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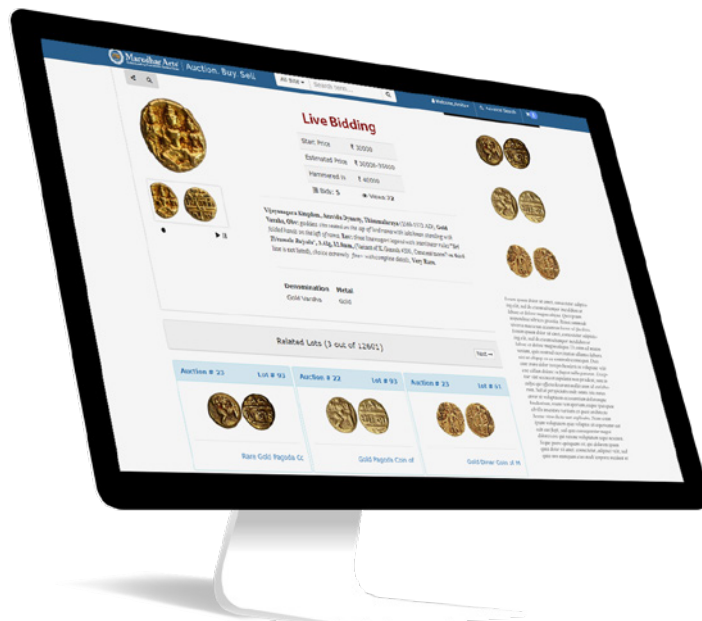
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Floor Auction Sale will start on Saturday, 9th July 2022 • IST 2:00 pm

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Coins of Ancient India	Lot No. 001 to 057
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Coins of Mughal Emperors of India	Lot No. 120 to 179
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Coins of Ancient India

Primitive Money (1st Century BC)



1. **Gold Jewellery (possibly a pair of earrings)**, a circular disc with a central hole and a thin slit suggesting they can be worn on a person's ear, **0.50g, 13.1mm, about very fine, Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000

Punch Marked Coin

Shakya Janapada (600-500 BC)



2. Narhan Hoard type, **Silver 5 Shana**, Scyphate, Archaic period, **Obv:** a single bold punched symbol consisting of a central dot surrounded by five crescents, banker's marks including a solar symbol (sun), and other ancillary symbols around the field, **Rev:** uniface, **6.5g, 32.01x18.28mm**, (Hardekar, 2019 # NH 21/**Unlisted in Rajgors**), choice very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

3. Narhan Hoard type, **Silver 5 Shana**, Scyphate, Archaic period, **Obv:** a single bold punched symbol consisting of a central dot surrounded by five crescents with a dot in each, banker's marks including a bold dot, and a triangular symbol, **Rev:** uniface, **6.47g, 36.6x19.3mm**, (Hardekar, 2019 # NH 24/**Unlisted in Rajgors**), larger flan, choice very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



4. Narhan Hoard type, **Silver 5 Shana**, Scyphate, Archaic period, **Obv:** a single bold punched symbol consisting of a central symbol with four small dots around the square pellet, all within a quatrefoil, banker's marks including a taurine and other ancillary symbols around the field, **Rev:** uniface, **6.28g, 28.9x25.5mm**, (Hardekar, 2019 # NH 32/**Unlisted in Rajgors**), choice extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 7000-9000

Magadha Janapada (600-350 BC)



5. **Silver Vimshatika**, Series 0, Archaic period, **Obv:** three punch marks including a large six-armed symbol in the center flanked by a bull and a geometric symbol by its side, **Rev:** uniface, **5.38g, 21.62mm**, (**Unlisted type**), about extremely fine with toning, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Note: This is an interesting type with only 3 punch marks instead of the usual 5. A similar coin was sold in our Printed Auction No 34 for Rs. 35,000.

6. **Silver Vimshatika**, Series 0, Archaic period, **Obv:** four punch marks including a large six-armed symbol in the center; a solar symbol (sun), a fish, a tree, and four other ancillary symbols around the field, **Rev:** three banker's marks, **5.40g, 26.33mm**, (**Unlisted type**), attractive, about extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Note: The presence of multiple punch marks is unusual for coins of this type in this series.

Magadha Janapada (600-350 BC)



7. Dumraon Hoard type, **Silver Karshapana**, Series 0, Archaic period, **Obv:** four punch marks including a solar symbol (sun), a six-armed symbol, a fish, and a triangular die with three dots/pips, **Rev:** a single banker's mark comprising of a solar symbol, **3.37g, 21.73m**, (JONS. 237 Pg. No. 26), choice very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000

8. Dumraon Hoard type, **Silver Karshapana**, Series 0, Archaic period, **Obv:** four punch marks including a solar symbol (sun), a six-armed symbol, a fish, and a triangular die with three dots/pips, **Rev:** various banker's marks, **2.9g, 19.7mm**, (JONS. 237 Pg. No. 26), about very fine, **Very Rare**.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Post-Mauryan, Bengal-Chandraketurarh Region (200-100 BC)



9. **Copper Karshapana**, **Obv:** three punch marks including a spoked wheel, two circles enclosing dots, six dumbbells around, and a boat (representing riverine trade-in Bengal), **Rev:** a single punch mark comprising a conch shell (Shankha), **2.19g, 14.4x12.4mm**, (Hardekar, 2019 # BR 20), choice very fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 3000-4000

City State of Erikachha (300-200 BC)



10. Dasharna area, Betwa River, **Lead Unit**, **Obv:** the Brahmi legend "**Erikacha**" between two horizontally placed trees within railings and an Ujjaini symbol in the right field, **Rev:** a pole with a circular end within railings in the center; a tree within railings in the left field, a Swastika and an Ujjaini symbol in the right field, **6.05g, 19.69mm**, (Variant of W. Pieper # 514), choice extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Post Mauryan, Tribal

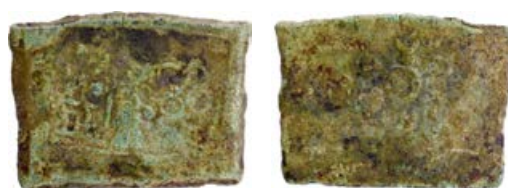


11. **Agrodaka (Agacha)/Agroha Janapada, Punjab-Haryana Region (150-100 BC)**, **Copper Square Unit**, **Obv:** a tree within railings in the center; the Brahmi legend "**Agoda(ka Agacha Janapadasa)**" around the field, **Rev:** a lion facing right with an upraised tail, **2.11g, 13X13.2mm**, (Handa # Variant of Pl. I-7), about very fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 6000-7000

12. **Yaudheyas (150-100 BC)**, **Cast Copper Unit (32 Rattis)**, 'Bahudhanyaka' type, **Obv:** a humped bull walking to the right towards a sacrificial standard (Yupa), the Brahmi legends "**Yaudheyanam**" (clockwise) and "**Bahudhanya**" (anticlockwise) around the field, **Rev:** an elephant walking to the right, a Nandipada and a pennon-like symbol above, **3.47g, 18.8mm**, (Mitch. ACW # 4474-76/Handa # Pl. XL- 7), about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 6000-7000



13. **Ujjaini Region (200 BC)**, **Copper Unit, Large Flan**, **Obv:** the god Shiva (Mahakal), upright, holding a staff in the center, a tree within railings in the left field, an Ujjaini symbol with taurines in the right field, a wavy river with fishes at the bottom, **Rev:** a six-armed symbol, **6.05g, 23.6x17.29mm**, (RB # 251), completely struck, about very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000

Post-Mauryan, Punjab

14. **Taxila – Local Coinage** (185-168 BC), **Copper Unit**, Lion type, **Obv:** a lion standing facing left with upraised tail, a taurine symbol above and in front of the lion, **Rev:** traces of an elephant standing, **1.04g, 16.6mm, (Unlisted), about very fine, Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Panchala Dynasty

15. **Yajñabala** (100 CE), **Copper 1/8 Karshapana**, **Obv:** three royal symbols of the Panchala dynasty and the Brahmi legend “*Yajñabala*” below, **Rev:** three standards on a platform, **0.72g, 10.3mm, (Unlisted), choice very fine, Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



16. **Bhanumitra** (100 CE), **Copper Double Karshapana**, **Obv:** a rectangular incuse with three royal symbols of the Panchala dynasty and the Brahmi legend “*Bhanumitrasa*” below, **Rev:** bust on a pedestal featuring the goddess and the sun, flanked by pillars, **18.3g, 27.4mm, (Mitch. ACW # 4549), choice very fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Satavahana Dynasty (100 CE)

17. **Copper Unit**, **Obv:** an elephant walking to the right, the Brahmi legend “*Rajno....*” above, **Rev:** a tree within railings and a river below, **2.68g, 17.75x16.26mm, about very fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Sangam Pandyas (1st Century CE)

18. **Copper Square Unit, Large Flan**, **Obv:** a large tree within railings in the center, a bull standing facing left on a six-arched hill (*chaitya*) and four Nandipada symbols on the top in the right field, a six-armed symbol, with a horse standing facing right and a fish tank in the left field, **Rev:** a Pandya emblem featuring a stylized fish, **14.09g, 24.8x27.7m, (Mitch. T&K # 155/W. Pieper # 768), about very fine, Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 7000-9000

Sangam Cholas (3rd Century CE)

19. **Copper Unit**, **Obv:** an elephant walking towards the left, an umbrella-like symbol above, a dotted border around the field, **Rev:** a tiger standing facing left with its tail curled against its back, dotted borders around the field, **1.5g, 14.2mm, (Mitch. T&K # 123), choice very fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Malayaman Chiefs, Sangam Period (1st Century CE)



20. **Copper Square Unit**, **Obv:** a horse standing facing right and an altar in front of it, **Rev:** a map showing a wide river flowing from three hills, 1.6g, 16.6x15.4mm, (Mitch. T&K # 206), choice extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Kushan Dynasty

Kanishka I (127-140 CE)



21. **Gold Dinar**, “NANA” type, Mint Balkh?, **Obv:** the diademed king standing facing the left, holding a spear in his left hand and sacrificing over an altar on the left field, with flames on his right shoulder, the Bactrian legend “**ϜAONANOϜAO KA-NHPKI KOϜANO**” “Shaonashao Kanishki Koshano” (King of Kings, Kanishka the Kushan) around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Nana standing, nimbate, facing the right, wearing a fillet and a crescent, holding a scepter in the right hand and a box in the left hand, a tamgha in the right field, the Bactrian legend “NANA” in the left field, a dotted border around the field, 7.78g, 19.93mm, (Gobl # 35.9/Jongward & Cribb # 370), about very fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 85,000-95,000

Huvishka (160-190 CE)



22. **Gold Dinar**, “Pharro” (Fire-god) type, Mint Balkh?, Late phase, **Obv:** a diademed and half-length crowned bust facing left emerging from clouds, holding a mace-scepter in one hand and an elephant-goad (ankush) in the other hand, the Bactrian legend “**ϜAONANOϜAO OOHpKI KOϜANO**” “Shaonashao Ooishki Koshano” (King of kings Huvishka the Kushan) around the field, **Rev:** the fire-god Pharro, nimbate, standing facing the left, wearing a headgear tied at the back with ribbons fluttering behind, a caped upper garment, a knee-length skirt, and boots, holding a bowl of fire in his outstretched right hand and his left hand resting akimbo, a tamgha in the left field, the Bactrian legend “**ΦAΠΠ(O)**” (Pharro) in the right field, a dotted border around the field, 7.77g, 20.18mm, (Unlisted), excellent quality, centrally struck, choice extremely fine, **Exceedingly Rare**.

Estimated Price: 1,50,000-2,00,000

Note: This specimen features characteristic details of the “Pharro” type but in the absence of other perfectly identical coins, its die can be marked as being particularly rare. The ribbon on the reverse being tied to Pharro’s head instead of his sword is commonly known. **We haven’t offered this type in the past auctions.**

Vasudeva I (190-230 CE)



23. **Gold Dinar**, “OESHO” (Shiva) type, Mint Balkh?, **Obv:** the king diademed and nimbate, standing facing left, sacrificing over an altar, holding a trident in his left hand while a ribboned trident surmounts the altar, the Bactrian legend “**ϜAONANOϜABA-ZOAHO KOϜANO**” “Shaonashao Bazodeo Koshano” (King of Kings Vasudeva the Kushan) around the field, **Rev:** the deity Oesho (Shiva) standing facing forward, hair in a top-knot, holding a trident and a diadem, a bull (Nandi) standing behind, facing forward with its head in the left field, the Bactrian legend “**OHPO**” (OESHO) in the right field, a tamgha in the left field, a dotted border around the field, 7.84g, 20.02mm, (Gobl # 509/Variant of Jongward & Cribb # 1088), choice very fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000

Later Kushan Dynasty

Kidara-Kushan (365-390 CE)



24. **Base Gold Dinar, "Ardokhsho" type, Obv:** the king, crowned and nimbate, standing facing left, sacrificing over an altar, a ribboned trident surmounts the altar, holding a standard in his left hand, the Brahmi legends "Kapana" next to the altar, "Kidara" under his raised left arm and ("Kushana") to the outer right, **Rev:** the goddess Ardokhsho enthroned, nimbate, facing forward, holding a cornucopia in her left hand and a diadem with ladder-like ribbon in her extended right hand, the Brahmi initial "Ala" in the right field, a tamgha on the upper-left field, **7.77g, 23.78mm**, (Gobl # 617/Jongward & Cribb # 2440-41), about very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 18,000-22,000



25. **Base Gold Dinar, "Ardokhsho" type, Obv:** the king, crowned and nimbate, standing facing left, sacrificing over an altar, a ribboned trident surmounts the altar, holding a standard in his left hand, the Brahmi legends "Kapana" next to the altar, "Kidara" under his raised left arm and "Kushana" to the outer right, **Rev:** the goddess Ardokhsho enthroned, nimbate, facing forward, holding a cornucopia in her left hand and a diadem with a ladder-like ribbon in her extended right hand, the Brahmi initial "Ala" on the right field, a tamgha on the upper-left field, a dotted border around the field, **7.76g, 21.14mm**, (Gobl # 617/Jongward & Cribb # 2443), about very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 18,000-22,000

Durlabhadeva (5th Century CE)



26. **Base Gold Dinar, "Ardokhsho" type, Obv:** a highly stylized depiction of the king standing facing towards an altar in the left field, the Brahmi legends "Kidara" and "Jaya" under his arms and an additional letter "Ka" in the left field, **Rev:** a highly stylized depiction of the goddess Ardokhsho (Lakshmi) enthroned, the Brahmi legends "Shri Durla" & "Deva" in the left field, **5.6g, 20.9mm**, (Mitch. ACW # 3651), about very fine.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Pallavas of Kanchi (4-6 Century CE)

Karur Region



27. **Lead Unit, Obv:** an upright bull facing right, in front of a motif resembling a flag mast, **Rev:** a sprout and traces of a vessel on the left field, **4.82g, 18.43mm**, (The Pallava Coins, R. Krishnamurthy # 7), choice very fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



28. **Lead Unit, Obv:** an upright bull facing right, in front of a motif resembling a flag mast, **Rev:** a sprout and traces of a vessel on the left field, **9.28g, 18.94mm**, (The Pallava Coins, R. Krishnamurthy # Variant of 8-9), choice quality, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000



29. **Lead Unit, Heavyweight type, Obv:** an upright bull facing right, in front of a motif resembling a flag mast, **Rev:** traces of a sprout and a vessel, **11.66g, 21.68mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), choice very fine, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Note: The weight of this coin is 2.5x heavier than standard lead Pallavas coins, which are usually 4.82gms. This weight is hitherto unknown. It is being offered for the first time in any auction.

Pallavas of Kanchi (4-6 Century CE) continued...



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30. **Potin Fraction Unit, Obv:** an upright bull facing right, a dotted border around the field, **Rev:** a vessel with handle (Kumbha) symbol in the center, **0.53g, 11.01mm, (Unlisted), about extremely fine, Very Scarce.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000

31. **Potin Unit, Obv:** an upright bull facing right, the Pallava-Grantha legend **“Salasi (tha)”** above, a linear border surrounded by the dots around the field, **Rev:** a bow symbol in the center and a linear border with semicircular arches around the field, **1.28g, 13.76mm,** (The Coins of Tamilnadu, A Seetharaman # 65), about extremely fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



32. **Bronze Unit, Obv:** an upright bull facing right, a club in front of it, snake, Srivatsa, conch shell and crescent symbols above, a beaded border around the field, **Rev:** a conch shell (Shankha) in the center; a linear border around the field, **3.67g, 19.6mm,** (The Pallava Coins, R. Krishnamurthy # 192), all symbols clearly visible, completely struck, about very fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 7000-9000

Gupta Dynasty

Samudragupta (335-370 CE)



33. **Gold Dinar, “King and Queen- Vamardhaparyanka” type,** issued in the memory of his parents Chandragupta I and Kumaradevi, **Obv:** the king, nimbate, diademed, standing to the right facing, the queen stands in tribhanga pose on the left, the king offering a ring/flower to the queen, both have a halo over their heads, the Brahmi legend **“Kumaradevi Shri”** partially visible in the left field behind the queen, **“Chandra”** and **“Gupta”** in the right field divided by a crescent standard which is held in the king’s left hand, the king has a dagger on a belt at his right side, **Rev:** the goddess Durga seated in the Vamardhaparyanka pose on a recumbent lion facing right, holding a cornucopia and a pasha, a tamgha on the left field, the Brahmi legend **“Lichchhavayah”** on the right field and a dotted border around the field, **7.42g, 20.44mm,** (Variant of BMC # Pl. III-15/ TGE, S. Kumar # Class I-Var. B.1), very attractive, sharp features, choice quality, **XF-AU, Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 3,00,000-4,00,000

Note: This specimen features the goddess Durga seated on a lion in the Vamardhaparyanka posture. We have never offered this type in past auctions and it may not be found in various collections.



34. **Gold Dinar, "Ashvamedha" type, Obv:** a sacrificial horse standing facing left, behind a sacrificial post (Yupa), which is shown as an elaborate stand with streamers and ribbons flying in the wind; the Yupa has an ornamental pedestal with two steps which are slightly bent in towards the center, the Brahmi letter 'Si' (Siddam) placed on the platform between the horse legs, a crescent behind the haunch of the horse, the Brahmi legend "(Rajadhiraja prithivim vijitya divam jaya)tyahruta vajimedha" around the field, **Rev:** the chief queen in the guise of a goddess standing facing left on a lotus-shaped pedestal, carrying a fly-whisk (Chauri) that rests on her shoulder in right hand, and holding a towel in her left, the Brahmi legend "Ashvamedha Parakramah" in the right field and a ritual needle (Soochi/ceremonial spear with ribbons) in the left field, beaded border around the field, **7.48g, 22.13mm**, (Altekar, Bayana Hoard # Pl. IV-15/TGE, S. Kumar # Class I-Var. B.1), some areas of flatness are visible, completely struck, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 3,00,000-4,00,000

Note: The Ashvamedha was one of the grandest of the Vedic religious ceremonies of ancient India, and was performed by a king to celebrate or, to be more precise, affirm their imperial sovereignty. The ceremony is described in detail in various Vedic writings, particularly the Shatapatha Brahmana.



35. **Gold Dinar, "Javelin" type, Obv:** the king wearing a crescent-top crown and tunic, standing facing left, nimbate, holding a javelin/spearhead facing downwards in his left hand and sacrificing over an altar, a Garuda standard in the left field, adorned with a ribbon, the Brahmi legend "Samudra/gupta" below the king's arm and besides the javelin, a circular Brahmi legend "(Samarasata vitatavijayo)jitaripurajito divam jayati" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, seated on a high backed throne whose two legs are clearly visible, with her feet resting on a circular mat below, a diadem and a cornucopia in her hands, a tamgha in the top-left field, the Brahmi legend "Parakramah" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **7.26g, 20.76mm**, (Unlisted in Altekar/TGE, S. Kumar # Class II -Var. E.4), almost complete details, choice extremely fine, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 3,00,000-3,50,000

Note: This popular Javelin-type coin was struck by Samudragupta as one of his first coins alongside the Archer type during his early reign. It has Brahmi legends "Samudra Gupta" flanked by a Javelin between two words, it is an early struck Javelin type, that can't be confused with the regular categorization of these coins of the same style as Javelin/Standard type with the obverse Brahmi legends "Samudra" only. An extremely sought-after type.

Samudragupta continued...



36. **Gold Dinar, "Scepter/Standard" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding the royal scepter (*Rajadhanda*) in his left hand and sacrificing over an altar, a filleted *Garuda* standard on the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Samudra**" below the king's arm, a circular Brahmi legend, **Rev:** the goddess *Lakshmi*, nimbate, seated on a high backed throne whose two legs are clearly visible, with her feet resting on a circular mat below, a diadem and a cornucopia in her hands, a tamgha in the top-left field, the Brahmi legend "**Parakramah**" in the right field, 7.76g, 18.80mm, (Unlisted in TGE/Altekar, Bayana Hoard # Pl. II - 6), sharp features, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 1,25,000-1,50,000

Note: This specimen features an unusual reverse, depicting the Queen seated on an elongated throne in a different posture. **We have not offered this in past auctions.**



37. **Gold Dinar, "Scepter/Standard" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding the royal scepter (*Rajadhanda*) in his left hand and sacrificing over an altar, a filleted *Garuda* standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Samudra**" below the king's arm, a circular Brahmi legend "**Samarasativitata(vijayojitari...)**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess *Lakshmi*, nimbate, seated on a high backed throne whose four legs are clearly visible, with her feet resting on a circular mat below, a diadem and a cornucopia in her hands, a tamgha in the top-left field and a crescent on the top-right, the Brahmi legend "**Parakramah**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, 7.40g, 19.36mm, (Unlisted in Altekar/Variant of TGE, S. Kumar # Class II -Var. C.5.2), choice very fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 60,000-70,000

Note: A stylized version of reverse with a crescent is seen on the top-right beside the throne is seldom offered.



38. **Gold Dinar, "Scepter/Standard" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding the royal scepter (*Rajadhanda*), adorned with a ribbon in his left hand and sacrificing over an altar, a *Garuda* standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Samudra**" below the king's arm, a circular Brahmi legend "**Samarasata(vitativijayojitaripurajito divam jayati)**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess *Lakshmi*, nimbate, seated on a high backed throne whose all legs are clearly visible, with her feet resting on a circular mat below, a noose and a cornucopia in her hands, a tamgha in the top-left field and a small symbol on the top-right, the Brahmi legend "**Parakramah**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, 7.58g, 20.2mm, (Unlisted type), choice very fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000

Note: The noose held by the Goddess is different for this type, this reverse is generally seen in the coins which have the complete Brahmi legend "**Samudra Gupta**" on the obverse.



39. **Gold Dinar, "Kacha" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding a *chakradhvaja* (wheel-headed standard), adorned with a ribbon in his left hand and sacrificing over an altar, the Brahmi legend "**Kacha**" below the king's arm, a circular Brahmi legend "**Kacho Gama(-vajatya Divam Karmabhi)rutta(mair jayati)**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess *Lakshmi*, nimbate, standing facing left, holding a lotus in right hand, its stalk twisted and a cornucopia in her left hand, a tamgha in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Sarvarajochchhetta**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, 7.44g, 19.64mm, (Altekar, Bayana Hoard # Pl. VII-1/TGE, S. Kumar # Cl. I- Var. B), about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 55,000-65,000

Chandragupta II (Vikramaditya) (375-415 CE)



40. **Copper Fraction (¼ Unit?)**, Bust type, **Obv:** the king's bust facing left, **Rev:** Garuda seated facing forward, traces of Brahmi legend below, **1.1g, 10.41mm**, (BMC # Pl. XI-13-14/TGE, S. Kumar # Class III, Pg. No. 280), porous surface, choice very fine, **Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 40,000-60,000



41. **Copper Unit**, Standing King type, **Obv:** three-quarter profile of the king, wearing a necklace, earrings, a crescent on his head, standing facing left, with his right hand raised, **Rev:** Garuda seated facing forward, the Brahmi legend "**(Sri Cha)ndragu(pta)**" below, **3.43g, 16.42mm**, (TGE, S. Kumar # Class III, Pg. No. 281), choice quality, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000



42. **Gold Dinar**, "Archer-Goddess on throne" type, **Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, wearing a short tunic, diadem on his head, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard on the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Chandra**" below the king's arm, the Brahmi legend "**Devasrimaharajadhiraja(dhirajasri-Cha)ndraguptah**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, seated frontally on a throne, wearing ornaments and a thin upper-body garment (Uttariya) depicted with delicate folds, resting her feet on a wide lotus-shaped pedestal, she holds a lotus in one hand and makes a gesture of benevolence (Varadamudra) with the other hand, a tamgha in the top-left field, the Brahmi legend "**Sri Vikramah**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **7.56g, 20.68mm**, (Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. VIII-3/TGE, S. Kumar # Class. I-D.2), almost complete details visible, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000

Note: The reverse of this coin where the goddess is seen wearing Uttariya is from the same dies that were perhaps used for the Couch type coin. As per Hinduism and Vedic text, Uttariya is generally worn during religious ceremonies. We haven't offered this in past auctions.



43. **Gold Dinar**, "Archer" type, **Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, wearing a tightly fitted cap, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Chandra**" below the king's arm, the Brahmi legend "**Deva Shri maharajadhiraja (Shri Cha)ndragupta**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the padmasana posture on a beautiful 8 petaled lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left hand, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh, a tamgha in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Sri Vikramah**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **7.6g, 19.07mm**, (Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. IX- 10/TGE, S. Kumar # Class. III-A.4), choice quality, very attractive, almost complete legend, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 1,25,000-1,50,000

Chandragupta II (Vikramaditya) continued...



44. **Gold Dinar, "Archer" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Chandra**" below the king's arm, the Brahmi legend "**Deva Shri maharajadhiraja (Shri Chandragupta)**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the padmasana posture on a lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left hand, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh, a tamgha in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Sri Vikramah**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **7.7g, 19.71mm**, (Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. IX- 13/TGE, S. Kumar # Class. III-A.5.1), choice extremely fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000



45. **Gold Dinar, "Archer" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard on the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Chandra**" below the king's arm, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the padmasana posture on a lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left, a tamgha in the top left field, the Brahmi legend "**Sri Vikramah**" in the right field, **7.77g, 18.02mm**, (Variant of Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. IX-15/TGE, S. Kumar # Class. III-A.6.2), high relief, about extremely fine, **Rare in this condition.**

Estimated Price: 70,000-80,000

Note: This is an interesting specimen where the noose held by the Queen appears as Lord Ganesha in its stylized depiction. This gorgeous coin is fully struck with complete figures of the bow, arrow, standard, lotus, King, and Queen clearly visible on both sides.



46. **Gold Dinar, "Archer" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, wearing a cap with pearl string, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Chandra**" below the king's arm, the Brahmi legend "**Deva Shri maharajadhi(raja Shri Chandra)gupta**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the Lalitasana posture on a three-petal lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left hand, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh, a tamgha in the left field, the Brahmi legend "**Sri Vikramah**" in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **7.88g, 19.32mm**, (Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. XII- 7/TGE, S. Kumar # Class. III-Var. I), sharp features, very attractive, choice extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 2,25,000-2,75,000

Note: This picturesque coin features the Queen seated on a five petalled-lotus (out of which only three petals are visible) and is a highly uncommon type. We have not offered this in past auctions. It is missing from various advanced Gupta coin collections.



47. **Gold Dinar, "Lion Slayer" type, Obv:** the king standing, is seen mid-hunt, wearing a dhoti, holding a bow in his left hand with the right releasing the bowstring, the lion is facing the king and seen falling backward probably with an arrow in its mouth, the Brahmi legend "**Narendra chandrah (prathitarano rane jayatjayayo bhuvī sinha vikramah)**" around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, seen wearing jewelry on her ears, seated in Sattvasana pose on a lion slaying to the left with its head up, the goddess is seen holding a lotus in her left hand, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh and right hand is shown as a varadamudra gesture symbolizing dispensing of bones, tamgha in the top left field, the Brahmi legend "**Simhavikramah**" in the right field, **7.67g, 18.50mm**, (Altekar, Bayana Hoard # Pl. XVII-7/TGE, S. Kumar # Class III-Var. A.5.1), about very fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 2,50,000-3,00,000

Kumaragupta I (Mahendraditya) (415-455 CE)

48. **Gold Dinar, "Horseman – Right" type, Obv:** the king, nimbate, riding a ceremonially adorned horse to the right, wearing a necklace and armlets with a sash flowing out from behind, holding a sword in his right hand, the Brahmi legend **"Ksitipatirajito vijayi Kumaragupto (divam jayati)"** around the field, with the letter **'Ksi'** placed between the heads of the king and the horse, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, her ears, neck, arms, wrists, waist, and ankles are bejeweled, seated facing left on a wicker stool, the left hand of the goddess rests on her waist, holding a lotus with a long stalk, feeding grapes to a peacock in the left field, the Brahmi legend **"Ajitamahendrah"** in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **8.08g, 19.59mm**, (Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. XXV- 1-4/Variant of TGE, S. Kumar # Class III-Var. C), complete legends visible on both the sides, minor gash on the edge, otherwise about extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 1,60,000-1,80,000

Skandagupta (Kramaditya) (455-467 CE)

49. **Silver Drachma, "Madhyadesha" type, Maukhari style, Obv:** the side profile of the king facing left with the date in front of his head, **Rev:** a fan-tailed peacock standing facing the right in the center and the Brahmi legend **"Vijitvaniravanipatir jayati divam Skandagupto 'yam"** around the field, a dotted border around the field, **2.34g, 13.96mm**, (TGE, S. Kumar # Variety A), choice very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



50. **Gold Heavy Dinar, "Archer" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a filleted Garuda standard on the left field, the Brahmi legend **"Skanda"** below the king's arm, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the padmasana posture on a lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh, the Brahmi legend **"Kramaditya"** in the right field, Sankhanidhi symbol with pearls flowing out at left, dotted border around, **9.11g, 19.8mm**, (TGE, S. Kumar # Class. II-Var. C), about very fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,25,000

Narasimhagupta (Baladitya) (510-530 CE)

51. **Gold Dinar, "Archer" type, Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend **"Nara"** below the king's arm and the letter **"Gre"** between king's feet, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the padmasana posture on a lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left hand, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh, a tamgha in the left field, the Brahmi legend **"Sri Baladitya"** in the right field, a dotted border around the field, **7.7g, 19.71mm**, (Variant of Altekar. Bayana Hoard # Pl. XXXII- 5/TGE, S. Kumar # Class. I), high relief, sharply struck, almost uncirculated, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 1,25,000-1,50,000

Note: This is a specimen that is exceptionally attractive, with an amazing bold strike that shows the minutest details in full. We have not offered this type in this quality in past auctions.

