



The Treasury

Yn Tashtey

CURRENCY ACT 1992: SPECIAL CURRENCY DETERMINATION

The Treasury makes the following Determination under section 6 of the Currency Act 1992.

SPECIAL CURRENCY (ANGEL COIN) DETERMINATION 2023

1. The Treasury determines that a coin known as the “Angel Coin 2023” may be issued as part of its annual release of bullion coins.

Interpretation

2. In this Determination the “Angel Coin 2023” means a coin that is issued by the Treasury, which conforms to the requirements –
 - (a) of denomination and face value;
 - (b) as to design and devices to be borne; and
 - (c) as to weight, composition, form, and dimension, and the amount of variation from those matters allowed,as specified in this Determination and the Schedule annexed to this Determination.

Denomination and face value of the Angel Coin 2023

3. The permissible denominations of the Angel Coin 2023 are those shown in Column 1 of the Schedule annexed to this Determination.
4. The face value of the Angel Coin 2023 with the denomination one Angel is five pounds (£5).
5. The face value of the Angel Coin 2023 whose denomination is expressed as a fraction or a multiple of one Angel is five pounds (£5) divided or multiplied (as the case requires) by the fraction or the multiplier shown on the reverse of the coin, and in any other case shall be the denomination expressed on the reverse of the coin.

Design and devices to be borne of the Angel Coin 2023

6. The obverse of the Angel Coin 2023 shall bear —
- (a) the effigy of His Majesty the King produced by Glyn Davies; and
 - (b) the inscription 'KING CHARLES III • ISLE OF MAN' and the year of issue as shown in Figure 1.

Figure 1



7. The reverse of the Angel Coin 2023 features the traditional annual Angel coin design used by the Isle of Man dating back to the 1980s, it is the classic design of the archangel Michael slaying a Dragon, which first appeared on an English medieval coin also called the Gold Angel - over 540 years ago. The design is framed by a Celtic band and headed by the Isle of Man triskelion as shown in Figure 2.

Figure 2



8. Each coin is circular with a milled edge.

Weight, composition, form and dimensions of the Angel Coin 2023 and amount of variation from those matters allowed

9. The table in the Schedule annexed to this Determination specifies the weight, composition, form and dimensions of the Angel Coin 2023 and the amount of variation from those matters allowed, but are subject to paragraph 10 of this Determination.
10. Despite any other provision of this Determination, the Angel Coin 2023 (of any permitted denomination) that otherwise conforms to the provisions specified in the table in the Schedule annexed to this Determination, may be minted at double the weight shown in Column 6 of the table as a *piedfort*.

The making of this Determination

11. This Determination comes into operation on the day after it is made.
12. This Determination is made by the Authority of the Minister for the Treasury.

Date made: 10th March 2023

R W HENDERSON

Member of the Treasury

SCHEDULE

DENOMINATIONS, WEIGHT, COMPOSITION AND DIMENSIONS OF THE COIN AND THE AMOUNT OF VARIATION ALLOWED

Specifications							
Denomination	Metal	Composition	Finish	Size (mm)	Weight (g)	Remedy (g)	Rim Finish
1/10 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	16.50	3.110	0.0389	Milled
1/4 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	22.00	7.780	0.0973	Milled
1/2 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	27.00	15.551	0.1944	Milled
1 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	38.61	31.1035	0.3888	Milled
1 Angel (Piedfort)	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	38.61	62.207	0.7776	Milled
2 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	40.00	62.207	0.7776	Milled
5 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	65.00	155.570	2.3336	Milled
1/64 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	11.00	0.500	0.0063	Milled
1/10 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	16.50	3.112	0.0389	Milled
1/4 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	22.00	7.778	0.0972	Milled
1/2 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	27.00	15.551	0.1944	Milled
1 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	32.70	31.1035	0.3888	Milled
1 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	38.61	31.1035	0.3888	Milled
2 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	40.00	62.2070	0.9331	Milled
5 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	65.00	155.570	2.3336	Milled
1 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	BU/PF/ REV PF	38.61	31.1035	0.3888	Milled
1 Angel	24ct Gold	999/1000 AU	BU/PF/ REV PF	38.61	31.1035	0.3888	Milled
1 Angel	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	Black Proof	38.61	31.1035	0.3888	Milled
1 Angel (Piedfort)	Fine Silver	999/1000 AG	Black Proof	38.61	62.207	0.7776	Milled

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of this Determination)

This Determination prescribes the denomination, face value, design of, devices to be borne, weight, composition, form, dimension and amount of variation from those matters allowed, for a number of Angel coins issued by the Treasury.

The reverse design is in keeping with the traditional Angel coin composition, used by the Isle of Man dating back to the 1980's.