Philatelic Journey Through the Hidden Beauties of Tunisia

These 15 sheets of stamps are not just postal items, they are a carefully selected sample of the richness of Tunisia's heritage. Each stamp is an invitation to discover and appreciate the cultural, natural, and eventful treasures of Tunisia, precisely and lovingly captured on these small philatelic works of art. They represent innovative technical qualities such as perforation, shape, values, creativity, showcasing the diverse facets of Tunisia.

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Historical Events

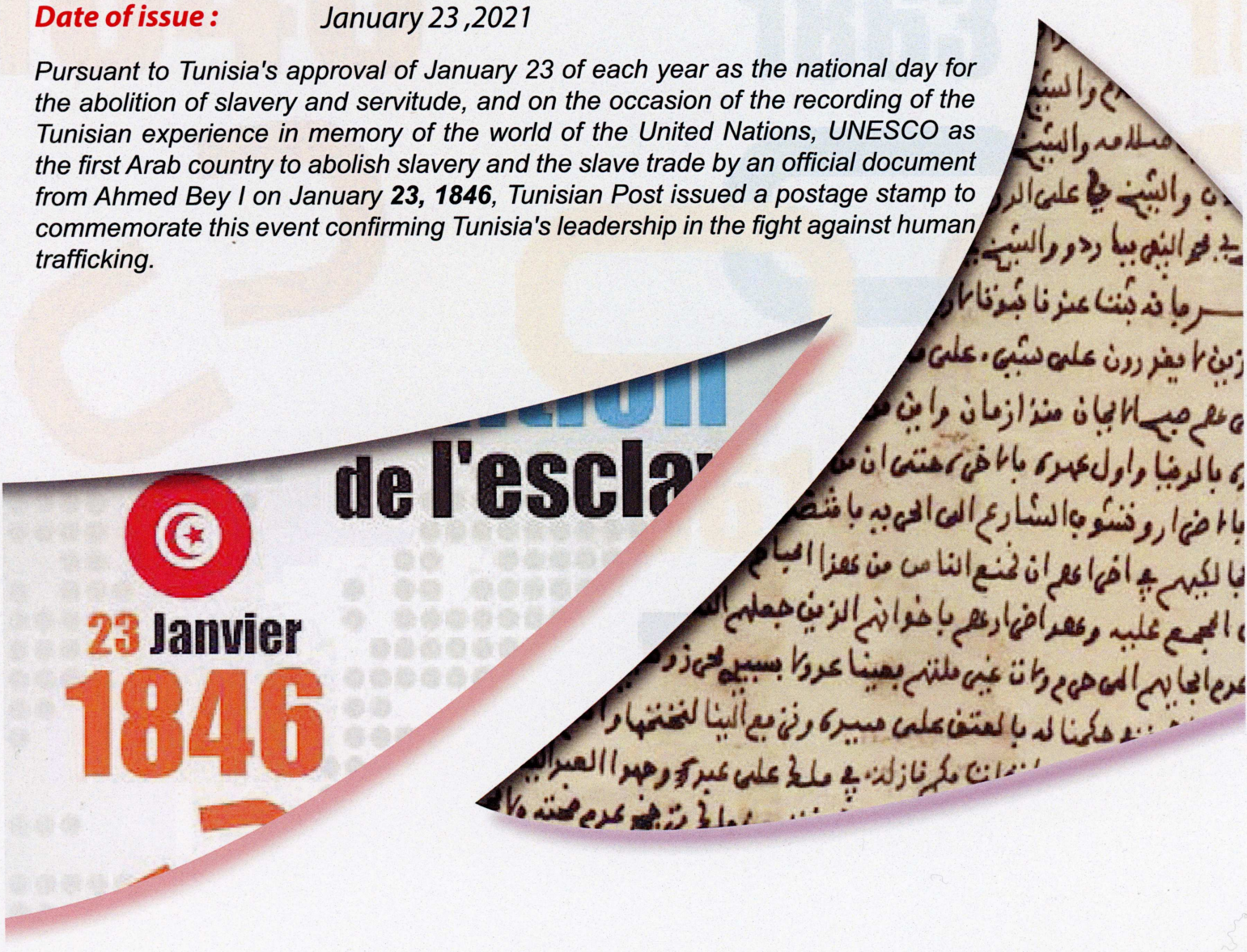
Abolition of slavery and servitude in Tunisia
January 23, 1846



CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	Commemorative
Drawing :	Ridha ZAAFRANE
Value :	2^{d}0
Size :	37X52 mm
Printer:	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	January 23 ,2021

*Pursuant to Tunisia's approval of January 23 of each year as the national day for the abolition of slavery and servitude, and on the occasion of the recording of the Tunisian experience in memory of the world of the United Nations, UNESCO as the first Arab country to abolish slavery and the slave trade by an official document from Ahmed Bey I on January **23, 1846**, Tunisian Post issued a postage stamp to commemorate this event confirming Tunisia's leadership in the fight against human trafficking.*



Works of Artists

Contemporary artistic tapestry



CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Ordinary*
Drawing :	*Safia Farhat - photos Slim Gomri*
Value :	*$0^{d},75$, $0^{d},9$, $4^{d},0$*
Size :	*30x20mm, 30x40mm*
Printer :	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover*
Date of issue :	*March 16, 2021*

In tribute to the greatest artists in Tunisia by making known their works and their great contributions to the enrichment of the cultural, artistic and civilized life of our country, Tunisian Post issued on March **16, 2021** *a series of three combined postage stamps (Triptych) dedicated to a sample of the works of the plastic artist Safia Farhat in the field of contemporary artistic tapestry.*



Works of Artists

Street art in Tunisia







CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Ordinary*
Drawing :	*Invader, eL Seed, Debo, JACC 2019*
Values :	*0^d,75, 0^d,9, 3^d,0, 4^d,0*
Size :	*37x52mm*
Printer :	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover*
Date of issue :	*May 20, 2021*

Street art is an independent artistic trend and method that has attracted many artists and young people due to its diverse and revolutionary nature. In order to contribute to make know of this renewed artistic trend, Tunisian Post issued a series of four postage stamps on May **20**,**2021**, devoted to a sample of works from this unusual artistic style.

Street art is a term attributed to visual works of art drawn in the streets and public places. It includes painting, sculpture, posters, writing and scribbling, which means «Graffiti» in Italian. Its origins go back to the age of the stone man, who drew abstract shapes and animals on the walls of caves as a sign of his presence and passage through the place.



Tunisian Jewellery

Euromed Postal
Handicraft jewellery in the mediterranean





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Ordinary*
Drawing :	*Yassine GHORBEL, Assala CHOUK*
Value :	*$0^d,9$ – $4^d,0$*
Size :	*Circle - diameter 36mm*
Printer :	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover*
Date of issue :	*July 15, 2021*

As part of its active contribution to the activities of the Postal Union for the Mediterranean and considering its significant role in the developing of cooperation and partnership with the postal Euro-Mediterranean institutions, the Tunisian Post issued on July **15, 2021**, *like the member countries for the Mediterranean Union, two postage stamps on the theme «Handicraft Jewelry in the Mediterranean».*



Postal Stamp Day

World Postal Day

Digitalization of the Tunsian Postage Stamp

QR Code technology

CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Commemorative*
Drawing :	*Yassine GHORBEL*
Values :	*0^{d},75*
Size :	*25x50mm*
Printing :	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover*
Date of issue :	*October 09, 2021*



As part of the development, innovation and digital transformation strategy adopted by Tunisian Post in recent years, the philately constituted an important strategic axis within this strategy, with the aim of renewing the Tunisian postage stamp by making good use of new technological developments, further strengthening its influence and facilitating its integration into its economic, social and technological environment. In application of this trend and on the occasion of the celebration of World Postal Day, Tunisian Post issued on October ***09, 2021*** *a postage stamp bearing the theme «Digitization of the Tunisian postage stamp» with the introduction of the QR Code technology for the first time in this new generation of value-added Tunisian postage stamps.*



