

Italian Euro in eight monuments !



Every Euro metallic coin has a communal face for all the European Union's countries, and the other one is different for every nation. On the communal face are reported the values of each coin. On the other face are represented images that recall the identity of each country

2 EURO COIN



Dante Alighieri

The most important Renaissance poet, author of "Divina Commedia". Here in Raffaello Sanzio's version, adapted from the fresco "Parnasus", 1510. The original fresco is in the Raphael Rooms, Vatican City.

1 EURO COIN



**Uomo Vitruviano (Vitruvian Man) by Leonardo da Vinci.
Realized in 1490, it represents human body's proportions inscribed in a square and a circle.
It is kept in Gallerie dell'Accademia, Venice.**

50 EURO CENT COIN



Equestrian Monument of Marco Aurelio
Sculpture designed by Michelangelo, 1500. It represents
the famous Roman Emperor.
Once it was in Capitol's Square, now it is preserved in
Musei Capitolini, Rome.

20 EURO CENT COIN



**Forme Uniche della Continuità nello Spazio
(Unique Forms of Continuity in Space)
Sculpture designed in 1913 by one of the most
important exponents of Futurism, Umberto Boccioni.
It represents the human body moving. There are many
versions of it, preserved in different museums around
the world (Milan, London, New York, etc.)**

10 EURO CENT COIN



Venus

By Sandro Botticelli.

Adapted from the painting "La nascita di Venere" (The Birth of Venus), 1486. The painting it's kept in the Uffizi Gallery, Florence.

5 EURO CENT COIN



**Anfiteatro Flavio or Colosseo (Colosseum)
Building of the Ancient Rome (72-82 AD).
It was used for fight shows between gladiators,
battleships, hunts of wild animals. Colosseum is still
standing in its original place, in the historical centre of
Rome.**

2 EURO CENT COIN



Mole Antonelliana
Designed by the architect
Alessandro Antonelli in
1863-1889.

It was conceived as a synagogue, now houses the
National Museum of Cinema, the tallest museum in
world. Emblem of the city of Turin.

1 EURO CENT COIN



Castel del Monte
Castle built by Federico II of Swabia in Puglia region,
1240-1246. UNESCO declared it
World Heritage Site in 1996.

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