

The new \$2 polymer note retains a majority of the security features found on the \$2 paper note. They are:

### Engraved Portrait

The portrait dominates the front of the note, and it is engraved with fine lines and printed in intaglio (i.e. raised) to give an embossed feel and provide a tactility effect.



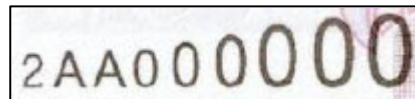
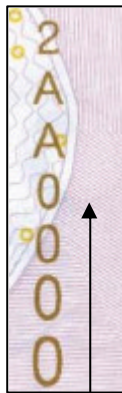
### Perfect Registration

The Singapore Lion symbol is printed with the same image on the front and back of the note, and when the note is held up to light, the two images register perfectly.



### Micro-Printing

The micro-text "Monetary Authority of Singapore" can be seen with a magnifying glass.



### Asymmetrical Serial Numbers

This style for the vertical and horizontal serial numbers has progressively larger digits in adjacent positions.

### Line Structures

Next to the vertical serial number are line structures that will give distortions when photo-copied.



### Invisible Feature

This feature is invisible under ordinary light, but glows under ultra-violet light.



### Fluorescent Ink

The seal of the MAS Chairman is printed with fluorescent ink, and it will glow under ultra-violet light.



### Braille Code

The note has Braille code printed in heavy intaglio ink to help visually handicapped users recognize the note by touch.

# The New \$2 Polymer Note



Durable...  
Secure..  
Clean.

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As with the \$10 polymer note launched in May 2004, MAS has continued with the Portrait series for the \$2 polymer note as the public is familiar with the series. The overall design, size (126mm x 63mm) and colour (predominantly purple) have been retained. Security features unique to polymer note technology that are found on the \$10 polymer note have been incorporated as well.



The \$2 polymer notes will be introduced in phases with the paper notes remaining legal tender and circulating alongside.

## Key Changes in Security Features



**Complex Clear Window**  
A see-through window with a multi-tonal image of the Singapore Arms.



**Embossed Clear Window**  
A window embossed with the numeral "2", with repetitive patterns on the top and bottom.



**Singapore Lion Symbol with Hidden Image**  
A stylized patch in the shape of the Singapore Lion Symbol with the image of the Singapore Arms at varying angles.



**Shadow Image**  
A watermark-like image of President Yusof bin Ishak is visible when viewed with transmitted light.



**Security Thread**  
A security thread in the shape of the Singapore island.



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