

## Ploughman Scan Survey (PSS)

# Currency Commission Consolidated Bank Note Population Report 12/2023

### PSS 12/2023 report on the census of outstanding Irish 'Ploughman' Consolidated Bank Notes (CBN)

PSS is a continuing survey which seeks to record images of every surviving Consolidated Bank Note. The survey has been underway since 1996 in various forms and also records the grade of every note imaged. As of December 2023 the PSS database contains records of 3,902 notes,

with over 3,000 imaged. With a total face value of £10,639 recorded, this represents 10.108% of the last published total by the Central Bank of Ireland of £105,250 outstanding in Irish Consolidated Bank Notes.


Below is a Population report of notes recorded to December 2023 for each signature of the eight banks.

### PSS 12/2023 Consolidated Bank Note Population Report to December 2023

Breakdown by bank and signature of actual recorded notes (10.108% of the outstanding total amount of £105,250). N = 3902 notes (£10,639 face value). Amount, and percentage of total outstanding of each denomination.

	£1 notes	£5 Notes	£10 notes	1050 notes	Percentage
<b>Bank of Ireland</b>	897 (34%)	131 (14%)	22 (6.6%)		(26.9%)
Gargan	606	98	22		
Johnston	291	33			
<b>Hibernian Bank</b>	212 (8%)	146 (15.8%)	34 (10%)	392 notes	(10%)
Campbell	180	146	34		
Hodges	32				
<b>Munster &amp; Leinster Bank</b>	341 (12.9%)	115 (12.4%)	107 (31.8%)	563 notes	(14.4%)
Gubbins	106	64	69		
Hosford	235	51	38		
<b>National Bank</b>	446 (16.9%)	249 (26.9%)	65 (19.3%)	760 notes	(19.5%)
<b>Northern Bank</b>	63 (2.4%)	58 (6.3%)	7 (2%)	128 notes	(3.3%)
Knox	10	14	7		
Stewart	53	44			
<b>Provincial Bank of Ireland</b>	255 (9.7%)	107 (11.7%)	61 (18.1%)	423 notes	(10.9%)
Robertson	42	10	19		
Fforde	56	74	39		
Kennedy	157	23	3		
<b>Royal Bank of Ireland</b>	278 (10.5%)	53 (5.7%)	20 (6%)	351 notes	(9%)
Stanley	38	15	20		
Mack	181	38			
Wilson	59				
<b>Ulster Bank</b>	147 (5.6%)	67 (7.2%)	21 (6.2%)	235 notes	(6%)
Patton	57	38	12		
Lester	90	29	9		
<b>TOTAL NOTES</b>	2639	926	337	3902 notes	(100%)
<b>Total amount</b>	£2,639	£4,630	£3,370	£10,639	




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 for the most up to date version of the Consolidated Bank Note Population Report,  
 including data on the grades of surviving notes.