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Signature Auction 29

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FOREWORD

A note from our founder

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to Signature Auction 29, a sale that ranges from the gold of the Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek to the proof Krugerrands and modern South African Mint issues that collectors still chase today.

Among the highlights are a 2002 Krugerrand proof commemorative Veldpond set, the 1890 Griqua Town penny pattern, the 1898 Sammy Marks penny, a 1900 gold Pond, and the 1902 Veld Pond. Around them sit proof gold of the Republic, Union and Rhodesian issues, Clegg banknotes, and a run of certified ZAR silver.

Our Signature Auctions are reserved for material we believe deserves particular attention. Every lot in this catalogue has been photographed from the tracking set and given an auctioneer's note, so you can bid with a clear picture of what is on offer.

Whether you are filling a long-standing gap or meeting a piece for the first time, I trust you will find something here to excite you. On behalf of the entire team at Bassani's Auction House, I wish you the very best of luck on sale day.

Dillon Bassani

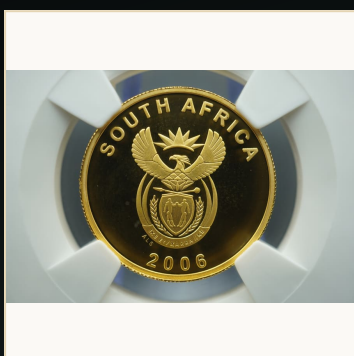
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FEATURED LOTS

Signature highlights

Selected gold, ZAR rarities and important pieces from Signature Auction 29.



LOT 1

2006 S.Africa Soccer World Cup Logo 1/4oz Gold (PF70)

1/4oz .999 Gold.



LOT 10

2002 S.Africa Krugerrand Proof Commemorative Veldpond Set

2.1oz of .999 Gold. SN: 0113. In Original SA Mint Box. Only 200 Minted.



LOT 12

**1890 S.Africa ND() Griqua Town 1 Penny Pattern
Hern:GT21 Van Der Spuy Collection Coin**

Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.



LOT 19

1898 S.Africa 1 Penny Sammy Marks Collection (MS64 RB)

Certified by NGC.



LOT 27

1900 S.Africa Gold Pond (MS63)

7.98g Gold.



LOT 53

1902 S.Africa Veld Pond (AU Details Smoothing)

7.98g .917 Gold.

FULL CATALOGUE

All lots

Sun, 04 Oct at 19:00 SAST · Lots 1–67

The complete Signature Auction 29 in sale order — 67 lots. Lots are certified by NGC, SANGS or PCGS as noted in each description; ungraded lots are offered for your own assessment.

TOP POP — finest NGC-certified grade recorded for the type



THE NGC REGISTRY

Many of the coins in this catalogue are certified by NGC, SANGS or PCGS. Third-party grading gives collectors a shared language of condition: the same coin, independently assessed, so you can bid on the holder as well as the piece. Ungraded lots are photographed in full so you can judge condition for yourself.

LOT 1



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

2006 S.Africa Soccer World Cup Logo 1/4oz Gold (PF70)

PF70

1/4oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

Struck by the South African Mint for the 2006 FIFA World Cup, this 1/4oz fine gold issue carries the tournament logo in place of the usual Protea or Krugerrand types. Certified PF70 by SANGS, it is a fully struck proof with no grade left to climb.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2006 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1192-013

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 2



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

2008 S.Africa Vredefort Dome- World Heritage Site 1/4oz Gold (PF69)

PF69

1/4oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The Vredefort Dome, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and the world's largest confirmed impact structure, is the subject of this 2008 1/4oz gold commemorative. PF69 is a high proof grade on a type collected as much for the geology as for the gold.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2008 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 12438643-018

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 3



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

2010 S.Africa Natura Black Rhinoceros 1/2oz Gold (PF68)

PF68

1/2oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The Natura series is the South African Mint's prestige wildlife gold, and the 2010 Black Rhinoceros 1/2oz sits in the later years of that run. PF68 is a strong proof grade on a larger gold type that still has a following among Natura specialists.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2010 · **DENOMINATION** 1/2oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 12438663-007

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 4



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1981 S.Africa 1/2oz Gold Proof Krugerrand (PF67)

PF67

1/2oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

Proof Krugerrands of the early 1980s remain the core of the certified fractional gold market. This 1981 1/2oz in PF67 is a fully proofed example of the larger fractional, with the expected cameo contrast of the period.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1981 · **DENOMINATION** 1/2oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1291-011

