



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: Air Letter forms postage 9d., 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.

Printed Papers, Samples, Small Packets, Phonopost Packets and newspapers may be sent by air. Not all countries accept Small Packets and Phonopost Packets. (See Post Office Guide.)

You must write the service you intend below the air mail label. Rates on pages 2-5. Minimum for Small Packets, 1s. 6d.

The special rates for newspapers apply only to publications registered as newspapers at the G.P.O. Write "Newspapers" below the air mail label.

These classes of mail **must not** contain anything in the nature of a current letter. **THEY MUST BE SENT IN "OPEN" COVERS OR BE MADE UP IN SUCH A WAY AS TO ENABLE EASY EXAMINATION WITHOUT THE NEED TO BREAK ANY SEALS.**

Correct Postage Essential: Please make sure that the correct postage is paid; underpaid air mail items may be sent by surface route and suffer delay.

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). Minimum charge for Insured Boxes: 2s. 11d. plus the insurance fee.

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

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.**

The posting times in this leaflet apply to the posting boxes in the front of London Chief Office, King Edward Building, King Edward Street, E.C.1. *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 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 (PL285) obtainable at post offices—apply to correspondence for H.M. Forces. Air parcels may be sent to the Royal Navy, the Royal Air Force and the Army but there are no concessionary postage rates for these items. Generally, civilian postage rates apply, except to H.M. Ships in foreign waters, for which there are different rates. For rates to all types of authorised Forces addresses, see the Post Office Guide or ask at a post office.

SURCHARGE AIR MAIL SERVICES TO COUNTRIES OUTSIDE EUROPE

Air Letters to all these countries: 9d. (see page 1)

Times of posting at the boxes in the front of King Edward Building, King Edward Street, E.C.1 (see also page 1), and approximate times of transit to principal cities.

