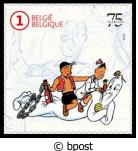
4897/4901 - Spike and Suzy (Suske & Wiske): 75 years - Stamps from F4897/01: (①: v= € 0.98)

Presale: 27/01/2020 Issue: 29/01/2020 — Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 6) — **Print procedure: offset** © bpost - stamps 4897 & 4901: 40 x 40 mm; Format: — stamps 4998 ► 4900: 30 x 40mm; - F4897/01: 190 x 190mm Perforation: 11¹/₂ Paper: GW (FSC)



4897 (1) On the Island of Amoras



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4901 (1) The Planet Eater



4898 (1) The treasure of Beersel



4899 (1) The sound tapper

4897/01 (1)



4900 (1) The hijackers



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 4902/4906 - Iconic Belgian stamps - Stamps from block BL285: (②: v= € 1.96)
 2020

 Presale: 27/01/2020 Issue: 29/01/2020 — Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 10 - 11) —

 Print procedure: combined intaglio & heliography
 Perforation: 11½
 © bpost

 Format:
 — stamps: 38.15 x 48.75mm; — block BL285: 225 x 137mm
 Paper: GW (FSC)



4902 ② HM King Leopold I - type 'Epaulettes'



4903 (2) HM King Albert I with Helmet (Liberation Stamps)



4904 (2) The 'Reversed Dendermonde'



Discus Thrower: Commemorative Issue for the VII Olympic Games in Antwerp



4906 2 HM King Leopold III – type 'Poortman'

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4902/4906 - Iconic Belgian stamps - Block BL285: (②: v= € 1.96)

 Presale:
 27/01/2020
 Issue:
 29/01/2020
 — Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 10 - 11) —

 Print procedure:
 combined intaglio & heliography
 Perforation:
 11½
 ©

 Format:
 — stamps:
 38.15 x 48.75mm;
 Paper:
 GW (FSC)
 ©

 – block BL285:
 225 x 137mm

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block **BL285** (2)



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4907 / 4911 - Nature geometry: the pentagon - Stamps from block BL286: ((1)EUROPE: v=€1.55)

 Presale:
 27/01/2020
 Issue: 29/01/2020

 Print procedure:
 offset
 - Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 10 - 11) - © bpost

 - stamps 4907 & 4909 > 4911: 40 x 30mm;
 - stamp 4908: 40 x 60mm;
 © bpost

 - block BL286: 225 x 150mm
 - block BL286: 225 x 150mm
 - block BL286: 225 x 150mm

 Perforation:
 11½
 - GW (FSC)
 - Stamp 4908: 40 × 60mm;



4907 (1) E Pyrite - The Arkenstone -© iRocks.com



4909 ① E Platycodon grandiflorus - Balloon plant -© T. Toe Thane Photography



4908 (1) E The Pentagons in Nature: Collection



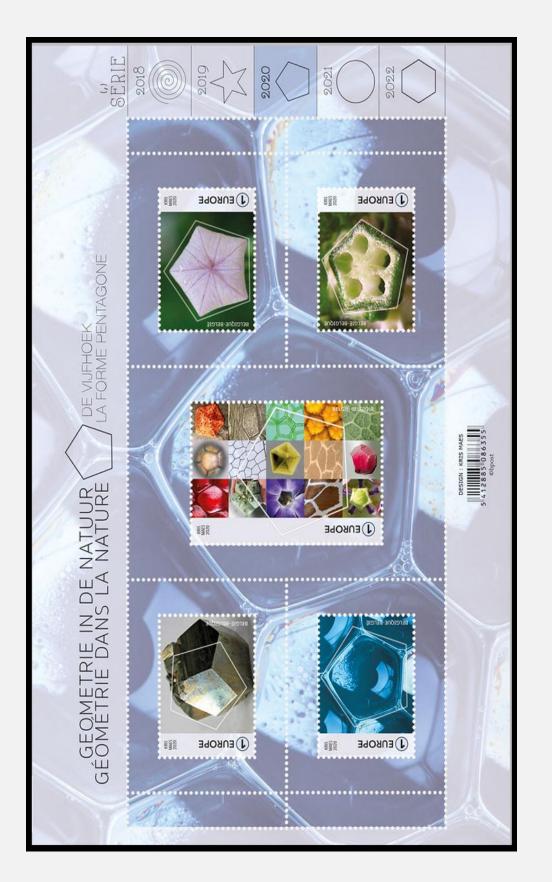
4911 ① E Cross section of okra



4910 (1) **E** soap foam

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4907 / 4911 - Nature geometry: the pentagon - Block BL286: (①EUROPE: v=€1,55)



