

Description and technical parameters of the 'I. Mátyás aranyforintja' collector coins

Detailed information about the sale of the gold collector coin can be found on the website of Hungarian Mint Ltd. The non-ferrous metal coin will be available for purchase for one year at face value from the date of issuance of 29 June 2026, while stocks last, at the coin shop of the Mint (Budapest, distr. V, 7 Báthory street) and in the webshop (<https://penzvero.hu/>).

The **obverse of the collector coin** depicts the reverse of a gold forint issued by King Matthias I (r. 1458-1490) in the centre, with the figure of Ladislaus I of Hungary standing facing forward, holding a poleaxe with a short-handle and a globus cruciger in his firm hands, a crown on his head, and a halo above it. Inside the beaded border, in the left-hand field of the design the letter 'n' is seen, which is the mint mark of the gold forint referring to the minting site of Nagybánya. The miner's hammer and wedge depicted in a triangular shield with curved sides on the right-hand side represent the collective mark of the citizens of Nagybánya. The figure of Saint Ladislaus is surrounded on two sides – starting from the figure of the king to the right – by the circular inscription '• S • LADISL - AVS • REX'.

The edge of the obverse displays, in circular lettering, at the top, the inscription 'MAGYARORSZÁG' (HUNGARY), at the bottom, the denominations '50000', and '5000' and the inscription 'FORINT', horizontally, and on the left, the 'BP.' mint mark, and on the right, the year of minting '2026'.

The obverse of the 'I. Mátyás aranyforintja' collector coins



Gold collector coin



Gold collector coin
four-times-weight piedfort



Non-ferrous metal collector coin

The **reverse of the collector coin** – in its original form – features the central image of the obverse of the gold forint, depicting Virgin Mary in a veil, with the baby Jesus on the right, introducing a new pictorial element that previously was not characteristic of gold forints. On the edge of the reverse, at the top, along the circular arc, 'I. MÁTYÁS ARANYFORINTJA' (THE GOLD FLORIN OF MATTHIAS I), can

be read, and on the right, the years '1458' and '1490' indicating the reign of King Matthias I can be seen, highlighting the first two common digits of the years. On the lower half of the reverse, on a slightly raised plane, arranged in two lines – as a reference to the circular inscription on the gold forints of Matthias I – the inscription 'MATHIAS REX' can be read, as well as the coat of arms of the Hunyadi family, a raven sitting on a tree trunk and holding a ring in its beak visible. The designer's mark of applied artist Fanni Király is located above the raised plane, on the left side.

The reverse of the 'I. Mátyás aranyforintja' collector coins



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Non-ferrous metal collector coin

The gold coin with a face value of HUF 50,000 is struck in .986 fine gold. The normal coin weighs 3.491 grams (1 ducat) and the piedfort coin weighs 13.964 grams (4 ducats). The non-ferrous metal coin with a face value of HUF 5,000 is produced from an alloy of copper (75%), nickel (4%) and zinc (21%), and weighs 2.7 grams. The edges of the 1 ducat gold and the non-ferrous metal coins are smooth. The piedfort gold coins are decorated with a unique Latin inscription 'PATRONA HVNGARIE' (PATRONESS OF HUNGARY) on the edge – appearing twice, separated by a dot. The lettering of the edge inscription is identical to the original lettering seen on the groat minted during the reign of Matthias I.

Edge inscription of the 'I. Mátyás aranyforintja' piedfort gold collector coin



All three coins have the same diameter of 20 mm. The mintage limit of the piedfort collector coin is 500 and that of the normal gold coin is 2000 in Proof-like finish. The mintage limit of the non-ferrous coin is 5000 in BU finish.