

**Classification of letter mail by format for
Local Mail (Letters and Packets), Air Mail (Letters and Packets) and
Surface Mail (Letters and Packets)**

Small Letter (P)

Maximum dimensions: 165 mm x 245 mm x 5 mm (thickness)

Minimum dimensions: 90 mm x 140 mm

Maximum weight: 50 g

Large Letter (G)

Maximum dimensions: 305 mm x 381 mm x 20 mm (thickness)

Minimum dimensions: 90 mm x 140 mm

Maximum weight: 500 g

Packet (E)

Maximum dimensions: length, width and depth combined: 900 mm,
but the largest dimension may not exceed 600 mm

For roll form: length plus twice the diameter: 1 040 mm but the largest
dimension may not exceed 900 mm

Minimum dimensions: 90 mm x 140 mm

Maximum weight: 2 kg

**Postage Rates - Local Mail (Letters and Packets)
with effect from 1 January 2016**

Weight	Current Postage (\$)	New Postage		
		Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
30g	1.7	1.7	2.9	4.0
50g	2.7	2.8		
100g	3.7	-	3.9	5.8
150g	4.5	-	5.7	
200g	4.9	-		
250g	5.4	-		
500g	10.0	-	10.8	10.9
1 Kg	20.0	-	-	21.8
2 Kg	34.2	-	-	37.3

**Postage Rates - Air Mail (Letters and Packets)
with effect from 1 January 2016**

Mainland China and Taiwan

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1
30g	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.8
Each additional 10g	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5

Zone 1

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1
30g	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.8
Each additional 10g	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5

Zone 2

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.9
30g	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.8
Each additional 10g	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6

Zone 3

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0
30g	6.5	6.6	6.7	7.0
Each additional 10g	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7

Note* : 'Second Class Air Mail' Type will be abolished with effect from 1 January 2016.

**Postage Rates - Surface Mail (Letters and Packets)
with effect from 1 January 2016**

Mainland China, Macau and Taiwan

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	2.2	2.2	2.4	7.4
50g	3.7	3.9	4.0	
100g	7.0	-	7.2	
250g	13.9	-	14.2	14.4
500g	27.0	-	27.3	27.5
1 Kg	47.0	-	-	47.5
2 Kg	72.5	-	-	73.0

Zone 1

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	2.8	2.8	2.9	7.5
50g	5.4	5.5	5.6	
100g	7.1	-	7.3	
250g	14.2	-	14.4	14.7
500g	27.6	-	27.8	28.1
1 Kg	48.3	-	-	48.8
2 Kg	80.5	-	-	81.0

Zone 2

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	3.5	3.5	3.7	8.6
50g	6.1	6.3	6.4	
100g	8.1	-	8.4	
250g	16.0	-	16.3	16.5
500g	30.3	-	30.6	30.8
1 Kg	52.3	-	-	52.8
2 Kg	83.2	-	-	83.7

Zone 3

Weight	Current Postage*	New Postage		
	Letters & Postcards (\$)	Small Letter (P) (\$)	Large Letter (G) (\$)	Packet (E) (\$)
20g	3.5	3.7	3.8	8.8
50g	6.1	6.5	6.6	
100g	8.1	-	8.6	
250g	16.0	-	16.5	16.7
500g	30.3	-	30.8	31.0
1 Kg	52.3	-	-	53.0
2 Kg	83.2	-	-	83.9

Note* : 'Printed Papers' and 'Small Packets' Type will be abolished with effect from 1 January 2016.

**Postage Rates - Local Parcels
with effect from 1 January 2016**

Weight	Current Postage (\$)	New Postage (\$)
1 Kg	55.0	60.0
2 Kg	55.0	60.0
3 Kg	55.0	60.0
4 Kg	66.0	72.0
5 Kg	78.0	85.0
6 Kg	89.0	97.0
7 Kg	101.0	110.0
8 Kg	113.0	123.0
9 Kg	124.0	131.0
10 Kg	136.0	135.0
11 Kg	147.0	
12 Kg	159.0	140.0
13 Kg	171.0	
14 Kg	182.0	165.0
15 Kg	194.0	
16 Kg	205.0	
17 Kg	217.0	180.0
18 Kg	229.0	
19 Kg	240.0	
20 Kg	252.0	

Proposed Revisions to Postal Fees under the Post Office Regulations (Cap. 98, sub. leg. A)
(with effect from 1 February 2016)

No.	Regulation	Fee Description	Current Fee	New Fee
1	12(1)	Parcel demurrage charge	\$2 per day after 7 days (minimum charge at \$16)	\$2.7 per day after 7 days (minimum charge at \$22)
2	13(1)	Annual fees for private box or private bag service		
		- General Post Office	\$815 (large box) \$625 (small box) \$340 (private bag)	\$890 (large box) \$680 (small box) \$370 (private bag)
		- Tsim Sha Tsui Post Office	\$815 (large box) \$625 (small box) \$340 (private bag)	\$890 (large box) \$680 (small box) \$370 (private bag)
		- Kowloon Central Post Office	\$400 (small box) \$340 (private bag)	\$435 (small box) \$370 (private bag)
		- Other Post Offices	\$400 (large box) \$340 (small box) \$340 (private bag)	\$435 (large box) \$370 (small box) \$370 (private bag)
3	13(4)(a)	Fee for each additional key for private box	\$10 per key	\$30 per key
4	13(6)(b)	Fee for change of lock of private box	\$40 per lock	\$55 per lock
5	13(6)(c)	Fee for each old key not returned upon change of lock for private box	\$10 per key	\$30 per key
6	14	Fee for a certificate of posting of an unregistered postal packet or for a duplicate certificate of posting of a registered postal packet, a parcel or a recorded delivery postal packet	\$1.2 per packet/parcel	\$1.5 per packet/parcel
7	16A(1)	Recorded delivery fee for postal packets	\$12.5 per packet	\$14 per packet
8	18(1)	Special fee payable by the sender for cash on delivery parcels (the trade charge on any one parcel shall not exceed \$1,200)	1% of trade charge	\$12 per item
9	19(2)(a)	Commission charge for money order for payment outside Hong Kong	\$40 + 0.5% of remitted amount per order	\$50 + 0.5% of remitted amount per order
10	19(5)	Fee for an advice of payment for money order	\$11	\$14
11	19(8)	Fee for stopping payment of money order, issuing duplicate of money order, or refunding payment of void money order	\$40 per order	\$50 per order
12	22	Price of international reply coupon	\$14 per coupon	\$19 per coupon
13	23(3)	Fee for new licence of Business Reply Service	\$110 per licence per year	\$150 per new licence
14	23(5)	Surcharge for each article delivered under the Business Reply Service	\$0.5 for each article delivered	\$0.7 for each article delivered
15	23A	Licence fee for Freepost	N/A	\$98 per new licence
16	23A(4)	Surcharge for each envelope or card delivered under Freepost	\$0.6 for each envelope or card delivered	\$0.8 for each envelope or card delivered
17	32	Fee for redirection of postal packets		
		- Private user	First 3 months: \$125 Each succeeding 12 months: \$315	First 3 months: \$136 Each succeeding 6 months: \$172
		- Business user	First 3 months: \$375 Each succeeding 12 months: \$940	First 3 months: \$409 Each succeeding 6 months: \$512
18	36(2)	Fee for handling each dispatch of philatelic products ordered by customers outside Hong Kong	\$10 per dispatch	\$12 per dispatch