

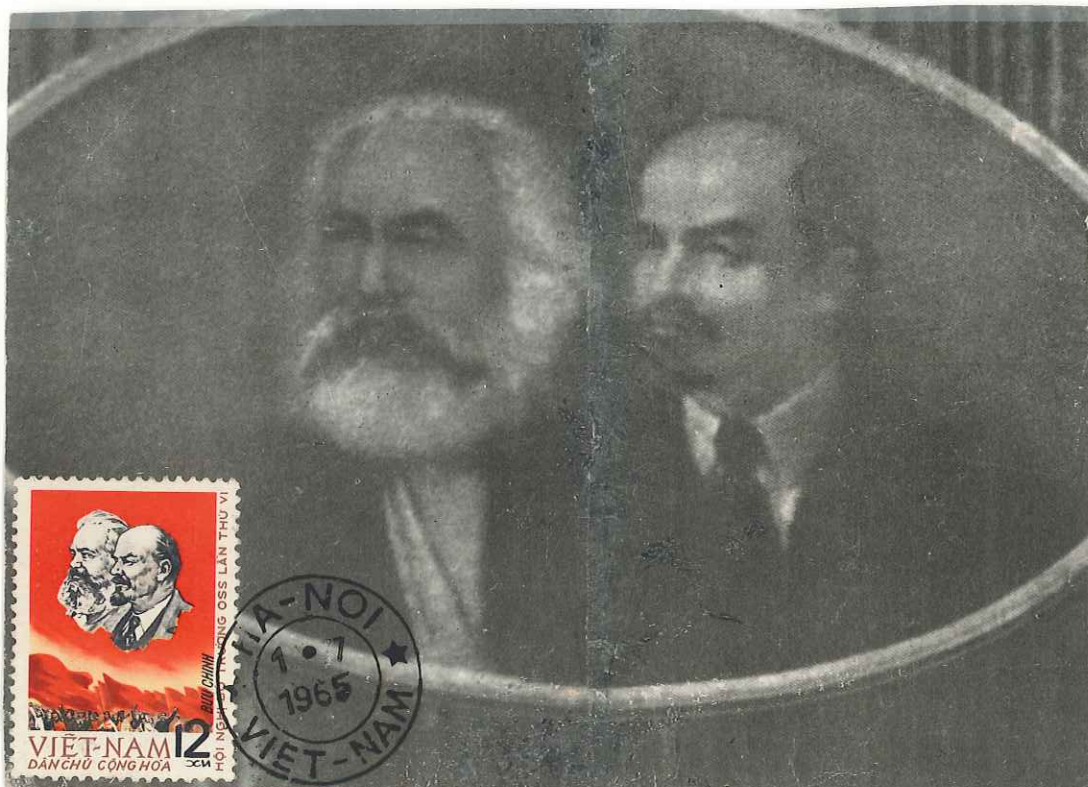


This stamp was issued on July 1, 1965 to publicize the Postal Ministers Congress that was held in Peking, China from June 21, 1965 to July 15, 1965. The stamp depicts Marx and Lenin and was designed by Li Fu. This stamp appears to be one of the very few gummed stamps issued by this country. It was printed by the photogravure process by the Government Printing Works in Peking.

This is the only stamp of this era to be printed in China. A Chinese stamp with the same design was issued on June 21, 1965. (See 9/93 article by Huang Ming-Hsin).

VIET-NAM

Maximum Card with Fake Postmark



VIET-NAM



These stamps were issued on July 20, 1965 to honor Nguyen Van Troi (1940 - 1964) who is depicted on the stamps. He was a Vietnamese patriot who was born in Da Nang. He planned to blow up the U.S. Secretary of Defense, Robert Mc Namara, as his car crossed a bridge on the main road into Saigon from the airport. Troi's plot was discovered by South Vietnamese police, and he was arrested, tortured and executed. He was also depicted on a set of stamps issued earlier in 1965 in March and in 1971.

The stamps were designed by Do Viet Tuan. They also exist imperforate, *although they were not officially issued imperforate.*



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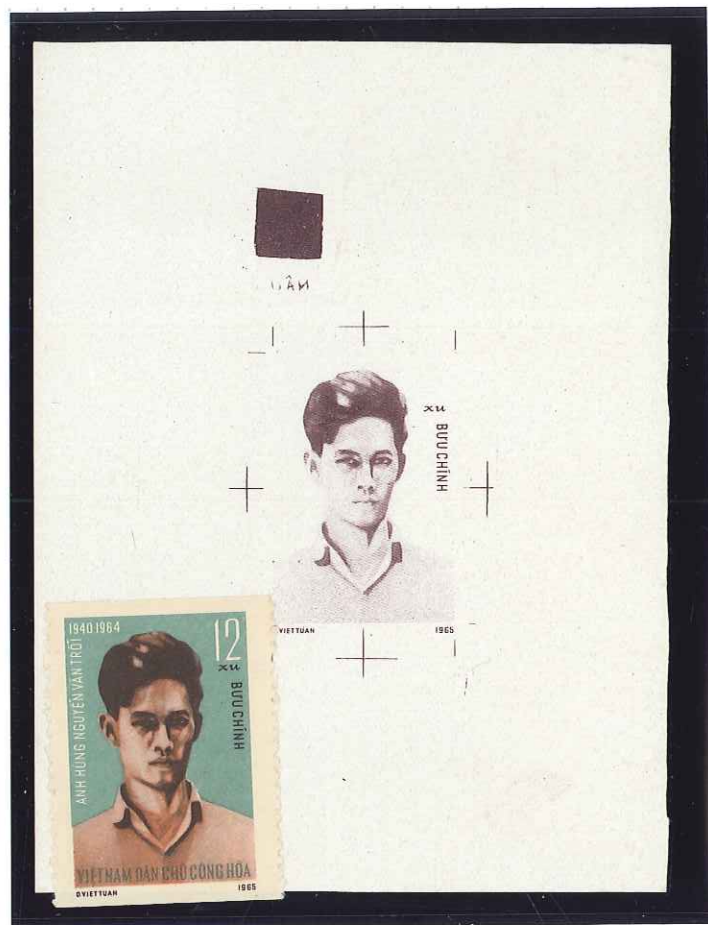
Varieties



