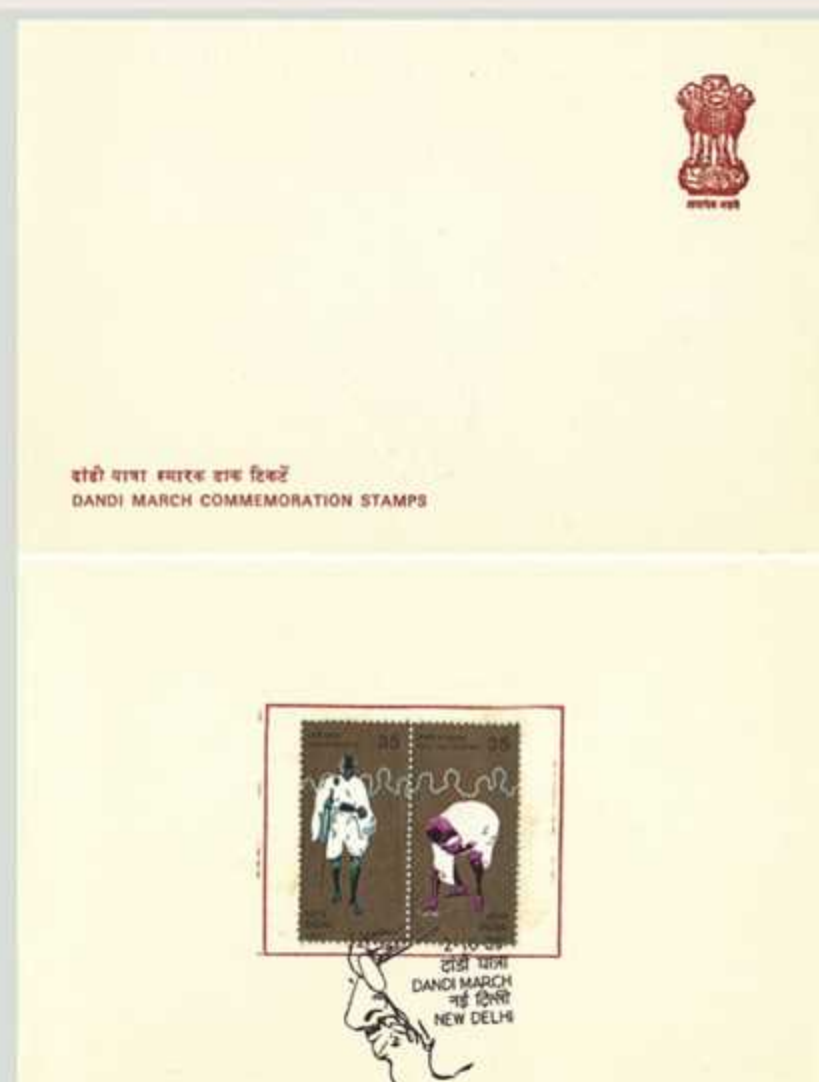
Glimpses of VIP Folders with Se-tenant Stamps of India



SNT 74_VIP Folder_1
9/10/1974
Mathura Museum
Value : ₹ 300



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28/6/1975
500th Birth Anniversary of Michelangelo Buonarroti (Italian Painter & Sculptor)
Value : ₹ 500



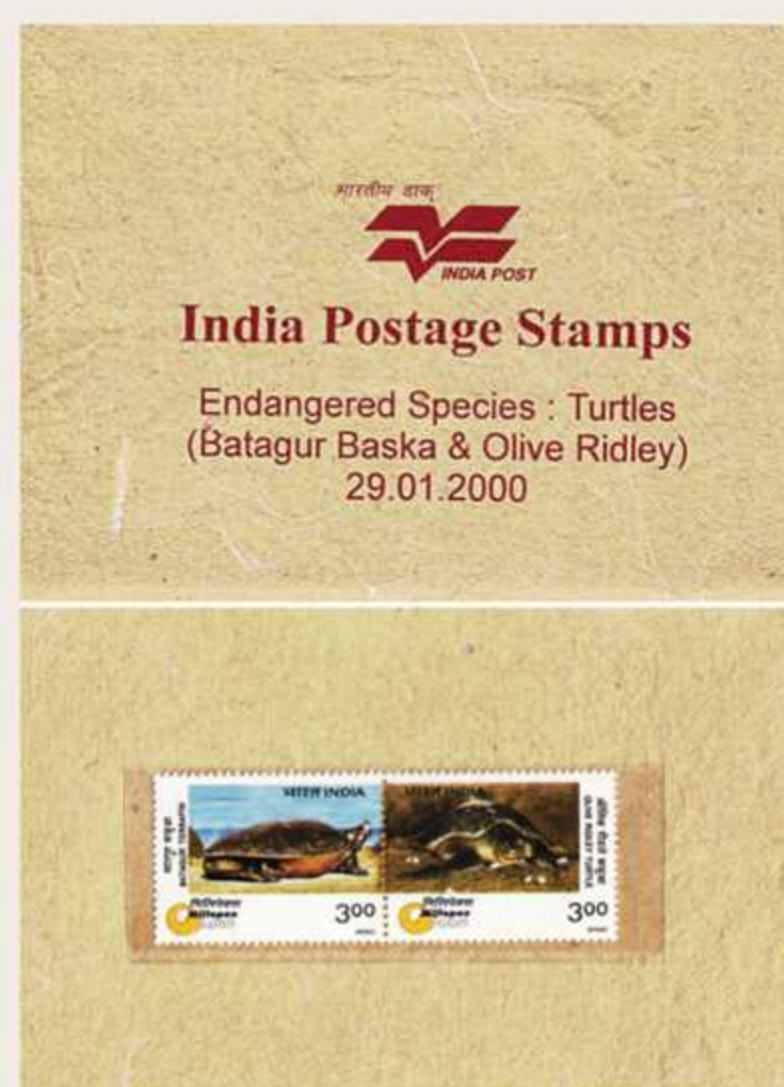
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Value : ₹ 300



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9/8/1983
India's Struggle for Freedom 1st Series
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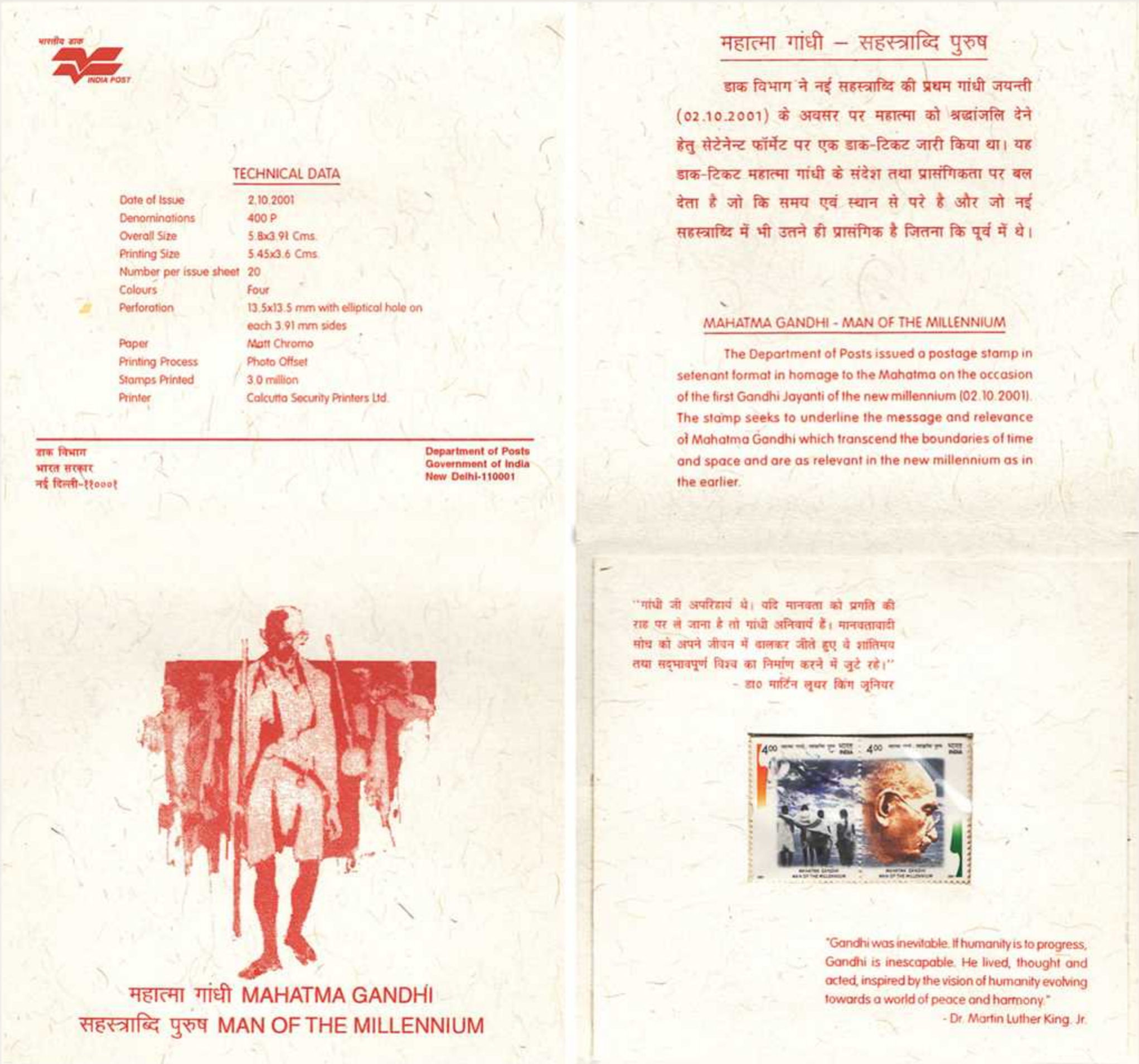
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12/2/1984
President's Review of the Fleet
Value : ₹ 1500



SNT 00_VIP Folder_38
29/1/2000
Endangered Species : Turtles
Value : ₹ 750



SNT 00_VIP Folder_45
29/9/2000
India's Space Programme
Value : ₹ 1400



SNT 01-VIP Presentation Folder_49
2/10/2001
Mahatma Gandhi : Man of the Millennium
Value : ₹ 2500

FDCs & Folders with Miniature Sheets

- (i) FDCs with Miniature Sheets
- (ii) Glimpses of Folders with Miniature Sheets

Glimpses of Folders, Bulletins, Souvenir Albums etc.

Glimpses of Presentation Packs

- (i) Issued by India Post
- (ii) Issued by Regional Postal Circles/GPO

"The Postage stamp is a symbol of the Progress of mankind and symbol of service. And apart from the daily utility as a means of easy and cheap communication the greater service it has done is that it acts as a bond of unity and brotherhood between nations and people."

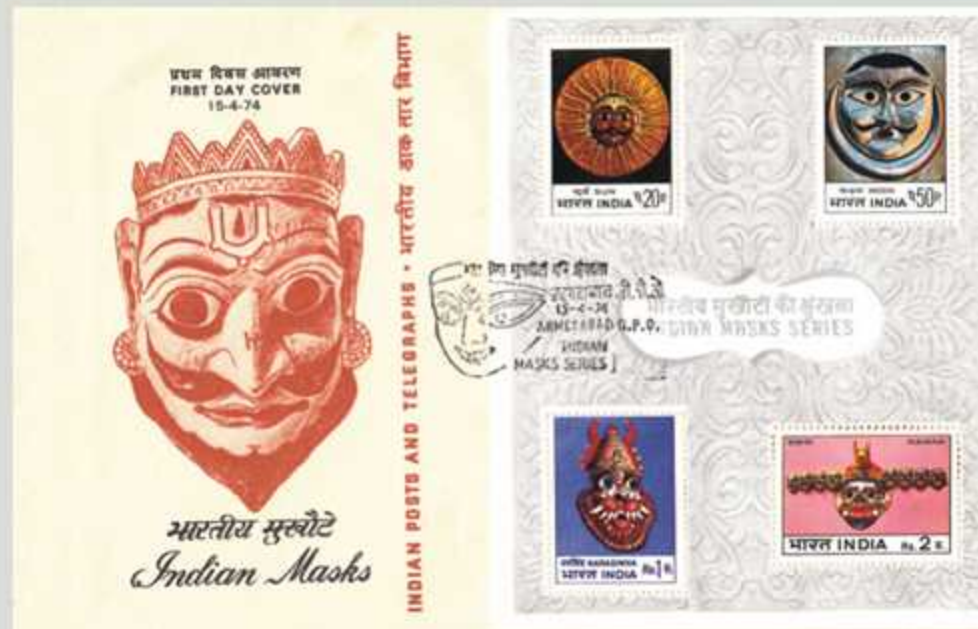
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**MS 73_FDC_1****INDIPEX-73, India International Philatelic Exhibition**

Date : 14/11/1973 **Denomination :** 20p, 1r, 2r & 1.45r (8/1/1973) **Description :** (1) All roads to Delhi (2) Ceremonial Elephant & Independence 1 1/2a stamp of 1947 (3) Peacock (4) Exhibition symbol stylized Peacock **MS Size :** 127x127 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** 4 imperf stamps with no postal validity of the stamps individually **Value :** ₹ 1000-1500

MS 73_Folder_1

Value : ₹ 1500

**MS 74_FDC_2****Indian Masks (Used in Dance Dramas)**

Date : 15/4/1974 **Denomination :** 20p, 50p, 1r & 2r **Description :** (1) Sun (2) Moon (3) Narasimha (4) Ravana **MS Size :** 109x135 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above 4 stamps & silver ornamental margins **Value :** ₹ 2500-3000

MS 74_Folder_2

Value : ₹ 2000

**MS 74_FDC_3****Centenary of Universal Postal Union (U.P.U.)**

Date : 3/10/1974 **Denomination :** 25p, 1r & 2r **Description :** (1) UPU Emblem (2) Birds & Nest (Madhubani Style & UPU Emblem) (3) Arrows encircling Globe **MS Size :** 108x108 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above 3 stamps **Value :** ₹ 2500-3000

MS 74_Folder_3

Value : ₹ 2200

**MS 87_FDC (1st Issue)_4****"India-89" International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi**

Date : 15/6/1987 **Denomination :** 50 & 500 **Description :** (1) Stylized Swan regarded as messenger of good news (Exhibition Logo) (2) Hall of Nations, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi **MS Size :** 156x58 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.15 Mill **Remarks :** MS of 2 stamps with legend of Exhibition in Hindi & English **Value :** ₹ 6000

MS 87_Folder (1st Issue)_4

Value : ₹ 4000

**MS 87_FDC (2nd Issue)_5****"India-89" International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi: Delhi Landmarks**

Date : 17/10/1987 **Denomination :** 60, 150, 500 & 650 **Description :** (1) Iron Pillar, Delhi (2) India Gate, New Delhi (3) Diwan-e-Khas in Red Fort, Delhi (4) Old Fort, Delhi **MS Size :** 100x86 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.15 Mill **Remarks :** MS of 4 stamps with legend of Exhibition in Hindi & English **Value :** ₹ 12000

MS 87_Folder (2nd Issue)_5

Value : ₹ 5000

**MS 95_FDC_6****India-South Africa Cooperation: Mahatma Gandhi**

Date : 2/10/1995 **Denomination :** 100 & 200 **Description :** (1) Gandhi as a barrister (2) Gandhi in his old age **MS Size :** 68x80 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above 2 se-tenant stamps surrounded by margins with various Gandhi Symbols, Gandhi drawings and legend in Hindi/English and issue price of MS Rs. 8-00 printed **Value :** ₹ 3000

MS 95_Folder_6

Value : ₹ 2000



MS 96_FDC_7

Himalayan Ecology

Date : 10/5/1996 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Blood Pheasant (2) Markhor (3) Himalayan Poppy (4) Phens Kamal **MS Size :** 175x105 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above 4 stamps having margins with legend in Hindi/English and issue price of MS Rs. 30/- printed **Value : ₹ 5000**

MS 96_Folder_7

Value : ₹ 3500



MS 97_FDC_8a

"Indipex '97", International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi - Mother Teresa

Date : 15/12/1997 **Denomination :** 4500 **Description :** (1) Mother Teresa, Exhibition Emblem (2) Independence Golden Jubilee Emblem & Mother with a destitute child **MS Size :** 81x68 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** This stamp is issued in MS only. MS is inscribed with "Speed Post" **Value : ₹ 3000**

No folder issued



MS 97_FDC_8b

"Indipex '97", International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi - Mother Teresa

Date : 15/12/1997 **Denomination :** 4500 **Description :** (1) Mother Teresa, Exhibition Emblem (2) Independence Golden Jubilee Emblem & Mother with a destitute child **Size :** 81x68 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** This stamp is issued in MS only. MS is inscribed with "Speed Post" **Value : ₹ 3000**

No folder issued



MS 00_FDC(Private)_9

"Indepex-Asiana 2000", 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (1st Issue) Natural Heritage of Manipur and Tripura

Date : 31/3/2000 but MS issued on 07/04/2000 **Denomination :** 300, 300, 300, 1500 **Description :** (1) Liliom Macklinae (Siroi Lily) (2) Cervus Eldi Eldi (Sangai Deer) (3) Psidium Guineense (Wild Guava) (4) Nycticebus Coucang (Slow Loris) **MS Size :** 160x112 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above 4 stamps having margins with legend in Hindi/English and issue price of Rs. 24.00 printed. MS is issued on 7 Apr 2000. **Value : ₹ 15000**

MS 00_Folder_9

Value : ₹ 2000



MS 00_FDC(Private)_10

"Indepex-Asiana 2000", 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (2nd Issue)

Migratory Birds

Date : 24/05/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Sturnus Roseus (Rosy Pastor) (1973) (2) Anas Querquedula (Garganey Teal) (1764) (3) Motacilla Indica (Forest Wagtail) (1765) (4) Ciconia Ciconia (White Stork) (1766) **MS Size :** 157x114 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above 4 stamps having margins with legend in English, pictures of birds and issue price of Rs. 12.00 printed. MS with above four stamps issued on 24 August 2000 **Value : ₹ 10000**

MS 00_Folder_10

Value : ₹ 2000



MS 00_FDC_11

"Indepex-Asiana 2000", 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta (3rd Issue)

Date : 7/12/2000 but MS issued on 11/12/2000 **Denomination :** 300x4 **Description :** (1) Bead Necklace from Indus Valley, c. 2500 B.C. (1797) (2) Gold Necklace from Taxila, c. 1st cent. A.D. (1798) (3) Navaratna Necklace, c. 18th cent. (1800) (4) 'Tali', Bridal Necklace from South India, 19th cent. (1801) **MS Size :** 162x111 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with four stamps from above with portrait of D.N. Jatia (Philatelist) issued on 11 Dec 2000 **Value : ₹ 5000**

MS 00_Folder_11

Value : ₹ 2000

**MS 02_FDC_12****New Delhi**

Date : 16/4/2002 **Denomination :** 1500 **Description :** First Train from Boribunder to Thane on 16 April 1853
Des : S. Samanta **MS Size :** 112x75 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp and border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 2000-2500**

MS 02_Folder_12

Value : ₹ 1500

**MS 02_FDC_13****50th Anniv. of Diplomatic Relations between India and Japan**

Date : 26/4/2002 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Kabuki Actor (Japan) (2) Kathakali Dancer (India) **MS Size :** 100x70 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps and border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 3000**

MS 02_Folder_13

Value : ₹ 2000

**MS 02_FDC_14****8th Session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, New Delhi**

Date : 30/10/2002 **Denomination :** 500x3 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Rhizophora Mucronata (2) Nypa Fruticans (3) Bruguiera Gymnorhiza (4) Sonneratia Alba **MS Size :** 192x85 mm **MS Quantity :** 1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps and background of mangrove forest **Value : ₹ 3000**

MS 02_Folder_14

Value : ₹ 2000

**MS 02_FDC_15****Handicrafts of India**

Date : 15/11/2002 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Cane & Bamboo Artifacts (2) 'Thewa' Art (3) Patan's 'Patola' Fabrics (4) 'Dhokra' Casting **MS Size :** 100x100 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps and ornamental border **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 02_Folder_15

Value : ₹ 1000

**MS 03_FDC_16****Aero India 2003, Bangalore on Centenary Year of Man's First Powered Flight**

Date : 5/2/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3 & 1500 **Description :** (1) 'Hindustan Trainer No. 2' First Aircraft Mfg. in India (2) 'Maruti' Ground Attack Aircraft (3) Light Combat Aircraft World's smallest multirole Aircraft (4) 'Dhruv' state-of-the-art Helicopter for Indian Armed Forces **MS Size :** 144x95 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above four stamps **Value : ₹ 2000**

MS 03_Folder_16

Value : ₹ 2000

**MS 03_FDC_17****Medicinal Plants of India**

Date : 7/4/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Guggulu (Commiphora Wightii) (2) Brahmi (Bacopa Nonnieri) (3) Amla (Emblica Officinalis) (4) Ashwagandha (Withania Somnifera) **MS Size :** 80x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps **Value : ₹ 3500**

MS 03_Folder_17

Value : ₹ 2000



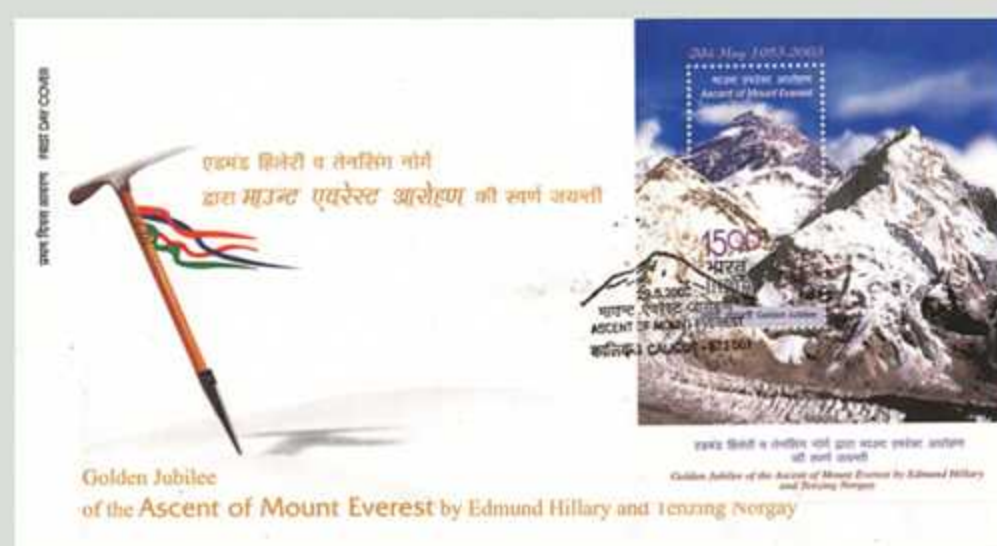
MS 03_FDC_18

Golden Voices of Yesteryears - Kishore Kumar, Mukesh, Mohd. Rafi & Hemant Kumar

Date : 15/5/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kishore Kumar (2) Mukesh (3) Mohammed Rafi (4) Hemant Kumar **MS Size :** 90x105 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above four stamps forming a composite design with border **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 03_Folder_18

Value : ₹ 1500



MS 03_FDC_19

Golden Jubilee of the Ascent of Mount Everest by Tenzing Norgay and Sir Edmund Hillary

Date : 29/5/2003 **Denomination :** 1500 **Description :** Mount Everest **MS Size :** 74x97 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp forming a composite design with border **Value : ₹ 1200**

MS 03_Folder_19

Value : ₹ 1200



MS 03_FDC_20

151st Anniv. of Government Museum, Chennai

Date : 19/6/2003 **Denomination :** 500x2 & 1500 **Description :** 'Natesa', 12th cent. Bronze from Tanjavur (2) Sculptured Medallion from Amravati (circa. 150 AD) (3) Museum Theatre **MS Size :** 162x73 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above three stamps and other exhibits of the museum in border **Value : ₹ 3500**

MS 03_Folder_20

Value : ₹ 2000



MS 03_FDC_21

Waterfalls of India

Date : 3/10/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Athirapalli Falls (Sholayar Forest, Kerala) (2) Kempty Falls (Uttaranchal) (3) Kakolat Falls (Bihar) (4) Jog (Gerusoppa Falls) (Sharavati River, Karnataka) **MS Size :** 135x88 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps artistically framed forming a composite design with background **Value : ₹ 2000**

MS 03_Folder_21

Value : ₹ 2000



MS 03_FDC(Private)_22

Nature India - Snakes : Python, Pit Viper, King Cobra, Gliding Snake

Date : 12/11/2003 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Python Molurus Python (2) Trimeresurus Gramineus Bamboo Pit Viper (3) Ophiophagus Hannah Hamadryad, King Cobra (4) Chrysopelea Ornata Gliding Snake **MS Size :** 170x125 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps forming a composite design with background **Value : ₹ 4500**

MS 03_Folder_22

Value : ₹ 4000



MS 03_FDC_23

India-France Relationship (Joint Issue)

Date : 29/11/2003 **Denomination :** 2200x2 **Description :** (1) Rooster Motif 15th cent. Painting (France) (2) Peacock Motif 19th cent. Minakari (India) **MS Size :** 95x117 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two setenant stamps and ornamental border **Value : ₹ 3500**

MS 03_Folder_23

Value : ₹ 2000

**MS 03_FDC_24****Golden Jubilee of Sangeet Natak Akademi**

Date : 22/12/2003 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** Spirit of Sangeet Natak Akademi (1) Music (2) Dance (3) Drama **MS Size :** 139x83 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps with border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 3000-3500**

MS 03_Folder_24

Value : ₹ 1500

**MS 04_FDC_25****I. N. S. Tarangini Circumnavigation Voyage**

Date : 25/4/2004 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** INS Tarangini **MS Size :** 109x80 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp having slight difference in botto **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 04_Folder_25

Value : ₹ 1500

**MS 04_FDC_26****The Great Trigonometrical Survey**

Date : 28/6/2004 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Design logo of The Great Trigonometrical Survey (2) Nain Singh (3) Radhanath Sikdar **MS Size :** 76x117 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.05 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps, legend in Hindi/English & border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 04_Folder_26

Value : ₹ 1500

**MS 04_FDC(Private)_27****150 Years of India Post (Postage Stamp)**

Date : 4/10/2004 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Mail Steamer, Train, Dak Ghari & First Postage Stamp of India (2) First Airmail Flight, Mail Train, Runner & Early Post Mark (3) Calcutta G.P.O., First Post Independence Postage Stamp & Letter Box (4) Aspects of Modern Postal System **MS Size :** 224x115 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four setenant stamps and thematic border **Value : ₹ 1000**

MS 04_Folder_27

Value : ₹ 1000

**MS 04_FDC_28****Indian Army in UN Peace Keeping Operations**

Date : 24/10/2004 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Indian Soldiers of Peace **MS Size :** 100x100 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp, legend in Hindi/English and thematic border **Value : ₹ 800**

MS 04_Folder_28

Value : ₹ 500

**MS 04_FDC(Private)_29****The Aga Khan Award for Architecture, 9th Cycle 2002-2004 : Agra Fort**

Date : 28/11/2004 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Khas Mahal, Agra Fort (2) Mussaman Burj & Amar Singh Gate **MS Size :** 235x105 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps with other places of Agra Fort in the border **Value : ₹ 1000**

MS 04_Folder_29

Value : ₹ 1000



MS 04_FDC_30

Taj Mahal, Agra

Date : 16/12/2004 **Denomination :** 1500 **Description :** Taj Mahal, Agra **MS Size :** 143x96 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp having ornamental border **Value : ₹ 3000**

MS 04_Folder_30

Value : ₹ 1000



MS 05_FDC_31

Flora & Fauna of North East India

Date : 24/3/2005 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Neofelis Nebulosa (Clouded Leopard) (2113) (2) Dillenia Indica Linn (Hindia 'Chalta') (2114) (3) Budorcas Taxicolor (Mishmi Takin) (2115) (4) Nepenthes Khasiana (Pitcher Plant) (2116) **MS Size :** 100x110 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four setenant stamps with thematic border size **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 05_Folder_31

Value : ₹ 500



MS 05_FDC(Official 2 covers joined)_32

75th Anniversary of 'Dandi March' (Salt Movement)

Date : 5/4/2005 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Marchers led by Gandhi (2) Headlines in 'Bombay Chronicle' (3) Course traversed during the march (4) Writing of Gandhi on 05.04.1930 **MS Size :** 165x127 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS with above four Setenant stamps with thematic border showing route map of the march (2) Double Official covers used to make FDC **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 05_Folder_32

