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CANADIAN THEMES.

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THE LAST SPIKE TO COMPLETE THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
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CROSSING INTO A NEW ERA FOR CANADA.

With the completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1885, Canada's "age of progress" was at full steam, sparking ambitions to connect even more of the nation's vast frontiers by rail.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway would cover 4,800 kilometres from the prairies to the west coast, a massive undertaking that was divided in two: the Prairie Crew would lay track from Winnipeg (Manitoba) to Wolf Creek (Alberta), and the Mountain Division would build the most difficult section of track in North America by pushing the railway through the mountains to Prince Rupert (British Columbia).

The mammoth project took 12 years to complete and on April 7, 1914, Grand Trunk president Edson J. Chamberlain hammered the final spike into place. One hundred years later, this railway remains one of the most efficient routes through the Rockies with much of it still in operation under CN (Canadian National).



DYNAMIC IMAGE CRAFTED IN
FINE SILVER OF A 1914-ERA
STEAM LOCOMOTIVE.



2014 \$30 FINE SILVER COIN—
100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
COMPLETION OF THE GRAND TRUNK
PACIFIC RAILWAY

#140578

\$169⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 5,000 coins worldwide.

\$30 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 56 g | 54 mm
serrated | Joel Kimmel

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ALSO AVAILABLE:

2014 \$250 PURE GOLD COIN

#134537

\$5,199⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 300 coins worldwide.

\$250 | fine gold (99.99% pure) | proof | 62.34 g | 42 mm
serrated | Joel Kimmel

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A SPECIAL VIEW INTO CANADA'S ABORIGINAL PAST.

Since the earliest days of settlement in North America, the diverse Indigenous cultures of this continent have been a great source of fascination for Europeans. Perhaps no other artist brought this rich heritage to life better than Cornelius Krieghoff.

Born in Amsterdam on June 19, 1815, Krieghoff immigrated to New York City in 1837 where he met and married Québécoise Emilie Gauthier. They settled in Montreal in 1846 where Krieghoff lived among his wife's community and became captivated by the local First Nations peoples. Their culture and the landscape became the major focus of his art, inspiring more than 1,500 works over the course of Krieghoff's lifetime.

On the 200th anniversary of Krieghoff's birth, this exquisite coin set presents details from three of his most celebrated portrayals. Each image highlights a unique aspect of life in British North America; a historic chronicle that shaped this nation's early visual identity.

Cornelius Krieghoff
Indian Wigwam in Lower Canada, 1848
Lithograph with watercolour on wove paper
National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa.
Gift of Donald Maclaren, Ottawa, 1990
Photo © NGC

Cornelius Krieghoff
Moccasin Seller Crossing the St. Lawrence at Quebec City, c. 1853-1863
Oil on canvas
National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa
Gift of David Ker, Dundas, Ontario, 1998
Photo © NGC

Cornelius Krieghoff
Hunter in Winter, c. 1855-1865
Oil on canvas
National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa
Gift of Mel Dobrin, Montreal, 1970
Photo © NGC



INDIAN WIGWAM IN LOWER CANADA

As early as 1848, Krieghoff began producing lithographs under the patronage of the Governor General of British North America. This image was one of four prints from a portfolio entitled “Scenes in Canada” which portrayed the people and landscapes around Montreal.

MOCCASIN SELLER CROSSING THE ST. LAWRENCE AT QUEBEC CITY

Krieghoff often portrayed Aboriginal women as handicraft vendors. This painting shows a woman wrapped in a Hudson’s Bay blanket crossing the frozen St. Lawrence River on snowshoes. Thick outcroppings of broken ice dominate the landscape.

HUNTER IN WINTER

Krieghoff often portrayed Aboriginal men as hunters based on insights he gleaned during hunting expeditions with First Nations guides. This painting shows a man carrying a rifle as he treks through the snow wearing a knit hat, long coat, and moccasins on snowshoes.

CORNELIUS KRIEGHOFF
200TH ANNIVERSARY
2015 \$5 FINE SILVER THREE-COIN SET

#140502

\$199⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 7,000 sets worldwide.

\$5 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 23.17 g
36.07 mm | serrated | adaptation of Krieghoff’s
original works for these coins by Mint engravers

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CHERISH THREE MASTERPIECES FROM ONE OF
CANADA’S MOST CELEBRATED 19TH CENTURY ARTISTS.

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6TH COIN
IN THE
SERIES.

AN ICONIC CHAPTER
IN CANADIAN
HISTORY STRUCK IN
99.99% PURE SILVER.

CANADA'S GREAT MAPMAKING SAGA.

It is one thing to venture into the unknown, but quite another to tell others how to follow in your path. Making maps took a special kind of explorer—someone with superlative skills of observation and exceptional discipline to faithfully write down geographical features, latitude and longitude every day.

