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POST OFFICE

# AIR MAIL

## Countries Outside Europe

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**Air Letters:** Air Letter forms, postage 5p or 6½p, according to size, may be sent to all countries. Enclosures are not permitted. You may get the special forms at post offices or use privately-manufactured forms which bear a statement that they have been approved by the Post Office, with the approval number. Unapproved forms will be treated as ordinary air mail letters.

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**Insured Letters and Boxes** may be sent by air mail to many countries (see pages 2-5). Normal insurance fees are payable besides the air postage rate; (the Printed Paper rate applies for Insured Boxes).

**Literature for the Blind** may go by air mail to all countries at 1p for each 2 oz. or part thereof.

**Air Parcels** may be sent by air at the rates on pages 2-5. Where no rate is shown there is no service at present. Supplemental services as for ordinary parcels are available except that air parcels can be accepted for insurance to certain countries only (see pages 2-5). You must put a blue air mail label close to the address (each address if the parcel is addressed in more than one place), on the despatch note if one is used, and on the trade charge card for C.O.D. parcels. **Air parcels are usually given speedy customs clearance abroad.**

The posting times in this leaflet apply to the posting boxes in the front of London Chief Office, King Edward Building, King Edward Street, EC1A 1AA. *Note:* For mail to be weighed and rated, the counter at King Edward Building is open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday to Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. At Trafalgar Square Branch Office, which is open always, mail can be weighed and rated at any time. Overnight and on Saturday evening and Sunday, the posting times in this leaflet also apply to Trafalgar Square B.O. Ask at your Head or your Branch Post Office for local posting times. They are generally earlier than London Chief Office times. Glasgow and Manchester have some local posting times for North America.

**Transit Times:** Pages 2-5 give a guide to times of actual transmission of air mail letters to each country of destination. The times do not apply to air parcels, but still give some guide. The times are calculated from the time of posting at London Chief Office. They do not allow for intervals between arrival and delivery in the country of destination and they are not guaranteed.

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So far as is possible the information in this leaflet is correct on the first of the month. Air Mail services are liable to alteration, but between monthly issues of the leaflet any post office will give particulars of important changes. Your Head Postmaster will supply leaflets free if you give him a standing order.



## AIR MAIL SERVICES TO COUNTRIES OUTSIDE EUROPE

Air Letters to all these countries: 5p or 6p each, according to size.