Value : ₹ 800

Prepared for use but not officially issued

MS 05_FDC_33

400 Years of Guru Granth Sahib (Holy Book of Sikh Religion)

Date : 16/6/2005 **Denomination :** 1000 **Description :** 'Guru Granth Sahib' **MS Size :** 115x115 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp with ornamented border

MS 05_Folder_33

MS 05_FDC_34

150 Years of Indian Post : Letter Boxes

Date : 18/10/2005 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Victorian Letter Box (2) Penfold Letter Box (3) Cylindrical Letter Box (4) TV Type Letter Box **MS Size :** 120x165 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps individually placed **Value : ₹ 1000**

MS 05_Folder_34

Value : ₹ 800



MS 06_FDC_35

India-Cyprus : Joint Issue (Folk Dances)

Date : 12/4/2006 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Folk Dance 'Nati' (Himachal Pradesh) (2) Folk Dance 'Kouta' (Cyprus) **MS Size :** 94x146 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two Setenant stamps **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 06_Folder_35

Value : ₹ 300



**MS 06_FDC_36****'Save Kurinji' Campaign**

Date : 29/5/2006 **Denomination :** 1500 **Description :** Neela Kurinji (Strobilanthes Kunthianus) **MS Size :** 82x126 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS Multicoloured **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 06_Folder_36

Value : ₹ 500

**MS 06_FDC_37****India-Mongolia: Joint Issue (Arts & Crafts)**

Date : 11/9/2006 **Denomination :** 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bronze Statue of Rao Dev (Bastar) M.P. (2) Bronze Statue (Murun Mongolia) **MS Size :** 60x110 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two Setenant stamp with ornamental border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 06_Folder_37

Value : ₹ 500

**MS 06_FDC_38****Endangered Birds of India**

Date : 5/10/2006 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Manipur Brush - Quail (Perdicula Manipurensis) (2) Lesser Florican (Sypheotides Indica) (3) Greater Adjutant Stork (Deoptofiles Dubius) (4) Nilgiri Laughing Thrush (Garrulax Cachinnans) **MS Size :** 87x110 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps in block of four with thematic border **Value : ₹ 500**

MS 06_Folder_38

Value : ₹ 500

**MS 06_FDC_39****National Children's Day**

Date : 14/11/2006 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Krishna (2) Karna (Theme : My favourite Mythological Hero) **MS Size :** 133x73 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above two Setenant stamps **Value : ₹ 350**

MS 06_Folder_39

Value : ₹ 300

**MS 06_FDC_40****Sandalwood (Santalum Album) - 1st Scented Stamp of India having Sandalwood Perfume**

Date : 13/12/2006 **Denomination :** 1500 **Description :** Elephant and Sandalwood tree **MS Size :** 86x100 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above stamp and decorative border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 06_Folder_40

Value : ₹ 300

**MS 07_FDC_41****Fragrance of Roses**

Date : 7/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2 & 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Bhim (2) Delhi Princess (3) Jawahar (4) Neelam **MS Size :** 117x88 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four Setenant stamps in block of four **Value : ₹ 350**

MS 07_Folder_41

Value : ₹ 300



MS 07_FDC_42

Fairs of India

Date : 27/2/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Pushkar Fair (Rajasthan) (2) Sonepur Fair (Bihar) (3) Carnival (Goa) (4) Baul Mela (West Bental) **MS Size :** 97x158 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps in Setenant block of four with thematic border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 07_Folder_42

Value : ₹ 300



MS 07_FDC_43

International Women's Day

Date : 8/3/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2 & 1500x2 **Description :** (1) (2257) (2) (2258) (3) (2259) (4) (2260) **MS Size :** 76x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four Setenant stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 400**

MS 07_Folder_43

Value : ₹ 300



MS 07_FDC_44

2550 Years of 'Mahaparinirvana' of the Buddha

Date : 2/5/2007 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Prince Siddhartha (Statue of Gandhara Period) (2) Meditating Buddha (Sarnath Gandhara Style) (3) Asectic Buddha (4) Image of Buddha (5) 'Dharma Chakra' & aspects of 'Hinayan Buddhism' & (6) 'Bhrahmasparsha-Buddha holding nector in jar **MS Size :** 220x136 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** All the above six stamps form a composite design of Buddha **Value : ₹ 500**

MS 07_Folder_44

Value : ₹ 500



MS 07_FDC_45

150 Years of First War of Independence

Date : 9/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Battle at Kanpur (2) Battle of Lucknow **MS Size :** 120x150 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above pair with thematic border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 07_Folder_45

Value : ₹ 300



MS 07_FDC_46

Landmark Bridges of India

Date : 17/8/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Pamban Bridge (2) Vidyasagar Setu Bridge (3) Howrah Bridge (4) Mahatma Gandhi Setu Bridge **MS Size :** 118x152 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above four stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 07_Folder_46

Value : ₹ 300



MS 07_FDC_47

Centenary of 'Satyagraha'

Date : 2/10/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Four Pictures of gradual evolution of 'Satyagraha' Movement led by Mahatma Gandhi **MS Size :** 114x109 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with 4 single stamps on the map of South Africa showing the working places of Mahatma Gandhi **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 07_Folder_47

Value : ₹ 300

**MS 07_FDC_48**

4th CISM (International Military Sports Council) Military World Games, Hyderabad & Mumbai

Date : 14/10/2007 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Parachutist (2) Football (3) Diving **MS Size :** 85x130 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS Multicoloured with background design **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 07_Folder_48

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 07_FDC_49**

Platinum Jubilee of Indian Air Force

Date : 8/10/2007 **Denomination :** 500x3 & 1500 **Description :** (1) 'Dhruv' Advanced Light Helicopter (2) Westland Wapiti Biplane (3) IL-8 MK-1, Flight Refueller Air Craft (4) AWACS Air borne warning & control system **MS Size :** 124x222 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS Multicoloured with all the types of Airplanes in the background, with Air Force Monogram and 75 years **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 07_Folder_49

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 07_FDC_50**

Children's Day

Date : 14/11/2007 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Two different pictures on stamps with the "Theme : The Magic of the Night") **MS Size :** 76x121 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS Multicoloured with outer space midnight scene in the background **Value : ₹ 250**

MS 07_Folder_50

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 07_FDC_51**

Renewable Energy

Date : 22/11/2007 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Solar Energy (2) Biomass Energy (3) Wind Energy (4) Small Hydro Power **MS Size :** 123x99 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 07_Folder_51

Value : ₹ 300

**MS 08_FDC_52**

Endemic Butterflies of Andaman and Nicobar Islands

Date : 2/1/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Papilio Mayo Male (2) Andaman Mormon Female (3) Andaman Club Tail Male (4) Pachliopta Rhodifer Female **MS Size :** 105x83 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps and border forming a composite design **Value : ₹ 400**

MS 08_Folder_52

Value : ₹ 300

**MS 08_FDC_53**

75th Birth Anniversary of Madhubala Mumtaz Begum Jahan Dahlavi (Film Actress)

Date : 18/3/2008 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Madhubala **MS Size :** 93x78 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp and thematic border **Value : ₹ 150**

MS 08_Folder_53

Value : ₹ 100



MS 08_FDC_54

Jasmine

Date : 26/4/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Jasmine Flowers (2) Jasminum Auriculatum Vahl. **MS Size :** 109x76 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.5 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps forming a composite design with the background with fragrance of jasmine **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_54

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_55

30th Anniversary of the Aga Khan Foundation

Date : 17/5/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Tomb of Humayun (Heritage Restoration) (2) Facets of Social Commitment **MS Size :** 130x96 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps and thematic border **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_55

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_56

India-China Relationship (Joint Issue) - Buddhist Temples

Date : 11/7/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 1500 **Description :** (1) Maha Bodhi Temple, Bodh Gaya, India (2) White Horse Temple, Luoyang City, China **MS Size :** 99x99 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps forming a composite design with the background **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_56

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_57

XXIX Olympic Games, Beijing

Date : 8/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500x2 & 1500x2 **Description :** (1) Olympic Torch (2) Shooting (3) Boxing (4) Archery **MS Size :** 144x146 mm **MS Quantity :** 1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps in diamond shape forming a composite design with background **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_57

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_58

30th Anniversary of Indian Coast Guard

Date : 12/8/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Dornier Fixed Wing Aircraft (2) Advanced Light Helicopter (3) Hovercraft (4) Patrol Vessel **MS Size :** 158x117 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with border depicting details of above four vehicles in land and sea **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_58

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_59

Festivals of India : Durga Puja, Dussehra and Deepavali

Date : 7/10/2008 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Goddess Durga (Dussehra, Kolkata) (2) Deepavali Lamps (3) Elephants & Procession (Dussehra, Mysore **MS Size :** 161x110 mm **MS Quantity :** 1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps and thematic background **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_59

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 08_FDC_60****Third Commonwealth Youth Games, Belewadi, Pune**

Date : 12/10/2008 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Mascot Jigrr (2) Wrestling (3) Badminton (4) Hurdle Race **MS Size :** 136x99 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four stamps with thematic background **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_60

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 08_FDC_61****Philately Day**

Date : 13/10/2008 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Village of Post Office **MS Size :** 102x64 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp forming a composite design with the background depicting scene from Tagore's drama 'Dakghar' **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_61

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 08_FDC_62****19th Commonwealth Games, New Delhi (2010)**

Date : 18/10/2008 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Tiger Mascot Shera **MS Size :** 129x79 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.5 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp forming a composite design with the border. Price of MS 1500 printed **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_62

Value : ₹ 100

**MS 08_FDC_63****National Children's Day - 'India of My Dreams'**

Date : 14/11/2008 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Education, Scientific & Economic Development (2) India on Moon (3) Communal Harmony **MS Size :** 176x127 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above three stamps in setenant **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 08_Folder_63

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 08_FDC_64****Canonisation of St. Alphonsa Muttathupadathu**

Date : 16/11/2008 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Saint Alphonsa & Cross **MS Size :** 114x95 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.5 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamp forming a composite design with the border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_64

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 08_FDC_65****60th Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy, Hyderabad**

Date : 27/11/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Sardar Patel Academy Police Training **MS Size :** 78x115 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_65

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_66

Centenary of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

Date : 14/12/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Indian Institute of Science Bangalore **MS Size :** 130x85 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two setenant stamps forming a composite design with the border **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_66

Value : ₹ 200



MS 08_FDC_67

10th Anniversary of Brahmos Supersonic Cruise Missile

Date : 22/12/2008 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Warship Launching Brahmos Fighter Planes, Missile on Land **MS Size :** 130x89 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps with slight variations forming a composite design with the borders **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 08_Folder_67

Value : ₹ 150



MS 09_FDC_68

Heritage Monuments Preservation by INTACH : Jaisalmer Fort, Mongya Monastery, St. Anny's Church & Qila Mubarak

Date : 28/1/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Fort (Jaisalmer) (2) Monastery (Mongya, Leh) (3) St. Anny's Church (4) 'Qila Mubarak' Fort Patiala **MS Size :** 120x76 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four setenant stamps with thematic border **Value : ₹ 250**

MS 09_Folder_68

Value : ₹ 150



MS 09_FDC(Official 2 covers joined)_69

Spices of India

Date : 29/4/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Black Pepper (2) Cinnamon (3) Turmeric, Coriander, Chilly (4) Cardamom (5) Clove **MS Size :** 131x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS with above five setenant stamps with thematic border (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC **Value : ₹ 500**

MS 09_Folder_69

Value : ₹ 250



MS 09_FDC(Official 2 covers joined)_70

Rampur Raja Library, Uttar Pradesh

Date : 19/6/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Library Building (2) Ram & Laxman with Persian Script by Sumer Chand (3) Illustration from Diwan-i-Hafiz (4) Madonna holding book Jahangir's Album **MS Size :** 115x147 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.5 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS with above four stamps with borders depicting some other collections in the library (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC **Value : ₹ 500**

MS 09_Folder_70

Value : ₹ 250



MS 09_FDC(Official 2 covers joined)_71

Jayadeva (Poet) and Geetagovinda (Sanskrit verse)

Date : 27/7/2009 **Denomination :** 500x11 **Description :** (1) Jaydeva (2) Geetagovinda **MS Size :** 200x160 mm **MS Quantity :** 1 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS with above eleven setenant stamps with thematic border (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC **Value : ₹ 800-1000**

MS 09_Folder_71

Value : ₹ 500

**MS 09_FDC_72****Heritage Railway Stations of India**

Date : 16/8/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Howrah (2) Mumbai CST (3) Chennai Central (4) Old Delhi **MS Size :** 150x260 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above four setenant stamps **Value : ₹ 800**

MS 09_Folder_72

Value : ₹ 500

**MS 09_FDC_73****Rare Fauna of North East India**

Date : 1/10/2009 **Denomination :** 500x3 **Description :** (1) Barbe's Leaf Monkey (2) Red Panda (3) Marbled Cat **MS Size :** 115x145 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above stamps **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 09_Folder_73

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 09_FDC_74****Horses of India**

Date : 9/11/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Manipuri (2) Kathiawari (3) Marwari (4) Zanskari **MS Size :** 88x152 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS Horses in Sketches & Photographs **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 09_Folder_74

Value : ₹ 200

**MS 09_FDC_75****The Silent Valley**

Date : 15/11/2009 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** The Silent Valley **MS Size :** 128x88 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS stamps within a coloured painting of forest scene **Value : ₹ 150**

MS 09_Folder_75

Value : ₹ 100

**MS 09_FDC_76****India-Philippines Joint Issue, Butanding and Gangetic Dolphin**

Date : 16/11/2009 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Gangetic Dolphin (2) Butanding **MS Size :** 65x120 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with above the stamps **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 09_Folder_76

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 09_FDC_77****Greetings**

Date : 1/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** Four different auspicious designs conveying Greetings **MS Size :** 80x108 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above Setenant stamps **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 09_Folder_77

Value : ₹ 150



MS 09_FDC_78

Traditional Indian Textiles Commemoration

Date : 10/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kalamkari (2) Apa Tani Weaves (3) Kanchipuram (4) Banaras Silk **MS Size :** 90x160 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS stamps with horizontal strip of four **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 09_Folder_78

Value : ₹ 150



MS 09_FDC_79

Preserve the Polar Regions and Glaciers

Date : 19/12/2009 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** Penguin & Polar Bear on Ice Floes **MS Size :** 128x158 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.8 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above Setenant stamps within glaciers design **Value : ₹ 250**

MS 09_Folder_79

Value : ₹ 150



MS 10_FDC (Official 2 covers joined)_80

Astrological Signs

Date : 14/4/2010 **Denomination :** 500x12 **Description :** (1) Aquarius (2) Pisces (3) Aries (4) Taurus (5) Gemini (6) Cancer (7) Leo (8) Virgo (9) Libra (10) Scorpio (11) Sagittarius (12) Capricorn **MS Size :** 160x160 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.8 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS with Astrological Signs (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC. **Value : ₹ 800**

MS 10_Folder_80

Value : ₹ 350



MS 10_FDC (Official 2 covers joined)_81

Postal Heritage

Date : 13/5/2010 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Udagamandalam H.P.O. (2) Nagpur G.P.O. (3) Shimla G.P.O. (4) Cooch Behar H.P.O. (5) Lucknow G.P.O. (6) Delhi G.P.O. **MS Size :** 145x185 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS with stamps having a sketch of Heritage Buildings (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC. **Value : ₹ 800**

MS 10_Folder_81

Value : ₹ 400



MS 10_FDC_82

International Year of Biodiversity

Date : 5/6/2010 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Two different pictures depicting subject of International Year of Biodiversity **MS Size :** 70x93 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS within a jungle scene **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 10_Folder_82

Value : ₹ 150



MS 10_FDC (Official 2 covers joined)_83

Queen's Baton Relay XIX Commonwealth Games

Date : 25/6/2010 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Mascot Shera & (2) Queen's Baton of XIX Commonwealth Games **MS Size :** 125x200 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS stamps showing the Baton Relay route on the world map (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC. **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 10_Folder_83

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 10_FDC_84****Birds of India**

Date : 9/7/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Sparrow (2) Pigeon **MS Size :** 100x140 mm
MS Quantity : NA **Remarks :** MS with pictures of Sparrow and Pigeons showing in home atmosphere
Value : ₹ 200

MS 10_Folder_84

Value : ₹ 100

**MS 10_FDC_85****Rath Yatra Puri**

Date : 12/7/2010 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Rath Yatra Puri **MS Size :** 66x140 mm **MS Quantity :**
NA **Remarks :** MS showing all the three chariots - Normal Ms on FDC **Value : ₹ 200**

Total 7 different FDCs : ₹ 3200 without cross; Total 9 different FDCs : ₹ 5200 with cross

Total 7 different folders : ₹ 3000 without cross; Total 9 different folders : ₹ 5000 with cross

MS 10_Folder_85

Value : ₹ 100

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Date : 1/8/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) Talkatora Stadium (2) Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium
MS Size : 66x140 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with panoramic view of the stadiums
Value : ₹ 200

MS 10_Folder_86

Value : ₹ 100



MS 10_FDC_87

XIX Commonwealth Games, Delhi

Date : 3/10/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Tennis (2) Archery (3) Hockey (4) Athletics **MS Size :** 72x144 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with Insignia of the games with fireworks in the foreground **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 10_Folder_87

Value : ₹ 150



MS 10_FDC_88

Indian Princely States Postage Stamps

Date : 6/10/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Sirmaur (2) Indore (3) Bamra (4) Cochin **MS Size :** 85x195 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.3 Mill **Remarks :** MS with backdrop of antique gem and jewellery **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 10_Folder_88

Value : ₹ 150



MS 10_FDC_89

Children's Day

Date : 14/11/2010 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Kites (2) Puppets (3) Pin Wheels (4) Dolls **MS Size :** 115x118 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS children playing with toys **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 10_Folder_89

Value : ₹ 150



MS 10_FDC_90

India-Mexico Joint Issue

Date : 15/12/2010 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Jarabi Tapatio Dance & The Mexican Hat Dance (2) Kalbelia Dance of Rajasthan **MS Size :** 97x142 mm **MS Quantity :** MS with above two stamps surrounded by musicians and dancers in the background **Remarks : ... Value : ₹ 300**

MS 10_Folder_90

Value : ₹ 150



MS 10_FDC_91

Crafts Museum, Pragati Maidan

Date : 21/12/2010 **Denomination :** 500x2 **Description :** (1) 'Madhubani' Art (2) Wood Carving **MS Size :** 98x174 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps & backdrop of crafts museum pieces **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 10_Folder_91

Value : ₹ 100



MS 11_FDC_92

Krishnadevaraya 500 years of Comm.

Date : 27/1/11 **Denomination :** 500 **Description :** Figure of Krishnadevaraya with relics in the background **MS Size :** 55x96 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS with the stamp surrounded by coins and contemporary **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 11_Folder_92

Value : ₹ 250

**MS 11_FDC(Private)_93a**

Indipex 2011 Khadi Stamp issued only as a Miniature Sheet (Souvenir Sheet) specially prepared and sold during the exhibition in a presentation pack

Date : 12/2/2011 **Denomination :** 100 (R) **Description :** Gandhi MS with Khadi Stamp **MS Size :** 130x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the backdrop of Gandhi Spinning in the foreground of Sabarmati Ashram **Value : ₹ 1500**

MS 11_Folder_93 (Issued during Indipex as Presentation Folder with Face Value of ₹ 250)
Value : ₹ 1000

**MS 11_FDC(Private)_93b**

Indipex 2011 Khadi Stamp issued only as a Miniature Sheet (Souvenir Sheet) specially prepared and sold during the exhibition in a presentation pack

Date : 12/2/2011 **Denomination :** 100 (R) **Description :** Gandhi MS with Khadi Stamp **MS Size :** 130x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the backdrop of Gandhi Spinning in the foreground of Sabarmati Ashram **Value : ₹ 3000**

**MS 11_FDC(Private)_93c**

Indipex 2011 Khadi Stamp issued only as a Miniature Sheet (Souvenir Sheet) specially prepared and sold during the exhibition in a presentation pack

Date : 12/2/2011 **Denomination :** 100 (R) **Description :** Gandhi MS with Khadi Stamp **MS Size :** 130x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the backdrop of Gandhi Spinning in the foreground of Sabarmati Ashram **Value : ₹ 3000**

**MS 11_FDC(Private)_93d**

Indipex 2011 Khadi Stamp issued only as a Miniature Sheet (Souvenir Sheet) specially prepared and sold during the exhibition in a presentation pack

Date : 12/2/2011 **Denomination :** 100 (R) **Description :** Gandhi MS with Khadi Stamp **MS Size :** 130x130 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the backdrop of Gandhi Spinning in the foreground of Sabarmati Ashram **Value : ₹ 3000**

**MS 11_FDC(Official 2 covers joined)_94**

Indipex 2011 - 100 Years of Airmail Commemorating - 100 Years of Allahabad - Naini Flight

Date : 12/2/2011 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) U.P. Exhibition (2) Pequets Flight Card (3) Pequets Flight Path (4) Flight over Yamuna Design Line **MS Size :** 130x226 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** (1) MS comprised of above four stamps with design surrounded by Exhibition and Flight Cancellation Coins, Plans and other Post Marks (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC. Value : ₹ 800

MS 11_Folder_94
Value : ₹ 250

**MS 11_FDC(Official 2 covers joined)_95**

Legendary Heroines of India

Date : 13/2/2011 **Denomination :** 500x6 **Description :** (1) Devika Rani (2) Kanan Devi (3) Meena Kumari (4) Nutan (5) Savitri (6) Leela Naidu **MS Size :** 125x140 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.3 Mill **Remarks :** (1) MS comprised of above six heroines cinema reels and additional still shots of different pictures (2) Two Official covers used to make FDC. Value : ₹ 300

MS 11_Folder_95
Value : ₹ 200



MS 11_FDC_96

Rabindra Nath Tagore 150 Years of Birth Anniversary

Date : 7/5/2011 **Denomination :** 58x187 **Description :** (1) Rabindranath Tagore as a Poet & Writer (2) Rabindranath Tagore as a Dramatist & Painter **MS Size :** 58x187 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** MS depicting the above two stamps his work and Nobel Prize in the background **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 11_Folder_96

Value : ₹ 100



MS 11_FDC_97

2nd Africa-India Forum Summit 2011

Date : 25/5/2011 **Denomination :** 500 & 2500 **Description :** (1) Indian Elephant (2) African Elephant **MS Size :** 96x170 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.3 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above two stamps and Map of India and Africa superimposed one on the other **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 11_Folder_97

Value : ₹ 100



MS 11_FDC_98

80th Years of Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi

Date : 5/8/2011 **Denomination :** 500x4 **Description :** (1) Neo Buddhist Dome (2) Jaipur Column (3) Mughal Jallies (4) Mughal Garden **MS Size :** 500x4 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.3 Mill **Remarks :** MS depicting four stamps as above with Rashtrapati Bhawan in the background **Value : ₹ 150**

MS 11_Folder_98

Value : ₹ 100



MS 11_FDC_99

Children's Day

Date : 14/11/2011 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** Based on designs by children on the theme 'save the tiger selected by childrens' competition **MS Size :** 100x100 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with the above two stamps and different paintings of Tigers drawn by children in the background **Value : ₹ 250**

MS 11_Folder_99

Value : ₹ 150



MS 11_FDC_100

Archaeological Survey of India 150 Years Anniversary

Date : 20/12/2011 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Pre Historic Clay Models of Animals (2) Pre Historic Seals from Ancient Excavation **MS Size :** 65x100 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.1 Mill **Remarks :** MS with above two stamps and scene of prehistoric excavations in the background **Value : ₹ 300**

MS 11_Folder_100

Value : ₹ 150



MS 12_FDC_101

Civil Aviation

Date : 14/3/2012 **Denomination :** 500X4 & 2000 **Description :** Piquet Demonstration to modern Air Crafts and Aerodromes **MS Size :** 70x140 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** With the background of different Air Crafts used in Civil Aviation during the last 100 years **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 12_Folder_101

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 12_FDC_102****800th Years of 'Urs' of Khwaja 'Garib Nawaz' Moinuddin Chishti**

Date : 27/5/2012 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Devotional Songs by the Devotees (2) The Tomb of Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti, Ajmer **MS Size :** 65x105 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.2 Mill **Remarks :** Consisted of one Setenant pair and with the 'Urs' celebrating devotees **Value : ₹ 150**

MS 12_Folder_102

Value : ₹ 100

**MS 12_FDC_103****London 2012 Olympic**

Date : 25/7/2012 **Denomination :** 2000x2 & 5000x2 **Description :** (1) Volleyball (2) Rowing (3) Sailing (4) Badminton **MS Size :** 109x109 mm **MS Quantity :** 0.4 Mill **Remarks :** MS consisting of Setenant of block of four stamps Volleyball, Sailing, Rowing & Badminton surrounded by different legends and Olympic Logo. **Value : ₹ 150**

MS 12_Folder_103

Value : ₹ 150

**MS 12_FDC_104****Philately Day**

Date : 12/10/2012 **Denomination :** 2000 **Description :** Picture of Reverse head Queen Victoria & 1 1/2 Anna stamp of India after Independence **MS Size :** 85x82 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** This stamp is issued in MS only. MS is showing pictures of Harkara and early Plane carrying Mail along with some cancellations **Value : ₹ 100**

MS 12_Folder_104

Value : ₹ 100

**MS 12_FDC_105****Endemic Species of Indian Biodiversity Hotspots**

Date : 16/10/2012 **Denomination :** 500, 500, 500 & 2500 **Description :** Bugun Liocichla, Nicobar Megapod, Hoolok Gibbon & Venated Gliding Frog **MS Size :** 102x104 mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** All the four Stamps are shown in the backdrop of Forest **Value : ₹ 200**

MS 12_Folder_105

Value : ₹ 100

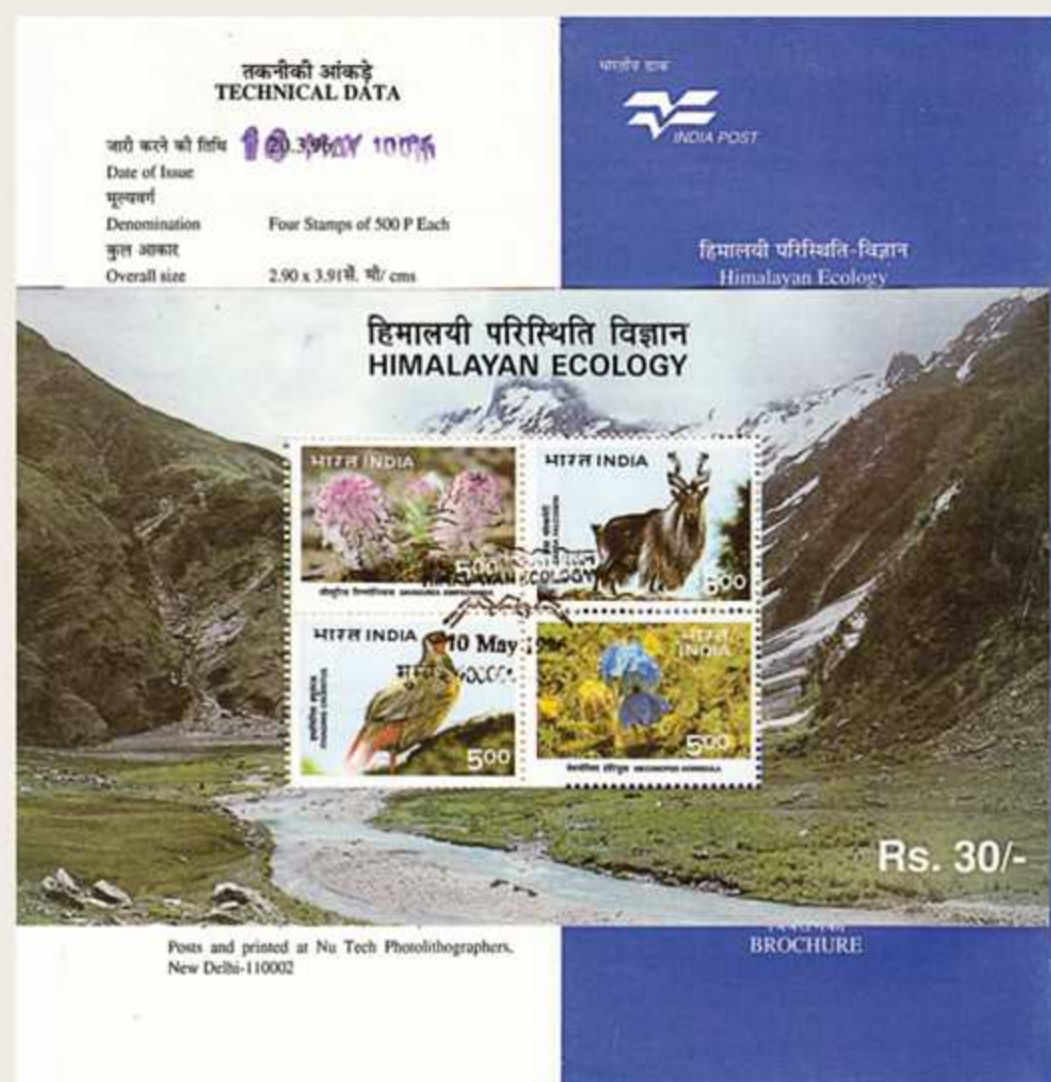
**MS 12_FDC_106****Lighthouses of India**

