Changes in Values of Hawaiian Stamps - 2019 to 2020 By Howard Kadohiro

Scott #		Description	Unused Value 2019	Used Value 2019	Unused Value 2020	Used Value 2020	Value Change +/-	% Change
1	2c blue		\$660,000.00		\$ 625,000.00		-\$35,000.00	
19	lc black		\$600.00		\$625.00		\$25.00	4.2
19	pair		\$1,275.00		\$1,300.00		\$25.00	2.0
20	2c black on cover			\$19,000.00		\$ 17,500.00	-\$1,500.00	-7.9
34	18c dull rose (71)			\$42.50		\$45.00	\$2.50	5.9
44	10c red brown ('84)			\$11.00		\$12.00	\$1.00	9.1
48	50c red			\$90.00		\$95.00	\$5.00	5.6
UX3	3c	blue green (21,426)	\$65.00		\$67.50		\$2.50	3.8
UX4	lc	red, <i>buff</i> (171,240)	\$25.00		\$27.50		\$2.50	10.0
UX6	2c black (R) (10,000)		\$60.00		\$65.00		\$5.00	8.3
UX7	3c blue green (R) (8574)		\$75.00		\$80.00		\$5.00	6.7
R1	25c green (160,000)			\$19.00		\$20.00	\$1.00	5.3
R4	\$5 vermillion & violet blue(21,000)			\$55.00		\$57.50	\$2.50	4.5
R5	\$10 reddish brown & Green (14,000)			\$60.00		\$65.00	\$5.00	8.3
R12	\$50 slate blue & carmine (7,000)		\$65.00		\$70.00		\$5.00	
R12		used		\$75.00		\$70.00	-\$5.00	-6.7

Changes in values for select Hawaiian stamps. Scott US Specialized 2019 and 2020 catalogs used.

I've been wondering for a while how catalog value for Hawaii stamps were trending. Scott Matthews had a copy of Scott 2020 US Specialized and I had the 2019 volume. With Scott's help I began tracking about 500 Hawaii values starting from Scott number 1 thru R16. Mainly unused, used, unused non-hinged, and on cover. It resulted in changes in 16 values, 13 increases and 3 decreases. Largest dollar increase was in Scott No. 19 unused in single and pair, \$25.00. Largest % increase UX4 unused, 10%. Largest dollar decrease was Scott No. 1 unused, \$35,000.00. Largest % decrease was No. 20 on cover, 7.9%.

It took some time to enter all the values, but thanks to the coronavirus I had all the time to complete this project. Volume 1 of 2021 Scott Standard Catalog is out, so this information is dated, but still interesting.

Howard Kadohiro is a member who collects Hawaii material. Howard had relatives that served in the US Armed Forces in the Far East, North Atlantic, and Occupied Japan during World War II.



This is a Hawaii Scott #6 unused from an upcoming https://siegelauctions.com/

Sale #1223, June 4-5,2020. There are many Hawaii stamps, stationery, and postal history items in the auction. The auction catalog can be downloaded and viewed at your leisure. Nice illustrations and write-ups for each lot.