

Rare Coin Values Surpass Auction Estimates, Set New Records in U.S. and International Markets

Hard Asset Management highlights examples of exceptional long-term coin appreciation as collector and investor interest grows worldwide for select rarities

SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, June 23, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The rare coin market continues to demonstrate extraordinary strength at auctions, with numerous United States and world coins significantly exceeding the presale estimates and setting new price records. Hard Asset Management, a global precious metals and rare coin dealer, showcases examples of coins that have dramatically appreciated in value over the past several decades, reinforcing the long-term performance of numismatic assets.

Recent auction sales underscore the continued demand for coins with historical significance, certified rarity, and established provenance. Among the most notable results in early 2025 was the sale of a 1927-D Saint-Gaudens Double Eagle PCGS MS65+ for \$3.84 million and a 1798 Small Eagle Half Eagle, which closed at \$3 million, both achieving new highs in their respective categories.

"Exceptional rarities continue to demonstrate the ability to outperform expectations and deliver remarkable long-term returns," said Christian Briggs, CEO of Hard Asset Management Inc. "These results reflect both a sustained interest in tangible assets and the importance of portfolio diversification through historically significant rarities." In the past 36-48 months we are seeing continued growth in demand for great rarities, and auction results are proving these returns."

U.S. Coins: Long-Term Prices Realized At Auction

Over the past 20 to 30 years, several U.S. coins have appreciated well beyond initial estimates:

- The 1933 Double Eagle, once worth under \$1 million, achieved \$18.9 million at Sotheby's in 2021.
- An 1894-S Barber Dime reached \$2.16 million at auction in 2025, continuing its trajectory as one of the rarest American dimes.
- The 1907 Ultra High Relief Saint-Gaudens Double Eagle sold for \$4.25 million in 2025, doubling in value over a four-year period.
- A 1652 New England Three-pence sold for \$2.52 million in 2024, setting a record for U.S. colonial coinage.

Global Records: European and Asian Coins Surging

International coins have also achieved extraordinary results, including:

- A 1937 Edward VIII 5 Sovereign coin realized \$2.45 million, up 88% from the previous year.
- A 1621 Polish 100 Ducat coin sold for \$2.16 million in 2018 after previously realizing \$1.05 million a decade earlier.
- A 1903 Fengtien Tael from China commanded \$6.9 million in 2022, setting a new benchmark for Asian numismatics.
- In early 2025, a 1344 Edward III "Double Leopard" gold coin was valued at over £8 million Pounds (Approx: \$11 million Dollars), a 1,739% increase since discovery.

Auction Houses Report Elevated Bidding Activity

Leading auction firms have reported rising global demand and stronger-than-expected results across all categories. The total U.S. coin sales volume for January's major events exceeded \$65 million, with world coin segments following similar growth patterns.

"Rare coins provide a very unique combination of store of wealth, long-term capital growth, and privacy," added Briggs. "We are seeing increased allocation from both collectors and high-net-worth investors seeking long-term private stores of wealth and value as currency devaluation continues and as we fully transition from paper to centralized digital currencies around the world." This digital monetary policy transformation will continue to drive individuals into hard assets including rare art, cars and coins as a hedge and for privacy.

About Hard Asset Management

Hard Asset Management, is a full-service dealer specializing in select United States and World rare coins and precious metals. The company provides customers of any age with market insights and access to some of the finest tangible assets available globally.

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