

January 2012 USPS® Proposed Price Change Highlights for Mailing Services Products

	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
First-Class Mail® Retail Letters	1 Ounce	\$0.44	\$0.45	2%
Maximum size 11.5" L X 6.125" H X 1/4" thickness	2 Ounce	\$0.64	\$0.65	2%
	3 Ounce	\$0.84	\$0.85	1%
Maximum weight FCM retail and automation letter	3.5 Ounce	\$1.04	\$1.05	1%
Surcharge for Nonmachinable Letters		\$0.20	\$0.20	0%
Postcard		\$0.29	\$0.32	10%
Maximum size 6" L X 4.25" H X .016" thickness				
	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
First-Class Mail® Retail Flats	1 Ounce	\$0.88	\$0.90	2%
Flats exceed one or more dimensions of a letter and must be uniform in thickness, rectangular, and flexible.	2 Ounce	\$1.08	\$1.10	2%
	3 Ounce	\$1.28	\$1.30	2%
	4 Ounce	\$1.48	\$1.50	1%
	5 Ounce	\$1.68	\$1.70	1%
	6 Ounce	\$1.88	\$1.90	1%
	7 Ounce	\$2.08	\$2.10	1%
	8 Ounce	\$2.28	\$2.30	1%
	9 Ounce	\$2.48	\$2.50	1%
	10 Ounce	\$2.68	\$2.70	1%
	11 Ounce	\$2.88	\$2.90	1%
	12 Ounce	\$3.08	\$3.10	1%
	13 Ounce	\$3.28	\$3.30	1%
	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
First-Class Mail® Retail Parcels	1 Ounce	\$1.71	\$1.95	14%
	2 Ounce	\$1.71	\$1.95	14%
	3 Ounce	\$1.71	\$1.95	14%
	4 Ounce	\$1.88	\$2.12	13%
	5 Ounce	\$2.05	\$2.29	12%
	6 Ounce	\$2.22	\$2.46	11%
	7 Ounce	\$2.39	\$2.63	10%
	8 Ounce	\$2.56	\$2.80	9%
	9 Ounce	\$2.73	\$2.97	9%
	10 Ounce	\$2.90	\$3.14	8%
	11 Ounce	\$3.07	\$3.31	8%
	12 Ounce	\$3.24	\$3.48	7%
	13 Ounce	\$3.41	\$3.65	7%

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	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
Commercial First-Class Mail® Postcards				
Presorted (nonautomation)		0.26	0.28	8%
Automation Mixed AADC		0.235	0.255	9%
Automation AADC		0.223	0.244	9%
Automation 3 Digit		0.222	0.243	9%
Automation 5 Digit		0.208	0.229	10%
	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
Commercial First-Class Mail® Letters				
Presorted (nonautomation)	1 Ounce	\$0.414	\$0.424	2%
Automation Mixed AADC	1 Ounce	\$0.390	\$0.404	4%
Automation AADC	1 Ounce	\$0.368	\$0.374	2%
Automation 3 Digit	1 Ounce	\$0.365	\$0.374	2%
Automation 5 Digit	1 Ounce	\$0.340	\$0.350	3%
Presorted (nonautomation)	2 Ounce	\$0.539	\$0.424	-21%
Automation Mixed AADC	2 Ounce	\$0.515	\$0.404	-22%
Automation AADC	2 Ounce	\$0.493	\$0.374	-24%
Automation 3 Digit	2 Ounce	\$0.490	\$0.374	-24%
Automation 5 Digit	2 Ounce	\$0.465	\$0.350	-25%
Presorted (nonautomation)	3 Ounce	\$0.664	\$0.674	2%
Automation Mixed AADC	3 Ounce	\$0.640	\$0.654	2%
Automation AADC	3 Ounce	\$0.618	\$0.624	1%
Automation 3 Digit	3 Ounce	\$0.615	\$0.624	1%
Automation 5 Digit	3 Ounce	\$0.590	\$0.600	2%
	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
Commercial First-Class Mail® Flats				
Presorted (nonautomation)	1 Ounce	\$0.757	\$0.762	1%
Automation Mixed ADC	1 Ounce	\$0.725	\$0.730	1%
Automation ADC	1 Ounce	\$0.605	\$0.630	4%
Automation 3 Digit	1 Ounce	\$0.547	\$0.574	5%
Automation 5 Digit	1 Ounce	\$0.373	\$0.400	7%
Additional ounce price		0.17	0.17	0%
	Weight	Current	Proposed	% Increase
Commercial First-Class Mail® Services				
Certified Mail™		\$2.85	\$2.95	4%
Return Receipt - "green card"		\$2.30	\$2.35	2%
Return Receipt - Electronic		\$1.15	\$1.15	0%
Certificate of Mailing (PS Form 3817)		\$1.15	\$1.15	0%
Certificate of Mailing (3 or more, PS Form 3877)		\$0.42	\$0.44	5%
Registered™ without Insurance		\$10.75	\$10.95	2%
Restricted Delivery		\$4.50	\$4.55	1%
Delivery Confirmation™				
First-Class™/Package Services parcels-Retail		\$0.80	\$0.85	6%
First-Class™/Package Services parcels-Electronic		\$0.19	\$0.00	-100%
Standard Mail® parcels-Electronic		\$0.19	\$0.19	0%
Priority Mail®-Retail		\$0.70	\$0.75	7%
Priority Mail®-Electronic		\$0.00	\$0.00	0%
Signature Confirmation™ Retail		\$2.45	\$2.55	4%
Signature Confirmation™ Electronic		\$2.05	\$2.10	2%
Special Handling ~ not more than 10 pounds		\$7.55	\$7.70	2%
Special Handling ~ over 10 pounds		\$10.60	\$10.80	2%
Permit Imprint Application Fee		\$190.00	\$190.00	0%
Annual Presort Mailing Fee		\$190.00	\$190.00	0%
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Standard Mail® Letters				
Machinable Mixed AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.276	\$0.281	2%
Machinable AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.260	\$0.265	2%
Automation Mixed AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.273	\$0.278	2%
Automation AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.257	\$0.262	2%
Automation 3 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.255	\$0.260	2%
Automation 5 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.237	\$0.242	2%
Standard Mail® Flats				
Nonautomation Mixed ADC - Origin	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.549	\$0.561	2%
Nonautomation ADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.516	\$0.528	2%
Nonautomation 3 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.464	\$0.470	1%
Nonautomation 5 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.382	\$0.388	2%
Automation Mixed ADC - Origin	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.492	\$0.504	2%
Automation ADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.482	\$0.494	2%
Automation 3 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.426	\$0.438	3%
Automation 5 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.347	\$0.353	2%
Standard Mail® Nonprofit Letters				
Machinable Mixed AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.174	\$0.172	-1%
Machinable AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.158	\$0.156	-1%
Automation Mixed AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.168	\$0.166	-1%
Automation AADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.152	\$0.150	-1%
Automation 3 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.150	\$0.148	-1%
Automation 5 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.132	\$0.130	-2%
Standard Mail® Nonprofit Flats				
Nonautomation Mixed ADC - Origin	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.412	\$0.413	0.24%
Nonautomation ADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.379	\$0.380	0.26%
Nonautomation 3 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.332	\$0.332	0.00%
Nonautomation 5 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.250	\$0.251	0.40%
Automation Mixed ADC - Origin	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.355	\$0.356	0.28%
Automation ADC	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.345	\$0.346	0.29%
Automation 3 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.289	\$0.290	0.35%
Automation 5 Digit	≤3.3 Ounces	\$0.213	\$0.214	0.47%
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