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 5



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1983 S.Africa 1/4oz Gold Proof Krugerrand (PF69)

PF69

1/4oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1983 1/4oz proof Krugerrand is a standard date in the first decade of the fractional proofs. PF69 leaves almost no room above it and is the grade most collectors now want for a type set of this size.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1983 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1240-009

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 6



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1986 S.Africa 1/4oz Gold Proof Krugerrand (PF67)

PF67

1/4oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

1986 sits in the middle of the 1980s proof Krugerrand run, after the first-year premiums have faded but before later dates become common. This 1/4oz in PF67 is a solid certified example for a date set.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1986 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1291-017

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 7



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1986 S.Africa 1/2oz Proof Krugerrand (PF68)

PF68

1/2oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The companion 1986 1/2oz proof, here in PF68, gives the larger fractional of the same year. Pairing the two 1986 proofs is a natural way to complete that date without stretching into the scarcer first-year issues.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1986 · **DENOMINATION** 1/2oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1291-016

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 8



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

2007 S.Africa Nobel Peace Prize F.W. De Klerk and N. Mandela 1oz Gold Protea (PF67)

PF67

1oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 2007 Protea commemorates the Nobel Peace Prize shared by F.W. de Klerk and Nelson Mandela. A 1oz fine gold proof in PF67, it is one of the more historically loaded modern South African gold types and is collected as a Protea as much as a gold coin.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2007 · **DENOMINATION** 1oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 12438663-008

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 9



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1966 Lesotho Gold 4 Maloti (PF67)

PF67

15.98g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

Lesotho's 1966 4 Maloti gold was struck in the year of independence, to the same 15.98g .917 standard as contemporary South African gold. PF67 is a high proof grade on a type that is less often seen than the Pretoria issues of the same decade.

COUNTRY Lesotho · **YEAR** 1966 · **DENOMINATION** 15.98g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1240-136

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 10



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

2002 S.Africa Krugerrand Proof Commemorative Veldpond Set

2.1oz of .999 Gold. SN: 0113. In Original SA Mint Box. Only 200 Minted.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 2002 proof commemorative Veldpond set was issued by the South African Mint in 200 pieces only, pairing Krugerrand proof gold with the Veld Pond story. This is set 0113, still in the original box, and is one of the few modern sets that belongs in both a Krugerrand and a Boer War cabinet.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2002 · **DENOMINATION** 2.1oz of .999 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 11



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1931S.Africa 1/4 Penny "1/4 D" (PF65BN)

PF65BN

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

Union farthings in proof are scarce as a class, and 1931 is a date that bronze collectors already chase in circulation strikes. This NGC PF65BN is a brown proof of the 1/4d, the smallest Union denomination, with the colour and strike the holder grade implies.

YEAR 1931 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4 Penny "1/4 D" · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 3350514-001

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 12



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1890 S.Africa ND() Griqua Town 1 Penny Pattern Hern:GT21 Van Der Spuy Collection Coin

Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1890 Griqua Town penny pattern (Hern GT21) is a piece of missionary and colonial pattern history, not a circulating coin. This example is from the Van Der Spuy Collection and is offered ungraded, so the photographs are the record of condition.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1890 · **DENOMINATION** ND() Griqua Town 1 Penny Pattern Hern:GT21 Van Der Spuy Collection Coin · **CERTIFICATION** 12438749-013

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 13



PMG HOLDER

Kenneth Kaunda Vignette 1st President of Zambia Intaglio Print

Certified by PMG.

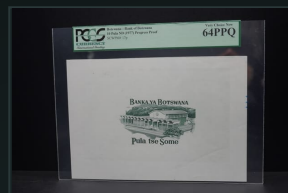
AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An intaglio vignette of Kenneth Kaunda, first President of Zambia, certified by PMG. Progress and portrait proofs of this kind are collected with the African note issues they later served, and the holder confirms the print as a vignette rather than a finished note.