Date : 23/12/2012 **Denomination :** 500 & 2000 **Description :** (1) Mahabalipuram (Mamallapuram) Lighthouse (2) Alleppey (Alappuzha) Lighthouse **MS Size :** mm **MS Quantity :** NA **Remarks :** MS is shown with two Lighthouses in the backdrop of Sea **Value : ₹ 100**

MS 12_Folder_106

Value : ₹ 100

Glimpses of Folders with Miniature Sheets of India



MS 96_Folder_7
10/5/1996
Himalayan Ecology
₹ 3500



MS 02_Folder_12
16/4/2002
New Delhi
₹ 1500



MS 02_Folder_13
26/4/2002
India and Japan : Joint Issue
₹ 2000



MS 03_Folder_16
5/2/2003
Aero India 2003, Bangalore
₹ 2000



MS 03_Folder_18
15/5/2003
Golden Voices of Yesteryears
₹ 1500



MS 03_Folder_22
12/11/2003
Nature India - Snakes
₹ 4000



MS 03_Folder_23
29/11/2003
India-France Relationship (Joint Issue)
₹ 2000



MS 03_Folder_24
22/12/2003
Golden Jubilee of Sangeet Natak Akademi
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INS Tarangini
₹ 1500



MS 04_Folder_26
28/6/2004

The Great Trigonometrical Survey
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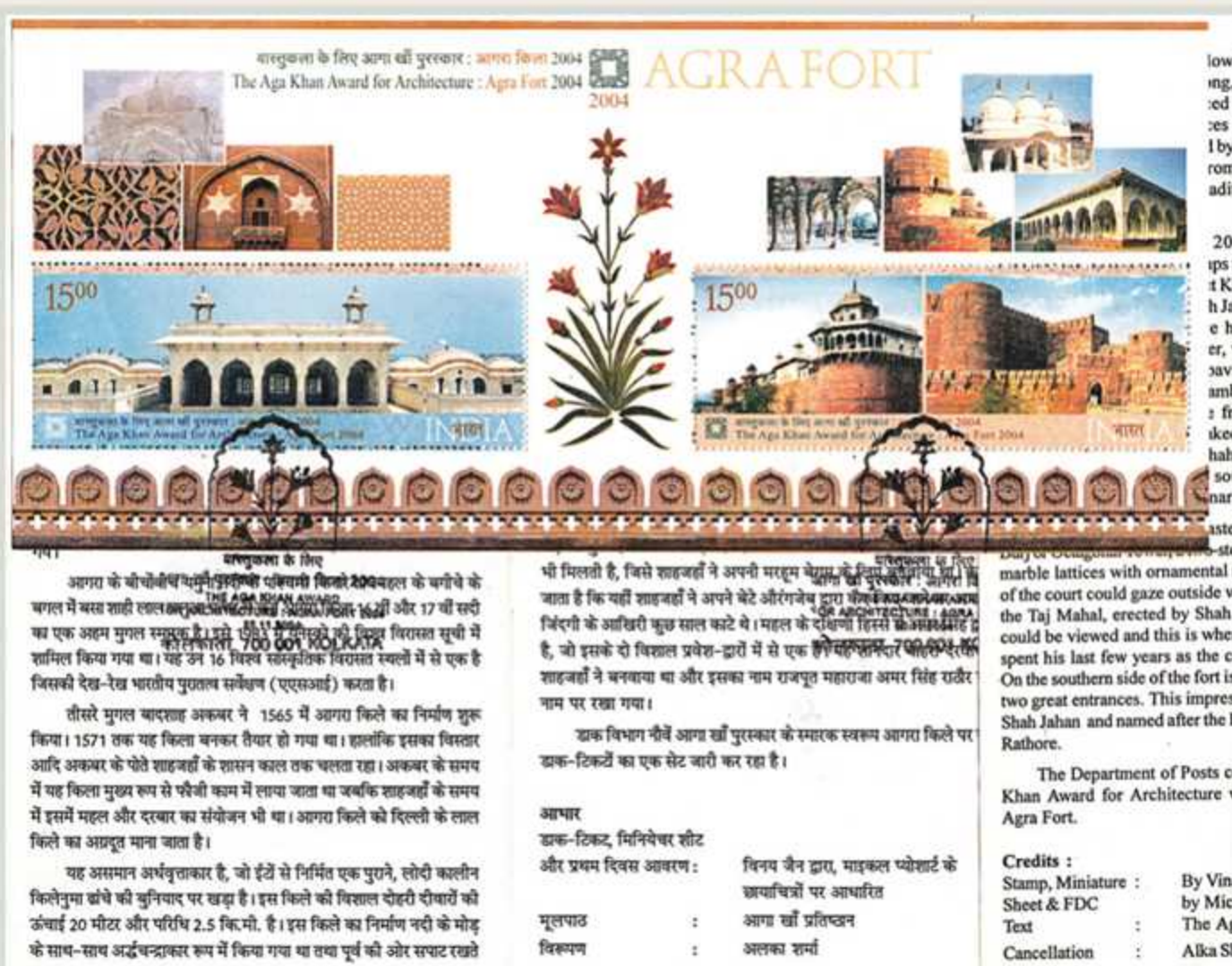
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150 Years of India Post (Postage Stamp)
₹ 1000



MS 04_Folder_28
24/10/2004

Indian Army in UN Peace Keeping Operations
₹ 500



MS 04_Folder_29
28/11/2004

The Aga Khan Award for Architecture : Agra Fort
₹ 1000



MS 04_Folder_30
16/12/2004

Taj Mahal, Agra
₹ 1000



MS 05_Folder_32
5/4/2005

75th Anniversary of 'Dandi March'
₹ 800



MS 05_Folder_34
18/10/2005

150 Years of Indian Post : Letter Boxes
₹ 800



MS 06_Folder_35
12/4/2006

India-Cyprus : Joint Issue (Folk Dances)
₹ 300



MS 06_Folder_36
29/5/2006

'Save Kurinji' Campaign
₹ 500



MS 06_Folder_37
11/9/2006
India-Mongolia : Joint Issue (Arts & Crafts)
₹ 500



MS 06_Folder_38
5/10/2006
Endangered Birds of India
₹ 500



MS 06_Folder_39
14/11/2006
National Children's Day
₹ 300



MS 06_Folder_40
13/12/2006
Sandalwood (Santalum Album)
₹ 300



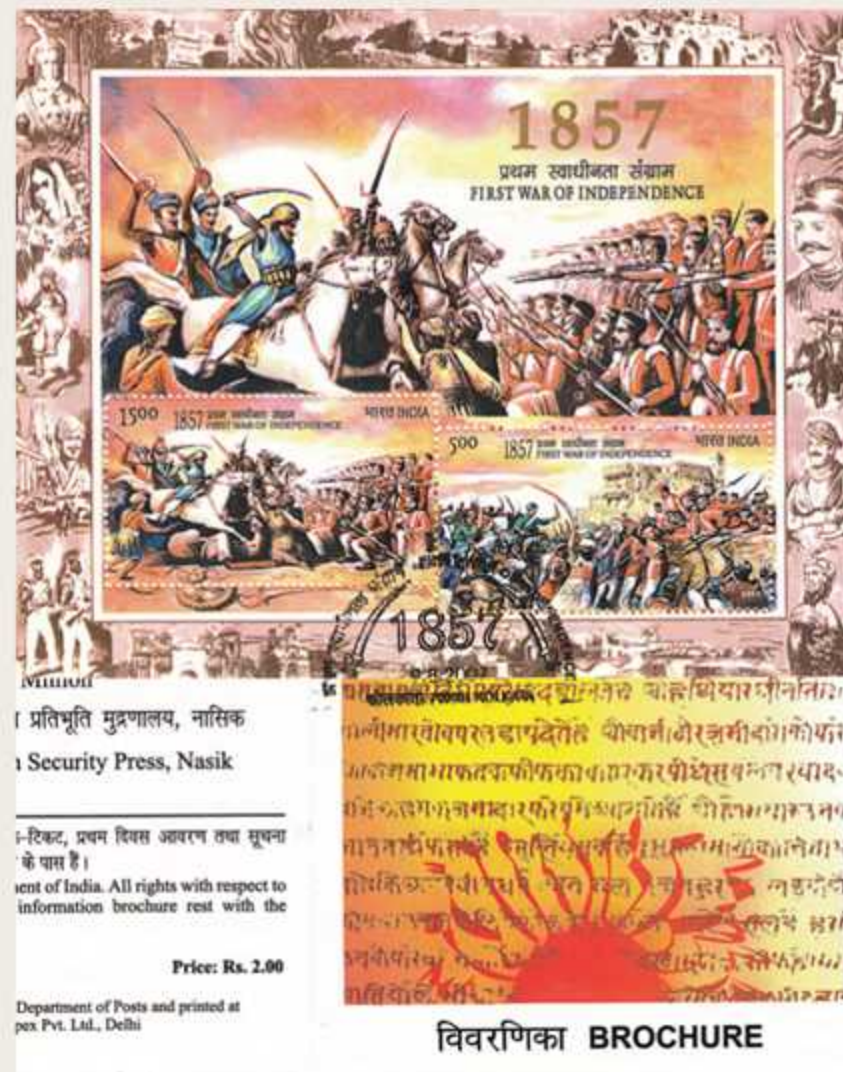
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Fragrance of Roses
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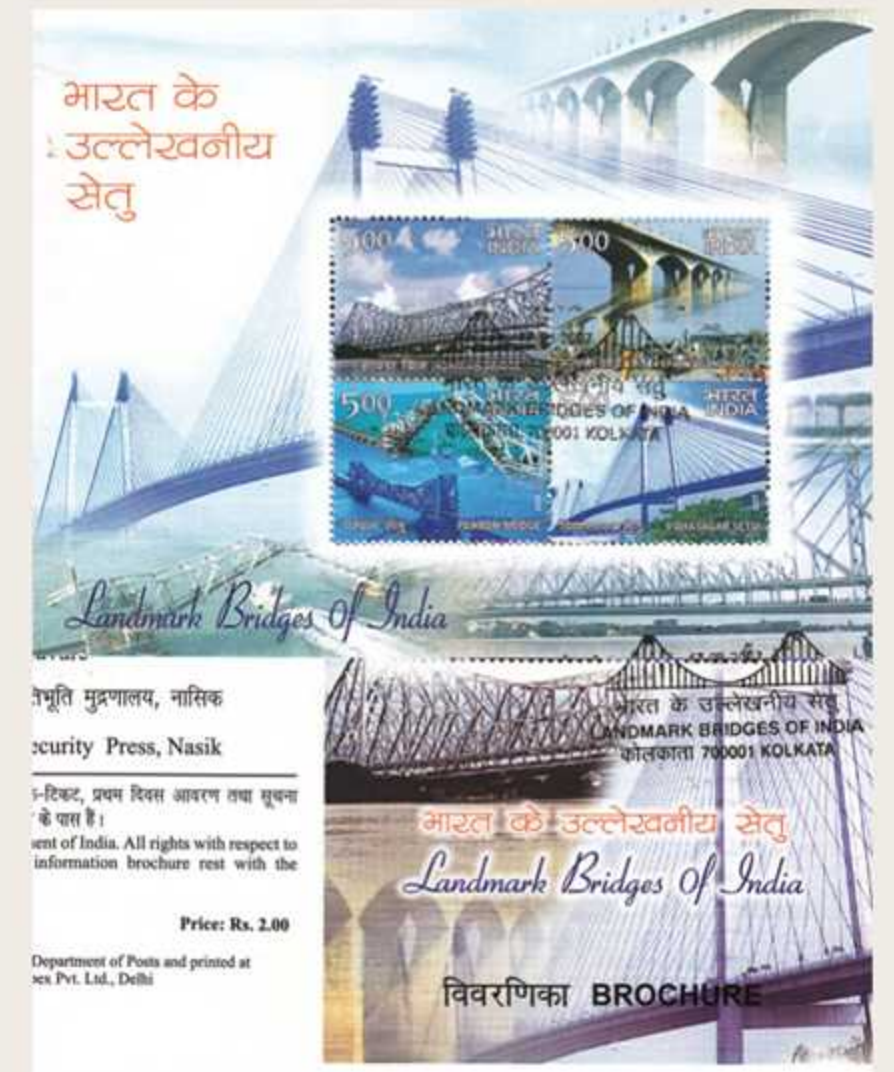
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9/8/2007
150 Years of First War of Independence
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Landmark Bridges of India
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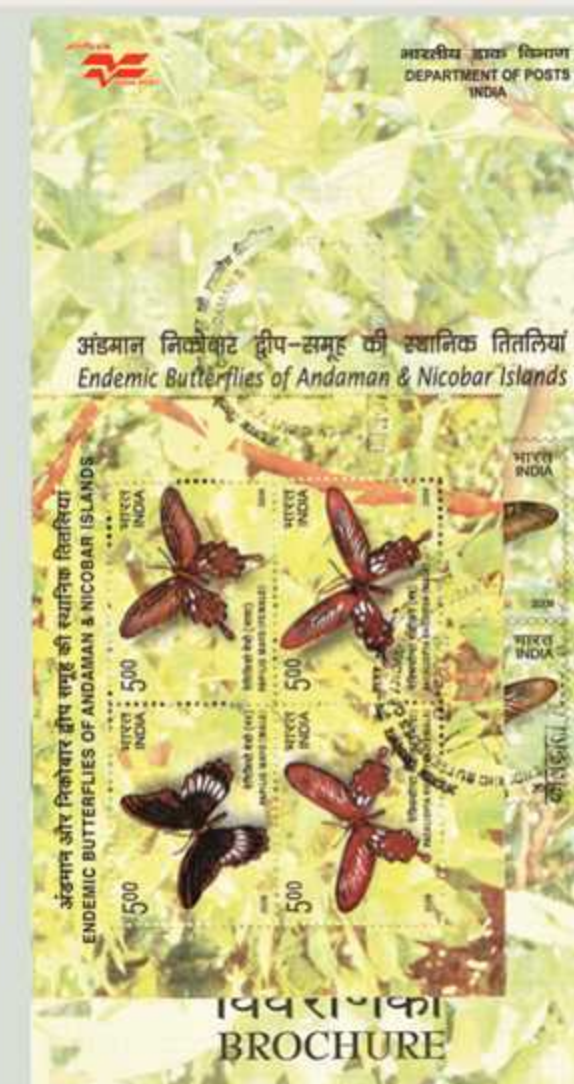
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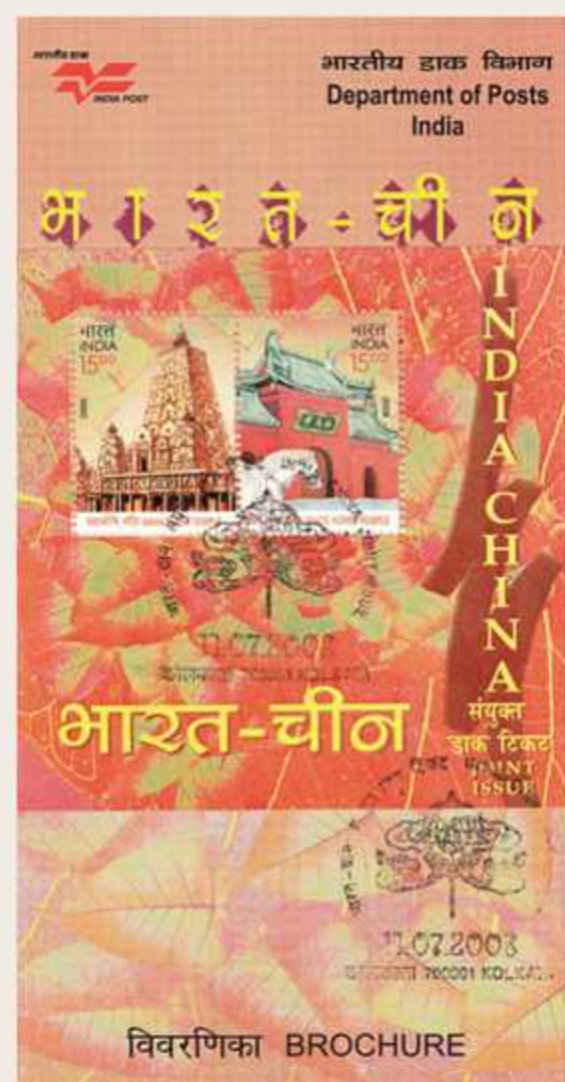
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Jasmine
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17/5/2008
30th Anniversary of the Aga Khan Foundation
₹ 200



MS 08_Folder_56
11/7/2008
India-China Relationship (Joint Issue)
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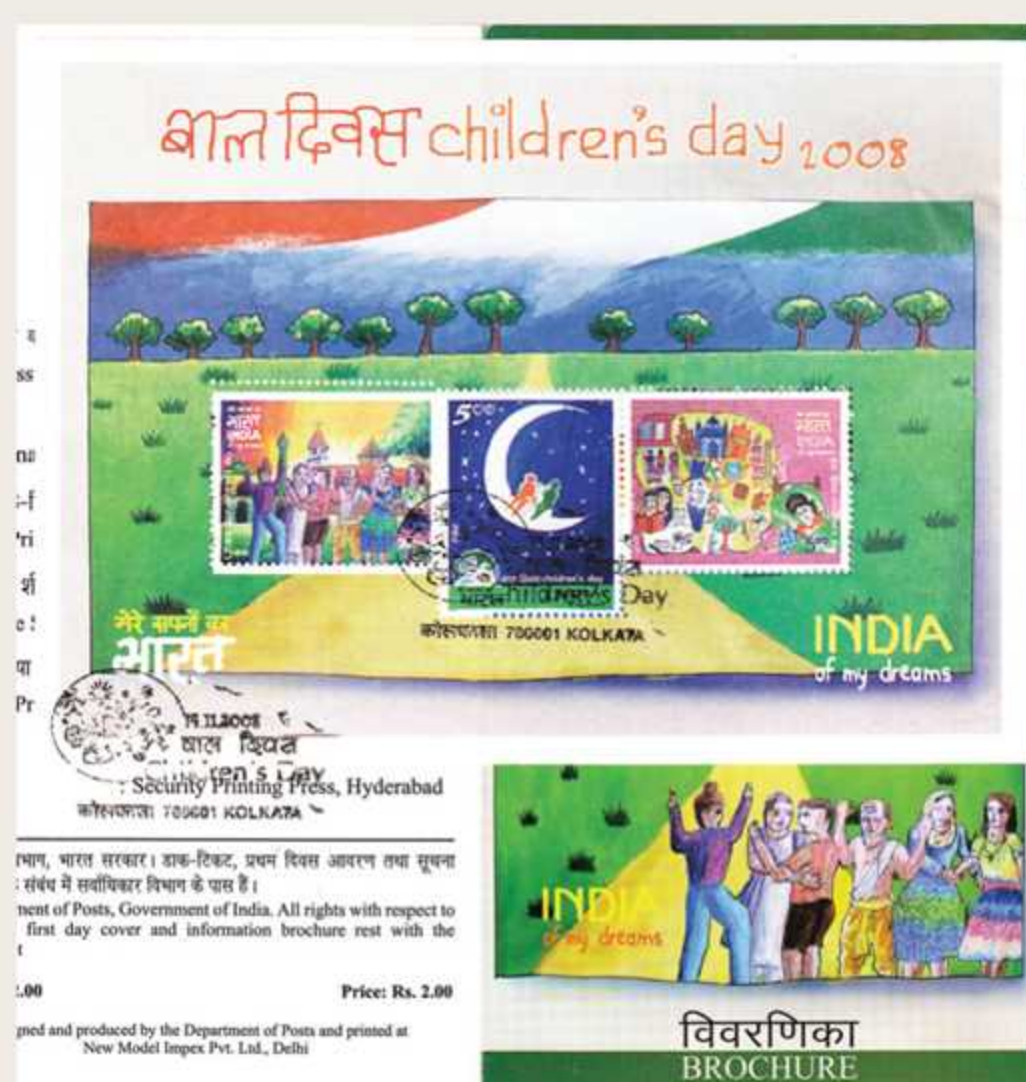
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Philately Day
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MS 08_Folder_62
18/10/2008
19th Commonwealth Games, New Delhi (2010)
₹ 100



MS 08_Folder_63
14/11/2008
National Children's Day - 'India of My Dreams'
₹ 150



MS 08_Folder_64
16/11/2008
Canonisation of St. Alphonsa Muttathupadathu
₹ 200



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14/12/2008

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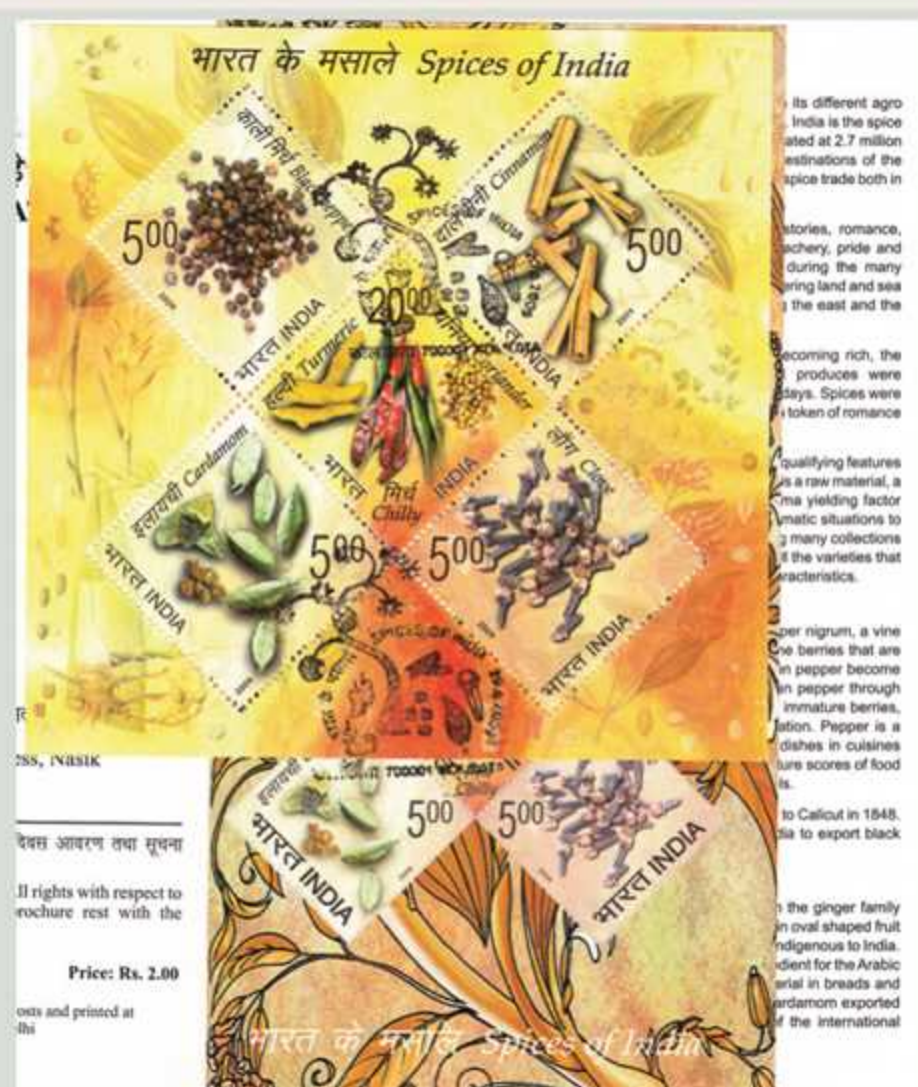
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10th Anniversary of Brahmos
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MS 09_Folder_68
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Heritage Monuments Preservation by INTACH :
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29/4/2009
Spices of India
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Rampur Raja Library, Uttar Pradesh
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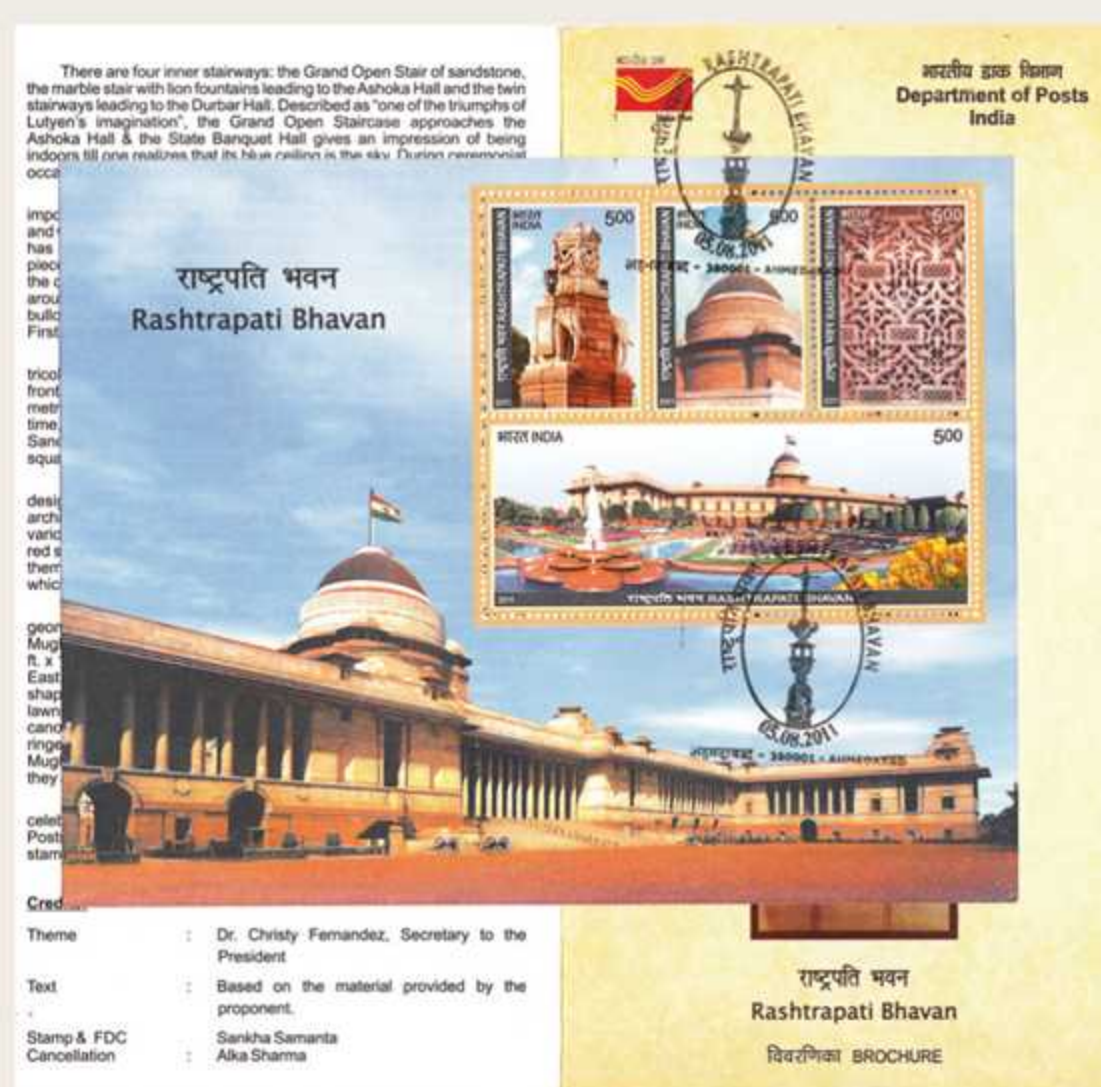