It was the early 1500s when cartographers began drawing maps of North America to support the development of its resources and the expansion of trade. They began with the east coast, surveyed the gulf and river of the St. Lawrence, and north to the Arctic. Most of the interior and regions to the west remained uncharted for another two hundred years until trading networks reached the mountains and needed a path to the other side.

EXPLORING CANADA 10-COIN SERIES

**2014 \$15 FINE SILVER COIN—
PIONEERING MAPMAKERS**

#132693

\$54⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 15,000 coins worldwide.

\$15 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | matte proof
23.17 g | 36.07 mm | serrated | John Mantha

QUICK FIND: mint.ca/Mapmakers





COIN'S PORTRAIT
ECHOES THE FORMAL
PHOTOGRAPHIC
STYLE OF THE ERA.

COUNTDOWN TO CONFEDERATION.

George-Étienne Cartier (1814–1873) was one of the first and most ardent supporters of Confederation. A member of Parliament since 1848, Cartier had already co-premiered the Province of Canada with John A. Macdonald, and when Confederation was achieved in 1867, he became Canada's first Minister of Militia and Defence. Cartier also played a key role in bringing western Canada into Confederation, and in laying the legislative framework for the Canadian Pacific Railway, another powerful engine that united the nation from east to west.

This coin features an original portrait of George-Étienne Cartier beautifully engraved in silver and framed by maple leaves, the quintessential symbol of Canada.



ACTUAL SIZE

**2015 \$20 FINE SILVER COIN—
GEORGE-ÉTIENNE CARTIER**

#142691

\$89⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 8,500 coins worldwide.

\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 31.39 g
38 mm | serrated | William Lazos

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FIRST FOUND *ALBERTOSAURUS* SKULL.
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FINAL
COIN IN
THE SERIES.

THE PERFECT GIFT FOR
DINOSAUR AND SCIENCE
ENTHUSIASTS!

RUN FOR DINO!

Dinosaur fans will be scrambling for this coin. Its intricately scaled design has multiple finishes that give the prehistoric star an incredibly lifelike appearance.

The first *Albertosaurus* fossils were discovered in 1884 by Joseph B. Tyrrell, the famed geologist for which Alberta's Royal Tyrrell Museum is named. He found the specimen in the Red Deer River valley near the city of Drumheller.

CANADIAN DINOSAURS SERIES

2015 \$20 FINE SILVER COIN—*ALBERTOSAURUS*

#130634

\$89⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 8,500 coins worldwide.

\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 31.39 g | 38 mm
serrated | Julius Csotonyi

QUICK FIND: mint.ca/Albertosaurus



ACTUAL SIZE

FINAL
COIN IN
THE SERIES.

INDIVIDUALLY OXIDIZED
TO CREATE A UNIQUE
COLOUR EFFECT.
STUNNING IN 99.99%
FINE SILVER AND
NIOBIUM!



WINTER'S FESTIVE FLOWER.

The poinsettia is a cherished plant that comes into full bloom in December to beautify homes, offices, stores and institutions during the holiday season. It originally hails from Mexico and was cultivated by the Aztecs as a gift from the gods. In the early 1800s, Joel Roberts Poinsett, the first US ambassador to Mexico, brought cuttings home to South Carolina. From there, the plant's festive role spread across the continent, ultimately leading to its current name that honours the plant-loving ambassador.

This lovely coin features an innovative minting process that incorporates a niobium insert struck into the coin's silver core. The niobium is selectively coloured using a unique oxidation process produced naturally by niobium's distinct properties. Niobium is used in superalloys, superconducting magnets and is commonly used to strengthen steel. The ability to make unique colours directly from niobium make it an interesting metal for coins.

FLOWERS IN CANADA SERIES

2014 \$5 FINE SILVER COIN—POINSETTIA

#130936

\$139^{95†}

Limited to 6,000 coins worldwide.

\$5 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof (with niobium) | 9 g
28 mm | interrupted serrations | Bert Liverance

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PREVIOUS COINS IN THE SERIES
(#130933 AND #130934).

GIVE THIS COIN AS A CREATIVE TWIST TO THE FLORAL BOUQUET.

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CELEBRATE SNOW!

Snow defines Canada from coast to coast to coast. Whether you prefer to play in it or simply admire the beauty of a snow-covered scene, these two coins bring you the best of winter—just two of 10 Canadian icons that are celebrated with this fabulous 10-coin set.



CANADA'S
SLOPES SKIING



CANADIAN HOLIDAY
SCENE



A SENSATIONAL COLLECTION
PRESENTED IN AN ELEGANT
WOOD CASE FOR A STUNNING
DISPLAY. INCLUDES CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHENTICITY.



