

## AMERICAN EAGLE SILVER BULLION COINS

Authorized by Congress in 1985 and first minted in 1986, Silver Eagles are .999 fine silver, the finest silver coins ever issued by the United States. Each coin contains a full troy ounce of silver, plus copper, which is added to increase the coin's durability to help resist scratching and marring.

Often considered one of the most beautiful coins ever minted, the Silver Eagle's design is based on A.A. Weinman's "Walking Liberty," introduced on the 1917 silver half-dollar. An eagle and shield, displaying American strength and pride, backs this moving scene of freedom.

## GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE

American Eagle Silver Bullion Coins are America's only official investment-grade silver bullion coins. They're the world's only silver bullion coins whose weight, content and purity are guaranteed by the United States Government. So like the dollar, American Eagles are welcome in major investment markets worldwide. You can even include them in an Individual Retirement Account (IRA).

## PORTFOLIO DIVERSIFICATION

Many investment experts believe that adding silver to your portfolio may improve its performance. That's because the forces that determine silver's price usually differ from, and in many cases counter, the forces that determine the price of many financial assets. Investment advisors often suggest that this relationship may help to reduce portfolio volatility. Silver Eagles are the easy, convenient and affordable way to add silver to your portfolio.

## EASY TO BUY AND SELL

One measure of an investment is liquidity: How easily can it be converted to cash? Silver Eagles, with their unique U.S. Government backing, can be sold for cash at most coin and precious metals dealers worldwide. They're also legal tender. Their one-dollar face value is largely symbolic, because silver's market price — which is reported in the market pages and Web sites of major newspapers — has historically been higher.

Buy Silver Eagles at most coin and precious metals dealers, as well as many brokerage houses and participating banks. They sell at silver's prevailing market price, plus a small premium to cover coinage and distribution costs. And because silver is typically the lowest-priced precious metal, Silver Eagles are affordable for nearly every investor.

## AMERICAN EAGLE SILVER BULLION COIN SPECIFICATIONS



One Ounce  
Silver Obverse

Content	Weight	Diameter	Thickness
Silver - 0.999 Troy Ounce 31.072 Grams*	1.000 Troy Ounces 31.103 Grams	1.598" 40.60mm	0.117" 2.98mm

One Ounce  
Silver Reverse



\* Balance of silver bullion consists of copper.  
Coins shown are not actual size.



# INVEST IN AMERICAN EAGLE SILVER BULLION COINS FROM THE UNITED STATES MINT, TODAY

Founded in 1792, the United States Mint is a bureau of the U.S. Department of the Treasury. The official mint of the U.S. Government, it makes the nation's circulating legal-tender coinage, and it is regarded worldwide for its meticulous craftsmanship. It also produces various commemorative and bullion coin issues. American Eagle Silver Bullion Coins are minted to demand in West Point, New York.

Invest in an American tradition. A portfolio diversifier. A great gift or reward. Invest in American Eagle Silver Bullion Coins today. Choose Eagles First.

ALSO AVAILABLE — American Eagle Gold and Platinum Bullion Coins



Gold



Platinum



## BULLION COINS

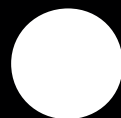


# WHEN YOU INVEST IN SILVER, CHOOSE EAGLES FIRST

Discovered after gold and copper around 4000 B.C., silver has long been used in jewelry and as a medium of exchange. Americans have always held a passion for silver, first minting it in 1792 into dollar coins. Most recently, silver — in the form of bullion coins — has become an investment option.

When you invest in silver, choose the bullion coins that feature the very symbol of our nation's freedom — the American Eagle. Choose American Eagle Silver Bullion Coins, the number one silver bullion coins in the world, from the United States Mint.

Historically, silver has been the most affordable precious metal. Silver Eagles act as building blocks for precious metals investment. They increase your portfolio's diversity by bringing balance because their value often moves independently of stocks and bonds. They offer liquidity, meaning they're easy to buy and sell. And in this fast-paced world of electronic investing, Silver Eagles are tangible investments whose beauty and artistry you can literally enjoy in the palm of your hand. They also make affordable, thoughtful gifts.



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