

United States Mint

Quarterly Product Fulfillment Research

FY17 Questionnaire

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Note to reader: Bold lines in between questions signify page/screen breaks.

Welcome to the United States Mint's product satisfaction survey.

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Please click the Forward button to begin the survey.

To begin, we will first take a few minutes to familiarize you with our survey.

The survey will NOT ALLOW YOU TO SKIP A QUESTION. If you do not know an exact answer, then please give your best estimate.

You may click on the STOP button to pause the program to take a break. When you re-enter the survey you must use the same User ID and Password; the survey will return to the screen where you clicked Stop.

Please click the FORWARD button to begin.

(Based on sample file, assign order as high value \$101 or more or low value, \$100 or less.)

SCREENING CRITERIA

S1 Have you received a product shipment from the United States Mint in the past 30 days?

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> |
| No | <input type="radio"/> |

Send to terminate screen if "No."

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SATISFACTION

For this survey, please think about the **most recent order that you received** from the United States Mint. (Do not think about an order that you have placed but have not yet received.)

Q1 First, please indicate which items were included in this most recent order. *(Select all that apply.)*

| [DO NOT SHOW THIS COLUMN] | Product Types | Items included in this most recent order - Select all that Apply - |
|---------------------------|---|---|
| | Annual Coin Sets | |
| | Annual Clad Proof Sets (Full set, Quarters, Presidential \$1 Coin) | |
| 2 | - Full set | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 | - Quarters set | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 | - Presidential \$1 Coin set | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | Annual Silver Proof Sets (Full set, Quarters) | |
| 5 | - Full set | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6 | - Quarters set | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7 | Uncirculated Sets (the full set of P and D coins) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | American Eagle Coins | |
| 8 | American Eagle Silver Coins | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9 | American Eagle Gold Coins | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | American Buffalo Coins | |
| 10 | American Buffalo 24K Gold Coins | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | First Spouse Coins | |
| 11 | First Spouse 24K Gold Coins | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | Commemorative Coins | |
| 12 | Gold, Silver or Clad Commemorative Coins | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 13 | Special Commemorative Coin Sets | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | Other Coins and Merchandise | |
| 14 | Other United States Mint Products | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Q2a [IF MORE THAN 1 ITEM CHECKED IN Q1, INSERT “First think about your order **overall**. (We’ll ask about the individual items in your order a little later.)”] Please rate your satisfaction with the following aspects of this order, using a scale of 1 to 6, where “1” means “extremely dissatisfied” and “6” means “extremely satisfied.”

| | Extremely Dissatisfied | | | | | Extremely Satisfied |
|--|------------------------|---|---|---|---|---------------------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Overall satisfaction with your order | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Quality of the coins/items | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Quality of the product packaging | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Condition of the external (shipping) package | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Timeliness/speed of receiving the order | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Security of the delivery method | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Packing material | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Packing slip | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Q2b We’d like to understand more about the relative value you place on each of these aspects of your order.

Please distribute 100 “importance points” across the options below to indicate how important each would be to you. You can give each option as many, or as few importance points as you like – as long as the total sums to 100. If you do not think an item is important at all, give that item “0” points.

| | # of importance points |
|--|------------------------|
| Quality of the coins/items | _____ |
| Quality of the product packaging | _____ |
| Condition of the external (shipping) package | _____ |
| Timeliness/speed of receiving the order | _____ |
| Security of the delivery method | _____ |
| Packing material | _____ |
| Packing slip | _____ |
| | MUST SUM TO 100 |

Q2c Earlier you rated your satisfaction with the Quality of the Coins/Items a [insert rating from Q2a2]. Why are you not fully satisfied with the Quality of the Coins/Items?

PROGRAMMING: Only ask if Q2a2 (satisfaction rating on Quality of Coins/Items) = <6; Do not force entry.