Insured services available Letters L Boxes B Parcels P	Letters per 1-oz. or part thereof	Post-cards	Printed papers, Samples, Small packets per 1-oz. (newspaper rates in brackets)		Phono-post per 1-oz. or part thereof	Air Parcels per 1-lb. or part thereof	To	Not applicable to Air Parcels							Days
			s. d.	d.				s. d.	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.		Sat.
LP	1 0	6	6 (3)		5 0	†ABU DHABI ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	2.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 6	†AFGHANISTAN ...	3.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	11.0 am	...	7.30 am	2-3	
LB	1 0	6	6 (3)		3 6	†ALGERIA ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	1	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 6 6	†ANTIGUA ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	2-3	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 10 0	†ARGENTINA ...	12.30 pm	9.0 am	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	4.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	1-2	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 8	†ASCENSION ...	As for	Antigua						Variable	
	1 9	10	8 (5)		9 12 0	†AUSTRALIA New South Wales, Canberra & South Australia Northern Territory ... Queensland ... Victoria and Tasmania Western Australia ...	12.30 pm 12.30 pm 12.30 pm 12.30 pm 12.30 pm	12.15 pm ... 12.15 pm 12.15 pm 12.15 pm	12.15 pm 2.0 pm 12.15 pm 12.15 pm 12.15 pm	4.30 pm 2.0 pm 4.30 pm 4.30 pm 4.30 pm	12.15 pm 12.15 pm 12.15 pm 12.15 pm 12.15 pm	12.15 pm 6.0 pm 2.0 pm 2.0 pm 2.0 pm	2-5		
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)				3 6	†AZORES ...	...	7.30 am	...	10.0 am	...	...	10.0 am	1-2
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 6 0	†BAHAMAS Freeport ... Nassau ...	12.30 pm 3.30 am	9.0 am 9.0 am	1.15 pm 1.15 pm	9.0 am 1.15 pm	1.15 pm 9.0 am	9.0 am ...	...	1-2
LP	1 0	6	6 (3)		5 0	†BAHRAIN ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	1-2	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 0	†BARBADOS ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	7.30 am	2-3	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 5 0	†BERMUDA ...	12.30 pm	7.30 am	1.15 pm	7.30 am	1.15 pm	9.0 am	12.15 pm	2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 6	†BHUTAN ...	As for	India, Calcutta						4-8*	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		7 6	†BOLIVIA ...	3.30 am	...	9.0 am	...	9.0 am	...	9.0 am	2-3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 0	†BOTSWANA ...	As for	South Africa							
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 8 0	†BRAZIL Recife ... Rio de Janeiro ... Sao Paulo ...	12.30 pm 12.30 pm 12.30 pm	9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am	2.0 pm 2.0 pm 2.0 pm	3.30 pm 3.30 pm 3.30 pm	4.30 pm 4.30 pm 4.30 pm	3.30 pm 3.30 pm 3.30 pm	3.30 pm 3.30 pm 3.30 pm	1-3 1-2 1-3	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 6 6	†BRITISH HONDURAS	3.30 am	...	...	6.0 am	...	...	6.0 am	2-3
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 9 6	†BRUNEI ...	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	12.15 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	3-5	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		7 6	†BURMA ...	12.30 pm	...	7.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 6 0	†BURUNDI ...	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am	...	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 0	†CAMBODIA ...	...	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	12.15 pm	...	7.30 am	2-4
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 5 6	†CAMEROON, East ...	12.30 pm	...	3.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	3.30 am	3.30 pm	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 5 6	†CAMEROON, West ...	12.30 pm	...	3.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	3.30 am	3.30 pm	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		5 6	†CANADA Newfoundland ... Montreal & Ottawa ... Toronto ... Winnipeg ... Vancouver and Western Provinces ...	3.30 am 3.30 am 3.30 am 1.15 pm 1.15 pm	9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am	9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 12.15 pm	9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 10.0 am	7.30 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 1.15 pm	9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 12.15 pm	9.0 am 9.0 am 9.0 am 12.15 pm 12.15 pm	1-3	
LP	As for Spain (see page 6)					†CANARY ISLANDS Las Palmas ... Santa Cruz ...	3.30 am 6.0 am	6.0 am 6.0 am	2.0 pm 6.0 am	10.0 am 6.0 am	5.30 pm 6.0 am	10.0 am 6.0 am	10.0 am 6.0 am	1	
LP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)				4 6	†CAPE VERDE ISLANDS	...	...	10.0 am	...	10.0 am	...	...	1
	1 9	10	8 (5)		9 11 0	†CAROLINE ISLANDS	As for	USA, New York						5-11	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 0	†CAYMAN ISLANDS ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	3-5	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 5 6	†CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC ...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-5	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 0	†CEYLON ...	12.30 pm	...	3.30 pm	...	11.0 am	2.0 pm	6.0 am	2-3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 5 6	†CHAD ...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-5	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 10 0	†CHILE ...	12.30 pm	9.0 am	9.0 am	3.30 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 am	3.30 pm	1-2	
	1 9	10	8 (5)		8 0	†CHINA Kwantung Province ... Shanghai ... Peking and remainder	As for 12.30 pm 12.30 pm	Hong Kong ... ...	...	6.0 am	...	6.0 am	...	3-7 2-3
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		12 0	†CHRISTMAS ISLAND	As for	Western Australia						Variable	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 9 0	†COCOS (Keeling) IS.	As for	Western Australia						5-20	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 0	†COLOMBIA ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	2.0 pm	6.0 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 0	†COMORO ISLANDS ...	As for	Malagasy Republic						3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 5 6	†CONGO (Brazzaville)	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-5	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 0	†CONGO (Kinshasa) ... except Katanga Province ...	12.30 pm 12.30 pm	...	6.0 am	...	7.30 am	7.30 am	2.0 pm	2-3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		7 0	†COOK ISLANDS	See	New Zealand and Island Territories							
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 0	†COSTA RICA ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-4	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8 7 0	†CUBA ...	...	9.0 am	...	...	...	...	...	2-3
P	1 0	6	6 (3)		7 4 6	†CYPRUS ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-2	

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

‡ Except Kazungala and Kasane—for rate see Zambia.

† Times of posting changed since previous issue.

