



PRESS RELEASE

Bank Al-Maghrib puts into circulation new 20-dirham banknote

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As part of issuing the latest series of banknotes and coins, Bank Al-Maghrib is putting in circulation as of today, Wednesday August 21st, 2024, the new 20-dirham banknote, in commemoration of Youth Day.

The new 20-dirham banknote highlights the rich architectural heritage and the socio-cultural development of Morocco. Its obverse features the portrait of His Majesty King Mohammed VI, the coat of arms of the Kingdom as well as an architectural detail inspired from Moroccan portals, and a stylized view of "Al Quaraouiyyine" University in Fez. The reverse side displays artistic representations of the Grand Theatre of Rabat, "Mohammed VI" Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, a grandstand of a sports complex, as well as a stylized view of the Kasbah of "Ait-Ben-Haddou."

This new banknote incorporates several cutting-edge security elements, such as a dynamic, color -shifting security thread, an iridescent stripe on the back side, tactile relief features for the visually impaired people, as well as progressive numbering.

The entire design and production process for this new banknote was carried out exclusively by Moroccan experts from Dar As-Sikkah.