COUNTRY Zambia · **DENOMINATION** Kenneth Kaunda Vignette 1st President of Zambia Intaglio Print · **CERTIFICATION** PMG 2203089-064

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 14



PCGS HOLDER

ND (1977) Bank of Botswana 10 Pula Progress Proof (Very Choice New 64PPQ)

VERY CHOICE NEW 64PPQ

80744083. Pick SCWPM# 17p.

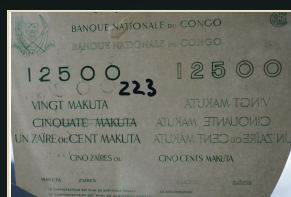
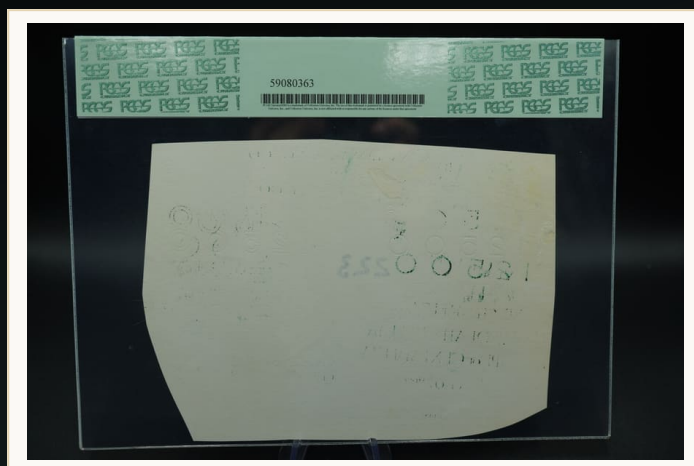
AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A Bank of Botswana 10 Pula progress proof, Pick SCWPM 17p, certified Very Choice New 64PPQ by PCGS. Progress proofs show the plate work before the issued note, and PPQ on a 64 is the designation collectors look for on this class of material.

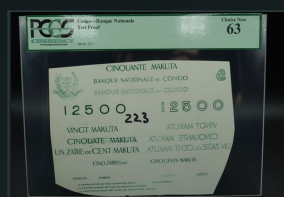
COUNTRY Botswana · **YEAR** ND (1977) · **DENOMINATION** Bank of Botswana 10 Pula Progress Proof · **CERTIFICATION** PCGS 80744083

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 15



REVERSE



PCGS HOLDER

Banque Nationale of Congo Test proof (Choice New 63)

CHOICE NEW 63

Block 223

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A Banque Nationale du Congo test proof, block 223, certified Choice New 63 by PCGS. Test and specimen printings of the Congo issues are scarcer than the circulating notes and are collected as printer's work rather than as spent currency.

COUNTRY Congo · **DENOMINATION** Banque Nationale of Congo Test proof · **CERTIFICATION** PCGS 59080363

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 16



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1930 S.Africa Penny (MS65BN)

MS65BN

4190640-005

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1930 Union penny in MS65BN is a high mint-state bronze for the date. Brown mint state at this level is what specialists want when they are not chasing red examples, and NGC has encapsulated it as such.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1930 · **DENOMINATION** Penny · **CERTIFICATION** NGC

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 17



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1930 S.Africa Silver 2.5 Shillings (MS61)

MS61

14.14g .800 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1930 halfcrown in MS61, 14.14g of .800 silver. It is not a gem, but mint state Union silver of this denomination is collected by date, and the NGC holder removes the usual argument about whether a piece is AU or UNC.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1930 · **DENOMINATION** 14.14g .800 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8447681-036

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 18



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1929 S.Africa Silver 2 Shillings the Kleynhans Collection (MS61)

MS61

11.31g .800 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

From the Kleynhans Collection, a 1929 florin in MS61. Kleynhans provenance is recognised on Union silver, and even at MS61 a named-collection florin is a clearer bid than a raw coin of the same look.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1929 · **DENOMINATION** 11.31g .800 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 2755680-003

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 19



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1898 S.Africa 1 Penny Sammy Marks Collection (MS64 RB)

MS64 RB

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1898 ZAR penny with Sammy Marks Collection provenance, NGC MS64 RB. Marks is the name attached to the most important Pretoria bronze of the period, and MS64 red-brown is a high circulating-strike grade for the type.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1898 · **DENOMINATION** 1 Penny Sammy Marks
Collection · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 2309449-089

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 20



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1892 S.Africa Double Shaft 1/2 Pond (MS62)

MS62

3.99 .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

1892 is the first year of the ZAR pond series, and the double-shaft 1/2 pond is the variety first-year gold collectors start with. MS62 on 3.99g of .917 gold is a true mint-state half pond, not a polished AU.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1892 · **DENOMINATION** Double Shaft 1/2 Pond · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 267814-040