Insured services available Letters L Boxes B Parcels P	Letters per ½-oz. or part thereof	Postcards, Printed Papers, and Small Packets per ½-oz. or part thereof (newspaper rates in brackets)	Air Parcels		To	Times of posting at the boxes in the front of King Edward Building, King Edward Street, EC1A 1AA and approximate times of transit							Days			
			Not over 1lb.	Each lb. after or part thereof		Not applicable to Air Parcels										
			£ p	£ p		Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.				
	P	P	£ p	£ p												
LP	5	3 (14)	1.05	40	ABU DHABI	12.30 pm	5.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	1			
	7½	4 (2)	1.30	50	AFGHANISTAN	3.30 am	...	7.30 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	...	10.0 am	1-2			
LB	5	3 (14)	1.00	25	†ALGERIA	3.30 am	12.15 am	12.15 am	12.15 am	12.15 am	7.30 am	12.15 am	1-2			
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.25	45	ANTIGUA	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	...	1-2			
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.65	85	ARGENTINA	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	1-2			
P	9	5 (24)	1.60	1.20	†ASCENSION via U.S.A.	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	Variable			
					AUSTRALIA											
					New South Wales, Canberra & South Australia	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2			
					Northern Territory	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am				
					Queensland	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm				
					Victoria and Tasmania	3.30 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	12.15 am	9.0 am	7.30 pm				
					Western Australia	3.30 am	7.30 am	...	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	...				
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)		85	20	AZORES	3.30 am	7.30 am	...	...	...	...	...	1-2			
P	7½	4 (2)	1.20	50	BAHAMAS											
					Freeport	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	1-2			
					Nassau	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am				
LP	5	3 (14)	1.25	40	BAHRAIN	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	1			
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.25	55	BANGLADESH	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	7.30 am	9.0 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	1-2			
P	7½	4 (2)	1.25	50	BARBADOS	3.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2			
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.00	40	BERMUDA	3.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2			
					BHUTAN	...	As for India, Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	1-2			
					BOLIVIA	12.30 pm	9.0 am	4.30 pm	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	4-8*			
					BOTSWANA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-3			
					BRAZIL											
					Recife							3.30 pm	1-2			
					Rio de Janeiro	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	...	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm				
					Sao Paulo							4.30 pm				
					BRITISH HONDURAS	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2			
P	7½	4 (2)	1.80	80	BRUNEI	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2-3			
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.50	70	BURMA		7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	7.30 am		7.30 am	1-2			
					BURUNDI	7.30 am	3.30 pm	...	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	...	2-5			
					CAMBODIA	See Khmer Republic										
					CAMEROON East	...	2.0 pm	...	...	6.0 am	3.30 am	...	1-2			
P	7½	4 (2)	1.10	40	CAMEROON, West	...	2.0 pm	...	...	6.0 am	3.30 am	...	1-2			
					CANADA											
					Newfoundland	3.30 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	1-3			
					Montreal & Ottawa	3.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am				
					Toronto	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am				
					Winnipeg	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am				
					Vancouver and Western Provinces	12.30 pm	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am				
LP	As for Spain (see page 6)				CANARY ISLANDS											
					Las Palmas	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1			
					Santa Cruz	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am				
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)		1.05	35	CAPE VERDE ISLANDS	3.30 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	3.30 pm	...	1			
					CAROLINE ISLANDS	9	5 (24)	1.90	1.15	As for USA, New York			5-11			
					CAYMAN ISLANDS	7½	4 (2)	1.20	55	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2		
					CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	7½	4 (2)	1.10	45	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	2-5	
					CEYLON	7½	4 (2)	1.05	45	See Sri Lanka						
					CHAD	7½	4 (2)	1.65	85	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	2-5
LBP	9	5 (24)	1.30	65	CHILE	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-2			
					CHINA (Peoples Republic of)											
					Kwangtung Province	...	As for Hong Kong	...	...	...	...	...	3-7			
					Shanghai	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	11.30 am	6.0 am	...	2-3			
					Peking and remainder	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	...	...				
					CHRISTMAS ISLAND	7½	4 (2)	1.60	1.20	As for Western Australia			Variable			
P	7½	4 (2)	1.70	70	COCOS (Keeling) IS.	7½	4 (2)	1.70	70	As for Western Australia						
					COLOMBIA								1-2			
					Barranquilla	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	3			
					Bogota	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	7.30 am	4.30 pm	...				
					COMORO ISLANDS	7½	4 (2)	1.35	65	As for Malagasy Republic			2-5			
					CONGO (Peoples Republic of) (Brazzaville)	7½	4 (2)	1.05	45	4.0 pm	4.0 pm	4.0 pm		4.0 pm	4.0 pm	6.0 pm
					CONGO (Kinshasa)	7½	4 (2)	1.40	60	See Zaire (Republic of)			1-2			
					COOK ISLANDS	7½	4 (2)	1.35	70	See New Zealand Island Territories			2-3			
					COSTA RICA	7½	4 (2)	1.40	60	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	
					CUBA	7½	4 (2)	1.35	70	...	6.0 am	...	2.0 pm	...		

† Air transmission to Recife, Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo only.

‡ Except Kazungala and Kusane—for posting times, see Rhodesia

† Times of posting changed since previous issue.

\* Air transmission to Calcutta only.



