

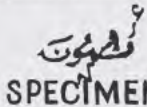
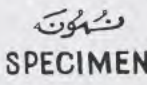
Turkey

Founder member of the UPU.

The 1876 bi-coloured 10pa to 25pi were circulated in April 1879 in mint condition as were all later issues except for those listed.

Types

the Arabic script reads 'nemouneh' = sample

1921-22		20x3	[1]	RH/S
1921-23		19x2.5	[2]	RH/S

[the dimensions of both types are those of the word 'SPECIMEN']

Ottoman Empire

The 1913 to 1914 postage and Postage Due stamps were perforated 'SPECIMEN' type B1 by Bradbury Wilkinson, the printers of the stamps.



1913 Recapture of Adrianople
'SPECIMEN' type B1, punched 4½mm hole and 'SPECIMEN' type BEC2a
ex Bechuanaland collection



1914 definitive issue — 'SPECIMEN' type B1



1914 Postage Due — 'SPECIMEN' type B1