4912 - Birds: Barnacle Goose - Stamp from V10-4912: (AR: v=€5.67) (recommendation stamp)

Presale: 27/01/2020	Issue: 29/01/2020		
Print procedure: offset		— Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 21) —	© bpost
	24.40mm; 155mm		
Perforation: 11 ¹ / ₂			
Paper: GW (FSC)			



4912 AR Barnacle Goose - *(Branta leucopsis)*

Note 1 : Stamps **4913** ► **4917**: see next page

Note 2: From 14/03/20 to 28/8/20, the presales of all stamps were canceled due to the Corona virus.

 4918 - King Philippe turns 60 - Stamp from V10-4918: (①: v= € 0.98)
 2020

 Planned presale: 14/03/2020
 Issue: 16/03/2020

 Print procedure: offset
 — Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 17) — © bpost

 Format:
 — stamp: 35 x 35mm; — V10-4918: 165 x 216mm

 Perforation:
 11½

 Paper: GW (FSC)
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4918 ① King Filip

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4913/4917 - Masterful painters: Jan van Eyck - Stamps from block BL287: **R427:** (①WORLD: v= € 1.77)

Planned presale: 14/03/2020

Issue: 16/03/2020

Print procedure: offset

— stamp 4913: 28 x 40mm; — stamps 4914 & 4915: 25 x 38mm; Format:

- Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 14 15) © bpost
- stamps 4916 & 4917: 30 x 42mm;
- block BL287: 193 x 155mm

Perforation: 13

Paper: P-P6a: self-adhesive layer applied to backing paper remark: first block of stamps with a self-adhesive layer applied to backing paper



4914 (1) W Portrait of Margareta van Eyck © www.lukasweb.be - Art in Flanders vzw



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4915 (1) W Man with the blue hood © Brukenthal Nationaal Museum -



4913 (1) W Detail Lamb of God - God on the throne © www.lukasweb.be - Art in Flanders vzw



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4916 (1) W Madonna at the fountain © www.lukasweb.be - Art in Flanders vzw



4917 (1) W Madonna with Canon Joris van der Paele

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4913 / 4917 - Masterful painters: Jan van Eyck - block BL287: unfolded: (①WORLD: v=€1,77)

Issue: 16/03/2020

Planned presale: 14/03/2020

Print procedure: offset

Format: — stamp 4913: 28 x 40mm; — stamps 4914 & 4915: 25 x 38mm; Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 14 - 15) — © bpost
 stamps 4916 & 4917: 30 x 42mm;

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— block BL287: 193 x 155mm

Perforation: 13

Paper: P-P6a: self-adhesive layer applied to backing paper remark: first block of stamps with a self-adhesive layer applied to backing paper

block BL286 (unfolded) 1 W



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de integrale triptiek 'Lam Gods' - Speciale kapvorm © www.lukasweb.be - Art in Flanders vzw

	4913 / 4917 - Masterful painters: Jan van half unfolded: (①WORLD: v	•	2020
Planned presale:	14/03/2020 Issue: 16/03/2020		
Print procedure:	offset	— Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 14 - 15) —	© bpost
Format:	— stamp 4913: 28 x 40mm; — stamps 4914 & 4915: 25 x 38mm;	— stamps 4916 & 4917: 30 x 42mm; — block BL287: 193 x 155mm	
Perforation:	13		
Paper:	P-P6a: self-adhesive layer applied to backing	j paper	
remark:	first block of stamps with a self-adhesive layer app block BL286 (half up		



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The integral triptych 'Lamb of God' - Special folder shape © www.lukasweb.be - Art in Flanders vzw