Double Row of Perforations Between the Top Stamps and the Selvedge

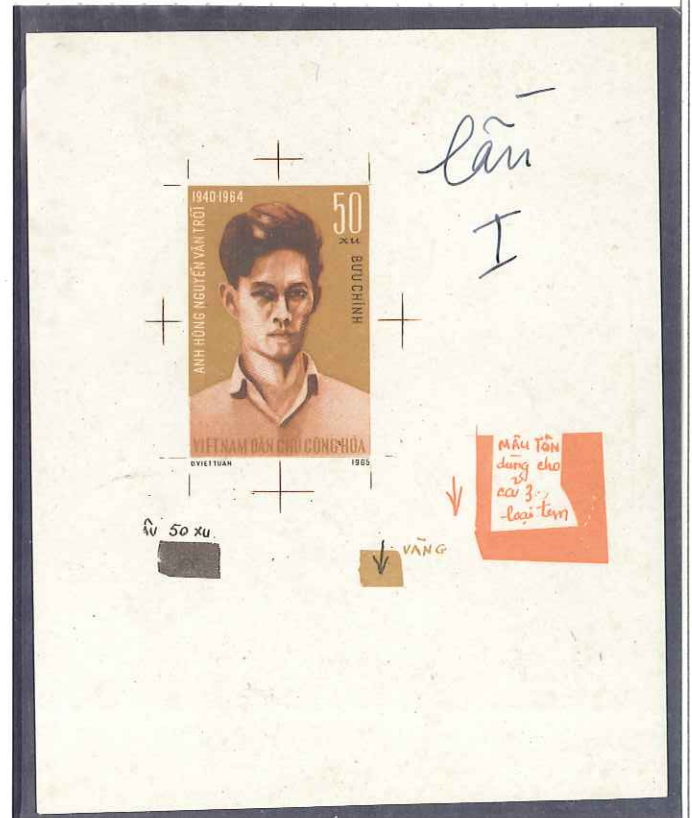
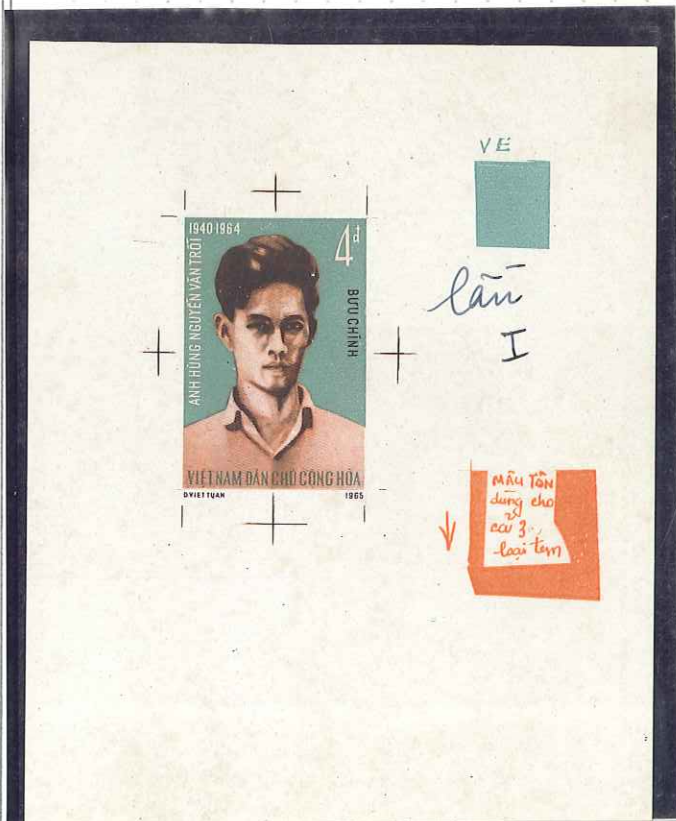
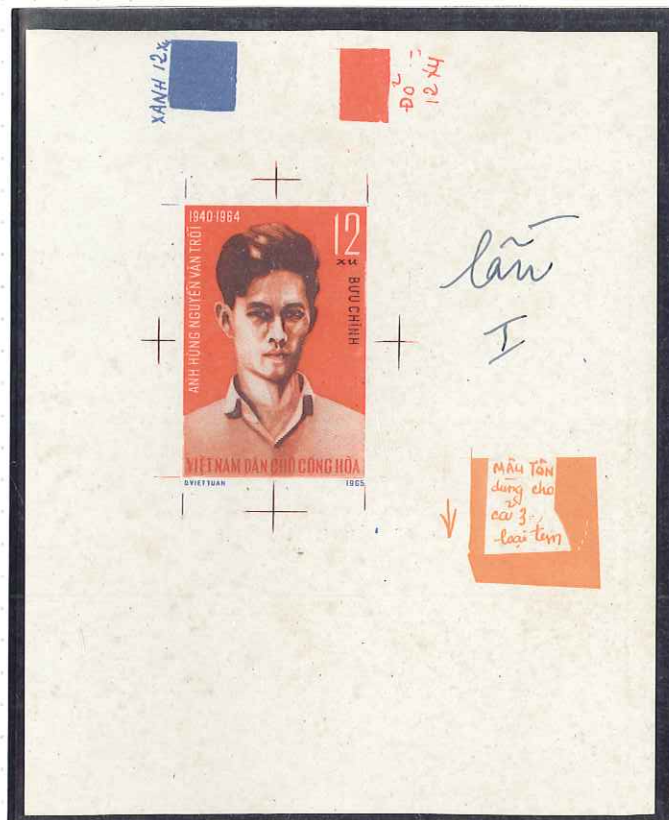
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First Stage Trial Color Proof in Brown Only



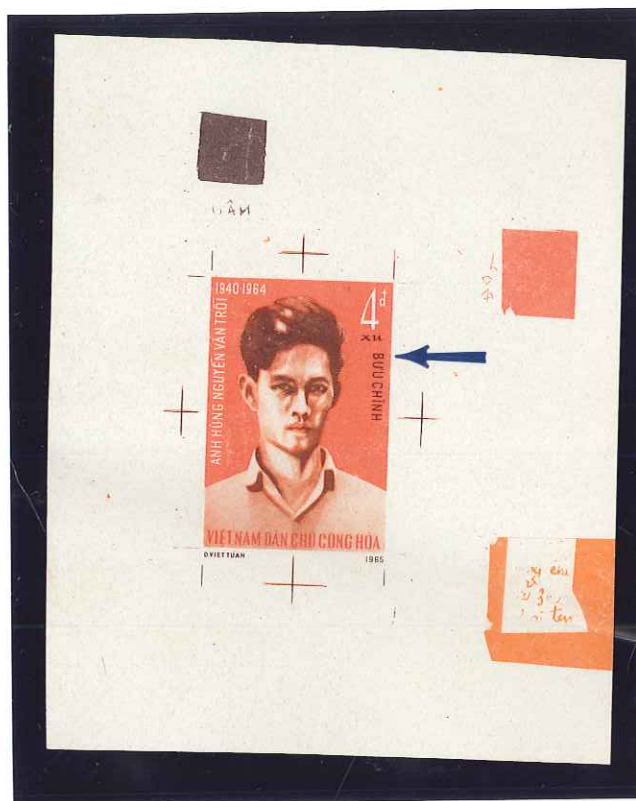
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"lan I" (1st Time) Trial Color Proofs



