<u>Special Stamp Issue – "24 Solar Terms - Autumn"</u> (7 August 2025)

This set of special stamps is designed by Ms Shirman LAI and printed in lithography by Cartor Security Printing, France.

Official first day covers will be put on sale at \$2.5 each at all post offices from 24 July 2025. Display of the special stamps and associated philatelic products will be put up at General Post Office (GPO), Kowloon Bay Post Office, Sha Tin Central Post Office, Tuen Mun Central Post Office, Tsim Sha Tsui Post Office and Tsuen Wan Post Office from 31 July 2025 for public's view. Advance orders for servicing self-provided covers will be accepted at all philatelic offices from 24 to 30 July 2025.

Sales Arrangements

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Products	Unit Selling Price (HKD)	Sales Period*	Maximum Purchase Quantity Per Queuing Customer for the First Two Days of Issue	
"24 Solar Terms - Autumn" Special S	tamps			
(A) Products Available at all Post Offices				
First Day Cover	\$2.5	Post offices: 24 July 2025 to 6 November 2025 ShopThruPost: 24 July 2025 to 6 February 2026	No restriction	
Mint Stamps (a set of 6 stamps, \$2.20 each)	\$13.2	Post offices: 7 August 2025 to 6 November 2025	5 sheets of each denomination (viz. 120 stamps of each denomination)	
Souvenir Sheet (containing a set of 6 stamps)	\$13.2	ShopThruPost: 7 August 2025 to 6 February 2026	5 sheets	
Presentation Pack (containing a set of 6 stamps)	\$32		5 packs	

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(B) Products Available at <u>Philatelic Offices</u> only				
Serviced First Day Cover affixed with a set of 6 stamps (date-stamped with special postmark)	\$18.2	Post offices: 7 August 2025 to 6 November 2025 ShopThruPost: 7 August 2025 to 6 February 2026	5 covers	
Serviced First Day Cover affixed with a Souvenir Sheet (date-stamped with special postmark)	\$18.2		5 covers	
Serviced First Day Cover affixed with a set of tête-bêche stamps (a set of 6 pairs of stamps, one design for each pair) (date-stamped with special postmark)	\$31.4		5 covers	

Remarks: * The sales period is 3 months from the issue date at all post offices and 6 months from the issue date on "ShopThruPost".

Date-stamping Arrangements

A hand-back date-stamping service with the office date-stamp and the special postmark will be provided on 7 August 2025 at all post offices for official first day covers/souvenir covers/privately made covers bearing the first day of issue indication and a local address. All philatelic offices will also provide "Philatelic Bureau" pictorial postmark and its respective philatelic office pictorial postmark. The GPO-1 date-stamp impression will only be available at the GPO.

Information about this set of special stamps and associated philatelic products is available on the Hongkong Post Stamps website (stamps.hongkongpost.hk).