

Express Mail International®

Express Mail International is an international service offering delivery to over 190 countries within 3–5 days. Offers date-specific delivery and a money-back guarantee when shipping to the following: Australia, China, France (except for Corsica and Monaco), Hong Kong, Japan, Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Spain (except for the Canary Islands), South Korea and Singapore. Maximum weight of 70 pounds.



When to use Express Mail International

Use Express Mail International if you have time-sensitive shipments that must be delivered in 3–5 days, specifically if the delivery destination qualifies for date-specific delivery and a money-back guarantee.

Pros

- Two price options—Flat Rate and by weight/distance
- Date-specific delivery and money-back guarantee for select countries
- Free Package Pickup at your door
- Includes \$200 in insurance, Carrier Pickup™ and delivery status information with the USPS Track & Confirm tool
- Up to 10% discount for online postage customers

Cons

- More expensive than Priority Mail International or First-Class Package International Service

Changes to Express Mail International in 2013

- Express Mail International rates will start at \$32.59 (previously \$26.91) for online postage.
- For the purchase Express Mail International postage online, the maximum discount off retail rates will increase up to 10%, (previously up to 8%).
- Express Mail International Flat Rate Envelope weight limit has been reduced from 20 lbs. to 4 lbs.
- Express Mail International insurance coverage will be increased to \$200 from \$100. The coverage is included for free.

Packages	Post Office/Retail postage rates		Stamps.com postage rates	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Express Mail International (0.5 lb.)	\$33.95 and up	\$29.25 and up	\$32.59 and up	\$26.91 and up
Express Mail International (1 lb.)	\$37.35 and up	\$32.90 and up	\$35.48 and up	\$30.27 and up
Express Mail International (2 lb.)	\$41.40 and up	\$36.85 and up	\$38.50 and up	\$33.90 and up
Express Mail International (3 lb.)	\$45.45 and up	\$40.80 and up	\$42.27 and up	\$37.54 and up
Express Mail International Flat Rate Box - Canada	\$64.95	\$59.95	\$64.95	\$59.95
Express Mail International Flat Rate Box - Other Countries	\$79.95	\$74.95	\$79.95	\$74.95
Express Mail International Flat Rate Envelopes - Canada	\$34.95	\$29.25	\$34.95	\$29.25
Express Mail International Flat Rate Envelopes - Other Countries	\$44.95	\$38.00	\$44.95	\$38.00



Need more info? [Click here](#) to view the USPS Express Mail International Rate Table.

Priority Mail International

Priority Mail International is an international, cost-effective service that delivers mailpieces and packages weighing up to 70 pounds to over 190 countries. Offers international delivery in 6–10 days.



When to use Priority Mail International

Use Priority Mail International if you have time-sensitive shipments that must be delivered in 6–10 business days.

Pros

- Delivery in 6–10 days
- Two affordable price options—Flat Rate or by weight/distance
- Includes delivery info with the USPS Track & Confirm tool
- Free Package Pickup™ at your door
- Up to 9% discount for online postage customers

Cons

- More expensive than First-Class Package International Service

Changes to Priority Mail International in 2013

- Priority Mail International rates will start at \$27.40 (previously \$22.09) for online postage.
- Priority Mail International Flat Rate Envelopes will start at \$19.95 (previously \$12.95) for online postage.
- Priority Mail International Flat Rate Boxes will start at \$19.95 (previously \$12.95) for online postage.
- For the purchase Priority Mail International postage online, the maximum discount off retail rates will increase up to 9%, (previously up to 5%).
- For Priority Mail Flat Rate service, Mexico is now included in the "all other countries" group.

Packages	Post Office/Retail postage rates		Stamps.com postage rates	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Priority Mail International (1 lb.)	\$28.25 and up	\$23.25 and up	\$27.40 and up	\$22.09 and up
Priority Mail International (2 lb.)	\$30.60 and up	\$25.80 and up	\$28.76 and up	\$24.51 and up
Priority Mail International (3 lb.)	\$32.95 and up	\$28.35 and up	\$30.97 ad up	\$26.93 and up
Priority Mail International Flat Rate Envelopes - Canada	\$19.95	\$12.95	\$19.95	\$12.95
Priority Mail International Flat Rate Envelopes - Other Countries	\$23.95	\$16.95	\$23.95	\$16.95
Priority Mail International Small Flat Rate Box - Canada	\$19.95	\$12.95	\$19.95	\$12.95
Priority Mail International Small Flat Rate Box - Other Countries	\$23.95	\$16.95	\$23.95	\$16.95
Priority Mail International Medium Flat Rate Box - Canada	\$40.95	\$32.95	\$40.95	\$32.95
Priority Mail International Medium Flat Rate Box - Other Countries	\$59.95	\$47.95	\$59.95	\$47.95
Priority Mail International Large Flat Rate Box - Canada	\$53.95	\$39.95	\$53.95	\$39.95
Priority Mail International Large Flat Rate Box - Other Countries	\$77.95	\$60.95	\$77.95	\$60.95



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First-Class Package International Service (formerly First-Class Mail International)

First-Class Package International Service is the USPS' most affordable international service for the delivery of letters, big envelopes and small packages to over 190 countries. Maximum weight is 4 pounds. Delivery time varies by destination.



When to use First-Class Package International Service

Use First-Class Package International Service if you are shipping small, inexpensive items such as books, health and beauty products, clothing, or accessories weighing under 4 pounds.

Pros

- Most affordable international service
- Delivery time varies by destination
- Ideal for letters, big envelopes and small packages

Cons

- Exact delivery times are unknown and can be in excess of 21 days.
- Delivery Confirmation only available to Canada currently. More countries to be added later in 2013.

Changes to First-Class Package International Service in 2013

- First-Class Package International Service rates for packages will start at \$9.50 (previously \$5.75) for online postage.
- First-Class Mail International packages will be renamed First-Class Package International Service.
- First-Class Package International Service now offers Commercial Base discounts of up to 10% off retail rates.
- First-Class Package International Service will include free electronic Delivery Confirmation for packages being delivered to Canada. Additional countries will be added throughout 2013.

Packages	Post Office/Retail postage rates		Stamps.com postage rates	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
First-Class Package International Service - Price Group 1 Canada (1 lb.)	\$10.55	\$5.75	\$9.50	\$5.75
First-Class Package International Service - Price Group 2 Mexico (1 lb.)	\$15.05	\$9.29	\$13.55	\$9.29
First-Class Package International Service - Price Group 3-5 Asia, Europe, Aus (1 lb.)	\$16.75	\$11.60	\$15.08	\$11.60
First-Class Package International Service - Price Group 6-9 Other Counties (1 lb.)	\$16.25	\$11.26	\$14.63	\$11.26



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