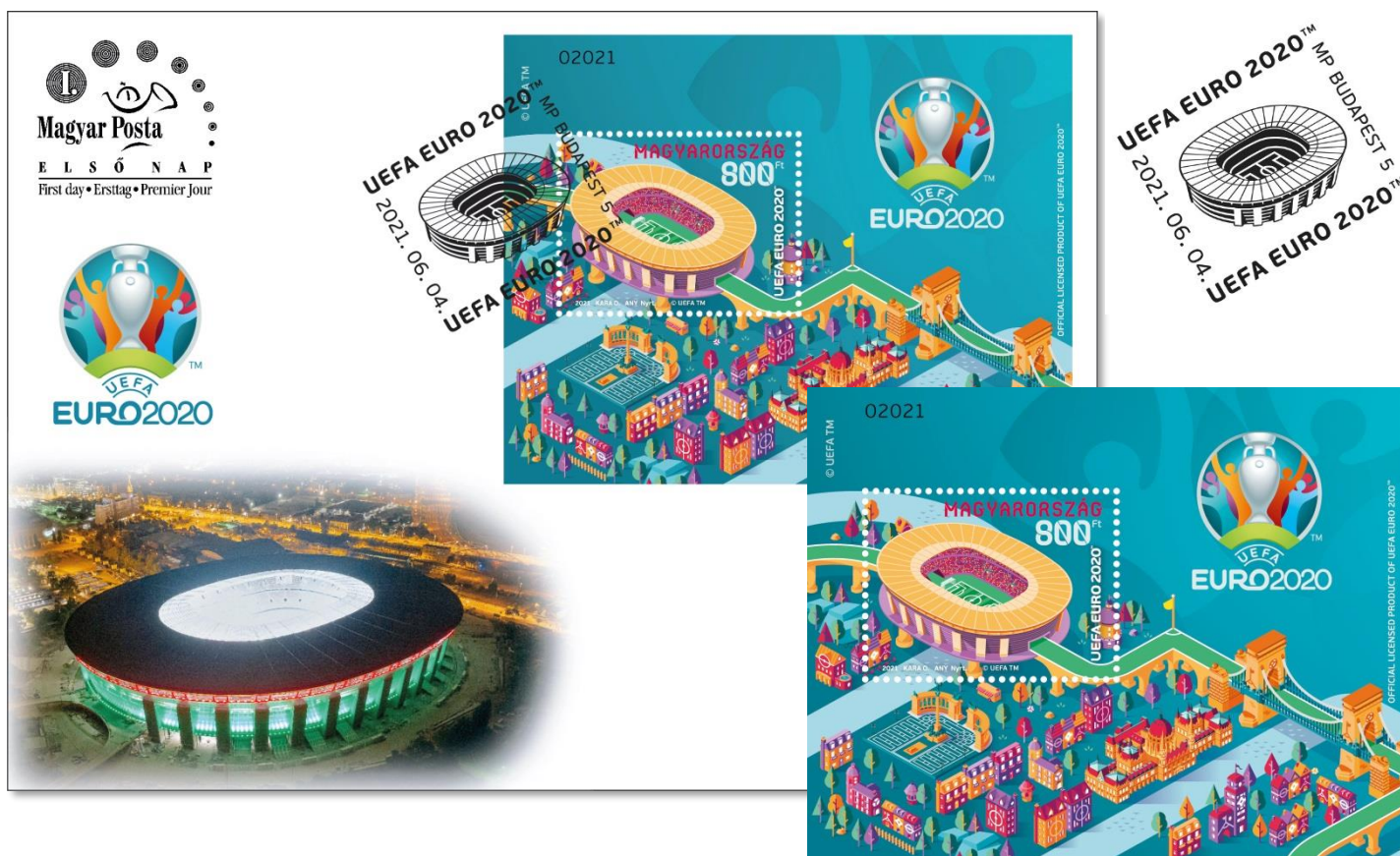


UEFA EURO 2020™ EUROPEAN FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP



Magyar Posta is issuing a special souvenir sheet to mark the UEFA EURO 2020™ European football championship. Thirty thousand copies of the numbered commemorative souvenir sheet designed by the graphic artist Orsolya Kara were produced by ANY Security Printing Company. The new issue will be released on 4 June 2021. It will be on sale at first day post offices and Filaposta in Hungary and may also be ordered from Magyar Posta's online store from the date of issue.

The European football championship is Europe's most prestigious international football cup. The first finals were held in 1960, when it was known as the European Nations Cup. On every occasion the teams reach the final tournament after playing qualifying rounds. The Hungarian team last played in the European championship in 2016 and now has earned the chance to take part in the finals again. The football tournament for the men's teams of UEFA member countries is held every four years, but the 2020 championship was postponed due to the pandemic and is now being staged between 11 June and 11 July 2021. This year the European championships are celebrating their 60th anniversary and the matches of the UEFA EURO 2020™ will be played in European cities, including Budapest, where the venue will be the Puskás Arena, opened in 2019.

The central element of UEFA's official logo is the bridge, symbolising togetherness as bridges connect people, just as football does. The Hungarian souvenir sheet shows the Chain Bridge and the Puskás Arena together with other iconic buildings and squares of Budapest as well as the event's logo. Apart from an image of the illuminated Puskás Arena, the logo also appears on the first day cover. The silhouette of the Puskás Arena features in the special postmark.

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Issued on: 4 June 2021

Face value: HUF 800
(On the date of issue, this can be used as a supplementary denomination.)

Printing technique:

4-colour offset

Number of copies: 30,000
souvenir sheets

Perforated size of stamp: 40 x 30 mm

Imperforated size of souvenir sheet:
95 x 75 mm

Paper type: gummed postage stamp paper

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