

# URUGUAY



## 1877 - 25 CENTESIMOS - OBVERSE

URUGUAY, REPUBLIC of  
PARIS MINT

25 CENTESIMOS 18MM .835 FINE 2.5 GRAMS

1877 3,000,000

^OV: Arms - Oval shield upon trophy of military arms, within laurel wreath, REPUBLICA ORIENTAL DEL URUGUAY (Eastern Republic of Uruguay) / ★ below.

∇RV: 10 / CENTESIMOS / (anchor) **A** (mintmark) (bee) below, LIBRE Y CONSTITUIDA (Liberated and Constituted) above / 1877 below, within laurel wreath tied with ribbon below.

EDGE: Reeded

MINT: **A** = PARIS

DIRECTOR: (bee) = Renouard de Bussiere 1860-79

ENGRAVER: (anchor) = Albert-Desire Barre 1855-78

REFERENCE: Y-11, UR#55



## 1877 - 25 CENTESIMOS - REVERSE

URUGUAY, REPUBLIC of  
SANTIAGO MINT

25 CENTESIMOS 18MM .835 FINE 2.5 GRAMS

1893 1,000,000

^OV: Arms - Oval shield upon trophy of military arms, within laurel wreath, REPUBLICA ORIENTAL DEL URUGUAY (Eastern Republic of Uruguay) / ★ below.

∇RV: 10 / CENTESIMOS / **S** (mintmark) below, LIBRE Y CONSTITUIDA (Liberated and Constituted) above / 1893 below, within laurel wreath tied with ribbon below.

EDGE: Reeded

MINT: **S** = SANTIAGO

POPULATION: 1900 - 930,680 with capital Montevideo with 268,334 inhabitants.

REFERENCE: Y-11, UR#56

*The Coins of Uruguay by Alcedo F. Almanzar and Dale Seppa, San Antonio, 1971*

FOOTNOTE: There is a variety of the 1893 issue without the S mintmark which is considered rare.





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### 1893 - 25 CENTESIMOS - REVERSE

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FOOTNOTE: The silver peso or dollar of Uruguay weighs 25 grammes, .900 fine. Other silver pieces are half, fifth, and tenth of a peso. There are no Uruguayan gold coins in circulation, but the monetary standard is gold, the theoretical gold coin being the *peso nacional*, only foreign gold is in circulation. *Statesman's Year-Book*, London, 1916.

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URUGUAY, REPUBLIC of  
SANTIAGO MINT

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20 CENTESIMOS 18.5MM .720 FINE 3.0 GRAMS

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1942 18,000,000

▲OV: Liberty head, facing right, REPUBLICA ORIENTAL DEL URUGUAY (Eastern Republic of Uruguay) . 1942 around.

▼RV: Five wheat stalks, dividing denomination 20 and CTS S (mintmark) to right.

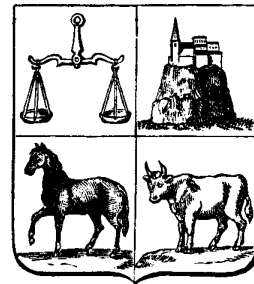
EDGE: Reeded

MINT: S = SANTIAGO

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### 1942 - 20 CENTESIMOS - OBVERSE

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### 1942 - 20 CENTESIMOS - REVERSE

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1954 - 20 CENTESIMOS - OBVERSE



1954 - 20 CENTESIMOS - REVERSE

FOOTNOTE: Jose Gervasio Artigas, Protector of Uruguay, 1813 - 1820.



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URUGUAY, REPUBLIC of  
UTRECHT MINT

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20 CENTESIMOS 18.5MM .720 FINE 3.0 GRAMS

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1954 10,000,000

▲OV: Head of Artigas, facing right, REPUBLICA ORIENTAL DEL URUGUAY (Eastern Republic of Uruguay) around, ARTIGAS / 1954 below.

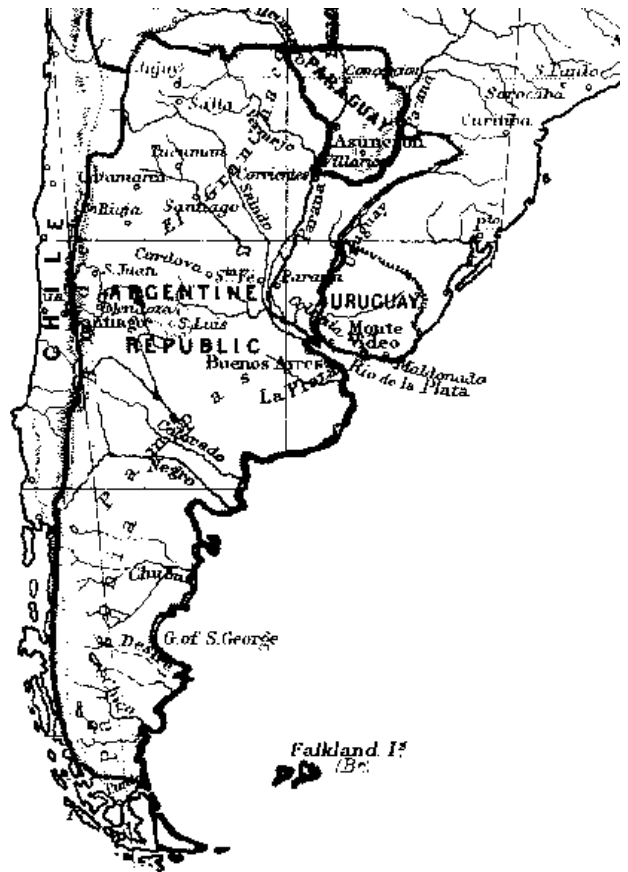
▼RV: Five wheat stalks, dividing denomination 20 and CTS with (mercuryshaft) (mintmark) below on stalks.

EDGE: Reeded

MINT: (mercuryshaft) = UTRECHT

REFERENCE: Y-32, UR#77

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