

**REVENUE, PIECES, AND WEIGHT BY CLASSES OF MAIL AND SPECIAL SERVICES FOR QUARTER 1
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First-Class Mail:												
Single-Piece Letters, Flats, & Parcels	5,527,449	5,665,959	(138,510)	(2.4)	12,377,261	12,677,381	(300,120)	(2.4)	581,885	598,416	(16,531)	(2.8)
Nonautom. Presort Letters, Flats, & Parcels	208,931	236,890	(27,959)	(11.8)	514,009	576,253	(62,244)	(10.8)	28,667	32,435	(3,768)	(11.6)
Automation Presort Letters and Flats	3,583,720	3,324,704	259,017	7.8	11,915,430	11,016,955	898,475	8.2	525,255	486,040	39,215	8.1
Automation Carrier Route Presort Letters	55,023	59,319	(4,297)	(7.2)	194,825	208,128	(13,303)	(6.4)	8,386	9,722	(1,336)	(13.7)
Total Presort Letters, Flats, & Parcels	3,847,674	3,620,913	226,761	6.3	12,624,264	11,801,337	822,927	7.0	562,308	528,197	34,111	6.5
Single-Piece Cards	153,439	156,328	(2,889)	(1.8)	645,473	655,257	(9,785)	(1.5)	4,211	4,151	60	1.4
Nonautomation Presort Cards	20,326	22,344	(2,018)	(9.0)	95,853	105,361	(9,508)	(9.0)	883	757	125	16.5
Automation Presort Cards	121,218	114,428	6,790	5.9	665,682	628,320	37,362	5.9	7,669	6,183	1,485	24.0
Automation Carrier Route Presort Cards	3,262	3,408	(145)	(4.3)	19,186	20,046	(860)	(4.3)	186	160	27	16.7
Total Presort Cards	144,806	140,179	4,627	3.3	780,721	753,727	26,994	3.6	8,738	7,100	1,637	23.1
Domestic Mail Fees	77,216	78,252	(1,036)	(1.3)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total First-Class Mail	9,750,585	9,661,632	88,953	0.9	26,427,719	25,887,702	540,016	2.1	1,157,142	1,137,865	19,277	1.7
Priority Mail												
Priority Mail	1,294,279	1,272,130	22,149	1.7	239,723	233,920	5,803	2.5	485,324	492,238	(6,914)	(1.4)
Domestic Mail Fees	476	401	75	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Priority Mail	1,294,755	1,272,530	22,225	1.7	239,723	233,920	5,803	2.5	485,324	492,238	(6,914)	(1.4)
Express Mail												
Express Mail	217,514	216,850	664	0.3	13,517	13,432	84	0.6	14,488	14,502	(14)	(0.1)
Mailgrams												
Mailgrams	187	159	27	17.2	453	371	82	22.1	-	-	-	-
Periodicals:												
In-County	19,297	18,807	490	2.6	202,720	194,453	8,268	4.3	67,620	64,611	3,009	4.7
Regular	448,462	447,857	605	0.1	1,622,201	1,624,924	(2,723)	(0.2)	851,332	846,990	4,342	0.5
Special Nonprofit	86,231	86,191	40	0.0	495,703	484,751	10,952	2.3	136,648	132,826	3,822	2.9
Classroom	4,253	3,927	326	8.3	15,871	12,054	3,817	31.7	10,053	9,420	633	6.7
Domestic Mail Fees	5,060	5,244	(184)	(3.5)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Periodical Mail	563,304	562,025	1,278	0.2	2,336,496	2,316,182	20,314	0.9	1,065,653	1,053,846	11,807	1.1
Standard Mail:												
Regular - Nonautomation Presort	307,079	323,585	(16,506)	(5.1)	841,804	897,503	(55,699)	(6.2)	159,227	166,110	(6,883)	(4.1)
- Automation Presort	2,627,696	2,420,320	207,376	8.6	12,675,921	11,592,223	1,083,698	9.3	1,168,310	1,075,371	92,939	8.6
Enhanced Carrier Route	1,537,387	1,423,297	114,089	8.0	8,923,134	8,253,636	669,498	8.1	1,577,146	1,485,403	91,743	6.2
Total Regular and ECR	4,472,161	4,167,202	304,959	7.3	22,440,860	20,743,363	1,697,497	8.2	2,904,683	2,726,884	177,799	6.5
Nonprofit - Nonautomation Presort	87,023	89,742	(2,718)	(3.0)	536,494	548,683	(12,189)	(2.2)	34,338	35,142	(804)	(2.3)
- Automation Presort	357,524	334,901	22,623	6.8	2,882,085	2,686,392	195,693	7.3	206,427	192,907	13,520	7.0
Nonprofit Enhanced Carrier Route	106,257	63,481	42,776	67.4	1,089,394	685,220	404,175	59.0	82,247	58,960	23,287	39.5
Total Nonprofit and Nonprofit ECR	550,805	488,124	62,681	12.8	4,507,973	3,920,295	587,678	15.0	323,012	287,009	36,003	12.5
Domestic Mail Fees	30,888	30,604	284	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Standard Mail	5,053,854	4,685,930	367,925	7.9	26,948,833	24,663,658	2,285,175	9.3	3,227,695	3,013,893	213,802	7.1
Package Services:												
Parcel Post	402,138	408,222	(6,084)	(1.5)	123,382	124,847	(1,464)	(1.2)	633,711	667,545	(33,835)	(5.1)
Bound Printed Matter	146,689	147,966	(1,277)	(0.9)	140,181	138,941	1,240	0.9	345,991	340,159	5,832	1.7
Media Mail	88,757	93,740	(4,983)	(5.3)	46,969	50,794	(3,825)	(7.5)	91,461	94,655	(3,193)	(3.4)
Library Mail	7,878	8,263	(385)	(4.7)	4,205	4,488	(284)	(6.3)	7,758	7,823	(65)	(0.8)
Domestic Mail Fees	665	734	(69)	(9.4)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Package Services	646,128	658,925	(12,798)	(1.9)	314,737	319,071	(4,334)	(1.4)	1,078,921	1,110,182	(31,261)	(2.8)