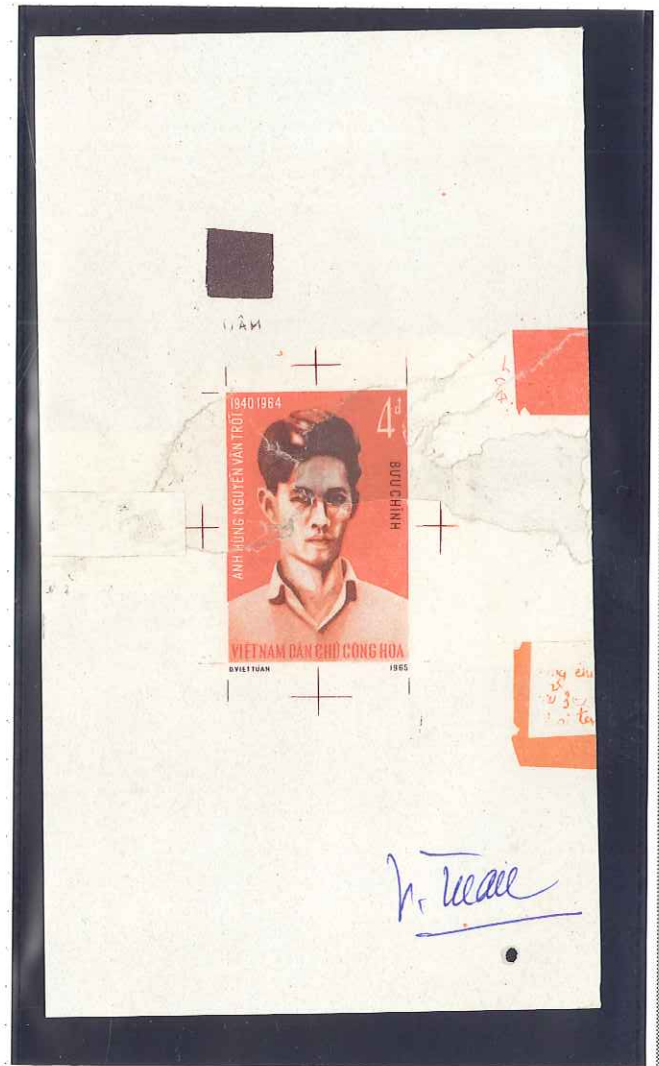
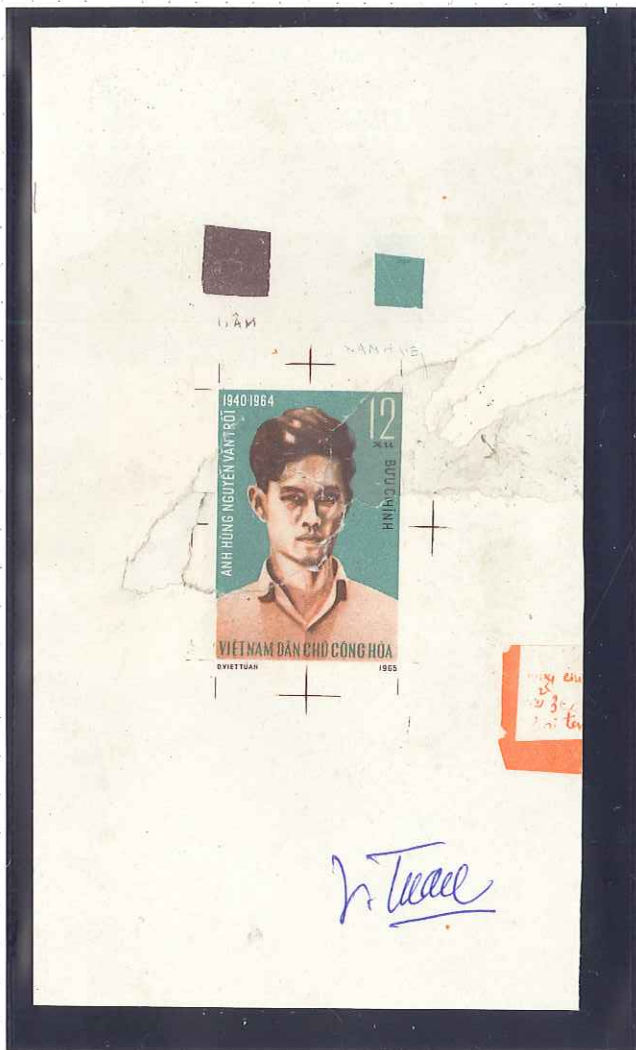
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Proofs in Issued Colors



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Proofs in Issued Colors



These proofs were torn. The actual issued stamps were used to repair them.

These proofs were signed by Do Viet Tuan, the stamps' designer.

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Trial Color Die Proofs



359, 357

200, 200

VIET-NAM



These stamps depicting noxious insects were issued on July 24, 1965. They were designed by Nguyen-Toan and printed by the photogravure process.



*Tessaratoma
papillosa* Drury



Rhynchocoris humeralis
Thunberg



Pæcilocoris latus
Dallas



W. A. V.



Tosena melanoptera ?
White



(to) ~~*Pomponia intermedia*~~
(ndof) ~~*Platylomia umbrata*~~
Cicada sp. →

~~*Fulgoria candelaria*~~

Fulgora candelaria
Linne →



[Handwritten signature]

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Handpainted Artist's Drawing

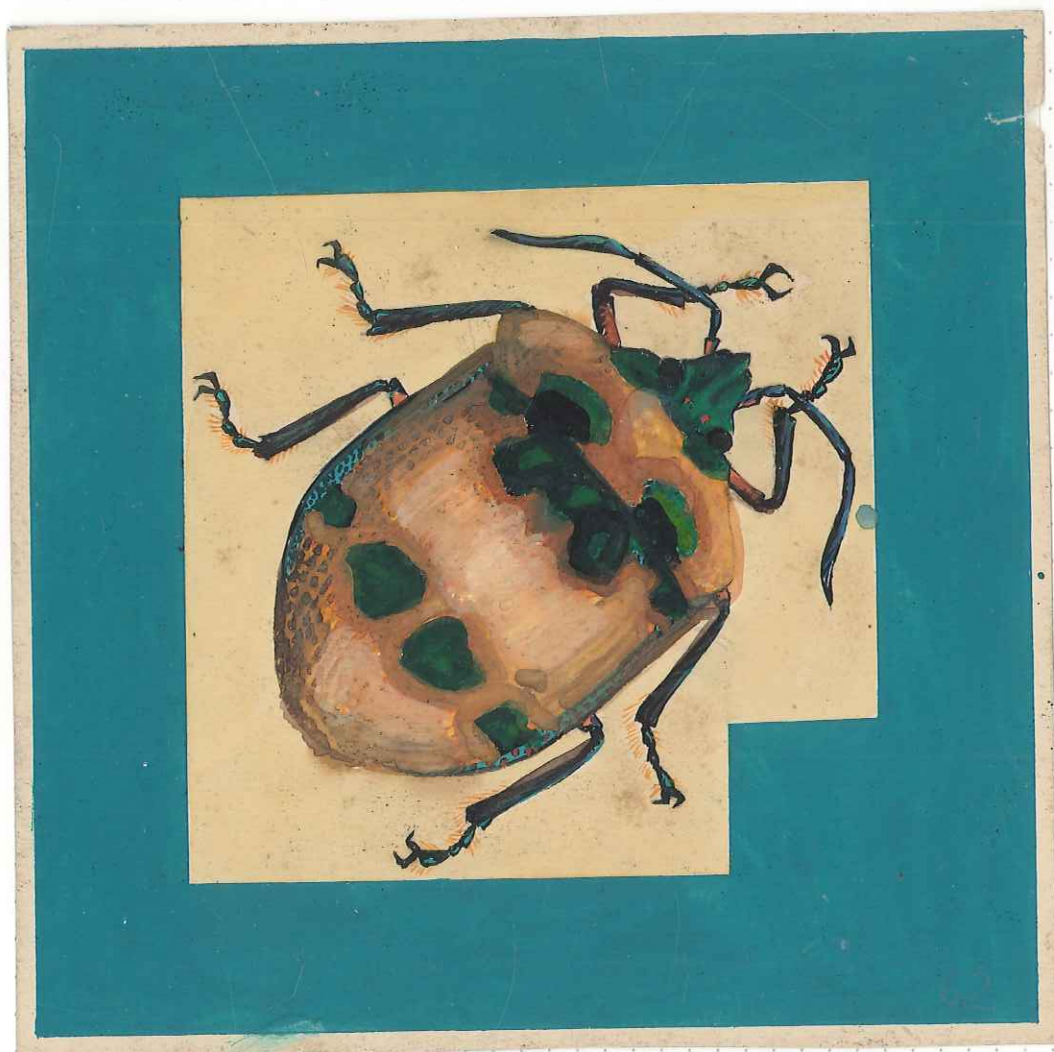
Signed on the Reverse by Le Toan, the Stamp's Designer



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Handpainted Artist's Drawing