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						Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	
P	7½	4 (2)	1-30	60	DAHOMEY	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	3-5
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	55	DOMINICA	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	...	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-20	55	DOMINICAN REP.	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	...	1-2
	5	3 (1½)	1-20	40	DUBAI	3.30 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	1
P	7½	4 (2)	1-45	65	ECUADOR	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
	5	3 (1½)	1-05	30	EGYPT (Arab Republic of)	6.0 pm	4.15 pm	11.15 am	11.15 am	5.45 pm	3.45 pm	11.15 am	1-2
P	7½	4 (2)	1-60	60	EL SALVADOR	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	...	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	45	EQUATORIAL GUINEA	...	...	2.0 pm	...	...	...	...	2-3
P	5	3 (1½)	1-30	50	ETHIOPIA	6.0 pm	12.15 pm	...	3.30 pm	10.0 am	4.30 pm	10.0 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	75	FALKLAND ISLANDS inc. Dependencies	...	...	...	...	4.30 pm	...	...	Variable
LBP	9	5 (2½)	1-80	1-10	FIJI	3.30 am	...	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	10.0 am	2
	7½	4 (2)	1-30	60	FORMOSA	See Taiwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
LBP	9	5 (2½)	2-15	1-25	FRENCH GUIANA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	10.0 am	4-6
	5	3 (1½)	1-10	45	FRENCH POLYNESIA	As for Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	...	3-9
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-25	50	FRENCH TERRITORY OF THE AFARS & ISSAS (formerly French Somali Coast)	3.30 am	3.30 pm	1.15 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	...	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-25	50	FRENCH WEST INDIES	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	...	2-4
P	7½	4 (2)	1-25	50	GABON	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	2-5
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	40	GAMBIA	...	6.0 am	4.30 pm	...	4.30 pm	...	...	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-30	40	GHANA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	7.30 am	...	2-3
	9	5 (2½)	1-70	1-15	GILBERT & ELLICE IS.	As for Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	...	5-18
LBP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)	95	35	GREENLAND	As for Denmark (see page 6)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1-3
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	55	GRENADA	3.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-40	60	GUATEMALA	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	50	GUYANA	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	3-6
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-45	50	GUYANA†	3.30 am	...	6.0 am	10.0 am	...	10.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-30	60	HAITI	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	...	...	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-35	60	HONDURAS (Rep. of)	3.30 am	9.0 am	...	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-25	65	HONG KONG	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-40	60	INDIA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7½	4 (2)	1-60	85	INDONESIA	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	1-2
LBP	5	3 (1½)	1-00	35	IRAN Persia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	3 (1½)	1-15	35	IRAQ	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	7.30 am	1
P	5	3 (1½)	1-05	30	ISRAEL	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	50	IVORY COAST	12.30 pm	3.30 am	2.0 pm	3.30 am	2.0 pm	3.30 am	3.30 am	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-45	50	JAMAICA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2
	9	5 (2½)	1-50	65	JAPAN	3.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	2
LBP	5	3 (1½)	1-05	30	JORDAN	6.0 pm	...	6.0 am	...	3.0 pm	...	6.0 am	1
	7½	4 (2)	1-25	50	KENYA	6.0 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
P	7½	4 (2)	1-40	70	KHMER REPUBLIC	...	7.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	1-2
	9	5 (2½)	1-40	75	KOREA, North	As for China, Peking.	...	...	...	...	...	...	5-8
LBP	9	5 (2½)	1-40	75	KOREA, South	3.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	2-3
	5	3 (1½)	1-05	35	KUWAIT	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	1
P	7½	4 (2)	1-45	70	LAOS	...	7.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	2
	5	3 (1½)	1-05	30	LEBANON	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	1
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-55	65	LESOTHO	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	45	LIBERIA	...	6.0 am	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	6.0 am	...	1-2
LBP	5	3 (1½)	1-05	30	LIBYAN ARAB REPUB. Benghazi and Cyrenaica	3.30 am	7.15 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	11.0 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	65	LIBYAN ARAB REPUB. Tripoli and remainder	3.30 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	11.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-35	65	MACAO	As for Hong Kong	...	...	...	...	...	...	2-5
	7½	4 (2)	1-40	70	MADAGASCAR	See Madagascar Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
LBP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)	85	20	MADEIRA	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	65	MALAGASY REPUBLIC	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	3
P	7½	4 (2)	1-30	60	MALAWI	...	4.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-30	60	MALAYSIA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1-30	75	Malaya	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1-40	80	Sabah	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2-3
P	7½	4 (2)	1-40	80	Sarawak	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2-3

§ Insurance (except to Ryukyu Islands).  
† Times of posting changed since previous issue.

\* Except Falkland Islands Dependencies.