* Air transmission to Calcutta only.

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			s. d.	d.				d.	d.	d.	s. d.	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
							Not applicable to Air Parcels										
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	DAHOMEY ...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	3-5	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 0	DOMINICA ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	2-3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 0	DOMINICAN REP. ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-3	
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)			5 0	DUBAI ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	2.0 pm	6.0 am	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	8 6	Ecuador ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	10.0 am	...	1-2	
							EGYPT ...	...	...	2.0 pm	...	...	...	...
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	EL SALVADOR ...	See United Arab Republic							2-5		
P	1 0	6	6 (3)			6 0	ETHIOPIA ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-2	
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8*	8 6	FALKLAND ISLANDS inc. Dependencies ...	(By sea from Montevideo)							Variable		
P	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	12 0	FIJI ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	2-3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			6 6	FORMOSA ...	See Taiwan									
	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	13 0	FRENCH GUIANA ...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	4-6	
	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	6 0	FRENCH POLYNESIA ...	As for Fiji							3-9		
							FRENCH TERRITORY OF THE AFARS & ISSAS (formerly French Somali Coast) ...	...	...	11.30 am	4.30 pm	...	7.30 am	...	...	1
	1 6	9	7 (4)			6 0	FRENCH WEST INDIES ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	3-4	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			5 6	GABON ...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2-5	
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	5 0	GAMBIA ...	6.0 pm	9.0 am	7.0 pm	...	7.0 pm	3.30 pm	...	...	1-2
	1 6	9	7 (4)			5 0	GHANA ...	6.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	4.30 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	1-2	
	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	13 0	GILBERT & ELLICE IS. ...	As for Fiji							5-18		
L P	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)					5 0	GREENLAND ...	As for Denmark (see page 6)							1-3		
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	GUENADA ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	2-4	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 6	GUATEMALA ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-4	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			5 0	GUINEA ...	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	3-6	
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	GUYANA † ...	...	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	1-2
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	HAITI ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-3	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 0	HONDURAS (Rep. of) ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-4	
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	8 6	HONG KONG ...	12.30 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 pm	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 0	INDIA ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
							Delhi and North	12.30 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-3	
							Calcutta and East	3.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	7.30 am	6.0 pm	2.0 pm			
							Bombay and West	12.30 pm	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 pm			
							Madras and South	12.30 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1.15 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am			
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	9 6	INDONESIA ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am	6.0 am	...	1-2	
	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	4 6	IRAN Persia Abadan & Khuzistan Province ...	12.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	11.0 am	6.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-3	
							Teheran and remainder	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	11.0 am	6.0 pm	7.30 am	...	1-2	
P	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	5 0	IRAQ ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-2	
	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	4 6	ISRAEL ...	3.30 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			5 6	IVORY COAST ...	12.30 pm	9.0 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	3.30 am	9.0 am	10.0 am	...	1-2	
L P	1 6	9	7 (4)			6 6	JAMAICA ...	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	1-2	
L B P †	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	9 6	JAPAN ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	2-3	
	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	4 0	JORDAN ...	3.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	...	1-3	
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	KENYA ...	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	...	1-2	
	1 9	10	8 (5)				KOREA, North ...	As for China, Peking							5-8		
P	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	10 0	KOREA, South ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	...	2-4	
L B P	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	5 0	KUWAIT ...	12.30 pm	6.0 am	7.30 am	2.0 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			8 0	LAOS ...	...	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	...	7.30 am	7.30 am	...	3-6
P	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	4 0	LEBANON ...	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	...	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 6	LESOTHO ...	As for South Africa									
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	5 6	LIBERIA ...	6.0 pm	6.0 am	9.0 am	4.30 pm	12.15 pm	9.0 am	10.0 am	...	1-2	
	1 0	6	6 (3)			4 0	LIBYA Benghazi and Cyrenaica Tripoli and remainder	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1

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

* Except Falkland Islands Dependencies.

† Formerly British Guiana.

