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AIR MAIL

The normal regulations for make-up and acceptance of postal packets and parcels apply to air mail. The Post Office Guide, which may be consulted at any post office, details the regulations.

For
Europe
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Countries Outside Europe

Blue Air Mail label: Free at any post office. You must put a label on all air mail at the top left-hand corner on the address side. Or you may write "By Air Mail" boldly in the same place, but the label is more likely to catch the sorter's eye.

Air Letters, postage 6d., on special Air Letter forms 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 Postmaster-General, with the approval number. Unapproved forms will be treated as ordinary air mail letters.

Second Class Mail: Printed Papers, Commercial Papers, Samples, Small Packets (to countries which admit them) and newspapers may be sent by air. You must write the service you intend below the air mail label. Rates on pages 2-5. Minimum for Commercial Papers, 6d.; for Small Packets, 10d. The special rates for newspapers apply only to publications registered as newspapers at the G.P.O. Write "Newspapers" below the air mail label.

Second class mail **must not be sealed**, or contain anything in the nature of a current letter.

Literature for the Blind may go by air mail to all countries at 3d. for each 2 oz.

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 Second Class rate applies for Insured Boxes). Minimum charge for Insured Boxes: 1s. 8d. plus the insurance fee.

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 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.

Posting Times in this leaflet apply to unregistered mail (but not parcels) posted at the London Chief Office, King Edward Street, E.C.1. Ask at your Head or Branch post office for posting times elsewhere. They are generally earlier than the London Chief Office times, but at Glasgow and Manchester may be later for some western destinations.

Transit Times: Pages 2-5 give a guide to times of transit of air mail letters to principal cities. 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.

H.M. Forces: Special air mail rates—particulars in leaflet (PL89) obtainable at post offices—apply to correspondence for H.M. forces. Air parcels may be sent to the Army or the Royal Air Force. For rates to British Forces Post Office addresses see the Post Office Guide or ask at a post office. There is no air parcel service to Naval personnel.

SURCHARGE AIR MAIL SERVICES TO COUNTRIES OUTSIDE EUROPE

Air Letters to all these countries: 6d. (see page 1).

Insured services available Letters L Boxes B Parcels P	Letters per ½-oz.		Post Cards		Second class mail per ½-oz (newspaper rates in brackets)		Air Parcels per ½-lb.		To	Times of Posting at London Chief Office, King Edward St., E.C.1, and approximate time of transit to principal cities.							
	s.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	s.	d.		Not applicable to Air Parcels							
										Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Days
LBP	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	†ADEN	3.30 am	1.15 pm	6.0 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 pm	1-3	
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	6	†AFGHANISTAN	3.30 am	...	8.0 am	...	...	6.0 am	2.0 pm	3-7
LB	0	9	5	5	(3)	2	3	ALASKA	As for U.S.A.								3-5
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	3	ALGERIA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2	
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	9	9	ANTIGUA	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	2-3	
P	1	6	9	7	(5)	13	0	ARGENTINE REPUBLIC	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2	
								ASCENSION	No Service								
								AUSTRALIA									
								South and Western Australia, Queensland and Canberra	3.30 am	...	...	...	8.0 am	...	...
								Northern Territory Victoria and Tasmania	12.30 pm	8.0 am	8.0 am	2.0 pm	8.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	2-5	
								New South Wales	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	8.0 am	2.0 pm	8.0 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm		
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)						3	6	AZORES	3.30 am	11.0 am	8.0 am	...	6.0 am	1-3
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	0	BAHAMAS ... ..	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	...	6.0 am	1-2
LP	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	BAHRAIN	3.30 am	7.30 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	1-2	
