

# USPS 2020

# POSTAGE RATE INCREASE GUIDE

The U.S. Postal Service (USPS) will implement new rates for domestic and international mail classes as well as Special Services on January 26, 2020. Learn more about these changes and how they may impact your mailing and shipping.

NEW RATES START SUNDAY, JAN. 26, 2020

# WHAT'S NEW IN 2020

2020 USPS Commercial Base (online postage) prices by mail class

| Mail Class   | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates | Increase      |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| First-Class Mail® Letter (1 oz.) - Retail/Post Office Rate*  | \$0.55             | \$0.55             | NO CHANGE     |
| First-Class Mail® Letter (1 oz.) - Metered Mail/Endicia Rate | \$0.50             | \$0.50             | NO CHANGE     |
| First-Class Mail® Letter - Additional Ounces                 | \$0.15             | \$0.15             | NO CHANGE     |
| First-Class Mail® Flat/Large Envelope (1 oz.)                | \$1.00             | \$1.00             | NO CHANGE     |
| First-Class Mail® Flat/Large Envelope - Additional Ounces    | \$0.20             | \$0.15             | \$0.05        |
| First-Class Mail® Letter International (1 oz.)               | \$1.20             | \$1.15             | \$0.05        |
| Postcard   | \$0.35             | \$0.35             | NO CHANGE     |
| Priority Mail Express® (0.5 lb.)                             | \$22.75 and up     | \$22.68 and up     | \$0.07 and up |
| Priority Mail® (1 lb.)                                       | \$7.02 and up      | \$6.95 and up      | \$0.07 and up |
| First-Class Package Service (1 oz.)                          | \$2.74 and up      | \$2.66 and up      | \$0.08 and up |
| Parcel Select Ground® (1 lb.)                                | \$6.92 and up      | \$6.84 and up      | \$0.08 and up |
| Media Mail® (1 lb.)  | \$2.80             | \$2.75             | \$0.05        |
| USPS Retail Ground™ (1 lb.) - Retail/Post Office Rate*       | \$7.50 and up      | \$7.35 and up      | \$0.15 and up |
| Global Express Guaranteed® (0.5 lb.)                         | \$64.41 and up     | \$64.41 and up     | NO CHANGE     |
| Priority Mail Express International® (0.5 lb.)               | \$42.85 and up     | \$42.00 and up     | \$0.85 and up |
| Priority Mail International® (1 lb.) Canada                  | \$34.53 and up     | \$32.59 and up     | \$1.94 and up |
| Priority Mail International (1 lb.) Other Countries          | \$42.28 and up     | \$39.71 and up     | \$2.57 and up |
| First-Class Package International Service® (1 lb.)           | \$19.71 and up     | \$16.93 and up     | \$2.78 and up |

\* Retail/Post Office Rate: Prices paid when going to the Post Office to purchase postage

# **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

2020 USPS Postage Rate Increase

#### When do the new USPS rates start?

The 2020 USPS postage rates go into effect on Sunday, January 26, 2020.

## Is the price of a First Class Mail letter (1 oz.) increasing in 2020?

First Class Mail letter (1 oz.) rates ARE NOT increasing for 2020. If you purchase postage at the Post Office, the rate will remain \$0.55. If you print postage online (via Endicia), the Metered Mail rate will remain \$0.50 in 2020, a 5 cent discount off the Post Office price. Each additional ounce will cost \$0.15 (no change from 2019).

## When printing postage online for First Class Mail letters, do I get a discounted rate?

Yes, customers who print postage using Endicia save 5 cents per letter, paying only \$0.50 instead of \$0.55 (Post Office rate) - a 9% savings! This discount is known as the "Metered Mail" rate and is available for all postage printed using an approved PC Postage/online postage vendor such as Endicia or through a postage meter.

## Can I buy \$0.50 "Metered Mail" rate postage stamps at the Post Office?

No, the "Metered Mail" rate \$0.50 postage stamps can only be printed using an approved PC Postage/online postage vendor such as Endicia or through a postage meter. The "Metered Mail" \$0.50 stamps cannot be purchased at the Post Office.

