

\$100 Note

Issued 1990 - 1996

All U.S. currency remains legal tender, regardless of when it was issued.



Key Security Features

Security Thread

Hold the note to light to see an embedded thread running vertically to the left of the portrait. The thread is imprinted with the letters *USA* and the numeral *100* in an alternating pattern and is visible from both sides of the note. The thread glows pink when illuminated by ultraviolet light.

Microprinting

Look carefully (magnification may be necessary) to see the small printed words *THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA* along the outer edge of the portrait's oval frame.



Additional Design and Security Features



Federal Reserve Bank Seal
A black seal to the left of the portrait bears the name and corresponding letter of the distributing Federal Reserve Bank.



Treasury Seal
A green seal to the right of the portrait represents the U.S. Department of the Treasury.



Raised Printing

Move your finger along the note's surface to feel the raised printing, which gives genuine Federal Reserve notes their distinctive texture.



Paper

Federal Reserve note paper is one-fourth linen and three-fourths cotton, and contains red and blue security fibers.



Portrait and Vignette

The \$100 note features a portrait of Benjamin Franklin on the front of the note and a vignette of Independence Hall on the back of the note.



Serial Numbers

A unique combination of eleven numbers and letters appears twice on the front of the note.



Series Year

The design includes series years 1990 and 1993.