Signed on the Reverse by Le Toan, the Stamp's Designer



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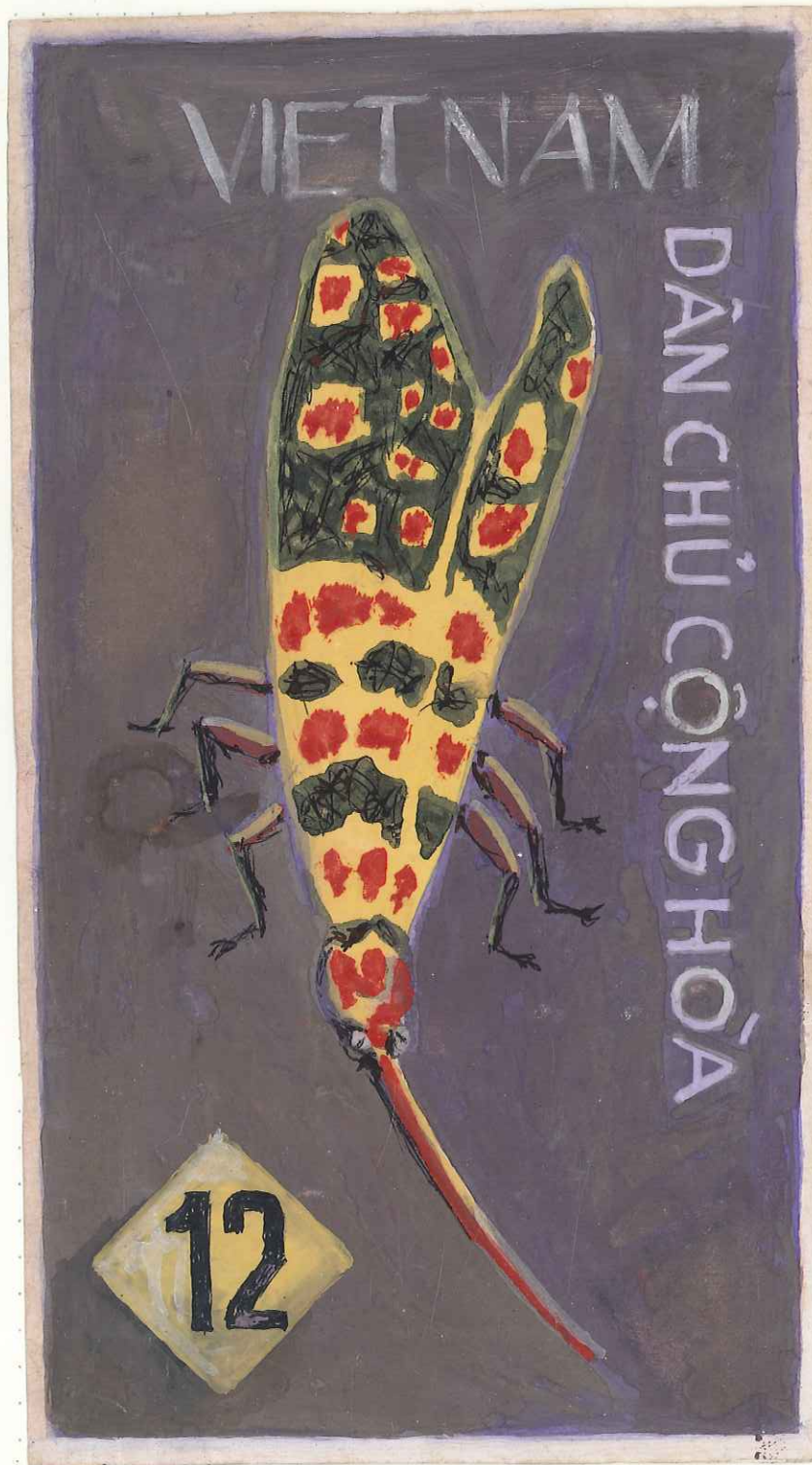
Signed on the Reverse by Le Toan, the Stamp's Designer



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Handpainted Artist's Drawing

Signed on the Reverse by le Toan, the Stamp's Designer



VIET-NAM



These two stamps were issued on August 19, 1965 to commemorate the 20th anniversary of the August Revolution. The revolution began shortly after Japan's surrender to the Allies (which occurred on August 14, 1945) when 1,000 armed Viet Minh troops entered Hanoi on August 19, 1945 and assumed control over the city. They did not meet any resistance from either the Japanese troops or from the four month old government of Emperor Bao Dai.

A set of stamps was also issued on August 19th of 1958 to mark this event.



Imperfector stamps are not listed for this issue.

20 NĂM NAM BỘ KHÁNG CHIẾN (1945 - 1965)



1965

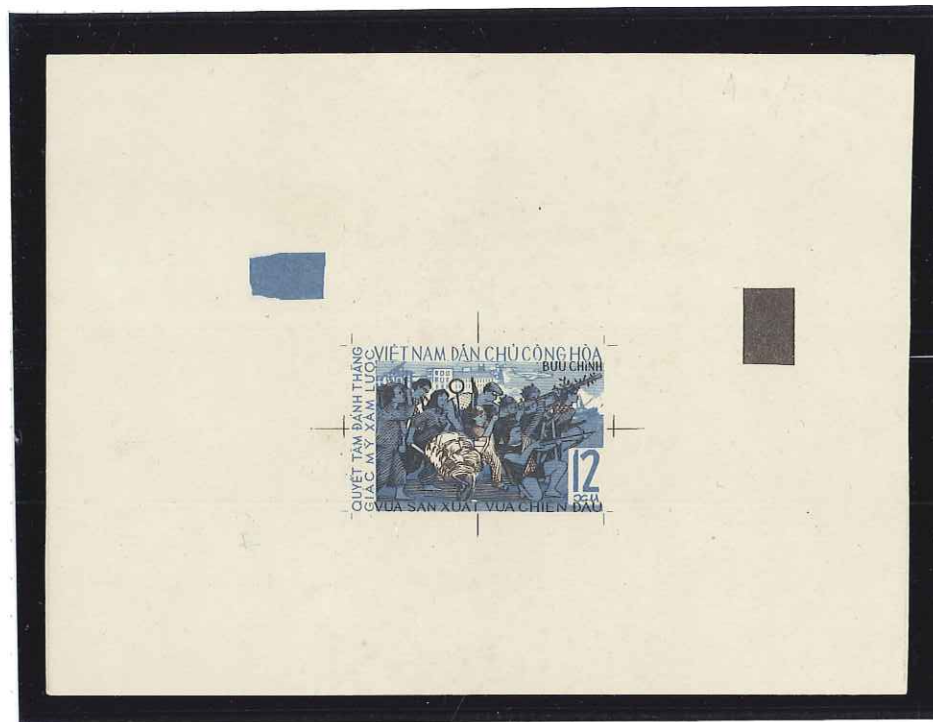
HUY KHANH

Tranh ở 5 lớp vẽ khổ 20cm x 45cm

Amphank

VIET-NAM

Proofs



VIET-NAM



These stamps depicting various shellfish were issued on August 19, 1965. They were designed by ~~Nguyen-~~ Le Toan and printed by the photogravure method.

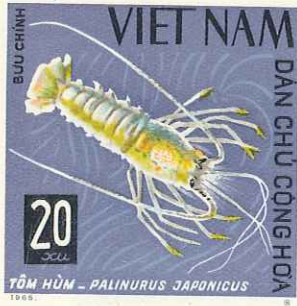
These stamps exist cancelled to order.

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Scott 368-73

Michel 38792 14.00
Gibson 43847





MAO

lê Tuyền



Đồ Chanh - Thang Hoi

VIET-NAM



This is the first of a total of nine sets of stamps that were issued to commemorate various milestones on North Viet-Nam's act of shooting down 4,181 American airplanes by 1973. This stamp was issued on August 30, 1965 to mark the 500th plane shot down. The numbers used by Viet-Nam differed from the Pentagon's numbers. For example, when this stamp was issued, the Pentagon said only 168 fixed wings and three helicopters had been lost. This stamp was designed by Tran Luong.