Later Gupta Dynasty

Vishnugupta (540-550 CE)



52. Silver?/Debase Dinar, "Archer" type, **Obv:** the king standing facing left, nimbate, holding a longbow in his left hand and an arrow in his right, a Garuda standard in the left field, the Brahmi legend "Vishnu" below the king's arm, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi, nimbate, facing forward and seated in the padmasana posture on a lotus, holding a diadem in her right hand and a lotus in her left hand, whose stem is coming from inside the hand resting on her thigh, a tamgha in the left field, the Brahmi legend "(Sri Chandraditya)" in the right field, **6.92g, 18.74mm**, about very fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 35,000-45,000

Vishnukundin Dynasty (450-615 CE)



53. Vidarbha Region, **Copper Base Alloy Unit**, Shivalinga type, **Obv:** a roaring lion standing facing the right with an upraised tail, a linear border surrounded by dots around the field, **Rev:** a Shivalinga with Naga in the center, a conch shell (Shankha) to the left and a sword to the right, a linear border around the field, **2.20g, 12.87mm**, (Unlisted in major numismatic references), about extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Eastern Chalukyas of Vengi (6 Century CE)



54. **Copper Base Alloy Unit**, Vishnukundin typology, Gajalakshmi type, **Obv:** a roaring lion standing facing the right with an upraised tail, a Srivatsa symbol in front, and a linear border surrounded by dots around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi is shown seated and facing forward in the center flanked by elephants on either side showering water on the goddess, the Brahmi legend "SRI SALABHA" below, a lotus in the exergue, a linear border surrounded by dots around the field, **1.40g, 12.20mm**, (Unlisted in major numismatic references), beautifully struck and very attractive, choice quality, almost uncirculated, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 60,000-70,000

Note: This beautiful Gajalakshmi type has complete Brahmi legends. It has been never offered in the past.



55. **Copper Base Alloy Unit**, Vishnukundin typology, Gajalakshmi type, **Obv:** a roaring lion standing facing the right with an upraised tail, a Srivatsa symbol in front, and a linear border surrounded by dots around the field, **Rev:** the goddess Lakshmi is shown seated and facing forward in the center flanked by two elephants standing on lotuses and showering water on the goddess, a linear border with serrations around the field, **2.64g, 17.7mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished type), complete details visible, about very fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

Vishnukundin Dynasty (450-615 CE)



56. Andhra Region, **Copper Base Alloy Unit**, **Obv:** a roaring lion standing facing the right with an upraised paw and tail curled against its back, a small Srivatsa symbol in front of it, a linear border surrounded by dots around the field, **Rev:** a conch shell (Shankha) between two tridents, a linear border with serrations around the field, **5.52g, 17.11mm**, (The Pallava Coins, R. Krishnamurthy # Pg. 118-Coin No. 1/Mitch. K&A # 180), choice quality, about extremely fine, **Rare in this condition.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Early medieval North Maharashtra

Harishchandra Dynasty



57. **King Bhogashakti (700-720 CE), Copper Base Alloy Unit**, Nasik-Khandesh area, Vishnukundin type, **Obv:** a roaring lion standing facing right with one foreleg raised, its tail curled towards its back, **Rev:** an elephant standing facing right, the Brahmi legend **“Shri Bhoga”** above, **2.03g, 15.78mm, (Unlisted & Unpublished)**, sharp strike, green deposits aesthetically cleaned, about extremely fine, **Extremely rare.**
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Note: Bhogashakti is known from two sets of copper plate grants found in the village of Anjaneri, near Trimbakeshwar. Both are now in the collection of the IIRNS, Nasik. It is evident from the inscriptions that the family name of Bhogashakti was ‘Harishchandra’ and his alias was ‘Prithivichandra’. No coins of this dynasty were known before and the discovery of these coins takes our understanding of the numismatic landscape of medieval Maharashtra a step further

Coins of Medieval India

Chola Empire

Uttama Chola (973-985 CE)



58. **Silver Kahavanu, Obv:** the Chola royal insignia, i.e., an umbrella along the center on top flanked by two flywhisks, following figures, from left to right: a lampstand, a strung bow, a tiger (Chola symbol) seated right facing two upright fishes (Pandyan symbol) and another lampstand, **Rev:** the Nagari legend **‘Uttama Cholah’** in two lines, **3.98g, 19.9mm**, (Mitch. T&K # 323-29), a complete dotted border on both the sides, choice very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

Raja Raja I (985-1014 CE)



59. **Copper Unit, Obv:** Balakrishna standing facing with a nice flute playing posture, **Rev:** the king half seated facing the right, **0.55g, 11.76mm**, (K. Ganesh # 1.32/The Coins of Tamilnadu, A. Seetharaman # Pg. 138 # 72), about very fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



60. **Gold ¼ Kahavanu, Obv:** the Chola royal insignia, i.e., a bow, a seated tiger, and a pair of fish below an umbrella, **Rev:** the Nagari legend **“Yudha/Malla”** in two lines, **0.48g, 9.12mm**, (Mitch. T&K # 331), beautiful choice quality, high relief, brilliant uncirculated, **Very Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



61. **Gold ¼ Kahavanu, Obv:** standing figure of the king, **Rev:** the Nagari legend **“Jaya/Chola”** in two lines, a conch shell (Shankha) above, **0.21g, 6.89mm**, (K. Ganesh #1.8), about extremely fine, **Very Scarce.**

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Chola Empire continued...

Rajadhiraja I (1018-1054 CE)



62. **Copper Kahavanu**, 'Ceylon Man' type, **Obv:** the king standing facing the right, holding aloft a globule, altar, flame, conch, and lotus in the field, the Nagari legend "**Shri/Raja/dhira/ja**" on the right field, a dotted border around the field, **Rev:** the king seated facing the right, holding a conch shell (Shankha) in his raised left arm, Chola dynastic emblem of seated tiger and two lamp-stands under an umbrella to its right, **3.27g, 20.12mm**, (K. Ganesh # 1.42), traces of gold extracted from the coin, about very fine, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 40,000-50,000

Note: This copper coin was coated with gold to be used as Gold Kahavanu, thus it shows the traces of gold extraction on its surface.



63. **Copper Unit**, **Obv:** a tiger (Chola symbol) seated, facing to the right, **Rev:** two upright fishes (Pandyan symbol), **0.29g, 6.78mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), a complete dotted border on both the sides, about very fine, **Very Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000



64. **Gold 1/2 Fanam**, Elephant type, **Obv:** a caparisoned elephant standing facing to the left, **Rev:** Tamil legend "**Usapa**", **0.17g, 6.19mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), about very fine, **Exceedingly Rare**.

Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000

Ceylon, Srilankan Kings



65. **Gold Pala (1/4 Kahavanu)**, **Obv:** the king standing facing right, holding a conch-shell (Shankha) in his left hand which is above an altar, **Rev:** the Nagari legend "**Lamka Ma(harajah)**" (King of Srilanka), **0.99g, 12.29mm**, (Mitch. T&K # 314), about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Later Cholas of Tamilnadu (11th Century CE)



66. **Gold Fraction Coin**, **Obv:** Grantha Tamil letter "**Ma**" in the center, dotted border around the field, **Rev:** uniface, **0.03g, 3.72mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), about uncirculated, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Venad Cheras (11 Century CE)



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67. **Copper Fraction Unit**, **Obv:** the king seated in Chola style facing to the right, a battle-axe and cluster of dots in front, **Rev:** Garuda running to the right with hands folded, **0.43g, 7.95mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), about very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



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68. **Jayasimhanad (15 Century CE)**, **Copper 1/2 Kasu**, **Obv:** a standing figure, fish for the head and flanked by lamp and chakra, a dotted border around the field, **Rev:** seated figure with 5 petals and parashu, **1.8g, 12.57mm**, (B.Sarasan # 51.2), choice very fine, **Very Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



69. **Copper Kasu, Obv:** the king seated in Chola style facing to right, a battle-axe and cluster of dots in front, a dotted border around the field, **Rev:** a pair of lozenge-shaped symbols on each side of a scepter; a dotted border around the field, **2.54g, 14.7mm**, (Mitch. T&K # 471), choice quality, about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



70. Tirunelveli Region, **Silver Tara, Obv:** battle weapons, an axe and a sword, **Rev:** a Kaliyan/palanquin pattern, **0.08g, 6.31mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), almost uncirculated, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Hoysala Dynasty (10-13 Century CE)



71. **Gold ¼ Fanam, Obv:** a maned lion or Sardula standing facing right, a crescent-like curve on its back, **Rev:** a four-spoke chakra (discus), **0.9g, 4.9mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), choice quality, about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000

Chalukyas of Kalyana (10-11 Century CE)



72. **Gold ¼ Fanam, Obv:** a lion standing to the right, facing backward with its tail curled against its back, **Rev:** a stylized representation of a temple, **0.09g, 3.82mm**, (Unlisted type), about uncirculated, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000

73. **Gold ½ Fanam, Obv:** a lion standing facing left with forepaw raised and with its tail curled against its back, **Rev:** the Nagari letter "A (?)", **0.16g, 5.99mm**, (Unlisted type), about uncirculated, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000

74. **Gold ½ Fanam (Haga), Vengi Issue, Obv:** a lion standing facing left with forepaw raised and with its tail curled against its back, **Rev:** Kannada numeral '24' (regnal year), **0.15g, 5.54mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), about uncirculated, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



75. **Gold Navilachchu Are Haga (Half Fanam)**, uninscribed and unattributed, **Obv:** stylized representation of Peacock (Navilu) facing left in profile, **Rev:** bloomed eight-petalled lotus, **0.12g, 4.32mm**, about extremely fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000

Note: The Kudatini inscription of Chalukya King Tribhuvanamalla, dated 1098AD refers to the conversion of Lokki coins into peacock coins by a goldsmith named Savimoja who had to pay annually 12 Gadyanas to the temple of Svamideva out of the profit from making Navilachchina Pon (Peacock symbol Hon). It is plausible that this is a fractional coin of a similar type of Hons, these coins might have been minted at Naviluru Mint (Ref: Govindraya Prabhu, Navilachchu coins, Nanyadarshini Journal).

Since this coin is struck on a scyphate flan, it is plausible that it might be an earlier issue!

Kadambas of Hangal/Chalukyas of Kalyana?



76. **Gold Fanam**, uninscribed and unattributed, **Obv** : stylized representation of a Monkey seated facing left on a branch and holding fruits, **Rev**: bloomed eight-petalled Lotus, **0.43g, 6.08mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), about uncirculated, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Note: Since this coin is struck on a scyphate flan, it is plausible that it might be an earlier issue!

Shilaharas of Karahad (Feudatories of Chalukyas of Kalyana)



77. Wai-Karahad Region, **Gold Fanam (U Shaped)**, **Obv**: three punches consisting of a lion/boar standing facing right, Kannada letter "Shri" on the left arm and legend "Jaga"? on the right arm, **Rev**: uniface, **0.46g, 6.4mm**, (Variant of Mitch. K&A # 247), about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Western Ganga Dynasty (10-11 Century CE)



78. **Silver Tara**, **Obv**: a caparisoned elephant standing to the right, **Rev**: Kannada numeral '1-1/4' and the Nagari letter 'Sa' at above, **0.08g, 5.10mm**, (Unlisted & Unpublished), luster; almost uncirculated, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Chandellas of Jejakabhukti, Sallakshana Varman (11 Century CE)



79. **Gold 1½ Masha**, **Obv**: the goddess Lakshmi, ornate, seated facing forward, **Rev**: the Devanagari legend "Shrimat-ha/hallakshana va/rmma deva", **0.99g, 11.16m**, (Deyell # 136), about extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

80. **Sallakshana Varman (11 Century CE)**, **Gold 1½ Masha**, **Obv**: the goddess Lakshmi, ornate, seated facing forward, **Rev**: the Devanagari legend "Shrimat-ha/hallakshana va/rmma deva", **1.04g, 11.3mm**, (Deyell # 136), about extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Gahadavalas of Kanauj and Kasi (Varanasi)



81. **Govinda Chandra (11 Century CE)**, **Base Gold 4½ Masha**, **Obv**: the goddess Lakshmi ornate, seated facing forward, **Rev**: the Devanagari legend "Srimat Go/vinda Candra/(deva)" in three lines, **4.0g, 18.28mm**, (Deyell # 145), choice very fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 12,500-15,000

Chauhans of Ajmer



82. **Prithviraj II (1167-69 CE)**, **Billon Jital**, **Obv**: recumbent bull facing left, tined trisula on bull's rump, numeral 1 on the bull's jhula, the Devanagari legend "Jenda raja/sri samanta deva" around, **Rev**: rider bearing lance on a caparisoned horse facing right, with three dots of harness on horse's rump, the Devanagari legend "Sri pi/thimva devah", **3.43g, 15.45mm**, (Deyell # 214), almost uncirculated, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 3000-4000

Kakatiya Dynasty

83. Southern India, Rajula Reddy, Gold ½ Fanam, Obv: a mythical lion (Sardula) standing on a platform to right with facing backward with its tail curled against its back, Rev: traces of Nagari legends, 0.19g, 7.69mm, (Unlisted & Unpublished), almost complete details visible, about extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 10,000-15,000

Paramaras of Vidarbha

84. Jagadeva (12 Century CE), Punch Marked Gold Pagoda, Obv: punch marks including a temple depiction of a human figure, possibly lord Shiva, the Nagari legend “Shri Jagadeva”, two punches of geometric ‘D’ symbols, Rev: uniface, 3.66g, 18.9mm, (JONS. 200 Article by Bankar & Somkuwar), XF-UNC, Rare.

Estimated Price: 17,000-19,000

Yadavas of Tribhuvanagiri

85. Kumara Pala (11 Century CE), Gold 4½ Masha, Obv: the goddess Lakshmi, ornate, seated facing forward, Rev: the Devanagari legend “Shrimat/Kumarapala/deva” in three lines, 4.03g, 14.68mm, (Deyell # 148), choice extremely fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 18,500-20,000

Yadavas of Devagiri

Shri Rama

86. Ramachandra (12-13 Century CE), Punch Marked Gold Padmatanka, Scyphate, Obv: five punch marks consisting of a lotus in the center, the Nagari legend “Shri Rama” with a sword on top, two punches of “Shri” in Kannada on the sides, a conch shell (Shankha) below, Rev: uniface, 3.71g, 14.47mm, (Mitch. K&A # 289), almost complete details visible, choice very fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 22,000-25,000

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87. Sangama Dynasty, Harihara II (1377-1404 CE), Gold ½ Varaha, Obv: the god Shiva seated in the padmasana posture with his consort Parvati resting on his left thigh, one of his left hands holds a trident and the other is around his consort's waist, one right-hand holds a battle-axe, while the other is in the abhaya mudra gesture, the goddess has joined her hands in the anjalimudra gesture, with the sun and moon near Shiva's head, all within a Prabhavali decoration, Rev: the Nagari legend “Shri Pra/tapa Hari/Hara” in three lines with two interlinear rules, 1.68g, 8.77mm, (Mitch. K&A # 412/Dr. M. Girijapathi # 053), almost complete details, choice extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000



88. Tuluva Dynasty, Achyutaraya (1530-1542 CE), Gold ½ Varaha, Obv: an ornamented Gandaberunda, or a double-headed eagle moving to left, its wings and feathers are bejeweled, in each of its two beaks and two claws are fully grown tusker elephants, Rev: the Nagari legend “Shri Pra/tapachyuta/raya” in three lines with interlinear rulers, 1.68g, 9.96mm, (Mitch. K&A # 673/Dr. M. Girijapathi # 224), choice very fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 13,000-15,000

Vijayanagara Feudatory (14-17 Century CE)



89. Anonymous ruler, **Copper Kasu**, **Obv:** a Gandaberunda profile (two-headed eagle), a linear border around the field, **Rev:** the Nagari legend “Sri Ra ga....” in three lines with interlinear rules, **2.40g, 12.02mm, (Unlisted), choice extremely fine, Very Scarce.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000

Vijayanagara Feudatory Polygar’s (16–17 Century CE)



90. **Gold ½ Fanam**, ‘Sri Lakshmi’ type, **Obv:** the goddess lakshmi seated facing forward, **Rev:** the Nagari legend “Chika....”, **0.17g, 5.51mm, about extremely fine, Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Note: Most likely issued by Vijayanagara Feudatories Polygar’s of North-Central Karnataka, possibly from the Gadag-Lakshmishwar region.

Tiruvannamalai Region (15 Century CE)



91. **Copper Jital**, **Obv:** a twin-peak hill in the center, flanked by sun and moon, a dotted border surrounded by a linear border, **Rev:** the corrupt Nagari legend, a dotted border surrounded by a linear border, **3.33g, 13.27mm, (K. Ganesh # 13.10), about very fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



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92. **Copper Double Jital**, **Obv:** a humped Bull seated facing right, a twin-peak hill in the background, a linear border surrounded by dots, **Rev:** the Kannada legend “Arunadri”, dotted and linear borders around the field, **6.55g, 18.45mm, (Mitch. T&K # 646), complete details on both the sides, about extremely fine, Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

93. **Copper Double Jital**, **Obv:** a stylized Garuda running to the right with hands folded and sun and moon symbol besides, a dotted border around the field, **Rev:** a twin-peak hill in the center with a crescent on it, a linear border surrounded by dots, **5.26g, 16.04mm, (Mitch. T&K # 652), about extremely fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

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94. **Aravidu Dynasty, Venkatapathiraya III (16 Century CE), Gold ½ Varaha**, **Obv:** the god Venkateshwara standing under an ornamental arch facing forward, holding a discus (chakra) and a conch-shell (shankha) in two separate hands, while another hand makes the abhayamudra gesture, **Rev:** the Nagari legend “Shri Chalama Venkata raya” in three lines with interlinear rules, **1.71g, 11.02mm, (Dr. M. Girijapathi # 393), almost centrally struck, XF-UNC, Very Rare in this condition.**

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000

Coins of Sultanates of India

Bengal Sultanate

Mughith ud-din Yuzbak (AH 652-655/6 /1254-1257AD)



Nudiya

95. Nudiya Mint, Silver Tanka, AH 652, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*al-sultan al-a’zam Mughith ud-Dunya wa’l din Abu’l Fath Yuzbak al-sultan Nusra amir al-muminin*”, **Rev:** Arabic legends “*fi ‘ahad al-imam al-musta’sim amir al-mu’minin*” within a circle, mint name & “*fi shahur sana ithnain wa lhamsin wa sittamaya*” (=652) Hijri in the margin, **10.25g, 28.23mm**, (G&G # B75), no test mark, choice quality, **Exceptionally Rare. Estimated Price: 2,50,000-3,00,000**

Note: Mughith ud-din Yuzbak, also known as Malik Ikhtiyar ud-din Yuzbak, was clearly not of royal ancestry, he was originally a slave, who started his career as Na’ib Chashnigir (deputy comptroller of the royal kitchen) in the household of Iltutmish and the same is found on his first coinage struck to demonstrate his loyalty to Delhi Sultanate.

This coin is a testament to Yuzbak who called himself a slave in his earlier coins and assumed an independent position declaring himself Sultan and adopting the kunyat (patronymic) Abul Fath in the year AH 652 (AD 1254). It was struck from the land tax (kharaj) of Azmardan and Nudiya. His aim was to regain the territories lost to the Gangas of Orissa.

Exceptionally rare and offered for the first time in any auction

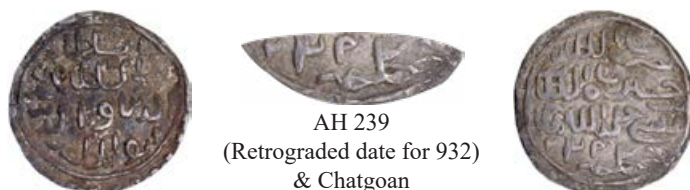
Jalal ud-din Muhammad (Second Reign: AH 821-836/7/AD1418-1432/3)



96. No mint, Silver Tanka, ‘Lion’ Type, Struck in the name of his father **Ganesha**, **Obv:** a lion to right with his paw raised, short Arabic legend above “*bin Ganesha ibtad*” (son of the founder, Ganesha), **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Jalal ud dunya wa’l din Abu’l Muzaffar Muhammad Shah al-sultan*” within an ornated border; **10.72g, 29.75mm** (G&G # B342), choice very fine, **Extremely Rare in this grade. Estimated Price: 3,50,000-4,00,000**

Note: The reasons for Jalal ud din’s adoption of the symbolic figure of the lion were probably political, the lion symbolizing his might and superiority over the rivals-an emblem of sovereignty. The initial coinage of his second reign continues the sort of issues struck in his first reign. Then in AH 824, we get what is perhaps the most remarkable coinage in the Bengal series, the first issue of lion tankas. Various ideas have also been put forward to explain the use of the lion motif on these coins, including the concept of the lion as a symbol of kingship and power; whatever the reason, this motif was not only used by two other Bengal Sultans but also by the rulers of Tripura in the east.

Nasir ud-din Nusrat (AH 925-938/1519-1531 AD)



AH 239
(Retrograded date for 932)
& Chatgaon

97. Chatgaon Mint, Silver Tanka, AH 239 (Retrograded date for 932), **Obv:** Arabic legend “*al-sultan bin al-sultan Nasir ud-dunya wa’l din Abu’l Muzaffar*”, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Nusrat Shah al-sultan bin Husain Shah al-sultan al-husaini khuldallahu mulkahu*” with retrograded date 239 & “*zarb Chatgaon*” completely visible at the bottom, **9.63g, 24.33mm**, (Variant of G&G # B804, date is unlisted), **XF-AU, Extremely Rare. Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000**

Bengal Sultanate

Nasir ud-din Nusrat continued...



98. **Muzaffarabad Mint, Silver Tanka**, AH (9)27, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*al-sultan bin al-sultan Nasir ud dunya wa'l din abu'l Muzaffar*” within a border of scallops, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Nusratshah al-sultan bin Husain Shah al-sultan al-Husaini khuld mulkahu*” within a border of scallops, **10.49g, 26.52mm**, (G&G # B838), well center strike, a beautiful border around, almost uncirculated, **Extremely Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Daud Shah Kararani (AH 980-984/ AD 1572-1576)



99. **Tanda Mint, Silver Rupee**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square, the four Caliphs' names in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Daud Shah Sulaiman Shah Kararani, khuld Allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu*” and star mintmark within a square, “*Abu'l Muzaffar*” in margin & Nagari legend ‘*Sri Daud Shahi*’ at the bottom, **11.04g, 29.98mm**, (Variant of G&G # 982, the mint mark is unlisted for the type), test marks, about extremely fine, **Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



100. **Tanda Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 981, Broad flan, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square, the four Caliphs' names in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Daud Shah Sulaiman Shah Kararani, khuld allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu*” and arial mintmark within a square, ‘*Sri Daud Shahi*’ in Nagari legend, **11.34g, 31mm**, (Variant of G&G # B982, the mint mark is different), single test mark, choice extremely fine, **Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

101. **Tanda Mint, Silver Rupee**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square, the four Caliphs' names in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Daud Shah Sulaiman Shah Kararani, khuld Allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu*” and arial mintmark within a square, “*Abu'l Muzaffar*” in margin & Nagari legend ‘*Sri Daud Shahi*’ at the bottom, **11.18g, 30.48mm**, (G&G # B983), test marks, about extremely fine, **Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Delhi Sultanate

Turk Dynasty,
Mu'izz ud-din Muhammad bin Sam
 (AH 589-602/1193-1206 AD)



102. **Silver Dirham**, citing his brother Ghiyath ud din as supreme chief of the Ghurids, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada at the top in two lines, “*al-sultan al-a'zam Ghiyath ud dunya wa'l din (Mahmud bin) Muhammad bin Sam*”, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Al-Nasir lidin Allah sultan al a'zam Mu'izz ud dunya wa'l din Abu'l Muzaffar Muhammad bin Sam*”, **4.28g, 29.49mm**, (G&G # D4), some usual flatness, XF-AU, **Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

Mahmud Shah bin Muhammad (AH 795-815/1393-1413)



103. **Gold Tanka**, AH 801, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*al-sultan al-a’zam Abu’l Muzaffar Mahmud Shah Muhammad Shah Firuz Shah al-sultani*”, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*fi zaman al-imam amir al-muminin khuldat khilafatu*”, almost complete Hijri year 801 visible at the bottom, **11.2g, 20.47mm**, (G&G # D621), *choice quality, luster, almost uncirculated, Extremely Rare.*
Estimated Price: 1,50,000-1,75,000

Note: Gold coins with a complete date are seldom offered.

Firuz Shah Zafar (AH 791/1389 AD)



104. **Hadrat Delhi Mint, Silver Tanka**, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*al-sultan al Azam Firuz Shah Zafar ibn Firuz Shah al Sultani*”, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*fi zaman al-imam amir al-muminin Abi Abd Allah khulidat khilafatuhu*”, **10.86g, 22.41mm**, (Unlisted and Unpublished), *about extremely fine, Exceptionally Rare.*

Estimated Price: 4,00,000-5,00,000

Note: Firuz Shah Zafar had ruled the Delhi sultanate for a very short span of time in AD 1389/ AH 791. Thus his coins of all metals are difficult to get.

As per its stylization with the inclusion of the caliph name “**Abi Abd Allah**”, it is plausible that it was struck using dies that were made for Gold coinage. It is a new discovery for this ruler that is hitherto unrecorded in the past. Goron and Goenka have not mentioned the silver coins of this ruler in their catalog.

It is the first known silver tanka that has appeared publicly or in any auction.

**Suri Dynasty,
Sher Shah (AH 945-952/1538-1545 AD)**



105. **Kalpi Mint, Silver Rupee**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada at the top in two lines, “*zarb Kalpi*” with star mint mark at the bottom within a double square, the four Caliphs’ names in margins, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Sher Shah Sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu*” & Nagari legend ‘*Sri Ser Sahi*’ within a double square, “*Farid ud dunya wal din Abul Muzaffar*” in margins, **11.37g, 25.32mm**, (G&G # D784), *test mark, about very fine, Scarce.*

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

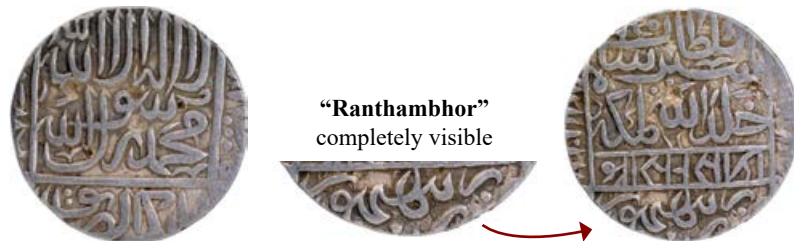
Delhi Sultanate

Suri Dynasty, Sher Shah continued



106. **Ranthambhor Mint, Silver Rupee**, Large flan, AH 949, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalama Shahada within a square and the four Caliphs' names in the margins, **Rev:** Arabic legends, "Sher Shah sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu" & Hijri year 949 within an inner square, "Sultan-ul-adil Abu'l Muzaffar Farid-ud-dunya wa'l din" in the margins, Nagari legend 'Sri Ser Sah' & "zarb Ranthambhor" completely visible at the bottom, **11.23g, 31.11mm**, (G&G # D794), test marks, original patina, choice extremely fine, **Extremely Rare**.
Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000

Note: A similar type was sold in the year 2020 in our Auction No 32 for INR 95,000.



107. **Ranthambhor Mint, Silver Rupee**, Small flan, AH 950, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalama Shahada within a square and the four Caliphs' names in the margins, **Rev:** Arabic legends, "Sher Shah sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu" & Hijri year 950 within an inner square, "Sultan-ul-adil Abu'l Muzaffar Farid-ud-dunya wa'l din" in the margins, Nagari legend 'Sri Ser Sah' & "zarb Ranthambhor" almost completely visible at the bottom, **11.23g, 26.51mm**, (Small flan is Unlisted), test marks, original patina, choice extremely fine, **Extremely Rare**.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Note: G&G does not list small flan for this type in their book.



108. **Shergarh Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 948, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a double square, the four Caliphs' names in margins, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Sher Shah Sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu" within a double square, "Farid ud dunya wal din Abul Muzaffar", Nagari legend "Sri Ser Sahi" & "zarb Shergarh" completely visible with Hijri year 948 in margins, **11.10g, 28.67mm**, (G&G # D802), test mark, about very fine, **Rare in this grade**.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

109. **Shergarh Bakkar urf Shiqq Bakkar Mint**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square, the four Caliph's names in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Sher Shah Sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu", with star mint mark & Nagari legend 'Sri Ser Sah' within a square, "Farid ud Dunya wal din Abul Muzaffar" & "zarb Shergarh Bakkar" in margins, **11.26g, 26.10mm**, (G&G # D804) test marks, choice very fine, **Scarce**.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

110. **Mintless, Bengal Type, Silver Rupee**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square, the four Caliphs' names in margins, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Sher Shah Sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu" & Nagari legend "Sri Ser Sahi" within a square, "Farid ud dunya wal din Abul Muzaffar" in margins, **11.23g, 27.03mm**, (Unlisted type), test marks, about very fine, **Very Scarce**.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



111. **Silver Rupee**, AH 950, **Circular area type**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a center and the four Caliph's names in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Sher Shah sultan khuld allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu" within a circle, around "Farid ud dunya wa'l din Abul Muzaffar", Hijri year 950 & Nagari legend "Sri Ser Sahi", 10.69g, 30.5mm, (G&G # D825), test marks, about very fine, **Scarce**.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Suri Dynasty, Islam Shah (AH 952-960/1545-1552AD)



112. **Qila Raisen Mint (off flan)**, **Silver Rupee**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square, the four Caliphs' names in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Islam Shah ibn Sher Shah Sultan, khuldallahu mulkahu" within a square, at bottom Nagari legend 'Sri Islam Sah', ruler's title & mint name in the margin, 11.26g, 25.64mm, (G&G # D966), test marks, about very fine, **Very Rare**
Estimated Price: 7000-8000



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113. **Satgaon Mint**, **Silver Rupee**, AH 953, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada & Hijri year 953 within a square, the four Caliphs' names, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Islam Shah ibn Sher Shah sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu" within a square, Nagari legend "Sri Islam Sahi" at the bottom, "Jalal ud dunya wa'l din Abu'l Muzaffar & zarb Satgaon" almost completely visible in the margin, 11.32g, 29.63mm, (G&G # D968), test marks, about extremely fine, **Rare**.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

114. **Mintless (Bengal) type**, **Silver Rupee**, AH 954, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a circle, the four Caliphs' names & "al-sultan ul-adil" around, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Islam Shah ibn Sher Shah sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu with wa a'ala amrahu" within a circle, "Jalal ud dunya wa'l din Abu'l Muzaffar, 954 Hijri" with Nagari "Sri Islam Sahi" in margin around, 11.23g, 31.69mm, (G&G # D982), test marks, about very fine, **Rare**.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

115. **Jahanpanah Type**, **Silver Rupee**, AH 956, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada & Hijri year 956 within a square, the four Caliphs' names, **Rev:** Arabic legend "Islam Shah ibn Sher Shah sultan khuld Allahu mulkahu" & floral mint mark, within a square, Nagari legend "Sri Islam Sahi" at the bottom, "Jalal ud dunya wa'l din Abu'l Muzaffar" in the margin, 11.45g, 28.91mm, (Variant of G&G # D978, floral mark, and placement of date on the obverse is unlisted), test marks, choice quality, very attractive, almost uncirculated, **Rare**.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Delhi Sultanate, Suri Dynasty continued...