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Flora

Plants of Tunisia





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Ordinary*
Drawing :	*Amine CHÂABENE, Yassine GHORBEL, Leila ALLAGUI*
Values :	*1d,2 ,1d,0 ,0d,9 ,0d,75*
Size :	*36x36 mm*
Printer :	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover, bloc perforated*
Date of issue :	*April 2022 ,15*

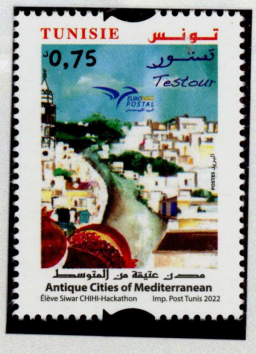
As part of its contribution to make known of the richness and diversity of plants that abound in Tunisia, Tunisian Post issued on April ***15, 2022*** a series of four postage stamps dedicated to Globular, Thyme, Chamomile and Sage.



Sites and Monuments

Euromed Postal
Antique Cities of Mediterranean
Testour - Takrouna



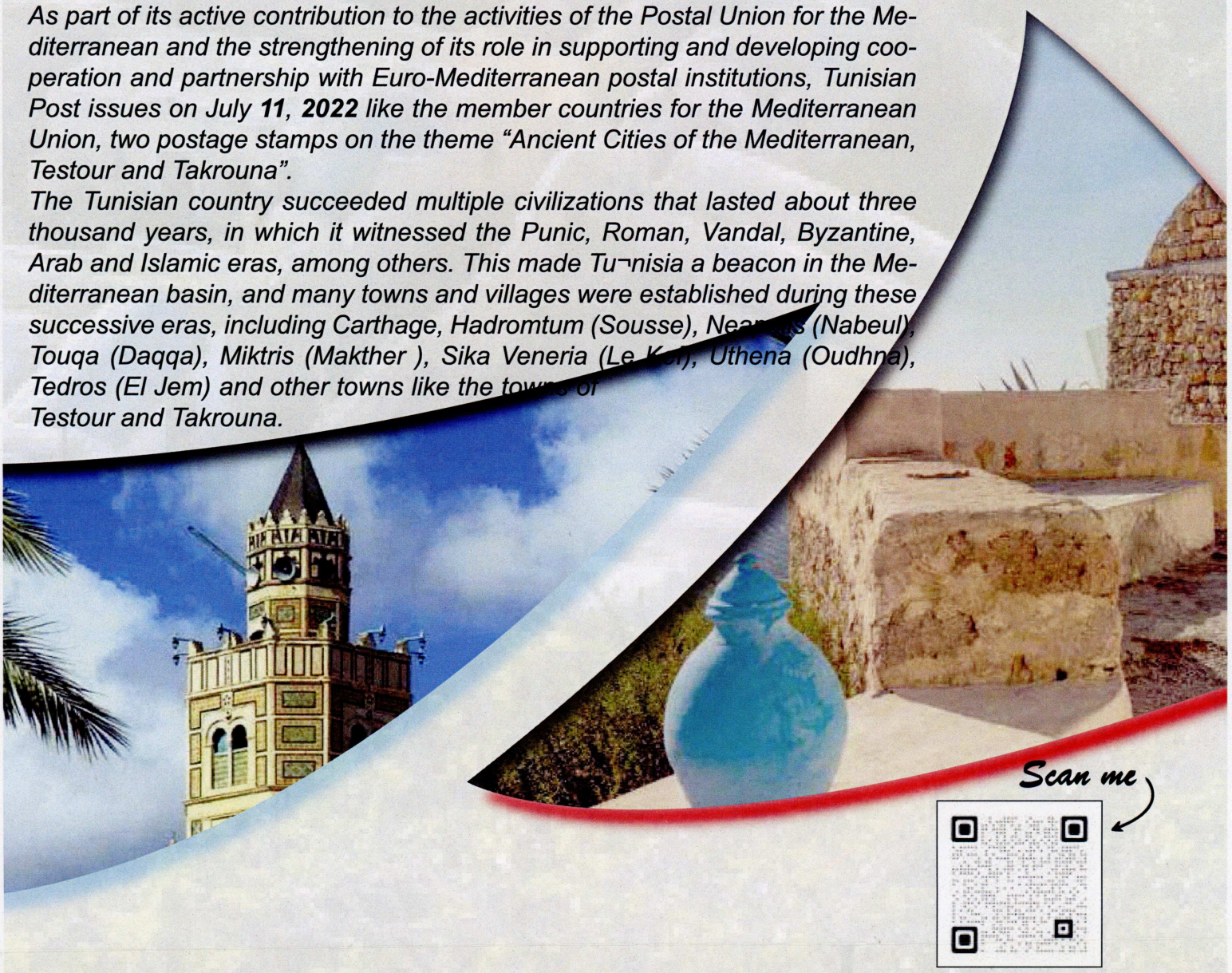


CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	Commemorative
Drawing :	Élève Siwar CHIHI, Élève Sara BEN AYED-Hackathon
Value :	0^{d},75, 0^{d},75
Size :	30x40 mm
Printer :	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	July 11, 2022

*As part of its active contribution to the activities of the Postal Union for the Mediterranean and the strengthening of its role in supporting and developing cooperation and partnership with Euro-Mediterranean postal institutions, Tunisian Post issues on July **11**, **2022** like the member countries for the Mediterranean Union, two postage stamps on the theme "Ancient Cities of the Mediterranean, Testour and Takrouna".*

The Tunisian country succeeded multiple civilizations that lasted about three thousand years, in which it witnessed the Punic, Roman, Vandal, Byzantine, Arab and Islamic eras, among others. This made Tu¬nisia a beacon in the Mediterranean basin, and many towns and villages were established during these successive eras, including Carthage, Hadromtum (Sousse), Neapolis (Nabeul), Touqa (Daqqa), Miktris (Makther), Sika Veneria (Le Kef), Uthena (Oudhna), Tedros (El Jem) and other towns like the towns of Testour and Takrouna.



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Fauna

Raptors of Tunisia





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Ordinary*
Drawings :	*Yosr JAMOUSSI, Héla BEN CHEIKH*
Values :	*0^d,75, 0^d,75, 0^d,9, 4^d,0*
Size :	*36x36 mm*
Printing :	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover*
Date of issue :	*September 26, 2022*

As part of its contribution to raising awareness of the richness and diversity of the avifauna of Tunisia and their importance in maintaining the ecological balance, Tunisian Post issued on September **26, 2022** a series of four stamps of raptors (diurnal and nocturnal): Short-toed eagle, Egyptian vulture, Pharaoh eagle owl and Barn owl.





Medcine and Health

Breast Cancer
«The early diagnosis leads to healing»