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 21



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1894 S.Africa Gold 1/2 Pond (AU55)

AU55

3.99g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1894 1/2 pond in AU55. The date is a regular Pretoria gold issue, and AU55 is honest circulated mint lustre: enough wear to read as used, enough remaining detail to sit in a date run without apology.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1894 · **DENOMINATION** 3.99g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 2753716-006

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 22



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1895 S.Africa Gold 1/2 Pond (AU58)

AU58

3.99g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1895 1/2 pond in AU58 is a whisper from mint state. On ZAR gold that last point of wear is often the difference between a type coin and a date-set upgrade, and NGC has called it as such.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1895 · **DENOMINATION** 3.99g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 3997721-002

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 23



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1895 S.Africa Gold Pond (AU55)

AU55

7.98g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A full 1895 pond in AU55, 7.98g of .917 gold. The pond is the standard ZAR gold denomination, and mid-AU examples remain the way most collectors complete the 1890s dates.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1895 · **DENOMINATION** 7.98g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 1293351-005

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 24



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1897 S.Africa 1/2 Pond (AU58)

AU58

3.99g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

1897 1/2 pond, AU58. Late-series Pretoria gold with almost full lustre, certified on the step below mint state.

A useful date for a half-pond run that already has the 1892 double shaft.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1897 · **DENOMINATION** 3.99g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 3997721-010

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 25



REVERSE



PCGS HOLDER

1894 S.Africa Gold Pond (AU58)

AU58

7.98g Gold. 560738.58/

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1894 pond certified AU58 by PCGS. Same denomination and date range as the NGC ponds in this sale, in a PCGS holder, which some gold collectors prefer for the older Pretoria issues.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1894 · **DENOMINATION** 7.98g Gold · **CERTIFICATION** PCGS
560738.58/80515026

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 26



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1897 S.Africa Gold Pond (AU58)

AU58

7.98g Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1897 pond in NGC AU58. The last years of Kruger gold before the war, with the wear confined to the high points.

A standard date in better-than-average circulated grade.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1897 · **DENOMINATION** 7.98g Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 3813363-004

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 27



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1900 S.Africa Gold Pond (MS63)

MS63

7.98g Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1900 pond was struck at Pretoria in the year the mint's wartime story begins. MS63 is a high mint-state grade for the date and is a different coin from the emergency Veld Pond of 1902 offered later in this sale.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1900 · **DENOMINATION** 7.98g Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 4159277-015

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 28



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1892 S.Africa Single Shaft 5 Shillings Watch

In Auritsa Watch Box.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1892 single-shaft five shillings mounted as a watch, offered in an Auritsa box. This is a jewellery conversion of the first-year ZAR crown, not a numismatic specimen, and should be judged from the photographs as a watch first.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1892 · **DENOMINATION** Single Shaft 5 Shillings Watch

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 29



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

PAMP Cross of Christianity 5g Pure Gold Bar

5g Fine Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 5g PAMP Cross of Christianity bar in fine gold, offered ungraded. PAMP's religious bars are collected as minted bullion rather than as coins, and condition is the strike and the remaining packaging.

DENOMINATION 5g Fine Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 30



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

AD 518–527 Byzantine Empire Gold Justin I AV Tremissis (MS)

MS

1.49g .950/.980 gold.

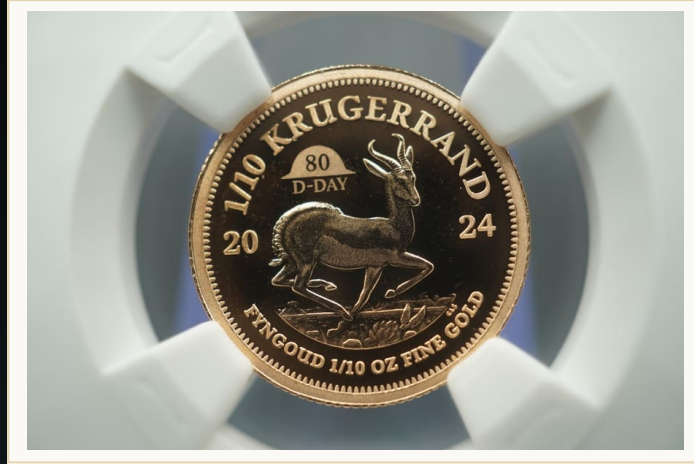
AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A gold tremissis of Justin I (AD 518–527), the short reign that opens the Justinian century. NGC has certified it Mint State on 1.49g of high-fineness gold, a small late-Roman denomination that still reads as imperial gold in the hand.