## When printing shipping labels online, do I get a discounted rate?

Yes, customers who print postage online automatically qualify for discounted shipping rates (known as Commercial Base pricing) when purchasing Priority Mail, Priority Mail Express or First Class Package Service. This discount applies for both domestic and international deliveries. These discounted rates are automatically calculated when you print a shipping label inside the Endicia platform.

## What is the maximum weight of First Class Package Service?

The maximum weight for First Class Package Service is 15.999 ounces. It's important to note that 15.999 ounces is lower than 1 lb. (16 ounces). When packages that use First Class Package Service are determined to weigh 16 ounces or more, the USPS will automatically increase the mail service to Priority Mail, and the additional cost will be taken out of your Endicia account.

#### Does Endicia have an option to ship merchandise using First Class Mail International Large Envelopes/Flats?

Yes! Endicia provides a service for online retailers to ship merchandise in a Large Envelope/Flat to an International destination at a significant cost savings compared to First Class Package International Service. The savings can be \$10.00 or higher using International Flats compared to First Class Package International Service.

## Did the USPS Dimensional (DIM) Weight divisor change?

Yes, back in June 2019, the USPS changed the DIM divisor for packages over 1 cubic foot (1,728 cubic inches) from 194 to 166. DIM pricing is applied to all packages over 1 cubic foot for Priority Mail, Priority Mail Express and Parcel Select Ground.

# The USPS was in the news regarding international shipping and the Universal Postal Union. Has anything changed with USPS International Shipping?

In September 2019, the Universal Postal Union (UPU) agreed to allow certain countries, including the U.S., to change the international shipping rates for small packages/bulky letters being imported into host countries. While USPS International Shipping services will remain unchanged, it's possible the rates to ship items from the U.S. to international destinations could increase starting July 1, 2020 based on the UPU agreement.

## I am a Endicia customer. Do I need to take any actions to get the new rates after January 26, 2020?

No, if you are a Endicia customer, you do not need to take any action. Endicia will automatically update all USPS rates inside the software and web-based version (Endicia Online) on Sunday, January 26, 2020.

# FIRST-CLASS MAIL (Letters, Postcards and Flats)

First-Class Mail is a service that delivers envelopes weighing up to 3.5 ounces and flats up to 13 ounces. This service is ideal and cost-effective for letters, bills, large envelopes, and postcards. This mail class offers delivery between one and three days within the U.S.



## WHEN TO USE:

Use First-Class Mail if you are sending a standard letter up to 3.5 ounces and you don't require USPS tracking.



## CHANGES TO FIRST-CLASS MAIL IN 2020

#### **Letter Rates**

The First-Class Mail Letter (1 oz.) retail rate will remain at \$0.55 in 2020. Each additional ounce will cost an extra \$0.15.

#### **Online Postage Savings**

Endicia customers automatically receive the discounted "Metered Mail" rate, which is \$0.50, a five cents discount off the Post Office rate of \$0.55 for First Class Mail Letters (1 oz.).

#### Flats/Large Envelopes

First-Class Mail Flats/Large Envelopes (1 oz.) rates will remain at \$1.00. Each additional ounce will cost an extra \$0.20 (a 5 cent increase from 2019).

#### **Postcards**

Postcard rates will remain at \$0.35

|  | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |          |           |  |
|--|--------------------------|----------|-----------|--|
| First-Class Mail Letter  | 2020 Postage Rates       | Increase |           |  |
| First-Class Mail Letter (1 oz.)                                    | \$0.55                   | \$0.55   | NO CHANGE |  |
| Metered Mail (1 oz.) - Online Postage Providers and Postage Meters | \$0.50                   | \$0.50   | NO CHANGE |  |
| First-Class Mail Letter - each additional ounce                    | \$0.15                   | \$0.15   | NO CHANGE |  |
| First-Class Mail Flat/Large Envelope (1 oz.)                       | \$1.00                   | \$1.00   | NO CHANGE |  |
| First-Class Mail Flat/Large Envelope - each additional ounce       | \$0.20                   | \$0.15   | \$0.05    |  |
| First-Class Mail Letter International (1 oz.)                      | \$1.20                   | \$1.15   | \$0.05    |  |
| Postcard   | \$0.35                   | \$0.35   | NO CHANGE |  |