DOWN BY THE OLD
MAPLE TREE

MOOSE

NORTHERN LIGHTS

CANADA GOOSE



IGLOO

CANADIAN COWBOY

GRIZZLY BEAR

BISON



ACTUAL SIZE

ENHANCED WITH GOLD PLATE.

2014 \$10 FINE SILVER COIN SET—O CANADA

#130638

\$849⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 1,500 sets worldwide.

\$10 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | matte proof (with gold plate)
15.87 g | 34 mm | serrated

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PAST AND PRESENT COME TOGETHER
IN THIS FASCINATING DESIGN
FEATURING ANCIENT ARTISTIC
TRADITIONS AND A HOLOGRAM.

A LASTING CONNECTION BETWEEN PEOPLE AND THE SEA.

This dynamic and thought-provoking series explores the interconnections that flow within the three natural realms of land, sea and sky; between Canadians and their landscape; and among Canada's multicultural people.

The sea dominates Canada on its eastern, western and northern borders, and this brilliant design by renowned artist Andy Everson reveals how it has influenced his K'ómoks and Kwakwaka'wakw ancestors who lived on the Pacific coast. The centre of the design features the iconic Orca. The Orca lives in a family pod and is a powerful symbol for family throughout the Pacific Northwest. Bubbles and undulating shapes represent the Orca's home, the sea, which is inextricably linked to the moon that encircles the Orca in this design. The ebb and flow of the ocean tides is also represented; a constant rhythmic interconnection that is further enhanced by the blending of all the elements and the ever-changing colours of the hologram.

INTERCONNECTIONS THREE-COIN SERIES
**2014 \$20 FINE SILVER COIN—
SEA: THE ORCA**

#134343

\$114⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 7,500 coins worldwide.

\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof (with hologram)
31.39 g | 38 mm | serrated | Andy Everson

ALSO AVAILABLE:

**2014 \$200 PURE GOLD COIN—
SEA: THE ORCA**

#140537

\$1,299⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 1,500 coins worldwide.

\$200 | fine gold (99.99% pure) | proof | 15.43 g | 29 mm
serrated | Andy Everson

QUICK FIND: mint.ca/Orca



SELECTIVE COLOURING
ENHANCES THE
DESIGN'S FINELY
DETAILED ENGRAVING.

THE INDUSTRIOUS BEAVER.

In the early days of settlement, the beaver was cherished for its fur rather than its amazing construction skills. Today, people head to the wilderness with the hopes of sighting a beaver at work. It's nature's embodiment of the Canadian values of persistence, adaptability and honest, hard work that have been crafted onto this coin in captivating colour.

2015 \$20 FINE SILVER COIN— BEAVER AT WORK

#130637

\$99⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 7,500 coins worldwide.

\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof (with colour)
31.39 g | 38 mm | serrated | John Mardon

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ACTUAL SIZE

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PREMIUM VERSION OF THE BULLION COINS
DESIGNED BY CELEBRATED INUK ARTIST
GERMAINE ARNAKTAUYOK.

MATRON OF THE ICE.

Motherhood is an important job, particularly if you are a polar bear charged with raising your cub in one of the harshest environments in the world—yet another characteristic that makes this great bear a towering icon of the Arctic.

**2015 \$5 FINE SILVER COIN—
POLAR BEAR AND CUB**

#141550

\$89⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 7,500 coins worldwide.

\$5 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 31.39 g
38 mm | serrated | Germaine Arnaktauyok

**2015 \$10 PURE GOLD COIN—
POLAR BEAR AND CUB**

#141559

\$649⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 2,000 coins worldwide.

\$10 | fine gold (99.99% pure) | proof | 7.8 g | 20 mm
serrated | Germaine Arnaktauyok

QUICK FIND: mint.ca/Cub

3RD COIN
IN THE
SERIES.

BEAUTIFULLY
ENHANCED WITH
COLOUR TO
SHOWCASE THE
PLUMAGE AND
YELLOW EYES.



OWLS ON STILTS.

Baby animals are adorable. Young burrowing owls are particularly endearing for their extra-long legs that stick out from beneath their bodies like stilts. It's an adaptation for living on the grasslands, with few trees to perch on. They have evolved to sprint along the ground to capture prey. And without trees for nesting, they have adapted by living underground in abandoned badger, gopher or prairie dog homes. The chicks stay in the den for the first two weeks, but will soon emerge to explore their world and develop their hunting skills. By September, they'll be on their own; flying south to their wintering grounds!

This endearing coin is the ideal keepsake for proud residents of Alberta and Saskatchewan, the last two bastions for one of the most endangered birds in Western Canada.