COUNTRY Byzantine Empire · **YEAR** 518–527 · **DENOMINATION** 1.49g .950/.980 gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8536725-018

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 31



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

2024 S.Africa 1/10oz Gold Proof D-Day Privy Krugerrand (PF70)

PF70

1/10oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 2024 D-Day privy 1/10oz proof Krugerrand, certified PF70 by SANGS. Privy-mark proofs are the modern Krugerrand collector's commemorative line, and a perfect 70 is the grade this type is bid to.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2024 · **DENOMINATION** 1/10oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 12439073-043

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 32



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

S.Africa R20 Banknote

SN:AC7505947D. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

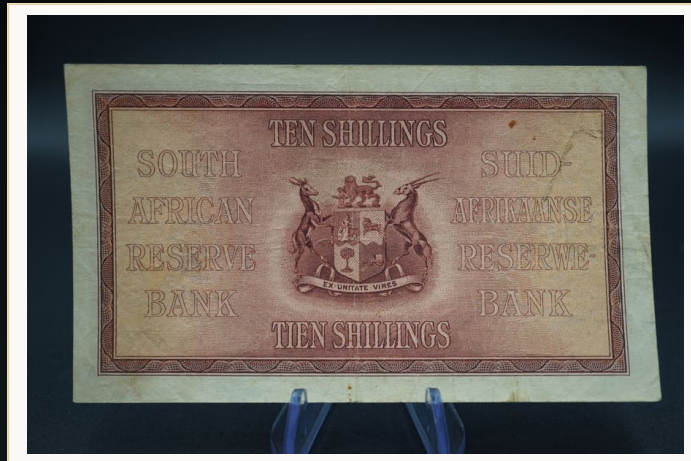
AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A current South African R20 note, serial AC7505947D, offered ungraded. Judge the folds, corners and paper from the photographs; this is a circulating-type lot, not a specimen or a first prefix.

COUNTRY South Africa · **DENOMINATION** R20 Banknote

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 33



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1930 S.Africa W.Clegg 10 Shillings Banknote

SN: E/9 231,047. ENG/AFR. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1930 South African Reserve Bank 10 shillings signed W. Clegg, bilingual English/Afrikaans, serial E/9 231,047.

Clegg notes are the early SARB issues, and ungraded examples stand or fall on paper quality and the completeness of the serial.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1930 · **DENOMINATION** W.Clegg 10 Shillings Banknote

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 34



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1931 S.Africa W.Clegg 10 Shillings Banknote

SN: E/12 088,322. ENG/AFR. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1931 Clegg 10 shillings, serial E/12 088,322, English/Afrikaans. A companion date to the 1930 10 shillings in this sale, again ungraded, so the photographs are the condition report.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1931 · **DENOMINATION** W.Clegg 10 Shillings Banknote

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 35



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1928 S.Africa W.Clegg 5 Pounds Banknote

SN: B/5 044436. AFR/ENG. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1928 Clegg £5, serial B/5 044436, Afrikaans/English. The five-pound note is the scarcer denomination in this early SARB group, and the language order is part of how these notes are collected.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1928 · **DENOMINATION** W.Clegg 5 Pounds Banknote

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 36



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1929 S.Africa W.Clegg 5 Pounds Banknote

SN: B/6 344467. ENG/AFR. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1929 Clegg £5, serial B/6 344467, English/Afrikaans. Offered with the 1928 five-pound so that both language arrangements of the late-1920s high denomination can be compared side by side.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1929 · **DENOMINATION** W.Clegg 5 Pounds Banknote

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 37



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1968 Rhodesia Silver 3 Pence (PF67 Cameo)

PF67 CAMEO

1.414g .925 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1968 Rhodesian proof threepence in NGC PF67 Cameo, 1.414g of .925 silver. Cameo on a small silver proof is the designation that separates a bright modern proof from a flat one, and PF67 is a high numerical grade for the type.