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			s.	d.				d.	s.	d.	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 6	MACAO	Not applicable to Air Parcels							
L P	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)			8	8 6	MADAGASCAR	As for Hong Kong							2-5
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 0	+MADEIRA	See Malagasy Republic							
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	MALAGASY REPUBLIC	3.30 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	10.0 am	7.30 am	10.0 am	1
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 6	MALAWI	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	3
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 6	MALAYSIA	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1.15 pm		4.30 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	1-3
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 6	Malsya	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	11.0 am	2.0 pm	12.15 pm	2-4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 6	Sabah	As for Singapore							2-4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 6	Sarawak	As for Singapore							2-3
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 6	MALDIVE IS.	As for Ceylon							2-3
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	11 0	MALI	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	Variable†
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	11 0	MARIAN ISLANDS	As for USA, New York							3-5
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	5 0	MARSHALL ISLANDS	As for USA, New York							4-6
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 0	MAURITANIA	As for Senegal							6-12
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 0	MAURITIUS	6.0 pm	7.30 am	11.30 am			7.30 am	2.0 pm	3
L B P	1 9	10	8 (5)	8	7 0	MEXICO	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	1-3
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	7 0	MONGOLIA	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	3
P	1 0	6	6 (3)	3	6 6	MONTERRAT	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am		6.0 am	7.30 am	3-5
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)	5	0 0	MOROCCO								2-4
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)	5	0 0	Casablanca	3.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	1-2
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)	5	0 0	Tangier	12.30 pm	7.30 am	2.0 pm		7.30 am	2.0 pm	10.0 am	
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)	5	0 0	For Centa Melilla, Chafarinas and Jalu...	See Spanish Territories in North Africa							2-3
L B P	1 9	10	8 (5)	12	0 0	+MUSCAT & OMAN		7.30 am		6.0 am		6.0 am		2-3
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	7 0	NAURU ISLAND	As for Fiji							5-16
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	NEPAL	12.30 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	2-3
L B	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	13 0	NETHERLANDS	3.30 am		7.30 am	7.30 am	9.0 am		6.0 am	2-3
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	12	0 0	ANTILLES	As for Fiji							3-8
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	13	0 0	NEW CALEDONIA	As for Australia, New South Wales							3-5
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	13 0	NEW GUINEA TERRITORY	As for Australia, New South Wales							4-5
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	13 0	NEW HEBRIDES (inc. Banks and Torres Is.)	As for Fiji							2-6
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	12	6 6	NEW ZEALAND	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	9-30**
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	7 0	NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERRITORIES	As for Fiji							2-4
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	5 6	NICARAGUA	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	2-5
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	5 6	NIGER	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
L B P	1 9	10	8 (5)	12	0 0	+NIGERIA	6.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	4-11
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	7	0 0	NORFOLK ISLAND	As for Australia, New South Wales							2-3
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	7 0	+PAKISTAN, East	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	6.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	1-2
L B P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	+PAKISTAN, West	3.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	6.0 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	12.15 pm	2-4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	+PANAMA CANAL ZONE	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	3-6
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 0	+PANAMA (Republic of)	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	3-5
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	9 0	PAPUA	As for Australia, New South Wales							1-2
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 6	+PARAGUA	12.30 pm	9.0 am	2.0 pm	3.30 pm	4.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	1-2
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 6	+PERU	3.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	1-2
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	9 0	+PHILIPPINES	12.30 pm	7.30 am	3.30 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am		3.30 pm	1-2
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	13 0	PITCAIRN ISLAND	As for New Zealand							Variable*
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	8 0	+PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA	3.30 am	4.30 pm	11.30 am	1.15 pm	1.15 pm	6.0 am	4.30 pm	1-3
P	1 9	10	8 (5)	9	16 6	PORTUGUESE TIMOR	As for Australia, Northern Territory							4-16
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	7 0	+PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA								1-2
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	7 0	Angola	3.30 am	7.30 am		7.30 am		7.30 am	10.0 am	3-8
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	5 6	Principe and St. Thome	3.30 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	3-8
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	Portuguese Guinea	3.30 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	2-3
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)	5	0 0	+PUERTO RICO	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	1-3
L P	1 0	6	6 (3)	5	0 0	+QATAR (Doha and Umm Said)	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	REUNION	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 0	+RHODESIA	12.30 pm	6.0 pm	1.15 pm	1.15 pm	1.15 pm	1.15 pm	4.30 pm	2-3
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 0	+RWANDA	3.30 am	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	7.30 am	Variable†
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	SABAH	See Malaysia							3-4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	ST. HELENA	As for South Africa							3-4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	ST. KITTS-NEVIS	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am		6.0 am	7.30 am	3-4
P	1 6	9	7 (4)	8	6 6	ST. LUCIA	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	

