



What to do with old banknotes?

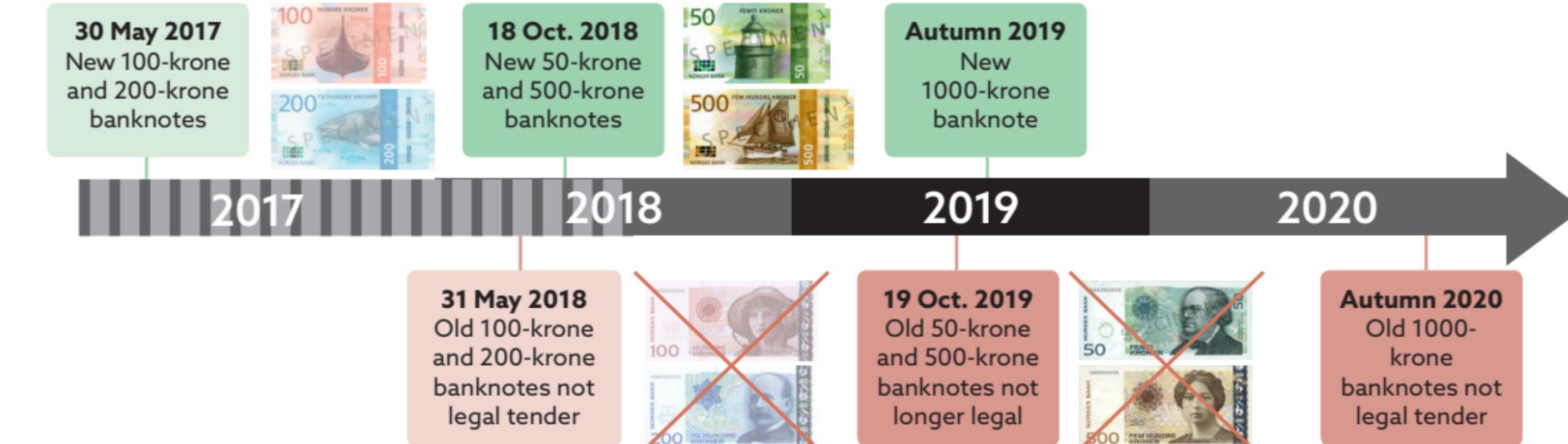
The new 100-kroner and 200-kroner notes have been in circulation since May 2017. The 50-kroner and 500-kroner notes will be issued on 18 October. The 1000-kroner note will be issued in the course of autumn of 2019.

Once the new 50-kroner and 500-kroner notes are put into circulation, you will still be able to pay with the old notes for a one-year period, i.e. until 18 October 2019.

Make sure that you use the old banknotes when you visit the supermarket or deposit them in your bank account by 18 October 2018. After this date, they will no longer be legal tender, but can be exchanged at Norges Bank for at least the next 10 years.



Launch timetable



Look, tilt, feel

Get to know the new banknotes

Norway's new banknote series

The new 50-krone and 500-krone banknotes will be introduced in 2018. These are the next two denominations in Norway's eighth banknote series. The primary motifs symbolise the importance of the sea for the prosperity and welfare of the people of Norway.

There are a number of security features to help you tell the difference between genuine banknotes and counterfeits. But in order for these security features to function as intended, you need to learn how to use them. The most important security features are described in this folder.

Check that the banknote is genuine



The illustration shows where the various security features intended for the public are placed on the 500-krone note. There is no anchor chain on the 50-krone note, but the other security features are in the same position.

Look

1. Watermark

When the banknote is held up to the light, the watermark, the head of an Atlantic puffin with the denomination, is visible. The Atlantic puffin motif is featured on all the denominations.



2. Security thread

When the banknote is held up to the light, the security thread is visible as a dark line running through the paper. The security thread bears the text "NB" and the value of the banknote in small print.



Tilt

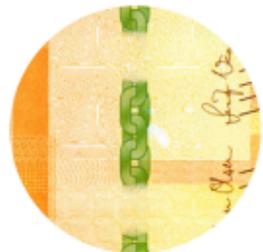
3. Floating ring

In the lower-left corner of the note, there is a rectangle containing a ring. When you tilt the banknote in different directions, the ring appears to float and you can see a play of colours.



4. Anchor chain

On the right-hand side of the 500-krone note, you can see an anchor chain integrated into the paper. When you tilt the note, the chain appears to move.



Feel

Paper quality

The banknotes are printed on cotton paper, which feels different from ordinary paper. The cotton paper has been treated with a dirt-resistant coating, which gives it a smooth surface.

Raised print

The primary motif and a number of details on the front are printed in intaglio, which can be felt. There are raised lines printed along the short edges of the notes to enable the blind and the visually impaired to distinguish between the denominations.



More information on Norway's new banknotes, security features and the transition to the new banknotes can be found at www.newnotes.no and in the app "NyeSedler", which is available via the App Store or Google Play.

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