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	3	BARBADOS	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	2-3	
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	4	0	BERMUDA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	1.15 pm	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	2	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	6	BOLIVIA	6.0 pm	...	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	2-3	
								BRAZIL									
								Recife	12.30 pm	...	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	8.0 am	6.0 am	8.0 am		
								Rio de Janeiro	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	1-3	
								Sao Paulo ... ..	...	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	2.0 pm	...	8.0 am	
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	9	BRITISH GUIANA	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	...	...	2-3
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	3	BRITISH HONDURAS	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	2-3	
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	6	BRUNEI	As for Singapore								3-5
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	6	BURMA ... ..	...	8.0 am	6.0 am	...	8.0 am	...	6.0 am	1-2
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	0	BURUNDI	12.30 pm	...	...	9.0 am	...	6.0 am	9.0 am	2-3
	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	6	CAMBODIA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3-9	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	3	CAMEROON, East	3.30 am	...	11.30 am	1.15 pm	11.30 am	1.15 pm	1.15 pm	2-5	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	3	CAMEROON, West	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-5	
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	6	CANADA	3.30 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am		
								except Newfoundland	As above								1-3
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	0	Winnipeg and Vancouver	3.30 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	9.0 am		
LP	(As for Spain see page 6)						4	3	CANARY ISLANDS	6.0 pm	...	6.0 pm	1
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)						4	3	CAPE VERDE ISLANDS	3.30 am	3.30 pm	8.0 am	11.0 am	8.0 am	11.0 am	8.0 am	2-7
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	9	CAROLINE ISLANDS	As for Philippines								6-16
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	6	CAYMAN ISLANDS	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	6	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC ... ..	...	7.30 pm	...	...	2.0 pm	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	3-5
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	9	CEYLON	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-5	
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	6	CHAD	3.30 am	7.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	7.30 pm	12.15 pm	2-3	
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	0†	CHILE	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	1-5	
	1	6	9	7	(5)	7	9	†CHINA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	8.0 am	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	1-3	
								except Kwantung Province	3.30 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	9.30 pm	2-6	
	1	6	9	7	(5)	7	9	CHRISTMAS ISLANDS	As for Hong Kong								3-4
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	13	0	COCOS (Keeling) ISLANDS	As for Western Australia								Variable
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	0	†COLOMBIA	As for Western Australia								5-20
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	6	CONGO (Republic of) (formerly Moyen (middle) Congo)	12.30 pm	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	4.30 pm	12.15 pm	...	2-3	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	0	CONGO REPUBLIC (formerly Belgian Congo)	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-5	
								except Katanga Province	12.30 pm	...	...	9.0 am	...	6.0 am	9.0 am	2-3
	1	6	9	7	(5)	16	9	COOK ISLANDS	See New Zealand Island Territories								9-25
	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	9	COSTA RICA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	9	†CUBA	3.30 am	6.0 pm	9.0 am	6.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 pm	9.0 am	2-3	
P	0	9	5	5	(3)	2	9	CYPRUS	3.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2	
								except ... ..	...	...	...	7.0 pm	...	7.0 pm	6.0 pm	
LP	1	3	8	6	(4)	4	6	DAHOMEY	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3-5	
	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	DOHA	See Qatar								2-3