# **PRIORITY MAIL EXPRESS**

Priority Mail Express is the fastest service the USPS offers. It provides regular and overnight delivery to most U.S. addresses, including P.O. Boxes. This mail class offers delivery between one and two days in the U.S. with a maximum allowable package weight of 70 pounds.



WHEN TO USE:

Use Priority Mail Express when you need a mailpiece delivered overnight, regardless of price.



## CHANGES TO PRIORITY MAIL EXPRESS IN 2020

## 2.2% Average Rate Increase

Priority Mail Express rates will start at \$22.75 for online postage customers in 2020 (a 7 cent increase from 2019).

## Online Rate Discounts up to 16%

When printing postage for Priority Mail Express online with Endicia, you will automatically receive discounts up to 16% off the Post Office/Retail rate.

|   | POST OFFICE        | RETAIL RATES       | ENDICI             | A RATES            |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Priority Mail Express                           | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| Priority Mail Express Flat Rate Envelope        | \$26.35            | \$25.50            | \$22.75            | \$22.68            |
| Priority Mail Express Padded Flat Rate Envelope | \$26.95            | \$26.20            | \$23.25            | \$23.18            |
| Priority Mail Express Flat Rate Legal Envelope  | \$26.50            | \$25.70            | \$22.95            | \$22.80            |
| Priority Mail Express (0.5 lb.)                 | \$26.35 and up     | \$25.50 and up     | \$22.75 and up     | \$22.68 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express (1 lb.)                   | \$26.75 and up     | \$25.60 and up     | \$23.00 and up     | \$22.74 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express (2 lb.)                   | \$27.15 and up     | \$25.70 and up     | \$23.25 and up     | \$22.78 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express (3 lb.)                   | \$27.55 and up     | \$25.80 and up     | \$23.50 and up     | \$22.83 and up     |

# **PRIORITY MAIL**

Priority Mail is an expedited service that provides delivery anywhere in the U.S. within two to three days. The maximum allowable package weight for this mail class is 70 pounds.



#### WHEN TO USE:

Use Priority Mail if you are shipping more than 1 pound, specifically if you want fast delivery for a low price.

## CHANGES TO **PRIORITY MAIL** IN 2020

## 2.8% Average Rate Increase

Priority Mail rates will start at \$7.02 for online postage customers in 2020 (a 7 cent increase from 2019).

## Online Rate Discounts up to 40%

When printing postage for Priority Mail online with Endicia, you will automatically receive discounts up to 40% off the Post Office/Retail rate.

|   | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |                    | ENDICI             | A RATES            |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Priority Mail Express                         | 2020 Postage Rates       | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| Priority Mail Flat Rate Envelope              | \$7.75                   | \$7.35             | \$7.15             | \$6.95             |
| Priority Mail Padded Flat Rate Envelope       | \$8.40                   | \$8.00             | \$7.75             | \$7.55             |
| Priority Mail Flat Rate Legal Envelope        | \$8.05                   | \$7.65             | \$7.45             | \$7.25             |
| Priority Mail Small Flat Rate Box             | \$8.30                   | \$7.90             | \$7.65             | \$7.50             |
| Priority Mail Medium Flat Rate Box            | \$15.05                  | \$14.35            | \$13.20            | \$12.80            |
| Priority Mail Large Flat Rate Box             | \$21.10                  | \$19.95            | \$18.30            | \$17.60            |
| Priority Mail APO/FPO/DPO Large Flat Rate Box | \$19.60                  | \$18.45            | \$16.80            | \$16.10            |
| Priority Mail Regional Rate Box A             | \$9.98 and up            | \$9.95 and up      | \$7.68 and up      | \$7.65 and up      |
| Priority Mail Regional Rate Box B             | \$10.37 and up           | \$10.35 and up     | \$8.07 and up      | \$8.05 and up      |
| Priority Mail (1 lb.)                         | \$7.50 and up            | \$7.35 and up      | \$7.02 and up      | \$6.95 and up      |
| Priority Mail (2 lb.)                         | \$8.25 and up            | \$7.85 and up      | \$7.64 and up      | \$7.42 and up      |
| Priority Mail (3 lb.)                         | \$8.70 and up            | \$8.30 and up      | \$7.84 and up      | \$7.61 and up      |