‡ Formerly British Guiana  
§ Formerly Cambodia



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L B P	P	4 (2)	1-20	60	MALDIVES (Republic of)	As for Sri Lanka														
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	40	MALI	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	Variable†							
	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-15	MARIAN ISLANDS	As for USA, New York							1-5							
	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-15	MARSHALL ISLANDS	As for USA, New York							4-6							
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	55	MAURITANIA	As for Senegal							6-12							
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	70	MAURITIUS	6.0 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm		2.0 pm	2.0 pm		3							
L B P	9	5 (2½)			MEXICO	3.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	1-3							
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	55	MONGOLIA (Peoples Republic of)	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4							
	5	3 (1½)	90	20	MONTERRAT	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am		7.30 am	10.0 am		1-5							
L B P P	9	5 (2½)	1-65	1-15	MOROCCO	12.30 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am		4.30 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	55	Canablanca	3.30 am	9.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am								
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	60	Tangier															
	9	5 (2½)	1-85	1-10	For Ceuta, Melilla, Chafarinas and Jada	See Spanish Territories in North Africa (See Oman)														
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	65	MUSCAT	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-20	NAURU ISLAND	As for Australia, Victoria and Tasmania							5-16							
L B P P	7½	4 (2)	1-15	55	NEPAL	12.30 pm	7.30 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm			7.30 am	1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	NETHERLANDS	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am			5.0 am	2-3							
	9	5 (2½)	1-85	1-10	ANTILLES	As for Fiji							1-8							
L B P P	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-20	NEW CALEDONIA	As for Australia, New South Wales							3-5							
	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	NEW GUINEA TERRIT.								4-5							
	9	5 (2½)	1-85	1-10	NEW HEBRIDES (inc. Banks and Torres Is.)	As for Fiji							2							
L B P P	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-20	NEW ZEALAND	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	9-30**							
	7½	4 (2)	1-35	65	NEW ZEALAND Island Territories	As for Fiji							1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-00	40	NICARAGUA	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-5							
L B P P	7½	4 (2)	1-25	40	NIGER	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-25	40	NIGERIA								1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	Kano	3.30 am	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-2							
L B P P	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	Lagos		4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm		1-4							
	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	NORFOLK ISLAND	As for Australia, New South Wales							4-11							
	5	3 (1½)	1-05	40	OMAN, Sultanate of,	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	6.0 am	1-2							
L B P P	7½	4 (2)	1-25	55	PAKISTAN, East	See Bangladesh														
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	65	PAKISTAN, West	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	5.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	1							
	7½	4 (2)	1-40	60	PANAMA CANAL ZONE	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	PANAMA (Republic of)	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-45	70	PAPUA	As for Australia, New South Wales							3-5							
	7½	4 (2)	1-75	75	PARAGUAY		4.30 pm		4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	1-2							
L B P P	9	5 (2½)	1-35	75	PERU	12.30 pm	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-35	75	PHILIPPINES	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.10 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-75	1-15	PITCAIRN ISLAND	As for New Zealand							Variable†							
	7½	4 (2)	1-30	70	PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA	3.30 am	7.30 am	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-70	95	PORTUGUESE TIMOR	As for Australia, Northern Territory							4-16							
	9	5 (2½)	1-70	95	PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA															
L B P P	7½	4 (2)	1-25	55	Angola	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-25	55	Principe, Sao Tome and	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	3.30 pm	6.0 am	3-5							
	7½	4 (2)	1-10	40	Portuguese Guinea															
	7½	4 (2)	1-20	60	PUERTO RICO	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am		1-2							
	9	5 (2½)	1-60	1-20	QATAR, State of (Doha and Umm Said)	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	1							
	7½	4 (2)	1-40	65	REUNION	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	4							
L B P P	7½	4 (2)	1-15	65	RHODESIA	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	50	RWANDA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	1.15 pm	2-3							
	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-15	SABAH	See Malaysia							Variable†							
L B P P	7½	4 (2)	1-05	50	ST. HELENA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-4							
	7½	4 (2)	1-30	55	ST. KITTS-NEVIS	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am		1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	45	ANGULLA	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2							
	7½	4 (2)	1-15	45	ST. LUCIA															
	7½	4 (2)	1-30	55	ST. PIERRE AND MIQUELON	As for Canada Montreal							3-11							
	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-15	ST. VINCENT	3.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2							
L B P P	9	5 (2½)	1-90	1-15	SAMOA, U.S.A. Terry.	As for Fiji							4-9							
	5	3 (1½)	1-10	45	SARAWAK	See Malaysia														
	5	3 (1½)	1-10	45	SAUDI ARABIA except	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1							
	5	3 (1½)	1-10	45	Al Damman,															
	5	3 (1½)	1-10	45	Al Khobar,															
	5	3 (1½)	1-10	45	Al Qatif, Dhahran & Ras Tanura	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am								