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	Not applicable to Air Parcels								Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Days			
	s.	d.	d.	d.	d.	s.			d.	s.	d.								
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	0	DOMINICA	...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	4.30 pm	...	...	2-3
	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	6	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	...	...	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	...	2-3
LP	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	DURAI	...	...	7.30 pm	...	...	2.0 pm	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	2-4
	1	3	8	6	(4)	...	...	ECUADOR	...	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	2-4
P	0	9	5	5	(3)	2	9	EGYPT	...	12.30 pm	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 pm	9.0 am	1-2		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	0	EL SALVADOR	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-5		
P	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	ERITREA	...	3.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	1-3		
P	0	9	5	5	(3)	5	6	ETHIOPIA (Abyssinia)	...	3.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	1-3		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	FALKLAND ISLANDS (inc. Dependencies)	...	(By sea from Montevideo)								...	
P	1	6	9	7	(5)	14	3	FIJI ISLANDS	...	...	3.30 pm	...	...	2.0 pm	...	...	Variable
LB	1	6	9	7	(5)	11	0	FORMOSA (Taiwan)	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-5		
	See separate entries								FRENCH EQ. AFRICA	...	See Central African Republic, Chad (Republic of), Congo (Republic of), Gabon Republic.								1-5
	1	3	8	6	(4)	8	3	FRENCH GUIANA	...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	4-6		
	1	6	9	7	(5)	17	9	FRENCH POLYNESIA	...	As for New Zealand								3-10	
	0	9	5	5	(3)	5	9	FRENCH SOMALI COAST	...	...	1.15 pm	...	...	2.0 pm	...	...	2
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	0	FRENCH WEST INDIES	...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	6.0 am	7.30 pm	...	3-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	6	GABON REPUBLIC	...	2.30 am	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-5		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	4	0	GAMBIA	...	...	5.0 am	3.30 pm	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	1-5
LBP	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	3	GAZA & KHAN YUNIS	...	As for Egypt								3	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	4	0	GHANA	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	5.30 pm	8.0 am	11.30 am	6.0 am	5.30 pm	1-3		
LBP	1	6	9	7	(5)	13	0	GILBERT & ELLICE IS. COLONY	...	As for Australia, New South Wales								Variable	
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	0	GREENLAND	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	Variable		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	3	GRENADA	...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	2-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	3	GUATEMALA	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	4	6	GUINEA	...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3-6		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	6	HAITI	...	...	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	...	2-3
P	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	0	HAWAII	...	...	7.30 pm	...	...	2.0 pm	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	2-3
	1	3	8	6	(4)	7	0	HONDURAS (Republic of)	...	As for U.S.A.								3-4	
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)	8	6	HONG KONG	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	6	INDIA	...	...	...	7.30 pm	...	...	...	7.30 pm	2-3
	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	6	Delhi and North	...	3.30 am	8.0 am	2.0 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	1-3		
	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	Calcutta and East	...	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	8.0 am	...	...	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	10	6	Bombay and remainder	...	17.30 pm	...	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	2.0 pm	7.30 pm			
	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	INDONESIA	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	3-4		
	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	IRAN (Persia)	...	12.30 pm	...	8.0 am	...	8.0 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm			
	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	Abadan & Khuzistan Prov. Bawarda and Jask	...	...	9.0 am	2.0 pm	11.30 am	8.0 am	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	
P	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	Teheran and remainder	...	As for Iraq								2-3	
	0	9	5	5	(3)	3	3	IRAQ	...	3.30 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	11.30 am	1-2		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	3	6	ISRAEL	...	3.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	1-2		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	3	6	IVORY COAST	...	...	...	7.0 pm	...	...	...	...	1-2
LP	1	3	8	6	(4)	6	0	JAMAICA	...	12.30 pm	8.0 am	1.15 pm	8.0 am	11.30 am	9.30 pm	7.30 pm	1-3		
LBP	1	6	9	7	(5)	10	0	JAPAN	...	...	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	...	1-3
	0	9	5	5	(3)	3	0	JORDAN	...	...	7.30 pm	...	...	...	7.30 pm		
	1	3	8	6	(4)	5	0	KENYA	...	3.30 am	7.30 pm	4.30 pm	...	8.0 am	6.0 pm	6.0 am	2-4		
LBP	1	6	9	7	(5)	11	0	KOREA, Republic of (i.e. South)	...	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	7.30 pm	1-2		
LBP	1	6	9	7	(5)	11	0	KOREA, North	...	As for Japan								3-6	
	0	9	5	5	(3)	4	0	KUWAIT	...	As for China								5-8	
	1	3	8	6	(4)	3	0	LAOS	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	4.30 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 pm	7.30 pm	1-2		
	0	9	5	5	(3)	3	0	LEBANON	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5-8
	1	3	8	6	(4)	3	0	LEEWARD ISLANDS	...	3.30 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	11.30 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am			
	See separate entries									...	7.30 pm	7.30 pm	7.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2		
	See separate entries									See Antigua, Mouserrai, St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla								2-4	

