

Birds of Britain - (1st Series) - FS 2



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Date Issued (or EKD)	Machine			Date Code	Values	Description	Remarks	Mint	FDC
	Type	No.	Location						
17-Sep-10	Walsall		Tallents House	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Issued on RM FDC and in un-numbered Presentation Pack. Printed totally in Gravure by Walsall. Datastring: 002010 9 51840 01	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Goldfinch			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Wood Pigeon			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Robin			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	House Sparrow			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Starling			
									
17-Sep-10	Wincor-Nixdorf		Nationwide	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Collectors Strip Issued from a limited number of PO with WN machines (Approx. 30)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Goldfinch			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Wood Pigeon			
					Worldwide - Up to 10g	Robin			
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	House Sparrow			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Starling			
									
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					1st Large - Up to 100g	House Sparrow			
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Starling			
17-Sep-10	Wincor-Nixdorf		Nationwide	-	Europe - Up to 20g	Blue Tit	Issued from a limited number of PO with WN machines (Approx. 30)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
					Europe - Up to 20g	Goldfinch			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Wood Pigeon			
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17-Sep-10	Wincor-Nixdorf	Autumn Stampex 2010	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Collectors Strip Only issued at Autumn Stampex 2010. 17 & 18-Sep-10 Wincor-Nixdorf Machine Datastring: 002010 9	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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				1st Class - Up to 100g	Starling				
									
17-Sep-10	Wincor-Nixdorf	Autumn Stampex 2010	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Only issued at Autumn Stampex 2010. 17 & 18-Sep-10 Wincor-Nixdorf Machine Datastring: 002012 9	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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17-Sep-10	Wincor-Nixdorf	Autumn Stampex 2010	-	Worldwide - Up to 10g	Blue Tit	Only issued at Autumn Stampex 2010. 17 & 18-Sep-10 Wincor-Nixdorf Machine Datastring: 002012 9	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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				Worldwide - Up to 20g	Robin				
				Worldwide - Up to 20g	House Sparrow				
				Worldwide - Up to 20g	Starling				
25-Feb-12	Wincor-Nixdorf	Cambridge (008113)	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Only issued from Cambridge (008113) Wincor-Nixdorf machine. One roll of 1500 was loaded in the machine during the last week of January	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
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				Worldwide - Up to 40g	Starling				
									
<p><i>Worldwide to 40g also seen at Truro (002555)</i></p>									
31-Mar-14	Wincor-Nixdorf	Cardiff & Harrogate PO	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Only seen from Cardiff PO (026111) and Harrogate PO (020323) Wincor-Nixdorf machine.	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
				1st Large - Up to 100g	Goldfinch				
				Europe - Up to 20g	Wood Pigeon				
				Europe - Up to 60g	Robin				
				Worldwide - Up to 20g	House Sparrow				
				Worldwide - Up to 60g	Starling				
									
<p><i>Generally only singles have been seen, but a Collector Strip has been seen from Harrogate.</i></p>									

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Feb-12	Wincor -Nixdorf		See Remarks	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Puffin	Only seen for a short time. By error?? The City of London PO (030003)
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Gannet	
					Europe - Up to 20g	Oystercatcher	
					Worldwide	Ringed Plover	
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	Cormorant	
					Worldwide - Up to 40g	Arctic Tern	

Mint	FDC
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After upgrading machines to produce the smaller service indicator, some machines experienced software glitches resulting in the unintentional part reversion to the larger typeface, or a semi corrupted version of it. Also, the "up to 10g" is missing from the Worldwide up to 10g.

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Branch Code	Address
002313	33 Silver St., Durham, Co Durham
002555	High Cross, Truro, Cornwall
002832	47 St. Vincent St., Glasgow, Lanarkshire
003009	111 Baker St., Marylebone, London W1
003129	22-23 Westgate Shopping Centre, Stevenage, Hertfordshire
003824	8-10 St. James Centre, Edinburgh, Midlothian
005006	Unit 6, West End Quay, 4 Praed St., Paddington, London W2
005349	22 Lendal, York, N. Yorkshire
006134	42-44 Smiths Lane Mall, Arndale Centre, Luton, Bedfordshire
007113	9-11 St. Andrews St., Cambridge, Cambridgeshire
007227	Queen St., Nottingham, Nottinghamshire
008539	5 St. Andrews Cross, Plymouth, Devon
009013	High St., Croydon, Surrey
009109	17-19 Crown Walk, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire
009140	199-201 High St., Southend-on-Sea, Essex
009420	India Building, Water St., Liverpool, Merseyside
010116	68-70 North Hill, Colchester, Essex
010242	Darwall St., Walsall, Staffordshire
010937	Slindon Street, Portsmouth, Hampshire
011704	12-16 Bridge St., Belfast, Antrim
012311	Victoria St., Grimsby, Lincs
013201	1 Pinfold St., Birmingham, W. Midlands
015010	Trafalgar Sq. P.O., 24-28 William IV St., Covent Garden, London, WC2
019136	84-85 Castle Meadow Walk, Castle Mall, Norwich, Norfolk
020323	11 Cambridge Rd., Harrogate, N. Yorkshire
020511	The Galleries Shopping Centre, 13 Castle Gallery, Broadmead, Bristol, Avon
021519	28 Bedford St., Exeter, Devon
026611	45-46 Queens Arcade, Queen St., Cardiff, S. Glamorgan
028003	205 Old St., City of London, EC1
030003	12 Eastcheap, City of London, EC3
242007	2a Tudor St., Ludgate Circus, City of London EC4

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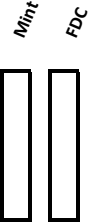
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Sep-14	NCR		See Below	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Blue Tit	Collectors Strip
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Goldfinch	
					Euro 20g / World 10g	Wood Pigeon	
					Europe - Up to 100g	Robin	
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	House Sparrow	
					Worldwide - Up to 100g	Starling	



Only seen for a short time. By error?? At:-
Windsor PO (008946-70) Sept-14
Harrogate PO (682323-67) 20-Aug-20

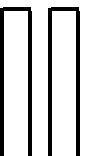


01-Sep-20	NCR		See below	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	None	Collector Strip Issued from POs with NCR machines New rates for Overseas Europe up to 100g and Worldwide up to 20g Worldwide up to 100g Zones 1 - 3 Worldwide up to 100g Zone 2
					1st Large - Up to 100g		
					Euro 20g / World 10g		
					Euro 100g / World 20g		
					World 100g / Zone 1-3		
					World 100g / Zone 2		



First appearance of new overseas rates
World 100g Zone 1-3 not available as singles only as part of collector strip
World 100g Zone 2 not available as singles only as part of collector strip

Only seen for a short time. By error?? At:-
Penzance PO (435555-67) 12-Sep-20



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Mint
FDC

02-Jan-21	NCR	See below	-	1st Class - Up to 100g 1st Large - Up to 100g Euro 100g / World 20g Worldwide up to 100g Europe Large 100g Worldwide Large 100g	None	Collector Strip Issued from POs with NCR machines New tariff
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Only seen for a short time. By error?? At:-
Harrogate PO (682323-67) 11-Mar-21

