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NOTES ON SINGLE LINE PERFORATION. (SLP).

Australian Commonwealth stamps issued in single line perforation include the following:

Australian Commonwealth Specialist Catalogue numbers used.

59	1913	1d KG V Engraved issue.	138.....	1929	1½d Swan.
60	1914	6d Engraved Kookaburra.	139/40 ...	1930	1½d & 3d Sturt issue.
64	1915	½d Green KG V Single Wmk.	141/3.....	1931	Kingsford Smith Set of 3.
70	1914	1d Red KG V Single Wmk.	144.....	1931	6d Brown Airmail.
122.....	1915	5d Brown KG V Single Wmk.	145.....	1932	1/- Large Lyrebird.
124.....	1918	5d Brown KG V OS Rough	146/8.....	1932	2d Bridge (no wmk)
.....		paper - Single Watermark.		3d and 5/- Bridge issues.
132.....	1917	1½d Canberra.	161.....	1934	1/-6d Airmail No Wmk. .
133.....	1928	3d Kookaburra issue.	165.....	1935	1/- Anzac.
134/5.....	1929	3d Airmail.			

DEFINITION: SINGLE LINE PERFORATION.

The simplest form of perforation in which rows of stamps are punched in "single lines", the sheets then being turned sideways-on and the process repeated. Single Line perforated stamps can usually be identified by the fact that the intersecting holes at the corners of the stamps never - or rarely ever - precisely match.

Examples of mismatching perforation holes circled below.