# **FIRST-CLASS PACKAGE SERVICE**

First-Class Package Service is a fast, affordable delivery service for packages weighing up to 15.999 ounces. This mail class offers one to three day delivery within the U.S.



## WHEN TO USE:

Being the lowest cost shipping service in the U.S. among all carriers, use First-Class Package Service if your package is 15.999 ounces or less.

## CHANGES TO FIRST-CLASS PACKAGE SERVICE IN 2020

## 2.2% Average Rate Increase

First-Class Package Service rates will start at \$2.74 for online postage customers in 2020 (an 8 cent increase from 2019).

#### Online Rate Discounts up to 30%

When printing postage for First-Class Package Service online with Endicia, you will automatically receive discounts up to 30% off the Post Office/Retail rate.

|  | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |                    | POST OFFICE        |                    | ENDICI | A RATES |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------|---------|
| First-Class Package Service              | 2020 Postage Rates       | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |        |         |
| First-Class Package Service (3 oz.)      | \$3.80 and up            | \$3.66 and up      | \$2.74 and up      | \$2.66 and up      |        |         |
| First-Class Package Service (6 oz.)      | \$4.60 and up            | \$4.39 and up      | \$3.21 and up      | \$3.18 and up      |        |         |
| First-Class Package Service (9 oz.)      | \$5.30 and up            | \$5.19 and up      | \$3.93 and up      | \$3.82 and up      |        |         |
| First-Class Package Service (12 oz.)     | \$5.30 and up            | \$5.19 and up      | \$3.93 and up      | \$3.82 and up      |        |         |
| First-Class Package Service (15.999 oz.) | Not Available            | Not Available      | \$5.04 and up      | \$4.94 and up      |        |         |

# PARCEL SELECT GROUND (Non-Presort)

Large and medium-sized shippers looking for an economical ground delivery service use Parcel Select Ground. The mail class offers the lowest cost option from the USPS for ground delivery. Distance, weight and dimensions of the mailpiece determine the price. Parcel Select Ground offers U.S. delivery within two to eight days, depending on the destination. The maximum allowable package weight for Parcel Select Ground is 70 lbs.

## WHEN TO USE:

Use Parcel Select Ground if low shipping rates are more important than delivery speed.

## CHANGES TO PARCEL SELECT GROUND IN 2020

## 2.5% Average Rate Increase

Parcel Select Ground rates will start at \$6.92 for online postage customers in 2020 (a 7 cent increase from 2019).

|                              | ENDICIA RATES      |                    |               |  |  |
|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------|--|--|
| Parcel Select Ground         | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates | Increase      |  |  |
| Parcel Select Ground (1 lb.) | \$6.92 and up      | \$6.85 and up      | \$0.07 and up |  |  |
| Parcel Select Ground (2 lb.) | \$7.54 and up      | \$7.32 and up      | \$0.22 and up |  |  |
| Parcel Select Ground (3 lb.) | \$7.74 and up      | \$7.51 and up      | \$0.23 and up |  |  |
| Parcel Select Ground (4 lb.) | \$7.84 and up      | \$7.61 and up      | \$0.23 and up |  |  |
| Parcel Select Ground (5 lb.) | \$7.94 and up      | \$7.71 and up      | \$0.23 and up |  |  |

## Tip: Use Parcel Select Ground to Ship Items that Cannot be Sent by Air Transportation

Parcel Select Ground is a great option for products that are not allowed to be shipped by air transportation and thus cannot use First Class Package Service or Priority Mail. Examples include perfume, adhesives and nail polishes. Don't forget to include proper "ORM-D" documentation.