4919/4923 - Belgian tradition: Pigeon sport in the spotlight 2020 Stamps from block BL288: (① WORLD: v= € 1.77) 2020 Planned presale: 14/03/2020 Issue: 16/03/2020 © bpost Print procedure: offset — Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 18 -19) — — stamp 4919 & 4921 > 4923: 40 x 30mm; Format: — stamp 4920: 40 x 50mm; — block BL288: 186 x 152mm Perforation: 11½ Paper: GW (FSC)



4919 ① W homing pigeon © www.lukasweb.be - Art in Flanders vzw



 $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{4921} \quad \textcircled{1} \ \textbf{W} \\ \textbf{Soldier on a dovecote unloading homing pigeons (De Panne, during WW I)} \end{array}$



4920 (1) W Pigeon 'Armando' © Pipa / Pigeon Photography



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4922 ① W Prize card pigeons of couple Georges Bolle -Vanslembrouck Denise from 1987.© westhoekverheeldt be



4923 (1) W pigeon fancier © animal archive Mendop



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The elements of pigeon racing presented including Cher Ami pigeon and Lo pigeon tower

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4924 - 75 years of the United Nations: fighting for peace - Stamp from V5-4924: (①WORLD: v= € 1.77)

Planned presale: 14/03/2020 Issue:	16/03/2020
Print procedure: offset	— Philanews N°. 1 / 2020 (p. 20) — © bpost
— stamp: 40 x 30mm; Format: — V5-4924: 170 x 166mm	note: in Philanews: stamp: 60 x 30mm
Perforation: 11½ Paper: GW (FSC)	=> issued stamp & V5-4924 are different than stated in Philanews

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4924 (1) W logo + United Nations building in New York

4925 - Birds: The common goldeneye - Stamp from V10-4925: (AR : v= € 1.35) 2020			
Planned presale: 14/03/2020	Issue: 16/03/2020		
Print procedure: offset	— Philanews N°.	1 / 2020 (p. 21) — © bpost	
	8mm; 168mm		
Perforation: 11 ¹ / ₂			
Paper: GW (FSC)			
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4925 AR The Goldeneye - *(Bucephala clangula)*

4926 / 4930 - Promotion of philately: Squares of Liège - Stamps from block BL289: 2020 ((1):v=€0.98) Issue: 15/06/2020 Planned presale: 13/06/2020 - Philanews N°. 2 / 2020 (p. 4 - 5) -Print procedure: combined intaglio & heliography © bpost - stamps 4928+4930: 55.32 x 40.20mm; Format: - stamp 4929: 82.98 x 40.20mm; - block BL289: 220 x 150mm © bpost Perforation: 11¹/₂ 4611 Paper: GW (FSC)

In Y2016 there was also an edition with the Liège-Guillemins station



Le Perron

4929 ① the Town Hall **4927** (1) Saint Bartholomew's Church



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4928 ① The 'Opéra Royal de Wallonie'



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The Palace of the Prince-Bishops

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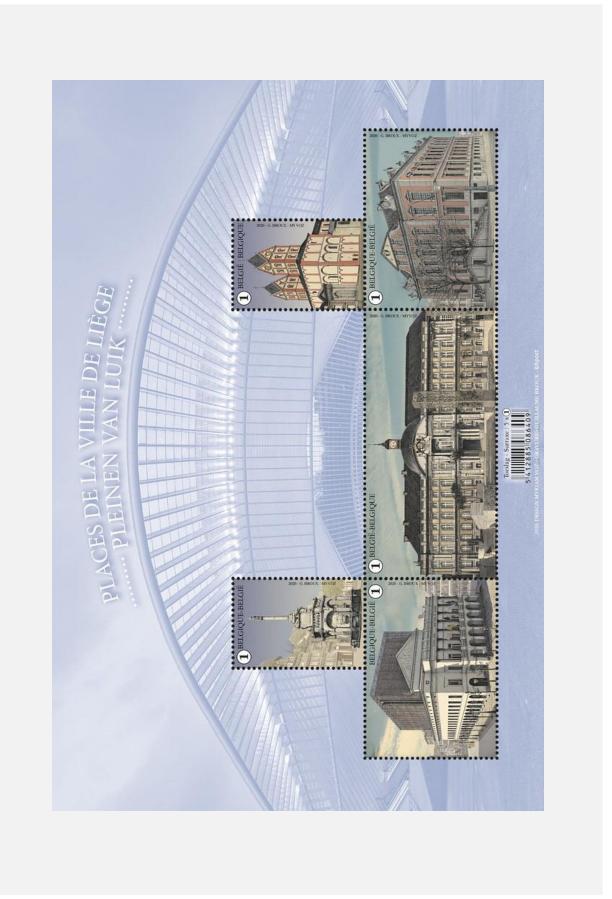
4926 / 4930 - Promotion of philately: Squares of Liège - Block BL289:

(①: v=€0.98 + €4.90 surcharge)

Liege-Guillemins station

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block BL289 ①



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4926 / 4930 - Promotion of philately: Squares of Liège - Block BL289:

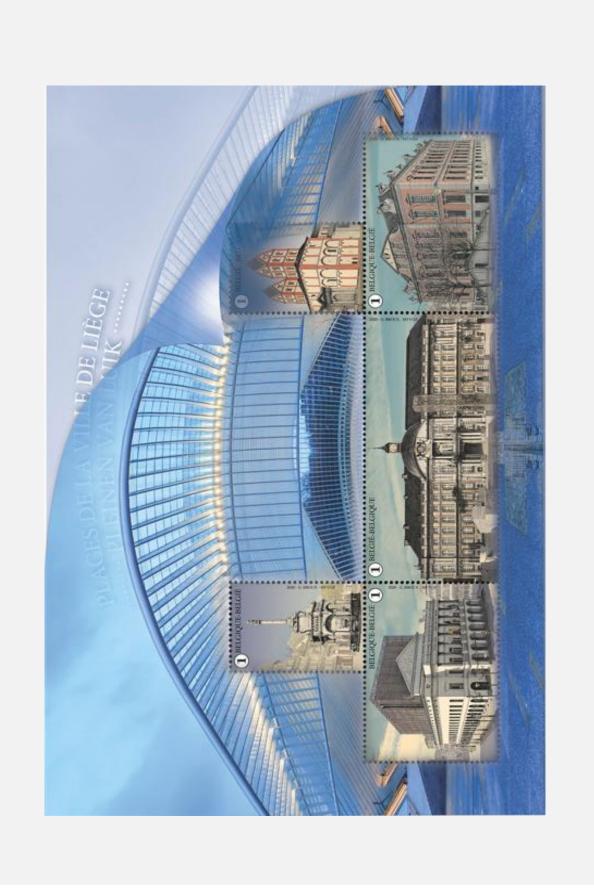
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Liege-Guillemins station

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block **BL289** ①





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4931 / 4932 - Europe issue: Old postal routes - Stamps from block BL290: (③EUROPE: v=€4.65)