Q2d Earlier you rated your satisfaction with the Quality of the Product Packaging a [insert rating from Q2a3]. Why are you not fully satisfied with the Quality of the Product Packaging?

PROGRAMMING: Only ask if Q2a3 (satisfaction rating on Quality of Product Packaging) = <6; Do not force entry.

Q3. Earlier you rated your satisfaction with [item being asked about from Q2a] a [insert rating from Q2a]. Why are you dissatisfied with the [INSERT ANSWER FROM Q2a]?

[If a respondent was already asked Q.2c and Q.2d do not ask Q3. If a respondent was only asked either Q2.c OR Q2.d (but not both) randomly select one row from Q2.a to ask about in Q.3 that's not rows 1-3. If a customer was asked neither Q2c or Q2d, and has 2 rows, excluding rows 1-3, that are a "1" or "2" then ask Q.3 for both rows. If customer has 3 or more rows, excluding rows 1-3, that are a "1" or "2" then randomly select 2 rows to ask for Q.3.

Skip Q3 if they answered 3 or higher for all other rows, that are not rows 1-3, in Q.2a.]

Q3b (Skip if they answered 6 for Quality of the coins/items in Q.2a.)

Would you say that the reason you were not fully satisfied with the quality of the coins/items was due to...

| | |
|--|-----------------------|
| Production by the United States Mint | <input type="radio"/> |
| Issues that occurred while the coins/items were in transit (i.e., shipping problems) | <input type="radio"/> |
| Both were likely factors | <input type="radio"/> |
| Not sure | <input type="radio"/> |

Q3c (Skip if they answered 6 for Quality of the product packaging in Q.2a.)

Would you say that the reason you were not fully satisfied with the quality of the product packaging was due to...

| | |
|---|-----------------------|
| Production by the United States Mint | <input type="radio"/> |
| Issues that occurred while the product packaging was in transit (i.e., shipping problems) | <input type="radio"/> |
| Both were likely factors | <input type="radio"/> |
| Not sure | <input type="radio"/> |

If only 1 row checked in Q.1, skip Q4 and Q4b

Q4 Now please rate your **satisfaction with each of the individual types of items** you received in your order.

| | Extremely Dissatisfied | | | | | Extremely Satisfied | |
|--|------------------------|---|---|---|---|---------------------|--|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | |
| INSERT ITEM #1 FROM Q1 | | | | | | | |
| Quality of the coins/items | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Quality of the product packaging (not the external shipping packaging) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| INSERT ITEM #2 FROM Q1 | | | | | | | |
| Quality of the coins/items | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Quality of the product packaging (not the external shipping packaging) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| ETC. [SHOW FOR EACH ITEM SELECTED IN Q1] | | | | | | | |
| Quality of the coins/items | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Quality of the product packaging (not the external shipping packaging) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

Q4b Earlier you rated your satisfaction with the Quality of the [insert product name] a [insert rating from Q4] on [Product Quality] and a [insert rating from Q4] on [Product Packaging Quality]. Why are you not fully satisfied with the Quality of the [insert product name]?

PROGRAMMING: Ask Q.4b for each specific product that is rated <6 on either Quality of the Coins/Items OR Quality of the Product Packaging in Q4. If more than 3 products are rated <6 on either Quality of the Coins/Items or Quality of the Product Packaging, cap the number of products asked about in Q.4b at 3, showing the products that so far have been asked about least.

Cap the number of Open Ends that a respondent sees for Q.4b at 3. Show all 3 open ends for Q.4b on the same screen.

Do not force entry.