# **USPS RETAIL GROUND**

Retail Ground is a low-cost ground service for less-than-urgent deliveries and oversized packages. Distance, weight and dimensions of the mailpiece determine the price. This mail class offers U.S. delivery within two to eight days, depending on the destination. The maximum allowable package weight for USPS Retail Ground packages is 70 lbs.



#### WHEN TO USE:

Use USPS Retail Ground if you are unable to print postage online.



## CHANGES TO USPS RETAIL GROUND IN 2020

## 4.9% Average Rate Increase

USPS Retail Ground rates will start at \$7.50 in 2020 (a 15 cent increase from 2019).

#### **Restrictions**

You can only buy USPS Retail Ground at the Post Office.

|                            | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |                    |               |  |  |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------|--|--|
| USPS Retail Ground         | 2020 Postage Rates       | 2019 Postage Rates | Increase      |  |  |
| USPS Retail Ground (1 lb.) | \$7.50 and up            | \$7.35 and up      | \$0.15 and up |  |  |
| USPS Retail Ground (2 lb.) | \$8.25 and up            | \$7.85 and up      | \$0.40 and up |  |  |
| USPS Retail Ground (3 lb.) | \$8.70 and up            | \$8.30 and up      | \$0.40 and up |  |  |
| USPS Retail Ground (4 lb.) | \$9.20 and up            | \$8.75 and up      | \$0.45 and up |  |  |
| USPS Retail Ground (5 lb.) | \$10.20 and up           | \$9.80 and up      | \$0.40 and up |  |  |

# **MEDIA MAIL**

Media Mail is a service restricted to the delivery of books, film, audio and other recorded media. This mail class offers U.S. delivery within two to ten days, depending on the destination. The maximum allowable package weight for Media Mail is 70 pounds.



#### WHEN TO USE:

Use Media Mail if you're sending media-specific items as defined by the USPS and longer transit times are acceptable.



## 1.9% Average Rate Increase

Media Mail rates will start at \$2.80 for online postage customers in 2020 (a 5 cent increase from 2019).

|                    | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |          |        |  |  |
|--------------------|--------------------------|----------|--------|--|--|
| Media Mail         | 2020 Postage Rates       | Increase |        |  |  |
| Media Mail (1 lb.) | \$2.80                   | \$2.75   | \$0.05 |  |  |
| Media Mail (2 lb.) | \$3.33                   | \$3.27   | \$0.06 |  |  |
| Media Mail (3 lb.) | \$3.86                   | \$3.79   | \$0.07 |  |  |
| Media Mail (4 lb.) | \$4.39                   | \$4.31   | \$0.08 |  |  |
| Media Mail (5 lb.) | \$4.92                   | \$4.83   | \$0.09 |  |  |

# **GLOBAL EXPRESS GUARANTEED**

Global Express Guaranteed is the USPS' fastest international service. This service offers date-specific delivery in one to three business days to over 190 countries. FedEx manages transportation and delivery.



#### WHEN TO USE:

Global Express Guaranteed is the only USPS option if you need a package delivered internationally within one to three business days.



## CHANGES TO GLOBAL EXPRESS GUARANTEED IN 2020

## **Global Express Guaranteed**

Global Express Guaranteed rates will start at \$64.41 for online postage customers (no increase from 2019).