VIET-NAM

VIỆT NAM
DÂN CHỦ CỘNG HÒA

12
xu



500

MÁY BAY MỸ

BI BẮN RƠI TRÊN MIỀN BẮC

BUU CHINH

VIET-NAM



This is a "Zincotype" plate proof on acetate type material. These are used as part of the manufacturing process of the die.

2M7 200



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Imperforate Block in Issued Colors



Imperforate Proof with Positional Marks
Colors Differ from Issued Stamp

VIET-NAM

Proof Printed on Both Sides of Waste Paper (Laotian Music Sheet)



The item on the right is a color photocopy of the other side.

VIET-NAM



This set was issued on September 2, 1965, and it was the seventh of eight sets issued from 1962 through 1965 to publicize the DRVN's first five year economic plan. This plan covered the years 1961 through 1965.

This set served a dual purpose in that it also commemorated the 20th anniversary of the Republic. President Ho Chi Minh proclaimed the Declaration of Independence in Hanoi on September 2, 1945.

The stamps depict a Foundryman ("Heavy Industries"), Irrigation, pylon and power station ("Hydro-electric Power") and a Nurse examining a Child ("Social Medicine").



Die Proof

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Varieties



Poor Perforation

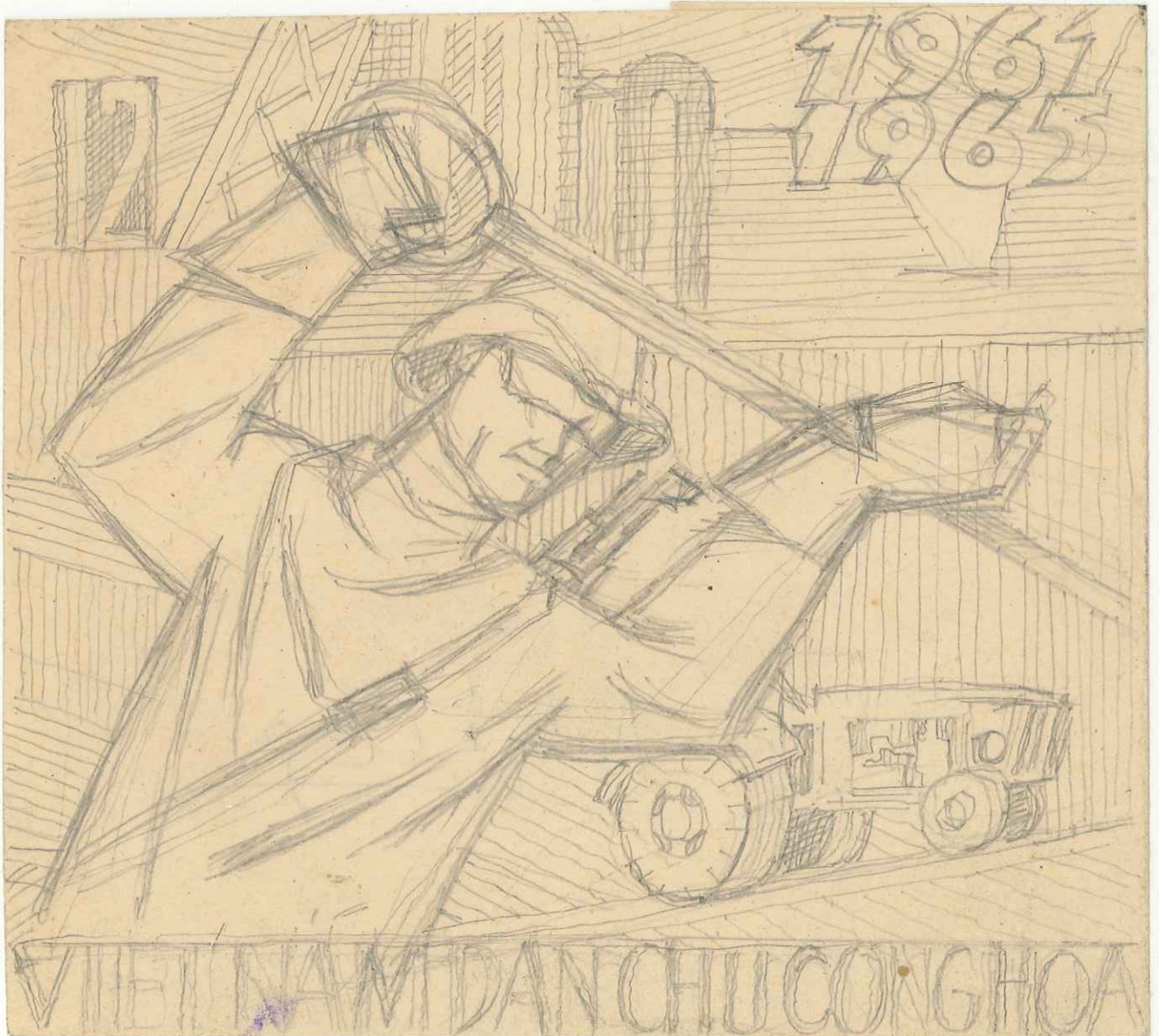


Black Color Printed Double



Different Shades

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Artist's Pencil Drawing Signed on the Reverse by Nguyen Hiep, the Stamp's Designer.

VIET-NAM



Artist's Pencil Drawing Signed on the Reverse
By Nguyen Hiep, the Stamp's Designer



BUU CHINH

1961

1965

VIỆT NAM DÂN CHỦ CỘNG HÒA





375, 377

700.



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Trial Color Proof with Positional Markings

Sc 001 376

4392 95.

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Imperforate Stamps



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Stamps on Piece with Special First Day Handstamp



VIET-NAM

Essays of Special First Day Cancellation



This essay is signed on the front by the artist, Do Viet Tuan. There is a handwritten issue title on the reverse.

There is a mistake in the first postmark of the second row - "1945-1985" should be "1945-1965".

VIET-NAM



These two stamps were issued on September 12, 1965 to commemorate the 35th anniversary of the revolt of the peasants from Nghe-An and Ha-Tinh provinces in northern Annam. Communist demonstrations against French rule were held in these two provinces from May of 1930 thru October of 1931. The highpoint occurred on September 12, 1930 when bands of peasants gathered at scattered points to mass gradually in a march to the provincial center of Vinh. When they reached Vinh, the crowd numbered about 6,000 persons. There the protestors were attacked by French aircraft, which killed 216 persons and wounded 126.

The stamps depict a drummer and peasants. They were designed by Nguyen Khanh.

Tran Huy



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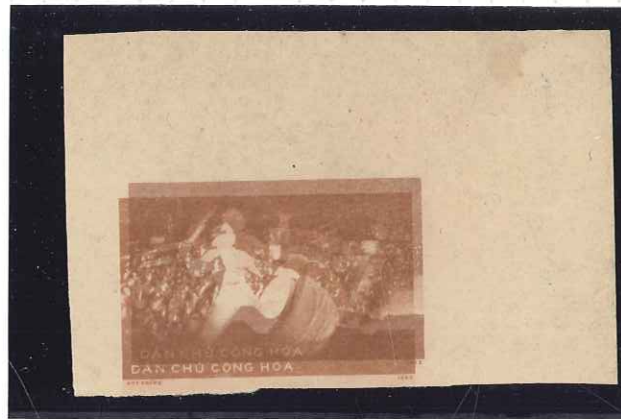
VIET-NAM



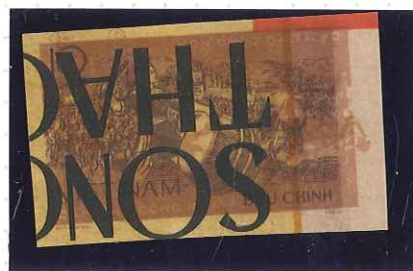
Tran Huy Khanh

This card shows two handpainted essays that are different than the issued stamps.
The card is signed by Tran Huy Khanh who designed the final issued stamps.