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U.S. Postal Service Mail	-	-	-	-	199,875	124,993	74,882	59.9	29,629	27,160	2,468	9.1
Free Mail for the Blind and Handicapped	-	-	-	-	19,193	18,518	675	3.6	8,772	9,414	(642)	(6.8)
Total Domestic Mail	17,526,326	17,058,052	468,274	2.7	56,500,544	53,577,846	2,922,698	5.5	7,067,624	6,859,100	208,524	3.0
International Mail:												
Economy - Letter-Post	10,430	11,113	(683)	(6.1)	1,512	1,921	(409)	(21.3)	4,630	4,403	227	5.1
- Parcel Post	24,520	23,213	1,308	5.6	887	830	58	7.0	9,562	9,431	131	1.4
- Periodicals	5,138	5,899	(761)	(12.9)	3,876	4,287	(411)	(9.6)	2,101	2,291	(190)	(8.3)
Total Economy Mail	40,088	40,224	(136)	(0.3)	6,275	7,038	(762)	(10.8)	16,293	16,125	168	1.0
Airmail - Letter-Post	212,064	197,360	14,704	7.5	147,430	150,657	(3,227)	(2.1)	18,540	16,114	2,426	15.1
- Parcel Post	82,988	68,390	14,598	21.3	2,487	2,034	453	22.3	19,083	16,090	2,993	18.6
Total Airmail	295,052	265,750	29,303	11.0	149,918	152,691	(2,774)	(1.8)	37,624	32,205	5,419	16.8
International Express Mail	52,167	42,356	9,811	23.2	1,476	1,255	221	17.6	6,970	5,349	1,621	30.3
International Surface Airlift Mail	19,632	19,491	140	0.7	32,623	32,356	267	0.8	5,524	5,563	(40)	(0.7)
International Priority Airmail	24,770	20,475	4,295	21.0	54,128	47,646	6,482	13.6	3,754	3,166	589	18.6
International Other Mail 1/	2,374	3,528	(1,154)	(32.7)	876	1,125	(249)	(22.1)	463	721	(258)	(35.8)
International Mail Subtotal	434,083	391,824	42,259	10.8	245,297	242,111	3,186	1.3	70,628	63,129	7,499	11.9
Foreign Postal Transactions	63,203	77,753	(14,550)	(18.7)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
International Mail Fees	5,485	5,622	(137)	(2.4)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total International Mail	502,771	475,199	27,572	5.8	245,297	242,111	3,186	1.3	70,628	63,129	7,499	11.9
Total All Mail	18,029,097	17,533,251	495,846	2.8	56,745,841	53,819,957	2,925,884	5.4	7,138,252	6,922,229	216,023	3.1
Domestic Special and Other Services:												
Registered	12,669	16,023	(3,354)	(20.9)	1,129	1,294	(165)	(12.8)				
Insurance	33,199	36,611	(3,413)	(9.3)	13,770	16,235	(2,465)	(15.2)				
Collect on Delivery	2,291	2,726	(434)	(15.9)	367	443	(76)	(17.1)				
Certified	145,575	154,812	(9,237)	(6.0)	63,293	67,310	(4,016)	(6.0)				
Delivery Receipt Services	136,763	126,212	10,551	8.4	251,965	227,219	24,746	10.9				
Money Orders	41,996	44,000	(2,004)	(4.6)	45,646	47,747	(2,100)	(4.4)				
Total Domestic Special Services	372,493	380,384	(7,892)	(2.1)	376,170	360,248	15,923	4.4				
Outstanding MO Taken into Revenue 2/	10,551	0	10,551	-								
Stamped Envelopes and Cards	5,003	5,712	(709)	(12.4)								
Box Rents	197,325	186,069	11,256	6.0								
Total Domestic Services	585,372	572,166	13,206	2.3								
International Special Services:												
Money Orders	659	772	(113)	(14.6)	178	213	(35)	(16.6)				
Other Special Services	7,019	6,756	263	3.9	1,297	1,304	(8)	(0.6)				
Total International Services	7,678	7,528	150	2.0	1,474	1,517	(43)	(2.8)				
Total Services	593,050	579,694	13,356	2.3								
Total Mail and Services	18,622,147	18,112,945	509,202	2.8								
Other Revenue	174,647	125,709	48,938	38.9								
Total Revenue	18,796,794	18,238,654	558,141	3.1								
										Total		8,155

Special Service Transactions
U.S. Postal Service Mail
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Registered 2,790
Certified 233
Delivery Receipt Services 1,348
Mail Fee Services 3,689
Special Handling 95

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RPW SUMMARY REPORT FOOTNOTES

- 1/ Beginning FY 2005, International Commercial Packages (ICP) Express Mail is reported with International Express Mail and ICP Airmail Parcel Post is reported with International Airmail Parcel Post. Prior to FY 2005, ICP mail activity was reported in International Other Mail.
- 2/ Outstanding Money Orders Taken Into Revenue are now reported on a quarterly basis.
- 3/ Not included elsewhere in this report.

- Report totals may not sum due to rounding.