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Indipex 2011 Khadi Stamp of Gandhi issued as MS
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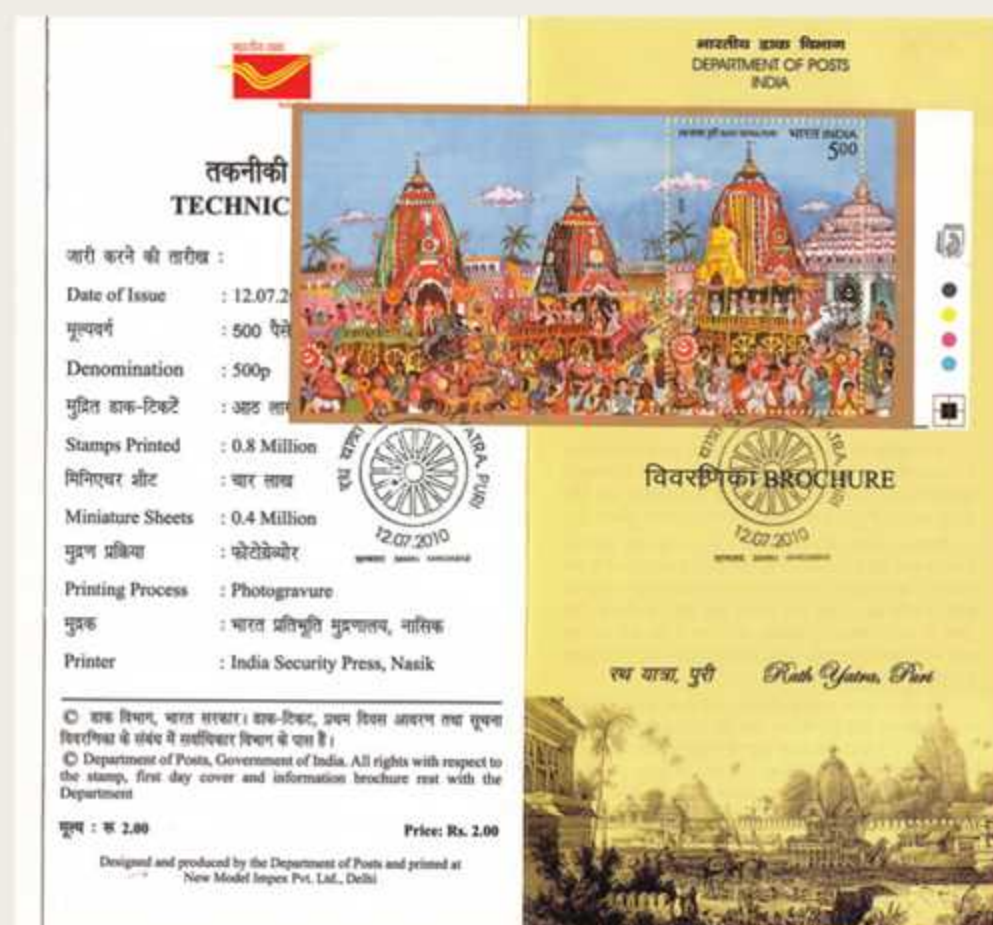
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Rath Yatra Puri



MS 10 Folder_85c
12/7/2010
Rath Yatra Puri



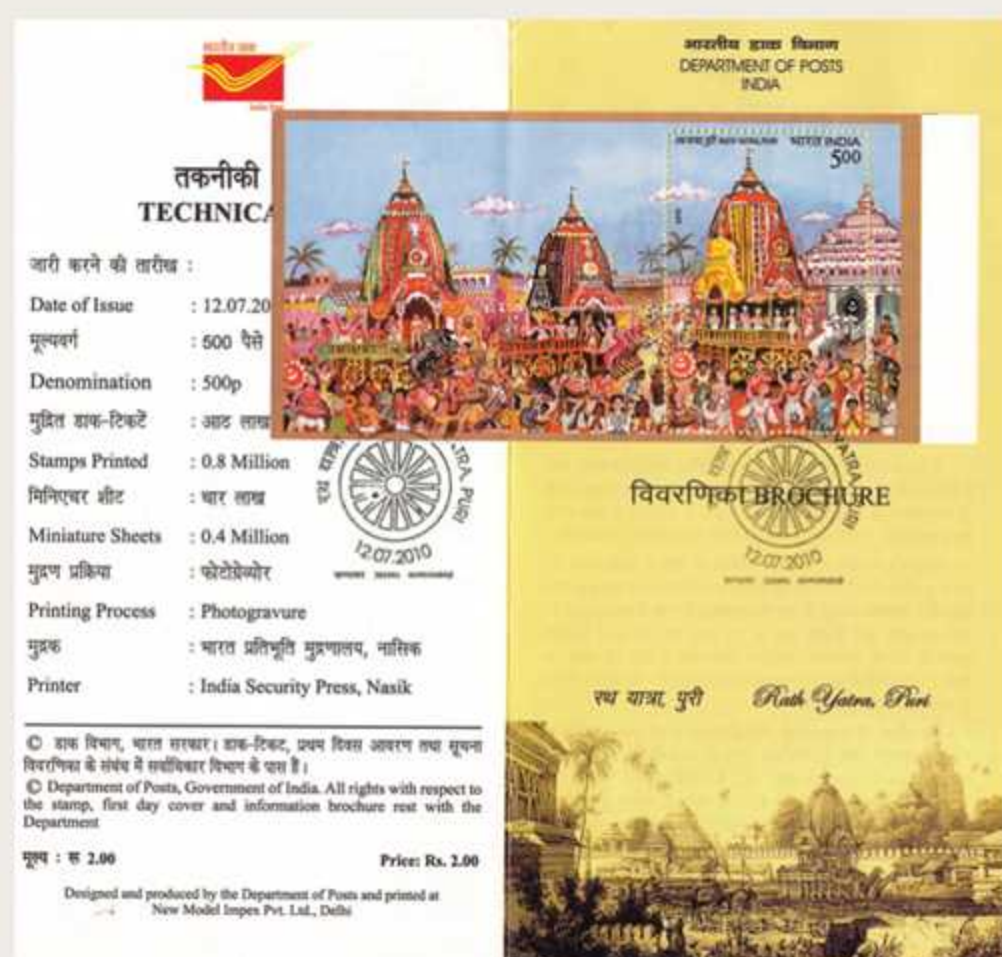
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Rath Yatra Puri



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Rath Yatra Puri



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Rath Yatra Puri



MS 10 Folder_85g
12/7/2010
Rath Yatra Puri



MS 10 Folder_85h
12/7/2010
Rath Yatra Puri



MS 10 Folder_85i
12/7/2010
Rath Yatra Puri

Bulletin Folders



PHILATELIC BULLETIN No. 1.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL,
POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS,
New Delhi, the 5th January, 1950

REPUBLIC OF INDIA
COMMEMORATION STAMPS

A new series of Postage stamps commemorating the inauguration of the Republic of India will be issued by the Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department on January 26, 1950. This comprises of a set of four stamps in denominations of 2 annas, 3 annas, 4 annas and 12 annas.

The designs are simple and symbolic. The first in the series *vis.*, 2 annas, depicts a boy and a girl watching a procession of cavaliers carrying flags and blowing trumpets which herald India's attainment of full nationhood. The second in the series *vis.*, 3 annas, depicts a quill dipped into an inkpot with a number of leaflets in the background inscribed in Hindi with Mahatma Gandhi's favourite hymn 'Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram' and is illustrative of India's nation building programme in the realm of Education. The third in the series *vis.*, 4 annas, shows an ear of grain set vertically in the centre with an indigenous ploughshare placed diagonally behind a star-spangled background and is symbolic of India as an essentially agricultural country. The fourth and the last in the series is the 12 annas denomination. This depicts an indigenous handloom (Charkha), symbolic of India's Cottage Industry and of her progressive evolution with each round of the wheel. In the background is a piece of cloth which is hand spun and hand woven and which in its turn symbolises the importance of the 'Charkha' in India's rural economy.

The words 'Republic of India' and 'Inauguration January 26, 1950' are inscribed along the sides of the stamps. On one of the sides appear the word 'POSTAGE' and the denominational value in English. In the top right hand corner of the inset is inscribed the word 'BHARAT' and the value of the stamp in Hindi (Devanagiri) script.

The colours are Red, Blue, Violet and Maroon respectively.

There are 13 perforations in each stamp.

The stamps have been printed on watermark paper bearing a multiple of five pointed star all over.

The printing process employed is 'Offset'.

Except the 3 annas value, which is vertical in design, the remaining three values are horizontal, each measuring 1.14" x 1.54".

The number of stamps in a full sheet of each denomination is 128.

The 2 annas denomination is intended for inland postage, the 3 annas for foreign letter mail, the 4 annas for registration and 12 annas for foreign air mail.

The stamps have been printed in limited quantities and will remain on sale concurrently with the corresponding denominations in the existing series until stocks are exhausted.

The stamps were designed by Messrs. D. J. Keymer & Co. Ltd., Calcutta, and have been printed by the India Security Press, Nasik Road.

Simultaneously with these commemoratives, a First Day Cover and a Folder will also be brought out. The designs for these have been obtained through the courtesy of the Commercial Arts Section of Sir J.J. School of Arts, Bombay.

The price of the First Day Cover is 1 anna while that of the Folder is Rs.1/9/6 inclusive of the values of stamps. The stamps in the folder are affixed by means of hinges. For persons buying First Day Covers in bulk, the price has been fixed at Rs.1/4/- for a packet of 25 envelopes or Rs.5/- for a hundred.

A special cancellation postmark has also been designed for use on the day of issue of these stamps, *vis.*, January 26, 1950, but the use of this cachet has been restricted to the Philatelic Bureaux at Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Simla, New Delhi, Lucknow, Patna, Cuttack, Shillong and Nagpur. The new cachet bears the name of the Post Office in Hindi script and the date *vis.*, '26-1-1950' in international numerals.

Orders for the purchase of these stamps, Folders and First Day Covers may be placed with the Officer-in-Charge of any of the afore-mentioned Philatelic Bureaux, provided that overseas orders will be executed only by the Philatelic Bureaux at Bombay, Calcutta and Madras.

Remittances to cover the cost of the stamps and stationery required must accompany the order and may be sent in cash under insured cover, by money order, crossed cheque payable in India or by means of Bank Draft payable in Indian currency. In all cases orders should include full particulars of remittances made.

K. Prasada
DIRECTOR-GENERAL

SET 50_Bulletin Folder-4
26/1/1950
Inauguration of Republic of India
Value : ₹ 30000

POSTAGE STAMPS OF INDIA

The year 1854 witnessed the issue of India's first lithographed postage stamps after the local Scinde District Dues's earlier issues had been withdrawn. These stamps were printed on watermark paper at the Surveyor General's Press, Calcutta and were without perforation. These are popularly known as India's 'Classics'. From 1855 to 1926, all Indian stamps were printed in London by Messrs. Thomas De La Rue and Co. The process of printing employed was 'typography'. This period which incidentally coincided with no less than three reigns is remarkable for its variety of new emblems, prominent among them being the eight pice issue of 1860. In 1877 the change in the inscription on those stamps from 'East India Postage' to 'India Postage' was a significant event. The latter inscription continues even to this day.

In 1926, India set up her own Security Press at Nasik. To start with, the initial prints of K.O. V., from 9 pice upwards were run off from De La Rue's plates on multiple star watermark paper. Indeed, the first independent emission from this Press was a special air mail set in 1929 followed late in 1931 by the inaugural stamps of New Delhi as the Capital and in 1935 by the Silver Jubilee commemoratives of K.O. V. Designs for King Edward VIII issues had also been struck but these did not go beyond the 'proof' stage. The first series of K.O. VI issues in 1937 carried some of the values in pictorial design and showed the various modes of 'mail' transport in India. Later, the 'Victory' set of 1946 marked the cessation of hostilities after the World War II and with it, the end of the pre-independence phase of the Indian stamps.

The advent of independence on August 15, 1947, however, ushered in a new era in the philatelic history of India's National and International events of great significance followed one another in quick succession and appropriately enough, were celebrated by the issue of the undermentioned series of stamps:-

India Independence	(1947) Archaeological series (1949)
First Flight of the Air India International	U. P. U.
(Bombay-London)	(1949) Republic of India (1950)
	Geological Centenary (1951)
	Mahatma Gandhi Memorial (1949) Asian Games (1951)

Excepting the Gandhi Memorials, which were printed by Photogravure in Switzerland on paper without watermark, the rest of the Nasik issues were printed by the Offset and Letterpress processes.

The stamps, whose facsimiles appear in this pamphlet, are the first issues printed by 'Photogravure' in this country and are thus a landmark in the evolution of Indian stamps.

Issued by
INDIAN POSTS & TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT

INDIA POSTAGE STAMPS
SAINT POETS
AND
POETS SERIES
1952

INDIA'S FIRST SERIES OF STAMPS BY PHOTOGRAVURE

KABIR A mystic saint of the 15th century. His couplets in easy and intelligible Hindi have an irresistible appeal. Adapted from a painting in the State Museum, Lucknow. Denomination 9 Pies Colour Yellow Green		SURDAS The blind saint poet of the 15th-16th century. Author of 'Sursagar' and an exponent of 'Bhakti' cult. Adapted from a painting in the Department of Archaeology, New Delhi. Denomination 4 annas Colour Blue	
TULSIDAS A celebrated saint poet of the 16th-17th century and author of Ramcharitmanas, popular Hindi version of the great Indian epic, Ramayana. Adapted from a painting in the Bharat Kala Bhawan, Banaras. Denomination 1 anna Colour Crimson		GHALIB A famous Urdu poet of the 19th century. His letters are a masterpiece in Urdu literature. Adapted from a painting in the Library of Nawab Sadat Yar Jung, Hyderabad (Andhra). Denomination 4 annas Colour Magenta	
MEERA A Rajput princess of the 15th-16th century. Her devotional songs are a favourite in Indian homes. Adapted from a painting in the House of Kishangarh. Denomination 2 annas Colour Scarlet		TAGORE Poet, dramatist and philosopher of the 19th-20th century. Internationally famous, the 'Gitanjali' won him the Nobel Prize in literature. Adapted from a photograph in the Vasa Bhawan, Santiniketan. Denomination 12 annas Colour Dark Brown	

The Stamps will be available on and from October 1, 1952 at all important Post Offices and the Philatelic Bureaux, Bombay, Calcutta, Cuttack, Lucknow, Madras, Nagpur, New Delhi, Patna, Shillong and Simla. Special cancellations will be provided at the philatelic bureaux only on the first day of issue. First Day Covers and small albums (with a complete set of stamps mounted on hinges) in attractive designs will also be available for sale at these bureaux. The price of the First Day Cover is 1 anna 3 pice and of the album Rs. 2/- net.

Overseas orders should be addressed to the Presidency Post Master, G. P. O. Bombay, Calcutta or Madras together with remittances by means of Bank Drafts or Crossed Cheques encashable in India.

SET 52_Bulletin Folder-6
1/10/1952
Indian Saints & Poets
Value : ₹ 10000
(Uncancelled & in pristine condition)

Information Brochures



Private Folder



Display Cards for Publicity



SET 47_Publicity Card Folder_1
21/11/1947 & 15/12/1947
Independence
Value : ₹ 5000

GANDHI CENTENARY STAMPS

INDIAN POSTS AND TELEGRAPH

These stamps are printed at the India Security Press, Nasik Road, on unwater-marked paper by photogravure process and will be released on the 2nd October, 1969.

- Two First Day Covers in different designs will be brought out and sold at 10 P. each (blank) and Rs. 7.05 each (affixed with four stamps and cancelled).
- The following items of Pictorial Gandhi Stationery each in three different designs will also be brought out for release on the 2nd October, 1969.
 1. Post Card 10 P
 2. Inland Letter Card 15 P.
 3. Aerogrammes 25 P. & 85 P.

An attractive Publicity Brochure will also be available for sale at 50 P. each.

TECHNICAL DATA	
DENOMINATION	20 P.
OVERALL SIZE	3.34X2.88 cms
PRINTING SIZE	2.98X2.52 cms
NUMBER PER ISSUE	42
SHEET	42
COLOR	Brown
PERFORATION	14X13 1/2
QUANTITY PRINTED	8 million
DESIGNED BY	Shri Suraj Sridh, Artist of Delhi
DESCRIPTION OF DESIGN	The stamp depicts Gandhi with Kasturba

DENOMINATION	75 P.
OVERALL SIZE	3.91X2.90 cms
PRINTING SIZE	3.56X2.54 cms
NUMBER PER ISSUE	35
SHEET	35
COLOR	Orange & Raw Sienna
PERFORATION	13X13
QUANTITY PRINTED	3.5 million
DESIGNED BY	Shri P. B. Chitambar, Designer, India Security Press, Nasik Rd.
DESCRIPTION OF DESIGN	The stamp depicts Gandhi in a happy mood

DENOMINATION	Rs. 1/-
OVERALL SIZE	4.06X2.28 cms
PRINTING SIZE	3.80X2.00 cms
NUMBER PER ISSUE	50
SHEET	50
COLOR	Bronze Blue
PERFORATION	14 1/2 X 14
QUANTITY PRINTED	2.25 million
DESIGNED BY	India Security Press on Shri P. B. Chitambar, Designer, India Security Press, Nasik Rd.
DESCRIPTION OF DESIGN	The stamp depicts Gandhi on the Dandi March

DENOMINATION	Rs. 5/-
OVERALL SIZE	3.91X2.90 cms
PRINTING SIZE	3.56X2.54 cms
NUMBER PER ISSUE	35
SHEET	35
COLOR	Brilliant Orange & Brown
PERFORATION	13X13
QUANTITY PRINTED	1.5 million
DESIGNED BY	Shri C.R. Pakrashi, Artist of Delhi.
DESCRIPTION OF DESIGN	The stamp depicts Gandhi at the spinning wheel. The Lotus are shown as symbols of 'Truth' and 'Non-Violence'.

SET 69_Publicity Card Folder_23
2/10/1969
Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi
Value : ₹ 750

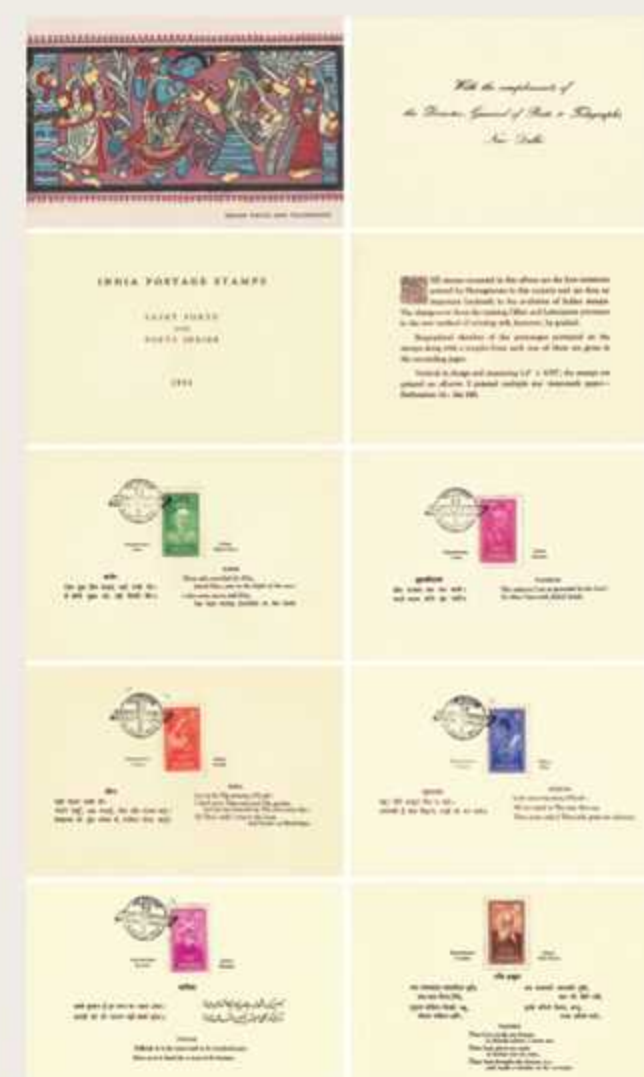
VIP Booklet-Folders



SET 49_Presentation Folder_3
10/10/1949 & 26/01/1950
75th Anniversary of Formation of
Universal Postal Union (U.P.U.) & Republic of India
Value : ₹ 3500



SET 50_VIP Folder_4
26/1/1950
Inauguration of Republic of India
Value : ₹ 2000



SET 52_Silk - VIP Folder_6
1/10/1952
Indian Saints & Poets
Value : ₹ 7000



SET 52_VIP Folder_6
1/10/1952
Indian Saints & Poets
Value : ₹ 3500



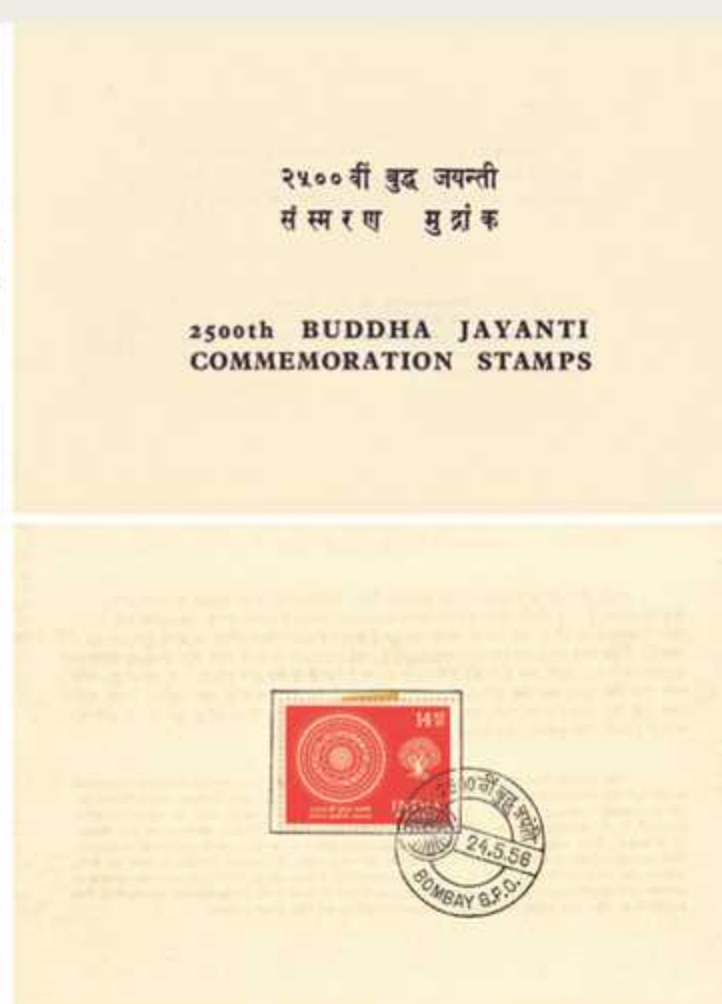
SET 53_VIP Folder_8
1/11/1953
Centenary of Indian Telegraphs
Value : ₹ 800



SET 54_VIP Folder_9
1/10/1954
Postage Stamp Centenary
Value : ₹ 750



SET 56_Booklet Folder_10
24/5/1956
2500th Buddha Jayanti
Value : ₹ 1000



SET 63_VIP Folder_19
7/10/1963
Wild Life Preservation
Value : ₹ 1500

Souvenir Albums



SET 37_PRE-IND-Folder-4&5

23/8/1937 & 15/12/1937

King George VI Coronation &
Modes of Mail Transport in use in India with head of King George VI at right
Value : ₹ 8000



SET 54_Souvenir Album with Stamps_9
Value : ₹ 75000



SET 48_Souvenir Album_2a
15/8/1948

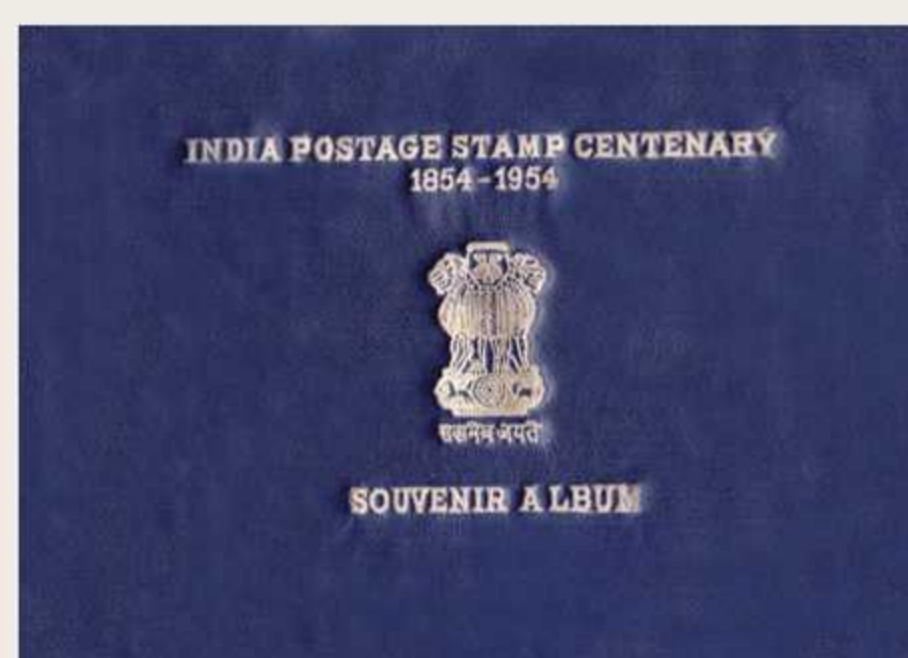
First Anniversary of Independence-Mahatma Gandhi mourning Issue
(Souvenir Album from Swiss Firm - Courvoisier, La Chaux de Fonds)
Extremely Rare



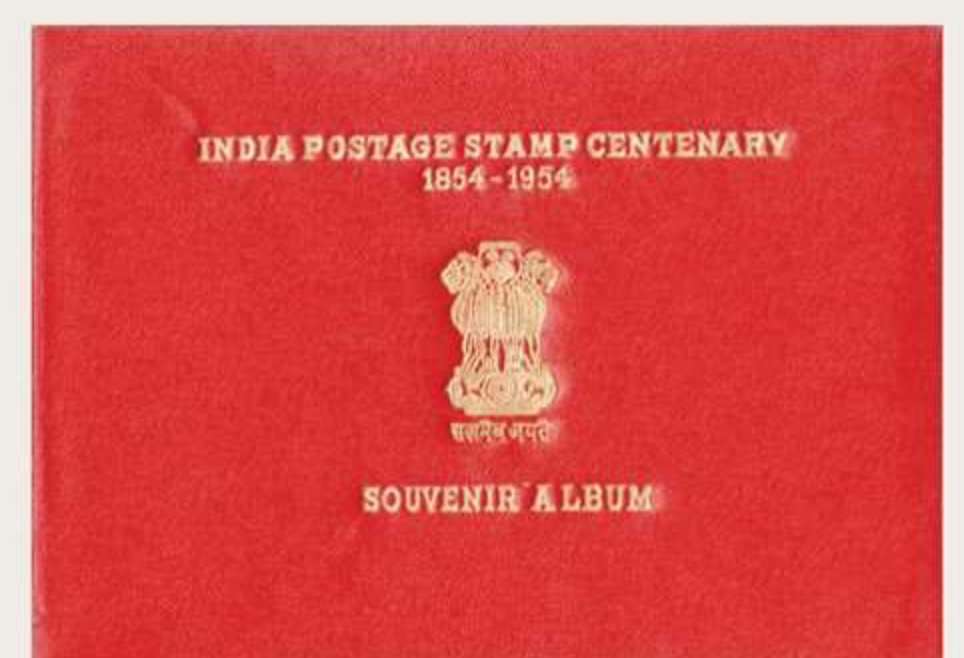
SET 54_Souvenir Fascimille Album (Green)_9a
1/10/1954
Postage Stamp Centenary
Value : ₹ 2000 (₹ 12000 Set of 4 Souvenir Albums)