Planned presale: 13/06/2020

Issue: 15/06/2020

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Print procedure: offset





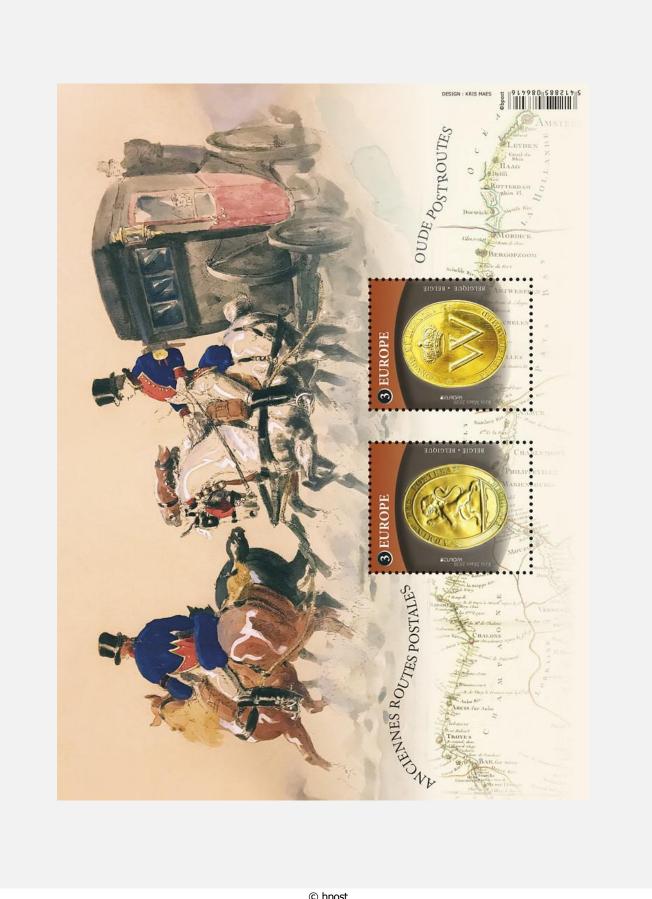


4932 ③ E badge with registration number "W" of a Belgian postman on foot from the period 1815-1830 (Dutch period)

4931 / 4932 - Europe issue: Old postal routes - Block BL290: (③EUROPE: v=€4,65)

characteristics : see previous page

block BL290 ③ E



4933 - 2020 Summer Olympics: Fast, Higher, Stronger - stamp from V5-4933: 2020 ((1)WORLD: v=€1.77)

Planned presale: 13/06/2020

Issue: 15/06/2020

Print procedure: offset

— Philanews N°. 2 / 2020 (p. 10 - 11) — © bpost

Format: — stamp: 60 x 30mm; — V5-4933: 200 x 165mm Perforation: 11¹/₂ Paper: GW (FSC)



4933 (1) W Silhouettes of the Runners with Logo & Japanese Shinto Gate

4934 - Connection of the football - Stamp from V5-4934: (① EUROPE: v=€1.55) 2020 Issue: 15/06/2020 Planned presale: 13/06/2020 - Philanews N°. 2 / 2020 (p. 12 - 13) -© bpost **Print procedure: offset** Format: — stamp: 30 x 60mm; — V5-4937: 170 x 130mm Perforation: 11¹/₂ Paper: GW (FSC) © bpost 2014 1 EUROPE 6F - Soccer player In Y1981 was there also an issue for the 100th anniversary of football m \mathbf{m} m. AM

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4934 (1) E Football field graphically presented with 3 football scarves with Belgian tricolor

4935 / 4939 - The Europa's "The big 5" - Stamps from block BL291: (②: v=€1.96)

Print procedure: offset

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        Format:
        — stamp 4935: 40 x 60mm; — stamp 4936: 70 x 40mm; — stamps 4937/38: 30 x 60mm;

        Format:
        — stamp 4939: 70 x 30mm; — block BL91: 220 x 165mm

        Perforation:
        11½

        Paper:
        GW (FSC)
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4935 (2) Wisent (European wood bison) - (*Bison bonasus*)



4936 (2) European brown bear - (Ursus arctos arctos)



4939 (2) Glutton or wolverine - (Gulo gulo)



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4938 2 Wolf - *(Canis lupus)*



4937 (2) Eurasian lynx *- (Lynx lynx)*



4940 / 4944 - Religious Heritage: Abbeys and Monasteries -				2020		
Planned presale:		lock BL292: (②: v=€1,9 Issue: 31/08/2020		s N°. 3 / 2020 (p	og. 6 - 7) —	© bpost
Format: Perforation:	combined intaglio — stamps : 27.66 — block BL292: 13 11½ GW (FSC)	x 40.20mm;	Already publis	hed in the past: archite 366 in Y1933 © bpost 514 in Y1939	2 ²⁷ 1592	in Y1971 in Y1978
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		4940 ② Chevetogne	4941 ② Postel			
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4942 ② Zevenkerken