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										Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Days		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	9	LIBERIA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-3		
	0	9	5	5	(3)		1	9	LIBYA										
									Benghazi and Cyrenaica	12.30 pm		2.0 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	1-2		
									Tripoli and remainder	3.30 am		6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	5.0 am	6.0 am			
											1.15 pm				9.30 pm				
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	9	MACAO	As for Hong Kong							2-5		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	0	MADAGASCAR	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3		
L P	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)								3	6	MADEIRA	3.30 am	3.30 pm	8.0 am	11.0 am	8.0 am	11.0 am	8.0 am	1-5
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	9	MALAYA	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	3.0 pm	1-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		4	6	MALDIVES	As for Ceylon							Variable*		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		12	0	MALI	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3-5		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		12	0	MARIAN ISLANDS	As for Philippines							4-6		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		4	6	MARSHALL ISLANDS	As for Philippines							6-16		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	0	MAURITANIA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	1.15 pm	2.0 pm	3		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	0	MAURITIUS	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm			2-5		
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)		7	6	MEXICO	As for U.S.A.							3		
	0	9	5	5	(3)		3	0	MONTERRAT	3.30 am	3.30 pm		6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm		2-4		
	0	9	5	5	(3)		3	0	MOROCCO, East	3.30 am	6.0 am	10.0 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	6.0 am		1-3		
	0	9	5	5	(3)		2	6	except						9.30 pm				
	0	9	5	5	(3)		2	6	Tangier	As for Morocco, East							1-3		
L P	0	9	5	5	(3)		3	0	MOROCCO, West	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am		8.0 am	1-3		
	0	9	5	5	(3)		4	0	For Ceuta Melilla, Chafarinas and Jada	See Spanish Territories in North Africa							2-3		
L P	0	9	5	5	(3)		4	0	MUSCAT	As for Bahrain							3-8		
LBP	1	6	9	7	(5)		13	0	NAURU ISLAND	As for Australia, New South Wales							17-30†		
P	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	NEPAL	As for India, Calcutta							2-5		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	NETHERLANDS, ANTILLES	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm		8.0 am	2-3		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		12	6	NETHERLANDS NEW GUINEA	3.30 am	5.0 am	5.0 am	5.0 am	5.0 am	5.0 am	5.0 am	4-7		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		15	0	NEW CALEDONIA	As for Australia, New South Wales							4-11		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		13	0	NEW GUINEA TERRIT.	As for Australia, New South Wales							3-13		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		16	6	NEW HEBRIDES (inc. Banks and Torres Is.)	As for Australia, New South Wales							4-12		
P	1	6	9	7	(5)		13	0	NEW ZEALAND	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	8.0 am	2.0 pm	8.0 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	2-6		
**P	1	6	9	7	(5)		16	9	NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERRITORIES	As for New Zealand							9-25		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	9	NICARAGUA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		4	6	NIGER	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-5		
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)		4	0	NIGERIA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2		
P	1	6	9	7	(5)		13	0	NORFOLK ISLAND	As for Australia, New South Wales							4-11		
P	1	3	8	6	(4)		10	3	NORTH BORNEO	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2-3		
P	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	NORTHERN RHODESIA	12.30 pm	1.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-3		
P	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	NYASALAND	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-3		
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	PAKISTAN, East	2.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 pm	2-3		
LBP	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	PAKISTAN, West	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 pm	1-2		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	0	PANAMA CANAL ZONE	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	0	PANAMA (Republic of)	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	3-6		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		13	0	PAPUA	As for Australia, New South Wales							7-9		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		9	6	PARAGUAY	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	1.15 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	8.0 am	3-5		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		7	9	PERU	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-3		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		9	9	PHILIPPINES	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	3-4		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		8	0	PITCAIRN ISLAND	As for New Zealand							Variable*		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	0	PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA	12.30 pm		2.0 pm	11.0 am	2.0 pm	11.0 am	2.0 pm	2-3		
	1	6	9	7	(5)		17	9	PORTUGUESE TIMOR	As for Australia, Northern Territory							4-16		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		7	3	PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA	3.30 am			11.0 am	8.0 am	11.0 am		3-5		
									except Portuguese Guinea	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm			
P	1	3	8	6	(4)		6	6	PUERTO RICO	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm			2-3		
L P	0	9	5	5	(3)		4	0	QATAR (Doha and Umm Said)	3.30 am	7.30 pm	4.30 pm	11.30 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	2-3		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		8	3	REUNION	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	4		
	1	3	8	6	(4)		7	0	RWANDA	12.30 pm			9.0 am		6.0 am	9.0 am	2-3		
I	1	3	8	6	(4)				ST. HELENA	As for South Africa							Variable†		