VIET-NAM



This proof was printed on waste paper. It has a brown double impressioned proof on the front side and a black and brown proof on the back side.



VIET-NAM

Maximum Card with Fake Postmark



VIET-NAM



These two stamps were issued on October 1, 1965 to commemorate the 16th anniversary of friendship between China and Viet-Nam. The stamps were designed by Nguyen Van Ty.



Black Color Missing

VIET-NAM

Maximum Card with Fake Postmark



VIET-NAM



K. Ziolkovsky
and Sputnik I



Leonov, Belyayev
and Voskhod II



Y. Gagarin



Leonov in Space

These stamps were issued on October 5, 1965 to commemorate the space flight of the Russian Voskhod ("Sunrise") II spacecraft. Voskhod II went into orbit on March 18, 1965 carrying Colonel Pavel I. Belyayev and Lieutenant Colonel Aleksei A. Leonov as shown on the 12 xu value. At the beginning of the second orbit Leonov went through an airlock, then floated and did slow somersaults next to the orbiting capsule for ten minutes, attached to a 16½ foot tether. This is shown on the 50 xu value.

This set also contains two stamps referring to other Russian space flights. The 12 xu value depicts the Russian rocket pioneer and schoolteacher Konstantin Eduardovitch Ziolkovsky (1857 - 1935). He wrote the first scientific study of the possibility of space travel in 1898. The stamp also shows Sputnik I, the first artificial satellite to be put into an orbit encircling the earth. The launch date was October 4, 1957 which, according to rumors, had originally been planned for two weeks earlier to coincide with the 100th anniversary of Ziolkovsky's birth.

VIET-NAM



Color Proof

Scot 385-88

color proof 48.
N398-401

47.

VIET-NAM



First Day Cover signed by Phan Chy, the designer of all 4 stamps.



This stamp was issued on November 22, 1965. It depicts American demonstrators protesting American involvement in the war in Viet-Nam. During the mid and late 1960's many people in the United States, especially college students, participated in large demonstrations with the purpose of ending the US support of the South Vietnamese government. These demonstrations were largely responsible for the decision of President Johnson not to run for re-election in 1968 and for President Nixon's decision to withdraw US troops from Viet-Nam. The stamp also depicts Norman R. Morrison, an American Quaker who immolated himself as a form of protest against the war.

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on November 25, 1965
 These stamps were issued to honor the poet Nguyen Du. The first 12 xu value depicts his birthplace, and the other 12 xu value depicts the Nguyen Du Museum. The 20 xu value depicts the Kieu which is a volume of poems, and the 1 dong value depicts a scene from the Kieu.