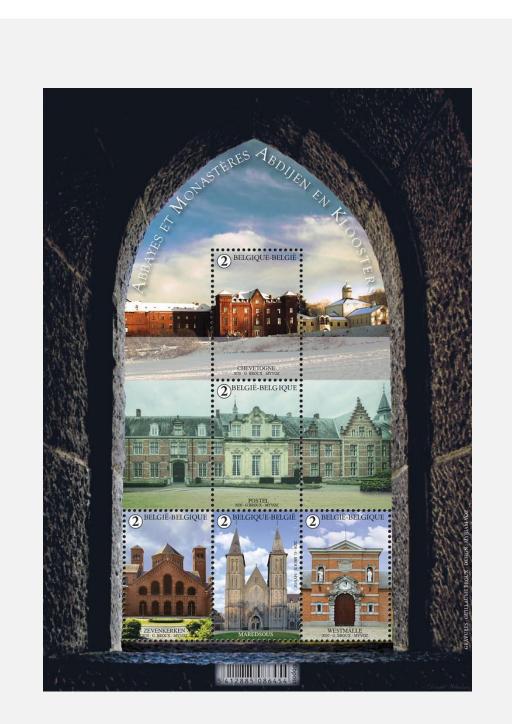




4940 / 4944 -Religious Heritage: Abbeys and Monasteries - Block BL292: (②: v=€1,96) **2020**

Planned presale: 28/08/2020 Issue: 31/08/2020 — Philanews N°. 3 / 2020 (pg. 6 - 7) — © bpost

block **BL292** (2)



4946 / 4950 - The roaring twenties - Stamp from block BL293: (②: v=€1.96)

Issue: 31/08/2020

2020

Planned presale: 28/08/2020 Print procedure: offset

- Philanews N°. 3 / 2020 (p. 12 - 13) -© bpost

Format: — stamps: 30 x 40mm; — block BL293: 226 x 156mm Perforation: 11¹/₂ Paper: GW (FSC)



4946 (2) flapper



4947 (2) Architect's house Léon Stynen



4948 (2) Rise of the car in the streets

see also in Y2006 dance subject of 5 stamps











4946 / 4950 - The roaring twenties - Block BL293: (2): v=€1,96)

Issue: 31/08/2020

Planned presale: 28/08/2020

Print procedure: offset

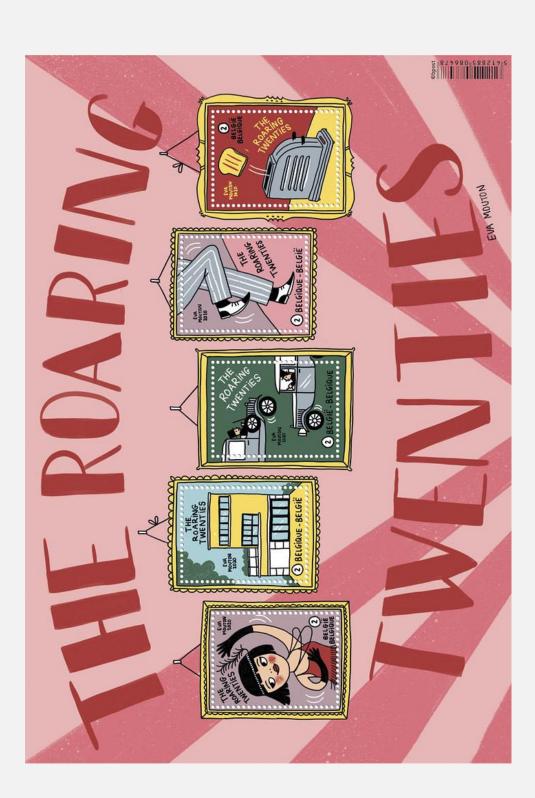
— Philanews N°. 3 / 2020 (p. 12 - 13) — © bpost

 Perforation: 11½

 Paper: GW (FSC)

Format: — stamps: 30 x 40mm; — block BL293: 226 x 156mm

block **BL293** ②



4951 / 4960 - Ten different garden visitors - Booklet B172 with 50 stamps: 2020 ((1): v=€0.92) Issue: 31/08/2020 Planned presale: 28/08/2020 - Philanews N°. 3 / 2020 (p. 14) -Print procedure: offset © bpost Format: — booklet B172 (folded): 160 x 75mm; — booklet B172 (opened): 160 x 450mm Perforation: 10 Paper: P-P6a: self-adhesive layer applied to backing paper **4951** (1) **4952** (1) 4953 ① 4954 (1) 4955 ① Barn Owl Multicolored Eurasian collared dove Hedgehog red squirrel Asianladybeetle (Erinaceus europaeus) (Tyto alba) (Sciurus vulgaris) (Streptopelia decaocto) (Harmonia axyridis) BELGIQUE-BELGI 1 1 1 1 BELGIOUE-BELGI 1 1 1 © bpost 4956 ① **4957** (1) **4958** (1) **4959** (1) **4960** (1) Wild rabbit edible frog European honey bee house sparrow European robin (Oryctolagus cuniculus) (Erithacus rubecula) (Apis mellifera) (Pelophylax kl. Esculentus) (Passer domesticus)