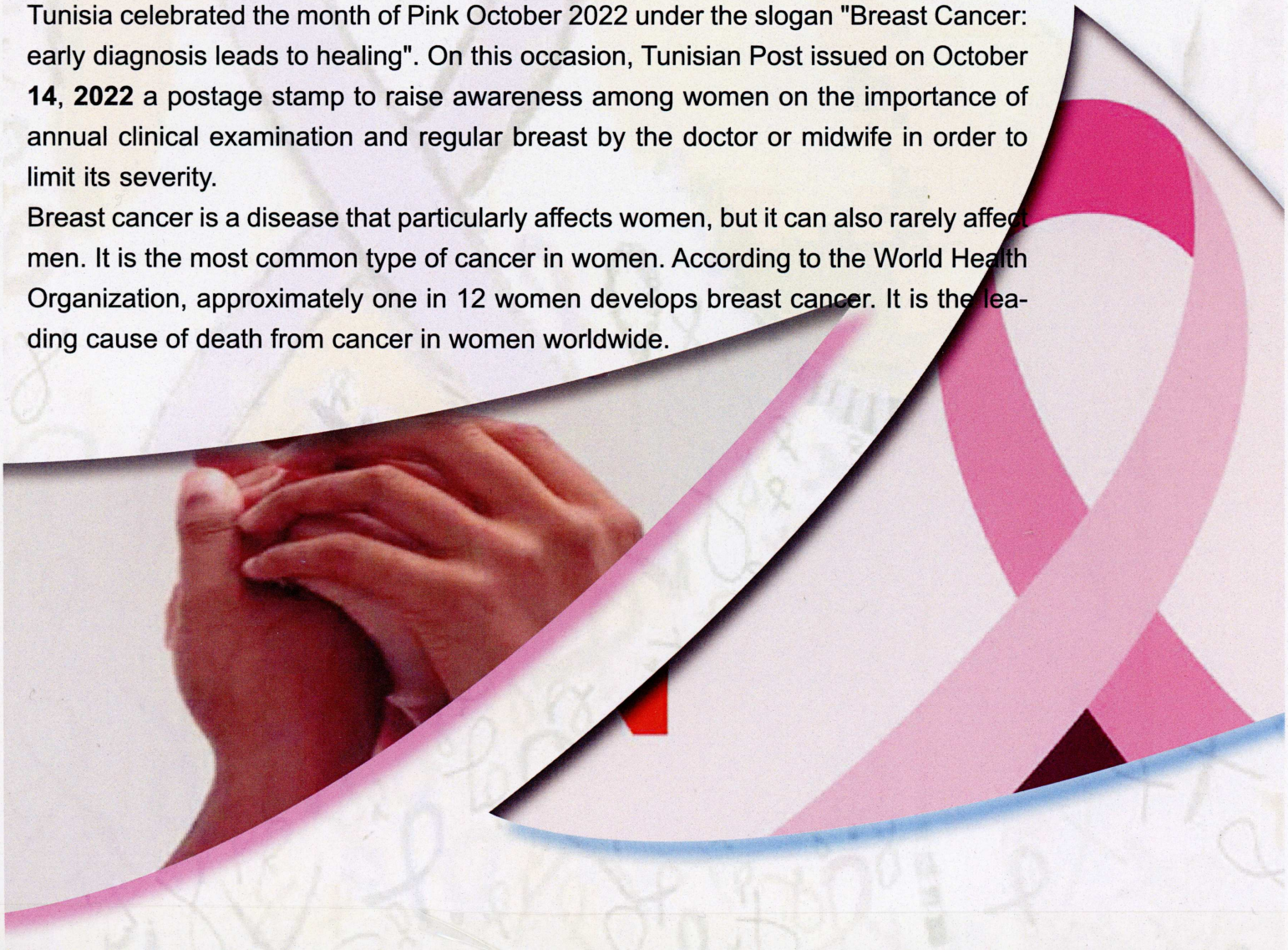


CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Ordinary*
Drawing :	*Amine CHAABENE*
Value :	*3d0*
Size :	*37X52 mm*
Printer:	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover*
Date of issue :	*October 14 ,2022*

Tunisia celebrated the month of Pink October 2022 under the slogan "Breast Cancer: early diagnosis leads to healing". On this occasion, Tunisian Post issued on October **14, 2022** a postage stamp to raise awareness among women on the importance of annual clinical examination and regular breast by the doctor or midwife in order to limit its severity.

Breast cancer is a disease that particularly affects women, but it can also rarely affect men. It is the most common type of cancer in women. According to the World Health Organization, approximately one in 12 women develops breast cancer. It is the leading cause of death from cancer in women worldwide.