Muhammad Adil Shah (AH 960-964/1552-1556 AD)



116. No Mint, **Silver Rupee**, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a square & the four Caliph's name in the margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend "al-sultan al-adil mubarriz al-duniya wa'l din abu'l Muzaffar" in the margin, "sultan Muhammad Adil, khuld Allahu mulkahu sultanahu ala amrahu" within a square, "Sri Mahamad Sah" in Nagari at the bottom, **11.02g, 32.34mm**, (G&G # D1105), test marks, about very fine, **Rare**.
Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Ibrahim Shah (AH 962 /1554-1555 AD)



117. Dar ul Darb Muqam Shahr **Banaras** Mint, **Silver Rupee**, AH 962, **Obv:** Arabic legend "Abu'l Muzaffar Sayyid Sultan Ibrahim Ghazi" & star mintmark within a square, the four Caliph's names in the margins, **Rev:** Arabic legend "khuld allahu mulkahu wa sultanahu wa a'ala amarahu wa sultanahu" within a square, mint name with the epithet "Dar ul Darb Muqam Shahr Banaras" in the margin, **11.45g, 27.47mm**, (G&G # D1161), single test mark, otherwise about extremely fine, **Exceptionally Rare**.

Estimated Price: 4,00,000-5,00,000

Note: Banaras was a rare mint for the Delhi Sultan rulers. This coin is of a high grade and it is of a choice quality that has not appeared in any auction in the past. An important coin that is missing from various collections.

The Suri regime was tarnished by instability and insurrection in the final years of its reign. The throne of Muhammad Adil was weak. Ibrahim and Ahmad, his cousins, were both enthroned in different sections of the Suri domains, the latter under the name Sikandar Shah. Both rebel kings had coins minted in silver and copper in their names, but Ibrahim Shah Suri's coinage is far rarer than Sikander Shah's

Golkonda Sultanate

Qutb Shahi's, Jamshid Qutb Shah
(AH 950-957/1543-1550 AD)



118. **Muhammadnagar Golkonda** Mint, **Copper 2/3 Falus**, AH 950 crude date, **Obv:** Arabic legend "sultan Janbshid Qutbshah", **Rev:** Arabic legend "Darb (Muhammadnagar) Golkondah", **6.86g, 17.80mm**, (G&G # Q2), about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Gujarat Sultanate

Nasir ud-din Ahmad Shah I (AH 813-846; 1411-1442 AD)



119. Silver Pedigree Tanka, AH 841, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*al-sultan al-a’zam Nasir ud-dunya wa’l din Abu’l fath*”, **Rev:** Arabic legend “*Ahmad Shah bin Muhammad Shah bin Muzaffar Shah, Khulidat Khilafatahu*”, within a square and the date is written in Arabic “*Ahad wa arbayin thamaniya maya=(841)*” in the margins, **11.29g, 26.28mm**, (G&G # G8), beautiful sharp & attractive strike, XF-AU, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 65,000-70,000

Coins of Mughal Empire

Akbar, Jalal-ud-din Muhammad (AH 963-1014/1556-1605 AD)



Ithnain Alf

120. Bang Mint (off flan), Silver Square Rupee, AH 1002 /38 Elahi, Broad flan, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada & 38 Elahi, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi*” with Hijri year Ithnain Alf (=1002) & Persian letter ‘ha’ on the right, mint name at the bottom off flan, **11.29g, 19 x 19mm**, (Kalima with Hijri date & the regnal year is unlisted in KM), no test marks, about extremely fine, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



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121. Delhi Mint, Silver Square Rupee, Elahi 35, Month less Type, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*Allahu Akbar*” at the top & “*zarb Delhi*” at the bottom, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Elahi 35*” at the top, Arabic legend “*Jallu Jalalahu*” at the bottom, **11.29g, 17.79 x 17.20mm**, (KM # 88.10) test marks, partial dotted border on both sides, about extremely fine, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 5000-7000

122. Mintless Type, Silver Square Rupee, Elahi 33, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*Allahu Akbar*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Elahi 33*” at the top & “*Jalla Jalalahu*” at the bottom, **11.32g, 16.78 x 16.90mm**, (KM # 91.1), single test mark, beautifully decorated on both sides, choice extremely fine, **Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



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123. Agra Mint (off flan), Silver Rupee, AH 974, ‘Khuld Allahu’ Type, Broad flan, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a pentafoil, the four Caliphs’ names in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi*” with Hijri year 974 within a quatrefoil, ruler’s title & mint name off flan in the margin, **11.29g, 28.00mm** (Similar to KM # 80.1A, date is unlisted), test marks, about very fine, **Very Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

124. Agra Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 977, **Obv:** Arabic legend Kalima Shahada within a wavy square, the four Caliphs’ names in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Jalal ud-din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi*” with Hijri year 977 within a square, Arabic legend “*al-sultan-ul-a’zam khuld Allahu ta’ala mulkahu*” in the margin, & “*zarb Agra*” with epithet partly visible at the bottom, **11.32g, 26.44mm**, (Unlisted in KM), test marks, about very fine, **Very Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Akbar, Jalal-ud-din Muhammad continued...



125. Agra Mint, Silver Rupee, Month Amardad (Leo), Elahi 44, Broad flan, Obv: Arabic legend "Jalla Jalalahu Allahu Akbar", Rev: Persian legends month "Amardad" at the top, "zarb Agra" & "Elahi 44" at the bottom, 11.29g, 24.25 mm, (KM # 93.1), test marks, about extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

These rupee coins seem to be struck on a Suri undertype as evident from the traces below. Copper coins of Akbar are well known to have been struck on Suri host. It seems that there must have been shortage of metal at Agra mint in the year 47 and 48 when the need for using Suri rupees arose. To accommodate the large flans of the Suri rupees, an equally large die of the Akbar's design was specially engraved. The two, rupees offered here are a testimony to such an event at the royal mint of Agra, thus the very large flan or nazarana Rupees of Akbar came into existence.



126. Agra Mint, Silver Nazarana Rupee, Over struck on Suri Dynasty coin?, Elahi 47, Month Bahman (Aquarius), Obv: Arabic legend "Jallu Jalalahu Allahu Akbar", Rev: Persian legend month "Bahman" at the top, "zarb Agra" & "Elahi 47" at the bottom, 11.31g, 28.31mm, (KM # 93.1), no test marks, floral decorative background on both sides, with some flan defect, choice extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,25,000



127. Agra Mint, Silver Nazarana Rupee, Over struck on Suri Dynasty coin?, Elahi 48, Month Farwardin (Aries), Obv: Arabic legend "Jalla Jalalahu Allahu Akbar", Rev: Persian legend month "Farwardin" at the top, "zarb Agra" & "Elahi 48" at the bottom, 11.41g, 29.37mm, ((KM # 93.1), no test marks, centrally struck, original patina, choice quality, Exceedingly Rare.

Estimated Price: 2,00,000-2,50,000



Persian letter ﻻ ya e majhool in "Ghazi"

128. Agra Dar-ul-khilafa Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 977, Obv: Arabic legend Kalima Shahada within a wavy square, the four Caliphs' names in the margin, Rev: Persian legend "Jalal ud-din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi" with Hijri year 977 within a square, ruler's title & "zarb Agra" with "epithet Dar ul Khilafa" partly visible at the bottom, 11.24g, 25.92mm, (Unlisted in KM), test marks, about very fine, Very Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Note: In this specimen, the Persian letter 'YE' of "Ghazi" at the top of the reverse is in its 'lazy' or Majhool form, creating an attractive calligraphic divide.



129. Ahmadabad Dar-ul-Saltana Mint, AH 984, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a dotted square, the four Caliphs' names in the margins, **Rev:** Persian legend "Jalal ud-din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi" and Hijri year 984 within a dotted square, "zarb Ahmadabad" with the epithet "Dar ul Saltana" at the bottom, 11.32g, 26.05mm, (KM # 80.2), sharp strike, almost uncirculated, **Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 5000-7000

130. Ahmadabad Mint, Silver Rupee, Month Aban (Scorpio), Elahi 47, **Obv:** Arabic legend "Jalla Jalalahu Allahu Akbar" in a lozenge star, **Rev:** Persian legends month "Aban" at the top, "zarb Ahmadabad" & "Elahi 47" at the bottom in a lozenge star, 11.33g, 20.51mm, (KM # 94.2), test marks, beautifully decorated on both sides, centrally struck, about very fine, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 7000-8000

131. Akbarpur Tanda Mint (off flan), Silver Rupee, AH 974, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a foil, and the four Caliphs' names in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend "Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi", a criss-cross mint mark in the center, complete Hijri year 974, mint off flan at the bottom, 11.25g, 27.41mm, (KM # 80.3), test marks, about very fine, **Very Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



132. Hadrat Dehli Mint name at the top, Silver Rupee, AH 978, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a wavy square, and the four Caliphs' names in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend "Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi" with Hijri year 978 within a square & "zarb Hadrat Dehli" at the top, 11.26g, 24.81mm, (Mint name at the top is Unlisted type in KM), test mark, about very fine, **Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



133. Hadrat Delhi Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 979, **Obv:** Arabic legend, The Kalima Shahada in a circle, the four Caliphs' names around, **Rev:** Persian legend "Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi" in a rectangle, "sultan al a'zam khaqan (al mukarram khulad allahu)" in the margins & "zarb Hadrat Delhi" partly visible at the bottom, 11.58g, 28.19mm, (KM # 80.7), test marks, sharp strike, choice extremely fine, **Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 5000-7000

134. Jaunpur Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 978, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within pentafoil & the four Caliphs' name in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend "Jalal-ud-din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi" with Hijri year 978 within a center, "Nasir-ud-dunya wa'l din (Abu'l Muzaffar)" at the top & "zarb Jaunpur" at the bottom, 11.35g, 28.55mm, (Unlisted in KM), test marks, about very fine, **Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 6000-7000



135. Jaunpur Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 978, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a pentafoil & the four Caliphs' name in margin, **Rev:** Arabic legend 'Nasir ud-Dunya wa'l din' at the top, Persian legend "Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi" with Hijri year in the middle & "zarb Jaunpur" partly visible at the bottom, 11.20g, 27.00mm, (Unlisted type in KM), test marks, about very fine, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Akbar, Jalal-ud-din Muhammad continued...



136. **Jaunpur Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 984, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a pentafoil, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi*” with Hijri Year 984 in the center & “*zarb Jaunpur*” partly visible at the bottom, **11.39g, 21.91mm**, (Unlisted in KM), test marks, about extremely fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



137. **Kalpi Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 922 (Error for 966), **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada with Hijri year 922 within a square, the four Caliphs' name in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi*” within a square, ruler's title in margin & “*zarb Kalpi*” at the bottom, **11.48g, 26.07mm** (KM # 80.11), test marks, choice quality, about extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



138. **Lahore Mint, Silver Rupee**, Elahi 43, Month **Shahrewar (Virgo)**, Broad flan, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*Jalla Jalalahu Allahu Akbar*”, **Rev:** Persian legends month “*Shahrewar*” at the top, “*zarb Lahore*” & “*Elahi 43*” at the bottom, **11.34g, 24.32mm**, (KM # 93.11), test marks, about extremely fine, **Very Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

139. **Patna Mint, Silver Rupee**, Month **Isfandarmuz (Pisces)**, Elahi 42, Broad flan, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*Jalla Jalalahu Allahu Akbar*”, **Rev:** Persian legends month “*Isfandarmuz*” at the top, “*zarb Patna*” & “*Elahi 42*” at the bottom, **11.13g, 22.45 mm**, (KM # 93.14), test marks, about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



140. **Bhakkar urf Shergarh Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 984, **Obv:** Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a wavy square, the four Caliph's names in the margin, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Jalal ud din Muhammad Akbar Badshah Ghazi*” with “*Hijri Year 984*” in the center; ruler's title & zarb at the bottom in the margin, **11.27g, 26.11mm**, (KM # 80.6), test marks, sharply struck, about extremely fine, **Very Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



141. **Sitpur Mint, Silver Rupee**, Elahi 48, Month **Mihr (Libra)**, **Obv:** Arabic legend “*Jalla Jalaluhu Allahu Akbar*” within a quarter foil, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sitpur*” with “*Elahi 48*” at the bottom & month “*Mihr*” at the top, in an octagonal border, **11.29g, 20.53mm**, (KM # 94.4), no test mark, toning, *XF-AU*, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 7000-8000

Akbar, Jalal-ud-din Muhammad
(AH 963-1014/1556-1605 AD)



142. Sitpur Mint, Gold Mohur, Month Farwardin (Aries), Elahi 47, "Jallu Jalalahu" Type, Obv: Arabic legend "Jallu Jalalahu Allahu Akbar" within a dotted circle, Rev: Persian legend "month Farwardin" at the top, "zarb Sitpur" with "Elahi 47" at the bottom, 10.76g, 19.48mm, (KM # 114.7), test mark on the edge, about extremely fine, **Exceptionally Rare.**

Estimated Price: 20,00,000-22,00,000

The mint-name Sitpur is identified with **Siddhpur**, presently the taluka headquarters in **Patan** district, **Gujarat** state. It came to prominence as a religious and commercial center in the early medieval period, particularly under the rule of the **Chaulukya** dynasty, and was named after **Jayasimha Siddharaja**, the Chaulukya king. The religious significance of Siddhpur lay in its auspicious status as a place to conduct passage rituals for the deceased, particularly mothers. Commercially, Siddhpur was a hub of the textile trade, exporting wares as far as **Egypt**. The political center of medieval Gujarat was located at nearby Patan, also known as **Anhilwara Patan**.

In the late 16th century, **Akbar** conquered Gujarat and made **Ahmadabad** its regional capital. Patan and its vicinity lost its political importance, but not the religious and commercial. Towards the end of Akbar's reign, a regional mint was opened at Siddhpur which struck coins with the mint-name inscribed as 'Sitpur'. Curiously, all silver coins of the mint, dated Ilahi years 47-49, bear only one month (Mihr). **Gold issues of the mint are extremely rare – less than five specimens are reported with only two being offered at auctions in past thirty years.** They are all dated in the 47th year with Farwardin as the month of issue.



An important gold mohur of Akbar!



Jahangir, Nur-ud-din Muhammad (AH 1014-1037/1605-1627 AD)



143. Agra Mint, Silver Rupee, Month Azar (Sagittarius), AH 1025/11 RY, **Obv:** Persian legend “Noor ud din Jahangir Shah Akbar Shah”, **Rev:** Persian legend Month “Azar” at the top, “zarb Agra” with regnal year 11 and Hijri year 1025 at the bottom, 11.02g, 21.34mm, (KM # 145.1), test marks, about very fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



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144. Ahmadabad mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1027/13 RY, “Inayat Elah” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “Sikka zad dar Ahmadabad ze Inayat Elah”, **Rev:** Persian legend “Shah Noor ud din ibn Akbar Badshah” with Hijri year, 11.26g 21.61mm, (KM #149.4), no test marks, about extremely fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

145. Akbarnagar Mint, Silver Rupee, Month Bahman (Aquarius), **Obv:** Persian legend “Noor ud din Jahangir Shah Akbar Shah” within an ornamented border, **Rev:** Persian legend month “Bahman” at the top and “zarb Akbarnagar” at the bottom, 11.35g, 20.49mm, (KM # 145.4), no test marks, beautifully decorated border, choice extremely fine, Very Scarce in this grade.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



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146. Patna Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1026 /11 RY, Month Isfandarmuz (Pisces), **Obv:** Persian legend “Noor-ud din Jahangir shah Akbar shah” within a dotted circle, **Rev:** Persian legend month “Isfandarmuz” at the top, “zarb Patna” with Hijri year 1026 and regnal year 11 at the bottom, 11.37g, 17.62mm, (KM # 145.12), UNC.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

147. Kashmir Mint, Silver Jahangiri Rupee (20% overweight), “Sakht Noorani” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “ruye zar ra sakht Noorani ba rang e Mehr-o-mah”, **Rev:** Persian legend “Shah Noor ud din Jahangir ibn Akbar Badshah”, 13.80g, 20.63mm, (KM # 155.3), test mark, about very fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Noorjahan (AH 1033-1037/1623-1627 AD)



148. Surat Mint, Silver ½ Rupee, AH (10)35, “Sad Zewar” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “ba hukam shah Jahangir yaft sad zewar” & “zarb Surat” at the bottom, **Rev:** Persian legend “ze Naam Noorjahan Badshah Begum zar” & the Hijri year (10)35, 5.43g, 17.14mm, (KM # 167.2), test mark, choice very fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 1,15,000-1,25,000



149. Lahore Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1035/20 RY, “Sad Zewar” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “*ba hukam shah Jahangir yaft sad zewar*” with Hijri year 1035 & “*zarb Lahore*”, Rev: Persian legend “*ze Naam Noorjahan Badshah Begum zar*” with regnal year 20, 11.24, 21.83mm, (KM # 168.4), test marks, about extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



150. Patna Mint, Silver Rupee, 22 RY, “Sad Zewar” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “*ba hukam Shah Jahangir yaft sad zewar*”, Rev: Persian legend “*ze Naam e Noor Jahan Badshah Begum zar*” & “*zarb Patna*” with 22 regnal year, 11.32g, 19.88mm, (KM # 168.5), no test marks, AU details, Very Rare in this condition.

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

Shahjahan, Shihab-ud-din Muhammad (AH 1037-1068/1628-1658 AD)



151. Burhanpur Mint, Silver Rupee, “Khuld Allahu Mulkahu” Type, AH 1044/5 RY, Obv: Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada & Hijri year 1044 within a square, and the four Caliphs’ names in the margin, Rev: Persian legend “*Shahjahan Badshah Ghazi*” within a square, “*khuld allahu mulkahu*”, the ruler’s title & “*zarb Burhanpur*” at right in the margin, 11.54g, 23.05mm, (KM # 235.33), test marks, original patina, sharply struck, choice quality, UNC, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000



152. Lahore Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1039/3 RY, Four lines type on both sides, Obv: Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada at the top in two lines, “*zarb Lahore & month Bahman*” at the bottom, Rev: Persian legend “*sahib-e-qiran sani Shihab ud-din Muhammad Shahjahan Badshah Ghazi*”, 11.36g, 22.84mm, (KM # 224.14), test marks, sharply struck; original patina, XF-AU, Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



153. Golkonda Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1045/9 RY, Obv: Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a dotted square and the four Caliph’s names in the margin, Rev: Persian legend “*Shahjahan Badshah Ghazi*” within a dotted square, “*saheb-e-qiran Sani Shihab ud-din Muhammad & zarb Golkonda*” at the margin, 11.27g, 21.98mm, (KM # 235.34), test marks, about very fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Shahjahan, Shihab-ud-din Muhammad continued...



154. Lahore Mint, Gold Mohur, AH 1039/3 RY, Obv: Arabic legend The Kalima Shahada within a circle, four Caliphs' names in the margin, Rev: Persian legend "saheb-e-qiran sani Shihab ud-din Muhammad Shahjahan Badshah Ghazi", "zarb Lahore" completely visible at the bottom, 10.83g, 22.0mm (Kalima Shahada within a circle is not listed Gold in KM), tiny test mark on the edge, partial dotted border on both sides, choice very fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 2,75,000-3,00,000

Aurangzeb Alamgir, Muhayy-ud-din Muhammad (AH 1068-1118/1658-1707 AD)



155. Imtiyazgarh (Adoni) Mint, Copper ½ Paisa, 29 RY, Obv: Persian legend "Badshah Aurangzeb", Rev: Persian legend "sana julus" & "zarb (Imtiyaz)garh" at the bottom, 6.45g, 18.47mm, (Unlisted in KM), about very fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

156. Mailapur Mint, Copper ½ Paisa, Obv: Persian legend "Falus Badshah Alamgir", Rev: Persian legend "zarb Mailapur", 6.60g, 22.00mm, (KM # 283.5), about extremely fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



157. Poonamali or Punamali /Poonamlee Mint, Copper ½ Paisa, AH 1111 /45 RY, Obv: Persian legend "Mubarak julus sana 1111 Hijri" in tughra style, Rev: Persian legend "zarb Punamali" completely visible, 6.65g, 18.82mm, (Unpublished), about very fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000



158. Akbarabad Mint, Silver ¼ Rupee Nisar, AH 1080, Obv: Persian legends "Nisar Alamgir Badshah Ghazi", Rev: Persian legend "zarb Akbarabad" almost completely visible at the top & Hijri year 1080 at the bottom, 2.78g, 13.16mm, (KM # D306.4), no test marks, choice quality, about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000



159. Junagadh Mint, Silver ¼ Rupee, 18 RY, “Badr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka zad dar jahan chu badre munir Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 18 julus” & “zarb Junagadh”, 2.79g, 13.63mm, (Unlisted), test mark, about very fine, Extremely Rare. Estimated Price: 7000-8000



160. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, Silver ¼ Rupee Nisar, Large flan, AH 1079/11 RY, Obv: Persian legends “Nisar Alamgir Badshah Ghazi” with 11 RY at the bottom, Rev: Persian legend “zarb Shahjahanabad” with the epithet “Dar ul Khilafa” with Hijri year 1079 in three lines, 2.67g, 17.62mm, (Variant of KM # D306.11, the date is unlisted), partial dotted border on both sides, test marks, choice very fine, Extremely Rare in this grade. Estimated Price: 1,50,000-2,00,000



161. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, Silver ¼ Rupee Nisar, AH 1089/21 RY, Obv: Persian legends “Nisar Alamgir Badshah Ghazi” with 21 RY at the bottom, Rev: Persian legend “zarb Shahjahanabad” with the epithet “Dar ul Khilafa” with Hijri year 1089 in three lines, 2.81g, 14.95mm, (Variant of KM # D306.11, date is unlisted), no test marks, choice quality, about extremely fine, Extremely Rare. Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,25,000



162. Karapa (Cuddappah / Kadapa) Mint, 3X RY, “Badr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legends “Sikka zad dar Jahan chu Badr Munir Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 3X julus” & “zarb Karapa” almost completely visible at the bottom, 11.32g, 22.93mm, (KM # 300.97), choice extremely fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 40,000-50,000

Note: Kadapa is a district place in the modern state of Andhra Pradesh having great historical importance since the Mauryan period. After the fall of Qutbshahi Sultanate in 1687 by Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb substantial part of South India fell into Mughal hands. The town Kadapa played a very important role during the Mughal administration and military campaigns of South India. The coins struck here by Aurangzeb are thus having very important historical value.

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163. Kabul Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1082/15 RY, “Mihr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka zad-dar Jahan chu mihr Munir, Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir” with Hijri year 1082, Rev: Persian legend “sana 15 julus” & “zarb Kabul” completely visible at the bottom, 11.35g, 21.25mm, (KM # 300.109), single test mark, about very fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 6500-7500

164. Mailapur Mint, Silver Rupee, 4X RY, “Badr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka zad dar jahan chu badre munir Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 4x julus” and “zarb Mailapur” at the bottom, 11.43g, 20.44mm, (KM # 300.57), no test marks, sharp strike, about extremely fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

165. Torgal Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1110 /50 (Sic), “Badr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka zad dar jahan chu badre munir, Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 50 julus” & “zarb Torgal” partly visible at the bottom, 11.7g, 23.5mm, (KM # 300.88), no test mark, UNC, Rare in this condition.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



166. Akbarabad Mint, Gold Mohur, AH 1095/28 RY, “Mihr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka zad-dar Jahan chu Mihr Munir, Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir, 1095 Hijri”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 28 julus” and “zarb Akbarabad” at the top, 10.85g, 20.02mm, (Variant of KM # 315.5, the date is unlisted), choice quality, XF-AU, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 80,000-90,000



Persian numeral ‘6’
is re-engraved over ‘5’

167. Golkonda Mint, Gold Mohur, AH 1086/25 or 26 RY (Sic), Regnal year Persian numeral ‘6’ is re-engraved over ‘5’, “Mihr Munir” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka zad-dar jahan chu mehre munir, Shah Aurangzeb Alamgir” & “sana Hijri 1086” at the top, Rev: Persian legend “sana 25 or 26 julus” & “zarb Golkonda” almost completely visible at the bottom, 10.90g, 18.57mm, (KM # 315.18), sharp calligraphy & beautiful dotted motifs on both the sides, choice quality, almost uncirculated, Extremely Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000

Shah Alam Bahadur (AH 1119-1124/1707-1712 AD)



168. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, Gold Mohur, AH 1119/Ahad RY, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka Shah Alam Badshah Ghazi”, with complete Hijri year 1119 at the bottom, Rev: Persian legend “sana ahad mubarak” and “zarb Shahjahanabad” with epithet “Dar-ul-Khilafa” at the top, 10.85g, 22.26mm, (Variant of KM # 356.12, the date is unlisted), luster, sharply struck, lovely UNC, Extremely Rare in this condition.

Estimated Price: 85,000-90,000

Jahandar Shah (AH 1124/1712-1713 AD)



169. Itawa Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 1124/Ahad RY, “Saheb-e-qiran” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka ba zad bar mah Chun saheb-e-qiran, Jahandar Shah, Badshah-e-Jahan” and 1124 Hijri year, Rev: Persian legend “sana ahad julus” and “zarb Itawa” partly visible at the bottom, 11.38g, 25.64mm, (KM # 364.12), no test marks, about very fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Farrukhsiyar (AH 1124-1131/1713-1719 AD)



170. Khujista Bunyad Mint, Gold Mohur, 7 RY, “Badshah Bahr-o-Barr” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka zad az fazl-e-haq bar sim-o-zar, badshahe bahr-o-barr Farrukhsiyar”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 7 julus” & “zarb Khujista Bunyad” completely visible at the bottom, 10.89g, 21.11mm, (KM # 390.19), sharply struck, choice quality, AU-UNC, Very Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 75,000-85,000



171. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-khilafa Mint, Gold Mohur, 4 RY, “Badshah Bahr-o-Barr” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka zad az fazl-e-aq bar sim-o-zar, Badshah Bahr-o-Barr Farrukhsiyar”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 4 julus” & “zarb Shahjahanabad” with the epithet “Dar ul Khilafa”, 10.77g, 20.76mm, (KM # 390.30), sharply struck, attractive quality, lovely UNC, Extremely Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 90,000-1,10,000

Muhammad Ibrahim (AH 1132-1133/1720 AD)



172. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-khilafa Mint, Silver Rupee, Ahad RY, “Ba Fazle-Karim” Couplet, Obv: Persian legend “sikka-i-zad dar jahan ba fazle karim, shahaan-e-Shah Muhammad Ibrahim”, Rev: Persian legend “sana ahad julus” and “zarb Shahjahanabad” with epithet “Dar-ul-Khilafa”, 11.31g, 21.48mm, (KM # 426.1), sharply struck, choice quality, AU-UNC, Very Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 60,000-80,000

Muhammad Shah (AH 1131-1161 /1719-1748 AD)



173. Arkat Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 11447 (5 digits error date) /14 RY, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Muhammad Shah”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 14 julus” & “zarb Arkat” at the bottom, 11.09g, 20.00mm, (KM # 436.7), countermarks, about very fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

174. Surat Mint, Silver Rupee, Broad flan, AH 113X/3 RY, Error: Double-struck error on reverse, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Muhammad Shah”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 3 julus” & “zarb Surat” 11.49g, 28.73mm (KM # 436.60), choice extremely fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Note: It is an uncommon error for this ruler.

Muhammad Shah continued...



175. Akbarabad Mustaqir-ul-Khalifa, **Gold Mohur**, AH 115x /26 RY, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Muhammad Shah*” & Hijri year 115X, **Rev:** Persian legend “*sana 26 julus*” & “*zarb Akbarabad*” with the epithet ‘*Mustaqir-ul-Khilafa*’, 10.92 g, 20.80 mm, (Variant of KM # 438.2, Hijri year & RY unlisted), extremely sharp struck, original luster, centrally struck, great eye appeal, Gem UNC, **Extremely Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,25,000

Alamgir II (AH 1167-1173 /1754-1759 AD)



176. Machhlipatan Bandar Mint, **Copper Paisa (Dam)**, AH 1168 /Ahad RY, **Obv:** Persian legend “*julus mubarak*” in tughra style & sana 1168 Hijri, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Machhlipatan Bandar*” in tughra & Ahad RY, 13.63g, 20.5mm, (KM # E450.2), about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 3000-4000



177. Karpa /Kharpa /Cuddapah Mint, **Gold ½ Pagoda**, 4 RY, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Badshah Alamgir Sani*” within a dotted border; **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Karpa*” with 4 regnal years, 1.63g, 9.00mm, (Unlisted and Unpublished in KM and other major numismatic references), partial dotted border on both sides, choice quality, XF-AU, **Exceedingly Rare.**

Estimated Price: 1,50,000-1,75,000

Shah Alam II (AH 1174-1221/1759-1806 AD)



178. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, **Silver Rupee**, AH 1218/46 RY, “*Ze tayid elah*” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka zad saheb e qiran ze tayeed-e-elah, hami dine Muhammad Shah Alam Badshah*”, with royal umbrella mark, flower and Hijri year 1218, **Rev:** Persian legend “*sana 46 julus*” & “*zarb Shahjahanabad*” with the epithet “*Dar-ul-Khilafa*” at the top, 11.05g, 21.67mm, (Variant of KM # 713, small flan is unlisted), about extremely fine, **Scarce.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Muhammad Akbar II (AH 1221-1253 / 1806-1837 AD)



179. Shahjahanabad Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, **Silver Rupee**, AH 122X/Ahad, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka Mubarak sahib-e-qiran Sani Muhammad Akbar Shah Badshah Ghazi*” with royal umbrella mark, **Rev:** Persian legend “*sana ahad julus*” & “*zarb Shahjahanabad*” with the epithet “*Dar ul Khilafa*” at the top, 11.10g, 22.40mm, (KM # 777), no test mark, about very fine.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Coins of Independent Kingdoms of India

Assam Kingdom

Siva Simha or Sutanpha (SE 1637-1666/1715-1744 AD)



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180. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1637, with no Queen name, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Pada/mbuja Madhuka/rasya”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sriva/t Svarga Deva Si/va Simha Nrpasya/Sake 1637” lion below running right, **11.40g, 22.97 x 22.98mm**, (KM # 51/RB # G4.1), *choice extremely fine, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

181. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1653, citing Queen **Pramathesvari**, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Pada/Parayanayah/Sake 1653”, in four lines, a lion running to the right at the bottom, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Siva/Simha Nrpa Mahi/si Sri Pramathesva/ri Devyah” in four lines, **11.06g, 23.65 x 23.58mm**, (KM # 73/RB # I10.3), *choice extremely fine, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



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182. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1655/19 (9 reversed), citing queen **Ambika**, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Pada/Parayananam/Sake 1655/9 (reversed 9)”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Siva/Simha Nrpa Tadva/llabha Srimad Ambi/ka Devinam”, lion below, running right, **11.38g, 23.67 x 23.79mm**, (KM # 91/RB # K7.2), *original luster, choice extremely fine, Very Rare.*

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

183. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1661/26, citing queen **Sarvesvari**, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Pada/Parayananam/Sake 1661”, lion below, running left, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Siva/Simha Nrpa Tadva/llabha Sri Sarvve/svari Devinam/26”, **11.27g, 23.66 x 24.08mm**, (KM # 112/RB # M6.1), *about extremely fine, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Rajesvara Simha or Suprempha

(SE 1673-1691/17561-1769 AD)



184. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1675, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Charana Ka/mala Makaranda/ Madhukarasya”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Svarga/ Deva Sri Rajesva/ ra Simha nrpasya/ sake 1675” winged lion running left below, **11.27g, 22.26 x 22.06mm**, (KM # 134/RB # O37.3), *about very fine, Very Scarce.*

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Lakshmi Simha or Siu-nyeo-pha (SE 1691-1702/1769-1780 AD)



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185. **Silver ½ Rupee**, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Ha/ra Gauri (short i) Pa/da Parasya”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri La/kshmi Simha Na/rendrasya”, **5.61g, 16.53 x 16.86mm**, (Variant of KM # 178/RB # Q42.1), *AU-UNC, Rare in this Grade.*

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

186. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1693, **Obv:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Hara/ Gauri Charana Ra/ vinda Makaranda”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “Sri Sri Svarga/ Deva Sri Lakshmi Simha Nrpasya/ Sake 1693”, lion running right below, **11.30g, 22.99 x 22.37mm**, (KM # 182/RB # Q26.1), *about extremely fine, Very Scarce.*

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Lakshmi Simha or Siu-nyeo-pha continued...



187. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1696, **Obv:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Hara/ Gauri Charana Ra/ vinda Makaranda*”, an arc of dots also at top right, **Rev:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Svarga/ Deva Sri Lakshmi Simha Nrpasya/ Sake 1696*” lion below running left, **11.21g, 23.43 x 23.24mm**, (KM # 182/RB # Q29.1), about extremely fine, Scarce.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Gaurinatha Simha or Suhitpanpha (SE 1702-1718/1780-1796)



188. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1706/5, **Obv:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Ha/ ra Gauri Pa/ dambuja Madhukarasya*”, lion running right below & dots in the upper left & upper right, **Rev:** Assamese legend “*Sri Srimat Sva/ rga Deva Sri Gau/ Rinatha Simhasya/ Sake 1706*”, year 5 in the lower border, **11.05g, 23.33 x 23.52mm**, (KM # 215/RB # R38.1), about very fine, Very Scarce.
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



189. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1706/5, **Obv:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Charana Ka/mala Makaranda/Madhu karasya*”, arcs of dots upper left and lower right, **Rev:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Svarga/Deva Gaurin/tha Simha Nrpasya/Sake1706*”, lion running below right, three dots upper left, **11.25g, 24.11 x 23.73mm**, (KM # 216/RB # R36.5), sharply struck, choice quality. AU-UNC, Rare.
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



190. **Silver Rupee**, Saka Era 1716, **Obv:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Hara/Gauri Charana Ka/mala Makaranda/Madhukarasya*”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “*Sri Srimat Sva/ rga Deva Sri Gau/ Rinatha Simhasya/ Sake 1716*” lion running to the left, **11.45g, 23.01 x 22.83mm**, (KM # 218/RB # R52.1), about very fine, Very Scarce.
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



191. **Gold Mohur**, Saka Era 1708/7 RY, **Obv:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Hara/GauriCharna ka/mala mukranda/Madhukarasya*”, **Rev:** Assamese legend “*Sri Sri Swaga/Deo Sri Gaurina/tha Simha Nripasya/saka1708/7*”, **11.12g, 23.03 x 22.02mm**, (KM # 231), sharply struck, choice quality, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 1,50,000-2,00,000

Cooch Behar

Nara Narayan (SE 1433-1477/1555-1587 AD)



192. **Silver Tanka**, Saka Era 1477, **Obv:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/ Siva Charana/ Kamala Madhu/ Karasya*” in four lines within a circle & border of dots, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/man Naranara/yana Bhupala Sake/1477*” in five lines within circle and border of dots, **10.47g, 26.84mm**, (KM # 35 /RB # A-1.30), about extremely fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

193. **Silver Tanka**, Saka Era 1477, **Small flan**, **Obv:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/ Siva Charana/ Kamala Madhu/ Karasya*” in four lines within circle and border of dots, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/man Naranara/yana Bhupala/sya Sake/1477*” in five lines within circle and border of dots, **10.41g, 23.91mm**, (KM # 35/RB # A-1.30), about extremely fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Lakshmi Narayan (SE 1509-1549/1587-1627 AD)



194. **Silver Tanka**, Saka Era 1509/98, **Obv:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/Siva Charana/Kamala Madhu/Karasya*” within a double circle with a border of dots in between and 3 dots at the end of 1st line, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Srima/n Lakshmi Naraya/Nasya sake/1509/98*” within a double circle with a border of dots, **9.71g, 31.66mm**, (KM # 45/RB # B-2.34) about extremely fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000

195. **Silver Tanka**, Saka Era 1509 year 98, **Obv:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/Siva Charana/Kamala Madhu/Karasya*” within a double circle with a border of dots, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Srima/n Lakshmi Naraya/Nasya sake/1509/98*” within a double circle with a border of dots, **10.12g, 30.86mm**, (KM # 45/RB # B2.13) complete dotted border visible on both sides, original patina, choice quality, XF-AU, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



196. **Upendra Narayan** (SE 1637-1686/1715-1764 AD), **Silver ½ Tanka**, **Obv:** Bengali legend in four lines part of “*Sri Sri/ Siva Charana/ Kamala Madhu/ karasya*”, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Srima/t Upendra Nara/ Yanasya*”, **4.21g, 19.04mm**, (KM # 115/RB # H-1.6), about very fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



197. **Dhairyendranarayana** (SE 1688-1693/1766-1772 AD), **Silver ½ Tanka**, **Obv:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri/Siva Charana/Kamala Madhu/ Karasya*”, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Srima/t Dhairyendra Nara/yanasya Sake*”, **4.55g, 18.41mm**, (KM # 127/RB # J1.1), about extremely fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Durrani Dynasty



198. **Ayyub Shah** (AH 1233-1245 /1817-1826 AD), **Kashmir Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH (1)234/2 RY, Last Durrani issue before Sikh conquest in AH 1234, **Obv: Persian legend "Kare-e-Azeem" Couplet, Rev: Persian legend "sana 2 julus" & "zarb Kashmir" at the bottom, 10.68g, 21.54mm, about very fine.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Gond Kingdom



199. **Kokashah** (1620-1640 AD), **Devogarh Branch, Set of Three Coins, Copper ½, 1 & 2 Paisa, Obv: Nagari legend "Maharaja Jatabaji Suta", Rev: Nagari legend "Maharaja Kokasahi", 4.60g, 8.97g & 14.17g, 15.60mm, 18.68mm & 21.90mm, (KM # 7, 9 & 12), about extremely fine.**

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

Gurkha kingdom



200. **Girvan Yuddha** (VS 1863-70/1806-13 AD), **Srinagar Mint, Silver Timasha, In the name of Muhammad Akbar II, Obv: Persian legend "Sikka Mubarak Akbar Badshah Ghazi" & digits '70' in Devanagari within a semi-circular dotted border, Rev: Persian legend "Maharaja Girban Jodha Bikram Shah" & "zarb Srinagar", 2.09g, 18mm, (KM # C36), about very fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Maratha Confederacy



201. **Bindraban Mominabad Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 119X/26 RY, **"Saya-e-fazle elah" Couplet, In the name of Shah Alam II, Obv: Persian legend "sikka zad bar haft kishwar sayaye fazle elah, hami-e-dine Muhammad Shah Alam Badshah", & the royal umbrella, Rev: Persian legend "sana 26 julus" & "zarb Mominabad (Bindraban)" at the top, with the figure of a fish, and a sword & trident, 11.4g, 23.20mm, (M& W # T1), sharply struck, lustre, AU-UNC, Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 7000-9000



202. **Saharanpur Dar-us-surur Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 1207 /34 RY, **"Saya-e-fazle Elah" Couplet, In the name of Shah Alam II (AH 1174-1221 /1759-1806 AD), Obv: Persian legend "Sikka zad bar haft kishwar Saya-e-fazle Elah, Hami din-e-Muhammad, Shah Alam Badshah" & Hijri year 1207, Rev: Persian legend "sana 34 julus" & "zarb Saharanpur" with the epithet "Dar us surur" completely at the top, (KM # 308), original luster, excellently preserved, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 66, Extremely Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



203. Saharanpur Dar us-Surur Mint, Silver Rupee, "Saya-e-fazle elah" Couplet, AH 1207/34 RY, In the name of Shah Alam II, Obv: Persian legend "sikka zad bar haft kishwar saya-e-fazle Elah, hami-e-dine Muhammad, Shah Alam Badshah", Hijri year 1207, Rev: Persian legend "sana 34 julus" & "zarb Saharanpur" with the epithet "Dar us Surur" completely visible at the top, mint marks, 11.14g, 23.00mm, (KM # 308/M& W # T1a), original luster, very attractive, partial dotted border, UNC, Rare.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



204. Saharanpur Dar us-Sarur Mint, Silver Rupee, AH (12)17 /44 RY, "Saya-e fazle elah" Couplet, In the name of Shah Alam II, Obv: Persian legend "Sikka zad bar haft kishwar Saya-e fazle Elah, Hami dine, Muhammad, Shah Alam Badshah" & Hijri year (12)17, Rev: Persian legend "sana 44 julus" & "zarb Saharanpur" with the epithet "Dar us Sarur" at the top with circled dot & beaded flower mint marks, 11.03g, 22.55mm, (M&W # TIu), no test mark, choice extremely fine, Scarce.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Mysore Kingdom

Haidar Ali (AH 1174-97/1761-82 AD)



205. Patan (Seringapatan) Mint, Copper Paisa, AH 1195, Rosette variety, Obv: an elephant facing to right, Rev: Persian legend "Zarb Patan" and Hijri year 1195 with rosette, 11.99g, 21.11mm, (KM # 5.1), choice quality, about extremely fine, Very Scarce.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



206. Gold Fanam, Obv: Shiva and Parvati seated facing forward, Rev: Farsi initial letter "HA" for Haidar Ali on the granulated field, 0.37g, 5.68mm, (KM # 8), about extremely fine, Scarce.
Estimated Price: 3000-4000



207. Bahadurpatan (later Seringapatan), Mint, Gold Mohur, AH 11XX/14 RY, "Saya-e-fazle Elah" Couplet, In the name of Shah Alam II, Obv: Persian legend "Sikka zad bar haft kishwar Saya-e-fazle Elah, Hami din-e-Muhammad, Shah Alam Badshah", Rev: Persian legend "sana 14 julus" & "zarb Bahadurpatan" at the bottom, with the initial letter 'Ha' for Haidar Ali, 10.87g, 21.82mm, (KM # 6), tiny test marks on edge, sharply struck, XF-AU, Exceedingly Rare.
Estimated Price: 7,00,000-8,00,000

Mysore Kingdom Continued...

Tipu Sultan (AH 1197-1213 /AM 1215-1227 /1782-1799 AD)



208. Patan (Seringspatan) Mint, Copper ½ Paisa (Bahram), AM 1218, Error Double-struck, Obv: an elephant to left above AM year; Rev: Persian legend "zarb Patan", 5.72g, 20.08mm, (KM # 122.1), about very fine.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



209. Zafarabad (Gurramkonda) Mint, Copper Paisa (Zohra), AM 1218, Rosette variety, Obv: elephant facing to left, above AM year, Rev: Persian legend "zarb Zafarabad", 10.64g, 23.70mm, (KM # 143), about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



210. Patan (Seringspatan) Mint, Silver Rupee (Imami), AM 1217/7 RY, Mauludi Era, Saal Sarab, Obv: Persian legend "deen-e-Ahmad Muhammad dar Jahan Roshan ze Fatah Haidar ast, Imami, zarb Patan, saal sarab, Sana 1217 AM" with the initial letter 'Ha' in the center; Rev: Arabic legend "huwas sultan al Waheed al Adil, Tarikh julus, saal sakh, suwem Bahari" & "Sana 7 julusi", 11.32g, 24.61, (KM # 126), partial dotted border on both sides, choice extremely fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



211. Patan (Seringspatan) Mint, Silver Rupee (Imami), AM 1219 /9 RY, Mauludi Era, Saal Zabarjad, Obv: Persian legend "deen-e-Ahmad Muhammad dar Jahan Roshan ze Fatah Haidar ast, Imami, Zarb Patan, saal Zabarjad, Sana 1219 AM" with the initial letter 'Ha' in the center; Rev: Arabic legend "huwas sultan al Waheed al Adil, Tarikh julus, saal sakh, suwem Bahari" & "Sana 9 julusi", 11.40g, 24.44mm, (KM # 126), beautiful luster; partial dotted border on both sides, sharply struck, toned UNC, Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Nawabs of Kurnool



212. Ranmust Khan (1751-1792 AD), Qamarnagar (Kurnool) Mint, Silver Rupee, AH 11xx, In the name of Alamgir II, Obv: Persian legend "Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Aziz-ud-din Muhammad Alamgir Sani", Rev: Persian legend "sana julus" & "zarb Qamarnagar" at the bottom, 11.30g, 20.62mm, (Unlisted in KM), no test mark, about extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 5500-7000

Rohilkhand, INO Shah Alam II (AH 1174-1221)



213. **Mustafabad (Rampur) Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 1185/13 RY, *In the name of Shah Alam II* (AH 1173-1221/1759-1806 AD), **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Shah Alam” with complete Hijri year 1185 at the bottom*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “sana 13 julus” & “zarb Mustafabad” at the top & beautiful mint mark*, **11.02g, 21.58mm**, (KM # 126.2), *choice extremely fine, Very Scarce*.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Sikh Empire

Ranjit Singh (VS 1856-1896 /1799-1839 AD)



214. **Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, ‘Ber Shahi’**, VS 1861?/1804 AD, **‘Nanak Shahi’ Couplet**, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka zad bar har do Alam Fazal-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh Shah Nanak Wahab ast”, (The coin struck through each of the two worlds by the grace of the true Lord of the victory gained by the sword of Guru Gobind Singh Shah Nanak is the provider)*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, maimanat manus, bakht Akal Takht”, (Struck at Illustrious Amritsar under the prosperous rule of the fortunate Akal Takht)* **10.93g, 22.42mm**, (KM # 20.4 /Gurprit # 1.29.01), *no test mark, tiny gash on the edge, about very fine, Extremely Rare*.
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000

Note: In the 1861st year of the Vikram Samvat, the leaf motif was replaced by a sprig or multiple leaves, and this was erroneously thought to be the tail of a peacock. These coins were mistakenly thought to have been minted in the name of **“Moran”**, a courtesan, and were therefore erroneously termed as **“Morashahi”** coins. In an article in the JONS (Journal of Oriental Numismatic Society), an author has effectively established that the symbol on such coins is in no way related to Moran and is instead the sprig of the **“Ber”** (Zizyphus Jujuba) fruit. In view of this new development, the term **“Ber Shahi”** will henceforth be used for coins with the sprig-like or multi-leaf symbol. It was presumed that Ber Shahis came into circulation in VS 1862 making a Ber Shahi from VS 1861 Extremely Rare.



215. **Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee**, VS 1865, **‘Nanakshahi’ Couplet**, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka zad bar har do ‘Alam fazl-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh shah Nanak Wahab ast”*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “Zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, maimanat julus manus, bakht Akal Takht”, Vikram Samvat year with leaf extended symbol*, **11.15g, 21.70mm**, (Gurprit # 1.33.01), *choice quality, about extremely fine, Very Scarce*.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Note: In the years VS 1865 and VS 1866, the leaf symbol had certain variations. The most distinguished among these was the tip of the leaf extended to form an inverted triangle with the base of the triangle facing 3 berry-like symbols.



216. **Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee**, VS 1873(1816), **‘Nanakshahi’ Couplet**, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka zad bar har do ‘Alam fazl-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh shah Nanak Wahab ast”*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “Zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, Bakht Akal Takht” with the leaf & the Vikram Samvat year 1873*, **10.96g, 23.30mm**, (Gurprit # 1.41.02), *test marks, about very fine, Scarce*.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Sikh Empire Continued... Ranjit Singh (VS 1856-1896/1799-1839 AD)



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217. Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, VS 1875/2 RY, (1818), ‘Nanakshahi’ Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka zad bar har do ‘Alam fazl-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh shah Nanak Wahab ast*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, bakht Akal Takht*” & Vikram Samvat year 1875 with leaf, **10.97g, 21.85mm**, (Gurprit # 1.39.01), *about very fine, Very Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

218. Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, VS 1878/1821 AD, ‘Nanakshahi’ Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka zad bar har do ‘Alam fazl-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh shah Nanak Wahab ast*”, a flower motif, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, bakht Akal Takht*” the Vikram Samvat year 1878, with leaf & an eye as the mintmark, (Herli # 01.07.04), *original lustre, graded & slabbed by NGC as AU 55, Rare in this grade.*
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



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219. Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, VS 1881(1828), “Nanakshahi” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka zad bar har do ‘Alam fazl-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh shah Nanak Wahab ast*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, Bakht Akal Takht*” the Vikram Samvat year 1881 and leaf mark, **11.12g, 22.65mm**, (Herli # 01.07.04), *about very fine, Very Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

220. Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, VS1884 /99, “Gobind Shahi” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*deg Fateh-o nusrat be-dirang, yaft az Nanak Guru Gobind Singh*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sri Amritsar*” at the top, “*Bakht Akal Takht*” with Nun & leaf symbol, **11.03g, 22.24mm**, (Gurprit # 1.81.01), *about extremely fine, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



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221. Sri Amritsar, Silver Rupee, VS1884 /95, later Gobind Shahi series, 1st issue of frozen year series, “Gobind Shahi” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*deg Fateh-o nusrat be-dirang, yaft az Nanak Guru Gobind Singh*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sri Amritsar*” at the top, “*Bakht Akal Takht*” & “*memanat julus manus*” with leaf symbol, **10.97g, 23.63mm**, (Gurprit # 1.81.01), *about extremely fine, Very Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

222. Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, VS 1885/96, “Nanakshahi” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka zad bar har do ‘Alam fazl-e-sachha sahib ast, Fateh tegh-i-guru Gobind Singh shah Nanak Wahab ast*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Sri Amritsar jiyo, maimanat julus, bakht Akal Takht*”, the Vikram Samvat year 1885 & Aarsi like symbol, **11.07g, 23.91mm**, (KM # 22.1/Herli # 01.11.04), *sharp legends, choice quality, XF-AU, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



223. Sri Amritsar Mint, Silver Rupee, VS 1885/96, “Nanakshahi” couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka zad bar har do alam fazal sachaha sahib ast, fateh gobind shah-e-shahan teghi nanak wahab ast*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*bakht akal takht & zarb Sri Amritsar*” with peepal leaf, floral mark with Vikram Samvat year, **11.05g, 23.65mm**, (Gurprit # 1.57.01), *sharply struck, lustre, AU-UNC, Rare in this grade.*
Estimated Price: 5000-7000

Ranjit Singh (VS 1856-1896/1799-1839 AD)

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224. **Khitta Kashmir Mint, Silver Rupee**, VS 1876(1819), “**Gobind Shahi**” Couplet, the first year of Sikh rule in Kashmir, issued by Diwan Motiram, **Obv:** Persian legend “*deg tegh fath nusrat be dirang, yaft az nanak guru Gobind Singh*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Khitta Kashmir*” Vikram samvat year 1876 divided horizontally leaf at upper left, **10.57g, 22.09mm**, (KM # 46.2/ Herrli # 06.02.04), some flatness, about extremely fine, **Rare**.
Estimated Price: 5000-7000

225. **Kashmir Mint, Silver Rupee**, VS 1895(1838), issued by Governor **Mihan Singh**, “**Gobind Shahi**” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*deg tegh fath Nusrat be dirang, yaft az Nanak Guru Gobind Singh*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Kashmir, Sri Akal purakhji*” with the Vikram Samvat year 1895, **10.18g, 20.10mm**, (Herrli # 06.46.04), about very fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



226. **Bhima Singh Ardali as Governor** (VS 1887-1888 /1830-1831 AD), **Kashmir Mint, Silver Rupee**, VS18XX, “**Gobind Shahi**” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*deg tegh fath Nusrat be dirang yaft az Nanak Guru Gobind Singh*”, Persian letter “*Be*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Bakht Akal Takht*”, Gurmukhi “*Bha*” in Laam of Akal, **10.88g, 21.00mm**, (Herrli # 06.37.04), about very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 6000-7000



227. **Bhangi Misl** (VS 1822-1856 /1765-1799 AD), **Lahore Dar-ul-Saltana, Silver Rupee**, VS 1825 (1768) “**Gobind Shahi**” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*deg Tegh o-fath o-nusrat be dirang, yaft az Nanak Guru Gobind Singh*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Lahore*” with the epithet “*Dar-ul-Sultana*” at the top, “*julus memanat manus*” without leaf symbol & Vikram samvat year 1825, **11.28g, 20.95mm**, (Herrli 08.03.04 /KM # A63), test mark, choice very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000

Madurai Nayakas

228. **Muthu Krishnappa Nayak** (1601-1609 AD), **Copper Kasu**, **Obv:** Kannada legend “*Ti ru ve /n ga la*”, **Rev:** Kannada legend “*Mu du /Kri shna*”, **4.51g, 15.50mm**, (K.Ganesh # 5.12), green patina, choice very fine, **Very Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 3500-4000

Tanjavur Nayakas

229. **Raghunatha Nayak** (1600-1630 AD), **Copper Kasu**, **Obv:** the seated figure of Kartikeya (Murugan) the peacock seen behind the deity, **Rev:** ruler's name in Tamil legend in two lines, **4.13g, 13.71mm** (Unlisted), choice extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Vellore Nayakas (1540-1601 AD)

230. **Copper Kasu**, **Obv:** seated deity Lakshmi, **Rev:** kalasam, **2.83g, 12.54mm**, green patina, choice very fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Tripura Kingdom

Vijaya Manikya (SE 1454-1486/1532-1564 AD)



231. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, citing Queen **Lakshmi**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the right, standard & crescent with dot above, date below all within a circle and outer ornamental border, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri Vija/ya Manikya/Deva Sri Lakshmi/Maha Devayu*” in four lines, within a square with ornamental border, **10.23g, 21.7mm** (KM # 63/RB # 97), shroff marks, about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



232. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1458, citing Queen **Lakshmi**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the right, standard & crescent with dot above, date below all within a circle and outer ornamental border, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri Vija/ya Manikya/Deva Sri Lakshmi/Maha Devayu*” in four lines, within a square with ornamental border, **10.44g, 21.42mm**, (KM # 63/RB # 97), about very fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



233. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 145x, citing Queen **Lakshmi**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the right, standard above, date below all within a circle and outer ornamental border, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri Vija/ya Manikya/Deva Sri Lakshmi/Maha Devayu*” in four lines, within a square with ornamental border, **10.36g, 21.40mm**, (KM # 63/RB # 89), shroff marks, about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 15,000-16,000



234. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1476, citing Queen **Sarasvati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the right, standard above, date below all within a large circle and without ornamental border, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Dhvaja Ghata Sna/yi Sri Sri Vija/ya Manikya De/va Sri Sarasva/ti Maha Devayu*” in five lines, within a square with ornamental border, **9.46g, 22.82mm**, (Variant of KM # 65/RB # 105), countermark, about very fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 40,000-50,000

Note: As per Rajamala, Vijaya Manikya took advantage of the prolonged conflict between the Mughal King Akbar and the Sultan of Bengal, and proceeded to Sonargaon or Suvarnagram in Dacca and occupied it for some time. After this successful raid in Muslim territory, he is said to have struck coins commemorating his holy bath on Dhvaja Ghat at the banks of the Brahmaputra river. It reads Dhvaja Ghata snayi Sri Sri Vijaya Manikya Deva Sri Sarasvati Mahadevyau.



235. **Udaya Manikya** (SE 1489-1495/ 1567-1573 AD), **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1489 (1567), citing Queen **Hira Devi**, **Obv:** a lion to left with a standard above, bead by the mouth, with date 1489 below, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Sri Sri Yuto/daya Manikya/ Deva Sri Hi/ra Maha Devyau*” within a square, arabesques bordering in the margin, **10.54g, 23.37mm**, (KM # 79/ RB # 142), about extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Udaya Manikya (SE 1489-1495/1567-1573 AD)



236. **Silver Tanka/ Rupee**, Saka Era 1489(1567), citing queen **Hira Devi**, **Obv:** a lion to the left, date below Saka 1489, standard above, pellet before mouth, ornamental outer border of sloping pointed arches, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yutama/ra Manikya De/va Sri Hira/Maha Devayu**”, within a square with ornamental border; **10.66g, 23.18mm**, (KM # 79/RB # 132), almost centrally struck, no test mark, about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.
Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



237. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1489 (1567), citing Queen **Hira Devi**, **Obv:** a lion to left with a standard above, with date 1489 below, ornamental outer border of sloping pointed arches, pointing left, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yuta/daya Manikya/ Deva Sri Hi/ra Maha Devyau**” within a square, arabesques border in the margin, **10.56g, 20.40mm**, (KM # 79/ RB # 131), about very fine, **Very Rare**.
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



238. **Jaya Manikya I** (SE 1495-1499/1573-1577 AD), **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1495 (1573), with citing Queen **Subhadra**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, flag tied to the shaft, date saka 1495 below, all within a circle with a dotted border, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yuta/Jaya Manikya/Deva Sri Subha/dra Maha Devyau**” in four lines, within a square with ornamented border; **10.55g, 22.37mm**, (KM # 85/RB # 149), about very fine, **Very Rare**.
Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Amara Manikya (SE 1499-1508/1577-1586 AD)



239. **Silver Tanka/ Rupee**, Saka Era 1499(1577), citing queen **Amaravati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, flag tied to the shaft, date saka 1499 below, all within a circle, the outer border of double arches, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yutama/ra Manikya De/va Sri Amarava/ti Maha Devayu**”, in four lines within a square, arabesques around, **10.42g, 22.49mm**, (KM # 90/RB # 156), graded & slabbed by NGC as AU58, **Extremely Rare in this grade**.
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000



240. **Silver Tanka/ Rupee**, Saka Era 1499(1577), citing queen **Amaravati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, flag tied to the shaft, date saka 1499 below between the paws, all within a circle, the outer border of double arches, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yutama/ra Manikya De/va Sri Amara-va/ti Maha Devayu**”, in four lines within a square, arabesques around, **10.42g, 22.49mm**, (KM # 90/RB # 154), no test mark, about extremely fine, **Rare**.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Tripura Kingdom Continued... Amara Manikya (SE 1499-1508/1577-1586 AD)



241. **Silver Tanka/ Rupee**, Saka Era 1503 (1581), citing queen **Amaravati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, flag tied to the shaft, date saka 1503 below, all within a circle, pellets added in the outer border of double arches, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Srihatte Vijayi/Sri Sri Yutamara Ma/nikya Deva Sri A/maravati Devyau**” within a square, in four lines, arabesques around, **9.48g, 24.29mm**, (KM # 92/RB # 169), beautifully struck, very attractive, about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Rajadhara Manikya (SE 1508-1521/1586-1599 AD)



242. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1508, citing queen **Satyavati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, date below, but pellet in front of lion's mouth, within a circle with an outer border of beaded annulets, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yuta Raja/dhara Manikya Deva Sri Satyava/ti Maha devyau**”, within a square with ornamented border, **10.62g, 24.08mm**, (KM # 97/Variant of RB # 182, arrangement of date is unlisted for the type), sharp strikes, choice extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 35,000-40,000



243. **Silver Tanka/ Rupee**, Saka Era 1508, citing queen **Satyavati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, date below, within a circle with an outer border of beaded annulets, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yuta Raja/dhara Manikya Deva Sri Satyava/ti Maha devyau**”, within a square with ornamented border, **10.41g, 23.57mm**, (KM # 97/RB # 181), test mark, about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



244. **Silver Tanka/ Rupee**, SE 1508, citing queen **Satyavati**, **Obv:** a lion walking to the left, date below, but pellet added to left of shaft of standard, within a circle with an outer border of beaded annulets, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**Sri Sri Yuta Raja/dhara Manikya De/va Sri Satyava/ti Maha devyau**”, within a square with ornamented border, **10.38g, 22.47mm**, (KM # 97/RB # 177), test marks, about very fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 16,000-18,000



245. **Dharma Manikya (SE 1636-1661/1714-1739 AD)**, **Silver ¼ Tanka/ Rupee**, Saka Era 1636 (1714), **Obv:** a lion left, with crescent and dot above, date Saka 1636 below, the outer circle of pellets, **Rev:** Bengali legend “**sri Sri Yu/ta (Shiva ling) Dha/rma Devah**” within a normal square, arabesques around, **2.40g, 16.18mm**, (KM # 196/RB # 239), about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000



246. **Silver Tanka/Rupee**, Saka Era 1636, citing Queen **Dharmasila**, **Obv:** a lion facing left, standard above, date below, within circle and border of circles with a bead in each one, **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Siva Durga Pade/Sri Sri Yuta Dharma Ma/nikya Deva Sri Dharma/sila Maha Devyau*”, in four lines in a square, **10.50g, 23.18mm**, (RB # 236), about very fine, **Extremely Rare**.
Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000

Vira Vikrama Kishore Deb Barman (1923-1947 AD)



247. **Silver Rupee**, TE 1337, **Obv:** the bust of *Vira Vikram Kishore* facing left, **Rev:** a rampant lion facing the left, **11.07g, 30.66mm**, (KM # X7/RB # 302), toning, choice quality, *XF-AU*, **Very Rare**.
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



248. **Silver Rupee**, TE 1337, **Obv:** the bust of *Vira Vikram Kishore* facing left, **Rev:** a rampant lion facing the left, **11.20g, 30.71mm**, (KM # X7/RB # 302), about extremely fine, **Very Rare**.
Estimated Price: 22,000-25,000



249. **Machine-struck Silver Rupee**, TE 1341, citing Queen **Kanchan Prabha**, **Obv:** lion rampant left with a trident on back, date below, surrounded by petal border; **Rev:** Bengali legend “*Radh? Krishna Pade/ Panch Sri Yukta Maharaja/ Vira Vikrama Kishore/ Manikya/ Sr? Sr?mati Maharani/ Kanchan Prabha? Maha Devi*”, **11.47g, 29.42mm**, (KM # X8/RB # 305), about very fine, **Extremely Rare**.
Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Coins of Indian Princely States

Arcot



250. **Muhammad Ali** (AH 1165-1209/1751-95 AD), Arkat Mint, **Copper ¼ Paisa**, AH 1208/35 RY, Wala type, **Obv:** Persian legend “wala & Sana 1208 Hijri”, **Rev:** Persian legend “sana 35 julus” & “zarb Arkat” at the bottom, **2.76g, 15.08mm**, (KM # 21), lovely quality, choice extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Awadh



251. **Nasir ud-din Haidar** (AH 1243-1253/1827-1837 AD), Suba Awadh Dar-us-Sultanat **Lakhnau** Mint, **Silver Rupee**, Large flan, AH 1249/7 RY, “Fazle Haque zille ilah” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “sikka zad bar seem wa zar az fazle haque zille ilah, nayib-e-mehdi Naseer ud din Haidar Badshah”, **Rev:** Persian legend “zarb suba Awadh sanah julus maimanat manus dar us sultanat Lakhnau”, crowned flanked by rampant lions holding a flag, two upright fish below, **11.04g, 27.5mm**, (KM # 205.2/Variant of Master & Kapoor # 8.36, Large flan & flag variety is unlisted), partial toothed border on both sides, about extremely fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



