

Germany Samoa

Area: 1133 square miles

Population: 85,400 c. 1853

Capital: Apia

Location: Island group near New Zealand

Standard Coin: 1 Mark = 100 Pfennig

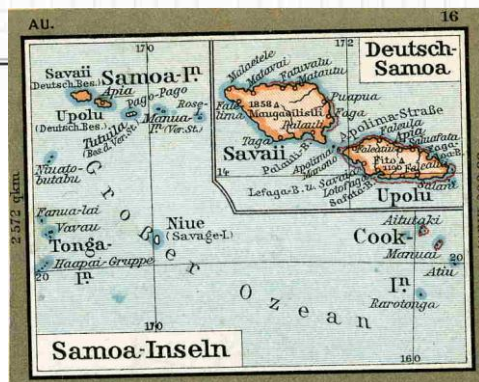
Philatelic history:

1877-1900: Stamps of the Kingdom of Samoa

Apr., 1900: German stamps overprinted

Dec., 1900: Kaiser's yacht series placed on sale in the protectorate.

Sept. 3, 1914: New Zealand occupation forces overprint Samoan stamps "G. R. I." (Georgus Rex Imperator)



SAMOA

ISSUED UNDER GERMAN DOMINION

Unwatermarked



Watermarked Lozenges

1914-15