#### Online Rate Discounts up to 5%

When printing postage for Global Express Guaranteed online, you will automatically receive discounts up to 5% off the Post Office/Retail rate

|                                     | POST OFFICE/       | RETAIL RATES       | ENDICIA            | RATES              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Global Express Guaranteed           | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| Global Express Guaranteed (0.5 lb.) | \$67.80 and up     | \$67.80 and up     | \$64.41 and up     | \$64.41 and up     |
| Global Express Guaranteed (1 lb.)   | \$81.10 and up     | \$81.10 and up     | \$77.05 and up     | \$77.05 and up     |
| Global Express Guaranteed (2 lb.)   | \$86.65 and up     | \$86.65 and up     | \$82.32 and up     | \$82.32 and up     |
| Global Express Guaranteed (3 lb.)   | \$92.25 and up     | \$92.25 and up     | \$87.64 and up     | \$87.64 and up     |

## PRIORITY MAIL EXPRESS INTERNATIONAL

Priority Mail Express International offers delivery to over 190 countries within three to five days. This mail class offers date-specific delivery and a money-back guarantee when shipping to select countries



**WHEN TO USE:** Use Priority Mail Express International for shipments you need to deliver in three to five days. This service is especially useful if the destination qualifies for date-specific delivery and a money-back guarantee.

## CHANGES TO PRIORITY MAIL EXPRESS INTERNATIONAL IN 2020

## 2% Average Rate Increase

Priority Mail Express International rates will start at \$42.85 for online postage customers (a 85 cent increase from 2019).

#### Online Rate Discounts up to 7%

When printing postage for Priority Mail Express International online, you will automatically receive discounts up to 7% off the Post Office/Retail rate

|  | POST OFFICE        | RETAIL RATES       | ENDICI             | A RATES            |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Priority Mail Express International                              | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| Priority Mail Express Intl (0.5 lb.)                             | \$45.95 and up     | \$44.00 and up     | \$42.85 and up     | \$42.00 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express Intl (1 lb.)                               | \$50.30 and up     | \$48.10 and up     | \$46.82 and up     | \$45.90 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express Intl (2 lb.)                               | \$55.65 and up     | \$53.20 and up     | \$51.81 and up     | \$50.78 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express Intl (3 lb.)                               | \$61.05 and up     | \$58.30 and up     | \$56.80 and up     | \$55.67 and up     |
| Priority Mail Express Intl Flat Rate Envelopes - Canada          | \$45.95            | \$44.50            | \$42.85            | \$42.30            |
| Priority Mail Express Intl Flat Rate Envelopes - Other Countries | \$61.65            | \$61.85            | \$56.75            | \$56.75            |

# **PRIORITY MAIL INTERNATIONAL**

Priority Mail International is an international, cost effective service that delivers mailpieces to over 190 countries. This mail class offers international delivery in six to ten days.



#### WHEN TO USE:

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



## CHANGES TO PRIORITY MAIL INTERNATIONAL IN 2020

## 6% Average Rate Increase

Priority Mail International rates will start at \$34.53 for online postage customers (a \$1.94 increase from 2019).

## Online Rate Discounts up to 5%

When printing postage for Priority Mail International online, you will automatically receive discounts up to 5% off the Post Office/Retail rate

|   | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |                    | ENDICIA            | RATES              |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Priority Mail International                               | 2020 Postage Rates       | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| Priority Mail Intl (1 lb.) - Canada                       | \$36.35 and up           | \$34.30 and up     | \$34.53 and up     | \$32.59 and up     |
| Priority Mail Intl (1 lb.) - Other Countries              | \$44.50 and up           | \$41.80 and up     | \$42.28 and up     | \$39.71 and up     |
| Priority Mail Intl (2 lb.) - Canada                       | \$39.30 and up           | \$37.05 and up     | \$37.34 and up     | \$35.20 and up     |
| Priority Mail Intl (2 lb.) - Other Countries              | \$48.45 and up           | \$45.55 and up     | \$46.03 and up     | \$43.27 and up     |
| Priority Mail Intl (3 lb.) - Canada                       | \$42.20 and up           | \$39.80 and up     | \$40.09 and up     | \$37.81 and up     |
| Priority Mail Intl (3 lb.) - Other Countries              | \$52.40 and up           | \$49.30 and up     | \$49.78 and up     | \$46.84 and up     |
| Priority Mail Intl Flat Rate Envelopes - Canada           | \$26.90                  | \$25.85            | \$25.55            | \$24.55            |
| Priority Mail Intl Flat Rate Envelopes - Other Countries  | \$33.75                  | \$32.20            | \$32.05            | \$30.60            |
| Priority Mail Intl Small Flat Rate Box - Canada           | \$27.90                  | \$26.85            | \$26.50            | \$25.50            |
| Priority Mail Intl Small Flat Rate Box - Other Countries  | \$35.35                  | \$33.60            | \$33.60            | \$31.90            |
| Priority Mail Intl Medium Flat Rate Box - Canada          | \$51.55                  | \$49.60            | \$48.95            | \$47.10            |
| Priority Mail Intl Medium Flat Rate Box - Other Countries | \$75.95                  | \$72.30            | \$72.15            | \$68.70            |
| Priority Mail Intl Large Flat Rate Box - Canada           | \$67.05                  | \$64.50            | \$63.70            | \$61.30            |
| Priority Mail Intl Large Flat Rate Box - Other Countries  | \$99.10                  | \$94.25            | \$94.15            | \$89.55            |