252. **Muhammad Ali** (AH 1253-1258 / 1837-1842 AD), Subah Awadh Baitus Sultanat **Lakhnau** Mint, **Silver Rupee**, AH 1255/3 RY, “Bajud-o-karam” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “bajud-o- karm sikka zad dar jahan, Muhammad Ali Badshah-i zaman”, **Rev:** Persian legend “zarb suba Awadh bait-us-sultanat Lakhnau, sana 3 julus maimanat manus”, **11.08g, 25.18mm**, (KM # 316.1/MK # 9.32), VF-XF, **Scarce.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



253. **Muhammad Ali** (AH 1253-1258 / 1837-1842 AD), Mulk Awadh Bait-us-Sultanat **Lakhnau** Mint, **Silver Rupee (Nazarana like broad flan)**, AH 1256/ 3 RY, “Bajud wa karm” couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “bajud wa karm sikka zad dar jahan, Muhammad Ali badshah-e zaman”, **Rev:** Persian legend “zarb Mulk Awadh bait-us-sultanat Lakhnau”, **10.95g, 26.62mm**, (KM # 316.2 / MK # 9.38), partial toothed border on both sides, about extremely fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Wajid Ali Shah (AH 1263-1272 / 1847-1856 AD)



254. Bait-us-Sultanat **Lakhnau** Mulk Awadh Akhtarnagar Mint, **Copper 1/8 Falus (3 Gonda)**, Struck with special dies intended only for this denomination, AH 1270/7 RY, “Tayid elah zille haq” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “sikka zad bar seem wa zar az fazl tayeed-i-ilah, zille haque Wajid Ali sultan-e- Alam Badshah”, **Rev:** a parasol above a crown, flanked by mermaids holding a flag, crossed sword below, “sana 7 julus” zarb with epithet around, **1.48g, 14.79mm**, (Variant of MK # 11.67, date combination is unlisted), fully struck, XF-AU, **Very Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



255. Bait-us-Sultanat **Lakhnau** Mulk Awadh Akhtarnagar Mint, **Copper ¼ Falus (6 Gonda)**, Struck with special dies intended only for the quarter falus, AH 1270/7 RY, “**Tayid elah zille haq**” Couplet, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka zad bar seem wa zar az fazl tayeed-i-ilah, zille haque Wajid Ali sultan-e- Alam Badshah*”, **Rev:** a parasol above a crown, flanked by mermaids holding a flag, crossed sword below, “*sana 7 julus*”, zarb with epithet around, **3.03g, 15.15mm**, (MK # 11.66), fully struck, XF-AU, **Very Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



256. Bait-us-Sultanat **Lakhnau** Mulk Awadh Akhtarnagar, **Silver Rupee**, AH 1269/6 RY, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka zad bar sim-o-zar az fazl ba tayid elah, zille haque Wajid Ali sultan-e-alam panah*”, **Rev:** a parasol above a crown, flanked by mermaids holding a flag, with a crossed sword below, and the Persian legend “*zarb Baitus Sultanat Lakhnau Mulk Awadh Akhtarnagar, sana 6 julus, maimenat manus*” in the margin, (KM # 365.3/MK # 11.48), graded slabbed by NGC as MS 67, **Very Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Bahawalpur



257. **Muhammad Bahawal Khan IV** (AH 1275-1283 /1858-1866 AD), **Ahmadpur Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH (1)275, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka Mubarak dar-ul-Islam*” **Rev:** Persian legend “*manus memanat sana julus*” & zarb *Ahmadpur*” at the bottom, **7.49g, 19.00mm**, (KM # Y3.3), no test mark, about very fine.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Bharatpur



258. **Mahe Indrapur Mint, Silver Rupee**, Ahad RY, In the name of **Shahjahan III**, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Shahjahan*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*sana ahad julus*” & “*zarb Mahendrapur*” almost visible at the top, **11.10g, 23.00mm** (KM # 29), no test mark, about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



259. **Mahe Indrapur Mint, Silver Rupee**, Nazarana like broad flan, AH 1178/ 5 RY, “**Saya-e-fazle elah**” Couplet, In the name of **Shah Alam II**, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka haft kishwar Saya-e-fazle Elah, Hami dine Muhammad Shah Alam Badshah*” with Hijri year, **Rev:** Persian legends “*sana 5 julus*” & “*zarb Mahe Indrapur*” at the top, **11.3g, 27.00mm**, (KM # 36), no test mark, choice extremely fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Cochin



260. **British Protectorate, Silver Puttun, Obv:** the god Shiva facing forward with a serpent on each side, **Rev:** a conch-shell (shanka), **0.54g, 7.81mm, (KM # 5), about extremely fine, Scarce.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000

261. **British Protectorate, Silver 2 Puttuns, Obv:** the god Shiva facing forward with a serpent on each side, **Rev:** a conch-shell (shanka), **1.02g, 9.69mm, (KM # 6), about very fine, Rare.**

Estimated Price: 6000-8000



262. **Vira Raya Gold Fanam (3), Obv:** crude figure of goddess Kali, **Rev:** Vira Raya design, **0.35g, 7.84mm each approx, (Herrli # 1.23.20) choice extremely fine.**

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

Gwalior



263. **Shahjahanpur Mint, Silver Rupee, 15 RY, In the name of Shah Alam II, Obv:** Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Shah Alam”, **Rev:** Persian legend “Sana 15 julus”, Trishul mint mark & “zarb Shahjahanpur” at the bottom, **11.5g, 23.22mm, (Unlisted in major catalogs), no test marks, choice extremely fine, Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Note: This coin was struck in 1775 AD when Gwalior came under the control of Rohillas Sardar Dundey Khan Shahjahanpuri. After the battle of Miranpur Katra, the territory was annexed by Shuja’a ud-Daula, the Nawab of Awadh. This coin could have been issued by any one of these two contenders but as this specimen bears a Trishul as a mint mark, it is more likely to have been an issue of Awadh.

It is also possible that Shahjahanpur is the present-day Shajapur in central Madhya Pradesh, which was named in the honor of the Mughal Emperor Shahjahan who halted here in 1640. It is said that the original name was Shahjahanpur and was subsequently shortened to Shajapur. This town was under the control of Gwalior and it is likely that a mint had operated here in 1775 under the aegis of the Maratha.



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264. **Jankoji Rao (AH 1243-1259 / 1827-1843 AD), Basoda Mint, Silver ¼ Rupee, In the name of Muhammad Akbar II, Obv:** Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak saheb-e-qiran Badshah Ghazi”, **Rev:** Persian legend “sana julus” & mint mark, **2.62g, 14.09mm (KM # A19), no test mark, about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

265. **Jankoji Rao (AH 1243-1259 / 1827-1843 AD), Basoda Mint, Silver ½ Rupee, In the name of Muhammad Akbar II, Obv:** Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak saheb-e-qiran Badshah Ghazi”, **Rev:** Persian legend “sana julus” & mint mark **5.29g, 14.92mm, (KM # B19), no test mark, about very fine, Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000

Gwalior Feudatory-Bajrang Garh, Ajit Singh (AH 1235-1274/1819-1857 AD)



266. **Silver ¼ Rupee, Almost full struck, Obv:** Nagari legend “yah sikka per chhap maharaja”, **Rev:** Nagari legend “Pawan Putra” with a lotus bud, **2.49g, 13.24mm, (KM # 13), about very fine, Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Hyderabad, Mir Mahbub Ali Khan (AH 1285-1329/1869-1911 AD)



267. Haidarabad Farkhanda Bunyad Mint, Silver ¼ Charki Rupee or 4 Annas, AH 1318/34 RY, Obv: Persian legend “Nizam-ul-Mulk Asaf Jah Bahadur”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 34 julus” & zarb, 2.69g, 19.25mm, (KM # Y30), about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

268. Haidarabad Farkhanda Bunyad Mint, Silver ¼ Charki Rupee or 4 Annas, AH 1318/34 RY, Obv: Persian legend “Nizam-ul-Mulk Bahadur Asif Jah”, Rev: Persian legend “sana 34 julus” & “zarb Haidarabad Farkhanda Bunyad”, 2.9g, 19.35mm, (KM # Y30), almost uncirculated, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



269. Haidarabad Farkhanda Bunyad Mint, Gold ¼ Ashrafi, AH 1329/44 RY, Obv: Persian legend “Nizam-ul-mulk Bahadur asaf jah”, Persian letter “Mim” in the gateway of char minar, Rev: Persian legend “sana 44 julus” and “Haidarabad Farkhanda Bunyad zarb”, 2.8g, 15.29mm, (KM # Y42.2), luster; gem quality, uncirculated, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000

Note: This coin was struck in the last year of Mir Mahbub Ali’s reign dated AH 1329/44 RY. Coins of this date are difficult to come by in this fractional gold coinage.

Jaipur



270. Sawai Jaipur Mint, Silver Nazarana Rupee, AH 1166/6 RY, In the name of Ahmad Shah Bahadur, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Ahmad Shah Bahadur”, Rev: Persian legend “Sana 6 julus” & “Zarb Sawai Jaipur” at the bottom, 11.25g, 31.14mm, (KM # 9), no test mark, about very fine, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000

Jaisalmer



271. Shajahanabad Dar-ul-Khilafa Mint, Silver rupee, 22 RY, Akhey Shahi series, in the name of Muhammad Shah, Obv: Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak saheb-e-qiran Sani Muhammad Shah Badshah Ghazi”, Rev: Persian legend “Sana 22 julus” mint name with epithet at the top & ‘Swastik’ symbol at the bottom, 11.10g, 23.00mm, (KM # 14.1), no test mark, about very fine, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Jodhpur



272. **Ram Singh** (AD 1749-1751/1753-1772), **Sojat** mint, **Silver Rupee**, 4 RY, in the name of **Alamgir II**, **Obv:** *Persian legend* "Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Alamgir", **Rev:** *Persian legend* "manus memanat Sana 4 julus" & "Zarb Sojat" complete mint name visible at the bottom, **11.19g, 26.10mm**, (Unlisted in KM /Lingen # S.02.02), *no test mark, choice very fine*, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 60,000-70,000

Note: After the treaty of Nagaur, signed on 2 February 1756, Ram Singh secured for himself half the territory of Marwar, including Sojat. This coin must have been struck under his authority. Ram Singh and Sindhia, however, had signed a treaty allowing the Maratha Kamvisdar to stay in his territory in order to collect the daily money from customs outposts. The Marathas and Ram Singh were to share the money equally. The striking of this coin at Sojat might have been a joint undertaking with the Marathas. (**Marwar Jodhpur State History & Coinage-Jan Lingen**).

Kishangarh



273. **Yagnanarayan** (1926-1938 AD), **Silver 1/8 Rupee or 2 Annas**, With the name of **Queen Victoria**, **Obv:** *Persian legend* "Malika-e-Muzaama Victoria", **Rev:** *Persian legend* "Maharaja" with Jhar mark, **1.45g, 11.5mm**, (Unlisted type), *about extremely fine*, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

Kotah



274. **Nandagaon Mint** (off flan), **Gold Mohur**, 34 RY, In the name of **Shah Alam II**, **Obv:** *Persian legend* "Sikka Mubarak Badshah Ghazi Shah Alam", **Rev:** *Persian legend* "zarb Nandgaon" off flan at the bottom, "Sana 34 julus" with mint mark, **10.62g, 19.37mm**, (KM # C # B 28, RY unlisted), *about extremely fine*, **Extremely Rare**.

Estimated Price: 1,25,000-1,50,000

Kutch



275. **Lakhatji** (AH 1165-1175/1752-1761 AD), **Bhujnagar Mint**, **Silver 1/2 Rupee**, AH 1169/9 RY, *Struck In the name of Ahmad Shah Durrani*, **Obv:** *Persian legend* "Hukm shud Qadar az bechun ba-Ahmad Badshah / Sikka zad bar Seem wa Zar az Awj Mahi ta ba-Mah" with date 1169, **Rev:** *Persian legend* "zarb Bhujnagar sanah 9" within a circle, *Devanagari legend* around "Miraja Raja Maharau Shri Lakhatji" separated by a trident, **5.64g, 20.18mm**, (Rajor # 10.1) *luster UNC*, **Exceedingly Rare**.

Estimated Price: 4,00,000-5,00,000

Note: Kutch, an erstwhile princely state in India was the largest district of the state of Gujarat and the second largest district in India. Deshalji I was succeeded by his son Lakhatji. The reign of Lakhatji I is often considered to be glorious in the North the ambitions of the Marathas, the Rohillas, and the courtiers of the Mughal court all clashed leading to a turbulent period. A key player in this was Ahmad Shah Durrani the Afghan ruler who desired to recover his claim on the Mughal subahs of Kashmir, Sindh, and Punjab. His expedition to upper Sindh in 1752 had already sounded alarm bells in Kutch. Probably as a measure to pacify the highly fearful Shah, Lakhatji resorted to striking coins in his name, thereby nominally acknowledging his sovereignty. It is interesting to note that the date on these ceremonial coins is AH1169 which is a year in advance of Ahmad Shah's 4th invasion of India in which he occupied Delhi and staged a massacre at Mathura. Perhaps, Lakhatji was being very cautious about the Shah's intentions, which is a rare instance of political sagaciousness shown by a weak but prosperous ruler, to save his skin in view of an impending crisis.



276. **Madansinghji** (VS 2004-2005 /1947-1948 AD), **Bhuj Mint, Gold Jai Hind Kori**, VS 2004, Struck from the dies of Silver Kori, **Obv:** Nagari legend “*Maharaja Sri Madan Singhji, kutch*” with Trishul, crescent & knife above with date, **Rev:** Nagari legend “*Jai hind, Kori Ek, Bhuj*” value and mint separated by scrollwork, **4.66g, 17.06mm**, (DR # 277.1), gem lustrous features, superbly attractive, brilliant UNC, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 75,000-80,000

Mysore



277. **Krishna Raja Wodeyar III** (1810-1868 AD), **Gold Pagoda**, **Obv:** Siva and Parvathi seated facing, Siva holds trident and damaru, **Rev:** Devanagari legend “*Sri/Krishna Raja*” in three lines, **3.46g, 11.04mm**, (Mitch # 1090), centrally struck, luster, beautiful quality, UNC, **Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

Note: In this coin, Shiva Parvathi with the trident is clearly visible, usually, it is very difficult to get a full image & complete description of the Gold Pagoda.

Radhanpur



278. **Zorawar Khan** (AH 1241-1291 / 1825-1874 AD), **Silver 4 Annas or ¼ Rupee**, AH 1288/1871 AD, With the name of **Victoria Queen**, **Obv:** Persian legends “*Malika-e-muazzama Queen Victoria, zarb Radhanpur*” & “*sana 1871 yesuve*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Nawab Zorawar Khan Bahadur, sana 1288 Hijri*” & value “*chaar anna*” at the top, **3.04g, 17.77mm**, (KM # 9), complete dotted borders both sides, centrally struck, choice quality, about extremely fine+, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000

279. **Zorawar Khan** (AH 1241-1291/8125-1874 AD), **Silver Rupee**, AH 1288/1871 AD, With the name of **Victoria Queen**, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Malika-e-muazzama, queen victoria, zarb Radhanpur*” & “*sana 1871 yesuve*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*Nawab Zorawar Khan Bahadur*”, the value on top & sana 1288 Hijri at the bottom, **11.65g, 28.22mm**, (KM # 11), usual flatness, choice extremely fine, **Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Travancore



280. **Ananthasayana**, **Copper Cash**, **Obv:** Ananthasayana Vishnu, two lines below deity representing the coils of the serpent Anantha, **Rev:** Seated figure to right five pellets, Chakra, **0.34g, 8.66mm**, (Sarasan # 150.3), choice quality, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 6000-8000

281. **Gold Kaliyan Diamond Fanam or Kali Panam** (an abbreviation of Kaliyugaraman Panam), **Obv:** stylized depiction of Vishnupadam with a chakram and two pellets, **Rev:** 12 pellets, lines, and a dot below, **0.35g, 8.41mm**, (B.Sarasan # 27.1), about extremely fine, **Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



282. **Karthika Thirunal Rama Varma (Dharmaraja)**, **Gold Anantharayan Fanam**, **Obv:** Chakram within a large crescent above stylized Vishnupadam that is represented by two curved lines & 10 pellets, **Rev:** 12 pellets within a curve, lines, and pellets below, **0.35g, 7.33mm**, (B.Sarasan # 173), AU-UNC, **Rare.**
Estimated Price: 12,000-14,000

Note: The 12 pellets on the reverse are considered to represent the 12 Rashi (zodiac signs)

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283. **Rani Parvathi Bai** (ME 990-1004/1815-1829 AD), **Copper Cash**, KE 991, First Issue, **Obv:** a five-headed serpent with lotus springs on either side, *kasu 1* in Tamil below, **Rev:** garlanded namam "(9)91 year" in Tamil below, **0.53g, 9.13mm**, (KM # 9/B.Sarasan # 187.2), luster; AU-UNC, **Extremely Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

284. **Rani Parvathi Bai** (ME 990-1004/1815-1829 AD), **Copper Cash**, KE 997, 2nd Issue, **Obv:** a five-headed serpent with lotus springs on either side, *kasu 1* in Tamil below, **Rev:** garlanded namam "(9)97 year" in Tamil below, **0.53g, 9.13mm**, (KM # 9/B.Sarasan # 191), centrally struck, choice extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



285. **Rani Parvathi Bai** (ME 990-1004/1815-1829 AD), **Copper 2 Cash**, KE 991, First Issue, **Obv:** a five-headed serpent with lotus springs on either side, *kasu 2* in Tamil below, **Rev:** a garlanded namam with Tamil legend "(9)91 year" below, **1.28g, 12.54mm**, (KM # 10/B.Sarasan # 188.1), choice extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



286. **Rani Parvathi Bai** (ME 990-1004 / 1815-1829 AD), **Copper 2 Cash**, KE 997, 2nd Issue, **Obv:** a five-headed serpent with lotus springs on either side, *kasu 2* in Tamil below, **Rev:** a garlanded namam with Tamil legend "(9)97 year" below, **1.10g, 10.55mm**, (KM # 10/B.Sarasan # 192), choice extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



287. **Uthram Tirunal Marthanda Varma** (ME 1022-1035 / 1847-1860 AD), **Copper 2 Cash**, **Obv:** Sreekrishna holding butter in both hands, Malayalam numeral 2 completely visible at the bottom, **Rev:** Sudarsana chakram, **1.21g, 10.54mm**, (KM # 17/B.Sarasan # 207), about extremely fine, **Extremely Rare.**

Estimated Price: 40,000-50,000



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288. **Rama Varma IV** (ME 1035-1055 / 1860-1880 AD), **Silver Velli Fanam**, **Obv:** large "R.V." within wreath, **Rev:** symbols within wreath, **1.48g, 14.52mm**, (KM # 24.1), about very fine.

Estimated Price: 3000-4000

289. **Bala Rama Varma II** (ME 1101-1107/1924-1931 AD), **Silver Fanam**, ME 1112, **Obv:** a conch-shell (shanka) encircled by a wreath, **Rev:** value & ruler's name, **1.50g, 15.58mm**, (KM # 61), Uncirculated, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



290. **Bala Rama Varma II** (ME 1101-1126 / 1924-1931 AD), **Silver ½ Chitra Rupee**, ME 1116, **Obv:** a conch-shell (shankh) encircled by a wreath and circular Malayalam legend "thiruvithamkoor arra Roopa Chitra", **Rev:** English legend "CHITRA 1116" (Kollam Era date) & "Half Rupee" within a spray and circular English legends "BALA RAMA VARMA" & "TRAVANCORE" around, **5.41g, 24.03mm**, (KM # 67), AU-UNC, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 5000-8000

Coins of European Enclaves in India

Indo-Danish



291. **Tranquebar, Frederik V (1746-66), Silver Royalin**, Undated, **Obv: crowned F5 monogram, Rev: royal arms below denomination, 1.54g, 10.75mm**, (KM # 146), *choice quality, XF-AU, Very Rare.*
Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

292. **Tranquebar, Christian VII (1767-1808 AD), Copper 4 Cash, 177X AD, Issuer: Danish Royal Colony**, **Obv: a crowned C7 monogram, Rev: a crowned DAC monogram between date, 4 below, 2.62g, 13.80mm**, (KM # 154.1), *choice extremely fine, Very Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

Indo-Dutch



293. **Gold Fanam, Inverted Trident**, **Obv: Degenerated kali figure with inverted trident, Rev: uniface, 0.35g, 7.22mm**, (Unlisted in KM), *UNC, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

294. **Negapatnam Mint, Gold Pagoda**, **Obv: a figure of Lord Venkateswara standing facing front with lazy "J", Rev: field of smooth granulated dots, 3.5g, 11.22mm**, (KM # 22), *Gem UNC, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

Indo-Portuguese



295. **Diu, Pedro II (Peter II) (Regent) (1667-1683 AD), Copper Bazaruco, 1680 AD (Inverted date)**, **Obv: crowned arms divide DO, Rev: Numerals of date in angles of the cross potent, 4.15g, 15.47mm**, (KM # 2 /Gomes # 18.02.05), *about very fine, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 3000-4000

296. **Diu, Pedro II (Peter II) (1683-1706 AD), Copper Atia, 1689 AD (Retrograde), Error: numeral '1' overstruck on '6'**, **Obv: crowned arms divide DO, Rev: Numerals of date in angles of the cross potent, 5.90g, 19.20mm**, (Gomes # 02.5), *about very fine, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 3000-4000



297. **Goa, D. Jose (1750-1777), Gold 2 Xerafins, 1775 AD**, **Obv: coat of arms, Rev: shield in the center; date in between**, (Gomes # 57.01), *graded & slabbed by PCGS as AU55, Extremely Rare.*
Estimated Price: 1,25,000-1,50,000



298. **Colonial Coinage, Luis I (1861-1889 AD), Mumbai Mint, Copper ½ Tanga (30 Reis), 1871 AD**, **Obv: crowned arms, Rev: value within wreath, 18.70g, 32.27mm**, (KM # 305 /Gomes # L1.07.01), *uncleaned, choice quality, about very fine, Very Rare.*
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Coins of Presidencies of India

Bengal Presidency



299. **Princep Issue, Copper ½ Anna**, AH 1195 /22 RY, Plain edge, *In the name of Shah Alam II*, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Shah Alam Badshah*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*sana 22 julus*” **14.49g, 26.59mm**, (Stevens # 3.17/PR # 192), *choice quality, about extremely fine, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 3000-4000



300. **Murshidabad Mint, Silver ½ Rupee**, 19 RY, “*Saya-e-fazle elah*” Couplet, *In the name of Shah Alam II*, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka zad bar haft kishwar, saya-e-fazle elah, hami deen-e-Muhammad Shah Alam Badshah*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*sana 19 julus*” & “*zarb Murshidabad*” at the bottom, **5.69g, 18.72mm**, (KM # 83.3 /PR # 149), *about very fine, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 7000-9000



6 o'clock die rotation

301. **Farrukhabad Mint, Silver Rupee**, 45 RY, Inverted align, 6 o'clock die rotation, “*Saya-e-fazle elah*” Couplet, **Edge:** Plain, *In the name of Shah Alam II*, **Obv:** Persian legend “*sikka zad bar haft kishwar saya-e-fazle Elah, hami-e-dine Muhammad Shah Alam Bad Shah*”, **Rev:** Persian legends “*sana 45 julus*” & “*zarb Farrukhabad*” at the bottom, **11.48g, 26.55mm**, (KM # 77/Stevens # 9.15/PR # 326), *XF-AU, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 8000-9000



302. **Murshidabad Mint, Gold ¼ Mohur**, AH 1204 /19 RY, *In the name of Shah Alam II*, **Obv:** Persian legend “*Sikka Shah Alam Badshah*”, **Rev:** Persian legend “*zarb Murshidabad*” & *Sana 19*”, **3.08g, 16.91mm**, (KM # 100 /Stevens # 4.7/PR # 64), *choice extremely fine, Very Rare.*
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Madras Presidency



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303. **Madapollam Mint, Copper Cash**, **Obv:** a heart-shaped shield with a 4 on top, within the shield, are the letters *EEIC*, **Rev:** a deity standing, **1.7g, 10.5mm**, (Stevens # 5.14/PR # 287), *choice extremely fine, Very Rare.*
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



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Inverted die-axis

Note: A new company called the English Company Trading to the East Indies, was created in 1698 and established its main site in India at Madapollam. They appear to have obtained rights to issue coins.

304. **Copper 10 Cash**, 1808 AD, **Inverted die-axis**, **Obv:** the coat-of-arms with supporters and English legend “*EAST INDIA COMPANY*” with the date below, **Rev:** value “*X (10) CASH*” in Persian and English, **4.63g, 25.70mm**, (KM # 319 /PR # 202 /Stevens # 5.130), *choice quality, original patina, AU, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



305. **Copper 4 Pies**, AH 1240 /1825 AD, Royal Mint, London, **Obv:** *The arms of the company with the date below*, **Rev:** *The value in Persian with the numeral 4 above and 1240 Hijri below*, **8.56g, 26.86mm**, (Stevens # 5.92/PR # 279/KM # 432), *iridescent toning, almost uncirculated, Rare*.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



306. **Chinapatan Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 1119 /Ahad RY, *In the name of Shah Alam Bahadur*, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka Shah Alam Badshah Ghazi” and complete Hijri year 1119 visible*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “sana ahad julus” & “zarb Chinapatan” visible at the bottom*, **11.61g, 23.51 mm**, (KM # A 302 /PR # 119 /Stevens # 2.15), *test mark, choice very fine, Scarce*.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

307. **Chinapatan Mint, Silver Rupee**, 5 RY, *In the name of Shah Alam Bahadur*, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka Shah Alam Badshah Ghazi”*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “sana ahad julus” & “zarb Chinapatan” visible at the bottom*, **11.61g, 23.51 mm**, (KM # A 302 /PR # 123 /Stevens # 2.19), *no test mark, UNC, Very Scarce in this grade*.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



308. **Chinapattan Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH (112)9 /6 RY, *“Bahr-o-Barr” Couplet, In the name of Farrukhsiyar*, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka zad az fazl-e-Haq bar sim-o-zar, Badshahe Bahr-o-Barr Farrukhsiyar”*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “Sana 6 julus” & “zarb Chinapatan” completely visible at the bottom & star symbol*, **10.60g, 22mm**, (KM # E302 /Stevens # 2.22 /PR # 126), *no test mark, about very fine, Rare*.
Estimated Price: 3500-4000



309. **Machhlipatan (Masulipatan) Mint, Silver Rupee**, AH 1178 /11 RY, *Posthumous issue struck by E.I.Co. In the name of Alamgir II*, **Obv:** *Persian legend “Sikka Mubarak Badshah Alamgir Ghazi”*, **Rev:** *Persian legend “sana 11 julus” & “zarb Machhlipatan” partly visible at bottom & three tined symbols*, **11.16g, 21.90mm**, (Unlisted type in KM /Stevens), *no test marks, with dotted motifs on both sides, about very fine, Rare*.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



310. **Silver Fanam**, *First Issue*, **Obv:** *full standing figure of deity Vishnu within a beaded border*, **Rev:** *two interlinked C's the ends of one separated by the figure 1 within a beaded border*, **0.89g, 9.11mm**, (Stevens # 1.16 /PR # 13 /KM # 293), *about very fine, Extremely Rare*.
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



“DOUBLE” engraved as “DOUKLE”

311. **Silver 2 Fanams or Double Fanam**, *“Error in word DOUBLE, engraved as DOUKLE”*, *2nd Issue*, 1808 AD, **Obv:** *the value in Persian encircled by a buckled garter; the value in English legend “DOUKLE FANAM” on the garter, all within a beaded border*, **Rev:** *the value in Telugu in two lines within by a ribbon containing the value in Tamil, whose ends are separated by a star, all within a beaded border*, **1.86g, 14.85mm**, (Unlisted type), *about extremely fine, Rare*.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

Madras Presidency continued..



312. **Silver 2 Fanams**, 2nd Issue, 1808 AD, **Obv:** the value in Persian encircled by a **short square buckled garter**, the value in English legend **"DOUBLE FANAM"** on the garter, all within a beaded border; **Rev:** the value in Telugu in two lines within by a ribbon containing the value in Tamil, whose ends are separated by a star, all within a beaded border; **1.84g, 14.63mm**, (KM # 350/Stevens # 3.242 /PR # 185), about extremely fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 3000-4000



313. **Silver 2 Fanams**, 2nd Issue, 1808 AD, **Obv:** the value in Persian encircled by a **short oval buckled garter**, the value in English legend **"DOUBLE FANAM"** on the garter, all within a beaded border; **Rev:** the value in Telugu in two lines within by a ribbon containing the value in Tamil, whose ends are separated by a star, all within a beaded border; **1.78g, 14.35mm**, (KM # 350 /Stevens # 3.250 /PR # 185), about very fine, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 3000-4000



314. **Silver 5 Fanams**, 2nd Issue, 1808 AD, **Obv:** value in Persian within a buckled garter; **Rev:** value in Telugu and Tamil, **4.70g, 21.46mm**, (Stevens # 3.231/PR # 182), almost complete dotted borders, centrally struck, toning, choice quality, **XF-AU, Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 7000-9000



315. **Silver 1/4 Pagoda**, 2nd Issue, 1808 AD, **Obv:** a seven-tiered gopuram of a temple, on stony ground with around nine stars on each side, bordered by a buckled garter containing the value **"QUARTER PAGODA"** in English and Persian, all within a beaded border; **Rev:** a figure of the god Vishnu usually holding a sword in his left hand and rising from a lotus flower, dots and other symbols on each side within two beaded circles, all this within a ribbon containing the value in Tamil and Telugu, **10.48g, 26.60mm**, (KM # 352 /Stevens # 3.200 /PR # 173), centrally struck, choice extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



316. **Gold Three Swami Pagoda**, **Obv:** three half-length figures representing Vishnu in the center, flanked by his wives Shri Devi and Bhudevi, **Rev:** granulated, **3.6g, 11.91mm**, (KM # 304/Stevens # 1.4/PR # 3B), gem quality, almost uncirculated, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

317. **Gold Star Pagoda**, **Obv:** Diety Vishnu standing, **Rev:** star in a pentagon with granulated background, **3.39g, 10.45mm**, (KM # 303 /Stevens # 1.12 /Pr # 9), **XF-AU, Very Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



318. **Gold Pagoda**, **Obv:** a standing deity (Lord Vishnu) with floral twigs raising up to the face at both sides, surrounded by various symbols and dotted border; **Rev:** smooth granulated, **3.5g, 10.64mm**, (PR # 1?), choice very fine, **Exceedingly Rare**.

Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,25,000

Note: This issue is prior to the issue of the star pagoda and three Swamy pagodas. It is plausible that it was struck at an early stage as the first issue. Barbara illustrates this as an early Porto Novo pagoda.