†Air transmission to Colombo only.

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	1 3	8	6 (4)	7 3		ST. KITTS-NEVIS-ANGUILLA ...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	3-4
P	1 3	8	6 (4)	7 3		ST. LUCIA ...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	3-4
	1 3	8	6 (4)	7 3		ST. PIERRE AND MIQUELON ...	As for Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...	3-11
P	1 3	8	6 (4)	7 3		ST. VINCENT ...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	2-4
P	1 6	9	7 (5)	15 9		SAMOA, British ...	See Western Samoa	...	...	...	...	...	...	4-13
P	1 6	9	7 (5)	15 9		SAMOA, U.S.A. Territory ...	As for New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	...	4-13
	1 3	8	6 (4)	9 3		SARAWAK ...	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	8.0 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2-6
	0 9	5	5 (3)	4 0		SAUDI ARABIA ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-4
	0 9	5	5 (3)	4 0		except AlDammam, AlKhubar Al Qatif, Dhahran and Ras Tanura ...	3.30 am	7.30 pm	4.30 pm	9.0 am	8.0 am	6.0 am	11.30 am	2-4
	1 3	8	6 (4)	1 0		†SENEGAL ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	2.0 pm	1-3
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 9		†SEYCHELLES ...	16th 12.30 pm	10th 6.0 am	...	...	27th 8.0 am	...	...	Variable
	0 9	5	5 (3)	4 0		SHARJAH ...	As for Bahrain	...	...	...	...	...	...	2-4
LP	1 3	8	6 (4)	4 0		†SIERRA LEONE ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	12.15 pm	7.0 pm	6.0 am	...	1-3
LBP	1 3	8	6 (4)	8 9		SINGAPORE ...	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	8.0 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-3
P	1 6	9	7 (5)	17 9		SOLOMON ISLANDS ...	As for Australia, New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	...	6-10
	1 3	8	6 (4)	4 6		*SOMALI REP. Nth. Region ...	...	1.15 pm	...	2.0 pm	...	2.0 pm	7.30 pm	2-5
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 0		*SOMALI REP. Sth. Region ...	As for Kenya	...	...	...	...	...	...	3-5
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 9		SOUTH AFRICA ...	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	1-3
P	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 6		SOUTHERN RHODESIA ...	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-3
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 0		SPANISH GUINEA ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3-6
LP	0 9	5	5 (3)	3 0		SPANISH Territories in North Africa ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-3
P	0 9	5	5 (3)	4 0		†SPANISH W. AFRICA ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	4-10
LBP	1 3	8	6 (4)	8 0		†SUDAN ...	12.30 pm	1.15 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-2
LBP	0 9	5	5 (3)	2 9		†SURINAM (Dutch Guiana) ...	3.30 am	...	...	6.0 am	...	...	8.0 am	3-4
						SYRIA ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	8.0 am	11.30 am	8.0 am	7.30 pm	11.30 am	1-5
	1 3	8	6 (4)	5 0		TANGANYIKA ...	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2-3
LP	1 3	8	6 (4)	8 3		THAILAND (Siam) ...	3.30 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	11.30 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2-3
	1 3	8	6 (4)	4 6		TIBET ...	As for India, Calcutta	...	...	...	...	...	...	6-14
P	1 6	9	7 (5)	15 6		TOGO ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	1-8
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 9		TONGA ...	As for Fiji Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	7-18
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 9		TORTOLA ... (British Virgin Is.)	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	...	...	3-5
P	1 3	8	6 (4)	7 3		TRINIDAD & TOBAGO ...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	7.30 pm	...	2-3
	0 9	5	5 (3)	2 3		TUNISIA ...	...	6.0 am	...	...	11.30 am	...	6.0 am	1-2
	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 3		TURKS & CAICOS IS. ...	...	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	9.30 pm	9.30 pm	7.30 pm	1-2
							...	...	...	7.30 pm	2.0 pm	...	2.0 pm	2-8
LBP	1 3	8	6 (4)	5 0		UGANDA ...	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	1-3
P	1 3	8	6 (4)	5 6		UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ...	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	...	1-3
						except Dallas ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-3
						San Francisco and Los Angeles ...	3.30 am	8.0 am	...	8.0 am	...	8.0 am	...	1-3
	1 3	8	6 (4)	4 6		UPPER VOLTA ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-3
	1 3	8	6 (4)	9 0		URUGUAY ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	2-3
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)				6 9	U.S.S.R. (Asia) ...	(Letters by air to Moscow)							...
	1 3	8	6 (4)	7 9		VENEZUELA ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	11.0 am	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-3
	1 3	8	6 (4)	10 6		VIET-NAM, North ...	As for China	...	...	...	...	...	...	7-11
P	1 3	8	6 (4)	6 9		VIET-NAM, South ...	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3-6
						VIRGIN IS. OF U.S.A. ...	3.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	...	...	3-4
P	1 6	9	7 (5)	11 0		WAKE ISLAND ...	As for U.S.A.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4-5
P	1 6	9	7 (5)	15 9		WESTERN SAMOA ...	As for Fiji Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	4-13
	0 9	5	5 (3)			YEMEN ...	As for Aden	4-10
LP	1 3	8	6 (4)	5 3		ZANZIBAR ...	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	7.30 pm	2-4

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AUSTRIA	7 3	2 0	GREECE	8 3	4 0	PORTUGAL	7 6	2 6
BELGIUM	5 6	1 0	HOLLAND	(See Netherlands)		§ROUMANIA	No service	
§BULGARIA	7 3	2 9	HUNGARY	6 9	2 6	†SPAIN (inc. Balearic Islands)	8 9	3 3
CORSICA	6 0	1 6	ICELAND	9 3	3 9	SWEDEN	7 0	2 3
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	6 6	2 6	§ITALY	7 0	2 0	SWITZERLAND	6 0	1 6
DENMARK	6 6	1 9	LUXEMBOURG	5 6	1 0	TURKEY	8 3	4 3
FINLAND	7 9	3 0	MALTA	7 0	3 3	U.S.S.R. (Europe)	16 3	6 3
FRANCE	6 0	1 3	NETHERLANDS	5 6	1 0	YUGOSLAVIA	8 0	3 6
GERMANY	6 0	1 6	NORWAY	6 6	2 3			

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