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 * Air transmission to Auckland only. Onward transmission is by surface route. The outlets are infrequent and transmission by air may occasionally be slower than the surface route. The Post Office cannot advise on the choice of route.
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Insured serv available Letters L Boxes B Parcels P	Letters per 1/2-oz. or part thereof	Post-cards	Printed papers, Samples, Small packets per 1/2-oz. (newspaper rates in brackets)		Phone-post per 1/2-oz. or part thereof	Air Parcels per 1/2-lb. or part thereof	To	Not applicable to Air Parcels							Days	
			d.	d.				Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.		
	1 6	9	7 (4)			6 0	ST. PIERRE AND MIQUELON ...									3-11
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 6	ST. VINCENT	As for Canada,	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am		7.30 am	7.30 am	2-4
	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	12 6	SAMOA, U.S.A. Terry.	As for Fiji								4-9
	1 0	6	6 (3)			6 0	SARAWAK	See Malaysia								
							SAUDI ARABIA	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am		2-4
							except Al Dammam, Al Khobar, Al Qatif, Dhahran & Ras Tanura	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	7.30 am		
	1 6	9	7 (4)			5 6	SENEGAL	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	12.15 pm	6.0 am	12.15 pm	3.30 pm	12.15 pm	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	SEYCHELLES			17th	6.0 am	5th	13th	7th	Variable	
	1 0	6	6 (3)			5 0	SHARJAH	As for Bahrain							2-4	
LP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	5 6	SIERRA LEONE	6.0 pm	9.0 am	12.15 pm	4.30 pm		3.30 am		1-2	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	8 6	SINGAPORE	12.30 pm	12.15 pm	3.30 pm	6.0 pm	12.15 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	2	
	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	12 6	SOLOMON ISLANDS	As for Fiji							5-9	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 6	SOMALIA*									
							Hargeisa		2.0 pm					7.30 am	1-2	
							Mogadishu			7.30 am		7.30 am		2.0 pm		
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	SOUTH AFRICA	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	4.30 pm	1-2	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		7	7 6	SOUTH WEST AFRICA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-3	
	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	5 0	SOUTHERN YEMEN**									
							(Peoples Republic of)	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	7.30 am		6.0 am	7.30 am	1-2	
LP	1 6	9	7 (4)			6 0	SPANISH GUINEA		9.0 am		10.0 am				1-2	
	1 0	6	6 (3)			3 6	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	1 0	6	6 (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 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 6	SUDAN	3.30 am	2.0 pm	7.30 am	6.0 pm	7.30 am	6.0 am	7.30 am	1	
							SURINAM									
							(Dutch Guiana)	3.30 am		9.0 am	7.30 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	3-4	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		7	4 0	SWAZILAND	As for South Africa								
	1 0	6	6 (3)				SYRIA	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	1-3	
LBP	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	10 0	TAIWAN	12.30 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 pm	2-3	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	TANZANIA	12.30 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	1-2	
							except Zanzibar									
LP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	8 0	THAILAND (Siam)	3.30 am	2.0 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am	12.15 pm	7.30 am	2.0 pm	2-3	
LP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	8 0	TIBET	As for India, Calcutta							7-21	
	1 6	9	7 (4)			6 6	TOGO	12.30 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm	7.0 pm			1-2	
P	1 9	10	8 (5)		9	12 6	TONGA	As for Fiji							4-8	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 6	TORTOLA									
							(British Virgin Is.)	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	3-5	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)			7 0	TRINIDAD & TOBAGO	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am		7.30 am	7.30 am	1-3	
	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	3 0	TUNISIA	12.30 pm	3.30 pm	9.0 am	3.30 pm	6.0 am	6.0 am	3.30 pm	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 6	TURKS & CAICOS IS.	3.30 am				1.15 pm			2-8	
LBP	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	UGANDA	12.30 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	4.30 pm	2.0 pm	6.0 am	1	
P	1 0	6	6 (3)		7	4 6	UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC	3.30 am	2.0 pm	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	2.0 pm	7.30 am	1-2	
							UNITED STATES OF AMERICA									
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Hawaii†	As for Los Angeles								
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Alaska†	As for Los Angeles								
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Boston	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	1-3	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Dallas†	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am		
							Washington	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am		
							New York	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am		
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Los Angeles		11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am		
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Western States‡	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am		
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Chicago, Philadelphia	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am		
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 0	Other Parts	3.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am	11.30 am		
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	5 6	UPPER VOLTA	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm		
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	8 6	URUGUAY	12.30 pm	9.0 am	9.0 am	3.30 pm	4.30 pm	3.30 pm	3.30 pm	2-3	
LBP	Letter rates as for Europe (see page 6)						U.S.S.R. (Asia)	3.30 am	6.0 am		6.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	5.0 am	1-2	
	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 6	VENEZUELA	(Letters by air to Moscow)	3.30 am	7.30 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	9.0 am	7.30 am	6.0 am	1-2
	1 6	9	7 (4)			9 0	VIETNAM, North	As for China, Peking							3-7	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	6 6	VIETNAM, South	7.30 am		7.30 am					2-4	
P	1 9	10	8 (5)		10	0	VIRGIN IS. OF U.S.A.	3.30 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	6.0 am	3-4	
P	1 9	10	8 (5)		12	6	WAKE ISLAND	As for U.S.A., San Francisco							4-5	
	1 0	6	6 (3)				WESTERN SAMOA	As for Fiji							3-10	
P	1 6	9	7 (4)		8	7 0	YEMEN	As for Southern Yemen							4-10	
							ZAMBIA Livingstone	12.30 pm	6.0 pm		2.0 pm	7.30 am	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2	
							Lusaka, Ndola	12.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	2.0 pm	7.30 am	6.0 pm	6.0 pm		
							ZANZIBAR	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	4.30 pm	6.0 pm	6.0 pm	1-2	

