

2017 1 oz Silver Australian Koala (Rooster Privy)



Privy mark celebrating 2017 as the Year of the Rooster

Perth Mint's "P" mintmark

A koala seated at the base of a tree

1 oz .999 fine Silver

Ian Rank-Broadley likeness of Queen Elizabeth II

Initials of the designer

\$1 face value (AUD)

Since 2007, the Silver Australian Koala has been a popular series worldwide. Each year features a new design of a koala, making this a perfect collectible. The koala is often considered the national animal of Australia, and these coins pay tribute to the beloved creature. Additionally, this 2017 edition features a small rooster privy, coinciding with 2017 being the Lunar Year of the Rooster.

The Perth Mint was established as a branch of the Royal Mint of London in 1899, after the opening of sister mints in Sydney and Melbourne. It remained under the jurisdiction of the Royal Mint until 1970. In the mid-1980s, the Perth Mint ceased production of circulating coins. Since then, the mint has produced Proof and bullion coins including the Gold Kangaroos, Platinum Platypus and of course Silver Koalas.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Perth Mint is known for its high-quality bullion and beautiful designs.
- Special privy mark adds unique 2017 collectible appeal.
- Yearly changing designs add collectibility to this bullion release.
- Coins come in a plastic capsule.

SPECIFICATIONS

ACTUAL SILVER WEIGHT: 1 troy oz

PURITY: .999 fine Silver

FACE VALUE: \$1 AUD

MANUFACTURER: The Perth Mint

DIAMETER: 40.6 mm

THICKNESS: 2.98 mm

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