Coins of British India

1/12 Anna



319. 1877, Victoria Empress, **Copper 1/12 Anna**, Calcutta Mint, **Bust B**, (PR # 786/GK # 890), *original red toning, strong features, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 62 RB, Extremely Rare in this grade.*

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000

1/2 Pice



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320. 1887, Victoria Empress, **Copper 1/2 Pice**, Calcutta Mint, **A/I/no mm**, (PR # 719/GK # 867), *original red toning, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63 RB.*

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

321. 1892, Victoria Empress, **Copper 1/2 Pice**, Calcutta Mint, **A/I/no mm**, (PR # 725/GK # 872), *sharp features, AUNC, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 7000-8000



322. 1908, King Edward VII, **Bronze 1/2 Pice**, Calcutta Mint, **no mm**, (PR # 742/GK # 1009), *strong features, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 62 BN. Rare.*

Estimated Price: 6000-7000



323. 1938, King George VI, **Bronze 1/2 Pice**, Calcutta Mint, **no dot, head type I**, (Unlisted in PR as currency issue/GK # 1449), *about very fine, Extremely Rare.*

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000

1/4 Anna



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324. 1877, Victoria Empress, **Copper 1/4 Anna**, Bombay Mint, **B/I/no mm**, (PR # 637/GK # 828), *ghost impression, original dark brown toning, graded & slabbed by NGC as AU 58 BN, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 9000-10,000

325. 1882, Victoria Empress, **Copper 1/4 Anna**, Calcutta Mint, **B/III/C incused**, (PR # 615/GK # 835), *brown toning, strong features, UNC, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



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326. 1886, Victoria Empress, Copper ¼ Anna, Calcutta Mint, B/II/C incused, (PR # 619/GK # 842), attractive red toning, Brilliant UNC, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000

327. 1896, Victoria Empress, Copper ¼ Anna, Calcutta Mint, B/II/no mm, (PR # 629/GK # 855), original brown toning & patina, graded & slabbed NGC as MS 63 BN, Rare.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



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328. 1906, King Edward VII, Bronze ¼ Anna, Calcutta Mint, no mm, (PR # 651/GK # 998), toning, ghost impression, strong features, UNC, Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

329. 1927, King George V, Bronze ¼ Anna, Bombay Mint, dot, (PR # 680/GK # 1185), ghost impression, spotless red toning with brilliant levels of shimmering on the surface at either side, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 66+ RD, Very Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

½ Anna



330. 1877, Victoria Empress, Copper ½ Anna, Proof Restrike, Bombay Mint, small 'v' to the right of the bottom panel, Bust B, (Unlisted in PR & GK/S&W # 6.462), lovely dark brown toning, scratches, superb proof, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

1 Anna



331. 1910, King Edward VII, Cupro-Nickel 1 Anna, Bombay Mint, B incused, (PR # 929/GK # 993), flawless, gleaming surface with original luster, Gem UNC, Very Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



332. 1916, King George V, Cupro-Nickel 1 Anna, Bombay Mint, no dot, (PR # 946/GK # 1146), multi-colour iridescent spotless toning, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 64, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000



333. 1938, King George VI, Cupro-Nickel 1 Anna, Calcutta Mint, no dot, head type I, (PR # 959/GK # 1378), toning, spotless surface, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 64.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000

2 Annas



334. 1862, Victoria Queen, Silver 2 Annas, Bombay Mint, A/I, second 'I' in VICTORIA is seen as inverted numeral '1', die rotation, (PR # 486/GK # 383), ghost impression, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



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335. 1875, Victoria Queen, Silver 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, A/I/no mm, (PR # 489/GK # 742), toning, superb quality, UNC, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

336. 1878, Victoria Empress, Silver 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, B/II/no mm, die rotation, (PR # 493/GK # 751), toning, AUNC, Rare.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



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337. 1880, Victoria Empress, Silver 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, B/II/C incused, (PR # 495/GK # 754), multi-colour toning, choice quality, AUNC, Rare date.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

338. 1892, Victoria Empress, Silver 2 Annas, Bombay Mint, B/II/B incused, (PR # 547/GK # 796), light ghost impression, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 62.

Estimated Price: 6000-8000



339. 1909, King Edward VII, Silver 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, no mm, (PR # 562/GK # 986), strong features of Edward visible, flawless surface, choice quality, UNC, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Note: Toughest date in the Two Annas series.



340. 1911, King George V, Silver 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, no dot, pig type, (PR # 564/GK # 1107), original gleam, spotless surface, brilliant quality, sharp features, UNC, Extremely Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



341. 1920, King George V, Cupro-Nickel 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, no dot, (PR # 882/GK # 1121), toning spread all over, superb quality, Gem UNC, Rare.

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



342. 1940, King George VI, Cupro-Nickel 2 Annas, Bombay Mint, dots by year, head type I, (Unlisted in PR/GK # 1352), about fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

343. 1945, King George VI, Nickel-Brass 2 Annas, Calcutta Mint, no dots by year, head type II, (PR # 909/GK # 1369), attractive toning, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 64.

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

¼ Rupee



344. 1882, Victoria Empress, Silver ¼ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, C/II/C incused, (PR # 387/GK # 687), toning, sharp features, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000

Note: Tough date for this type.



345. 1889, Victoria Empress, Silver ¼ Rupee, Bombay Mint, C(i)/II/B incused, (PR # 423/GK # 715), multi-colour toning, AUNC.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

346. 1892, Victoria Empress, Silver ¼ Rupee, Bombay Mint, C(i)/I/B incused, (PR # 427/GK # 722), AUNC, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



347. 1893, Victoria Empress, Silver ¼ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, C/II/C incused, (PR # 398/GK # 725), toning, ghost impression, AU-UNC, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

348. 1898, Victoria Empress, Silver ¼ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, C/II/C incused, (PR # 402/GK # 735), XF-AU, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000

349. 1912, King George V, Silver ¼ Rupee, Bombay Mint, dot, (PR # 454/GK # 1082), graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

½ Rupee



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350. 1840, Victoria Queen, Silver ½ Rupee, Divided Legend, Madras Mint, **B raised, W.W. incused, initial 'B' often looks like numeral '8', 24 berries (12L+12R), (Unlisted in PR/GK # 196), choice quality, XF-AUNC.**
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

351. 1874, Victoria Queen, Silver ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **B2/II/dot, (PR # 285/GK # 600), toning, about extremely fine, Very Scarce.**
Estimated Price: 6000-7000



352. 1887, Victoria Empress, Silver ½ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, **A/I/C incused, (PR # 271/GK # 637), toning, XF-AUNC, Rare.**
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



353. 1898, Victoria Empress, Silver ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **A/I/B incused inverted, (PR # 306/GK # 660), ghost impression, scratches otherwise about extremely fine, Rare.**
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



354. 1898 (8 over 7), Victoria Empress, Silver ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **traces of numeral '7' seen behind last numeral '8', A/I/B incused, (Unlisted in PR/GK # 658), about very fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



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355. 1905, King Edward VII, Silver ½ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, **no mm, dot on the left stem, (PR # 309/GK # 960), toning, XF-AUNC.**
Estimated Price: 7000-8000

356. 1906, King Edward VII, Silver ½ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, **no mm, dot on the left stem, (PR # 310/GK # 964), ghost impression on both sides, XF-AUNC, Rare.**
Estimated Price: 7000-8000

½ Rupee contd...



357. 1907, King Edward VII, Silver ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **B incused & dot**, (PR # 316/GK # 965), *toning, strong features, immaculate quality, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 62, Very Rare.*

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



358. 1925, King George V, Silver ½ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, **no dot**, (PR # 328/GK # 1065), *attractive features, gem quality, UNC, Scarce Year.*

Estimated Price: 4000-5000

359. 1927, King George V, Silver ½ Rupee, Calcutta Mint, **no dot**, (PR # 330/GK # 1069), *toning, strong features, superb quality, UNC, Scarce.*

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



360. 1943, King George VI, Silver ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **B/III/diamond, head type II**, (PR # 358/GK # 1306), *about extremely fine, Very Rare.*

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

361. 1945, King George VI, Silver ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **Large '5', B/II/dot, head type II**, (PR # 361/GK # 1317), *about very fine, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



362. 1945, King George VI, Silver ½ Rupee, Lahore Mint, **Large '5', B/II/L raised, head type II**, (PR # 369/GK # 1320), *ghost impression, about extremely fine, Very Rare.*

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



363. 1946, King George VI, Nickel ½ Rupee, Bombay Mint, **Inverted Die Axis (6 o'clock die rotation), C/IV/diamond, head type II**, (Unlisted in PR & GK), *about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.*

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

8 Annas



364. 1919, King George V, Cupro-Nickel 8 Annas, Calcutta Mint, no dot, (PR # 870/GK # 1077), attractive iridescent toning, superb immaculate quality, UNC, Extremely Rare in this grade.
Estimated Price: 22,500-25,000



365. 1920, King George V, Cupro-Nickel 8 Annas, Bombay Mint, dot, Original Currency Strike Issue, (PR # 873/GK # 1079), some hints of toning, attractive sharp features, brilliant condition, AUNC, Exceedingly Rare.
Estimated Price: 80,000-1,00,000

Note: Eight Annas were emergency issued coins and they were not intended to replace the existing silver half rupee, minting of these coins ceased in 1921 when the silver price stabilized. The eight annas were recalled from circulation in 1924 and only a few handful pieces that were actually used as currency survived. Encountering currency issue coins in high grades is highly uncommon and missing from various collections.

Rupee



366. 1835, King William III, Silver Rupee, Calcutta Mint, F incused, 20 berries (11L+9R), the obverse of 'F' period is paired with the reverse of 'RS' period, A/II(ii), bud leaves, (Unlisted in PR/GK # 12), strong features, graded & slabbed by NGC as AU 55, Rare.
Estimated Price: 6000-8000

367. 1835, King William III, Silver Rupee, Calcutta Mint, F incused, 20 berries (11L+9R), the obverse of 'F' period is paired with the reverse of 'RS' period, A/II(ii), bud leaves, (Unlisted in PR/GK # 12), toning, XF-AUNC, Rare.
Estimated Price: 6000-8000



368. 1862, Victoria Queen, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, A/II/0/4/1 dots, bottom dot below the bottom flower, without initial 'J', first 'T' in INDIA is missing, (Unlisted in PR & GK), about very fine, Exceedingly Rare.
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000

Note: A new type was recently discovered where the dot is seen underneath the bottom flower.

Rupee contd...



369. 1862, Victoria Queen, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, A/II/0/11 dots, flat shoulder, without initial 'J', the actual year of minting '1873', letters are broken in "VICTORIA", (PR # 94/GK # 341), about very fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



370. 1881, Victoria Empress, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, A3/II(iv)/dot, (PR # 157/GK # 469), ghost impression, XF-AUNC, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



371. 1892, Victoria Empress, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, C2/I/B incused, (PR # 181/GK # 572), Brilliant UNC.

Estimated Price: 4000-6000



372. 1901, Victoria Empress, Silver Rupee Mule, Calcutta Mint, A4/I(i)/C incused, the obverse dies of 1886 / 87 were paired with reverse dies of 1901, (PR # 140/GK # 597), toning, graded & slabbed by NGC as AU DETAILS CLEANED, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



373. 1903, King Edward VII, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, B incused & dot, (PR # 199/GK # 926), ghost impression, spectacular mirror-like surface, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



374. 1906 (6 over 5), King Edward VII, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, *traces of numeral '5' seen behind last numeral '6', B incused & dot, (Unlisted in PR/GK # 939), choice very fine, Extremely Rare.*
Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Note: Date overstruck of 1906 over 1905 is difficult to come by, we have not offered this type in the past.



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375. 1911, King George V, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, dot, (PR # 217/GK # 1022), *spotless mirror-like surface, graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63, Very Rare.*
Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

376. 1921, King George V, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, dot, (PR # 227/GK # 1043), *graded & slabbed by NGC as MS 63, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



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377. 1938, King George VI, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, A/I/dot, *head type II, (PR # 234/GK # 1255), toning, XF-AUNC, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 7000-8000

378. 1938, King George VI, Silver Rupee, Bombay Mint, A/I/dot, *head type II, (PR # 234/GK # 1255), toning, XF-AUNC, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 7000-8000



379. 1841, Victoria Queen, Gold Mohur, Divided Legend, Calcutta Mint, **W.W. incused on truncation, Obv:** *Victoria Queen's portrait facing left, Rev: lion & palm tree, numeral '4' without serif, (PR # 22/SW # 3.7), REV. RIM FILED, graded & slabbed by NGC as UNC DETAILS, Very Rare.*
Estimated Price: 1,50,000-1,80,000

Coins of Republic India

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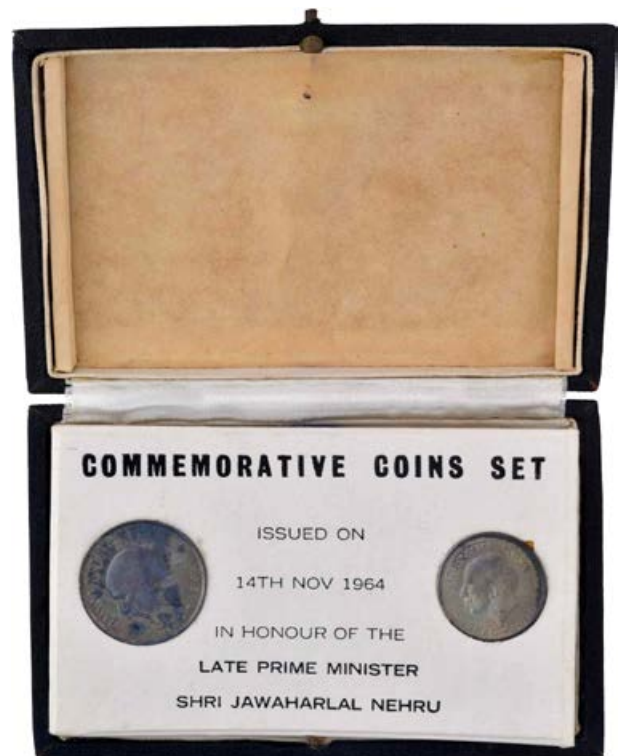
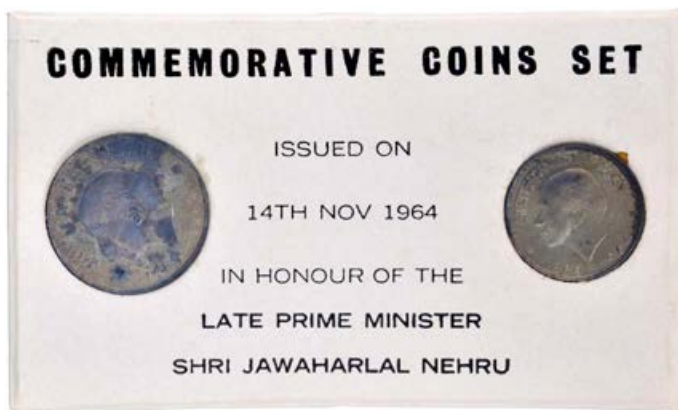


380. Republic India, 1982, Copper Nickel 1 Rupee, Bombay Mint, 5.98g, 26.04mm, (KM # 79.1), AU-UNC, Extremely Rare in this condition. Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



381. Republic India, 1985, Copper Nickel 1 Rupee, E.X.P. Coin - Experimental coin, Bombay Mint, Obv: numerical 1 in the center, flanked by grain sprigs, Devanagari legend "RUPAYA" above 1 and English letters "RUPEE" with date 1982 below; Rev: Ashokan emblem with the motto in the center, flanked by EXP. with Devanagari legend 'BHARAT' at left and COIN at right with English letters 'INDIA', Diamond mint mark for Mumbai Mint, toning, graded & slabbed by PCGS as SP 63, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 33,000-35,000



382. 1964, Proof Set, Jawaharlal Nehru (1889-1964), Set of 2 Coins, Nickel 50 Paisa and 1 Rupee, Bombay Mint, (RB # 8), intact in cardboard packed in black rexin box, superb quality, proof, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 80,000-90,000



383. Proof Set, 1964, Jawaharlal Nehru (1889-1964), Set of 2 Coins, Nickel 1 Rupee & 50 Paise, Bombay Mint, (RB # 8), intact in cardboard, box is missing, UNC, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



384. 1974, Proof Set, F.A.O - Planned Families, Silver, 50 Rupees & 10 Rupees, Bombay Mint, (Unlisted), intact in an acrylic case with outer cover and certificate, proof, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



385. VIP Proof Set, 1991, 37th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference Commemorative Coin, Single Coin Set, Copper Nickel 10 Rupees, Bombay Mint, (RB # 149), intact condition in an acrylic case with an outer cover, Proof, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 24,000-26,000



386. 1991, VIP UNC Set, 37th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference Commemorative Coin, Single Coin Set, Copper Nickel 10 Rupees, Bombay Mint, (Unlisted), intact condition in an acrylic case with an outer cover, UNC, Very Rare.
 Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



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50 पैसा	22 ग्राम	22.5 मिमी	50%	50%
50 रुपया	22.5 ग्राम	22.5 मिमी	50%	50%

50th Anniversary of India's Independence (1947-1997) Commemorative Coins - 1997

The Dandi March marked the beginning of a country-wide Civil Disobedience Movement launched against the British Government in India in 1930. Gandhi along with a band of 78 marchers commenced the march from Sabaramati Ashram in Ahmedabad on 12.3.1930. After marching a distance of 360 kilometers through the villages of Gujarat, the marchers reached Dandi where Gandhi defied the Salt Act by picking up a handful of salt from the nearby beach on 6th April, 1930. The movement garnered the support of all sections of society and it remained unsurpassed in the history of Indian National Movement from the point of view of mass participation.

While exhorting the marchers, Mahatma Gandhi said, "I prescribe only one condition, viz. let our pledge of truth and non-violence be the only means for the attainment of Swaraj; be fully kept". The motif on the commemorative coins depicts this historical march in all its glory.

387. 1997, VIP Proof Set, 50th Year of Independence (1947-1997), Set of 2 Coins, Silver 50 Rupees & Steel 50 Paise, Bombay Mint, (Unlisted & Unpublished), intact in an acrylic case with outer cover and certificate, coins are with original luster and highly glazed finish, overall superb immaculate quality, Proof, Extremely Rare.
 Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000

Note: This VIP Set is not listed in any major references and it has been never offered in any auctions in the past.



388. 1999, VIP Proof Set, Saint Dnyaneshwar (1274-1296), Set of 2 Coins, Steel 1 Rupee and 100 Rupees, Calcutta Mint, (RB # 231), intact in an acrylic case with mint emblem, preserved in original packing with blue velvet box, proof, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000

Worldwide Coins



389. Arabian, Umayyad Caliphate, Marwan II bin Muhammad (AH 127-132), Gold Dinar, AH 131, Obv: Arabic legend Quranic verses "Sura Ikhlas", Rev: Arabic legend Quranic verses "Kalima Tauhid", 4.03g, 19.65mm, AU-UNC, Rare in this grade.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



390. Australia, Victoria Queen (1837-1901), Gold Sovereign, 1861, Obv: diademed bust of the queen facing to left, legend around and date below, Rev: a crown with inscription "AUSTRALIA" in the center within a laurel wreath, min name above and denomination below, 8.0g, 21.96mm, (KM # 4), XF-AU, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 60,000-65,000



391. **Burma (Myanmar), Konbaung Dynasty, Silver, Set of 3 Coins, 1/8, 1/2, Rupee (Mu, 5 Mu, and Kyat), 1852, Peacock issue, Obv:** a peacock facing left with a full feather display, Burmese legend around the field, **Rev:** denomination within a laurel wreath, Burmese legend “**Yandabon Nepydiaw**” (Mandalay the Royal residence) around the field, 1.41 to 11.2g, 15.6 to 30.8mm, (KM # 7,9,10), about very fine to extremely fine, **Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



392. **China, Yuan Shih-kai, Silver Fatman Dollar (1 Yuan), 1921, Obv:** the bust of the king facing left with Chinese legend above, **Rev:** denomination in Chinese letter within a wreath, 26.66g, 38.90mm, (KM # Y 329.6), choice very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



393. **China, Yuan Shih-kai, Silver Fatman Dollar (1 Yuan), 1921, Obv:** the bust of the king facing left with Chinese legend above, **Rev:** denomination in Chinese letter within a wreath, 26.65g, 38.77mm, (KM # Y 329.6), about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



394. **China, Yuan Shih-kai, Silver Fatman Dollar (1 Yuan), 1921, Obv:** the bust of the king facing left with Chinese legend above, **Rev:** denomination in Chinese letter within a wreath, 26.68g, 39.10mm, (KM # Y 329.6), about very fine, **Rare.**

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



395. France, Napoleon III (1852-1870), Gold 20 Francs, 1862 A, Paris Mint, **Obv:** the laureate bust of the king facing right, legend “**NAPOLEON III EMPEREUR**” around the field, **Rev:** a crowned and mantled coat-of-arms, divided denomination by the sides, legend “**EMPIRE FRANCAIS**” around, date 1862 and mintmark “A” in the exergue, raised stars, and legend on the edge, **6.38g, 21.18mm**, (KM # 801), almost uncirculated, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 35,000-40,000



396. German East Africa, Kaiser Wilhelm II, Silver 1 Ruppee (Rupce), 1892, **Obv:** helmeted and uniformed bust of the emperor facing left, legend “**GUILELMUS II IMPERATOR**” around, **Rev:** year within a shield, palm tree with a lion in front, denomination below and legend “**DEUTSCH OSTAFRIKANISCHE GESELLSCHAFT**” around, **11.4g, 30.70mm**, (KM # 2), about extremely fine, **Rare**.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



397. German East Africa, Kaiser Wilhelm II, Silver, Set of 3 Coins, 1/4 Ruppee, 1/2 Ruppee, Eine Ruppee (Rupce), 1912, 1910 & 1891, **Obv:** helmeted and uniformed bust of the emperor facing left, legend “**GUILELMUS II IMPERATOR**” around, **Rev:** denomination, year & mint initial ‘J’ within a wreath/year within a shield, palm tree with a lion in front, denomination below and legend “**DEUTSCH OSTAFRIKANISCHE GESELLSCHAFT**” around, **2.85g, 5.83g, 11.64g, 19.2mm, 24.32mm, 30.49mm**, (KM # 8,9, 2), almost uncirculated, **Very Rare**.

Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



398. Isle of Man, Elizabeth II, 150th Anniversary of the “Penny Black” Stamp, Proof Silver 1 Crown, 1990, **Obv:** crowned bust of the queen facing right, the lettering “**ELIZABETH II-ISLE OF MAN 1990**” around the field, **Rev:** the design from the penny Black 1 Penny postage and the lettering “**PENNY BLACK 150th ANNIVERSARY CROWN**” around the field, **28.34g, 38.59mm**, (KM # 267), proof, **Scarce**.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



399. Iran, Qajar Dynasty, Nasir-ud-din Shah (1848-1896 AD), Qazvin Dar-ul-Saltana Mint, Gold Toman, Obv: Arabic legend "al-sultan bin al-sultan Nasir-ud-din Shah Qajar" within wreath, Rev: Persian legend "Zarb Dar-ul-saltana Qazvin" within wreath, 3.38g, 19.4mm, AU-UNC, Rare. Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



400. Japan, Tenpo, Bronze 100 Mon, 1865, Ko Kaku type, bosen, 'seed' or mother coin, Obv: Japanese legend "Ten-Ho (Tempo) Tsu-Ho", square hole in the center, Rev: Japanese legend "To Hyaku (value 100)", 20.94g, 49x32.45mm, (KM # C7), choice very fine, Rare. Estimated Price: 4000-5000



401. Tibet, Silver 1/2 Rupee, Chengdu Mint, Obv: a small portrait of the ruler with collar; Rev: a rosette at the center with the legend "Si chuan sheng zao" (Made in Sichuan), floral wreath design around, 5.66g, 24.48mm, (KM # Y2), choice very fine, Exceedingly Rare. Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,20,000



402. Tibet, Ganden Tangka & Ganden Phodrang, Silver Tanga (2), Lot of 2 Coins, **Obv:** stylized lotus flower within a circle surrounded by the 8 Buddhist lucky symbols in radiating petals, **Rev:** 8-petalled wheel (flower) within a star surrounded by a Tibetan inscription which is broken up into 8 oval frames, 4.31g, 4.12g, 27.14mm, 27.34mm, (KM # F13 & Y15), about very fine, Scarce.

Estimated Price: 6000-7000



403. Turkey, Ottoman Empire, Abdul Hamid II (1876-1909 AD), Qustantiniyah Mint, Gold 25 Kurush, AH 1293/ 28 RY, El-Ghazi type, **Obv:** Arabic legend "Abdul Hamid with El-ghazi" in tughra style, regnal year 28 and stars, **Rev:** Arabic legend "izz nusrah zarb fi Qustuntuniya with 1293 Hijri", all within a laurel wreath, 1.78g, 14.79mm, (KM # 729), almost uncirculated, Rare.

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



404. United Kingdom, Silver Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth II, Proof Silver Crown (25 Pence), 1977, Royal Mint, **Obv:** an Ampulla bird and an Anointing Spoon encircled by a floral border with the royal crown at above, **Rev:** the queen Elizabeth II on horseback to left, legend "ELIZABETH-II DG-REG FD" around the field, date 1977 at below, packed in an original mint blue rexin box, 28.40g, 38.57mm, proof, Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-6000



405. United Kingdom, Victoria Queen (1837-1901), Gold Sovereign, 1896, Melbourne Mint, **Obv:** veiled bust of the queen facing to left, legend around the field, **Rev:** St. George slaying the dragon, helmet streamer flow from lance to the rim, date 1896 in the exergue, mintmark 'M' at the center of ground-line, 7.9g, 22.14mm, (KM # 785), about extremely fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000

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406. Medal, British India, Empire of India Exhibition, Copper Medal, 1895, Obv: aerial view of the exhibition buildings Empire of India Exhibition at Queens Court, the legend "EMPIRE OF INDIA EXHIBITION-EARLS COURT LONDON 1895" around the field, Rev: legend "OPENED BY H.R.H THE DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE KG MAY 27TH 1895 in the center and "CONCEPTION & DESIGN OF IMRE KIRALFY" around the field, 46.95g, 51.36mm, (Puddester # 895.1), UNC, Rare.

Estimated Price: 4000-5000



407. Medal, Victoria Queen, Neilgherry (Nilgiri) Exhibition, Silver Medal, Obv: a diademed bust of the queen facing to left, legend "VICTORIA REGINA" around, the floral design below, Rev: legend "NEILGHERRY EXHIBITION" within a floral wreath, packed in an original wooden box, 56.3g, 47.34mm, (Unlisted in Puddester), choice quality, very attractive, in a wooden box, UNC, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

Note: This medal was issued for the exhibition that may have been probably held in the early part of the second half of the 19th Century in Ootacumund (Ooty) that is situated in Nilgiri. Nilgiri, as its name suggest is the "Blue Mountains" range of Coimbatore. An extremely important offering!

Medals



408. Medal, British Army Temperance Association, British Imperial-military period (19th Century AD), Silver Medal, Lozenge shaped, For Long Service, **Obv:** central scroll with the motto 'WATCH AND BE SOBER' and lettering "ARMY TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION" around, floral design in each corner; **Rev:** a four-point star with a lion couchant at center with word 'INDIA' below; with original suspender and "EXCELSIOR:" suspension bar; with pin and ribbon to wear, 22.9g, 34.85mm, about extremely fine, Rare.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



409. Medal, Baroda State, Amreli Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition, Copper Medal, Samvat 1967/1910 AD, **Obv:** ploughing field with necessary materials, mountains, tree, a house in background, samvat date below, beaded border around the field, **Rev:** circular shaped floral wreath in the center; Nagari legend around "khetiwadi ka hunar udyog/pradarshan/amreli" in the field, floral border around the field, 30.77g, 36.02mm, (Unlisted and Unpublished), about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



410. Medal, Mysore State Award, Gold Medal, 1971, **Obv:** coat-of-arms of state of Karnataka and text in English "GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE" above, **Rev:** lettering "STATE (1971) AWARD", date 1971 engraved, maker's details and gold purity engraved on the edge, packed in an original blue velvet box, 49.8g, 42.94mm, AU-UNC, Exceedingly Rare.
Estimated Price: 2,75,000-3,50,000

Note: An important gold medal issued by the Government of Mysore for its state award was organized in the year 1971. A minor metal testing mark visible on the surface absolutely does not lower its rarity and importance. We haven't offered this in the past.



411. Medal, Assam Valley Light Horse-Best Shot III 'H' Troop, Silver Shooting Medal, 1907-08, Awarded to "W.B. BRUCE", Obv: "2ND LIEUT/W.B.BRUCE/1907-08" inscribed in the center and "ASSAM VALLEY LIGHT HORSE" around the field, Rev: crossed rifles with a star on top, legend "BEST SHOT III 'H' TROOP." inscribed at the exergue, along with the ring to wear; packed in an original mint box, 6.75g, 25.06mm, about very fine, Rare.

Estimated Price: 5000-7000

Note: The Assam Valley Light Horse regiment was raised in 1891 and formed part of the Indian Volunteer Force, later the Indian Defence Force, and finally the Auxillary Force India. It was recruited from the tea planters in Assam. The regiment was disbanded post-Independence.



412. Token, South India (12th Century)?, Gold Repousse Token, Used as Pendant, Obv: a traditional design with dots and lines including dotted and linear borders, with two suspension holes to wear as a Pendant, 1.64g, 19.12mm, about very fine.

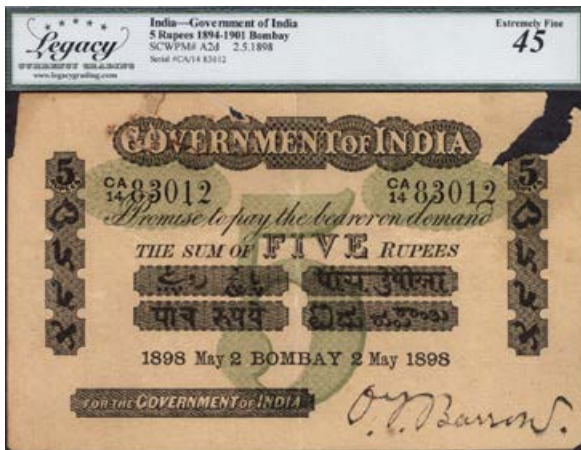
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



413. Silver Spoon, Travancore State, Spoon made from 17 Chukrams and an 1889 year Half Rupee Coin of Travancore, 14.35g, 118cm, choice extremely fine, Very Rare.

Estimated Price: 23,000-25,000

Paper Money



414. **British India, Victoria Empress, Uniface 5 Rupees, Bombay Circle, Dated 2 May 1898, Signed by O. T. Barrow, Green Underprint, CA Prefix, S. No. CA14 83012, (KJ & RR # 2A.1.1D.5), splits, tears, damages, small repairs, staple holes at left as issued, graded by Legacy as 45 Extremely Fine, Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 2,00,000-3,00,000

Note: It is a banknote of strong and crisp paper quality, acquiring notes in this high grade is getting difficult for the collectors these days.