SET 54_Souvenir Fascimille Album (Black)_9b
Value : ₹ 2000



SET 54_Souvenir Fascimille Album (Blue)_9c
Value : ₹ 5000

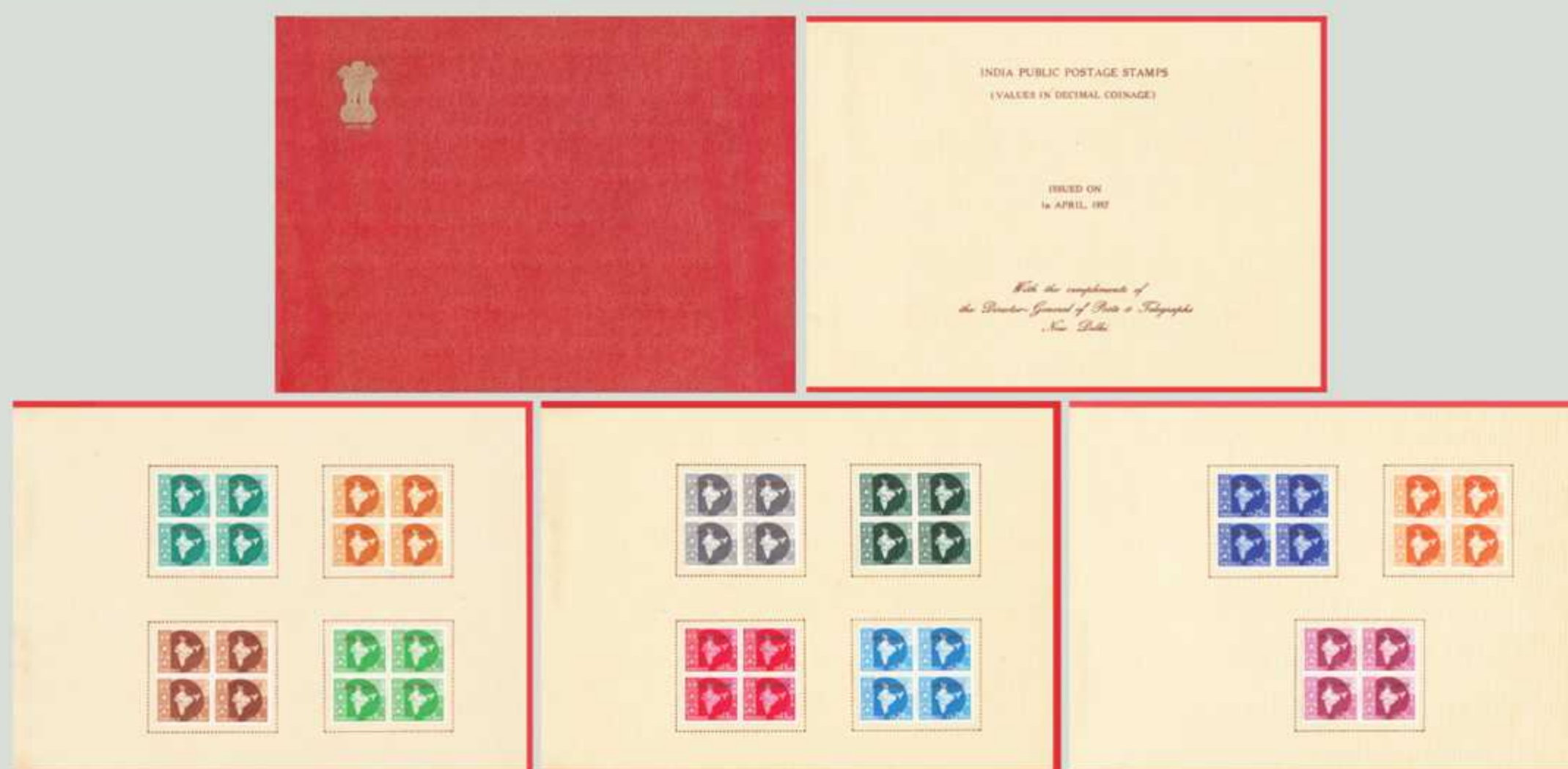


SET 54_Souvenir Fascimille Album (Red)_9d
Value : ₹ 3000

Souvenir Albums



SET 55_Souvenir Album (2nd Series-Def)_3
26/1/1955
Five Year Plan Series
Value : ₹ 15000



SET 57_Souvenir Album (3rd Series-Def)_4
1/4/1957
Map of India Series - Star Watermark
Value : ₹ 25000



SET 64_VIP Presentation Album_20a
23/1/1964
67th Birth Anniversary of Subhash Chandra Bose (Freedom Fighter)
Value : ₹ 3000

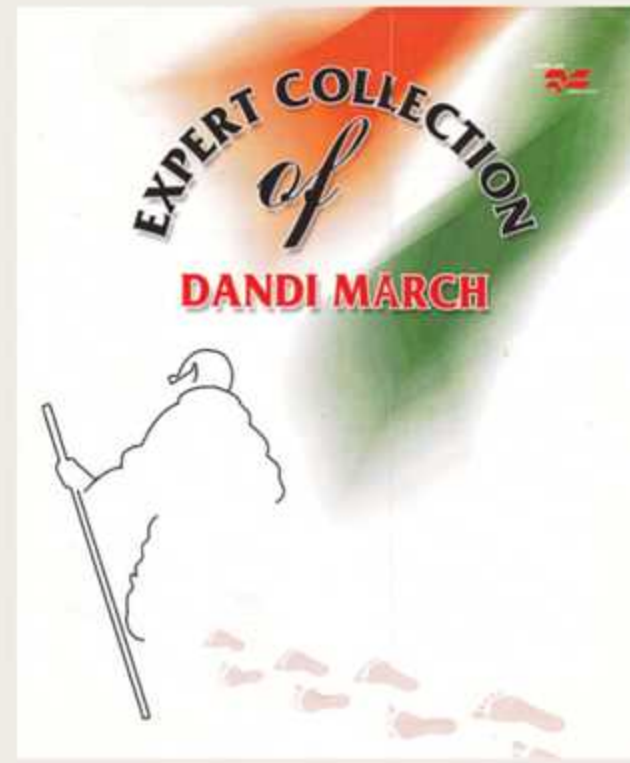


SET 69_Dignatary Album with Stamps_23a
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Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi
Value : ₹ 4000

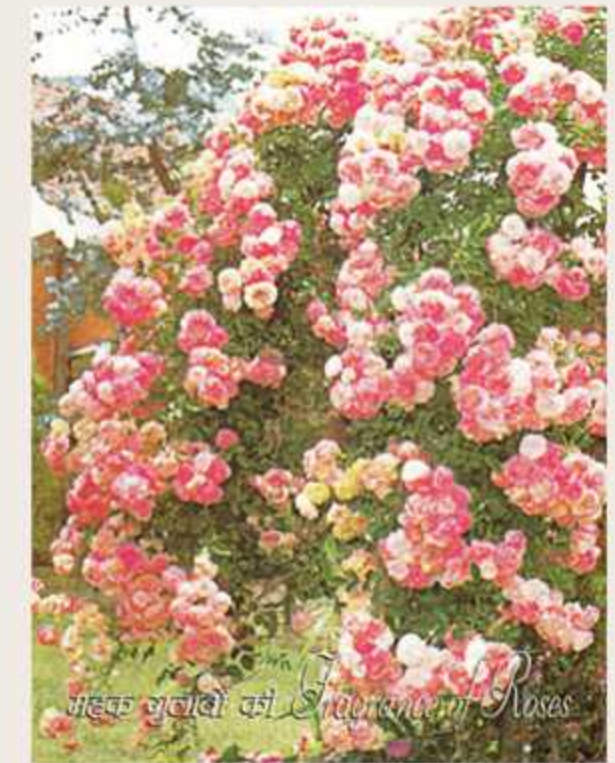
Glimpses of Presentation Packs



PP 05_RP-Calicut_2
2004-2005
India Post Sesquicentennial
Year Remembrance Pack
Calicut Philatelic Bureau



PP 05_RP-Calicut_1
14/12/2005
Expert Collection of Dandi March
Sheet of Gandhi Stamps
Calicut Philatelic Bureau



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7/2/2007
Roses : Scented Stamps
Miniature Sheet
India Post



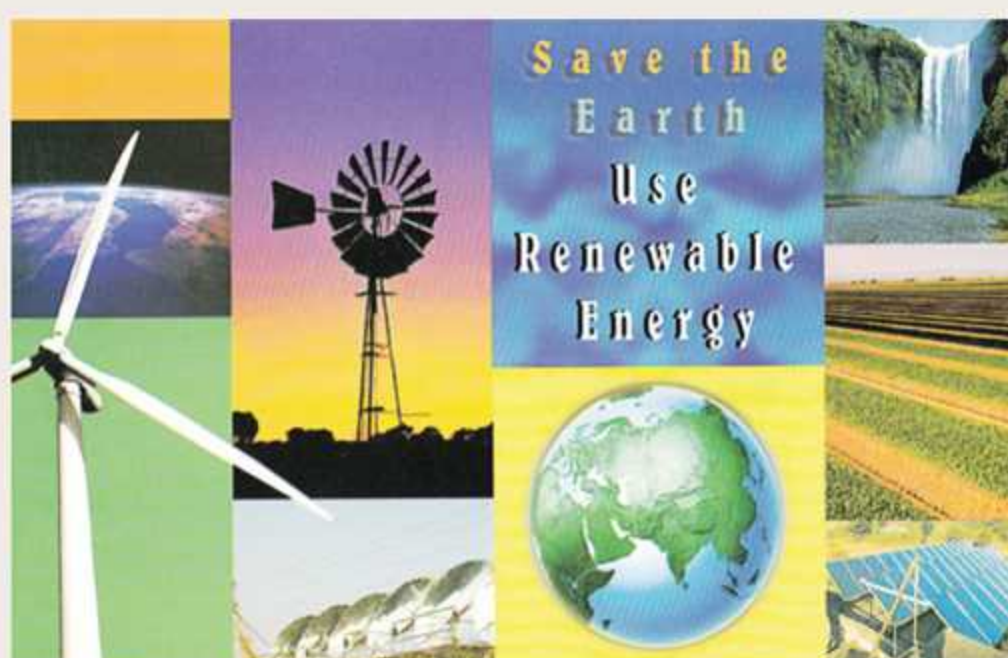
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Buddha
Miniature Sheet
India Post



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2/10/2007
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Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure,
plus Special Cover for International Day of Non Violence
India Post



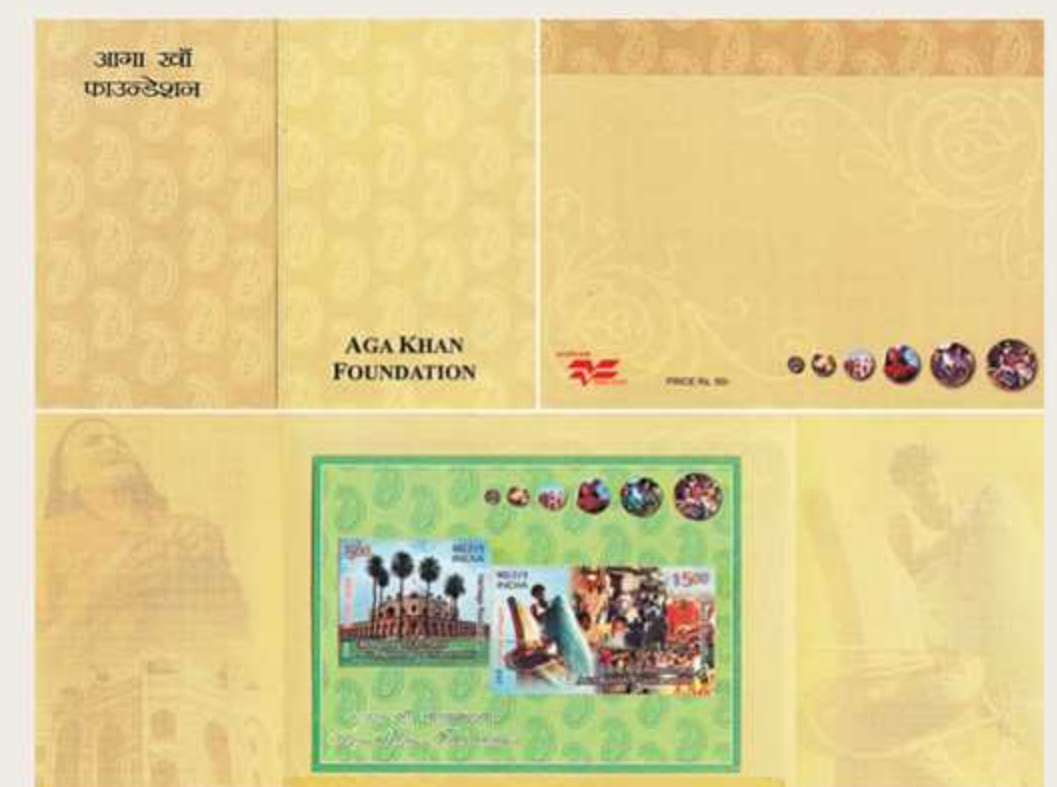
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8/10/2007
Indian Air Force
Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure
India Post



PP 07_IP_Renewable Energy_8
22/11/2007
Renewable Energy
Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure
India Post



PP 08_IP_Butterflies_11
2/1/2008
Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands
Miniature Sheet and FDC
India Post



PP 08_IP_Aga Khan_16
17/5/2008
Aga Khan Foundation
Miniature Sheet
India Post

Glimpses of Presentation Packs



PP 08_IP_Tortoise_18
2/8/2008
Aldabra Giant Tortoise
Sheetlet of 13 stamps of Rs 15
India Post



PP 08_IP_Festivals_21
7/10/2008
Festivals of India
Miniature Sheet, FDC & Brochure
India Post



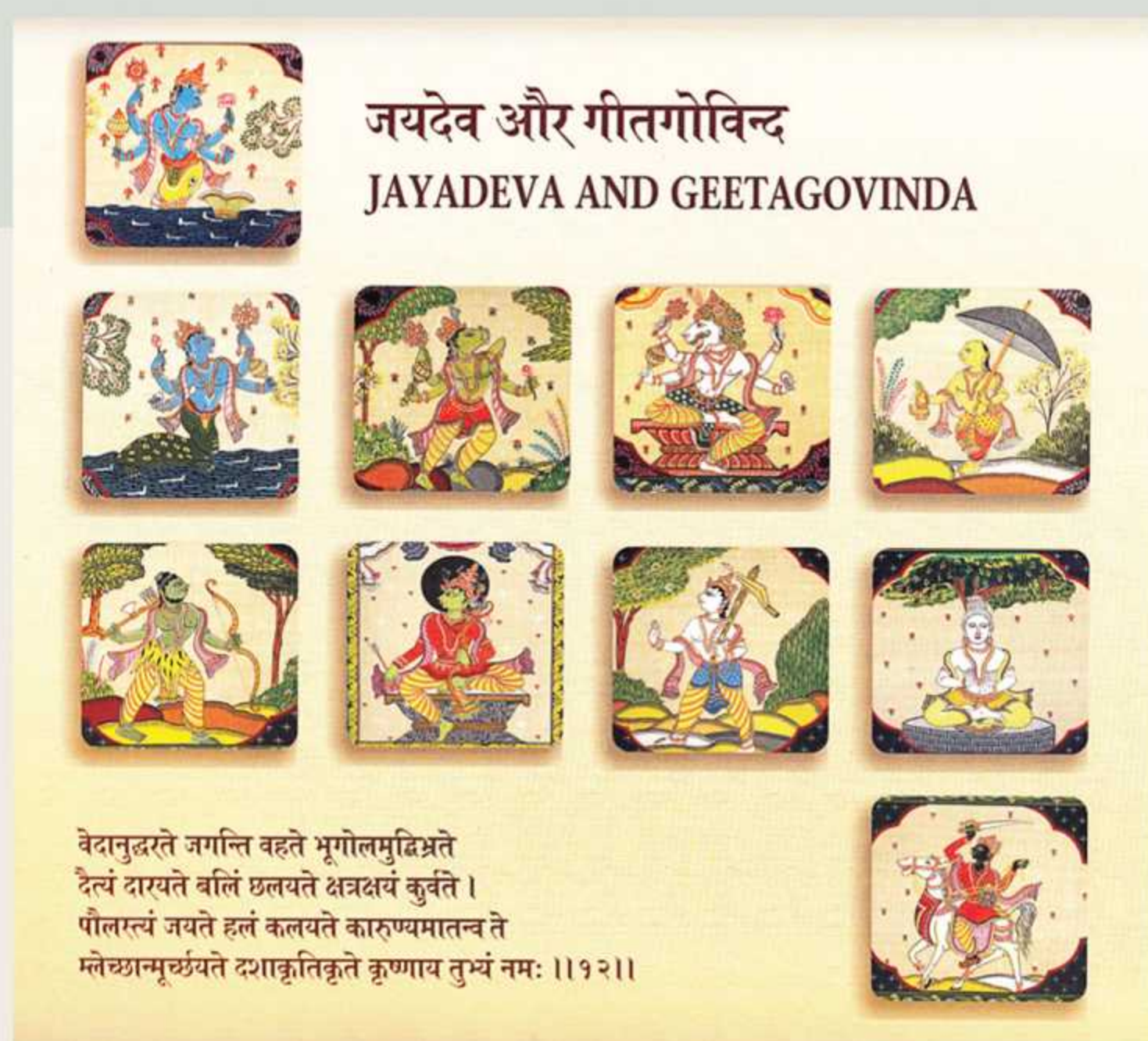
PP 08_IP_Police Academy_27
27/11/2008
National Police Academy
Miniature Sheet, FDC & Brochure
India Post



PP 08_IP_Brahmos_30
22/12/2008
Brahmos Cruise Missile
Miniature Sheet, FDC
India Post



PP 09_IP_Spices_36
29/4/2009
Spices of India
Miniature Sheet, FDC
India Post



PP 09_IP_Geet Govinda_38
27/7/2009
Jayadeva & Geetagovinda
Sheetlet, 2 FDCs & Brochure
India Post

The Checklists

- (i) Total issue of Commemorative Stamps, Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheets
- (ii) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' Pre-Independence India
- (iii) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' Commemorative
- (iv) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' Definitive Regular
- (v) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' Definitive Military
- (vi) FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' Service
- (vii) FDCs with Se-tenant Stamps
- (viii) FDCs with 'Se-tenant Stamps' of India Possible from MS
- (ix) FDCs with MS
- (x) Presentation Packs

Total issue of Commemorative Stamps, Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheets

Year	Stamps	Set of Stamps	Se-tenant	Miniature Sheets		Year	Stamps	Set of Stamps	Se-tenant	Miniature Sheets
1947	3	1				1981	37	4		
1948	5	1				1982	38	6		
1949	4	1				1983	36	6	1	
1950	4	1				1984	33	4	1	
1951	3	1				1985	38	2	2	
1952	6	1				1986	29	5	1	
1953	5	2				1987	56	7		2
1954	6	1				1988	57	6	1	
1955						1989	51	1		
1956	3	1				1990	35	4	2	
1957	9	3				1991	56	6	4	
1958	8	1				1992	39	4	2	
1959	4					1993	35	2		
1960	7	1				1994	35		4	
1961	16	2				1995	34	1	2	1
1962	15					1996	43	4	1	1
1963	15	2				1997	72	2	7	1
1964	16	1				1998	67	2	4	
1965	13					1999	62	8	1	
1966	16					2000	68	10	12	3
1967	17					2001	75	9	6	
1968	23	2				2002	54	5	3	4
1969	25	1				2003	71	7	10	9
1970	24	1				2004	55	3	6	6
1971	18					2005	49		4	4
1972	16	2				2006	65	1	10	6
1973	34	3		1		2007	72	8	11	11
1974	30	5	1	2		2008	79	8	9	16
1975	43	5	1			2009	107	9	9	12
1976	37	3				2010	91	11	8	12
1977	37	5				2011	62	8		9
1978	34	3				2012	45	7	4	6
1979	22	2				Total	2303	215	128	106
1980	39	3	1							

FDCs with 'Set of Stamps' of Pre-Independence India

Sr. No.	Date	Heading	Description	Denominations	Stamps	FDC	Folder
SET 29_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_1	22/10/1929 & 20/12/1929	Airmail Series	Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) Perf: 13/12x14 Offset Litho (1 Stamp)	3a, 4a, 6a, 8a, 12a (5 Stamps) + 2a	5+1		
SET 31_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_2	9/2/1931	Inauguration of New Delhi	(1) 1/4a (Purana Qilla), 1/2a (War Memorial Arch-India Gate), 1a (Council House), 2a (Viceroy's House), 3a Government of India Secretariat & 1r (Dominion Column & Secretariat). (2) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (3) Perf: 13/12x14 (4) Offset Litho	1/4a, 1/2a, 1a, 2a, 3a & 1r	6		
SET 35_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_3	6/5/1935	Silver Jubilee of King George V's reign	(1) 1/2a (Gateway of India, Bombay), 9p (Victoria Memorial, Calcutta), 1a (Rameswaram Temple), 1 1/4a (Taj Mahal-Agra), 2 2/1a (Golden Temple, Amritsar) & 8a (Pagoda in Mandalay, Burma) (2) Watermark: Multi Star (Sideways) (3) Perf: 13/12x14 (4) Offset Litho	1/2a, 9p, 1a, 1 1/4a, 2 1/2a, 3 1/2a & 8a	7		
SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_4	23/8/1937	King George VI Coronation	Watermark: Multi Star Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE"	9p & 1a	2		
SET 37_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_5	15/12/1937	Modes of Mail Transport in use in India with head of King George VI at right	Watermark: Multi Star Perf: 13/12x14 (upto 12a) & 14x13 1/2 (Rupee values) Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE"	2a, 2a 6p, 3a, 3a, 6p, 4a, 6a, 8a & 12a	8		
SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_6	2/1/1946	Victory of Allied Powers in World War II	Watermark: Multi Star Perf: 13 Litho Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE"	1 1/2a & 3 1/2a	2		
SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_7	8/2/1946	Victory of Allied Powers in World War II	Watermark: Multi Star Perf: 13 Litho Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE"	9p & 12a	2		
SET 46_FDC (PRE-IND-PVT)_8	2/9/1946 (Cancellation on Victory Stamps)	Victory of Allied Powers in World War II	Watermark: Multi Star Perf: 13 Litho Inscribed "INDIA POSTAGE"	9p & 12a	2		

FDCs of 'Set of Stamps' - Commemoratives

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SET 47_FDC_1	21/11/1947 & 15/12/1947	Independence	1 1/2 Anna, 3 1/2Anna &12 Anna (3)		
SET 48_FDC_2	15/8/1948	1st Anniversary of Independence. Mahatma Gandhi mourning issue	1 1/2 Anna, 3 1/2Anna, 12 Anna, 10 Rs - (4)		
SET 49_FDC_3	10/10/1949	75th Anniversary of Formation of Universal Postal Union (UPU)	9 Pies, 2 Anna, 3 1/2 Anna, 12 Anna - (4)		
SET 50_FDC_4a, 4b & 4c	26/1/1950	Republic of India-3 Official FDCs-Long, Small & Big	2 Annas, 3 1/2Anna, 4 Anna, 12 Anna - (4)		
SET 51_FDC_5	4/3/1951	First Asian Games	2 Annas, 12 Anna - (2)		
SET 52_FDC_6	1/10/1952	Indian Saints & Poets-Kabir, Tusidas, Meerabai, Surdas, Ghalib & Rabindranath_Hindi & English Cancellations	9 Pies,1 Anna, 2 Anna, 4 Anna,4 1/2 Anna, 12 Anna - (6)		
SET 53_FDC_7	2/10/1953	Conquest of Mount Everest	2 Anna, 14 Anna - (2)		
SET 53_FDC_8	1/11/1953	Centenary of Indian Telegraphs	2 Anna, 12 Anna - (2)		
SET 54_FDC_9	1/10/1954	Postage Stamp Centenary	1 Anna, 2 Anna, 4 Anna, 14 Anna - (4)		
SET 56_FDC_10	24/05/1956	2500th Buddha Jayanti	2 Anna, 14 Anna - (2)		
SET 57_FDC_11a & 11b	15/8/1957	Indian Mutiny Centenary-FDCs with Official cancellations of 15/8/1957 & 16/8/1957	15np, 90np - (2)		
SET 57_FDC_12	14/11/1957	National Children's Day	8np, 15np, 90np - (3)		
SET 57_FDC_13	31/12/1957	Centenary of Indian Universities-Bombay, Calcutta & Madras	10np x 3 - (3)		
SET 58_FDC_14	30/4/1958	Silver Jubilee of Indian Air Force	15np, 90np - (2)		
SET 60_FDC_15a & 15b	22/6/1960	Kalidasa_ 2 Official FDCs- Long & Small	15np, 1 Re3np - (2)		
SET 61_FDC_16a & 16b	18/2/1961	First Ariel Post Golden Jubilee 1911-1961_2 Varieties of Official FDCs	5np, 15np, 1 Re - (3)		
SET 61_FDC_17	14/12/1961	Centenary of Archeological Survey of India	15np, 90np - (2)		
SET 63_FDC_18	15/8/1963	Defence Campaign	15np, 1 Re - (2)		
SET 63_FDC_19	7/10/1963	Wild Life Preservation-Wild Ox, Himalayan Panda, Indian Elephant, IndianTiger & Indian Lion	10np,15np, 30np,50np,1 Re - (5)		
SET 64_FDC_20a & 20b	23/1/1964	67th Birth Anniversary of Subhashchandra Bose_2 Varieties of Official FDCs	15np, 55np - (2)		
SET 68_FDC_21	12/10/1968	XIX Olympic Games 1968, Mexico City	20p, 1 Re - (2)		
SET 68_FDC_22	31/12/1968	Indian Birds-Magpie, Wood Pecker, Babbler & Sunbird	20p, 50p, 1 Re, 2 Rs. - (4)		
SET 69_FDC_23a & 23b	2/10/1969	Birth Centenary of Mahatma Gandhi-2 Varieties of Official FDCs_Gandhi sitting & Gandhi standing	20p, 75p, 1 Re., 5 Rs. - (4)		
SET 70_FDC_24	23/12/1970	INPEX 70-India National Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi	20p, 1 Re. - (2)		
SET 72_FDC_25	10/8/1972	XX Olympic Games, Munich	20p, 1 Re45p - (2)		
SET 72_FDC_26	16/10/1972	Birth Centenary Series-Bhai Veer Singh, Tanguturi Prakasham, Vemana& Bertrand Russell	20p x 4 - (4)		
SET 72_FDC_27	3/11/1972	ASIA-72 (3rd Asian International Trade Fair, New Delhi)	20p, 1 Re45p - (2)		
SET 73_FDC_28	26/1/1973	25th Anniversary of Independence	20p, 1 Re45p - (2)		
SET 73_FDC_29	5/5/1973	Indian Miniature Paintings-Radha, Kathak, Dholu Maru & Elephant tamed by Prince	20p, 50p, 1 Re, 2 Rs. - (4)		
SET 73_FDC_30	21/7/1973	Centenary Series-Michael Madhusudan Dutt, Vishnu Digambar Paluskar, Dr. G. Armauer Hansen & Nicholus Copernicus	20p, 30p, 50p & 1 Re. - (4)		
SET 73_FDC_31	27/9/1973	Personalities Series-Romesh Chander Dutt, K.S.Ranjitsinhji & Vithalbhai Patel	20p, 30p, 50p - (3)		
SET 73_FDC_32	14/11/1973	INDIPEX-73, India International Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi	20p, 1 Re, 2 Rs.- (3)		
SET 74_FDC_33	15/4/1974	Indian Masks-Sun, Moon, Narasimha & Ravana	20p, 50p, 1 Re, 2 Rs. - (4)		
SET 74_FDC_34	3/7/1974	Indian Personalities Series-Maithilisharan Gupta, Jainarayan Vyas & Utkal Gaurab Madhusudan Das	25p x 3 - (3)		
SET 74_FDC_35	15/7/1974	Personalities Series-Kandukuri Veeresalingam, Tipu Sultan & Max Muller	25p, 50p, 1 Re - (3)		
SET 74_FDC_36	3/10/1974	Centenary of Universal Postal Union	25p, 1 Re, 2 Rs.- (3)		
SET 74_FDC_37	14/11/1974	Children's Day-Cat & Indian Dancers	25p x 2 - (2)		
SET 75_FDC_38	28/4/1975	Indian Birds(2nd Series)-Pitta Brachyura, Oriolus Xanthornus, Trogon Melanocephalus, Lophophorus Impejanus	25, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 75_FDC_39	4/9/1975	Personalities Series-Mir Anees & Ahilyabai Holkar	25 x 2 - (2)		
SET 75_FDC_40	20/10/1975	Indian Classical Dances-Bharat Natyam, Orissi, Kathak, Kathakali, Kuchipudi & Manipuri	25, 50, 75, 100, 150,200 - (6)		

