

Flag of Tajikistan - A Brief History



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Trivia

The colours of the flag are the same as the Iranian Flag.

Technical Specification

Adopted:	24 th November 1992			
Proportion:	1:2			
Design:	A red-white-green horizontal bicolour with gold crown and seven five-pointed stars at the centre.			
Colours:	PMS	Red: 192	Yellow: 109	Green: 355

Brief History

In 1924 Tajikistan was a Soviet Socialist Republic called Tajik ASSR. The flag flown was a red field with hammer and sickle coat of arms in the top left corner. In 1929 the emblem was replaced with Latin and Cyrillic sans serif characters.

The flag was changed again in 1953 to feature white and green horizontal bands through the centre and a golden hammer and sickle with gold-bordered red five-pointed star in the upper left corner.



The Flag of the Tajik ASSR
(1924 – 1929)



The Flag of the Tajik SSR
(1953 – 1991)

During independence from the Soviet Empire in 1991 Tajikistan used the previous Tajik SSR flag sans the hammer, sickle and star as the national flag.

In 1992 the colours of the flag remained the same but the design became a red-white-green horizontal tricolour with a gold crown and seven gold stars at the centre. The colours of the flag have specific meaning, the red represents unity, white is purity, green is Islam and the seven stars represent happiness.



(1991 – 1992)



(1992 to Present Day)

The Emblem of Tajikistan

The Emblem of Tajikistan was adopted in 1993. It depicts a sun rising over a mountain with the crown and seven stars from the national flag. Underneath is a book, on the left side is cotton, and on the right is wheat.

Between 1992 and 1993 the emblem was lion above mountains surrounded by wheat with the crown and seven stars above.



**The Emblem of Tajikistan
(1992 – 1993)**



**The Emblem of Tajikistan
(1993 to Present Day)**

The Presidential Standard of Tajikistan

The Presidential Standard of Tajikistan is the national flag with a lion at the centre of an unusual symbol that includes the crown with seven stars.

