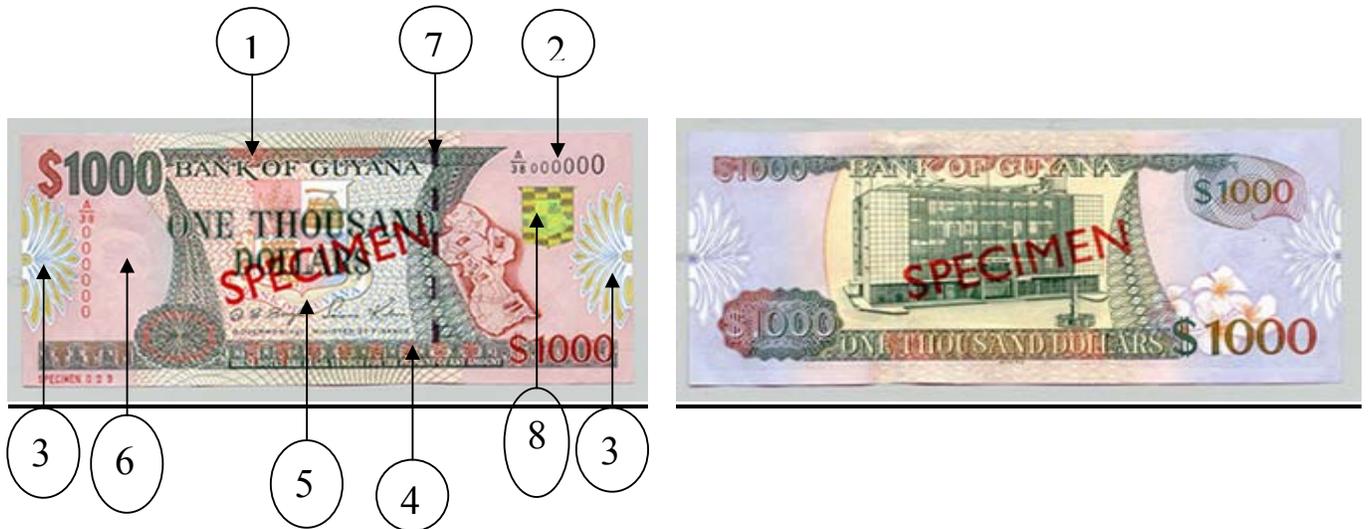


# A GUIDE TO CHECKING YOUR BANKNOTE

## \$1000 Denomination



### 1. Intaglio Printing

Parts of the note are printed in ink raised slightly off the paper. The raised portion can be felt by passing the finger nail over:

1. The denomination.
2. The inner border of the note.

These features are more pronounced on newer notes

### 2. Horizontal numbering

The horizontal numbering has progressively larger digits from the left to right (positioned at the top right hand side of the front of the note)

### 3. See-through feature

When the banknote is held to the light a complete design can be seen. The image on the front is in perfect alignment with the image on the reverse of the banknote.

4. **Micro Printing**

The words '**Bank of Guyana**' are micro printed on the bottom border line of the note.

This can only be read with the aid of a magnifying glass. Check to see that the microprinted words are clearly and sharply defined.

5. **Fluoresces**

Look at the note under ultra-violet light to check that the following features fluoresce: a block containing the number '**1000**', the design at the extreme left and extreme right of the note fluoresces, the centre area at the front of the note.

6. **Watermark**

When the banknote is held up to the light, an image of a macaw is easily seen.

7. **Wider Security Thread**

A colour shift thread is embedded in the note. The complete thread is visible when the note is held up to the light.

8. **Gold Hologram**

The \$1000 carries a gold based hologram in the shape of the Bank of Guyana's crest (a gold map of Guyana is shown on earlier versions of the \$1000), as the hologram is tilted, many small images of the initials 'BOG', the denomination "1000" and the Bank of Guyana's logo can be seen.