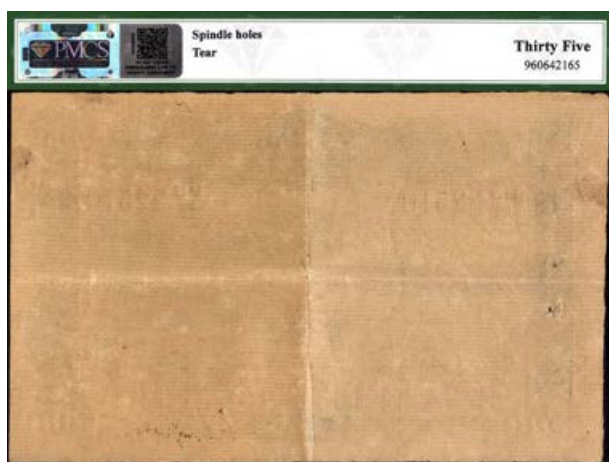
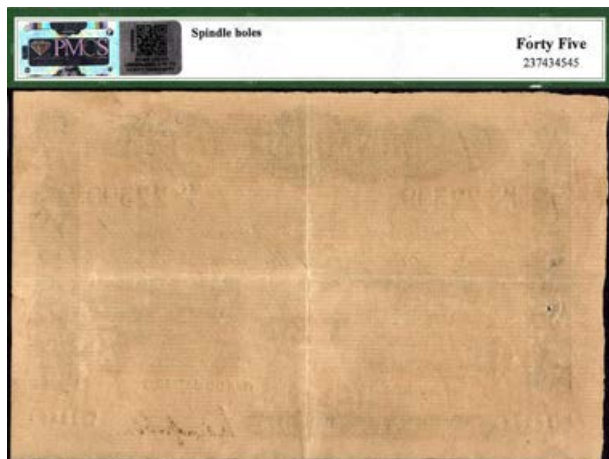
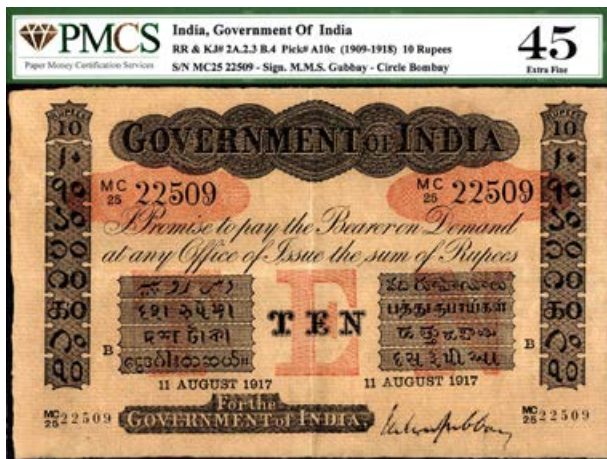
415. **British India, King Edward VII, Uniface 10 Rupees, Calcutta Circle, Dated 17 August 1906, Signed by O.T. Barrow, Green Underprint, VA Prefix, S. No. VA68 67013, (KJ & RR # 2A.2.2A.2), minor restoration at top left corner, usual folds, holes, rust, stains, tears, about very fine, Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 1,50,000-1,75,000

Note: This banknote has managed to survive in its entirety overall, generally these banknotes are usually found as two parts cut that had been attached later together. A gorgeous example from the Edwardian era.



416. **British India, King George V, Uniface 10 Rupees, Dated 10 February 1915, Signed by H. F. Howard, Red Underprint, XB Prefix, S. No. XB2 85311, (KJ & RR # 2A.2.3A.2), holes, folds, stains, graffiti, about very fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 70,000-90,000

Note: This banknote has a prefix XB that is rarely seen in auctions and missing from many prefix-wise collections.



417. British India, King George V, Uniface 10 Rupees (2), Consecutive Pair, Dated 11 August 1917, Initial 'B' for **Bombay** Circle, Signed by **M.M.S. Gubbay**, Red Underprint, MC Prefix, S. No. MC25 22509 & 22510, (KJ & RR # 2A.2.3B.4), spindle holes, tears, folds, graded by PMCS as 45 Extra Fine & 35 Very Fine, Exceedingly Rare.

Estimated Price: 2,00,000-3,00,000

Note: This consecutive serial number banknotes pair has maintained its gorgeousness, which showcases the strong paper quality and colour on both banknotes, it shows no signs of graffiti or seals at the reverse as they are generally seen. It is an infrequent case when the consecutive banknotes of the Uniface series are offered in any auction.



418. British India, 1917, King George V, 1 Rupee, Bombay Circle, 1st Print, Signed by **M.M.S. Gubbay**, B Prefix, S. No. B71 600556, (KJ & RR # 3.1.1A), Wrong Gujarati, graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000

Note: This first banknote in the King George V portrait series was issued 104 years ago. It was issued for the Bombay circle and has managed to survive with its original colour, and the crisp quality of the paper has maintained its sheer brilliance without any stains or spots.



419. **British India, 1917, King George V, 1 Rupee, Universalised Circle, Rayed Star Watermark, Signed by H. Denning, S Prefix, S. No. S54 965735, (KJ & RR # 3.1.3), Correct Gujarati, folds, rust, minor stains, crisp, strong paper quality, about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 45,000-50,000



420. **British India, 1935, King George V, 1 Rupee, Signed by J.W. Kelly, C Prefix, S. No. 15C 238421, Watermark Variety B, printed in England by Waterlow and Sons, (KJ & RR # 3.2.1C), graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated, Extremely Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



421. **British India, 1925, King George V, 5 Rupees, 2nd Issue, Signed by H. Denning, K Prefix, S. No. K61 972905, Watermark Variety B, printed in England, (KJ & RR # 3.4.1B), spindle hole at issue, stains, attractive original vibrant colours, graded by PMG as 50 About Uncirculated, Extremely Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000



422. **British India, 1925, King George V, 5 Rupees, 2nd Issue, Signed by H. Denning, K Prefix, S. No. K90 814562, Watermark Variety B, printed in England, (KJ & RR # 3.4.1B), folds, spindle holes, stains, graded by PMG as 35 Choice Very Fine, Very Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000



423. **British India, 1933, King George V, 5 Rupees, Signed by J.B. Taylor, P Prefix, S. No. P54 718105, printed in Nasik, (KJ & RR # 3.5.1A), staple holes at issue, flawless immaculate quality, crisp and original white paper, graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated, Top-Pop and highest graded, Extremely Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 60,000-80,000

Note: This banknote of King George V signed by J B Taylor has maintained its original vibrant colours, this is one of the strongest grades we have ever offered in our auctions and is progressively becoming rare for collectors to encounter. **This banknote is a Top-Pop, or of the highest grade for this type.**



424. **British India, 1934, King George V, 5 Rupees, Signed by J.B. Taylor, Q Prefix, S. No. Q11 437829, printed in Nasik, (KJ & RR # 3.5.1B), staple holes at issue, minor stains, graded by PMG as 45 Choice Extremely Fine, Very Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 35,000-45,000



425. **British India, 1934, King George V, 5 Rupees, Signed by J.W. Kelly, T Prefix, S. No. T30 548764, printed in Nasik, (KJ & RR # 3.5.2), flawless immaculate quality, crisp paper and original white paper, staple holes at issue, graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated, Extremely Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000

Note: This banknote of King George V signed by JW Kelly has maintained its original vibrant colours, this is one of the strongest grades we have ever offered in our auctions and is progressively becoming rare for collectors to encounter.



426. **British India, 1926, King George V, 10 Rupees, 2nd Issue, Signed by J.B. Taylor, K Prefix, S. No. K40 969581, (KJ & RR # 3.7.2), spindle holes at issue, folds, minor stains, graded by PMG as 35 Choice Very Fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 35,000-40,000



427. **British India, 1935, King George V, 10 Rupees, Signed by J.W. Kelly, N Prefix, S. No. N83 678236, (KJ & R # 3.8.2), strong watermark area, crisp paper quality, staple holes at issue, minor stains, graded by PMG as 40 Extremely Fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 32,000-35,000



428. **British India, 1935, King George V, 10 Rupees, Signed by J.W. Kelly, P Prefix, S. No. P34 376266, (KJ & RR # 3.8.2), strong watermark area, crisp paper quality, staple holes at issue, pieces missing, minor stains, graded by PMG as 55 About Uncirculated, Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 37,000-45,000



429. British India, 1935, King George V, 10 Rupees, Signed by J.W. Kelly, Q Prefix, S. No. Q35 103949, (KJ & RR #3.8.2), strong watermark area, crisp paper, pinholes, minor stains, XF-AU, Very Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



430. British India, 1928, King George V, 100 Rupees, 2nd Issue, Lahore Circle (Large Green), Signed by J.W. Kelly, T Prefix, S. No. T28 796748, Watermark type 2, printed in Nasik, (KJ & RR # 3.10.3E), repaired, annotations, stains, folds, graded by PMG as 25 Very Fine NET, Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 3,00,000-4,00,000



431. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 1 Rupee, Signed by C.E. Jones, Serial number in Black, P Prefix, S. No. P70 472719, (KJ & RR # 4.1.1 A), exceptional paper quality, graded by PMG as 65 Gem Uncirculated EPQ, Very Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



432. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 1 Rupee, Signed by C.E. Jones, Serial number in Green, A Inset, P Prefix, S. No. P23 722519, (KJ & RR # 4.1.1B), staple holes, graded by PCGS as 63 Choice UNC, Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



433. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 1 Rupee, Signed by C.E. Jones, Serial number in Green, A Inset, T Prefix, S. No. T16 505706, (KJ & RR # 4.1.1B), exceptional paper quality, staple holes at issue, stains, graded by PMG as 66 Gem Uncirculated EPQ, Very Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 17,500-19,000



434. **British India, 1943, King George VI, 2 Rupees, Signed by J.B. Taylor, Serial number in Black, A Prefix, S. No. A0 207307, (KJ & RR # 4.2.1), holes, immaculate quality, crisp paper, UNC, Rare in this grade.**

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



435. **British India, 1943, King George VI, 2 Rupees**, Signed by **C.D. Deshmukh**, Serial number in Black, C Prefix, S. No. C84 086321, (KJ & RR # 4.2.2), staple holes at issue, graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated, Rare in this grade.

Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



436. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees (2), Consecutive Pair**, Signed by **C.D. Deshmukh**, L Prefix, S. No. L79 051513 & 051514, (KJ & RR # 4.3.2), pinholes, graded by PCGS as 64 Choice UNC Details, Rare in this grade as consecutive pair.

Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000

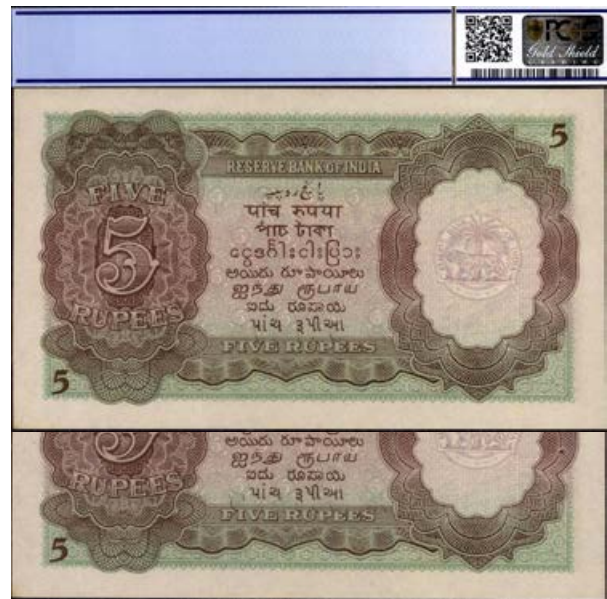


437. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees**, Signed by **C.D. Deshmukh**, L Prefix, S. No. L79 051539, (KJ & RR # 4.3.2), pinholes, graded by PCGS as 64 Choice UNC Details.

Estimated Price: 6000-7000



438. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees (2), Consecutive Pair, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, L Prefix, S. No. L79 051576 & 051577, (KJ & RR # 4.3.2), pinholes, minor stains, graded by PCGS as 64 Choice UNC Details, Rare in this grade as consecutive pair. Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000**



439. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees (2), Consecutive Pair, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, L Prefix, S. No. L79 051578 & 051579, (KJ & RR # 4.3.2), pinholes, minor stains, graded by PCGS as 64 Choice UNC Details, Rare in this grade as consecutive pair. Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000**



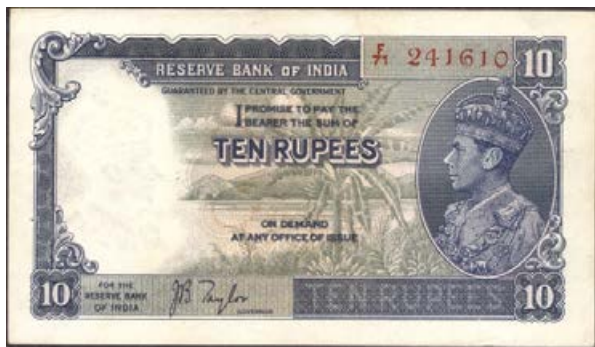
440. **British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, Serial number in Black, A Prefix, S. No. A24 441929, (KJ & RR # 4.4.1), pinholes, folds, stains, about very fine. Estimated Price: 11,000-12,000**



441. British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, Serial number in Black, C Prefix, S. No. C87 200391, (KJ & RR # 4.4.1), staple holes at issue, graded by PMG as 55 About Uncirculated, Very Rare in this grade.
 Estimated Price: 28,000-30,000



442. British India, 1944, King George VI, 5 Rupees, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, Serial number in Black, D Prefix, S. No. D14 650456, (KJ & RR # 4.4.1), strong paper; immaculate quality, staple holes at issue, minor rust, graded by PMG as 63 Choice Uncirculated, Extremely Rare in this grade.
 Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



443. British India, 1938, King George VI, 10 Rupees, Signed by J. B. Taylor, F Prefix, S. No. F71 241610, (KJ & RR # 4.5.1), holes, minor stains, AU.
 Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



444. British India, 1938, King George VI, 10 Rupees, Signed by J. B. Taylor, G Prefix, S. No. G30 328730, (KJ & RR # 4.5.1), pinholes, minor rust, graded by PCGS as 63 Choice UNC Details.
 Estimated Price: 7500-9000



445. British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Madras Circle, Signed by J B Taylor, Serial number in Black, A Prefix, S. No. A6 496670, (KJ & RR # 4.7.1F), multiple holes, folds, stains, graded by PMCS as 25 Very Fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



446. British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Madras Circle, Signed by J B Taylor, Serial number in Black, A Prefix, S. No. A48 644033, (KJ & RR # 4.7.1F), staple holes at issue, strong watermark area, stains, folds, graded by PMG as 35 Choice Very Fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000



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447. British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Calcutta Circle, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, B Prefix, S. No. B6 786058, (KJ & RR # 4.7.2B), staple holes at issue, spindle holes, graded by PMG as 50 About Uncirculated, Very Rare in this grade.
Estimated Price: 50,000-60,000

Note: This banknote has a '786' in its serial number, making it an interesting offering for British India and 786 serial number collectors.



448. British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Cawnpore Circle, Signed by C. D. Deshmukh, Serial number in Black, A Prefix, S. No. A78 033615, (KJ & RR # 4.7.2C), holes, rusts, folds, stains, graffiti, ink stamps, about very fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000



449. British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Delhi Circle, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, B Prefix, S. No. B64 576525, (KJ & RR # 4.7.2D), staple holes at issue, minor internal damage, ink, graded by PMG as 20 Very Fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 35,000-40,000



450. British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Delhi Circle, Signed by C. D. Deshmukh, Serial number in Black, B Prefix, S. No. B64 727987, (KJ & RR # 4.7.2D), holes, folds, stains, graffiti, about very fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000



451. **British India, 1938, King George VI, 100 Rupees, Madras Circle, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, Serial number in Black, B Prefix, S. No. B15 546471, (KJ & RR # 4.7.2H), holes, folds, rust stains, graffiti, very fine. Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000**



452. **British India, 1938, King George VI, 1000 Rupees, Bombay Circle, Signed by J.B. Taylor, two seals on the obverse and one seal on the reverse in black & blue ink reads "PAYMENT REFUSED UNDER ORDERS OF THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT", A Prefix, S. No, A7 360679, (KJ & RR # 4.8.1A), bank seals at reverse, holes, stains, folds, graffiti, very fine, Extremely Rare. Estimated Price: 1,60,000-1,80,000**

Note: It is interesting to observe payment refused seals on this banknote. The high-value notes of Rupees 500, 1000 & 10000 in circulation including Uniface notes were demonetized in January 1946. A specified time and method as prescribed to exchange these notes. When these notes were presented for exchange after the specified period the notes were inscribed with a rubber stamp that reads "Payment refused under orders of the Central Government".



453. **British India, 1938, King George VI, 1000 Rupees, Bombay Circle, Signed by J.B. Taylor, A Prefix, S. No. A3 794740, (KJ & RR # 4.8.1A), staple holes at issue, spindle holes, ink stamps, graded by PMG as 25 Very Fine,**

Extremely Rare.

Estimated Price: 2,15,000-2,35,000

Note: This high denomination banknote from Bombay circle are getting difficult to encounter by collectors in a pleasing quality.



454. **British India, 1937, King George V, 10 Rupees, Signed by J.W. Kelly, Burma Overprint, "LEGAL TENDER IN BURMA ONLY" in Red, R Prefix, S. No. R83 942685, (KJ & RR # 5.2.1B), holes, folds, stains, graffiti, about very fine, Very Rare.**

Estimated Price: 40,000-45,000



455. **British India, 1938, King George VI, 5 Rupees, Signed by J. B. Taylor, Burma - Peacock Issue, A Prefix, S. No. A27 350213, (KJ & RR # 5.4.1), staple holes at issue, rust, graded by PMG as 53 About Uncirculated, Rare in this grade.**
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



456. **British India, 1945, King George VI, 1 Rupee, Signed by C.E. Jones, Burma Overprint, "MILITARY ADMINISTRATION OF BURMA/LEGAL TENDER IN BURMA ONLY", Serial number in Black, T Prefix, S. No. T99 210261, (KJ & RR # 5.9.1A), stains, folds, graded by PMG as 30 Very Fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000



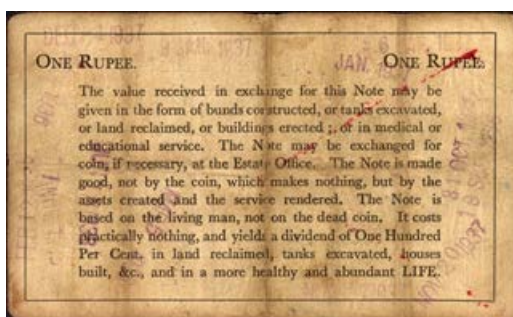
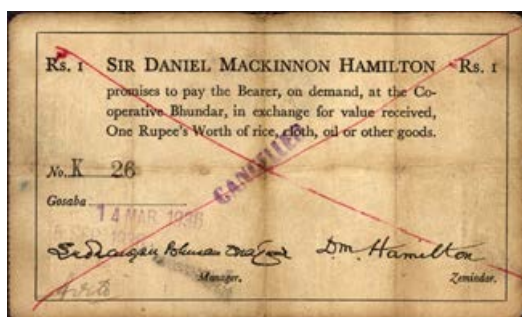
457. **British India, 1945, King George VI, 1 Rupee, Signed by C.E. Jones, Burma Overprint, "MILITARY ADMINISTRATION OF BURMA/LEGAL TENDER IN BURMA ONLY", Serial number in Black, U Prefix, S. No. U1 697667, (KJ & RR # 5.9.1A), stains, folds, graded by PMG as 35 Choice Very Fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000



458. **British India, 1948, King George VI, 5 Rupees, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, Government of Pakistan Issue, Overprint – "Government of Pakistan" in English and Urdu, Serial number in Black, A Prefix, S. No. A67 451414, (KJ & RR # 5.19.1), pinholes, folds, stains, rust, about very fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



459. **British India, 1948, King George VI, 10 Rupees, Signed by C.D. Deshmukh, Government of Pakistan Issue, Overprint – “Government of Pakistan”** in English and Urdu, Serial number in Green, J Prefix, S. No. J5 458275, (KJ & RR # 5.20.1), *pinholes, stains, folds, thin, graded by PCGS as 25 Very Fine Details, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



460. **Promissory Note, 1936, Sir Daniel Mackinnon Hamilton, Cancelled, 1 Rupee, a promissory note for circulation in Bengal in the early 1900's, S. No. K26, ‘CANCELLED’ stamped across on obverse, several date stamps at the reverse, (One Rupee One Hundred Years 1917-2017 by Rezwan Razack Pg. 140), about very fine, Rare.**
Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



461. **British India, Imitation/Forgery Notes (5), 5 Notes, KGV, Uniface 5 Rupees (1921) and 10 Rupees (1918), 1 Rupee (2 notes-1917 & 1935), KGVI, 5 Rupees (1944), ‘FORGED’ red seal on 1 Rupee dated 1935, about fine to very fine, Very Rare.**
Estimated Price: 70,000-90,000

Note: An interesting lot of early contemporary forged notes, few notes have annotations mentioned, it is possible that these are file numbers for bookkeeping purposes recorded in the banks where these notes were first noted as forged. Few historians believe that these forged notes were made during the war time but the cataloguer has not encountered any evident proof for this.



462. French India, 1936, Cinquante Roupies (50 Rupees), Specimen, Banque de l'Indochine, 2nd Issue, 'SPECIMEN' perforation across, Unsigned type, (KJ & RR # 13.5.4), exceptional paper quality, graded PMG as 63 Choice Uncirculated, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 3,50,000-4,00,000

Note: This is an incredibly popular large-size note which has been designed for terrific eye appeal. This specimen features an ornamental Chinese vessel on the lower left of the obverse and on the reverse, a portrait of Governor Joseph Francois Dupleix can be seen at the center with a profile of a Greek goddess in the lower right within a circle. This image of this goddess also appears on ancient Greek coins from Syracuse. In the watermark, the profile of a Chinese farmer facing the left is visible. The banknotes of French India were short-lived making their top-grade examples highly sought after. This bold specimen has its embossing, deep colour palette and intricately detailed borders all intact from the time of issue. "SPECIMEN" in perforations is printed vertically on the watermark area. This gem masterpiece's large-sized banknote has survived and maintained its pleasing vibrant colours throughout, terrific quality.



463. Indo-Portuguese, 1929, 1 (Uma) Rupia, Banco Nacional Ultramarino-Nova Goa, 4th Issue, Signed by Vice Governor Henrique Jose Monteiro De Mendonca & Governor Joao Henrique Ulrich, S. No. A476085, a roaring tiger in middle with two windows on either side, coat of arms in the lower center on the obverse & Temple of Jagannath Puri in the center within an ornamental box, (KJ & RR # 12.21.1), folds, stains, choice quality, about very fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000



464. Indo-Portuguese, 1929, 1 (Uma) Rupia, Banco Nacional Ultramarino-Nova Goa, 4th Issue, Signed by Vice Governor Henrique Jose Monteiro De Mendonca & Governor Joao Henrique Ulrich, S. No. A446999, a roaring tiger in middle with two windows on either side, coat of arms in the lower center on the obverse & Temple of Jagannath Puri in the center within an ornamental box, (KJ & RR # 12.21.1), holes, folds, stains, tears, rust, graffiti, about extremely fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000



465. Indo-Portuguese, 1938, 5 (Cinco) Rupias, Specimen, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 5th Issue, Signed by President of Administrative Council Antonio Dos Santos Viegas & Administrator Joao Baptista De Araujo, S. No. 000000, 'SPECIMEN' on the obverse at the bottom right, Specimen No. 103B handwritten on the obverse, Printed by Thomas De La Rue, a vignette from the Sri Saptakoteshwar Temple in Goa, at the center of the obverse & a charging tiger in the center on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 12.24.2), previously mounted, printer's annotation, graded by PMG as 58 Choice About Unc NET, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 3,00,000-4,00,000

Note: This is a well-preserved large-sized note, without any punches and has maintained its original vibrant color. Specimen banknotes of Goa are getting extinct and they are highly desired by collectors.



466. Indo-Portuguese, 1938, 10 (Dez) Rupias, Specimen, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 5th Issue, Signed by President of Administrative Council Antonio Dos Santos Viegas & Administrator Manuel Rodrigues Junior, S. No.000000, 'SPECIMEN No 19' printed on the obverse at the bottom left, printed by Thomas De La Rue, a vignette from the Sri Saptakoteshwar Temple in Goa, at the center of the obverse & a charging tiger in the center on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 12.25.3), previously mounted, graded by PMG as 58 Choice About Unc, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 2,80,000-3,00,000

Note: An attractive large-sized banknote that is in immaculate quality, well-preserved, without any punches, and has maintained its original vivacious colour. Splendidly gorgeous type. This banknote bears two seals on it, "SPECIMEN NO 19" in red ink, and in black ink "SPECIMEN/ DE LA RUE & CO. LTD/ CANCELLED" at the right side.



467. Indo-Portuguese, 1945, 5 (Cinco) Rupias, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 6th Issue, Signed by President of Administrative Council Antonio Dos Santos Viegas & Administrator Joao Baptista De Araujo, S. No. 029,927, (KJ & RR # 12.29.1), *stains, folds, very fine.*
Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



468. Indo-Portuguese, 1945, 50 (Cinquenta) Rupias (2), Consecutive Pair, Cancelled, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 6th Issue, Signed by President of Administrative Council Antonio Dos Santos Viegas & Administrator Francisco Jose Vieira Machado, S. No. 094,959 & 094, 960, (KJ & RR # 12.32.6), *cancellation holes, graded by PMCS as 63 UNC.*
Estimated Price: 6000-8000



469. Indo-Portuguese, 1959, 30 (Trinta) Escudos, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 7th Issue, Signed by Governors Francisco Jose Vieira Machado & Administrator Artur Menezes Correia De Sa, S. No. 176357, (KJ & RR # 12.35.1), *stains, folds, about extremely fine.*
Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



470. Indo-Portuguese, 1959, 30 (Trinta) Escudos, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 7th Issue, Signed by Governors Francisco Jose Vieira Machado & Administrator Jose De Azeredo Perdigao, S. No. 864745, (KJ & RR # 12.35.2), *stains, folds, choice quality, about extremely fine.*
Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



471. Indo-Portuguese, 1959, 30 (Trinta) Escudos, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 7th Issue, Signed by Governors Francisco Jose Vieira Machado & Administrator Antonio Julio De Castro Fernandes, S. No. 639721, (KJ & RR # 12.35.4), stains, folds, about extremely fine.
Estimated Price: 18,000-20,000



472. Indo-Portuguese, 1959, 60 (Sessenta) Escudos, Specimen, Banco Nacional Ultramarino, 7th Issue, Signed by Governors Francisco Jose Vieira Machado & Administrator Antonio Julio De Castro Fernandes, S. No. 000000, 'SPECIMEN' printed across on both the sides, Specimen No. 46 handwritten on the obverse, printed by Thomas De La Rue, (KJ & RR # 12.36.4), exceptional Paper quality, graded by PMG as 65 Gem Uncirculated EPQ, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 60,000-65,000



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473. Hyderabad State, 1943, 1 Rupee. Signed by Ghulam Muhammad, K Prefix, S. No. K/3 223243, "Sarkar-e-Ali" and "EK RUPYA SICCA OSMANIA" in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.2.3), staple holes at issue, stains, graded by PMCS as 30 Very Fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000

474. Hyderabad State, 1945, 1 Rupee. Signed by Liaqat Jung, R Prefix, S. No. R/4 630357, "Sarkar-e-Ali" and "EK RUPYA SICCA OSMANIA" in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.2.4), crisp paper, strong paper quality, pinholes, minor stain, UNC, Very Rare in this condition.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



475. Hyderabad State, 1946, 1 Rupee. Signed by G.S. Melkote, AS Prefix, S. No. AS/3 468422, "Sarkar-e-Ali" and "EK RUPYA SICCA OSMANIA" in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.3.7), staple holes at issue, minor stains, graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated, Very Rare in this grade.
Estimated Price: 40,000-50,000

Note: A similar banknote with the signature of C.V.S. Rao which is generally common in the series and graded by the PMG as 63 was sold on July 2020 for Rs. 80000 in our Auction # 30.



476. Hyderabad State, 1939, 5 Rupees, Signed by Mehdi Yar Jung, 2nd Issue, MR Prefix, S. No. MR 78751, “Currency Note Sarkar-e-Aali” and promise text in three lines “PAANCH RUPYE SICCA OSMANIA”, Siyaq in the center on the reverse, all in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.6.2), holes, folds, rust, stains, tears, about very fine.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



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477. Hyderabad State, 1939, 5 Rupees, Signed by Ghulam Muhammad, 2nd Issue, PI Prefix, S. No. PI 249847, “Currency Note Sarkar-e-Aali” and promise text in three lines “PAANCH RUPYE SICCA OSMANIA”, Siyaq in the center on the reverse, all in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.6.3), holes, folds, rust, stains, tears, about very fine.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000

478. Hyderabad State, 1939, 5 Rupees, Signed by Zahid Hussain, 2nd Issue, PL Prefix, S. No. PL 108491, “Currency Note Sarkar-e-Aali” and promise text in three lines “PAANCH RUPYE SICCA OSMANIA”, Siyaq in the center on the reverse, all in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.6.4), holes, folds, rust, stains, tears, about very fine.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



479. Hyderabad State, 1939, 10 Rupees (2), Consecutive Pair, Signed by Mehdi Yar Jung, 2nd Issue, FL Prefix, S. No. FL 77058 & 77059, in the top center “Currency Note Sarkar-e-Aali” in Urdu, promise text in three lines “DUS RUPAYE SICCA OSMANIA”, Siyaq in the center on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 7.9.2), pinholes, minor stain, crisp, XF-AU, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 55,000-60,000

Note: Consecutive pair banknotes of Hyderabad state are seldom offered.



480. **Hyderabad State, 100 Rupees, ‘Sea Salvage’**, 1st Issued in 1918, Khurdad Month, FE 1331, Printed in England, S. No. PS93210, Rectangular blue ink hand stamp on the left field, which reads “This note is of no monetary value. It was recovered in June 1932 by the Italian salvage vessel Artiglio from the bullion room of the liner Egypt sunk off Ushant on May 20, 1922, in a depth of 400 feet. “, **Currency Note Sarkar-e-Aali**”, promise text in three lines “**YAKSAD RUPYE SICCA OSMANIA**” in words in the center, Siyaq in the top left at the reverse, all in Urdu, (KJ & RR # 7.10.4), *stains lightened, ink stamp, graded by PMG as 30 Very Fine NET, Extremely Rare.*
Estimated Price: 2,25,000-2,50,000

Note: During the First World War, S.S. Egypt collided with a cargo steamer in thick fog northwest of France in May 1922. The Ship sank to a depth of 400 feet. It had in its cargo Gold valued at One Million Pounds. Few Salvagers formed a Salvage Company called ‘SORIMA’, they hired a cargo ship called ‘Artiglio’ with the sole purpose of salvaging the One Million Pound worth of Gold in SS Egypt. In June of 1932, they were able to salvage the gold and along with it the unsigned notes of Hyderabad in denominations of 5, 10 & 100. There were a total of 1,65,000 notes of which after protracted negotiations through his advocates with ‘Sorima’, the Nawab of Hyderabad bought back 1,28,000 notes in July 1939. These banknotes were burnt in London. The remaining notes are either with collectors or are missing under the sea. These notes were printed by Waterlow & Sons.



481. **Republic India, 1964, 1 Rupee**, Signed by **S. Bhoothalingam**, B Inset, A Prefix, S. No. A20 534562, (KJ & RR # 6.1.5.2 A), *staple holes at issue, rust, graded by PMG as 64 Choice Uncirculated NET.*
Estimated Price: 11,500-15,000



482. Republic India, 1949, 10 Rupees, 1st Issue, Signed by C. D. Deshmukh, A Prefix, Value in English only, S. No. A14 599269, (KJ & RR # 6.4.1.1), staple holes at issue, exceptional paper quality, graded by PMG as 66 Gem Uncirculated EPQ, Exceedingly Rare.
Estimated Price: 50,000-70,000

Note: This is a banknote in a most desirable ostentatious quality that showcases spectacular features, such as the original white colour, a strong watermark area, a real vibrant colour spread, and the paper in crisp condition. This outstanding piece is currently a Top-Pop and the highest graded for the type tied along with 2 other notes. One of those in the same 66EPQ grade was sold in our Auction No. 30 for Rs. 1.56L in 2020. A golden chance for collectors to acquire this first issue of 10 Rupees in ultra-high grade.