Nett
nguyên thiệp

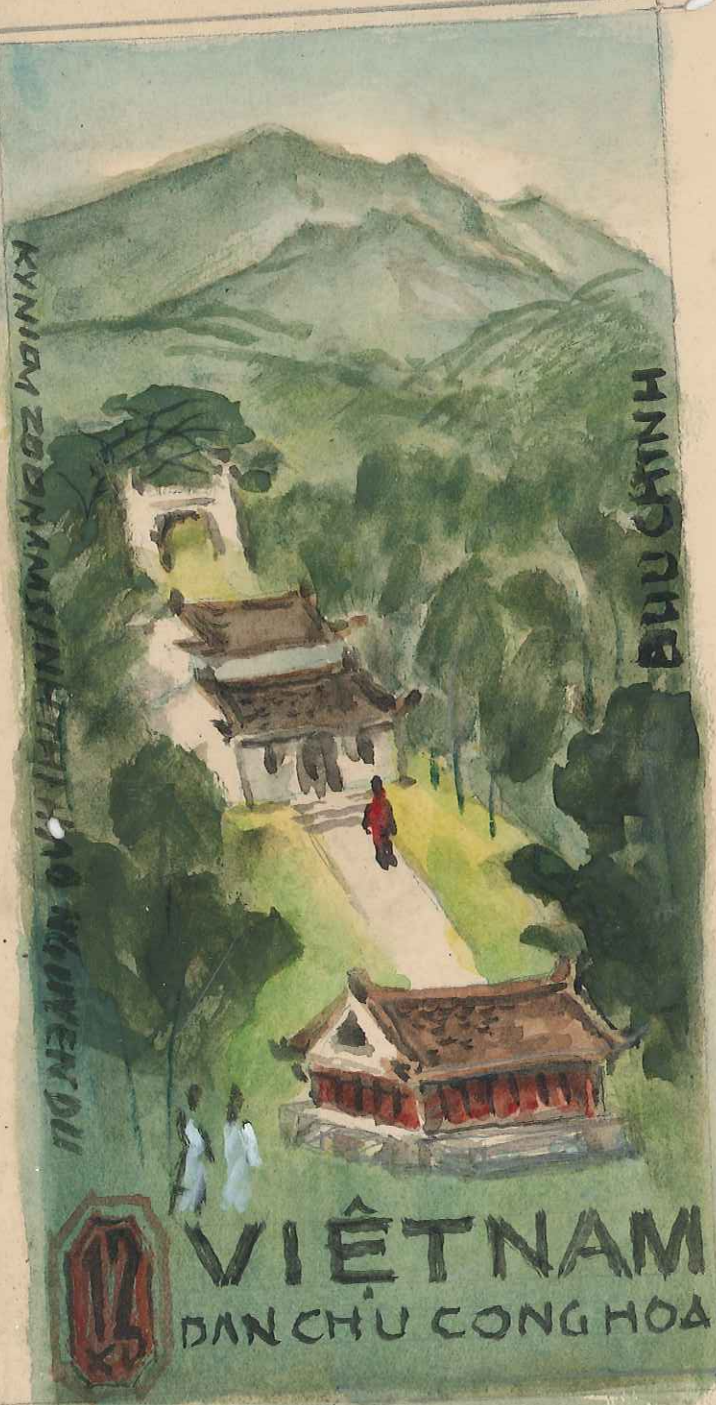
1



1769 - 1965
Lam Nien Hoi Ky
phu huyng thi hua Nguyen Du
12 x 15

2/

Robert
Nguyễn Hiệp



1969 - 1965
Kính liêu niệm
Thi hào Nguyễn Du

12
xu

5

Một cây
nguyên hiệp



Cầu Công Tử hươu
thị hào Nguyễn Du
1769-1965

12
xu

3


Мотыль
мусейн стёр



1769 - 1965

Một thi hào Nguyễn Du
bên núi Hồng Lĩnh

12
xu


 M. A. T. T.
 người viết



1769-1969
 Kỷ niệm 200 năm Sinh
 Thi hào Nguyễn Du

12 xu

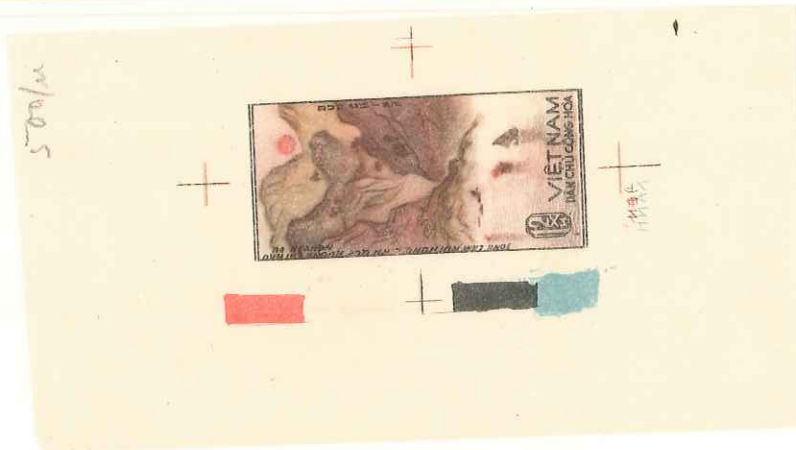
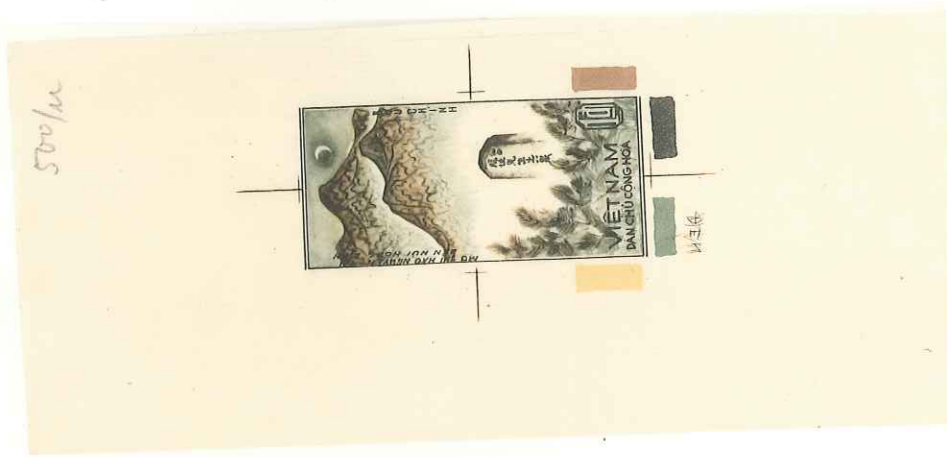
6

Nguyễn Thiệp



Kiểu Bảo An Bảo An
1959-1965

12
x4



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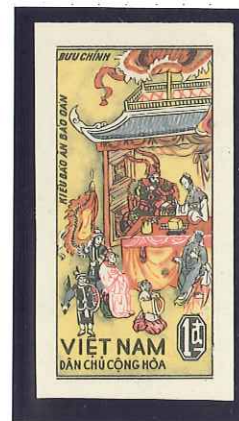
Proofs



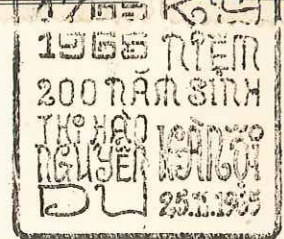
Each above pair is the same and is printed on both sides. Different sides are shown. It is likely these are from the same sheet.

VIET-NAM

Imperforate Stamps



VIET-NAM



Atlantic First Day Cards of North Vietnam's Nguyen Du set issued on Nov. 25, 1965. Aug. 10, 1968. Scott #390-393. Black and red seal-styled cancellations "1765-1965. KY NIEM 200 NAM SINH THI HAO NGUYEN DU. HANOI 25.11.1965" or "1765-1965. Second centenary of the Great Poet Nguyen Du. Hanoi 25.11.1965" in front and back. Very good condition. See scans.

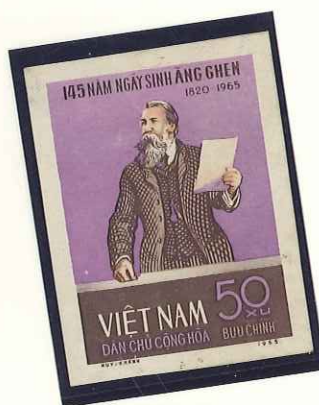
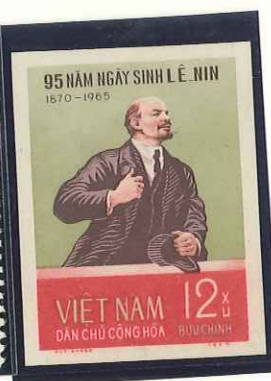
VIET-NAM

Varieties



Orange Color Missing





(12)

394-97

140 essay stamps

Colors are slightly different
than 1968 G. M. Dimitroff

7/05 Lucia L

9200



1222

1965 12xu Lenin issue (Scott 396) "zincotype"
Printing Plate Block of 24, a flexible plastic sheet
bearing a reversed stamp image, a portion of the full
press plate. Possibly unique as the balance was cut into
blocks and pairs. an impressive and Very Fine center-
piece. (no photo)

HK\$5,000-7,500

11103 PHILA CHINA auction

4,600

good for 4,500 ~ 600

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Zincotype Plate Proof on Acetate



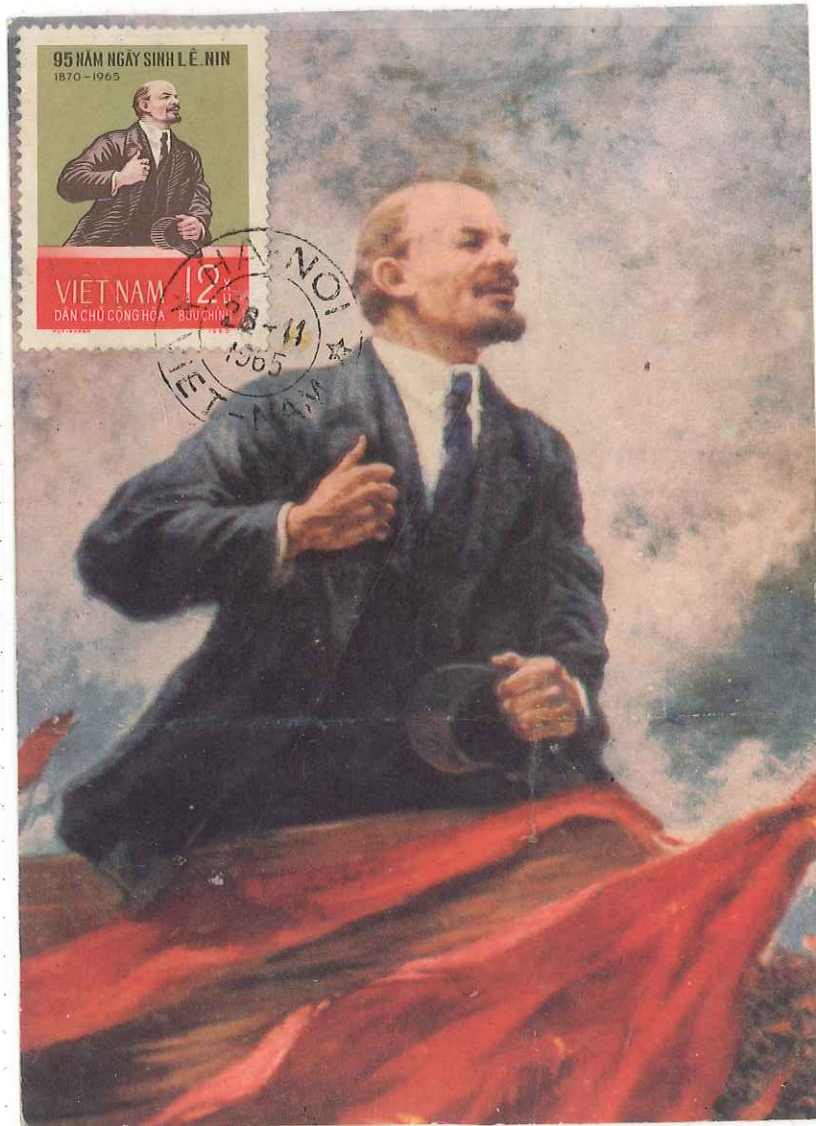
2 of the 4 offset printing plates
This pair and the block of 24 on the previous page were the two portions used to produce the Lenin stamp.