COUNTRY Rhodesia · **YEAR** 1968 · **DENOMINATION** 1.414g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 6382482-004

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 38



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1976 Rhodesia Cent (PF64BN)

PF64BN

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1976 Rhodesian proof cent in PF64BN. Late Rhodesian bronze proofs are collected as a short series, and brown at 64 is a mid-proof grade with the colour called on the holder.

COUNTRY Rhodesia · **YEAR** 1976 · **DENOMINATION** Cent · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 6382486-005

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 39



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1976 Rhodesia Cent (PF65RB)

PF65RB

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The companion 1976 cent in PF65RB, a point finer and red-brown rather than brown. The two 1976 cents in this sale are a colour and grade pair of the same type.

COUNTRY Rhodesia · YEAR 1976 · DENOMINATION Cent · CERTIFICATION NGC 2756188-004

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

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REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1965 S.Africa Afrikaans One Rand (PF64)

PF64

15g .800.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1965 Afrikaans proof rand, NGC PF64, 15g of .800 silver. 1965 is the first year of the decimal rand proofs, and the Afrikaans-legend piece is the language variety this date is collected by.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1965 · **DENOMINATION** Afrikaans One Rand · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8452872-002

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 41



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1967 S.Africa Dr. Verwoerd- English Alternative Language One Rand (PF66)

PF66

15g .800 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1967 English alternative-language proof rand with the Verwoerd portrait, NGC PF66. Alternative-language rands are a specialist line within the 1960s proofs, and PF66 is a strong grade for the type.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1967 · **DENOMINATION** 15g .800 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 2761373-004

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 42



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1968 S.Africa Afrikaans Alternative Language One Rand (PF64 Ultra Cameo)

PF64 ULTRA CAMEO

15g .800 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1968 Afrikaans alternative-language proof rand, NGC PF64 Ultra Cameo. Ultra Cameo on a 1960s rand is the contrast designation that lifts a mid-60s numerical grade into the proof cabinet rather than the type tray.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1968 · **DENOMINATION** 15g .800 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 6925952-009

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 43



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1966 S.Africa Pattern Hern-A67 Silver 50 Cent (PF64)

PF64

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1966 silver 50 cent pattern, Hern A67, certified PF64 by NGC. Patterns of the decimal changeover are scarcer than the issued proofs and are collected from Hern as much as from the holder.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1966 · **DENOMINATION** Pattern Hern-A67 Silver 50 Cent · **CERTIFICATION** NGC
3281891-001

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 44



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1929 S.Africa Silver 1 Shilling (MS62)

MS62

5.66g .800 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1929 Union shilling in MS62, 5.66g of .800 silver. Mint-state shillings of the late 1920s are date-set coins, and MS62 is an honest uncirculated grade without the premium of a gem.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1929 · **DENOMINATION** 5.66g .800 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8447681-037

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 45



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1960 S.Africa English Chamber of Mines (UNC Details Test Cut)

UNC DETAILS TEST CUT

1oz .996 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1960 Chamber of Mines 1oz gold piece, English legend, certified UNC Details with a test cut. The cut is on the holder for a reason: this is a mint-related gold issue that has been tested, and it should be bid as a details coin, not as a clean UNC.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1960 · **DENOMINATION** 1oz .996 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8902027-012

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 46



AS OFFERED

1967 S.Africa 1oz Gold Proof Krugerrand

1oz .999 Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1967 proof Krugerrand is the first year of the proof 1oz. Offered ungraded in this sale, so the mirrors, cameo and any hairlines are for you to judge from the photographs.

First-year proofs remain the key date of the entire proof Krugerrand series.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1967 · **DENOMINATION** 1oz .999 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 47



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1980 S.Africa Gold 1/4oz Proof Krugerrand (PF Details Scratched)

PF DETAILS SCRATCHED

1/4oz .999 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1980 1/4oz proof Krugerrand certified PF Details, scratched, by NGC. The details grade is the story: it is a genuine 1980 fractional proof with a named fault, and it should be priced as such against the PF67-69 examples earlier in the sale.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1980 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4oz .999 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 12438958-010

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 48



AS OFFERED

1813 Columbia Gold 8 Escudos Coin

27g .875 Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

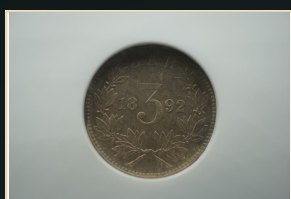
An 1813 Colombian 8 escudos, 27g of .875 gold, the colonial onza of the late Spanish American series. Offered ungraded, so strike, surfaces and any mounting traces are for your own eye.