# FIRST-CLASS PACKAGE INT'L SERVICE

First-Class Package International Service is the USPS' most affordable international service for the delivery of small packages to over 190 countries. The maximum weight for this mail class is four pounds. Delivery time varies by destination, ranging from 10 to 20 days.



**WHEN TO USE:** 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 four pounds.

## CHANGES TO FIRST-CLASS PACKAGE INTERNATIONAL SERVICE IN 2020

## 9.9% Average Rate Increase

First-Class Package International Service rates will start at \$19.17 for online postage customers (a \$3.32 increase from 2019).

#### Online Rate Discounts up to 5%

When printing postage for First-Class Package International Service online, you will automatically receive discounts up to 5% off the Post Office/Retail rate

|  | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |                    | ENDICI             | A RATES            |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| First-Class Package International Service  | 2020 Postage Rates       | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| First-Class Package International Service -<br>Price Group 1 Canada (1 lb.)                | \$20.75                  | \$17.25            | \$19.71            | \$16.39            |
| First-Class Package International Service -<br>Price Group 2 Mexico (1 Ib.)                | \$21.75                  | \$21.50            | \$20.66            | \$16.39            |
| First-Class Package International Service -<br>Price Group 3 - 5 Asia, Europe, Aus (1 lb.) | \$24.50 and up           | \$23.50 and up     | \$23.28 and up     | \$22.33 and up     |
| First-Class Package International Service -<br>Price Group 6 - 9 Other Countries (1 lb.)   | \$25.50 and up           | \$24.50 and up     | \$24.23 and up     | \$23.28 and up     |

# **USPS SPECIAL SERVICES**

2020 USPS Postage Rate Increase

|  |  | POST OFFICE/RETAIL RATES |                    | ENDICIA RATES      |                    |
|--|--|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Special Services                       | Description  | 2020 Postage Rates       | 2019 Postage Rates | 2020 Postage Rates | 2019 Postage Rates |
| Certified Mail                         | Provides proof of mailing at time of mailing and the date and<br>time of delivery or attempted delivery. Purchasing Certifed<br>Mail service allows customers to then purchase Restricted<br>Delivery service or a Return Receipt.   | \$3.55                   | \$3.50             | \$3.55             | \$3.50             |
| Registered Mail                        | Provides the sender with a mailing receipt and, upon request,<br>electronic verifcation that an article was delivered. The most<br>secure service that the USPS offers.  | \$12.60 and up           | \$12.40 and up     | \$12.60 and up     | \$12.40 and up     |
| USPS Tracking                          | Provides the mailer with information about the date and time<br>an article was delivered. This service is FREE on Priority Mail<br>Express, Priority Mail, First Class Package Service and Parcel<br>Select packages when you use Endicia.   | \$0.00                   | \$0.00             | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |
| Signature<br>Confirmation              | Provides the date and time of delivery or attempted delivery<br>and the name of the person who signed for the item.  | \$3.15                   | \$3.05             | \$2.65             | \$2.60             |
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