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Romanian
official
currency

-LEU/RON-



ORIGINS

- The name of the currency literally translates into "lion".

LEU is derived from the Dutch Taler, a silver coin used throughout Europe for almost four hundred years.



COINS



Right until 2005, these were issued with different compositions, most of which were in silver, nickel, and copper. The series of coins being used at the moment in the country was introduced in 2005.



BANKNOTES



- In 1999, the National Bank put into circulation, for the first time, a polymer banknote. This type of material represents the top technological achievement in banknote production and presents several advantages compared to the traditional paper: it incorporates supplementary security features, it is more durable, easier to process on automatic machinery and it can be recycled into a variety of plastic products.



On each note are illustrated portraits of an important personality from our country.

The face of the 1 leu bill features the portrait of Romanian historian Nicolae Iorga, and on the back there's the Episcopal Cathedral of Curtea de Argeș Monastery and the ancient Wallachian coat of arms, featuring an eagle holding a cross in its beak.





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The face of the 5 lei bill features the portrait of Romanian violinist and composer George Enescu and on the back there's the Romanian Athenaeum, one of the symbol buildings of Bucharest, a piano, and a musical stave.





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The face of the 10 lei bill features the portrait of Nicolae Grigorescu, one of the founders of Romania's modern painting school and on the back there is a traditional house from Oltenia region (named „culă”) and a fragment of Grigorescu's painting.





The face of the 50 lei bill features the portrait of pioneer airplane builder Aurel Vlaicu and on the back there is a sketch of Vlaicu's second airplane, a sketch of an airplane engine section and an eagle head.

The face of the 100 lei bill features the portrait of Romania's most famous play writer Ion Luca Caragiale;



On the back there is the old National Theatre of Bucharest.



The face of the 200 lei bill features the portrait of Romanian poet Lucian Blaga and;

On the back there is the Neolithic statue “The Thinker of Hamangia”, one of the oldest artifacts found in Romania, along with a rainbow and an old water mill.





The face of the 500 lei bill features the portrait of Romania's national poet Mihai Eminescu and on the back there is the University Library in Iasi and a page from Timpul newspaper, which Eminescu once run.

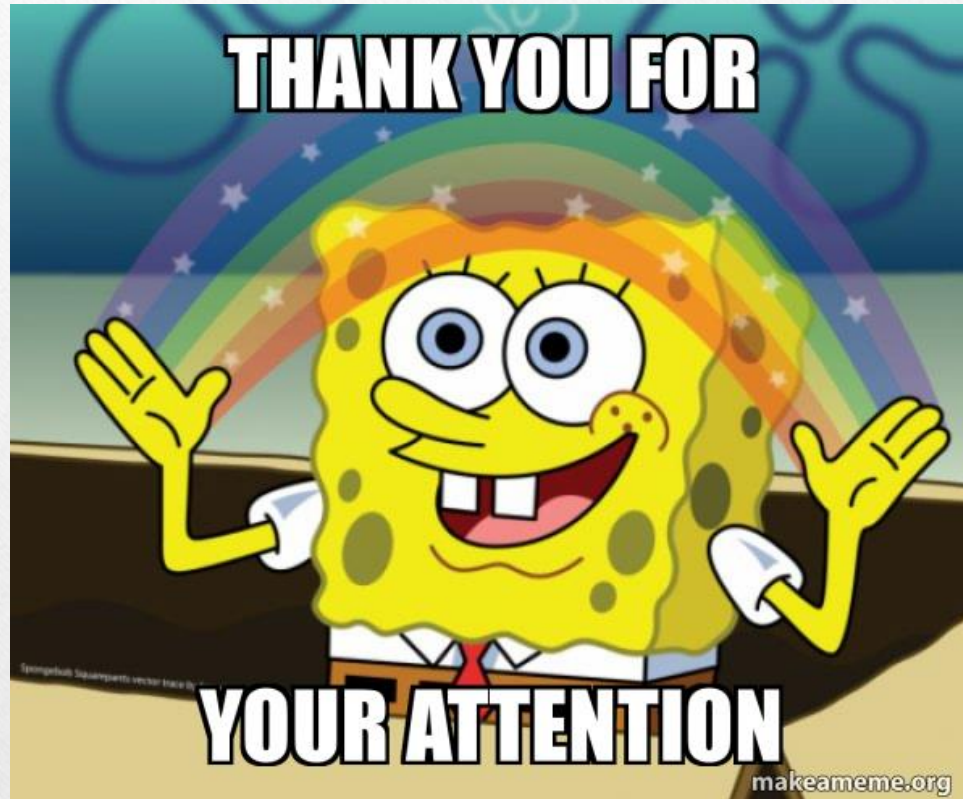


Gracias por su atencion!

Děkuji vám!

Merci de votre attention!

Obrigado pela atenção!



Dziękuję za uwagę!

Grazie per l'attenzione!