ACTUAL SIZE

BABY ANIMAL SERIES

2015 \$20 FINE SILVER COIN—BURROWING OWL

#141715

\$99⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 7,500 coins worldwide.

\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof (with colour) | 31.39 g

38 mm | serrated | Arnold Nagy

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IN PRAISE OF NATURE.

No animal embodies the serenity of the forest like the White-tailed Deer. Although it is common throughout most of southern Canada, seeing one remains one of nature's great delights; shown here as a doe with her fawns, or the not-so-tranquil clash between two bucks.

WHITE-TAILED DEER SERIES
**2014 \$20 FINE SILVER COIN—
A DOE AND HER FAWNS**

#130635

\$99⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 7,500 coins worldwide.

\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 31.39 g
38 mm | plain (with edge lettering) | Trevor Tennant

**2015 \$300 PLATINUM COIN—
THE BATTLE**

#130636

\$2,999⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 200 coins worldwide.

\$300 | platinum (99.95% pure) | proof | 31.16 g
30 mm | serrated | Desmond McCaffrey

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RARE 85-MILLIMETRE
COIN IN HALF-KILOGRAM
OF PURE SILVER.

ALL-CANADIAN HORSEPOWER.

Canada's climate and environment are not for the faint of heart. Early settlers knew this well, so when the King of France sent horses to help with the task of building his new colony in 1665, they began a highly regimented breeding practice to ensure the horses would survive the gruelling conditions. The horses rose to the challenge, and with all the character and spirit that has come to define Canada, developed into a distinct breed known for its stalwart yet remarkably easygoing nature.

The original stock of 12 horses grew to 14,000, but by the end of the 1880s, the breed almost disappeared due to relaxed breeding practices. Today, 350 years after its arrival in New France, there are 6,000 Canadian Horses. It is the purest horse breed in North America that was proudly declared the National Horse of Canada (2002) and is also an official heritage breed in the province of Quebec.



HALF-KILOGRAM OF PURE SILVER!

2015 \$125 FINE SILVER COIN—
CANADIAN HORSE

#140613

\$1,099⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 1,000 coins worldwide.

\$125 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof | 500 g | 85.35 mm
serrated | Michelle Grant

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A TOUCHING TRIBUTE TO
THE SACRIFICES MADE AT
TIMES OF WAR.

"WAIT FOR ME, DADDY": PRIVATE JACK BERNARD, B.C.
REGIMENT (DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S OWN RIFLES)
SAYING GOODBYE TO HIS FIVE-YEAR-OLD SON
WARREN. CLAUDE P. DETTLOFF/LAC C-038723

WAIT FOR ME, DADDY!

The image on these coins is perhaps the most famous photograph taken in Canada during the Second World War—a five-year-old boy breaks away from his mother's grasp to run after his father as he marches off to war. It was taken in Westminister (British Columbia) in the autumn of 1940.

Today, some 75 years later, "Wait for me, Daddy!" remains as poignant as ever as Canadians continue to step forward to defend the cause of freedom. Every child longs for family to come home. Every parent worries as they carry on. Every spouse hides apprehension with every brave step they take forward.

Sons and daughters, brothers and sisters, husbands and wives, fathers and mothers—the emotions of war are universal. Regardless of age or place, every person experiences loss. These coins are a powerful tribute to their sacrifice, and a touching expression of gratitude that will last for generations.

2014 \$10 FINE SILVER COIN

#132620

\$59⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 10,000 coins.

\$10 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof (with colour)
15.87 g | 34 mm | serrated | reproduction of
archival photograph by Mint engravers

2014 \$3 FINE SILVER COIN

#132619

\$44⁹⁵ NO GST/HST!*

Limited to 15,000 coins.

\$3 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | matte proof
7.96 g | 27 mm | serrated | reproduction of
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CANADA LOGO!



CANADA'S GAME.

To many Canadians, hockey is so much more than just a game—it's a part of our national identity. As the national governing body for the sport, Hockey Canada has shaped the way the game is played by Canadians of all ages, in arenas across the country.

Originally known as the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association (CAHA), the organization's main purpose during its early days was to oversee the prestigious Allan Cup. As the Association evolved, so too did the game in Canada—regional associations joined, uniform rules were implemented and more tournaments were created. A 1994 merger left Hockey Canada as the single governing body for amateur hockey in Canada. From development programs to high-profile championships, it remains committed to developing young talent and ensuring Canada's hockey tradition is well represented abroad.

This beautiful coin is the perfect gift for hockey fans of all ages, collectors of sports- or hockey-themed memorabilia.



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\$20 | fine silver (99.99% pure) | proof (with enamel) | 31.39 g
38 mm | serrated reproduction of Hockey Canada's logo by Mint engravers

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