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SET 75_FDC_41	24/10/1975	Personalities Series-V K Krishna Menon, Ameer Khusrau & Bahadur Shah Zafar	25, 50, 100 - (3)		
SET 75_FDC_42	25/12/1975	INPEX-75 Indian National Philatelic Exhibition, Calcutta	25, 200 - (2)		
SET 76_FDC_43	15/5/1976	Indian Locomotives	25, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 76_FDC_44	17/7/1976	XXI Olympic Games, Montreal-Shooting, Shot-Put, Hockey & Sprinting	25, 100, 150, 280 - (4)		
SET 76_FDC_45	1/10/1976	Indian Wild Life-Swamp Deer, Indian Lion, Leopard & Caracal	25, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 77_FDC_46	1/7/1977	Indian Flowers-Lotus, Tree Rhododendron, Kadamba & Gloriosa Lily	25, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 77_FDC_47	12/10/1977	INPEX-77 National Philatelic Exhibition, Bangalore	25, 200 - (2)		
SET 77_FDC_48	19/10/1977	ASIANA-77, 1st Asian International Philatelic Exhibition, Bangalore	100, 300 - (2)		
SET 77_FDC_49	14/11/1977	Children's Day-'Cats' & 'Friends'	25, 100 - (2)		
SET 77_FDC_50	28/11/1977	Personalities Series-Jotirao Phooley & Senapati Bapat	25 x 2 - (2)		
SET 78_FDC_51	15/1/1978	Conquest of Kanchenjunga-Climber crossing a Crevasse & Indian Flag near Summit	25, 100 - (2)		
SET 78_FDC_52	23/3/1978	Modern Indian Paintings-Jaimini Roy, Sailoz Mookherjee, Rabindranath Tagore & Amrita Shergil	25, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 78_FDC_53	27/7/1978	Museums of India-Kachchh, Calcutta, New Delhi & Hyderabad	25, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 79_FDC_54	5/3/1979	International Year of The Child	25, 100 - (2)		
SET 79_FDC_55	15/10/1979	INDIA-80, Indian International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi(2nd Issue) (Mail-carrying Aircrafts) De Havilland Puss Moth, 'Chetak' Helicopter, Boeing 737 Jet Aircraft, Boeing 747 Jumbo Jet Aircraft	30, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 80_FDC_56	25/1/1980	INDIA-80, International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi(3rd Issue)	30, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 80_FDC_57	19/7/1980	XXII Olympic Games, Moscow - High Jumping & Horse Jumping	100, 280 - (2)		
SET 80_FDC_58	30/12/1980	Brides in Traditional Indian Costumes-Tamilnadu, Rajasthan, Kashmir & Bengal	100 x 4 - (4)		
SET 81_FDC_59	30/5/1981	Tribes of India-Bhil, Dandami Maria, Toda & Khimangan Naga	100 x 4 - (4)		
SET 81_FDC_60	28/7/1981	IX Asian Games, New Delhi(1st Issue)	100 x 2 - (2)		
SET 81_FDC_61	1/9/1981	Indian Flowering Trees-Flame of the Forest, Crateva, Golden Shower & Bauhinia	35, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 81_FDC_62	20/10/1981	Indian Butterflies-Northern Jungle Queen, Red Lace Wing, Map Butterfly & Kaiser-E-Hind	35, 50, 100, 200 - (4)		
SET 82_FDC_63	23/3/1982	Festival of India, London- Deer Family & Kalia Mardana	200, 305 - (2)		
SET 82_FDC_64	29/5/1982	Himalayan Flowers-Blue Poppy, Showy Inula, Cobra Lily & Brahma Kamal	35, 100, 200, 285 - (4)		
SET 82_FDC_65	17/9/1982	Festival of India, Contemporary Art - S H Raza & M F Hussain	200, 305 - (2)		
SET 82_FDC_66	19/11/1982	IX Asian Games, New Delhi (6th Issue) - Cycling, Javeline Throwing, Discus-throwing, & Football	50, 200, 285, 325 - (4)		
SET 82_FDC_67	25/11/1982	IX Asian Games, New Delhi (7th Issue) - Yachting & Rowing	200, 285 - (2)		
SET 82_FDC_68	30/12/1982	INPEX-82, National Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi_Inaugural Day Cancellation of Indraprasth Stadium, New Delhi	50, 200 - (2)		
SET 83_FDC_69	7/3/1983	7th Non-aligned Summit Conference, New Delhi	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 83_FDC_70	14/3/1983	Commonwealth Day	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 83_FDC_71	9/8/1983	India's Struggle for Freedom-Meera Behn & Mahadev Desai(Se-tenant) & Quit India Resolution	50 x 3 - (3)		
SET 83_FDC_72	1/10/1983	Indian Wildlife-Endangered Primates-Golden Langur & Lion-tailed Macaque	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 83_FDC_73	21/11/1983	Bicentenary of Manned-Flight	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 83_FDC_74	23/11/1983	7th Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting, New Delhi	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 84_FDC_75	10/5/1984	Leaders of Sepoy Mutiny(First War of Independence)-Tatya Tope, Nana Sahib, Mangal Pandey & Begum Hazarat Sahib	50 x 4 - (4)		
SET 84_FDC_76	28/7/1984	XXIII Olympic Games, Los Angeles - Basketball, High Jumping, Floor Exercises & Weight Lifting	50, 100, 200, 250 - (4)		
SET 84_FDC_77	3/8/1984	Forts of India - Gwalior Fort (M.P.), Vellore Fort (T.N.), Simhgadh Fort (Maharashtra) & Jodhpur Fort (Rajasthan)	50, 100, 150, 200 - (4)		
SET 84_FDC_78	23/12/1984	Indian Roses - Mrinalini & Sugandha	150, 200 - (2)		
SET 85_FDC_79	5/6/1985	Bougainvillea-'Mahara' & 'H.B.Singh'	50, 100 - (2)		
SET 85_FDC_80	8/12/1985	1st Summit meeting of South Asian Association for Regional Co-operation, Dhaka, Bangladesh	100, 300 - (2)		
SET 86_FDC_81	14/2/1986	INPEX-86, 5th India National Philatelic Exhibition, Jaipur	50, 200 - (2)		
SET 86_FDC_82	18/2/1986	75th Anniversary of First Ariel Post	50, 300 - (2)		
SET 86_FDC_83	16/9/1986	10th Asian Games 1986, Seoul- Volleyball & Hurdling	150, 300 - (2)		
SET 86_FDC_84	12/11/1986	40th Anniversary of UNICEF 1946-1986	50, 500 - (2)		
SET 86_FDC_85	15/12/1986	50 Years of Corbett National Park (U.P.)	100, 200 - (2)		

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SET 87_FDC_86	28/3/1987	Centenary of South Eastern Railway	100, 150, 200, 400 - (4)		
SET 87_FDC_87	15/6/1987	INDIA-89', World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi	50, 500 - (2)		
SET 87_FDC_88	14/10/1987	Asia Regional Conference of the Rotary International, New Delhi	60, 650 - (2)		
SET 87_FDC_89	15/10/1987	Centenary of Service to Blind & Eye Donation	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 87_FDC_90	17/10/1987	INDIA-89', World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (2nd Issue)_Delhi Landmarks	60, 150, 500, 650 - (4)		
SET 87_FDC_91	19/11/1987	Indian Trees-Chinar, Pipal, Sal & Banyan	60, 150, 500, 650 - (4)		
SET 87_FDC_92	29/11/1987	Wild Life-White Tiger & Snow Leopard	100, 500 - (2)		
SET 88_FDC_93	19/5/1988	Himalayan Peaks-Broad Peak, K-2 (Goldwin Austen), Kanchenjunga & Nanda Devi	150, 400, 500, 650 - (4)		
SET 88_FDC_94	17/9/1988	Sports	60, 500 - (2)		
SET 88_FDC_95	9/10/1988	INDIA-89', World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue)-Bangalore GPO & Bombay GPO	400, 500 - (2)		
SET 88_FDC_96	14/11/1988	Jawaharlal Nehru Birth Centenary (1989)	60, 100 - (2)		
SET 88_FDC_97	20/12/1988	'INDIA-89', World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (4th Issue)- D.L.O. Cancellation & R.M.S.Cancellation	60, 650 - (2)		
SET 89_FDC_98	20/1/1989	'INDIA-89', World Philatelic Exhibition, New Delhi (5th Issue)	60, 150, 500, 650 - (4)		
SET 90_FDC_99	29/9/1990	XI Asian Games, Beijing, China-Kabbadi, Racing, Cycling & Archery	100, 400, 400, 650 - (4)		
SET 90_FDC_100	17/12/1990	Greetings	100, 400 - (2)		
SET 90_FDC_101	24/12/1990	Historic Cities of India-Palace & Sand Dunes of Bikaner, Charminar Gate Hyderabad & Barabati Fort and Orissi Dancer of Cuttack	400, 500, 650 - (3)		
SET 90_FDC_102	28/12/1990	Tercentenary of Calcutta	100, 600 - (2)		
SET 91_FDC_103	4/3/1991	Endangered Marine Mammals-River Dolphin & Sea Cow	400, 650 - (2)		
SET 91_FDC_104	30/4/1991	Tribal Dancers-Valar(Garasia of Rajasthan), Kayang (Kinners of H.P.), Hozagiri (Reangs of Tripura) & Velakali (Kundividians & Nairs of Kerala)	250, 400, 500, 650 - (4)		
SET 91_FDC_105	31/7/1991	Keshav Shankar Pillai	400, 650 - (2)		
SET 91_FDC_106	12/10/1991	Orchids of India	100, 250, 300, 400, 500, 650 - (6)		
SET 91_FDC_107	29/10/1991	Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay	100, 650 - (2)		
SET 91_FDC_108	30/12/1991	Yogasana-Bhujangasana, Dhanurasana, Ustrasana & Utthita Trikonasana	200, 500, 650, 1000 - (4)		
SET 92_FDC_109	29/4/1992	Adventure Sports-Hand Gliding, Wind Surfing, River Rafting & Skiing	200, 400, 500, 1100 - (4)		
SET 92_FDC_110	8/8/1992	XXV Olympic Games-Discus Throw, Gymnastics, Hockey & Boxing	100, 600, 800, 1100 - (4)		
SET 92_FDC_111	9/8/1992	50th Anniversary of 'Quit India' Movement 1942-Spinning Wheel & Gandhi	100, 200 - (2)		
SET 93_FDC_112	30/12/1992	Birds of Prey-Osprey, Peregrene Falcon, Lammergeier & Himalayan Golden Eagle	200, 600, 800, 1100 - (4)		
SET 93_FDC_113	16/4/1993	Mountain Locomotives-Neral Matheran Rly., Darjeeling Himalayan Rly., Nilgiri Mountain Rly. & Kalka Simla Rly.	100, 600, 800, 1100 - (4)		
SET 93_FDC_114	9/10/1993	Indian Flowering Trees-Jarul (The Pride of India Tree), Khumphi (Yellow Silk Indian Tree), Panjara (The Indian Coral Tree) & Paras-Pipal (The Indian Tulip tree)	100, 600, 800, 1100 - (4)		
SET 95_FDC_115	26/6/1995	50th Anniversary of United Nations	100, 600 - (2)		
SET 96_FDC_116	13/3/1996	Cricketers of India-Col.C.K.Nayudu, Vinoo Mankad, Prof. D.B.Deodhar & Vijay Merchant	200 x 4 - (4)		
SET 96_FDC_117	13/3/1996	Ritu-Rang' Miniature Paintings on Four Seasons-Vasant, Greeshm, Varsha & Hemant	500 x 4 - (4)		
SET 96_FDC_118	10/5/1996	Himalayan Ecology-Blood Pheasant, Markhor, Himalayan Poppy & Phen Kamal	500 x 4 - (4)		
SET 96_FDC_119	25/6/1996	XXVI Olympic Games, Atlanta & 100 years of Modern Olympics	500 x 2 - (2)		
SET 97_FDC_120	11/8/1997	INDEPEX-97', International Stamp Exhibition, New Delhi (3rd Issue) Beaches of India-Gopalpur Beach, Orissa-Kovalam Beach, Kerala-Anjuna Beach, Goa-Bogmallo Beach, Goa	200, 600, 1000, 1100 - (4)		
SET 97_FDC_121	11/9/1997	50th Anniversary of Birbal Sahni Institue of Palaeobotany, Lucknow Big cancellation of Ahmedabad	200, 200, 600, 1000 - (4)		
SET 98_FDC_122	29/12/1998	Indian Musical Instruments-Rudra Veena, Flute, Pakhawaj & Sarod	200, 600, 800, 1000 - (4)		
SET 98_FDC_123	30/12/1998	International Year of the Ocean, Sea Shells of Andaman & Nicobar Islands-Rock-Murex Shell, Horned Helmet, Cowrie & Spider Shell	300 x 4 - (4)		
SET 99_FDC_124	5/4/1999	Meritime Heritage	300 x 2 - (2)		
SET 99_FDC_125	15/8/1999	Heroes of struggle for Freedom-Sardar Ajit Singh, Swami Ramanand Teerth, Vishwambhar Dayalu Tripathi & Swami Keshawanand	300 x 4 - (4)		
SET 99_FDC_126	14/9/1999	Linguistic Harmony of India-Ramdhari Sinha 'Dinkar', Jhaverchand Meghani, Rambriksh Benipuri & Kazi Nazrul Islam	300 x 4 - (4)		

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SET 99_FDC_127	4/10/1999	Endangered Species_Asiatic Lion-Lionesses, Lion & Lioness, Lioness with Cubs & Two Lions	300, 300, 300, 1500 - (4)		
SET 99_FDC_128	9/10/1999	India's March Towards Progress & Development-A.D.Shroff, A.B.Walawalkar, Chhaganlal Parekh & Dr.T.M.A.Pai	300 x 4 - (4)		
SET 99_FDC_129	9/10/1999	125th Anniversary of Universal Postal Union_Traditional Rural Arts & Crafts Yellow colour cover	300, 300, 300, 1500 - (4)		
SET 99_FDC_130	19/10/1999	Modern Masters of Indian Classical Music-Ustad Allaaddin Khan & Musiri Subramania Iyer	300 x 2 - (2)		
SET 99_FDC_131	9/12/1999	Freedom Fighters & Social Reformers-A. Vaidyanath Iyer, Dr.P.Deshmukh, P. Kakkan & Indulal Yagnik	300 x 4 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_132	17/2/2000	Birth Centenaries of Socio-Political Personalities-Balwantrao Mehta, Dr. Harekrishna Mahatab & Arun Kumar Chanda	300 x 3 - (3)		
SET 00_FDC_133	31/3/2000	INDIPEX-ASIANA 2000' 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition, Calcutta 1st Issue-Natural Heritage of Manipur & Tripura-Siroi Lily, Sangai Deer, Wild Guava & Slow Loris	300, 300, 300, 1500 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_134	25/4/2000	Indigenous Breeds of Cattle-Kankrej Gujarat, Kangayam Tamilnadu, Gir Gujarat & Hallikar Karnataka	300, 300, 300, 1500 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_135	24/5/2000	INDEPEX-ASIANA 2000, 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition Calcutta (2nd Issue) Migratory Birds_Rosy Pastor, Garganey Teal, Forest Wagtail & White Stork	300, 300, 300, 300 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_136	15/8/2000	Social & Political Leaders:Vijaya Laxmi Pandit, Diwan Bahadur R. Srinivasan, Jaglal Chaudhury & Radha Gobinda Baruah	300, 300, 300, 300 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_137	17/9/2000	XXVII Olympic Games, Sydney-Discus, Tennis, Hockey & Weight Lifting	300, 600, 1000, 1500 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_138	29/9/2000	India's Space Programme-OCEANSAT-1 & INSAT-3B in Orbit (Se-tenant) & two other stamps of India in Space	300 x 4 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_139	15/10/2000	Madhubani:Maithili Paintings-Krishna with Gopies, Flower Girls & Bali-Sugriv are singles & Lotus Plant Motif & 'Khabar-Ghar' Mural are Se-tenant	300, 300, 300, 500,1000 - (5)		
SET 00_FDC_140	7/12/2000	INDEPEX-ASIANA 2000, 14th Asian International Stamp Exhibition Calcutta (3rd Issue) Gems & Jewellery_Bead Necklace from Indus Valley, c.2500 B.C., Gold Necklace from Taxila, c. 1st Cent. A. D., Turban Ornament (Sarpech), Navaratna Necklace, c 18th Cent., 'Tali'- Bridal Necklace from South India, 19th Cent. & 'Kanthla'-Temple Necklace from Rajasthan, 18th Cent.	300, 300, 300, 300, 300 & 300 (6)		
SET 00_FDC_141	31/12/2000	Personality Series, Historical-Samrat Prithviraj Chauhan, Raja Bhamashah, Rajarshi Bhagyachandra & General Zoravar Singh	300 x 4 - (4)		
SET 00_FDC_142	25/1/2001 & 27/1/2001	Sane Guruji_His cover was issued along with his and photos of E.M.S.Nambudripad, Gurumukhsingh Musafir & Prof.N.G.Ranga	300 (1) & 300x3(3)		
SET 00_FDC_143	27/1/2001	50 years of Republic, Personality Series_Socio-Political Development-E.M.S.Nambudripad, Gurumukhsingh Musafir & Prof.N.G.Ranga Their FDC is showing Parliament House	300 x 3 - (3)		
SET 01_FDC_144	29/1/2001	India's Struggle for Freedom: Yogendra Shukla - Baikuntha Shukla & Jubba Sahani	300x2		
SET 01_FDC_145	18/2/2001	International Fleet Review-Tarangini (Sail Training Ship,IN), Pal (Maratha Navy 18th Century), Gallbat (Maratha Navy 18th Century) & IFR-2001 Logo (Painting of Boat of Mohenjodaro period)	300, 300, 300, 1500 - (4)		
SET 01_FDC_146	6/7/2001	Personality Series, The Spirit of Nationalism-Krishna Nath Sarmah, C.Shankar Nair, Syamaprasad Mookerjee & U.Kiang Nongbah	400 x 4 - (4)		
SET 01_FDC_147	22/8/2001	Corals of India-Mushroom Coral, Digitate Coral, Velvet Coral & Stag Horn Coral	400, 400, 1500, 4500 - (4)		
SET 01_FDC_148	9/10/2001	Personality Series, Poetry & Performing Arts-Bharathidashan, Master Mitrasen & Lachhu Maharaj	400 x 3 - (3)		
SET 01_FDC_149	18/12/2001	Greetings_White Cover	300, 400 - (2)		
SET 01_FDC_150	22/12/2001	INPEX-EMPIREPEX 2001', National Stamp Exhibition, Nagpur Temple Architecture-Kedarnath Uttaranchal, Tryambakeshwar Maharashtra, Aundh Nagnath Maharashtra & Rameshwaram Tamilnadu	400, 400, 400, 1500 - (4)		
SET 02_FDC_151	21/1/2002	'Buddha Mahotsav' Festival	400, 400, 800, 1500 - (4)		
SET 02_FDC_152	22/6/2002	Indian Literature-Babu Gulabrai & Pandit Suryanarayan Vya	500 x 2 - (2)		
SET 02_FDC_153	12/9/2002	Social Reformers-Ayyan Kali, Gora & Chandraprabha Saikiani	500 x 3 - (3)		
SET 02_FDC_154	30/10/2002	8th Session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, New Delhi-Mangroves	500, 500, 500 & 1500 - (4)		

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SET 02_FDC_155	31/12/2002	Forts of Andhra Pradesh-Golkonda & Chandragiri	500 x 2 - (2)		
SET 03_FDC_156	5/2/2003	Aero India 2003-'Hindustan Trainer No.2' (First Aircraft manufactured in India 'Marut' Ground Attack Aircraft 1961, Light Combat Aircraft 2001 & 'Dhruv' Helicopter for Indian Armed Forces 1951),	500, 500, 500, 100 - (4)		
SET 03_FDC_157	15/5/2003	Golden Voices of Yesteryears- Kishore Kumar, Mohammed Rafi, Mukesh & Hemant Kumar	500 x 4 - (4)		
SET 03_FDC_158	19/6/2003	151st Anniversary of Govt.Museum, Chennai	500, 500, 1500 - (3)		
SET 03_FDC_159	15/9/2003	Temple Architecture-Vishal Badri Temple (Garhwal Valley), Mallikarjunaswamy Temple Nallamali Hills A.P.), Tripureswari Temple (Udaipur, Tripura) & Jagannath Temple (Puri, Orissa)	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 03_FDC_160	3/10/2003	Waterfalls of India-Athirapalli Falls (Kerala), Kempty Falls (Uttaranchal), Kakolat Falls (Bihar) & Jog Falls (Karnataka)	500, 500, 500, 1500 - (4)		
SET 03_FDC_161	12/11/2003	Nature India, Snakes-King Cobra, Gliding Snake, Python & Bamboo Pit Viper	500 x 4 - (4)		
SET 03_FDC_162	29/12/2003	Personality Series, Folk Music-Lalan Fakir & Allah Jilai Bai	500 x 2 - (2)		
SET 04_FDC_163	28/6/2004	The Great Trigonometrical Survey-Trigonometrical Design, Nain Singh & Radhanath Sikdar	500 x 3 - (3)		
SET 06_FDC_164	5/10/2006	Endangered Birds of India-Manipur Bush-Quail, Lesser Florican, Greater Adjutant Stork & Nilgiri Laughing Thrush	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 07_FDC_165	7/2/2007	Fragrance of Roses-Bhim, Delhi Princess, Jawahar & Neelam	500, 500, 1500 & 1500 (4)		
SET 07_FDC_166	27/2/2007	Fairs of India-Pushkar Fair (Rajasthan), Sonapur Fair (Bihar), Carnival (Goa) & Baul Mela (West Bengal)	500 x 4 - (4)		
SET 07_FDC_167	2/5/2007	2550 years of 'Mahaparivartan' of the Buddha	500 x 6 - (6)		
SET 07_FDC_168	9/8/2007	150 Years of First War of Independence-Battle of Kanpur & Battle of Lucknow	500 & 1500 (2)		
SET 07_FDC_169	17/8/2007	Landmark Bridges of India-Pamban Bridge, Vidyasagar Setu Bridge, Howrah Bridge & Mahatma Gandhi Setu Bridge	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 07_FDC_170	8/10/2007	Platinum Jubilee of Indian Air Force-Awacs, Wapiti, Dhruv & IL-78	500, 500, 500, 1500 - (4)		
SET 07_FDC_171	14/11/2007	Children's Day	500 x 2 - (2)		
SET 07_FDC_172	22/11/2007	Renewable Energy-Solar Energy, Wind Energy, Small Hydro & Bio Mass Energy	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 08_FDC_173	2/1/2008	Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands-Papilio Mayo (Male), Papilio Mayo (Female), Andaman Club Tail (Male) & Andaman Club Tail (Female)	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 08_FDC_174	26/4/2008	Jasmine-Green & Violet	500 & 1500 (2)		
SET 08_FDC_175	2/8/2008	Adwaitya-Aldabra Giant Tortoise of Alipore Zoo, Kolkata	500 & 1500 (2)		
SET 08_FDC_176	12/8/2008	30th Anniversary of Indian Coast Guard-Dornier Fixed Wing Aircraft, Advanced Light Helicopter, Hovercraft & Patrol Vessel	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 08_FDC_177	7/10/2008	Festivals of India, Durga Puja, Dussehra & Deepavali-Deepavali Lamps, Goddess Durga (Dussehra, Kolkata) & Elephants and Procession (Dussehra, Mysore)	500, 500, 500 (3)		
SET 08_FDC_178	14/11/2008	National Children's Day,'India of My dreams'-India on Moon, Communal Harmony & Education, Scientific and Economic Development	500, 500, 500 (3)		
SET 08_FDC_179	27/11/2008	60th Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel N. P. A. Hyderabad-Sardar Patel Academy & Sardar Patel Statue	500 & 2000 (2)		
SET 08_FDC_180	22/12/2008	10th Anniversary of Brahmos Supersonic Cruise Missile-Brahmos Missile & Fighter Plane	500 & 2000 (2)		
SET 09_FDC_181	19/6/2009	Rampur Raza Library-Ram & Laxman with Persian script, Diwan Hafiz, Madona Holding Book & Jahangir Album	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 09_FDC_182	16/8/2009	Heritage Railway Stations of India-Howrah, Chennai Central, Mumbai CST & Old Delhi	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 09_FDC_183	1/10/2009	Rare Fauna of North East India-Leaf Monkey, Red Panda & Marbled Cat	500, 500, 500, (3)		
SET 09_FDC_184	14/10/2009	Dilwara & Ranakpur Heritage Jain Temple-Dilwara Temple & Ranakpur Temple	500, 500, (2)		
SET 09_FDC_185	9/11/2009	Horses of India-Manipuri, Kathiawari, Marwari & Zanskari	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 09_FDC_186	14/11/2009	Children's Day-Tiger green yellow & Deer Red green	500, 500, (2)		
SET 09_FDC_187	1/12/2009	Greetings-Designs in 4 colours-Blue, orange, brown & green yellow	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 09_FDC_188	10/12/2009	Traditional Indian Textiles-Kalamkari, Apa Tani Weaves, Kanchipuram & Banaras Silk	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 09_FDC_189	15/12/2009	Preserve the Polar Regions & Glaciers	500, 500, (2)		
SET 10_FDC_190a & 190b	14/4/2010	Astrological Signs-Aquarius, Pisces, Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Libra, Scorpio, Sagittarius & Capricorn-2 Covers	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 & 500 (12)		
SET 10_FDC_191	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Buildings-Udagamandalam H.P.O., Nagpur G.P.O., Cooch Behar G.P.O., Shimla G.P.O., Lucknow G.P.O., Delhi G.P.O.	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 (6)		

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SET 10_FDC_192	5/6/2010	International Year of Biodiversity	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 10_FDC_193	25/6/2010	Queen's Baton Relay XIX Commonwealth Games (1st Series)-Shera & Baton	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 10_FDC_194	9/7/2010	Birds of India-Sparrow & Pigeon	500, 500, (2)		
SET 10_FDC_195	1/8/2010	Commonwealth Games-Talkatora Stadium & Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium	500, 500, (2)		
SET 10_FDC_196	6/10/2010	Indian Postage Stamps:Princely States	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 10_FDC_197	14/11/2010	Children's Day	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 10_FDC_198	3/12/2010	Carnatic Musicians	500, 500, 500 - (3)		
SET 10_FDC_199	15/12/2010	India Mexico-Joint Issue	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 10_FDC_200	21/12/2010	Crafts Museum, Pragati Maidan	500, 500, (2)		
SET 11_FDC_201	12/2/2011	Indipex 2011-100 Years of Airmail commemorating 100 years of Allahabad-Naini Flight	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 11_FDC_202	13/2/2011	Legendary Heroines of India	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 (6)		
SET 11_FDC_203	7/5/2011	Rabindranath Tagore 150 Years of Birth Anniversary	500, 500, (2)		
SET 11_FDC_204	25/5/2011	Africa-India Forum Summit	500, 2500, (2)		
SET 11_FDC_205	5/8/2011	80th Year of Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 11_FDC_206	14/11/2011	Children's Day	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 11_FDC_207	19/12/2011	President's Fleet Review	500, 500, 500, 500 - (4)		
SET 11_FDC_208	20/12/2011	Archeological Survey of India-150 Years' Anniversary	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 12_FDC_209	14/3/2012	Civil Aviation	500, 500, 500, 2000 - (4)		
SET 12_FDC_210	27/5/2012	800th Year of "Urs" of Khwaja "Garib Nawaz" Moinuddin Chisti	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 12_FDC_211	20/6/2012	Shekhawati (Rajasthan) & Warli (Maharashtra) paintings	500, 2000 (2)		
SET 12_FDC_212	25/7/2012	London 2012 Olympics	2000, 2000, 5000, 5000, - (4)		
SET 12_FDC_213	16/10/2012	Endemic Species of Indian Biodiversity Hotspots	500, 500, 500, 2500 - (4)		
SET 12_FDC_214	5/11/2012	India Israel Joint Issue	500, 500, (2)		
SET 12_FDC_215	23/12/2012	Lighthouses of India	500, 2000 (2)		

