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This is probably the thickest of the Michel catalogues with over 1500pp. The countries included have been reorganised into more sensible groups and include all the following: Angola, Ascension, Botswana, Gabon, Congo-Brazzaville, Congo-Kinshasa (with Zaire), Equatorial Guinea, Lesotho, Malawi, Mocambique, Namibia (with South West Africa), Zambia, St. Helena, São Tomé and Príncipe, the various Rhodesias and Zimbabwe, South Africa and the Provinces and modern Homelands, Swaziland, Tristan da Cunha, Chad and Central African Republic from the beginning to present day.

There have of course been huge numbers of new issues added since the last edition in 2007. There are also significant price increases “*especially in English speaking and other serious collecting areas from 1995 which are rarely found in the trade*”.

There are now some 19,000 illustrations, and many of the older ones have been replaced by higher resolution scans, though the catalogue is still in black and white.