Zinco is a process line block on zinc. The negative is printed down on to the sensitized metal, acid-etched into relief, and mounted type high. From the original a number of clichés can be made to make up the requisite number to print a sheet of stamps.



VIET-NAM

Maximum Card



VIRT-NAM



28, 18, 1965. These six stamps depicting butterflies were issued on November. They were designed by Uyen Diep. Like most topical stamps issued by Viet-Nam, these exist imperforate.

Qibham was November 1842



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VIET-NAM



377



378



382

This set was issued in December of 1965, and it was the last of eight sets issued from 1962 through 1965 to publicize the DRVN's first five year economic plan. This plan covered the years 1961 through 1965.

The stamps depict a rice field and insecticide sprayer ("Agriculture"), a factory worker ("Light Industries") and children at play and students ("Social Education").



Scott 376-382

Imp 50.

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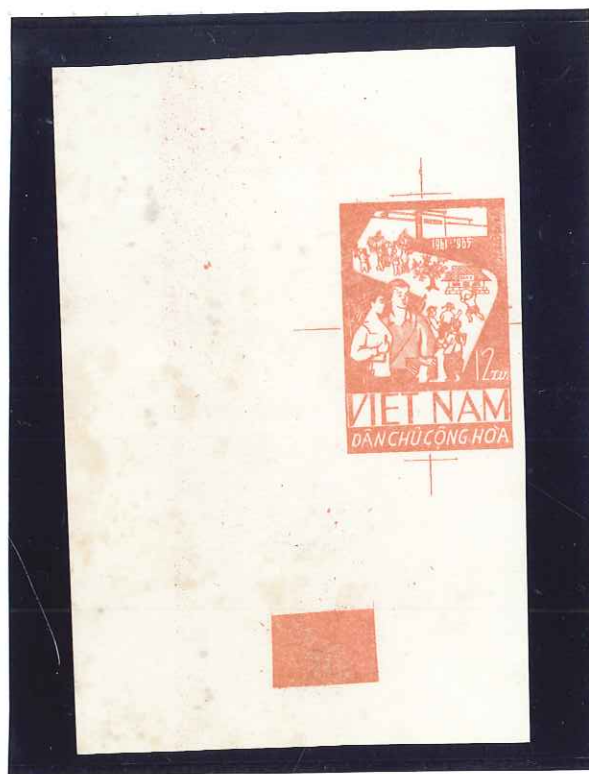
Unadopted Handpainted Essay



Trần Ngọc Uyển
Trần Ngọc Uyển

This card was signed by Tran Ngoc Uyen.

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Proof with Brown Color Only

VIET-NAM

Proof with Position Marks

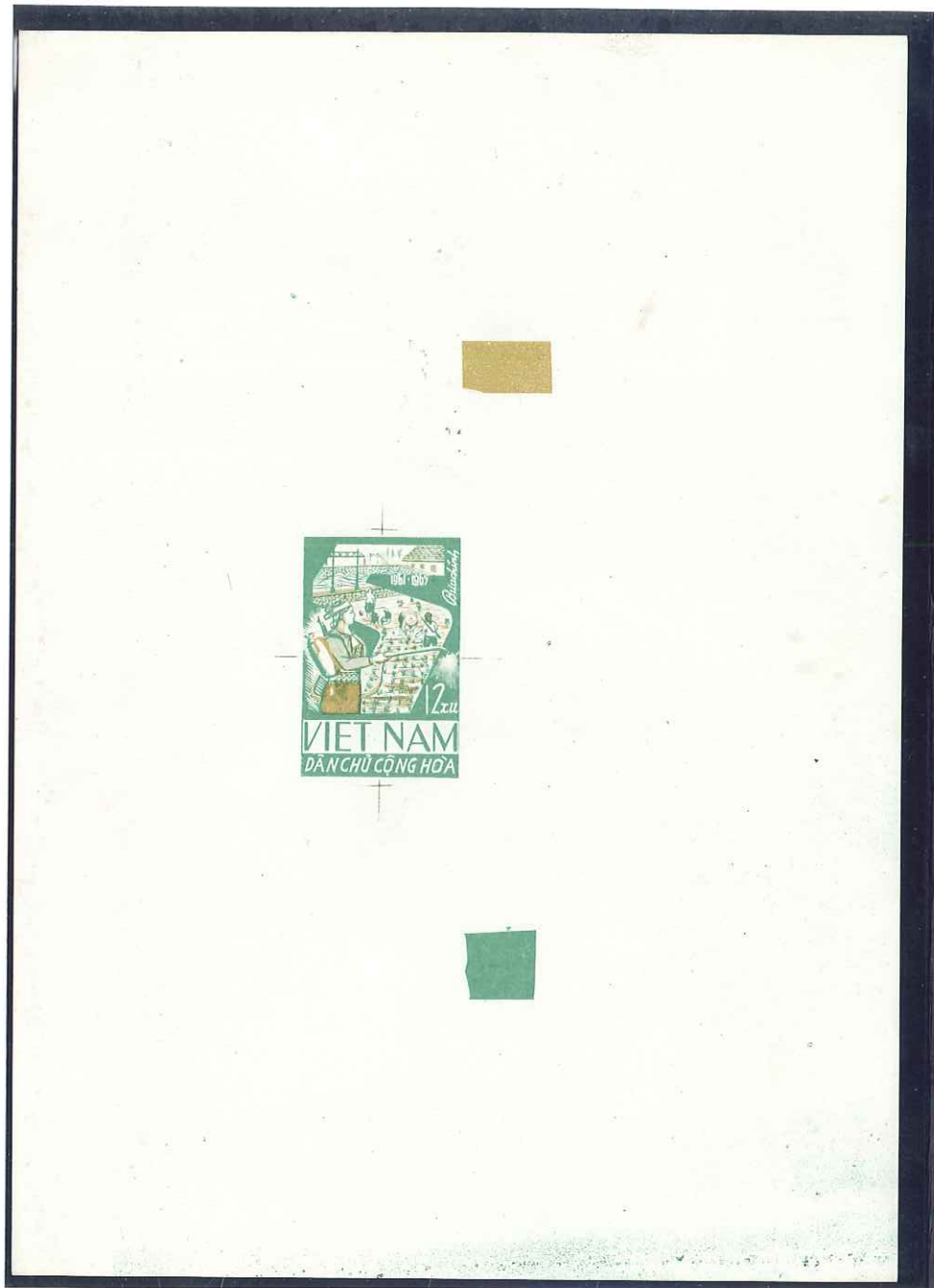


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Proof with Position Marks



VIET-NAM



Proof with Positional Markings
Green and Gold Colors Only

VIET-NAM



Imperforate Proofs with Positional Marks

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This stamp was issued on December 20, 1965 to commemorate the fifth anniversary of the formation of the National Liberation Front in South Viet-Nam. The NLF came into being on December 20, 1960 and continuously fought against the government of the Republic of South Viet-Nam.

This stamp was designed by Huy Khanh, and it depicts an NLF soldier and demonstrators.



imp 20.

404

420 .36

VIET-NAM

Handpainted Essays for the 5th Anniversary of the NLF (5 NAM THANH LAP MAT TRAN G.P.D.T) Stamp Signed by Huy Khanh, the Designer of the Issued Stamp



PHÁC THẢO MẪU TÊM
5 NĂM THÀNH LẬP MẶT TRẬN G.P.D.T

Huy Khanh

của Trần Huy Khanh