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To	First lb.	Each additional lb.	To	First lb.	Each additional lb.	To	First lb.	Each additional lb.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
§ALBANIA ...	10 0	4 0	GIBRALTAR ...	8 0	3 6	POLAND ...	10 0	3 0
AUSTRIA ...	9 0	3 0	GREECE ...	10 0	5 0	PORTUGAL ...	9 0	4 0
BELGIUM ...	8 0	2 0	HOLLAND ...	(See Netherlands)		RUMANIA ...	10 0	4 6
§BULGARIA ...	9 0	5 0	HUNGARY ...	9 0	4 0	SPAIN (inc. Balearic Islands)	10 0	4 0
CORSICA ...	9 0	3 0	ICELAND ...	10 0	4 0	SWEDEN ...	10 0	3 0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA ...	8 0	3 6	ITALY ...	9 0	3 6	SWITZERLAND ...	8 0	2 6
DENMARK ...	8 0	2 6	LUXEMBOURG ...	8 0	2 0	TURKEY ...	12 0	6 0
FINLAND ...	9 0	5 0	MALTA ...	9 0	4 6	U.S.S.R. (Europe) ...	18 0	7 0
FRANCE ...	9 0	3 0	NETHERLANDS ...	8 0	2 0	YUGOSLAVIA ...	9 0	4 6
GERMANY ...	8 0	3 0	NORWAY ...	9 0	4 0			
(German Federal Republic and Western Sectors of Berlin and †Soviet Zone and †Eastern Sector of Berlin)								

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