FDCs of 'Set of Stamps' - Definitives Regular

Sr. No.	Series No.	Subject	Date	Denominations	Total	FDC	Folder
SET 49_FDC (1st Series-Def)_1	1st Series	Archeological & Historical Objects	15/8/1949	(1)3p (2)6p (3)9p (4)1a-(Die 1) (5)2a (6) 3a (7) 3 1/2a- (8) 4a(9) 6a (10) 8a (11) 12a (12) 1Re. (13) 2Rs. (14) 5Rs. (15)10Rs & (16) 15Rs.	16		
SET 49_FDC (1st Series-Def)_2	1st Series	Archeological & Historical Objects	30/4/1951	2 1/2a & 4a (Bright Blue)	2		
SET 55_FDC (2nd Series-Def)_3	2nd Series	Five Year Plan of Agriculture, Industries, Health, Transport, Communications & other Multipurpose Projects	26/1/1955	(1)3p (2) 6p (3) 9p (4) 1a (5) 2a (6) 3a (7) 4a 18 (8) 6a (9) 8a (10) 10a (11) 12a (12) 14a (13) 1 Re. (14) 1Re.2a (15) 1Re.8a (16) 2Rs. (17) 5Rs. (18) 10Rs.			
SET 57_FDC (3rd Series-Def)_4	3rd Series-A	Map of India (Andaman-Nicobar & Lakshdweep Islands are not shown in the design)-Star Watermark	1/4/1957	(1) 1 N.P. (2) 2 N.P. (3) 3 N.P. (4) 5 N.P. (5) 6 N.P. (6) 10 N.P. (7) 13 N.P. (8) 20 N.P. (9) 25 N.P. (10) 50 N.P. (11) 75 N.P.	11		
SET 58_FDC (3rd Series-Def)_5	3rd Series-B	Map of India (Andaman-Nicobar & Lakshdweep Islands are not shown in the design)-Star Watermark	16/1/1958	15 N.P. & 90 N.P.	2		
SET 58_FDC (3rd Series-Def)_6	3rd Series-C	Map of India (Andaman-Nicobar & Lakshdweep Islands are not shown in the design)-Ashokan Watermark	27/10/1958	(1) 2 N.P. (2) 5 N.P. (3) 10 N.P. (4) 20 N.P. (5) 25 N.P.	5		
SET 66_FDC (4th Series-Def)_7	4th Series-A	Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotions and Others	7/1/1966	6p, 10p & 1 re.	3		
SET 67_FDC (4th Series-Def)_8	4th Series-B	Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotions and Others	15/3/1967	8p, 30p, 50p, 70p, 2 Rs & 5 Rs.	6		
SET 67_FDC (4th Series-Def)_9	4th Series-C	Agriculture, Tourism, Export Promotions and Others	16/10/1967	2p, 3p, 5p, 20p & 60p	5		
SET 75_FDC (4th Series-Def)_10	4th Series-D	Modification of 4th Series	1/3/1975	2p, 5p	2		
SET 74_FDC (5th Series-Def)_11	5th Series-A	Modification of 4th Series	1/10/1974	15p (Tiger- Blakish brown-Dark background),1 Re	2		
SET 75_FDC (5th Series-Def)_12	5th Series-C	Modification of 4th Series	15/7/1975	15, 20, 50, 100 & 200	5		
SET 76_FDC (5th Series-Def)_13	5th Series-D	Modification of 4th Series	1/11/1976	2, 5, 10, 60, 500 & 1000	6		
SET 79_FDC (6th Series-Def)_14	6th Series-A	Rural Prosperity	26/11/1979	5 (Pisciculture – Wmk. Large Star-Photogravure) & 25 (Poultry-Wmk. Ashokan-Photogravure)	2		
SET 81_FDC (6th Series-Def)_15	6th Series-B	Rural Prosperity	25/3/1981	2, 5, 15, 20, 225 & 280	6		
SET 82_FDC (6th Series-Def)_16	6th Series-C	Rural Prosperity	25/1/1982	10 & 50 (Wmk. Ashokan. Photogravure (Perf.14x14 1/2)	2		
SET 82_FDC (6th Series-Def)_17	6th Series-D	Rural Prosperity	5/7/1982	5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 35 & 50 plus 35 (Gandhi),35 (Nehru)	9		
SET 83_FDC (6th Series-Def)_18	6th Series - E	Stamps of Nehru & Gandhi	25/1/1983	50x2 (Nehru & Gandhi)	2		
SET 85_FDC (6th Series-Def)_19	6th Series - F	Rural Prosperity	8/8/1985	5, 10, 15, 20, 100, 325	6		
SET 87_FDC (7th Series-Def)_20	7th Series	Family Planning, Energy, Conservation& Technology	27/2/1987	35 & 60	2		
SET 94_FDC (8th Series-Def)_21	8th Series	Family Planning, Health etc.	11/7/1994	75 & 100	2		
SET 00_FDC (9th Series-Def)_22	9th Series-A	Flora & Fauna	30/4/2000	500 & 1000	2		
SET 00_FDC (9th Series-Def)_23	9th Series-B	Flora & Fauna	20/7/2000	25.50, 100 & 300	4		
SET 00_FDC (9th Series-Def)_24	9th Series-C	Flora & Fauna	20/11/2000	1500 & 2000	2		
SET 08_FDC (10th Series-Def)_25	10th Series-A	Builders of Modern India	1/12/2008	25p (Jawaharlal Nehru), 500 (Indira Gandhi) & 500 (Rajiv Gandhi)	3		
SET 09_FDC (10th Series-Def)_26	10th Series-B	Builders of Modern India	1/3/2009	100 (Mahatma Gandhi), 200 (Dr. B.R. Ambedkar), 300 (Satyajit Ray), 400 (Dr. Homi Bhabha), 1500 (J.R.D.Tata) & 2000 (Mother Teresa)	6		
SET 09_FDC (10th Series-Def)_27	10th Series-C	Builders of Modern India	11/5/2009	50p (E.V.Ramasami), 1000 (C.V.Raman) & 5000 (Rukmini Devi Arundale)	3		

FDCs of 'Set of Stamps' - Definitives Military

Sr. No.	Series No.	Subject	Date	Denominations	Stamps	FDC	Folder
SET 53_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Korea_1	Overprinted Korea	Bharatiya Sangraksha katak Korea' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps	17/10/1953	3p, 6p, 9p, 1a, 2a, 2 1/2 a, 3a, 4a, 6a, 8a, 12a & 1Re	12		
SET 54_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Laos_2	Overprinted Laos	Antarrashtriya Aayog Laos' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps	1/12/1954	3p, 1a, 2a, 8a & 12a	5		
SET 54_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Cambodia_3	Overprinted Cambodia	Antarrashtriya Aayog Cambodge' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps	1/12/1954	3p, 1a, 2a, 8a & 12a	5		
SET 54_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Vietnam_4	Overprinted Vietnam (Saigon)	Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps	1/12/1954	3p, 1a, 2a, 8a & 12a	5		
SET 54_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Vietnam_5	Overprinted Vietnam (Hanoi)	Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Archeological Stamps	1/12/1954	3p, 1a, 2a, 8a & 12a	5		
SET 57_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Laos_6	Overprinted Laos (Star Wmk.)	Antarrashtriya Aayog Laos' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps	1/4/1957	2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np	5		
SET 57_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Cambodia_7	Overprinted Cambodia (Star Wmk.)	Antarrashtriya Aayog Cambodge' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps	1/4/1957	2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np	5		
SET 57_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Vietnam_8	Overprinted Vietnam (Saigon) (Star Wmk.)	Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps	1/4/1957	2np, 6np, 13np, 50np & 75np	5		
SET 65_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Vietnam_9	Overprinted Vietnam (Hanoi) (Ashokan Wmk.)	Antarrashtriya Aayog Vietnam' overprinted in Devnagari on the Map Series Stamps	1962-1965	1np, 2np, 3np, 5np, 50np & 75np	6		
SET 63_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt Congo_10	Overprinted Congo (Map with Wmk. Star and Ashokan in others)	U.N.Force(India) Congo' overprinted in English on the Map Series Stamps	14/1/1963	1np, 2np, 5np, 8np, 13np & 50np	6		
SET 68_FDC (Military Def) Ovpt ICC & Ania_11	Overprinted I.C.C. & Ania	Overprinted I.C.C. in English and Ania in Devnagari in Red	2/10/1968	2p, 3p, 5p, 10p, 15p, 60p, 1 Re & 2 Rs	8		

FDCs of 'Set of Stamps' with Service Stamps

Sr. No.	Date	Heading	Description	Denominations	Stamps	FDC	Folder
SET 50_FDC_SERV_1	2/1/1950	Inscription SERVICE/ POSTAGE/INDIA in English	Ashokan Capital within ornamental frame with Multi Star Watermark, Perf 14; imported paper used.	3p, 6p, 9p, 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 4a, 6a, 8a, 1Re, 2Re, 5Re & 10Re	14		
SET 57_FDC_SERV_57_2	1/4/1957	Inscription SERVICE/ POSTAGE/INDIA in English	A new set of Denomination below 1 Rupee to confirm with the new currency system of Decimal Coinage with Multi Star Watermark, Perf 14; imported paper used.	1np, 2np, 3np, 5np, 6np, 13np, 15np, 20np, 25np & 50np	10		
SET 58-71_FDC_SERV_3	1958-1971	Inscription SERVICE/ POSTAGE/INDIA in English	A set with all previous Denominations plus 5 more denominations of 10np, 1Re, 2Re, 5Re & 10Re with Ashokan Lion Capital (Upright) Watermark, Perf 14; imported paper used.	1np, 2np, 3np, 5np, 6np, 10np, 13np, 15np, 20np, 25np, 50np, 1Re, 2Re, 5Re & 10Re	15		
SET 67_FDC_SERV_4	20/3/1967	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design of the Frame changed; Lion Capital slightly smaller; Values expressed in PAISA (p) at both top corners; Stamps with Ashokan watermark (Sideways); Perf 15x14; printing photogravure on indigenous paper	2p, 5p, 10p, 15p, 20p, 30p, 50p & 1Re	8		
SET 67_FDC_SERV_5	15/11/1967-1974	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design similar to the above; Lion Capital slightly smaller; Values expressed in PAISA (p) at both top corners ; Large Star & 'INDIA GOVT' watermark; Perf 15x14; printing photogravure on indigenous paper	2p, 3p, 5p, 6p, 10p, 15p, 20p, 25p, 30p, 50p	10		
SET 71_FDC_SERV_6	15/11/1971	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Provisional Issue : Overprinted 'Refugee Relief' in Hindi, English or both at local post-offices all over India. Two common examples of machine print by typograph. Definitive Issue : 'Refugee Relief' in Hindi & English vertically at both sides of smaller Ashokan Capital; Large Star & 'INDIA GOVT' watermark; Perf 15x14; Offset-Litho; No Gum.	5p	2		
SET 76-81_FDC_SERV_7	1/4/1976-1981	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari with 'Satyameva Jayate'	Slightly smaller Ashokan Capital with 'Satyameva Jayate' in Devnagari at its bottom. Values expressed in numerals only. All rupee values are of smaller sizes. Designs of 200, 500, 1000 differ from the rest; Large Star & 'INDIA GOVT' watermark; Perf 15x15; No Gum; Photogravure.	2, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 50, 100, 200, 500, 500	13		
SET 76-78_FDC_SERV_8	1/4/1976-1978	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; Ashokan watermark to left; Perf 15x14 (100), 14 (200, 500, 1000); Photogravure; Gummed Paper.	100, 200, 500, 1000	4		

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SET 81_FDC_ SERV_9	10/12/1981	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; No watermark; Printed on thick cream paper with simulated perforations; Ungummed; Imperf; Offset.	5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 35, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000	11		
SET 82_FDC_ SERV_10	22/11/1982	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; Large Star & 'INDIA GOVT' watermark; Perf 12 1/2x13; Photogravure.	5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000	12		
SET 84-99_FDC_ SERV_11	16/4/1984- 1999	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; Watermark Ashokan Capital sideways.	5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50, 60, 100, 200, 500, 1000	14		
SET 98-00_FDC_ SERV_12	20/6/1998- 2000	Inscription BHARAT/ SHASAKIYA in Devnagari	Design of 100 as before, size of 200, 500, 1000 larger but in redrawn design; Perf 13 but with a redrawn smaller design by 2 mm in the printing area both vertically & horizontally. Both Photo Litho are known and printing from crude to fine; Watermark Ashokan Capital sideways; Perf 13; Litho & Typo.	50, 100, 200, 300, 500, 1000	6		

FDCs with 'Se-tenant Stamps' of India

Cat/ No	Date	Description	Type	Denomination (P)	FDC	Folder
SNT 74_FDC_1	9/10/1974	Mathura Museum	Pair	25+25		
SNT 75_FDC_2	28/6/1975	Michelangelo	Block	50+50+50+50		
SNT 80_FDC_3	2/10/1980	Dandi March	Pair	35+35		
SNT 83_FDC_4	9/8/1983	Meera Behn + Mahadev Desai	Pair	50+50		
SNT 84_FDC_5	12/2/1984	President's Review of the Fleet	Block	100+100+100+100		
SNT 85_FDC_6	10/10/1985	Border Road Congress_Up & Down pair	Tete-beche	500+500		
SNT 85_FDC_7	28/12/1985	Indian National Congress	Block	100+100+100+100		
SNT 86_FDC_8	21/10/1986	Indian Police	Pair	200+150		
SNT 88_FDC_9	16/8/1988	Freedom Forty-Swaraj	Pair	60+60		
SNT 90_FDC_10	21/2/1990	Bombay Sappers Up & Down pair	Tete-beche	60+60		
SNT 90_FDC_11	16/8/1990	Indo-Soviet Friendship	Pair	100+650		
SNT 91_FDC_12	23/6/1991	Antarctic Treaty	Pair	500+650		
SNT 91_FDC_13	25/6/1991	Diamond Jubilee-New Delhi	Pair	500+650		
SNT 91_FDC_14	16/9/1991	Mahadevi Verma + Jayshankar Prasad	Pair	200+200		
SNT 91_FDC_15	30/9/1991	Greetings	Pair	100+650		
SNT 92_FDC_16	1/3/1992	Bridges & Structural Engineering	Pair	200+200		
SNT 92_FDC_17	8/10/1992	Indian Air Force	Pair	1000+100		
SNT 94_FDC_18	11/1/1994	Satyajit Ray	Pair	1100+600		
SNT 94_FDC_19	2/10/1994	Mahatma Gandhi	Pair	600+1100		
SNT 94_FDC_20	23/11/1994	Endangered Water Birds of India	Block	100+600+800+1100		
SNT 94_FDC_21	20/12/1994	Baroda Museum	Pair	1100+600		
SNT 95_FDC_22	11/1/1995	Cinema - 100 Years	Pair	1100+600		
SNT 95_FDC_23	2/10/1995	Mahatma Gandhi	Pair	100+200		
SNT 96_FDC_24	12/11/1996	Dr. Salim Ali	Pair	800+1100		
SNT 97_FDC_25	8/3/1997	Parijat Tree	Pair	500+600		
SNT 97_FDC_26	27/3/1997	Centenary of Philatelic Society of India	Pair	200+200		
SNT 97_FDC_27	6/6/1997	INDEPEX-97, Buddhist Culture Sites	Block	200+600+1000+1100		
SNT 97_FDC_28	15/10/1997	INDEPEX-97, Rural Indian Women in Traditional Costumes	Block	200+600+1000+1100		
SNT 97_FDC_29	20/10/1997	Scindia School	Pair	500+500		
SNT 97_FDC_30	28/10/1997	Medicinal Plants	Block	200+500+1000+1100		
SNT 97_FDC_31	15/12/1997	INDEPEX-97, Post Office Theme	Block	200+600+1000+1100		
SNT 98_FDC_32	30/1/1998	50th Death Anniversary of Gandhi	Block	200+600+1000+1100		
SNT 98_FDC_33	8/6/1998	Air India	Pair	500+600		
SNT 98_FDC_34	30/6/1998	National Savings Organisation	Pair	600+500		
SNT 98_FDC_35	15/8/1998	Homage to Martyrs	Pair	300+800		
SNT 99_FDC_36	31/12/1999	Tabo Monastery	Pair	500+1000		
SNT 00_FDC_37	28/1/2000	Gallantry Awards	Strip	300+300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_38	29/1/2000	Turtles	Pair	300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_39	24/5/2000	Migratory Birds	Block	300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_40	24/5/2000	Migratory Birds	Vertical Strip	300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_41	24/5/2000	Migratory Birds	Horizontal Strip	300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_42	15/8/2000	Political Leaders	Block	300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_43	15/8/2000	Political Leaders	Vertical Strip	300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_44	15/8/2000	Political Leaders	Horizontal Strip	300+300+300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_45	29/9/2000	Space Programme	Pair	300+300		
SNT 00_FDC_46	15/10/2000	Mithila Paintings	Pair	500+1000		
SNT 00_FDC_47	7/12/2000	Gems & Jewellery	Block of 6	300 x 6		

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SNT 00_FDC_ 48	7/12/2000	Gems & Jewellery	Vertical Strip	300 x 6		
SNT 01_FDC_ 49	2/10/2001	Mahatma Gandhi-Man of the Millennium	Pair	400+400		
SNT 01_FDC_ 50	17/10/2001	Panchatantra - Tortoise & Geese	Pair	400+400		
SNT 01_FDC_ 51	17/10/2001	Panchatantra - Lion & Rabbit	Pair	400+400		
SNT 01_FDC_ 52	17/10/2001	Panchatantra - Snake & Crow	Pair	400+400		
SNT 01_FDC_ 53	17/10/2001	Panchatantra - Monkey & Crocodile	Pair	400+400		
SNT 01_FDC_ 54	1/12/2001	Sun Temple - Konark	Pair	1500+400		
SNT 02_FDC_ 55	26/4/2002	India-Japan - Joint Issue	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 02_FDC_ 56	15/11/2002	Handicrafts of India	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 02_FDC_ 57	17/12/2002	A/Mukherjee + M/Hazra	Pair	500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 58	7/4/2003	Medicinal Plants	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 59	7/4/2003	Medicinal Plants	Vertical Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 60	7/4/2003	Medicinal Plants	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 61	15/9/2003	Temple Architecture	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 62	9/10/2003	Jnanpith Award Winners	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 63	30/10/2003	Greetings	Horizontal Strip	400+400+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 64	29/11/2003	India-France - Joint Issue	Pair	2200+2200		
SNT 03_FDC_ 65	10/12/2003	India-Korea - Joint Issue	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 66	22/12/2003	Sangeet Natak Aakademi	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC_ 67	22/12/2003	Sangeet Natak Aakademi	Vertical Strip	500+500+500		
SNT 04_FDC_ 68	13/8/2004	28th Olympics	Block	500+1500+500+1500		
SNT 04_FDC_ 69	16/8/2004	India-Iran - Joint Issue	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 04_FDC_ 70	4/10/2004	150 Years of India Post Stamp-	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 04_FDC_ 71	8/10/2004	Ashok Chakra Winners	Pair	500+500		
SNT 04_FDC_ 72	25/10/2004	Greetings	Pair	400+400		
SNT 04_FDC_ 73	28/11/2004	Agra Fort 2004	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 05_FDC_ 74	9/1/2005	India: Breeds of Dog	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+1500		
SNT 05_FDC_ 75	24/3/2005	Flora & Fauna of North East India	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 05_FDC_ 76	5/4/2005	Dandi March	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 05_FDC_ 77	18/10/2005	Letter Box	Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 78	12/2/2006	President's Fleet Review - Type 1	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 79	12/2/2006	President's Fleet Review - Type 2	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 80	12/2/2006	President's Fleet Review - Type 3	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 81	12/4/2006	India-Cyprus - Joint Issue	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 82	11/9/2006	India-Mongolia - Joint Issue	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 83	5/10/2006	Endangered Birds	Vertical Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 84	6/11/2006	Himalayan Lakes	Block	500+500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 85	14/11/2006	Children's Day	Pair	500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 86	8/12/2006	Field Post Offices	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC_ 87	26/12/2006	Stop Child Labour	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 88	7/2/2007	Fragrance of Roses	Block	500+500+1500+1500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 89	7/2/2007	Fragrance of Roses	Horizontal Strip	500+500+1500+1500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 90	8/3/2007	Women's Day	Horizontal Strip	500+500+1500+1500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 91	3/5/2007	National Parks	Vertical Strip	500+500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 92	9/8/2007	1st War of Independence-1857	Vertical Strip	500+1500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 93	17/8/2007	Landmark Bridges	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 94	17/8/2007	Landmark Bridges	Vertical Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 95	2/10/2007	Satyagraha Centenary	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 96	14/10/2007	4th CISM Military World Games	Vertical Strip	500+500+500		

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SNT 07_FDC_ 97	22/11/2007	Renewable Energy	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC_ 98	15/12/2007	Greetings	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 99	2/1/2008	Butterflies	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 100	17/5/2008	Aga Khan Foundation	Pair	500+1500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 101	11/7/2008	India-China - Joint Issue	Pair	1500+1500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 102	2/8/2008	Aldabra Giant Tortoise	Pair	500+1500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 103	8/8/2008	29th Olympic Games	Block	500+1500+500+1500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 104	12/8/2008	Indian Coast Guard	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 105	12/10/2008	III Commonwealth Youth Games	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 106	8/12/2008	Christmas Greetings	Pair	2000+500		
SNT 08_FDC_ 107	14/12/2008	Institute of Science	Pair	2000+500		
SNT 09_FDC_ 108	28/1/2009	Heritage Monuments	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 09_FDC_ 109	29/4/2009	Spices of India	Horizontal Strip	500+500+2000+500+500		
SNT 09_FDC_ 110	27/7/2009	Jayadeva and Geetgovinda (2 Strips in unsevered condition shall make one set complete)	Horizontal Strip	500 x 11		
SNT 09_FDC_ 111	14/10/2009	Heritage Jain Temples	Pair	500+200		
SNT 09_FDC_ 112	29/10/2009	Jeanne Jugan-Little Sisters of the Poor	Pair	500+500		
SNT 09_FDC_ 113	16/11/2009	India-Phillipines - Joint Issue	Pair	500+2000		
SNT 09_FDC_ 114	1/12/2009	Greetings	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 09_FDC_ 115	10/12/2009	Traditional Textiles of India	Horizontal Strip	500+500+500+500		
SNT 09_FDC_ 116	19/12/2009	Polar Regions Preservation	Pair	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 117	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 1	Vertical Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 118	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 2	Vertical Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 119	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 3	Vertical Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 120	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 4	Vertical Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 121	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 5	Horizontal Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 122	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 6	Horizontal Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 123	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Building - 7	Horizontal Strip	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC_ 124	24/12/2010	National Council of Education& Dr/Triguna Sen	Pair	500+500		
SNT 12_FDC_ 125	20/6/2012	Shekhawati & Warli Paintings	Pair	500+2000		
SNT 12_FDC_ 126	25/7/2012	London 2012 Olympics	Horizontal Strip	500+2000 +500+2000		
SNT 12_FDC_ 127	5/11/2012	India Israel Joint Issue	Horizontal Pair	500+500		
SNT 12_FDC_ 128	5/11/2012	India Israel Joint Issue	Vertical Pair	500+500		

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SNT 87_FDC(MS 5)_1	17/10/1987	India-89	Block-M/S	60+150+500+650		
SNT 96_FDC(MS 7)_2	10/5/1996	Himalayan Ecology	Block-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 00_FDC(MS 9)_3	31/3/2000	Indepex 2000 - Natural Heritage	Block-M/S	300+300+300+1500		
SNT 02_FDC(MS 13)_4	26/4/2002	India-Japan-Joint Issue	Pair-M/S	1500+1500		
SNT 02_FDC(MS 14)_5	30/10/2002	Mangroves of India	Strip-M/S	500+500+500+1500		
SNT 03_FDC(MS 16)_6	5/2/2003	Aero India 2003	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 03_FDC(MS 17)_7	7/4/2003	Medicinal Plants of India	Horizontal strip in Zigzag format from MS	500+500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC(MS 18)_8	15/5/2003	Playback Singers	Block-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 03_FDC(MS 20)_9	19/6/2003	Govt/Museum-Chennai	Strip-M/S	500+1500+500		
SNT 03_FDC(MS 21)_10	3/10/2003	Waterfalls of India	Strip-M/S	500+500+500+1500		
SNT 03_FDC(MS 22)_11	12/11/2003	Snakes_King Cobra & Gliding Snake	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 04_FDC(MS 26)_12	28/6/2004	Trigonometrical Survey	Strip-M/S	500+500+500		
SNT 06_FDC(MS 38)_13	5/10/2006	Endangered Birds	Block	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC(MS 42)_14	27/2/2007	Fairs of India	Block-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 07_FDC(MS 44)_15	2/5/2007	Buddha	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 07_FDC(MS 45)_16	9/8/2007	150 Years of First War of Independence	Up-Down Pair-M/S	500+1500		
SNT 07_FDC(MS 49)_17	8/10/2007	Indian Air Force	Block-M/S	500+500+500+1500		
SNT 07_FDC(MS 50)_18	14/11/2007	Children's Day	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 07_FDC(MS 51)_19	22/11/2007	Renewable Energy	Block with 2 Vertical & 2 Horizontal Stamps-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC(MS 55)_20	17/5/2008	30th Anniversary of Agakhan Foundation	Up-Down Pair-M/S	500+1500		
SNT 08_FDC(MS 59)_21	7/10/2008	Festivals of India	T shape SNT from M/S	500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC(MS 63)_22	14/11/2008	Children's Day	Strip-M/S	500+500+500		
SNT 08_FDC(MS 65)_23	27/11/2008	National Police Academy	Pair-M/S	2000+500		
SNT 08_FDC(MS 67)_24	22/12/2008	Brahmos	Point connected Pair-M/S	2000+500		
SNT 09_FDC(MS 69)_25	29/4/2009	Spices of India	Cross type format from MS	500+500+500+500+2000		
SNT 09_FDC(MS 72)_26	16/8/2009	Heritage Railway Stations	Strip-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 09_FDC(MS 74)_27	9/11/2009	Indian Horses	2 SNT Pairs-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 80)_28	14/4/2010	Astrological Signs - 1	Strip-M/S	500+500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 86)_29	1/8/2010	Commonwealth Games - Stadiums	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 87)_30	3/10/2010	Commonwealth Games- 4 Games	Strip-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 88)_31	6/10/2010	Princely States Stamps	Strip-M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 89)_32	14/11/2010	Children's Day	T Shape Combo- M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 90)_33	15/12/2010	India-Mexico Joint Issue	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 10_FDC(MS 91)_34	21/12/2010	Crafts Museum	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 11_FDC(MS 94)_35	12/2/2011	100 Years of Air mail	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 11_FDC(MS 95)_36	13/2/2011	Legendary Heroines	Block of 6-M/S	500 x 6		
SNT 11_FDC(MS 96)_37	07/5/2011	Rabindranath Tagore	Pair-M/S	500+500		
SNT 11_FDC(MS 97)_38	25/5/2011	2nd Africa-India Forum Summit	Pair-M/S	500+2500		
SNT 11_FDC(MS 98)_39	5/8/2011	Rashtrapati Bhavan	Block- M/S	500+500+500+500		
SNT 11_FDC(MS 99)_40	14/11/2011	Children's Day	Pair-M/S	2000+500		
SNT 12_FDC(MS 100)_41	20/12/2011	Archeological Survey of India	Pair-M/S	2000+500		
SNT 12_FDC(MS101)_42	14/3/2012	Civil Aviation	Verti-Hori Pair-M/S	500+500+500+2000		
SNT 12_FDC(MS102)_43	27/5/2012	800th year of "Urs" of Khwaja "Garib Nawaz"	Pair-M/S	2000+500		
SNT 12_FDC(MS103)_44	25/7/2012	London 2012 Olympic Games	Block- M/S	500+500+2000+2000		
SNT 12_FDC(MS 104)_45	16/10/2012	XI Conference of Parties Convention on Biological Diversity, Hyderabad	Pairs-M/S	500+500+500+2500		
SNT 12_FDC(MS 106)_46	23/12/2012	Lighthouses of India	Pair-M/S	500, 2000 (2)		