This is world gold of a different cabinet from the Pretoria ponds.

COUNTRY Colombia · **YEAR** 1813 · **DENOMINATION** 27g .875 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 49



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1892 S.Africa Silver 3 Pence Old Mill Collection (PF62)

PF62

1.414g .925 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1892 ZAR proof threepence from the Old Mill Collection, NGC PF62. 1892 proofs are the first-year silver proofs of the Republic, and even at PF62 a named-collection 3d is a different lot from a circulation strike.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1892 · **DENOMINATION** 1.414g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 1524746-015

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 50



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1895 S.Africa Silver 6 Pence (MS62)

MS62

2.83g .925 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1895 ZAR sixpence in MS62, 2.83g of .925 silver. A mid mint-state circulating strike of a common denomination, useful for a date set that already has the 1892 proofs.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1895 · **DENOMINATION** 2.83g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 6925900-017

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 51



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1896 S.Africa Gold Pond (AU58)

AU58

7.98g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1896 pond in AU58, 7.98g of .917 gold. Another late Kruger pond on the step below mint state, filling the 1896 hole between the 1895 and 1897 ponds also in this sale.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1896 · **DENOMINATION** 7.98g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 3804428-016

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 52



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1892 S.Africa Double Shaft 5 Shillings (PF58)

PF58

28.28g .925 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1892 double-shaft five shillings in PF58, 28.28g of .925 silver. This is the first-year ZAR crown as a proof, not the single-shaft watch conversion in lot 28.

PF58 is a circulated proof, and the holder is what separates it from a worn business strike.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1892 · **DENOMINATION** 28.28g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 6499594-001

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 53



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1902 S.Africa Veld Pond (AU Details Smoothing)

AU DETAILS SMOOTHING

7.98g .917 Gold.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1902 Veld Pond, the emergency gold of the Boer forces struck in the field at Pilgrim's Rest. SANGS has certified it AU Details, smoothing.

The details grade must be read: this is the historic type, with a named surface issue, and it remains one of the signature lots of the sale.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1902 · **DENOMINATION** 7.98g .917 Gold · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 2025-1082-010

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 54



REVERSE



PCGS HOLDER

2019 CryptoImperator 5oz Silver (Redeemed) (MS64)

MS64

5oz of .999 Silver. 977676.64/

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A redeemed 2019 CryptoImperator 5oz silver, PCGS MS64. Redeemed means the digital claim has been closed and the coin is a physical 5oz silver piece only.

MS64 is a mint-state grade on a modern large silver type.

YEAR 2019 · DENOMINATION 5oz of .999 Silver · CERTIFICATION PCGS

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 55



REVERSE



PCGS HOLDER

2019 CryptolImperator 5oz Silver (Redeemed) (PR68DCAM)

PR68DCAM

5oz .999 Silver. 976102.68/

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The proof companion, a redeemed 2019 CryptolImperator 5oz in PCGS PR68 Deep Cameo. Same redemption status as lot 54, in proof rather than mint state, and a high cameo grade for the issue.

YEAR 2019 · DENOMINATION 5oz .999 Silver · CERTIFICATION PCGS 976102.68/61495968

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 56



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

2016 Canada 200 Dollars Maple Leaf Shaped 1oz Gold Coin

1oz .999 Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself. In Original Box with Certificate.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 2016 Canadian \$200 Maple Leaf-shaped 1oz gold, in the original box with certificate. Ungraded shaped gold of this kind is collected as a Royal Canadian Mint novelty as much as a 1oz bullion piece.

Judge the surfaces from the photographs.

COUNTRY Canada · YEAR 2016 · DENOMINATION 1oz .999 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 57



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

2026 S.Africa Cheetah High Relief 5oz Silver Coin

5oz .999 Silver. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself. SN: 51. Only 350 Minted.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 2026 South African Mint Cheetah high-relief 5oz silver, number 51 of 350. High-relief Big Five-related silver in a small mintage is the current SA Mint collector line, and the serial is on the tracking sheet.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2026 · **DENOMINATION** 5oz .999 Silver

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 58



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

2024 S.Africa Gold Proof Set Coin

1/10oz .999 Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself. SN: 83. In Original SA Mint box with certificate.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 2024 South African Mint gold proof set coin, 1/10oz, serial 83, in the original box with certificate. Offered ungraded as a boxed mint proof.