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	p	p	£ p	£ p		Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.20	45	SENEGAL	12.30 pm		1.15 pm		4.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1.15	50	SEYCHELLES			2.0 p.m.	6.0 pm		2.0 pm	6.0 pm	Variable
	5	3 (1½)	1.50	40	SHARJAH	As for Bahrain	6.0 am	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 pm	2-4
LP	7½	4 (2)	1.20	45	SIERRA LEONE								1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.30	75	SINGAPORE	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2
LBP	9	5 (2½)	1.90	1.20	SOLOMON ISLANDS	3.30 am				9.0 am			5-9
	7½	4 (2)	1.30	55	SOMALI Dem. Republic		12.15 pm		6.0 am			6.0 am	1-2
					Hargeisa		12.15 pm		6.0 am			6.0 pm	1-2
					Mogadishu		12.15 pm		6.0 am		2.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1.30	70	SOUTH AFRICA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1.45	70	SOUTH WEST AFRICA	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2-3
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.40	60	SRI LANKA (Ceylon)			1.15 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 am	12.15 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
					SOUTHERN YEMEN (People's Republic of)	See YEMEN (People's Republic of)							
LP	5	3 (1½)	95	20	SPANISH Territories in North Africa	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-3
	5	3 (1½)	1.05	30	SPANISH W. AFRICA	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	4-10
P	5	3 (1½)	1.20	45	†SUDAN, Dem. Republic of	3.30 am	12.15 pm		6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.20	55	SURINAM	3.30 am		9.30 pm		9.30 pm		7.30 am	2-4
	7½	4 (2)	1.20	65	SWAZILAND	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
LBP	5	3 (1½)	1.00	30	SYRIA	3.30 am	9.0 am	11.0 pm		12.15 pm		2.0 pm	1
LBP	9	5 (2½)	1.45	85	TAIWAN	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.30	55	TANZANIA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
					include Zanzibar								
LP	7½	4 (2)	1.50	70	THAILAND (Siam)	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	6.0 am	7.30 am	2.0 pm	7.30 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1.25	55	TIBET	As for India, Calcutta							7-12
	7½	4 (2)	1.25	55	TOGO							12.15 pm	1-2
P	9	5 (2½)	1.90	1.15	TONGA	As for Fiji							4-8
	7½	4 (2)	1.20	55	TORTOLA (British Virgin Is.)	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am		2-3
P	7½	4 (2)	1.25	50	TRINIDAD & TOBAGO	3.30 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	12.15 pm	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1.30	70	TRISTAN DA CUNHA	As for South Africa							Variable
	5	3 (1½)	85	20	TUNISIA	6.0 pm	9.30 pm	9.30 pm	9.30 pm	9.30 pm	9.30 pm	8.30 pm	1
	7½	4 (2)	1.15	55	TURKS & CAICOS IS.	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
LBP	7½	4 (2)	1.25	50	UGANDA	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
					UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC	See EGYPT (Arab Republic of)							
P	7½	4 (2)	1.00	55	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA								
					Boston	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-2
					Chicago	3.30 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	1-2
					Dallas, Miami	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
					Los Angeles	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
					Western States	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
					New York	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2
					Philadelphia	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-2
					Washington	3.30 am	11.0 am	11.0 am	11.0 am	11.0 am	11.0 am	11.0 am	1-2
					Other Parts	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
					Alaska	As for New York							
					Hawaii	As for Los Angeles							
P	7½	4 (2)	1.25	50	UPPER VOLTA	12.30 pm	1.30 pm	1.30 pm	1.30 pm	2.30 pm	1.30 pm	11.0 am	2-3
	7½	4 (2)	1.40	75	URUGUAY	3.30 am	2.0 pm		2.0 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	1-2
LP	7½	4 (2)	1.30	40	U.S.S.R. (Asia)	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	Variable
					(Letters by air to Moscow)	3.30 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
					VENEZUELA	As for China, Peking							3-7
	7½	4 (2)	1.50	75	VIETNAM, North		7.30 am		6.0 am	7.30 am		7.30 am	2
	7½	4 (2)	1.25	60	VIETNAM, South								2-3
P	9	5 (2½)	1.70	95	VIRGIN IS. OF U.S.A.	3.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am		2-4
P	9	5 (2½)	1.85	1.15	WAKE ISLAND	As for U.S.A.							4-5
	5	3 (1½)	1.25	45	WESTERN SAMOA	As for Fiji							2-3
LBP	5	3 (1½)	1.25	45	YEMEN (Arab Republic)	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-3
					YEMEN (People's Democratic Republic of)		12.15 pm		6.0 am	6.0 am		6.0 am	1-2
	7½	4 (2)	1.15	55	ZAIRE (Republic of)		4.30 pm	1.15 pm		4.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	1-3
P	7½	4 (2)	1.45	65	ZAMBIA								
					Lusaka, Livingstone Ndola	12.30 pm	5.30 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
					ZANZIBAR	See Tanzania							

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BULGARIA	90	20	HUNGARY	90	15	RUMANIA	90	20
CORSICA	120	10	ICELAND	85	20	SPAIN (inc. Balearic Islands)	85	20
CYPRUS	110	25	ITALY	95	15	SWEDEN	85	15
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	85	15	LUXEMBOURG	70	10	SWITZERLAND	70	10
DENMARK	80	10	MALTA	90	20	TURKEY	105	25
FARÖE ISLANDS	80	10	NETHERLANDS	80	10	U.S.S.R. (Europe)	105	35
FINLAND	90	20	NORWAY	100	15	YUGOSLAVIA	90	20
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