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MS 73_FDC_1	14/11/1973	Indipex-73	20p, Rs/ 1, 1/45, 2 (4)		
MS 74_FDC_2	15/4/1974	Mask Series	20p, 50p, Rs/ 1, 2 (4)		
MS 74_FDC_3	3/10/1974	U/P/U/	25p, Rs/ 1, 2 (3)		
MS 87_FDC_4	15/6/1987	India-89	50, 500 (2)		
MS 87_FDC_5	17/10/1987	India-89	60, 150, 500, 650 (4)		
MS 95_FDC_6	2/10/1995	Mahatma Gandhi	100, 200 (2)		
MS 96_FDC_7	10/5/1996	Himalayan Ecology-Blank Private	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 97_FDC_8	15/12/1997	Mother Teresa_Official	4500 (1)		
MS 00_FDC_9	31/3/2000	Indepex-2000 - Blank Private	300, 300, 300, 1500 (4)		
MS 00_FDC_10	24/5/2000	Migratory Birds - Blank Cover-Speed Post	300, 300, 300, 300 (4)		
MS 00_FDC_11	7/12/2000	Gems & Jewellery	300, 300, 300, 300 (4)		
MS 02_FDC_12	16/4/2002	150 Years of Railway	1500 (1)		
MS 02_FDC_13	26/4/2002	India & Japan	1500, 1500 (2)		
MS 02_FDC_14	30/10/2002	Mangroves	500, 500, 500, 1500 (4)		
MS 02_FDC_15	15/11/2002	Handicrafts	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 03_FDC_16	5/2/2003	Aero India 2003	500, 500, 500, 1500 (4)		
MS 03_FDC_17	7/4/2003	Medicinal Plants	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 03_FDC_18	15/5/2003	Playback Singers	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 03_FDC_19	29/5/2003	Mount Everest	1500 (1)		
MS 03_FDC_20	19/6/2003	Govt/ Museum - Chennai	500, 500, 1500 (3)		
MS 03_FDC_21	3/10/2003	Waterfalls	500, 500, 500, 1500 (4)		
MS 03_FDC_22	12/11/2003	Snakes	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 03_FDC_23	29/11/2003	India & France	2200+2200 (2)		
MS 03_FDC_24	22/12/2003	Sangeet Natak Akademi	500, 500, 500 (3)		
MS 04_FDC_25	25/4/2004	Tarangini	500 (1)		
MS 04_FDC_26	28/6/2004	Trigonometrical Survey	500, 500, 500 (3)		
MS 04_FDC_27	4/10/2004	150 Years of Postage Stamp- Blank Cover	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 04_FDC_28	24/10/2004	United Nations Peacekeeping Operations	500 (1)		
MS 04_FDC_29	28/11/2004	Agra Fort - Blank Cover	1500+1500 (2)		
MS 04_FDC_30	16/12/2004	Taj Mahal	1500 (1)		
MS 05_FDC_31	24/3/2005	Flora & Fauna	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 05_FDC_32	6/4/2005	Dandi March - Blank Cover	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 05_FDC_33	16/6/2005	Guru Granth Sahib (Officially unissued)	1000 (1)		
MS 05_FDC_34	18/10/2005	Letter Box	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 06_FDC_35	12/4/2006	India & Cyprus:Joint Issue	1500+1500 (2)		
MS 06_FDC_36	29/5/2006	Kurinj	1500 (1)		
MS 06_FDC_37	11/9/2006	India & Monoglia:Joint Issue_Big Cancellation	1500+1500 (2)		
MS 06_FDC_38	5/10/2006	Endagered Birds of India	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 06_FDC_39	14/11/2006	Children's Day	500+500 (2)		
MS 06_FDC_40	13/12/2006	Sandalwood	1500 (1)		
MS 07_FDC_41	7/2/2007	Frangrance of Roses	500, 500, 1500, 1500 (4)		
MS 07_FDC_42	27/2/2007	Fairs of India	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 07_FDC_43	8/3/2007	Women's Day	500, 500, 1500, 1500 (4)		
MS 07_FDC_44	2/5/2007	Lord Buddha	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 (6)		
MS 07_FDC_45	9/8/2007	1857 : First War of Independence	500+1500 (2)		
MS 07_FDC_46	17/8/2007	Landmark Bridges	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 07_FDC_47	2/10/2007	Satyagraha Centenary	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 07_FDC_48	8/10/2007	Indian Air Force-Made from 2 official covers	500, 500, 500, 1500 (4)		
MS 07_FDC_49	14/10/2007	4th CISM Military World Games	500, 500, 500 (3)		
MS 07_FDC_50	14/11/2007	Children's Day	500, 500 (2)		
MS 07_FDC_51	22/11/2007	Renewable Energy	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 08_FDC_52	2/1/2008	Butterflies	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 08_FDC_53	18/3/2008	Madhubala	500 (1)		

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MS 08_FDC_54	26/4/2008	Jasmine	500, 1500 (2)		
MS 08_FDC_55	17/5/2008	Agakhan Foundation	500, 1500 (2)		
MS 08_FDC_56	11/7/2008	India-China:Joint Issue	500, 1500 (2)		
MS 08_FDC_57	8/8/2008	Games of the XXIX Olympiad-Beijing 2008-2 Covers	500, 500, 1500, 1500 (4)		
MS 08_FDC_58	12/8/2008	Indian Coast Guard	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 08_FDC_59	7/10/2008	Festivals of India	500, 500, 500 (3)		
MS 08_FDC_60	12/10/2008	III Commonwealth Youth Games 2008	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 08_FDC_61	13/10/2008	Rabindranath Tagore's 'Dakghar' - Big Cancellation	500 (1)		
MS 08_FDC_62	18/10/2008	XIX Commonwealth Games 2010-Shera	500 (1)		
MS 08_FDC_63	14/11/2008	Children's Day	500, 500, 500 (3)		
MS 08_FDC_64	16/11/2008	Saint Alphonsa	500 (1)		
MS 08_FDC_65	27/11/2008	Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, National Police Academy Hyderabad	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 08_FDC_66	14/12/2008	Indian Institute of Science	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 08_FDC_67	22/12/2008	Brahmos	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 09_FDC_68	28/1/2009	Heritage Monuments Preservation by INTACH	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 09_FDC_69	29/4/2009	Spices of India-Made from 2 official covers	500, 500, 500, 500, 2000 (5)		
MS 09_FDC_70	19/6/2009	Rampur Raza Library-Made from 2 official covers	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 09_FDC_71	27/7/2009	Jaideva & Geetgovinda-Made from 2 official covers	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 (11)		
MS 09_FDC_72	16/8/2009	Monumental Railway Stations	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 09_FDC_73	1/10/2009	Rare Fauna of the North-East	500, 500 (2)		
MS 09_FDC_74	9/11/2009	Horses of India	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 09_FDC_75	15/11/2009	The Silent Valley	500 (1)		
MS 09_FDC_76	16/11/2009	India-Phillipines: Joint Issue	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 09_FDC_77	1/12/2009	Greetings	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 09_FDC_78	10/12/2009	Traditional Indian Textiles	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 09_FDC_79	19/12/2009	Preserve the Polar Regions & Glaciers	500, 500 (2)		
MS 09_FDC_80	14/4/2010	Astrological Signs	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 (12)		
MS 10_FDC_81	13/5/2010	Postal Heritage Buildings	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, (5)		
MS 10_FDC_82	5/6/2010	International Year of Biodiversity	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 10_FDC_83	25/6/2010	Queen's Baton Relay-Made from 2 official covers	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 10_FDC_84	9/7/2010	Pigeon & Sparrow	500, 500 (2)		
MS 10_FDC_85	12/7/2010	Jagannath Puri Normal Miniature	500 (1)		
MS 10_FDC_86	1/8/2010	Jawaharlal Nehru & Tal Katora Stadium	500, 500 (2)		
MS 10_FDC_87	3/10/2010	XIX Commonwealth Games	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 10_FDC_88	6/10/2010	Princely States	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 10_FDC_89	14/11/2010	Children's Day	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 10_FDC_90	15/12/2010	India Mexico Joint Issue	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 10_FDC_91	21/12/2010	Crafts Museum	500, 500 (2)		
MS 11_FDC_92	27/1/2011	Krishnadevraya	500 (1)		
MS 11_FDC_93	12/2/2011	Mahatma Gandhi_Private 1	Rs 100		
MS 11_FDC_94	12/2/2011	100 Years of Airmail			
MS 11_FDC_95	13/2/2011	Legendary Heroines of Indian Cinema	500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 (6)		
MS 11_FDC_96	7/5/2011	Rabindranath Tagore's 'Dakghar'			
MS 11_FDC_97	25/5/2011	2nd Africa Forum Summit	500, 2500 (2)		
MS 11_FDC_98	5/8/2011	80th Year of Rashtrapati Bhavan	500, 2500 (2)		
MS 11_FDC_99	14/11/2011	Children's Day	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 11_FDC_100	20/12/2011	Archeological Survey of India-150 Years 'Anniversary	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 12_FDC_101	14/3/2012	Civil Aviation	500, 500, 500, 500 (4)		
MS 12_FDC_102	27/5/2012	800th Year of "Urs" of Khwaja "Garib Nawaz"	500, 2000 (2)		
MS 12_FDC_103	25/7/2012	London 2012 Olympics	2000, 2000, 5000 & 5000 (4)		
MS 12_FDC_104	12/10/2012	Philately Day	2000 (1)		
MS 12_FDC_105	16/10/2012	Endemic Species of Indian Biodiversity Hotspots	500, 500, 500, 2500 (4)		
MS 12_FDC_106	23/12/2012	Lighthouses of India	500, 2000 (2)		

Presentation Packs

Presentation Packs by India Post

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PP 07_IP_Roses_1	7/2/2007	Roses: Scented Stamps	Miniature Sheet	India Post		55
PP 07_IP_Roses_1a	7/2/2007	Roses: Scented Stamps	Sheetlet	India Post		185
PP 07_IP_Roses_1b	7/2/2007	Roses: Scented Stamps	Miniature Sheet	India Post	25	125
PP 07_IP_Buddha_2	2/5/2007	Buddha	Miniature Sheet	India Post		50
PP 07_IP_Commonwealth_3	23/9/2007	Commonwealth Parliamentary	Stamp, FDC, & Brochure Conference	India Post		50
PP 07_IP_Satyagraha_4	2/10/2007	Satyagraha Centenary	Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure, plus Special Cover for International Day of Non Violence	India Post		100
PP 07_IP_Non Violence_5	2/10/2007	International Day of Non Violence	Miniature Sheet		200	?
PP 07_IP_Air Force_6	8/10/2007	Indian Air Force	Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 07_IP_Military Games_7	14/10/2007	4th CISM World Military Games	Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure	India Post		50
PP 07_IP_Reneable Energy_8	22/11/2007	Renewable Energy	Miniature Sheet, FDC, & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 07_IP_Asia Pacific PU_9	27/11/2007	Asia Pacific Postal Union Executive Committee Meeting	Special Cover	India Post		50
PP 07_IP_Disabled Persons_10	3/12/2007	International Day of Disabled Persons: Braille inscription on Stamp & FDC	FDC & Brochure	India Post		50
PP 08_IP_Butterflies_11	2/1/2008	Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Miniature Sheet and FDC	India Post		75
PP 08_IP_Madhubala_12	18/3/2008	Madhubala	Stamp and Miniature Sheet	India Post		30
PP 08_IP_Civil Services_13	21/4/2008	Civil Services	FDC	India Post		50
PP 08_IP_Tata Steel_14	22/4/2008	Tata Steel	Stamps in block of 4, FDC, Brochure & Max Cards x 2	India Post		100
PP 08_IP_Jasmine_15	26/4/2008	Jasmine	Miniature Sheet and FDC	India Post		75
PP 08_IP_Aga Khan_16	17/5/2008	Aga Khan Foundation	Miniature Sheet	India Post		50
PP 08_IP_India-China_17	11/7/2008	India China Joint Issue	Miniature Sheet and FDC	India Post		?
PP 08_IP_Tortoise_18	2/8/2008	Aldabra Giant Tortoise	Sheetlet of 13 stamps of Rs 15	India Post		350
PP 08_IP_29th Olympiad_19	8/8/2008	Games of 29th Olympiad	Miniature Sheet and FDC	India Post		150
PP 08_IP_Bismillah Khan_20	21/8/2008	Bismillah Khan	FDC	India Post		30
PP 08_IP_Festivals_21	7/10/2008	Festivals of India	Miniature Sheet, FDC & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 08_IP_Commonwealth Youth Games-Pune_22	12/10/2008	3rd Commonwealth Youth Games, Pune	Miniature Sheet, FDC & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 08_IP_Post Office_23	13/10/2008	Post Office	Miniature Sheet, FDC	India Post		?
PP 08_IP_Commonwealth Games 2010_24	18/10/2008	Delhi 2010 Commonwealth Games	Miniature Sheet, FDC & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 08_IP_Reddi_25	16/11/2008- No FDC & Block	Dr B N Reddi	Block of 4 stamps, FDC	India Post		60
PP 08_IP_Saint Alphonsa_26	16/11/2008	Saint Alphonsa	Miniature Sheet, FDC	India Post		100
PP 08_IP_Police Academy_27	27/11/2008	National Police Academy	Miniature Sheet, FDC & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 08_IP_Christmas_28	8/12/2008	Christmas	Block of 4 se-tenant stamps, FDC	India Post		125
PP 08_IP_Manekshaw_29	16/12/2008	Field Marshal Manekshaw	Block of 4 stamps, FDC	India Post		75
PP 08_IP_Brahmos_30	22/12/2008	Brahmos Cruise Missile	Miniature Sheet, FDC	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Steel Authority_31	3/2/2009	Steel Authority of India Limited	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Girl Child_32	5/2/2009	National Girl Child Day	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Nahata_33	28/2/2009	Harakh Chand Nahata	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Medical Council_34	1/3/2009	Medical Council of India	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC & Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Birla_35	13/3/2009	K K Birla	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Spices_36	29/4/2009	Spices of India	Miniature Sheet, FDC	India Post		150
PP 09_IP_Indian Oil_37	30/6/2009	Indian Oil	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Geet Govinda_38	27/7/2009	Jayadeva & Geetagevinda	Sheetlet, 2 FDCs & Brochure	India Post		200
PP 09_IP_St Joseph_39	1/8/2009	St Joseph College Bangalore	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100

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PP 09_IP_Patanjali_40	4/8/2009	Maharshi Patanjali	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Heritage Rail Stations_41	16/8/2009	Heritage Railway Stations Brochure	Set of 4 Stamps, FDC (serviced),	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Uttam Kumar_42	3/9/2009	Uttam Kumar	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC (serviced), Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Sacred Heart School_43	9/9/2009	Sacred Heart Matriculation Senior Secondary School, Chennai	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Bishop Cotton School_44	6/10/2009	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Gulab Singh_45	21/10/2009	Maharaja Gulab Singh	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Virchand Gandhi_46	8/11/2009	Virchand Raghavji Gandhi	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Silent Valley_47	15/11/2009	Silent Valley	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 09_IP_Traditional Textiles_48	10/12/2009	Traditional Textiles	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		150
PP 10_IP_Traditional Textiles_49a	16/1/2010	Reserve Bank of India-Type 1 (Incorrect Spellings)	Block of 4, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 10_IP_Traditional Textiles_49b	16/1/2010	Reserve Bank of India-Type 1 (Correct Spellings)	Block of 4, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 10_IP_CAG of India_50	16/11/2010	Comptroller & Auditor General of India	Block of 4, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100
PP 10_IP_P C Sorcar_51	23/2/2010	P C Sorcar	Block of 4, FDC, Brochure & Maxim Card	India Post		100
PP 10_IP_INDIPEX 2011_52	August, 2010	INDIPEX 2011-World Philatelic Exhibition	Various stamp combinations	India Post		10 + cost of stamps
PP 11_IP_Mahatma Gandhi_53	12/2/2011	Mahatma Gandhi	Miniature Sheet	India Post		250
PP 11_IP_Africa Summit_54	25/5/2011	2nd Africa India Forum-Summit	Miniature Sheet, FDC, Brochure	India Post		150
PP 11_IP_Rashtrapati Bhavan_55	5/8/2011	Rashtrapati Bhavan	Miniature Sheet, FDC, Brochure	India Post		150
PP 12_IP_London Olympics_55	25/7/2012	London 2012 Olympic Games	2 set of Stamps, Miniature Sheet, FDC, Brochure	India Post		300
PP 12_IP_Customs Act_56	26/7/2012	50 Years of Customs Act	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC, Brochure	India Post		100

Presentation Packs by Regional Circles

Cat Number	Date	Theme	Content	Issued By	Quantity	Price
PP 05_RP-Calicut-Dandi_1	14/12/2005	Expert Collection of Dandi March	Sheet of Gandhi Stamps	Calicut Philatelic Bureau	50	125
PP 05_RP-Calicut-Sesquicentennial Year_2	2004-2005	India Post Sesquicentennial Year	Remembrance Pack	Calicut Philatelic Bureau	150	85
PP 06_RP-Calicut-Kurinji_3	29/05/2006	Bouquet of Western Ghats-Kurinji		Calicut Philatelic Bureau	300	120
PP 07_RP-Calicut Sandalwood & Roses_4	7/2/2007	The Fragrant Stamps of India: Sandalwood & Roses; Scented Stamps	Miniature Sheets	India Post's Philatelic Bureau, Calicut	200	80?
PP 07_RP-Kerala-First War of Independence_5	1/9/2007	First War of Independence	Miniature Sheet & Special postmark "Speed Post Across Kerala"	India Post - Central Region of Kerala Circle	200	?
PP 08_RP-Tamilnadu-Inpex 08_6	2008	INPEX 08	Special Cover	Tamil Nadu Circle of India Post		
PP 08_RP-Delhi-Dakiana Philatelic Exhibition_7	7/2/2008	Dakiana -Delhi Philatelic Exhibition		Delhi Circle of India Post		300
PP 08_RP-Maharashtra-Magic of Film_8	18/3/2008	Magic of Film Through Postage Stamps		Maharashtra Circle of India Post		
PP 08_RP-Karnataka-Sandalwood_9	2008	Sandalwood	Miniature Sheet	Karnataka Circle of India Post		

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PP 08_RP-Karnataka-Roses_10	2008	Roses	Miniature Sheet	Karnataka Circle of India Post		
PP 08_RP-Karnataka-Butterflies_11	2008	Endemic Butterflies of Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Miniature Sheet	Karnataka Circle of India Post		
PP 09_RP-West Bengal-Uttam Kumar_12	3/9/2009	Uttam Kumar	Block of 4 Stamps, FDC (serviced), Brochure, 2 Maxim Cards (serviced)	West Bengal Circle, India Post		100
PP 09_RP-Kerala-Saint Alphonsa_13	2009	Saint Alphonsa	Stamp, Miniature Sheet, Rs 5 Commemorative Coin	Kerala Circle, India Post		100
PP 10_RP-Kerala-Sandalwood_14	2010	Sandalwood, Roses & Jasmine	Miniature Sheets of Sandalwood issue of 2007 and Roses and Jasmines issues of 2008	Kerala Circle		
PP 11_RP-Delhi-Philatelic Exhibition_15	11/10/2011	District Level Philatelic Exhibition-2011		Delhi Circle		
PP 11_RP-J & K-Stamps Show_16	26/11/2011	Jammu Stamps Show	Complete Set of 12 Special Covers	Jammu & Kashmir Circle		300
PP 11_RP-Gujarat-Heritage Railway Stations_17	23/12/2011	Gujarat State Philatelic Exhibition	Heritage Railway Stations	Gujarat Circle Miniature Sheet		50
PP 11_RP-Gujarat-Astrological Signs_18	23/12/2011	Gujarat State Philatelic Exhibition	Astrological Signs Miniature Sheet	Gujarat Circle		80
PP 11_RP-Gujarat-Africa India Forum Summit_19	23/12/2011	Gujarat State Philatelic Exhibition	2nd Africa India Forum Summit Miniature Sheet	Gujarat Circle		50
PP 12_RP-Kolkata GPO-Shekhawati & Warli Paintings_20	20/6/2012	Shekhawati & Warli Paintings	Se-tenant Pair of Stamps, FDC,	Kolkata GPO Brochure		200

Praful Thakkar's Thematic Gallery of Indian Autographs

www.indianautographs.com

To give thematic dimension to the hobby of Autograph collection, he started with this website which represents a thematic Gallery of Indian/World Autographs. This is a unique site as it presents, for the first time, a galaxy of Autographs of Indian/World Celebrities in a very systematic and thematic way. However one can visit www.worldautographgallery.com to view autographs of only world celebrities of various fields.

On this website, one can find the autographs and photographs of more than 500 Padma awardees, 350 film personalities, 150 TV personalities, 200 cricket players, 120 Nobel Laureates, 360 world political celebrities and many more personalities.

As of today, this site is displaying more than 5400 autographs organized in 62 different thematic categories

The site is also a small step towards creation of world peace as it presents World Peace Messages received on request from various celebrities along with their autographs. They present clear vision and deep understanding of the celebrities and do project a vivid dimension to the subject of Autograph collection.

With reverence, respect and gratitude, autographs of Indian/World Celebrities, who have made landmark in their respective fields of art, science, technology, music, dance, sports, literature, films, business, fashion, service etc., are presented here. This Website is a humble effort to salute the honorable achievements of these celebrities.



Praful Thakkar's Classic Gallery of Indian Numismatics

www.indiannumismatics.com

India is a country with varied culture and vast heritage. It is a country, which has a glorious history that makes every Indian citizen to be proud of it. India's culture is full of artistic human expressions. It has all the fineness of art, which touches a human heart. Apart from such artistic expressions, India has rich numismatic treasure, too.

With a view to preserve, protect and project Indian Art and Numismatic Treasure in proper perspective, this Website is created. It is an attempt to popularize collection of coins, banknotes, tokens, medals and other collectibles like weights, badges, badge plates, match labels etc. of India. The Website aims to create public awareness to preserve these little nuggets of Indian history. The history of India can only be studied and rewritten when these historical tablets have been survived and maintained from the melting pot.



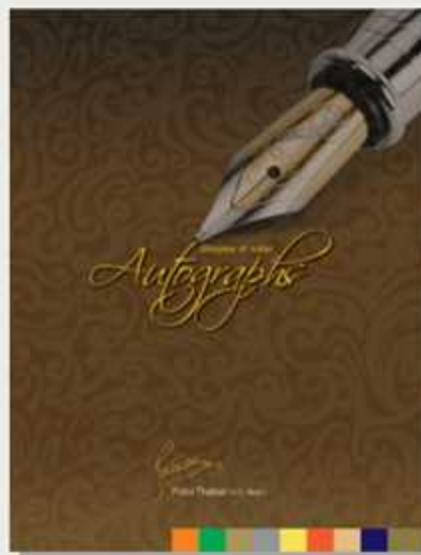
Collector's Guide to First Day Covers & Folders of India with Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps & Miniature Sheets

Nowadays, in philatelic fraternity, focus on modern Indian philately has gathered grounds. The subject of modern philately is a fascinating section which is capable to delight the collector's eyes with various sizes, color shades, cancellation marks, legends and creative designs which have a religious, cultural, historical, political and commercial overtone. It has colors, creativity and charisma. It has carved out an important niche in the hearts of new philatelists and collectors. This has happened because in last few years India Post has issued varieties of stamps, se-tenants, Miniature sheets, Sheetlets, Presentation Packs, FDCs and many more philatelic items which attracted the collectors in India and all over the world.

Since 1947, approximately more than 2300 stamps must have been issued along with their respective FDCs and folders. It may be difficult to collect, preserve and present all of them. Here an effort is made to narrow down the subject to substantial size without losing its collecting pleasure. This Guide is a showcase which gives glimpses of FDCs of Set of Stamps, Se-tenant Stamps and Miniature Sheets which form the total of about 450 having equal number of Folders. Thus this theme has a small gamut and it can be managed easily. An effort is also made to maximize the number of colored examples to give a creative and colorful dimension to this fascinating philatelic theme. Here, in this guide value of FDCs & Folders is also given.

This book is an attempt to present this subject with all its facets to cater the needs of collectors. They need right information, proper way of presentation and required items at a reasonable price. In short, they require a touchstone to measure their efforts and to further improve their collection. This Guide will be able to satisfy all requirements of the collectors in particular and hobby in general.

Other Publications



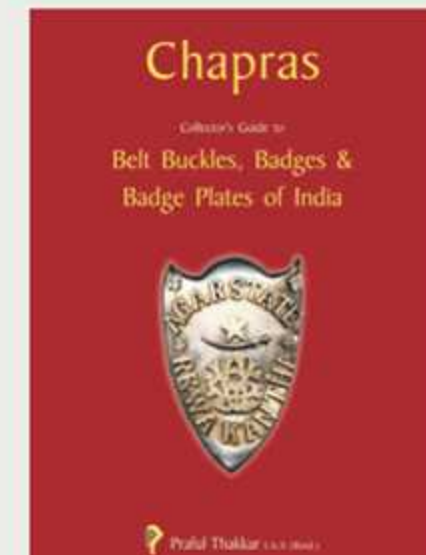
Glimpses of Indian Autographs

This is a hard bound fully colored book of 280 pages. The book gives glimpses of the autographs of eminent Indian personalities of various fields. The book contains around 600 autographs in 8 major groups which are further divided in 42 different categories in which autographs and photographs of the celebrities are presented. An alphabetically arranged Index at the end gives basic details and information about the celebrity.



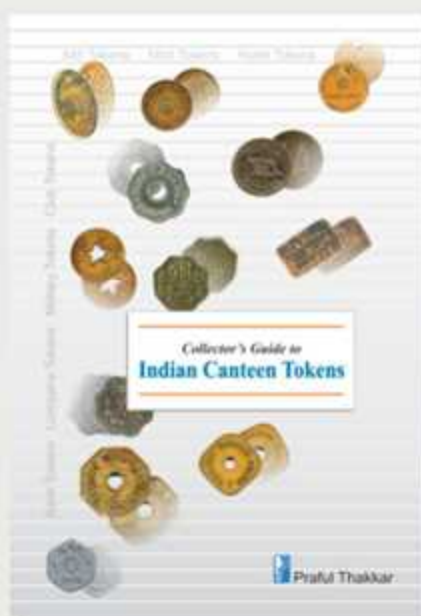
Collector's Guide to First Day Covers & Folders of India 1947- 1964 Official & Private

This starting period of Indian Philately is highly fascinating because of variety of FDCs with sizes, color shades, legends and designs which are appropriate to the theme of respective stamps. In this book an effort is made to illustrate more than 250 Private First Day Covers (including 24 Private FDCs of Gandhi), about 80 Official FDCs, 70 Folders, Presentation Folders & Souvenir Albums along with FDCs of Indian Army Postal Service and Overprinted Military Postage stamps.



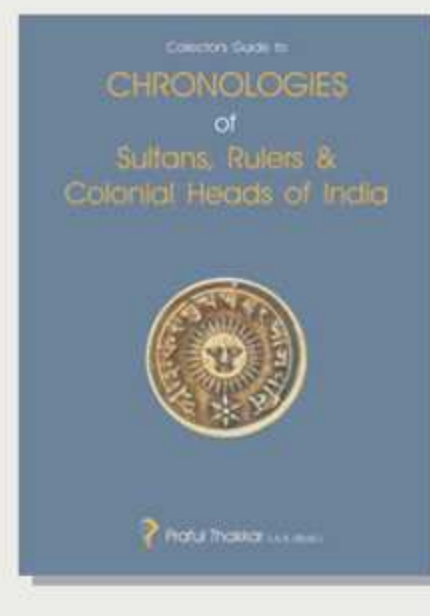
Chapras-Collector's Guide to Belt Buckles, Badges & Badge Plates of India

This is a book that gives a thematic dimension to the hobby of collecting early Belt Buckles, Badges and Badge Plates as they depict history of British India and Indian Princely States. They indicate the identity or the Authority on whose behalf they are issued. The Guide catalogues about 630 such badges etc along with their photos.



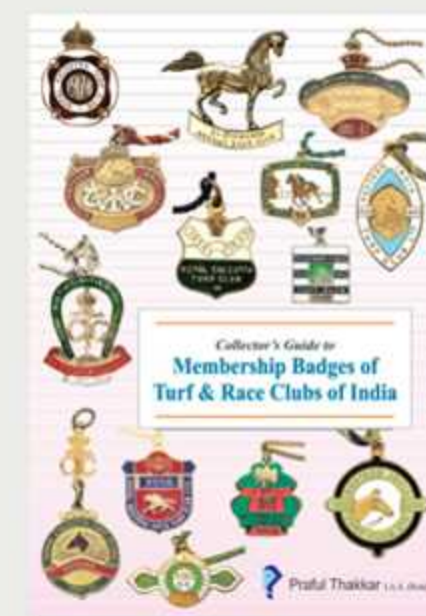
Collector's Guide to Indian Canteen Tokens

Indian Canteen Tokens were metallic tokens issued by various establishments like mills, mints, military, railways, banks, clubs, hotels, companies, factories, co-operatives etc. for use in their own premises only. This reference guide illustrates with photos such 295 Indian Canteen Tokens.



Collector's Guide to Chronologies of Sultans, Rulers & Colonial Heads of India'

It is a compilation that gives chronological rule periods of various Muslim Heads, Rulers of Indian Princely States and colonies of Danish, Portuguese, British etc. This reference guide will be of much use to the collectors in pursuit of their numismatic hobby.



Collector's Guide to Membership Badges of Turf & Race Clubs of India

This is a reference work of membership badges issued by the Indian race/turf club authorities viz. Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Bangalore and Hyderabad to their members. These badges were colorful and were artistically made with exquisite workmanship. The Guide gives a historical background of racing in India and catalogues colored photos of about 260 badges.