The photographs show the set presentation as well as the coin.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2024 · **DENOMINATION** 1/10oz .999 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 59



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

2023 S.Africa 1/4oz Proof Buffalo Gold Coin

1/4oz .999 Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself. SN: 746. In Original SA Mint Box.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 2023 1/4oz proof Buffalo, serial 746, in the original SA Mint box. Part of the modern Big Five gold proofs, ungraded, so the cameo and any handling are for your own assessment.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 2023 · **DENOMINATION** 1/4oz .999 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 60



AS OFFERED

1910 USA Gold Ten Dollars Coin

16.72g .900 Gold. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1910 United States ten-dollar gold, 16.72g of .900 gold, the Indian Head eagle of the late-1900s redesign. Offered ungraded.

Check the rims and the eagle's shoulder for wear; 1910 is a regular Philadelphia date of the type.

COUNTRY United States · **YEAR** 1910 · **DENOMINATION** 16.72g .900 Gold

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 61



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1938 S.Africa 1/2 Penny (Proof Details Stained)

PROOF DETAILS STAINED

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1938 Union halfpenny certified Proof Details, stained, by NGC. Proof bronze of the late 1930s is scarce, and the details grade names the stain.

Bid it as a proof with a fault, not as a clean PF64.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1938 · **DENOMINATION** 1/2 Penny · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8450260-011

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 62



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1936 S.Africa Proof 1/2 Penny (PF64BN)

PF64BN

Certified by NGC.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1936 proof halfpenny in PF64BN, the last year of George V for South Africa. A clean numerical proof grade on the same denomination as the details 1938, and a natural pair with the 1936 proof florin that follows.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1936 · **DENOMINATION** Proof 1/2 Penny · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8452860-001

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 63



REVERSE



NGC HOLDER

1936 S.Africa Silver Proof 2 Shillings (PF65)

PF65

11.31g .800 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

A 1936 proof florin in PF65, 11.31g of .800 silver. PF65 is a high proof grade for Union silver of the 1930s, and 1936 closes the George V silver proofs.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1936 · **DENOMINATION** 11.31g .800 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** NGC 8452860-002

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 64



REVERSE



AS OFFERED

1990 Portugueses the Golden Era of the Portuguese Discoveries Series II Prestige Proof Coin Set the Conquest of the Atlantic

Silver, Palladium, Gold, Platinum. Ungraded. Please judge condition for yourself. Comes in original box with Certificate

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1990 Portuguese Discoveries Series II prestige proof set, The Conquest of the Atlantic, in silver, palladium, gold and platinum. Offered ungraded in the original box with certificate.

Multi-metal prestige sets of this series are collected as a box, not as single coins.

COUNTRY Portugal · **YEAR** 1990 · **DENOMINATION** Portugueses the Golden Era of the Portuguese Discoveries Series II Prestige Proof Coin Set the Conquest of the Atlantic

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 65



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1892 ZAR 1 Shilling (MS64)

MS64

5.65g .925 Silver. 003873/

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1892 ZAR shilling in SANGS MS64, 5.65g of .925 silver. First-year circulating silver in a high mint-state grade, and a different 1892 from the proof 3d and the proof crown also in this sale.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1892 · **DENOMINATION** 5.65g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 003873/002

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 66



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1895 ZAR 6 Pence (MS61)

MS61

2.83g .925 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

The 1895 ZAR sixpence in SANGS MS61. A lower mint-state grade than lot 50's NGC MS62 of the same date, in a SANGS holder, useful if you are building the date in local certification.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1895 · **DENOMINATION** 2.83g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 003590-004

Bid online: <https://auctions.bassanis.co.za>

LOT 67



REVERSE



SANGS HOLDER

1895 ZAR Silver 2.5 Shillings (MS63)

MS63

14.14g .925 Silver.

AUCTIONEER'S OPINION

An 1895 ZAR halfcrown in SANGS MS63, 14.14g of .925 silver. MS63 is a strong circulating-strike grade for the larger ZAR silver, and it closes the sale on a Pretoria type that collectors still assemble by date.

COUNTRY South Africa · **YEAR** 1895 · **DENOMINATION** 14.14g .925 Silver · **CERTIFICATION** SANGS 001287-001

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