Historical Events

The 18th Francophonie Summit, Djerba 2022





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	*Commemorative*
Drawing :	*A Photo*
Value :	*0d,9*
Size :	*30X40 mm*
Printer:	*Tunisian Post printer - Tunis*
Philatelic products :	*First day cover, perforated sheet*
Date of issue :	*November 19 ,2022*

*In commemoration of Tunisia's hosting of this important historical event and to contribute to the strengthening of ties of friendship, solidarity and cooperation within the French-speaking area, Tunisian Post issued a postage stamp on November **19, 2022** bearing the logo of the summit hosted by the island of Djerba and Tunisia, rich in a multicultural heritage and a three thousand year history.*



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Scenes from Tunisian Everyday Life

Distillation of flowers





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	Ordinary
Drawing :	Yosr JAMOUSSI
Value :	0^d75 - 2^d5
Size :	28X28 - format diamond
Printer :	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	March 24, 2023

*As part of contributing to better know the sector of crafts and small trades in our country and the encouragement of their practice and their promotion, Tunisian Post issued on March **24, 2023**, two postage stamps devoted to a traditional Tunisian trade that begins each spring, which is «the distillation of flowers». The first postage stamp depicts the bitter orange blossom distillation method and the second postage stamp depicts the rose water distillation method.*



Flora

Tunisian Mushrooms









CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	Ordinary
Drawing :	Amine CHAABENE - Sihem CHAABENE - Héla BEN CHEIKH - Safa YOUSSEF
Values :	0^d25 - 0^d75 - 1^d0 - 3^d0
Size :	40X40mm
Printer :	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	May 11, 2023

*As part of its contribution to make known of the richness and diversity of mushrooms abounding in Tunisia, the Tunisian Post issued on May **11, 2023** a series of four postage stamps dedicated to Boletus edulis, Lactarius edulis, Cantharellus cibarius et Amanita Caesarea.*

Tunisia is home to more than 100 species of mushrooms that are found throughout the country, from the Sahara to Tabarka, but the most prolific region is undoubtedly around Ain Draham.



Scenes from Tunisian Everyday Life

Tunisian Harissa





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	Ordinary
Drawing :	Amine CHAABENE
Values :	0^d75 , 1^d0
Size :	40X40 mm
Printer:	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	September 22 ,2023

As part of its contribution to making better known, preserving and promoting the richness and diversity of Tunisian cuisine, Tunisian Post issued two postage stamps on September **22, 2023** dedicated to: "Tunisian harissa", which is one of the main spices in Tunisian kitchen due to its historica symbolism and nutritional value.