Q17 Which of the following shipping options did you select for your most recent order?

| | |
|---|---|
| Budget (1 to 2 business weeks for \$4.95) | 0 |
| Standard (2 to 6 business days for \$12.95) | 0 |
| Expedited (2 to 3 business days for \$17.95) | 0 |
| Next day (the next business day for \$20.95) | 0 |

Q6 How did you place this **most recent order**?

| | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| By phone | 0 |
| Internet | 0 |
| Mail-in order form | 0 |
| Part of my subscription order | 0 |
| Other | 0 |

Q50. Did you receive an email confirming your order?

| | |
|-----|---|
| Yes | 0 |
| No | 0 |

Q51. (Ask only if Q50 = Yes) How satisfied were you with the...

| | Extremely Dissatisfied | | | | | | Extremely Satisfied |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | |
| Clarity of the confirmation email | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Timeliness of the confirmation email | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Q52. Was this the first order you ever placed with the United States Mint?

| | |
|-----|---|
| Yes | 0 |
| No | 0 |

Q7 Was this **most recent order** delivered **within the time frame you expected when you placed the order?**

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> |
| No | <input type="radio"/> |

[If Q.7= Yes, skip to Q.11]

Q8 Were you informed that there would be a delay in receiving the order **after you placed your order?**

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> |
| No | <input type="radio"/> |

[If Q.8 = No, skip to Q.11]

Q9 Were you given a **new estimated timeframe for expecting the order** when you were notified of the delay?

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> |
| No | <input type="radio"/> |

[If Q.9 = No, skip to Q.11]

Q10 Was the order delivered **within the new expected time frame that you were told?**

| | |
|-----|-----------------------|
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> |
| No | <input type="radio"/> |

Q11 Prior to receiving this order, did you receive a **notification from the United States Mint informing you that this order had shipped?**

| | Yes | No |
|-----------|-----|----|
| By E-mail | 0 | 0 |
| By Phone | 0 | 0 |

Q13 Please explain in detail any other issues you experienced with the fulfillment of your order.

Q14 Now, please rate your satisfaction with these United States Mint product and service areas.

| | Extremely Dissatisfied | | | | | | Extremely Satisfied | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---------------------|---|---|----|----|----|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Breadth of product types offered | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Product availability / access | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Communications overall | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Overall customer service | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Q35. How likely are you to recommend United States Mint collectible products to someone else?

| | Not At All Likely | | | | | | | | | | Extremely Likely | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| Likelihood to recommend to someone else | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Q35b. Please tell us your reasons for giving this rating.

Do not force entry

ROTATIONAL SECTION

[[INSERT HERE]] - Rotational Section TBD quarterly

FUTURE PURCHASING BEHAVIOR

Next, we'd like to understand what types of purchases, if any, you expect to make from the United States Mint in the future.

Q18 How likely are you to purchase products directly from the United States Mint in the next 12 months?

| | Not At All Likely | | | | | Extremely Likely |
|---|-------------------|---|---|---|---|------------------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Likelihood to purchase products directly from the United States Mint in the <u>next 12 months</u> | o | o | o | o | o | o |

Q19 Are you more likely to purchase products directly from the United States Mint in the next 12 months...?

| | |
|---------------------------------|---|
| For yourself | o |
| As a gift | o |
| Both for yourself and as a gift | o |

PROGRAMMING: Only ask if Q18 is greater than or equal to 2 (or, do not ask if Q18 = 1)

Q20 You rated your likelihood to purchase products directly from the United States Mint in the next 12 months a [insert rating from Q18]. Why did you provide this rating?

PROGRAMMING: Only ask if Q18 is less than or equal to 3; Do not force entry.

Q16 Based on what you know today, over the next 12 months would you say you are most likely to...?

Please select one.

| Future Purchasing with the United States Mint (<i>Next 12 Months</i>) | |
|--|-----------------------|
| 1. <i>Increase</i> the amount of merchandise you purchase from the United States Mint | <input type="radio"/> |
| 2. <i>Purchase about the same amount</i> from the United States Mint | <input type="radio"/> |
| 3. <i>Decrease</i> the amount of merchandise you purchase from the United States Mint | <input type="radio"/> |
| 4. <i>Stop purchasing</i> from the United States Mint altogether | <input type="radio"/> |

Thank you for taking the time to complete our survey!