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Planned presale: 28/08/2020

Issue: 31/08/2020

Print procedure: offset

- Philanews N°. 3 / 2020 (p. 10 - 11) - © bpost





4961 - An Ode to Vulnerability - stamp from V10-4961: (①: v=€0.98)

Issue: 26/10/2020

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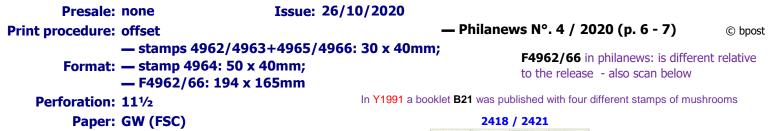


4961 (1) "Walburga" 16 november '18, 2019

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4962 / 4966 - Special mushrooms - Stamps from F4962/66: (①: v=€0.98)







4962 (1) Yellow nest fungus?? - (Crucibulum crucibuliforme)



4963 (1) latticed stinkhorn - (Clathrus ruber)



4966 ① octopus stinkhorn - (Calocera viscosa)







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4963/64 ①



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4967 / 4971 - Striking cemeteries - Stamps from block BL294: (2): v=€1.96)

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Presale: none Issue: 26/10/2020 Print procedure: combined intaglio & heliography — stamps 4967/4970: 29 x 37mm; Format: — stamps 4971: 58 x 37mm; — block BL282: 225 x 165mm Perforation: 11½ Paper: GW (FSC)

— Philanews N°. 4 / 2020 (p. 8 - 9)

The dimensions of the stamps on block **BL294** from bpost do not correspond to reality or else the dimensions of the block on the one hand, the stamps are wrong!



4967 (2) The grave of composer Franz De Vos in Ghent (Campo Santo)



4968 (2) The Goblet d'Alviella mausoleum in Court-Saint-Etienne -



4971 (2) Entrance to the cemetery in Bergen



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4969 (2) The Thinker (Rodin) in Brussels (Laeken)



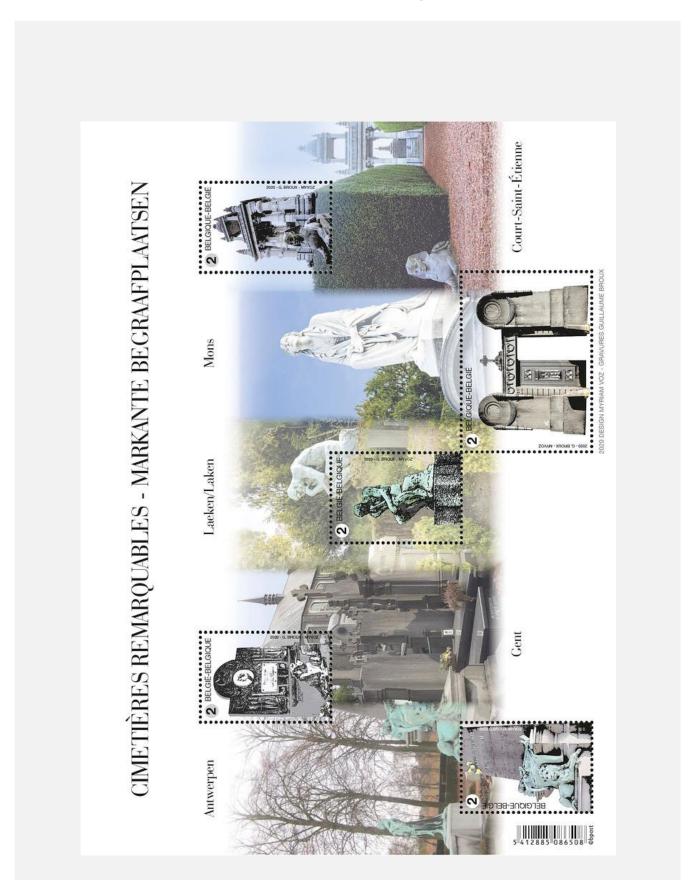
4970 (2) The grave of H. Conscience in Antwerp (Schoonselhof)