483. Republic India, 1950, 100 Rupees, 1st Issue, Delhi Circle, Signed by B. Rama Rau, X Prefix, S. No. X2 564807, a picture of elephants on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.7.1.1), folds, holes, graffiti, about very fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



484. Republic India, 1960, 100 Rupees (2), Consecutive Pair, Signed by H.V.R. Iyengar, Serial number in Red, AA Prefix, S. No. AA95 090587 & 090588, a picture of Hirakud Dam and Hydro Electric station on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.7.4.1), crisp paper quality, pinholes, minor stains, flawless, UNC, Rare.
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



485. Republic India, 1960, 100 Rupees, Signed by P.C. Bhattacharya, Serial number in Red, AC Prefix, S. No. AC32 485468, a picture of Hira-kud Dam and Hydro Electric station on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.7.4.2), holes, folds, minor stains, graffiti, about very fine.
 Estimated Price: 5000-6000



486. Republic India, 1954, 1000 Rupees, 1st Issue, Bombay Circle, Signed by B. Rama Rau, Value in incorrect Hindi as 'RUPAYA', A Prefix, S. No. A0 151161, a picture of Brihadeeswara temple at Tanjore on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.9.1A), private seals on the obverse, folds, holes, stains, graffiti, ink stamps, about very fine, Very Rare.
 Estimated Price: 55,000-65,000



487. Republic India, 1954, 1000 Rupees, 1st Issue, Delhi Circle, Signed by B. Rama Rau, Value in incorrect Hindi as 'RUPAYA', X Prefix, S. No. X0 244802, a picture of Brihadeeswara temple at Tanjore on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.9.1C), folds, holes, rust stains, no signs of seals at the back, about very fine, Very Rare.
 Estimated Price: 1,00,000-1,20,000



488. Republic India, 1954, 1000 Rupees, 1st Issue, Delhi Circle, Signed by B. Rama Rau, Value in incorrect Hindi as 'RUPAYA', X Prefix, S. No. X0 224886, a picture of Brihadeeswara temple at Tanjore on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.9.1C), internal damage, ink stamps, holes, folds, graffiti, graded by PMG as 20 Very Fine NET, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 1,10,000-1,30,000



489. Republic India, 1954, 1000 Rupees, 1st Issue, Madras Circle, Signed by B. Rama Rau, Value in incorrect Hindi as 'RUPAYA', Q Prefix, S. No. Q0 090267, a picture of Brihadeeswara temple at Tanjore on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.9.1E), folds, holes, stains, graffiti, ink stamps, about very fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 75,000-80,000



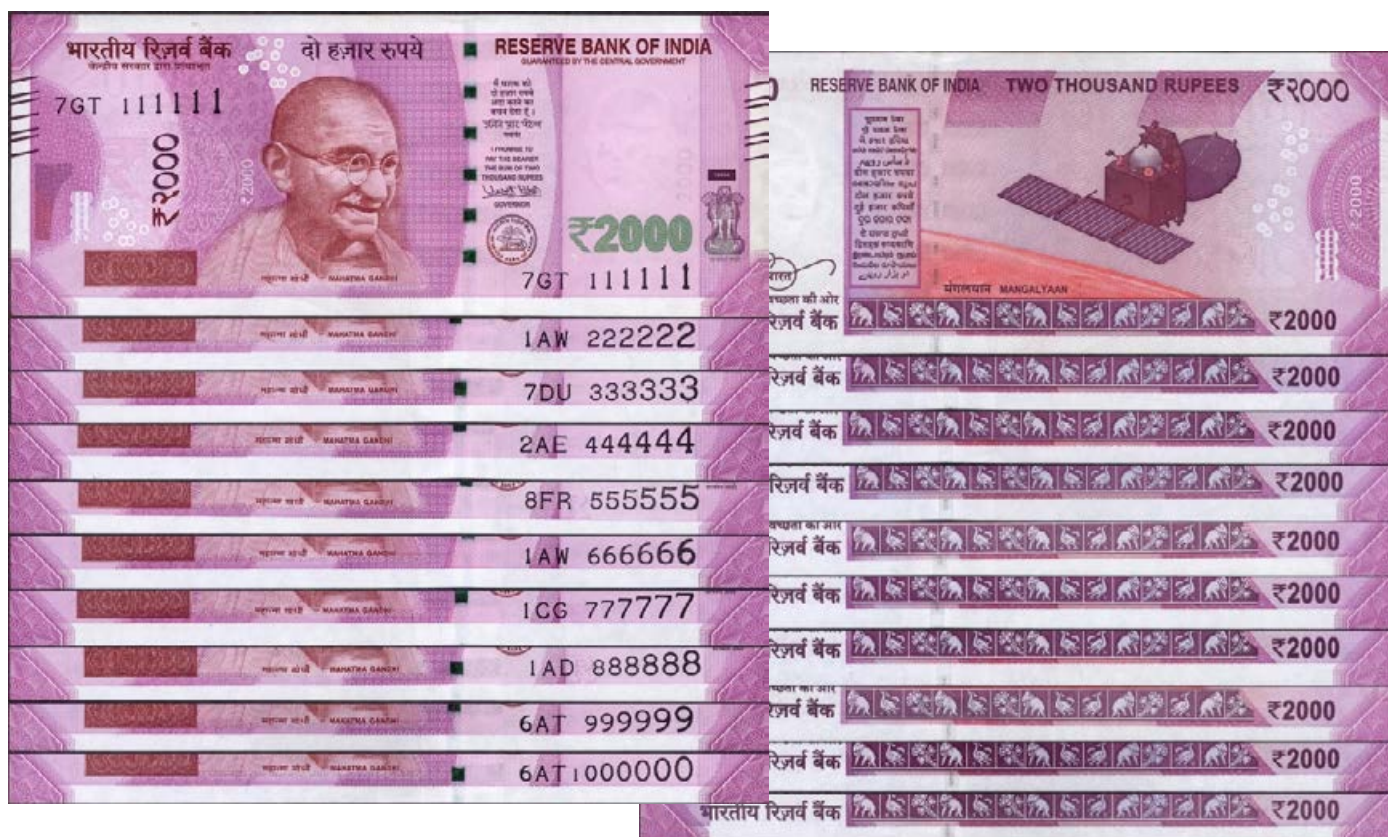
490. Republic India, 1975, 1000 Rupees, Bombay Circle, Signed by N.C. Sengupta, A Prefix, S. No. A2 094183, a picture of Brihadeeswara temple at Tanjore on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.9.4.1), crisp, overall white, superb quality, strong watermark area, pinholes, folds, graffiti, XF-AU, Rare.
Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



491. Republic India, 1975, 1000 Rupees, Bombay Circle, Signed by K. R. Puri, A Prefix, S. No. A11 429296, a picture of Brihadeeswara temple at Tanjore on the reverse, (KJ & RR # 6.9.4.2), crisp, strong watermark area, spotless white, holes, graffiti, stains, ink stamps, AUNC, Rare in this grade.
 Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



492. Republic India, 1985-1990, 10 Rupees, 444444, Peacock Series, Signed by R.N. Malhotra, B Inset, W Prefix, S. No. 85W 444444, pinholes, folds, stains, crisp paper quality, AU-UNC.
 Estimated Price: 6000-8000



493. Republic India, 2016, 2000 Rupees (10), 111111-999999 & 1000000, Fancy Number Set, Signed by Urjit R. Patel, Mixed Prefix, S. No. 111111-999999 & 100000, strong paper quality, UNC, Extremely Rare.
 Estimated Price: 2,35,000-2,50,000



494. Republic India, 1951, 1 Rupee Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by K.G. Ambegaonkar, L Prefix, S. No. L62 658201 to 658300, (KJ & RR # 6.1.3.1), stains on front and back, otherwise uncirculated, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 35,000-40,000



495. Republic India, 1957, 1 Rupee Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by A. K. Roy, B Inset, M Prefix, S. No. M47 519401 to 519500, (KJ & RR # 6.1.4.2), UNC.
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



496. Republic India, 1968, 1 Rupee Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by I. G. Patel, B Inset, T Prefix, S. No. T27 207701 to 207800, (KJ & RR # 6.1.6.3A), gem UNC.
Estimated Price: 3000-4000



497. Republic India, 1970, 5 Rupees Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by B. N. Adarkar, F Prefix, S. No. F61 956601 to 956700, (KJ & RR # 6.3.7.2), some stains visible, rust, UNC, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 30,000-40,000



498. Republic India, 1967-1970, 5 Rupees Bundle (100 Notes), Diamond Issue, Signed by L. K. Jha, P Prefix, S. No. P64 327301 to 327400, (KJ & RR # 6.3.6.2), minor stains, UNC.
Estimated Price: 15,000-18,000



499. Republic India, 1975, 5 Rupees Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by S. Jagannathan, Y Prefix, S. No. Y59 929101 to 929200, (KJ & RR # 6.3.8.1B), UNC.
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



500. Republic India, 1997-98, 50 Rupees Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by Bimal Jalan, B Inset, QC Prefix, S. No. 5QC 196501 to 196600, (KJ & RR # 6.6.2.6A), UNC.
Estimated Price: 6500-7000



501. Republic India, 1985-90, 100 Rupees Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by R. N. Malhotra, UH Prefix, S. No. 4UH 109901 to 110000, (KJ & RR # 6.7.9.1), UNC.
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000



502. Republic India, 1992-97, 100 Rupees Bundle (100 Notes), Signed by C. Rangarajan, B Inset, EB Prefix, S. No. 4EB 207401 to 207500, (KJ & RR # 6.7.10.5C), UNC.
Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000

Error Paper Money



503. Republic India, 1985, Error 2 Rupees, Signed by Amitabh Ghosh, Error: Serial number printing error, occurred due to obstruction, A Inset, S. No. 87P 00722, pinholes, stains, XF-AU
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



504. Republic India, 1992-1994, Error 2 Rupees, Signed by C. Rangarajan, Error: Serial number printing and cutting error, serial number printing shifted, misaligned cutting, B Inset, S. No. 46F 699271, pinholes, crisp paper, AU-UNC.
Estimated Price: 3000-4000



505. Republic India, Error 5 Rupees, Signed by Bimal Jalan, Error: Sheet fold printing or Butterfly error, approx. 20% extra paper at right leaving the unprinted area on the reverse in butterfly form, an unprinted portion of reverse is printed on the obverse on extra paper; S. No. 241, crisp, strong paper quality, UNC, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



506. Republic India, Error 10 Rupees, Signed by R.N. Malhotra, Error: *Sheet crease and Serial number printing error, occurred due to obstruction*, C Inset, S. No. 30F 068205, pinholes, stains, torn, XF-AU. Estimated Price: 3000-4000



507. Republic India, Error 10 Rupees (2), Running Pair, Signed by Y.V. Reddy, Error: *Incorrectly positioned sheet cutting error with two notes, cut horizontally, uneven paper cut*, R Inset, S. No. 62K 111100 & 111200, minor stains, XF-AU, Rare. Estimated Price: 6000-8000



508. Republic India, 2011, Error 10 Rupees, Signed by D. Subbarao, Error: *Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error, uneven paper cut of the note and an extra 40% another note attached at the bottom right*, S Inset, S. No. 80L 563805, folds, XF-AU, Rare. Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Error Paper Money



509. Republic India, Error 20 Rupees, Signed by Shakti Kanta Das, Error: *Sheet fold printing or Butterfly error*, approx. 40% area not printed on both sides, R Inset, S. No. 03C 287935, folds, crisp, strong paper quality, AU-UNC, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



510. Republic India, 1985-1990, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by R. N. Malhotra, Error: *Extra paper & Sheet folding cutting error*, uneven paper cut of the note and approx. 10% extra paper at the bottom right, the extra paper shows sheet margin, S. No. 4UP 952941, pinholes, folds, stains, about very fine.
Estimated Price: 5000-6000



511. Republic India, 1985-1990, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by R. N. Malhotra, Error: *Butterfly error*, approx. 20% extra paper at the top leaving the unprinted area on the reverse in butterfly form, an unprinted portion of reverse is printed on the obverse on extra paper, S. No. 7MH 133597, folds, pinholes, about extremely fine, Rare.
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



512. Republic India, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by C. Rangarajan, Error: *Obverse printing error, approx. 40% area of the note unprinted on the obverse, C Inset, S. No. 7BV 061062, folds, holes, stains, about extremely fine, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 5000-7000



513. Republic India, 1977, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by C. Rangarajan, Error: *Sheet fold cutting error, uneven paper cut of the note and an extra 50% another note attached at the top right, S. No. 2DB 678110, pinholes, folds, stains, about very fine, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



514. Republic India, 2005, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by Y.V. Reddy, Error: *Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error, approx. 20% extra paper at the top right, the extra paper shows sheet margin and serial number, L Inset, S. No. 2AB 175683, folds, stains, about very fine.*

Estimated Price: 6000-7000



515. Republic India, 2005, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by Y.V. Reddy, Error: *Incorrectly positioned sheet cutting and inverted serial number error, serial numbers printed inverted way at either side, R Inset, S. No. 9AD 509445, exceptional paper quality, graded by PMG as 63 Choice Uncirculated EPQ, Rare.*

Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000

Error Paper Money



516. Republic India, 2011, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by D. Subbarao, Error: Sheet fold cutting and serial number printing error, approx. 20% extra paper at the bottom left, the extra paper shows sheet margin, paper folding while printing the serial number, L Inset, S. No. 7FT 840416, folds, minor stains, about extremely fine, Estimated Price: 5000-7000



517. Republic India, 2019, Error 50 Rupees, Signed by Shakti Kanta Das, Error: Sheet fold printing error, approx. 35% area of the note unprinted on both the sides, L Inset, S. No. 8FA 096981, folds, crisp, strong paper quality, UNC. Estimated Price: 6000-7000



518. Republic India, 1992-1997, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by C. Rangarajan, Error: Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error, approx. 20% extra paper at bottom right, A Inset, S. No. 3GH 132500, fold, UNC, Very Rare. Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



519. Republic India, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by Bimal Jalan, Error: *Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error, uneven paper cut, approx. 20% extra paper at the top right, the extra paper shows sheet margin with color code at the top, F Inset, S. No. 2AN 446516, folds, stains, about very fine. Estimated Price: 4000-5000*



520. Republic India, 2009, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by D. Subbarao, Error: *Incorrectly positioned sheet cutting and inverted serial number error, serial numbers printed inverted way at either side, R Inset, S. No. 1CS 533840, almost uncirculated, Very Rare. Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000*



521. Republic India, 2010, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by D. Subbarao, Error: *Incorrectly positioned sheet cutting and inverted serial number error, serial numbers printed inverted way at either side, R Inset, S. No. 2NP 696564, fold, minor stains, almost uncirculated, Very Rare. Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000*



522. Republic India, 2014, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by Raghuram G. Rajan, Error: *Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error, uneven paper cut of the note and an extra 40% another note attached at the bottom right, the extra paper also shows sheet margin, L inset, S. No. 3FK 060092 & 7FK 060092, folds, minor stains, about extremely fine, Extremely Rare. Estimated Price: 12,000-15,000*

Error Paper Money



523. Republic India, 2014, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by Raghuram G. Rajan, Error: *Incorrectly positioned sheet cutting and inverted serial number error, serial numbers printed inverted way at either side, R Inset, S. No. OFP 473251, minor stains, crisp paper, almost uncirculated, Very Rare. Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000*



524. Republic India, 2015, Error 100 Rupees, Signed by Raghuram G. Rajan, Error: *Obverse printing error, 1st layer printing error at offset process, printing missing except designs on the obverse, text completely missing, serial numbers printed at back, obverse printed on the reverse, S. No. 3TL 981435, crisp, strong paper quality, UNC, Extremely Rare. Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000*



525. Republic India, 2008, Error 500 Rupees, Signed by Y. V. Reddy, Error: *Cutting error, uneven paper cut, approx. 20% of another note on left with half serial numbers printed on it, L Inset, S. No. 7DB 336935, almost uncirculated, Scarce. Estimated Price: 6000-8000*



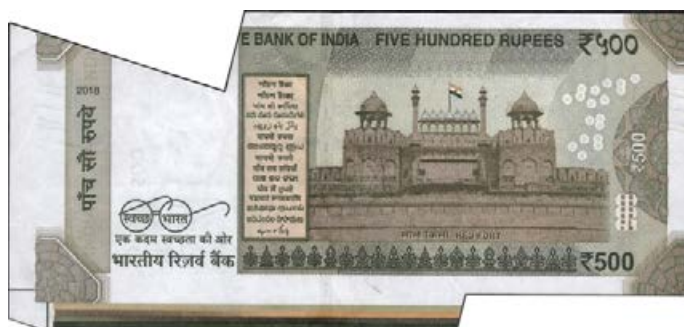
526. Republic India, 2008, Error 500 Rupees, Signed by Y.V. Reddy, Error: *Sheet fold cutting and Serial number printing error, approx. 30% extra paper at the bottom left, the extra paper shows sheet margin, paper folding while printing the serial number, L Inset, S. No. 6FF 149160, folds, about very fine, Very Scarce. Estimated Price: 5000-6000*



527. Republic India, Error 500 Rupees, Signed by Y.V. Reddy, Error: **Reverse printing error, 1st layer printing error at offset process, printing missing except designs on the reverse, text completely missing**, S. No. 8CL 801584, folds, minor stains, graffiti, XF-AU, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000



528. Republic India, 2017, Error 500 Rupees, Signed by Urjit R. Patel, Error: **Obverse printing error, Obverse 2nd layer printing missing error, printing missing except designs on the obverse, text completely missing, serial numbers printed at back, obverse printed on the reverse, A Inset**, S. No. 0ER 121149, folds, stains, VF-XF, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



529. Republic India, 2018, Error 500 Rupees, Signed by Urjit R. Patel, Error: **Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error, uneven paper cut, approx. 20% extra paper at the bottom right, the extra paper shows sheet margin with color code at the bottom**, L Inset, S. No. 3VV 019455, folds, AU-UNC, Very Scarce.
Estimated Price: 3500-4000

Error Paper Money



530. Republic India, 2021, Error 500 Rupees, Signed by Shakti Kanta Das, Error: *Sheet fold printing & Cutting Error, Obverse 2nd layer printing missing error, 90% printing missing except designs, vignette, and serial numbers on the obverse, uneven paper cut, approx. 10% extra paper at the bottom right, the extra paper shows sheet margin with color code at the bottom, M Inset, S. No. 5DN 818933, folds, minor stains, torn, about very fine, Extremely Rare.*
 Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



531. Republic India, Error 1000 Rupees, Signed by Y.V. Reddy, Error: *Reverse printing error, 1st layer printing error at offset process, printing missing except designs on the reverse, text completely missing, S. No. 9AC 220212, holes, crisp, strong paper quality, AU-UNC, Very Rare.*
 Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



532. Republic India, 2011, Error 1000 Rupees, Signed by D. Subbarao, Error: *Offset printing error, obverse printing impression on the reverse side, L Inset, S. No. 8FL 555621, pinholes, graded by PMCS as 30 very fine, Very Rare.*
 Estimated Price: 25,000-30,000



533. Republic India, 2012, Error 1000 Rupees, Signed by D. Subbarao, Error: *Sheet fold cutting & Serial number printing error*, approx. 20% extra paper at the bottom left, the extra paper shows sheet margin, half serial numbers printed at the bottom left, L Inset, S. No. 0HG 010620, folds, stains, VF-XF, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 7000-9000



534. Republic India, 2014, Error 1000 Rupees, Error: *Obverse printing error, Obverse 2nd layer printing missing*, printing missing except designs and serial numbers printed on the obverse, L Inset, S. No. 8AA 010016, minor stains, VF-XF, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 15,000-20,000



535. Republic India, 2014, Error 1000 Rupees, Signed by Raghuram G. Rajan, Error: *Extra paper & Sheet fold cutting error*, approx. 40% extra paper at the top, the extra paper shows sheet margin, R Inset, S. No. 4BH 792429, folds, stains, graffiti, about very fine, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000



536. Malaya, King George VI, 1 Dollar, Dated 1st July 1941, S. No. P/98 073977, (Pick # 11), fold, about extremely fine.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



537. Singapore, 1967, 10 Dollars, Signed by Lim Kim San, S. No. A/16 817098, (Pick # 3), UNC.
Estimated Price: 8000-10,000

Error Coins



538. 1945, King George VI, **Bronze 1 Pice**, Lahore Mint, *L raised, flat crown*, **Error: the double hole in one pice**, 1.72gm, 21.40mm, *choice extremely fine, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 3000-4000



539. 1882, Victoria Empress, **Copper 1/4 Anna**, Calcutta Mint, **Error: 15% off center-struck on both sides**, 6.32gm, 25.89mm, *choice very fine, Scarce.*
Estimated Price: 3500-4500



540. **British India**, King Edward VII, **Bronze 1/4 Anna**, **Error: Shifted obverse Lakhi/ Brockage**, complete and deep lakhi brockage on the obverse with mirror impressions & die-shifted on both Sides, 4.81gm, 26.08mm, *strong features of Edward at lakhi side, superb quality. AU-UNC, Extremely Rare.*
Estimated Price: 32,000-35,000



541. **British India**, King George V, **Silver Rupee**, **Error: Obverse Lakhi/Brockage**, *light impression at brockage side, late-stage brockage Rev*, graded & slabbed by PCGS as AU 55, **Extremely Rare.**
Estimated Price: 30,000-35,000



542. **Republic India**, 1965, **Nickel 5 Paise**, Calcutta Mint, **Error: Lamination error**, 3.85g, 22.08mm, *about extremely fine, Rare.*
Estimated Price: 5000-7000



543. Republic India, 1961, Nickel 10 Paise, Bombay Mint, Error: *Planchet Error, 10 Paise Struck on 2 Paise planchet*, 3.00g, 20.14mm, about extremely fine, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 40,000-50,000



544. Republic India, 1997, Stainless Steel 10 Paise, Calcutta Mint, Error: *Inverted die axis, 6 o'clock die rotation*, 1.99g, 16.05mm, about very fine, Rare.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



545. Republic India, 1948, Mahatma Gandhi, Aluminium Bronze, 20 Paise, Calcutta Mint, Error: *Inverted die axis, 6 o'clock die rotation*, 4.49g, 21.99mm, about extremely fine, Very Rare.
Estimated Price: 10,000-12,000



546. Republic India, 1987, Aluminum 20 Paise, Calcutta Mint, Error: *Inverted die axis, 6 o'clock die rotation*, 2.33g, 24.49mm, UNC, Rare.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000



547. Republic India, 1964, Jawaharlal Nehru (1889-1964), Nickel 50 Paise, Calcutta Mint, Error: *Inverted die axis, 6 o'clock die rotation*, 4.86g, 23.86mm, about very fine, Extremely Rare.
Estimated Price: 20,000-25,000

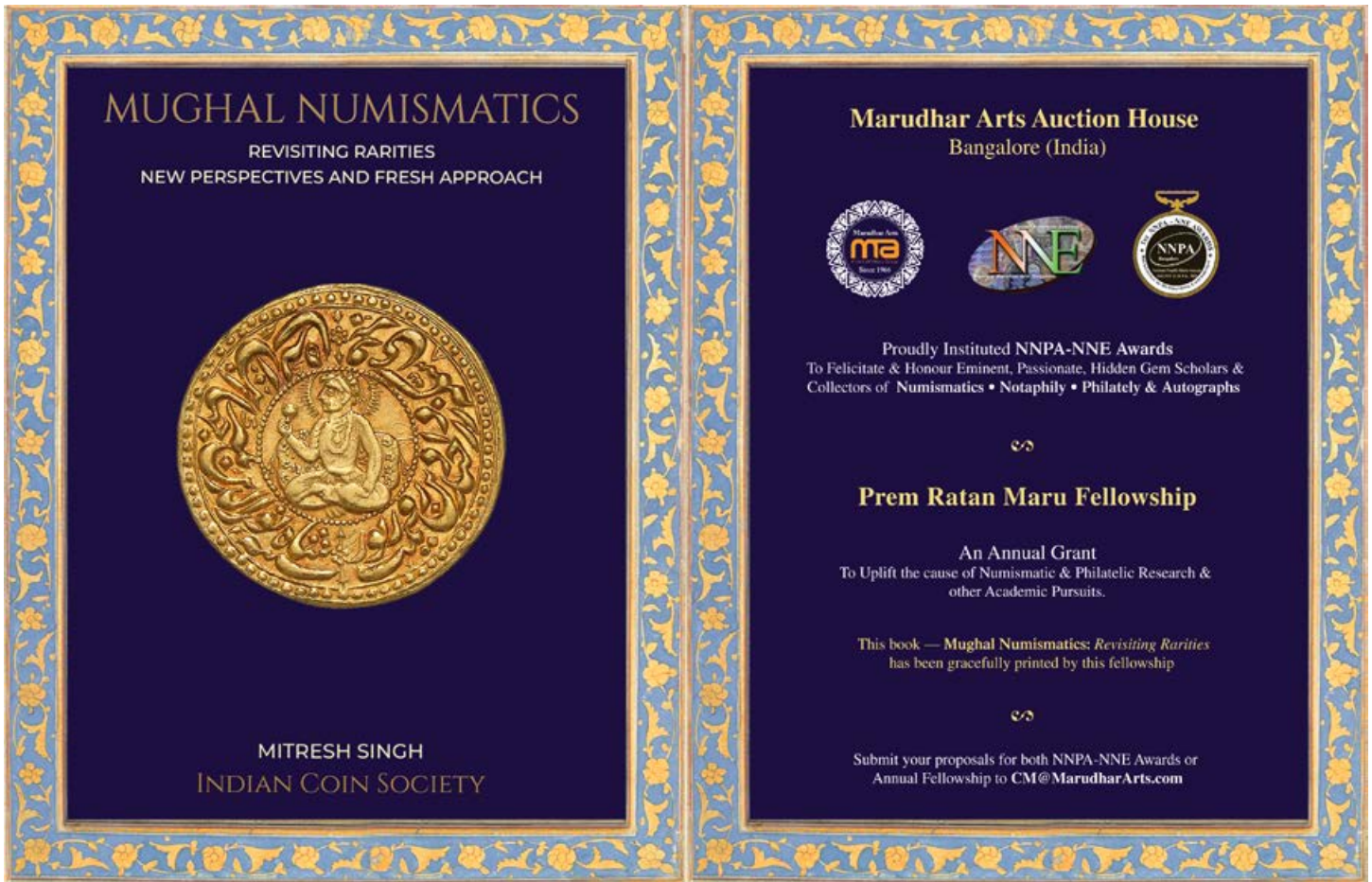


548. Republic India, 1964, Jawaharlal Nehru (1889-1964), Nickel 50 Paise, Bombay Mint, Error: *Misaligned and off struck on both sides*, 4.95g, 24.96mm, about extremely fine, Rare.
Estimated Price: 7000-9000



549. Republic India, 1997, Subhas Chandra Bose, Copper Nickel 2 Rupees, Noida Mint, Error: *Inverted axis error, 6 o'clock die rotation*, 6.04g, 26.20mm, about very fine, Rare.
Estimated Price: 4000-5000

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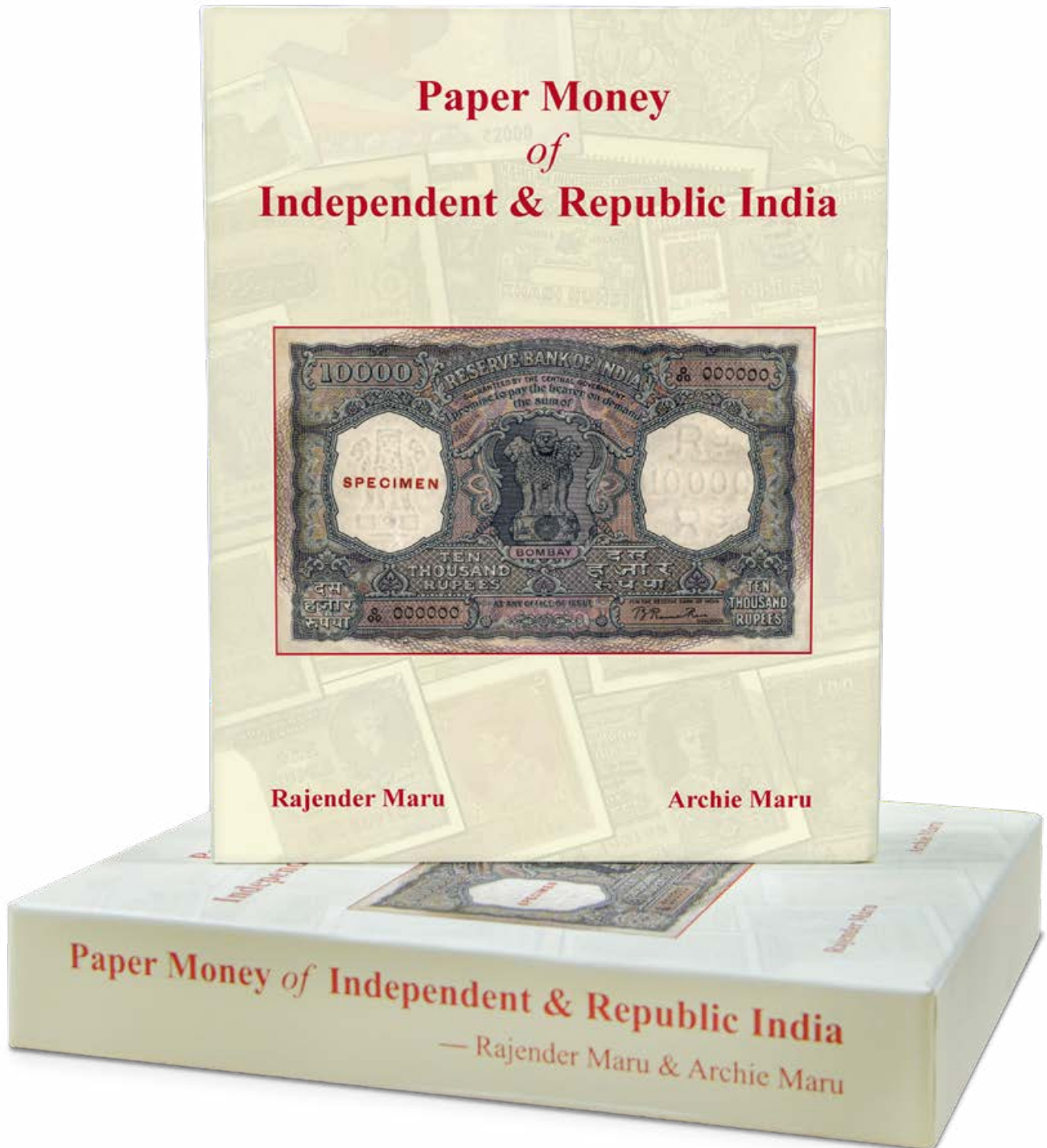
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