Sites and Monuments

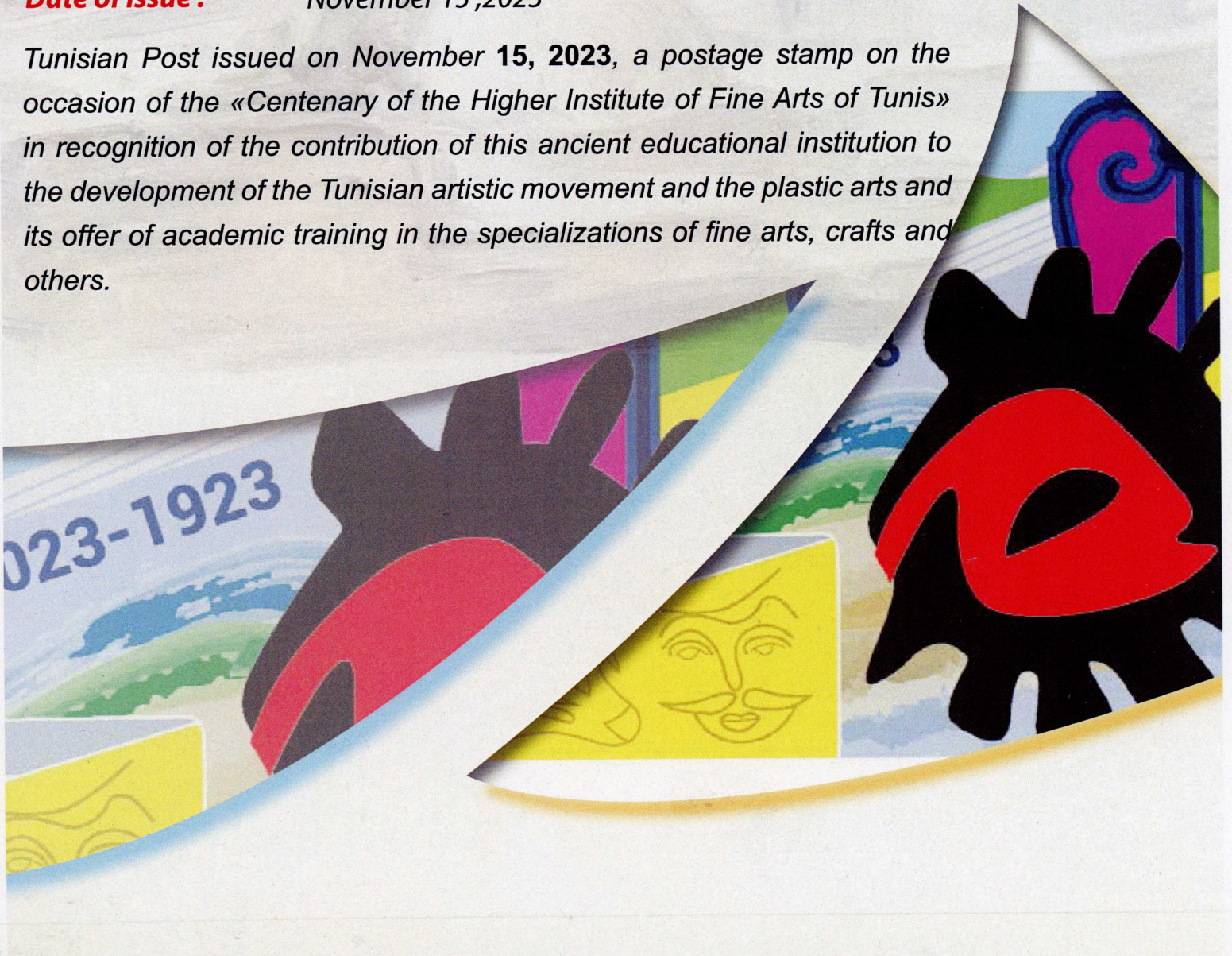
Centenary of the Higher Institute of Fine Arts of Tunis



CHARACTERISTICS

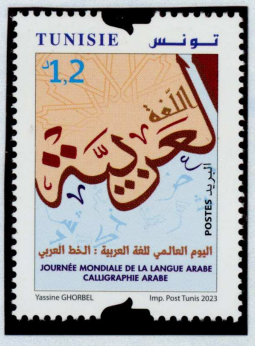
Series :	Commemorative
Drawing :	Yassine GHORBEL
Values :	4^{d}0
Size :	30X40 mm
Printer:	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	November 15 ,2023

Tunisian Post issued on November **15, 2023**, a postage stamp on the occasion of the «Centenary of the Higher Institute of Fine Arts of Tunis» in recognition of the contribution of this ancient educational institution to the development of the Tunisian artistic movement and the plastic arts and its offer of academic training in the specializations of fine arts, crafts and others.



Calligraphy

World Arabic Language Day
Arabic Calligraphy





CHARACTERISTICS

Series :	Commemorative
Drawing :	Sihem CHAABENE, Yassine GHORBEL
Value :	0^d75 , 1^d,2
Size :	30X40 mm
Printer:	Tunisian Post printer - Tunis
Philatelic products :	First day cover
Date of issue :	December 18 ,2023

Tunisian Post issued on December **18**, **2023**, two postage stamps to celebrate World Arabic Language Day, in order to highlight the heritage of this language and its contribution to enriching cultural and linguistic diversity of humanity.