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4967 / 4971 - Striking cemeteries - Block BL294: (②: v=€1,96)

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4972 / 4973 - Speculaas - Stamps from F4972/73: (①: v=€0.98)



Wooden speculaas cookie mold with St-Nicolas figure and cinnamon sticks



Speculaas with St-Nicolas figure and gingerbread spices

4972 / 4973 - Speculaas - More explanation about the information given in Philanews N°. 4 / 2020 (page 11) for the stamps from F4972/73: (①: v=€0.98)

 Presale:
 none
 Issue:
 26/10/2020

 Print procedure:
 offset
 - Philanews N°. 4 / 2020 (p. 11) © bpost

 Format:
 - stamps:
 27.66 x 48mm; - F4972/73: 165 x 200mm
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 Perforation:
 11½
 © bpost

 Paper:
 GW (FSC)
 © bpost

Facts:

"Speculaas" or "speculoos", are they the same thing? The answer is... no!

"Speculaas" and "speculoos" are two different biscuits. The difference is in the flavourings that are used. Speculaas spices are used in "speculaas" (a mixture of cinnamon, cloves, ginger powder, nutmeg, cardamom and white pepper). Other spices are sometimes added as well, a bit depending on who is preparing the mix. "Speculoos" means that the biscuit is made **without** spices. Usually candy syrup or burnt sugar is used for the colour and often cinnamon for the taste and smell, but no other spices.

In **the Netherlands**, "**speculaas**" is usually eaten, in **Belgium** "**speculoos**". Spices used to be cheaper in the past in **the Netherlands**, thanks to their colonies in the Far East. Therefore, in **Belgium**, the cheaper variant without the speculaas spices is usually made.

In **French**, only the word "**spéculoos**" exists for both biscuits. There is no distinction between '**speculaas**' and '**speculoos**'.

Presently both are prepaires and consumed as well in Belgium as in the Netherlands

Note:

However, **Philanews No. 4 / 2020 (page 11)** (Dutch language version) only mentions "**speculaas**" and not "**speculoos**". **The explanation is intended for "speculaas**".

As already mentioned, 'spéculoos' is only mentioned for both products in French.

In the French-language 'Philanews', however, the explanation is only for the '**speculaas**' with added spices - there referred to as **'spéculoos**'.

In English, however, there is no translation for both cookies just "spiced biscuit", "brown spiced biscuit", "gingerbread", "ginger coockies" or the like.

This is in fact a filled cake with almond paste, nothing to do with the well-known speculaas or speculoos.

Speculaas' from Hasselt (Hasselt is the capital of province Limburg)

Speculoos would then again be a typical Belgian term. In Hasselt, however, they call it 'Hasselt speculaas'. Like ours, this speculaas is known for being a bit thicker, more tender and less spicy.



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4974 / 4975 - Christmas Stamps - Animals in the Snow: **Booklets B173** ((1): v = €0.98) and B174 ((1)E: v = €1.55)

Issue: 26/10/2020

Presale: none

Print procedure: offset

Format:

- booklets B173 & B174: 60 x 163.4mm

Perforation: partially toothless, partially toothed T=10

Paper: P-P6a: self-adhesive layer applied to backing paper

booklet B173

Silhouette of a reindeer on a red background filled with snowflakes





lettre normalisée 0-50g : 1x ①- lettre non normalisée 0-100g : 2x ① norm. zending 0-50gr. : 1x(1) - niet genorm. zending 0-100gr. : 2x(1) ae





4974b (1)

top & right toothless

4974a (1)

top & left toothless

booklet B174

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Silhouette of a reindeer on a green background filled with snowflakes and Christmas balls

4975 ① E top toothless	4975 ① E top toothless
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4975a (1) E top & left toothless

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